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MILLER BROS.

Phone 28

Rentown

Wedding Bells this week in this burg.

Mr. Wam Young was the guest of his mother, Mrs. W. Bilbert, of Wheatford on Sunday.

The recent thaw has made the roads neither wheeling or sleighing.

D. B. Freeland was one of the lucky fellows to win a prize of a new tire from the Dominion Tire Co, he receiving the same one day last week.

The days are getting longer—Spring will be here soon. Be sure your implements, machinery, hose, harness, etc., are ready for the spring drive.

Thomas Miller has rented his farm to M. Tisdale, and expects to vacate it in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Deller, of Pt. Dover, spent Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Pease.

Mrs. Ezra Burch and daughter are spending a few days in Brantford.

Miss Carrie Andrews, of Hamilton, spent the week-end under the parental roof.

Milk Production - Farmer's Profits

[illegible] and thus [illegible] Man [illegible] peak even. Were the results of such cost accounting for the business of milk production known to the farmer as well as the consumer, the former would be [illegible] for himself to reduce his costs while the latter, recognizing the narrow margin of profit with which the farmer is working to produce a proper food product, would cease his blame criticism and be willing to pay a fair price for milk which is one of its cheapest foods.

To find the cost of milk production is no sinecure in accounting, because of the complexity of the conditions surrounding the industry, but the importance of the product has led to many investigations with the following average results, using the present feed and labour charges,

Expenditure per cow.

Feed at cost prices	$ 82 90
Labour per cow including handling of milk	55 27
Interest and depreciation on herd per cow, $110 at 11%	12 10
Interest insurance, repairs and depreciation on buildings	8 62
Depreciation on equipment	50
Losses from abortion, tuberculosis, pneumonia, etc.	1 95
Veterinary services and drugs	86
Cash sundries	1 56
Added interest of owner in excess of that exhibited by hired help.	6 60
Total	170 26

Receipts per cow

6167 pounds of milk at 29c per gal.	$178 84
12 tons manure at $2.00 per ton	24 00
Total	202 84

Under the above conditions milk costs the farmer 27.6c per gallon or 6.9c per quart. At most he is selling it for 29c per gal or 7.25c per quart. The profit left to the farmer is very little over the value of the manure for his farm. In one investigation conducted on twenty-five dairies 28% reaped no benefit whatever.

While 6,169 pounds of milk per cow per year may seem a small yield to some farmers, it is in reality a very good average, exceeding the average for Eastern Canada by 2,000 pounds. The farmer's remedy lies in increasing the average production of his herd.

A WORD TO THE CONSUMER;—Comparatively speaking, milk is one of the cheapest foods. Instead of being regarded as luxury it should be regarded as a luxury it should be regarded as a necessity. Based on food values it has been estimated that if porterhouse steak is worth 30c per pound, milk is worth 16.5c per quart; if eggs are worth 30c per dozen, milk is worth 21c per quart; if a[illegible] are worth 25c per pound, milk is worth 20c per quart; and if white fish is worth 18c per pound, milk is worth 32c per quart. No common meat food is cheaper than milk at 15c per quart. Moreover, milk is an already prepared food, requiring no fuel to cook it, a most important consideration under present fuel conditions.

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CHAS. E. FISHER,
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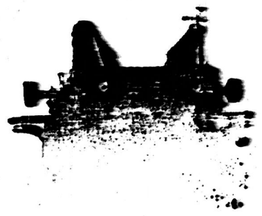
The question is "Who is getting the best deal?" Certainly it is not the farmer.



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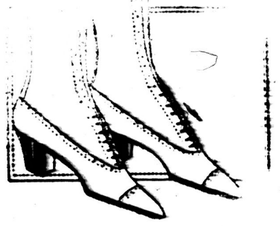

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Auction Sale

[illegible] for sale by Public Auction, at [illegible] 5th day of March, 1918, at the [illegible] Dominion Hotel, in the Village [illegible] [illegible] being in the Township of [illegible] [illegible] MAND, [illegible] [illegible] said [illegible] ONE HALF [illegible] Milton South West of Jarvis.

TERMS OF SALE—[illegible] Cash on Purchase [illegible] Balance to be paid within [illegible] [illegible] sale will [illegible] day of sale [illegible]

SLAGHT, S[illegible] & AGAR, Simcoe, Ont. Solicitors for Vendors.

Dated at Simcoe this [illegible] February, 1918.