

Canadian Provinces

Saskatchewan

SWIFT CURRENT FARMERS SURE TO NOMINATE AN M.P.

Swift Current.—It is expected that a date will be set shortly for a convention to be held in this city for the purpose of nominating a candidate to contest the Swift Current federal constituency on behalf of the Grain Growers. Such is the information that comes from Cadillac, Burnham and other locals that have been discussing the situation at their meetings.

WHEAT ABOVE GROUND IN CABRIE DISTRICT

While most of the farmers in the province are still seeding to a farmer at Cabrié, on the Empress branch of the C.P.R. belongs the honor of leading in the race for an early crop. This farmer, whose name is not stated, has 180 acres of wheat already above ground. The grain was sown before the snowfall of three weeks ago.

FINED FOR RECEIVING LIQUOR

Pleading guilty to knowingly receiving a consignment of liquor from the Dominion Express company, Louis Schwartz was fined \$200 and costs by Judge Parker, at Yorkton.

SASKATOON AND WEST HAS FINE PROSPECTS

Saskatoon.—Farmers in the district west of Biggar to the Alberta border are most optimistic over the present conditions. They declare that the prospects have never appeared brighter at this time of the year. Seeding has started in many places, but in some the water is still preventing operations. Between Biggar and Saskatoon the situation is also said to be excellent, although considerably more rain is needed. Seeding has been in progress for some days.

DESERTERS GIVEN JAIL SENTENCES

Pte. G. Bittner, of Walheim, has been sentenced to one year's imprisonment on being convicted of deserting from the Depot Battalion, July 21, 1918. Pte. Jacob Baumgartner, of Neudorf, for the same offense, has been sentenced to two years. The sentences were promulgated on Thursday morning at Sherwood barracks by the adjutant of the district depot on a full parade of all troops in the barracks.

SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST L. MURRAY

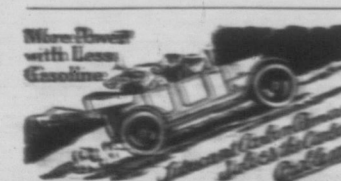
Swift Current.—Lloyd Murray was arrested in the south district by Constable Buek, of the local detachment of the provincial police, on a charge of a serious offense against a girl under fourteen. He was brought before M. J. McCloskey, justice of the peace, at Neville and was committed for trial at the next session of the court of King's Bench at Swift Current. Murray was allowed his liberty upon bail of \$4,000 being furnished.

Six months' imprisonment was imposed by Justice Austin and Bellevue at Wadh upon Kate Godfrey, found guilty of the theft of a raincoat from the buggy of J. N. Jusselt on Saturday last. Another provincial police case was the finding of P. Fishburn, of Pouteix, \$40 for selling cigars to minor.

BUTTER AND EGG PRICES FAR BEYOND NORMAL QUOTATIONS

Saskatoon.—The Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries here report that the demand continues strong for both butter and eggs. They are shipping another car to the coast. The unusual demand for butter has stiffened the price, the market having gone up to sixty-three cents wholesale.

The situation regarding dairy butter is explained by the possibility that all old stocks have been used up, according to officials here, and the new stocks have not yet reached the market.



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Manitoba

MANITOWOC MEMBERS OF 5TH BATTALION WARMLY WELCOMED

Saskatoon.—The Saskatoon quota of the Fifth Battalion arrived in the city at 8:30 on April 24th and were given a welcome the nature of which has never been witnessed in Saskatoon before. The line of parade was crowded with people five and six deep and the noise in the streets was even greater than that heard on armistice night. The boys were taken to the King George hotel where a dinner was served.

YORKTON CRIMINAL ASSIZES

Yorkton, Sask.—George Brabin, of Arran, was sentenced to six months for common assault. Paul Nazor, of Buchanan, was acquitted on a charge of rape and the court is now occupied with the charge of indecent assault against four Stornoway men. This case will complete the criminal list.

