

THRIFTY FAMILIES BUYING DIRECT FROM PRODUCER OF FARM

One Express Company Has 150 Orders of Country Produce in Small Lots to Deliver to City Householders—All-Year-Around Butter Contracts Profitable Just Now—Steamer Captains Also in Business.

Will the soaring prices in the matter of foodstuffs eventually lead to the practical elimination of the commission merchant or other intermediary?

This question may well be asked when local conditions are analyzed and the manner in which this class of business is being revolutionized.

The fact of the matter is that, on looking into the whole question, a Telegraph representative found a small dealer in business which has hitherto been done for the farmer by the commission man.

The Telegraph was informed that the new condition of affairs can be attributed solely to the unprecedented manner in which the cost of foodstuffs has been boosted so that now the consumer finds that he can buy direct from the farmer.

Thirty Orders a Day. The proportions to which business of this class has grown may be gauged from the records of one of the express companies of the city, the manager of which informed the Telegraph yesterday that not a day passes that he does not receive from twenty to thirty orders to call for freight.

OBITUARY. Harvey Graves. Hopewell Hill, Oct. 22—Harvey Graves, a well known resident of Albert, who had been an invalid for several years, died at his home there on Saturday afternoon.

Rev. M. E. Fletcher. Tuesday, Oct. 24. The community was shocked yesterday when it became known that Rev. M. E. Fletcher, one of the best known ministers of the Baptist denomination here, had passed away after a brief illness.

Miss Elizabeth J. Rowe. The death of Miss Elizabeth J. Rowe occurred after a brief illness at the Old Ladies' Home on Sunday night, Oct. 22.

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passed, where, before a large congregation, Rev. A. A. Harvey preached a very impressive sermon on the stirring qualities of the late Mr. MacMann.

WEDDINGS. Johnson-Connell. On Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 11, a quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mrs. J. C. Quinn.

Henry H. Burns. Wednesday, Oct. 25. Many friends will learn with regret of the death of Henry H. Burns of 78 Paradise row, which occurred yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Holmes. Newmarket, Oct. 25—The death of Miss Elizabeth Holmes of 1000 occurred on Friday morning after a two year illness of cancer.

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Lord Ardow. The wedding of Corporal Ernest A. Lord of this city, now a member of the 3rd C. G. A., in Halifax, to Miss Mary E. Arclow, also of St. John, was solemnized in Halifax on Oct. 19 by Rev. C. F. Curran.

Ceip-Tingley. Dorchester, Oct. 24—(Special)—The marriage of Miss Gardia L. (eldest daughter) of Postmaster and Mrs. S. W. Tingley, of Dorchester, to the Rev. James Ceip, of St. John, took place here this morning.

Miss Adelaide L. Cutler, daughter of the late Hon. and Mrs. John L. Cutler, of Bangor, was married to Charles C. Nadeau, of Boston, on last Saturday afternoon.

Frederick, Oct. 25—Stanley M. Bates, of Boston, and Miss Charlotte Babbitt, daughter of Mrs. B. H. Babbitt, of Gibson, were married in Christ Church on last evening.

Richard Berube. A very quiet wedding took place in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Edmundston (N. B.), when Miss Marie Berube, eldest daughter of Paul Berube, was united in marriage to Edward Berube, of Edmundston, with nuptial honors.

Hopewell Hill, Oct. 24—This body of Mrs. Mary Tingley, who died at the home of her son, Parnell J. Condon, New Glasgow, was brought to Hopewell Cape, where she was interred in the cemetery at Upper Cape.

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and roses and the guests included friends from Boston, New York, Worcester and Canada.

Washington, Oct. 25—Miss Margaret Preston Draper today was married to Prince Andrea Boncompagni, who has made three visits to America in the last year to woo the youngest daughter of the late General William E. Draper.

St. John, Oct. 25—The bride and groom were married in the Episcopal church here on last evening.

