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DAIRYMEN WIN

The following from the Farmers' Review is interesting in showing what can be accomplished thru organized effort:

Dairymen supplying Chicago with milk won in just one week their fight for higher prices. On April 1, contract day, they stopped shipping milk, and by united effort cut Chicago's milk supply to such a point that the big dealers were forced to capitulate and agree to pay an average of \$1.55 per ewt, in lieu of their original offer of a fraction over \$1.33. The smaller dealers signed up at the price asked by farmers at the outset of the strike, but four big dealers held out. The victory is deserved and is especially significant in showing what may be accomplished by farmers who stand together. Officers of the Milk Producers' Association, the dairymen's organization, led the fight, and they are to be commended for the judgment they displayed at all points. Some recalcitrant farmers attempted to deliver milk to the different stations, but in most cases the persuasion of the pickets of the association whom they met sent them home; more strenuous measures were necessary with a few.



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Our Ottawa Letter

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\$1,000,000 for a subsidy to the Transatlantic service was still under consideration. J. G. Turriff said that in view of the tremendously increased rates being charged he did not think it was desirable that the government should grant any subsidy to these lines. The minister inclined to agree with the member for Assiniboia that the situation was different now. He intimated that the matter would be brought up again next week, when there could be a general discussion on the Transatlantic problem and the shortage in tonnage which is becoming more accentuated from month to month.

In connection with the Naval Department estimates, Hon. William Pugsley and Mr. Turriff once more urged the desirability of steps being taken to encourage the construction of ships in Canada. Mr. Pugsley said that he knew that if engines, boilers and machinery were admitted duty free there were men in Canada who would be willing to undertake the immediate construction of wooden ships.

LONGER LEAVE FOR SOLDIERS

With regard to the farm labor situation in the province, the Manitoba Department of Agriculture reports as follows: Within recent days further returns from Manitoba battalions have been turned in, and the situation in regard to soldier help stands as follows: At present there are 4,603 soldiers available for farm work, of whom 391 are going to work on their own farms, 2,410 are going to work for their parents, relatives or friends, and 1,802 have offered to engage with farmers who require their services. These men are formally granted leave of absence for thirty days only, but the military authorities have agreed that in cases where the farmer requires his man for a few days longer to complete his spring work the furlough will be lengthened up to 45 days. The soldiers are released only on definite applications from farmers, and none of them will be permitted to leave the ranks to go out to look for work. Forms upon which to apply for these soldiers are now in the hands of all secretaries of the Grain Growers' Association, and every railway station agent in the province.

LIFE MEMBER KILLED

It is with deep regret that we announce that Richard D. Carey ("Dick Carey"), made the supreme sacrifice for the Empire on March 1, "somewhere in France." He was in the 23rd Royal Fusiliers (Sportsmen's Battalion). Dick Carey was well known in the Bell Plaine district, being an active life member of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association.

WEEDING GROWING CROP

Where the young growing grain is badly infested with such annual weeds as lamb's quarters, pig weed, stink weed or any of the mustards, these may be largely destroyed by the use of light harrows or weeders. This must be done when the grain is above ground and while the weeds are quite small, i.e., while still in the two leaf stage of growth. Run the harrow or weeder on a warm dry lengthwise of the drill. Do not allow the rubbish to choke up the implement, or it will drag out the grain.—S. A. Bedford.

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