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Mutton Chops and Fresh Eggs Will Soon Be Within Reach of All.

There is a downward tendency in the price of music which is most encouraging in view of the tendency for a drop in wages. Mutton has gone down ten cents a pound and is now selling at 35c instead of 45c. Pork and other meats have also responded to the bearish movement which is affecting many lines of produce.

Fresh eggs are coming in in large quantities and will be lower, very soon, so that the staple of bacon and eggs for breakfast will again be within the reach of those whose incomes are but moderate. Some of the grocers have dropped the prices, but others are holding them up.

Sweet potatoes are now off the market.

The following are the prices which are being quoted:-

Fish.	
Fresh salmon	250
Cod, salt, Alaska	150
Cod, 2 lbs	
Cod fillets	
Fresh black cod, 2 lbs	250
Finnan haddie, lb	
Halibut, lb	
Herring kippered, lb	
Soles, lb	
Skate, 2 lbs.	
Ooliehans, salt,	100
Salt Acadia Cod, 2-lb. boxes	
Crabs, large, 20c to	
Fruits and Vegetables.	

Fruits and Vegetables.
Onions, dry 4c
Lettuce 20c; 2 for 35c
Brussels Sprouts, per lb 25c
Bananas 60c
Grapefruit (California) 10c
Grapefruit (Florida) 2 for 35c
Apples, per lb6c to 12 1/2 c
Celery 15c
Grapes, per lb 40c
Carrots, per lb 3c
Parsnips, per lb., 4 1/2 c
Lemons 40c
English walnuts 50c
Australian Currants 30c
Comb honey 50c
Figs, per pkt., 20c and 40c
Cranberries
Oranges (navel)50c to 75c
Dates, per box, 30e
Meats.
Beef, pot roasts, lb 30c.
Beef, check roast, lb 32c to 35c
Beef, rib roast, lb 37 1/2 c.
Beef, boiling, lb 25c and 30c
Hamburger, lb 30c
Stewing, lb 30c.
amb, leg 50c
amb, loin 50c.
Mutton 35c
Pork sausages 30c.
Tomato sausages 35c.
Pork, leg 35c.
Pork, chops, 45c.
Pork, shoulder 40c.
Ayrshire bacon, sliced, 50c to 60c
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Bologna per lb. 25c Head Cheese, per lb. 25c Cooked Ham, per lb. . . 55c to 60c Spare Ribs per lb. 25c Dairy Produce. Butter, lb. 60c. Butter (cooking) lb. 50c Cheese, lb. 35c. Eggs (case) 75c Strictly new-laid eggs 90c Margarine 45c

Pickled Pork per lb. 35c

AGAINST GOVERNMENT IN BRITISH HOUSE

London, Feb. 6. - The 'new British parliament elected last December at its first session reelected James W. Lowthier speakr. None of the Sinn Feiners

Apparently the much discussed secret behind its goodness for question of whether the Inde-You see, all we do to the rich, pendent Liberals or the Laborites fresh milk as it comes from the were to be the official opposition farm is to evaporate water out of has been settled by a compromise, as. both William Adamson, Labor leader, and Donald McLean, the newly-elected chairman of the Then we seal it up so it remains Asquithian Liberals, sat on the front opposition benches with their chief lieutenants.

ARRIVE IN ENGLAND

(Special via G. T. P. Telegraphs.) London, Feb. 7 .- The Canadian Third Division on leave arrived in England today.

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Land and Loans—to Help Soldiers Become Farmers

T is anticipated that a great many soldiers who have served with the Lanadian, British or Allied forces may want to become farmers in Canada. The vital need to-day is to increase production and the acreage under cultivation. It is thus in Canada's best interests to give these soldiers every assistance. The Government has therefore been developing a programme that includes the providing of land, the granting of loans and the training and supervision of those inexperienced in farming.

The Present Plan.

