OUR FARMERS' CLUB

Correspondence Invited

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

KING'S CO., P. E. I.

CARDIGAN, June 9.—We are having good growing weather, with plenty of rain, although it keeps cool. Grain and grass is doing fine. Cropping is about completed, except a few potatoes and turnips to go in yet. Pastures are good and it promises to be a good summer for dairying. Butter, 28c to 30c; eggs, 16c; potatoes are still being handled here at 35c; good beef cattle scarce and dear, 5c to 7c live.—H. P.

ONTARIO

HALIBURTON CO., ONT.

KINMOUNT, June 9.—The dry cold weather still continues; only a light rain in six weeks. Spring grain looks well. Hay is very short with a good stand. Oats are doing well. We want warm weather and rain. Sheep shearing was late but is now completed. Very few cattle buyers have been through. They are offering 6c a lb. for lambs; 4½c for cattle for fall delivery. Butter, 20c; eggs, 20c; pork, 15c; veal, 10c; beef, 10c; chickens, live, 16c; beef, live weight, $5.40; wool, washed, 23c; unwashed, 15c; oats, 50c; hay, $13; buckwheat, 90c.—J. A. L. T.

WELLINGTON CO., ONT.

METZ, June 2.—Farmers are busy putting in their potatoes and turnips. The grain crop is looking well, but the grass is very short and thin on account of the cold weather. Colts are coming strong and healthy. Pigs are still keeping up and cattle are $6.60; eggs, 19c; butter, 23c; potatoes, 80c.—J. A. S.

WATERLOO CO., ONT.

ELMIRA, June 7.—After quite a spell of dry weather we were blessed with a nice refreshing rain on Friday, the 4th, accompanied with a heavy electrical storm with slight damage. Crops were greatly revived and look well, with the exception of improving but clover is missing in them. The ground worked up extra fine for mangolds and sugar beets which are up nice; also for corn which is mostly planted and is coming up fine. With good seed and dry soil corn promises a good crop. Some turnips are sowed. Cheese are selling high from 27.50 down, while hogs are 9.75 f.o.b. Young pigs are gold mine stock at present. The best cattle are nearly cleaned out of this section. Dairying is taking a good hold at present and farmers are shipping milk and cream to the larger centres while the local creameries have quite a fight to stay in existance. The crop of young colts is above the average this spring with very few losses. The prospect for fruit is very good. For both large and small fruit the frost has so far done little damage to the blossoms. The Farming Special train was in our town on Friday, June 4th, and we were patronized, but the lecture in the evening was not held on account of the heavy electrical storm raging at the time. Our Farmers' Club will hold a picnic on July 1st, and a good time is expected if weather is good. Road-making, sowing roots and making land ready for buckwheat, is the order of the day.—A. B. L.

SIMCOE CO., ONT.

ELMVALE, June 9.—The weather has been of late very cold with frost almost every night. Cherries and plums are destroyed; also a considerable portion of the strawberry crop. The weather has also been very dry. Crops have been put in in good shape and should warm weather soon come with rains, grain crops should be excellent in spite of the frost.—C. S. B.

MIDDLESEX CO., ONT.

LAMBETH, June 9.—There has been a large acreage of corn planted. This was mostly sown by the drill, and was certainly finished up nicely. Some fields of corn are already shooting up, and the farmers are in good spirits for they anticipate a bumper crop. Potatoes have taken a jump up to $1.50 a bag, and are scarce at that. The cows are milking splendidly, while the grass is good. One of the butter factories gathers its cream with an auto truck. Many miles of new fencing have been put up this season, which adds to the general appearance of the farms. Carpenters and cement men are busy putting up and repairing buildings and bridges. More attention has been paid to the poultry industry than ever before, and we hear of young chicks by the hundreds. Young pigs have reached a record price, $12 a pair.—J. E. O.

LAMBTON CO., ONT.

WYOMING, June 6.—Corn planting is almost done and is about half of our seeding. The grain crop is decreasing. Not very much roots planted. Quite a lot of peas, corn, etc., have been planted for the canning factory. Cattle, pigs and sheep seem to be getting scarcer and higher. The trouble is Tax! Tax! Tax! Taxed for improvements; taxed for food; taxed for crops; taxed for implements; taxed by doctor, charge doubled and tripled; taxed for school books of poor quality and many hardly ever used; taxed to pass from one room to another in High School; taxed to write for teacher; taxed to go to Normal; taxed double and more to pay little teacher to teach almost empty schools; taxed to keep up roads for automobiles; taxed to pay big salaries to district representatives, district medical health officers, inspectors of anything to make a fat job for a government supporter. We have lots of them.—D. N. A.

BLUE BLOODS FOR CANADA

A shipment from Glasgow on the 17th May, per the Athenia, made for A. C. Hardy, of Avondale Farm, Brockville, consisted of some 23 head, made up of Clydesdales, Hackneys and Hackney Ponies. To mention a few of them, we might say that one which is sure to attract some attention is the Hackney Pony stallion, Tissington Van Dyke, a bay five-year-old, bought from Mr. James Hales, of Rougham Pony Stud, Bury St. Edmunds, and bred by Sir Gilbert Greenall. This stallion is a son of Sir Horace, the unbeaten champion, and his dam is Tissington Venus, first and champion at London, as was her dam and also her grand dam. Van Dyke has also won several good prizes, though shown but little. In 1910 he was second at the Royal, and this year was first at Royal Norfolk and several other local shows. He will probably be shown in Canada, at a few of this year's shows. He is as good an individual as ever came to Canada, has tremendous action and speed. This stallion will stand for a few approved pony or small mares this season, and it will be well to anyone's while to wait for his arrival if interested in pony breeding.

A brood mare, Berkely Dryad, from the same stud, and with foal by Van Dyke at foot, should make a mark in Canada. She was a winner at the last London Show, and has to her credit firsts at Royal Norfolk in pair and in tandem, at the Suffolk and Woodbridge Shows, and second in London two years ago. From this stud, there are also a pair of ponies of equally good breeding. From Mr. Enoch Glen, there is a chestnut hackney stallion, Glenavon, a three-year-old by Gartonious, by Garton Duke of Connaught and out of Woodhatch Pollinda, by Evanthina. This colt shows great promise. From this same stud comes a black pony mare by Mathias, and three two-year-olds of the best blood in England, by the Champion Torchfire. The well-known Whitegate Stud of Mr. John Jones sends a matched pair of pony mares of four years, sisters and daughters of Whitegate Swell, one of the great pony sires. Also a six-year-old mare by His Majesty, having foal at foot. She is of the best type of brood mare.

In Clydes, one that should do well at our shows is a yearling filly by Scotland Yet, a beautiful bay, of remarkable size

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