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THE CONSTITUTION OF WHEAT - Ontario Agricultural College investigations indicate that there must be more than 80 parts per million or 160 pounds per acre (plow depth) of soluble phosphoric acid in a soil if it is to produce a reasonably good crop of wheat. If there is more than this, the yield will be higher and the quality of the grain will be better.

1st - Heavy grain crops that have been harvested year by year, longer than you can remember, have drawn heavily upon the supply of available phosphate in the soil. Some measure may have been returned to the soil but manure is relatively in reaction - or sour - back time with which soluble phosphates may combine till called upon by crops.

Best conditions for wheat are obtained when soils are neutral to a slightly acid reaction. Phosphorus Needs Help - While phosphoric acid is so widely needed for Ontario grain crops, it is not the only plant food that is required. Where top growth is short and spindly, and pale green in color, there is usually a shortage of nitrogen. Nitrogen makes top growth or straw. Manure is high in nitrogen - hence makes heavy top growth.

mines the filling of the kernel of wheat or other grain. Abundance of potash means well-filled grain. Study This Year's Crops - Not much can be done to improve the 1937 grain crop at this stage, but a great deal of help can be given the fall wheat crop you sow next August or September. If you have a good supply of manure for the wheat field of 1937-38, supplement it with 200 lbs. of Superphosphate per acre. On lighter soils the same amount of 0-12-4 or 0-12-10 would pay you better. If manure is scarce, use two to three bags of 2-12-6 or 2-16-6 on heavier soils, or 2-12-10 on lighter soils.

Soil Test Available - Rather than go to the expense of applying fertilizers which may be of the required analysis, farmers are urged to have their soils tested and take advantage of the service available at the Agricultural Research Station's office in Cayuga. This is the only sure way of knowing what the soil requires. What should be secured according to the results available at the Cayuga office and when these are forwarded they will be tested free of charge.

News of the Countryside - From The Record's Correspondents

KOHLER - Mrs. Earl Link spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Onfrich. Mr. and Mrs. David Petheram left on Tuesday for an extended vacation at Bala, Muskoka. The young people enjoyed a social time at the close of their regular meetings which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomson on Wednesday evening.

FISHERVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Bacher and Mrs. Wm. Fess of Kitchener spent Monday in town visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fess spent their Moyer. Rev. Hodge is attending a convention in St. Louis, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mackey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sill.

BARGAINS!

I HAVE A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF GOOD USED RADIOS ON HAND - COME IN AND ASK FOR A DEMONSTRATION - PRICES RANGE FROM \$15 TO \$35 - TERMS CAN BE ARRANGED - W. WILLIS JARVIS

WATERFORD

On Thursday afternoon, a number of classmates and friends met at the home of Mrs. C. Caster to say farewell to Lindsay who is moving to Lindsay where his husband has secured a splendid position. The afternoon was spent in reminiscences and Mrs. Russell entertained by reciting two very appropriate selections. Lunch was served on the spacious lawn by Mrs. Caster and Mrs. Silverthorne.

ERIE

During the severe electrical storm which was experienced in this district about noon on Friday, a shock of grain near the barn of Amos C. ground. Fortunately no other damage was done. A peculiar thing about the storm was that some places received a very heavy down-pour of rain while places half a mile away received no rain whatever.

HAGERSVILLE

Day passed off very quietly here. A large number of people took the advantage of the Toronto Exhibition. William Edwards of Hamilton spent the past week visiting relatives in town and several friends in town and district.

SELKIRK

Mrs. Floyd Miller of N.Y. spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Miller. Mrs. Elmer Robinson of Buffalo, N.Y., spent the week-end at her home with Mr. and Mrs. Wil-

Scarfe's Varnishes - Paints - Enamels - Wax - SCARFE'S VARNISHES FOR EVERY PURPOSE - INSIDE OR OUT - W. J. ELLIOTT, JARVIS

ONTARIO - The Ontario Department of Health - Presents a Statement by The Academy of Medicine, Toronto, on "INFANTILE PARALYSIS" (POLIOMYELITIS)

Realizing the anxiety which exists in the public mind today with respect to the increased prevalence of Poliomyelitis ("Infantile Paralysis") in Toronto and other parts of the province, the Academy of Medicine of Toronto, which represents more than one thousand physicians, called a special meeting of its Council, September 1st, to review the whole situation. To this meeting were invited representatives from all departments of medicine interested in this subject. At the conclusion of the conference, during which time all of the pertinent facts of the present situation were presented and discussed, it was felt that, in fairness to the public, an official statement should be made to set forth the facts exactly as they exist. To this end, a committee was appointed to prepare and issue an official statement, which follows:

Poliomyelitis ("Infantile Paralysis") is a communicable disease. It is definitely known that it is caused by the entrance into the body of a minute form of life known as a virus. It is known also that this virus enters commonly through the upper part of the nasal tract. There is no evidence that the disease is conveyed by flies or domestic animals. When an outbreak of the disease occurs, healthy persons as well as those ill with the disease are found to harbour the virus in the secretions of the nose and throat. The disease is, therefore, spread through the contact of persons one with another. Usually the virus occasions only a mild illness but sometimes the virus enters the central nervous system, which may result in paralysis. The majority of adults are not susceptible to the disease.