Under the Soldier Settlement Act, 1917, an eligible returned soldier is entitled, in addition to his ordinary homestead right, to a free grant of one quarter-section of Dominion Lands on homestead conditions.

For this purpose the Government has suspended homestead entry by others than soldiers on all remaining homestead lands in the Western provinces within fifteen miles of railway transportation, pending enquiry into their suitability.

As soon as a soldier goes on the land, the Board has power to grant him a loan up to the maximum of \$2,500.

This loan is granted to settlers to help them acquire land for farming, discharge incumbrances, undertake improvements, crect buildings and secure necessary livestock, machinery and equipment.

It is not given as an actual advance of cash, but in the form of payment for expenditures. In this way the settlers' transactions are carefully supervised.

The loan is made at the low interest rate of five per cent. It is to be repaid in twenty annual instalments. The first two payments may be deferred by the Board when desirable.

The New Proposal.

The Government have found it necessary to broaden these original plans for the following reasons:

(a) It has been found that only a limited amount of suitable homestead land is available for soldier settlement.

(b) Some Crown lands are held by the Provinces.

(c) Homesteading may not suit all the returned soldiers.

It is now proposed that the Provincial Governments co-operate with the Soldier Settlement Board in acquiring suitable lands at present held uncultivated by private owners. The Dominion Government has announced its intention of introducing necessary legislation along these lines at the opening of the next Session.

The lands so bought will be re-sold to the soldier at cost price. It is suggested that the purchaser be required to make a cash payment of one-tenth of the purchase price. The balance will be payable in equal annual instalments extended over twenty years or longer.

The amount of the land purchased by this plan, if it is approved by Parliament, will be limited in value to \$5,000. Interest will be charged at a low rate of five per cent.

When these new proposals for land purchase become effective the Board will be able to loan the soldier settler up to a total of \$1,500 for the purchase of livestock and equipment in addition to the loan for the purchase of his land. It will be granted on practically the same terms as the loans now allowed.

As the soldier improves his farm the Board may advance him a further \$1,000.

Who May Apply

The Act applies to any one who has served with an honourable record in the Canadian or Imperial forces in the present war, or to any Canadian who was on active service with the Allied forces, or the widow of any such person who died on active service.

The Board will loan money only to those who have had sufficient experience or training in farming. Each applicant may be required to appear in person before the Qualification Committee in his district.

Training

Those soldiers who have had insufficient experience in farming will be helped by the Board to secure the necessary training to qualify them for the loans.

Special instructional courses are being arranged with the agricultural schools and experimental farms.

Farmers will be asked to co-operate in giving the soldier practical training and knowledge. .

Expert Assistance

The work of the Soldier Settlement Board is carried out by Supervisors in each of the provinces.

These supervisors have under them a staff of land appraisers to valuate the land, and, farming advisors or practical farmers in the community to advise the soldier after he has definitely settled on his farm.

Qualification Committees are being appointed in each Province to advise the Board as to the qualifications of 'each applicant.

Results

Loans, amounting to over 11 million dollars, have already been granted to over one thousand returned soldiers.

Since the regulations were completed last July, over eight hundred soldiers have made entries on Dominion Crown Lands under the Soldier Settlement Act.



Offices of the Soldier Settlement Board are located as follows: Post Office Bldg; EDMONTON, Alta.; Post Office Bldg., WINNIPEG, Man.; Pemberton Bldg., VICTORIA, B.C.; McCallum Hill Bldg., REGINA, Sask.; 32 Adelaide St. E., TORONTO, Ont.; Drummond Bldg., MONTREAL, Que. In New Brunswick the Board is temporarily represented by the Secretary of the Provincial Farm Settlement Board, St. John; in Nova Scotia, by the Secretary of the Soldiers' Aid Commission, Halifax, N.S.; and in Prince Edward Island by the Minister of Agriculture, Charlottetown.

Director of Repatriation

The Repatriation Committee

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