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POTATOES IN CAR YARDS IN SCORES OF CARLOADS

But Dealer Declares It Does Not Affect Price—Ontario Imports Many Potatoes From N. B.

(Toronto Globe.)

Potato merchants indignantly deny the charge that 50,000 bags of potatoes have been deliberately sidetracked in the Toronto freight yards "to boost the price."

The real reason for the high cost of spuds, according to Mr. S. W. Nelles, local manager of the New Brunswick Potato Exchange, is that Ontario does not produce enough potatoes for her own requirements, and that United States and Cuban buyers are competing with Ontario dealers for the New Brunswick product.

Mr. Nelles said last night that his firm handles the bulk of New Brunswick potatoes brought to Ontario.

"This year," he explained, "the Ontario crop was a total failure, and it is two years since there was a good crop here. In the Eastern States and in Cuba also there was a considerable shortage, with the result that buyers from New York and Boston are now overrunning the Province of New Brunswick trying to buy from the farmers. They are paying \$2.25 per bag f.o.b. Woodstock, N. B., while Cuban buyers are endeavoring to buy by the boatload for shipment to Havana."

Cheaper to Leave in Cars.

Referring to the large number of cars of potatoes which are kept standing on the railway tracks in the city, Mr. Nelles mentioned the interesting point that it is cheaper for the wholesale potato merchant to pay the demurrage charge of \$1 per day per freight car than to handle the potatoes twice—to his warehouse and then a few days later to the retail storekeeper.

"That explains why there are so many carloads of potatoes standing in the freight yards. The local railway yards are so congested that we have thirty or forty carloads of potatoes which are waiting for a place on the Esplanade."

Buffalo buyers have been in Toronto daily during the past week trying to get supplies, he said. "All you have to do is to read reports of the New York produce market to see that prices in Ontario are not inflated," concluded Mr. Nelles.

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For softening wall paper preparatory to removing it from walls, an Indianapolis man has invented a steam jet that gets its steam from a heating radiator through a rubber tube.

IMPROMPTU MOVIE IN A RESTAURANT

Lobster, Cat, Dog and Girl in a Riot and Girl Has a Faint—It was Some Lobster.

Philadelphia, Nov. 2.—An impromptu movie was staged in a local restaurant last night—staged so quickly and unexpectedly that even the audience usually present in a Philadelphia lobster parlor at that hour was absolutely unprepared to film it.

It seems that the restaurant pet cat was about the kitchen when the cook started operations on some live lobsters. A big crustacean managed to get over the basket side just as puss came along.

Now, puss knew how a lobster tasted, but had never met one alive at close quarters. And incidentally puss does not want to again.

Kitty patted the crawling thing cautiously with one velvet paw. The lobster, always good at the pinch, tried to shake hands too cordially with its harder claw—and the cat cut a streak of gray through the adjoining dining room, emitting ear-splitting walls—the lobster holding on.

Miss Eva Seidler had brought her Boston terrier, Gus, into the restaurant with her. He was tied to her chair. When the terrier saw the cat and the lobster he got busy. So did the lobster.

The dog made for the cat. The lobster grabbed him by the hind leg. With a howl the dog made a jump and pulled the chair from under Miss Seidler, who fainted.

William Mollen, head waiter, ran upstairs when he heard the screams. Cat, dog and lobster got tangled up with his feet and threw him. The restaurant was in an uproar.

The manager got a club and persuaded the lobster to let go. A physician revived Miss Seidler and the cat went back—a cat always does.

BIG FUND RAISED FOR CANADIAN PRISONERS

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 2.—Archibald P. Parker, central treasurer of the fund raised by the women of Canada for a farewell gift to H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught, announced today that the total was \$53,229.20. After deducting the cost of the illuminated address to the Duchess the silver box containing it, and other expenses, \$52,875.55 was cabled to London yesterday for the Duchess of Connaught's prisoners of war fund, to which she had asked that the gift be applied. The contributions by provinces are:

Ontario, \$17,933.44; Quebec, \$20,878.15; Nova Scotia, \$1,500; New Brunswick, \$1,525; Manitoba, \$2,033; British Columbia, \$5,403.41; Prince Edward Island, \$371.50; Alberta, \$795.40; Saskatchewan, \$2,627.36. Total, \$53,229.

The world might be better off if more girls would cultivate a garden patch rather than their voices.

