

SASKATOON.

Saskatoon is the capital of the Temperance Colonization tract, and is situated on the east side of the South Branch of the Saskatchewan River, in sec. 28, tp. 36, range 5, west of the 3rd meridian, and is about 100 miles south of Prince Albert. The Colonization Society secured tps. 36, 37 and 38, ranges 4, 5 and 6, west of the 3rd principal meridian, in 1838, and Saskatoon was established the following year and made their local headquarters. Notwithstanding many serious drawbacks the colony has rapidly increased. There are three general stores, one tinsmith, a large brick hotel, a dressmaker, physician, school, Methodist church, post-office, a notary, real estate and insurance agent, also masons and carpenters, in the town. Crops in the settlement last year were good, though, owing to the lack of a local market, a very small area was sown. A number of grade and thoroughbred cattle have been imported by the settlers. The soil is good, though timber for fuel and building purposes is scarce. The placing of small tugs on the river between Saskatoon and the wooded country to the north, and the establishment of railway connection with the south, east and west will bring the cost of those necessities, as well as others, down to a reasonable level. There is a detachment of Mounted Police at Saskatoon, and telephone connection has been established with the Government telegraph office at Clark's Crossing. Mail arrives

every two weeks by way of Prince Albert. Roman Catholic and Anglican missionaries visit the settlement at stated intervals. There is a swing ferry on the river.

Business Directory.

Fletcher, Mrs. G. A., General Merchant, Broadway ave.
 Lambert & Wilson, General Merchants, Broadway ave.
 Trounce, Henry, General Merchant, Tenth ave.
 Dulmage, R. W., Tinsmith, Broadway ave.
 Willoughby, J. H. C., M.D., C.M., L.R.C.P., London.
 Grant, G. W., Notary, Real Estate and Insurance Agent.
 Copland, Thos., Agent Temperance Colonization Society.
 Garrison, G. H., proprietor Garrison House.
 Powe, Jas. D. Carpenter, Builder, &c.
 Marr, Alex., Mason, Plasterer, &c.
 Horn, Geo. A., Music Teacher.
 Clark, Miss Janie, Dressmaker.

Alphabetical Directory.

Andrews, E. S., s 30 36 5.
 Brown, A. L., w 32 36 5.
 Brown, Fred, w 32 36 5.
 Blackley, David, sr., e 20 37 4.
 Blackley, Jno., w 32 36 4.
 Blackley, Andrew, e 30 37 4.
 Blackley, Chas., s 28 37 4.
 Blackley, David, jr., 21 37 4.
 Bates, Wm., e 27 36 4.
 Bates, Fred., w 27 36 4.
 Clarke, Frank, e 32 37 4.
 Clarke, Chas., w 32 37 4.