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Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 'Salmon, pink', 'Salmon, white', 'Finnan haddies', 'Kipper herring', 'Oysters, 12', 'Corned beef', 'Peaches, 24', 'Peaches, 36', 'Peanut butter', 'Lombard plums', 'Raspberries', 'Corn, per box', 'Peanut butter', 'Strawberries', 'Tomatoes', 'Pumpkins', 'String beans', 'Baked beans'.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 'Shelled walnuts', 'Almonds in shell', 'Walnuts', 'Peanut butter', 'Brazil', 'Peanut butter', 'Peanut butter', 'Peanut butter', 'Peanut butter', 'Peanut butter'.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 'Small dry cod', 'Medium dry cod', 'Smoked herring', 'Picked shad, half-bills', 'Fresh cod, per lb.', 'Peanut butter', 'Halibut', 'Kipper herring', 'Box', 'Swedish', 'Haddock', 'Haddock'.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 'Bran, small lots, bags 32.00', 'Peanut butter', 'No. 1', 'Peanut butter', 'No. 1', 'Oats, Canadian', 'Middlings', 'Palmolive', 'Royalite', 'Wool, unwashed', 'Wool, washed', 'Moose hides', 'Deer skins'.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 'Potatoes, per bushel', 'Potatoes, per peck', 'Beef, western', 'Beef (N. B.)', 'Mutton, per lb.', 'Spring lamb', 'Pork, per lb.', 'Veal, per lb.', 'Eggs, fresh', 'Henney eggs', 'Tub butter', 'Creamery butter', 'Fresh country butter', 'Turkeys', 'Fowls, fresh killed', 'Fresh chicken', 'Newcombs', 'New carrots', 'Cauliflower', 'Cabbage lettuce', 'Corn, per dozen', 'Cranberries', 'Apples, bushel', 'Squash, per bushel', 'Vegetable marrow', 'Cilantro melon', 'Parsnips, peck', 'Mint and parsley', 'Native onions', 'Crab apples', 'Pumpkins', 'Sweet potatoes', 'Picking onions, quart'.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 'Grapes', 'Lemons, Messina, box', 'Coconuts, per doz.', 'Coconuts, per sack', 'Grape fruit', 'California late Valencia oranges', 'Bananas, No. 1', 'California prunes', 'Filberts', 'Brazil, new', 'Peanut butter', 'Bag figs, per lb.', 'Malaga grapes'.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 'Choice seed raisins', 'Fancy do.', 'Currants, cleaned', 'Cheese, per lb.', 'Rice', 'Green peas, per bushel', 'Bicarb soda, per keg', 'Beans, white', 'Beans, yellow eye', 'Split peas, bag', 'Pot barley, bag', 'Cornmeal, per bag', 'Granulated cornmeal', 'Am. onions, per bag', 'Lard, pure, tub', 'Molasses, fancy bar', 'Badon'.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 'Standard gran', 'United Empire gran', 'SUGAR', 'Standard gran', 'United Empire gran'.

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Bright yellow 7.85 7.90, No. 1 yellow 7.65 7.80, Paris yellow 9.25 9.30

Flour, etc. Roller oatmeal 0.00 0.75, Standard oatmeal 0.00 0.80, Manitoba, high grade 0.00 10.70, Ontario, soft patent 0.00 10.00

Shelled walnuts 0.40 0.45, Almonds in shell 0.19 0.20, Walnuts 0.14 0.15, Peanut butter 0.23 0.24, Brazil 0.10 0.14

Small dry cod 6.00 6.26, Medium dry cod 7.50 7.50, Smoked herring 0.15 0.20, Picked shad, half-bills 10.00 15.00

Palomine 0.00 0.15, Royalite 0.00 0.12 1/2, Wool, unwashed 0.00 0.67 1/2, Wool, washed 0.00 0.84, Moose hides 0.00 0.05, Deer skins 0.00 0.09

Potatoes, per bushel 1.00 1.20, Potatoes, per peck 0.00 0.35, Beef, western 0.12 0.18 1/2, Beef (N. B.) 0.10 0.12

Grapes 0.00 0.25, Lemons, Messina, box 5.00 8.00, Coconuts, per doz. 0.60 0.70, Coconuts, per sack 4.00 4.30

Choice seed raisins 0.11 1/4 0.11 1/2, Fancy do. 0.11 1/2 0.12, Currants, cleaned 0.00 0.19, Cheese, per lb. 0.23 0.24

Danish Ship Set on Fire. London, Oct. 26—A despatch to the Central News from Christiania says the Danish ship London has been set on fire in the North Sea by a German submarine'.

Upon arriving in London, Dr. Prince was found to be suffering from typhoid fever, would have been in bed for several days, but he is now recovering.

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