KINGSCLEAR LADY CARRIED OFF HONORS

Mrs. E. W. Darcus, Won Many Prizes at New Brunswick Apple Show—Other Prize Winners

Mrs. E. W. Darcus, of Fern Hill, won premier honors at the New Brunswick apple show at St. John this week. She carried off twenty-four prizes, mostly firsts, and seems to have eclipsed all other exhibitors. Mrs. Darcus, who is a native of Dublin, Ireland, purchased the Maunsell property at Fern Hill about eight years ago. Previous to coming to this country she knew absolutely nothing about farming and fruit growing. Now we find her going to St. John and carrying off honors in competition with fruit growers of long experience.

The success of Mrs. Darcus shows what can be accomplished on a New Brunswick farm by industry, backed up by intelligence. All of the labor in connection with producing the fruit which she exhibited at St. John was done by her own hands, there being no male help employed upon the farm.

The following additional list of prize winners is taken from a St. John newspaper:

Best collection of six commercial varieties of apples, five specimens of each (must be grown by the exhibitor)—1st, Mrs. E. W. Darcus, Fern Hill, Fredericton; 2nd, W. B. Gilman, Fredericton; 3rd, A. G. Dunphy, Douglas.

Best collection of apples, not necessarily the largest, grown on only one farm in New Brunswick (five specimens of each)—2nd, W. B. Gilman; 3rd, Mrs. E. W. Darcus.

Class XI.

Best eight quart basket of apples, covers removed:

Wealthy—1st, Mrs. E. W. Darcus, Fern Hill, Fredericton.

Fameuse—1st, W. B. Gilman, Fredericton; 3rd, Mrs. E. W. Darcus, Fern Hill, Fredericton.

Bishop Pippin—1st, Mrs. E. W. Darcus; 2nd, R. Gorham, Gorham's Bluff; 3rd, B. F. Peters, Queensdown.

Ribston—3rd, I. W. Stephenson, Margerville.

Golden Russett—1st Mrs. E. W. Darcus; 2nd, W. B. Gilman; 3rd, I. W. Stephenson.

Northern Spy—2nd, Mrs. E. W. Darcus, Fern Hill, Fredericton.

Best five baskets, one variety—1st, Mrs. E. W. Darcus, Fern Hill, Fredericton; 2nd, St. John Valley Nurseries, Burton; 3rd, J. W. Clark, Fredericton; 4th, N. B. and B. Col. Co., Fredericton.

Class XII.

Single specimen: McIntosh—1st, Mrs. E. W. Darcus; 2nd, F. A. Hubbard & Son, Burton; 3rd, W. B. Gilman.

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HUNS ARE TRANSFERRING BELGIAN UNEMPLOYED

Brussels, Nov. 1 (via Berlin, Nov. 2, to London).—The compulsory transfer of unemployed began this week, starting in the Mons district. No untoward incidents have occurred.

A despatch from Berlin October 29, said the measures taken by General Von Bissing, military governor, in the occupied portion of Belgium, to employ the working population of the country, were not in the interests of the German administration, but for the workers themselves and for the future of Belgian finance.

General Von Bissing's purpose, it was added, was to encourage the enlistment of labor for agricultural and non-military industries, but the German newspapers intimated plainly that those refusing to work would no longer be fed in idleness.

PERSONAL

Mr. H. P. Timmerman, industrial commissioner of the C. P. R., is at the Barker House.

Fameuse—1st, F. A. Hubbard & Son; 2nd, W. B. Gilman; 3rd, N. B. & B. Col. Co.

Wealthy—1st, Mrs. E. W. Darcus; Dudley—2nd, Mrs. E. W. Darcus; 3rd, W. B. Gilman, Fredericton.

Bishop Pippin—1st, Mrs. E. W. Darcus.

Alexander—1st, Mrs. E. W. Darcus; 2nd, W. B. Gilman.

Tuberculosis Rapidly Increasing Among Children of Belgium and Northern France.

More Food Urgently Needed to Keep up Their Strength

An interview with Mr. W. L. Honnold, American Director of the Belgian Relief Commission, brings to light a new danger threatening the population of the territory occupied by Germany.

Mr. Honnold reports that about 5,000,000 wholly or partially destitute people, who have been dependent on the Commission, generally show diminished vitality. The effects are most apparent among the older children, particularly those in the adolescent stage. Among these there is an alarming increase of tuberculosis, due to the lower power of resistance consequent on an inadequate diet.

To overcome this serious danger, the Commission appeals for extra contributions so that a special meal can be served every day in the schools. Efforts are also being made to provide as far as possible for children outside the schools.

This can only be done—Belgium's children can only be saved—if every one of us who can possibly do so will give something toward the Fund. Whatever you can afford, send your subscription weekly, monthly or in one lump sum to Local or Provincial Committees, or

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