Present Situation - While the number of cases reported in Toronto is greater than in any previous outbreak of this disease, and there is no reason to presume that the incidence rate is likely to decline within the next two or three weeks, it must be borne in mind that not 25% of these cases show any evidence whatever of paralysis. Furthermore, among those developing paralysis, the majority eventually will recover complete use of their paralysed limbs. It would appear, therefore, that while there is every reason for the public to view the present situation with concern, there is no justification for undue alarm or hysterical behaviour.

According to figures computed by the Department of Health, Ontario, to date, there are estimated to be 750 cases in Ontario, of which 285 have occurred in the City of Toronto. Of this number, 212 cases have been admitted to the Riverdale Isolation Hospital, only 54 of whom developed some degree of paralysis. There were 11 deaths in this group. Statistics of a similar nature apply to the Hospital for Sick Children, which has received its cases not only from Toronto but from other parts of the province.

Control Measures - These include the strict isolation of all persons ill with the disease and the quarantine of those who have been in immediate contact.

Chas. H. Hain M.D. - PRESIDENT OF THE ACADEMY OF MEDICINE TORONTO

Ontario's Man of Action - Thank you, Mitch - carry on! - RETURN HEPBURN AS PREMIER

OLD MAN ONTARIO speaks for the great mass of our citizens when he says, "Thank you, Mitch". Only too well he remembers the sorry plight into which bad government had brought this great province three years ago. Spendthrift politicians were dragging us deeper and deeper into debt. Their millionaire friends were being allowed to fleece the public treasury. Every department of the public services was honeycombed with an army of hangers-on. It was then the people turned to Hepburn in the hope he could and would carry out the promises he made. Perhaps skeptics may have attributed some of his promises to youthful enthusiasm - but Hepburn kept his word - he's Ontario's Man of Action.

Today Honourable Mitchell F. Hepburn submits the most successful record any Ontario Prime Minister ever presented before the bar of public opinion.

Hepburn Earns the Gratitude of the Electorate - HE has earned the thanks of practically every man, woman and child in the province. Wealthy beneficiaries of estates which had been allowed to mulct the province to the tune of 22 million dollars will not thank him for recovering that huge sum - but nearly everybody else will.

Timber profiteers rue the day on which Hepburn came to Queen's Park - but the people of the North rejoice when they see large new industries springing up and old ones reviving. They join Old Man Ontario in his enthusiasm for the ending of unemployment in the timber area and for turning George Henry's deficits into surpluses. "Big Business" may not be singing Hepburn's praises - but the common people appreciate the fact that he has saved them millions in interest rates.

Hepburn Saves Hydro - If the Quebec power barons had a vote in Ontario, it would certainly not go to Hepburn - but Ontario knows that the Government's Hydro policy not only saved this great enterprise from ruin, but that it has already saved over four million dollars to Hydro users, and the new contracts will eventually effect total

savings to the province of over six million dollars a year. Profiteers from the liquor toll gate that Hepburn promised to abolish will not be on his side - but the people approve his prohibition of the sale of liquor in restaurants which the Henry Government would have permitted.

Hepburn Proves to be The Tax-Payer's Friend - THAT "Thank you, Mitch" covers a wide range of public services, all administered with an efficiency and economy hitherto unknown.

"Thanks" for the lessening of municipal burdens - that mill on the tax rate, the increase in township road subsidies, the assumption and increase of Mothers' Allowances and the assumption of Old Age Pensions.

"Thanks" for the abolition of the amusement tax. "Thanks" for preventing the exploitation of labour by riotous aliens. "Thanks" for the advanced labour legislation, such as - industrial standard codes, extending minimum wage laws to men, and setting up a tribunal to ensure a square deal to employees and employers. This new Industry and Labour Board has already justified its creation by effecting settlements in several disputes of long standing.

"Thanks" for the modernizing and extension of our highways, and for promoting tourist trade on a greater scale than ever before. "Thanks" for the improvement in the preventive measures for the health of the people, and for the better care of the sick - physical and mental.

"Thanks" for the progress of education in Ontario, and for assuming the costs of examination fees. "Thanks" for the advancement of every Department within the jurisdiction of a Provincial Government.

Symbol of a grateful people, Old Man Ontario speaks for the great mass of our citizens when he says, "Carry On, Hepburn".

ONTARIO LIBERAL ASSOCIATION - Those Who Are Entitled To Vote - Every British subject, 21 years of age, and resident in Ontario since October 6, 1946, is entitled to vote at the forthcoming election - but the name must be on the voters' list. A vote for the Liberal candidate on October 6th is the practical way the Ontario elector can join in the mandate, "CARRY ON, HEPBURN".