SEIZE MENNONITES' HORSES TO COLLECT SCHOOL ACT FINES

Swift Current.—On April 23 eleven Mennonites were fined \$10 and costs each for non-compliance with the provincial School Attendance act. Five of these men refused to pay those fines at the time, and were given a stipulated period in which to do so. The time expired with the fines still unpaid and Sergt. Parker and Constable Buek of the local detachment of provincial police went to Wymark and seized five horses belonging to one of each of the five delinquents. The animals will be sold for the amounts due the government on May 2 unless settlement is made. Concerning the strict enforcement of law by the police, the Mennonites say they were willing to go to jail for defaults of the fines but though the police had no right to seize their property.

SWIFT CURRENT SENDS DELEGATION AFTER NEW LINE

Swift Current.—On April 24, Stephen Morrey, M.L.A. for Happyland, and J. A. Conquiboun, M.L.A. for Maple Creek, took their departure from Swift Current for Ottawa, as delegates from the Northwest Farmers Railway Association. Those delegates will appear before the Canadian National Railway Board at the meeting of that body next week and will urge the construction of the Government Railway northwest from Swift Current, as originally planned, to connect with the governments projected line from Hanna to Medicine Hat. This will practically mean a continuation of the Grand-bourg-Swift Current line through this city. In connection with the projected C.P.R. line from Leader to Swift Current, the delegates will demand that if the company intends to continue its charter that it be compelled to have the road completed within a stipulated time.

BIGAMIST GIVEN 12-MONTH TERM

Saskatoon.—Thos. Saunders, alleged bigamist, was sentenced to 12 months at hard labor by Judge Melroy at Saskatoon. Saunders admitted having a wife and twins in Scotland when he married a Saskatoon girl in March, and also confessed to being a deserter from two British regiments.

MANITOWOC WAR VETERANS DEMAND STATED BONUSES FOR ALL ARMY AND NAVY

Winnipeg.—Disclaiming the "Paternalism" of governmental aid to returned soldiers at its closing session the Manitoba Great War Veterans' convention on April 11th, by resolution, demanded that the Dominion government extend its soldier land settlement scheme to all approved settlers and give soldiers and sailors bonuses as follows: For men with service on a battlefield front, \$3 a day. For men with service in England only \$2 a day. For men with service in Canada (over six months), \$1 a day. Service was defined to mean date of attestation to date of discharge. The afternoon session was practically busy with many impor-

Alberta

ALBERTA WELCOMES GENERAL

Edmonton.—Brigadier-General Griesbach, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O. and Bar, M.P., was given a hearty welcome on his return to the city Saturday, April 19th. In the evening a big civic reception was held at the armories and General Griesbach was presented with a gold sword by Mayor Clarke.

AGAINST MENNONITE LEADERS

Calgary.—That all Mennonite leaders should be arrested as alien enemies is the opinion of the Alberta command of the G.W.V.A., as expressed by the local secretary here. The local veterans are backing up the Winnipeg and other western branches in their demand for action.

FIRE AT LACOMBE

Andrew Gilmour's large abattoirs at Lacombe were burned to the ground. The loss is estimated at \$30,000, with some insurance.

CAMPBELL WAS HUNG FOR DOUBLE CRIME

Edmonton.—The execution of Joseph Arthur Campbell, convicted of the double murder of Sam Zappler and Constable Frank Bevers, took place on the morning of April 23rd within the courtyard of the provincial jail at Fort Saskatchewan.

WINNIPEG ORGANIZATIONS AND MANITOBA M.P.'S ARE UNIT AGAINST HUTTERITES

Winnipeg.—The stand of the Canadian club and the War Veterans' organizations that the admission of the sect known as Hutterites to Manitoba and the west is a national menace and the federal government should take immediate action to prevent any more entering was enthusiastically endorsed by the following western members of the Dominion government in Winnipeg for the Easter recess: Major G. W. Andrews, Dr. R. W. Blake, Dr. A. P. Whidden and R. C. Henders. The endorsement was given at a conference in reply to speeches by representatives of the Canadian club, the Great War Veterans' association, the Army and Navy Veterans' association, Rotary club, Grain Growers and Women's Canadian club. These representatives vigorously discussed the question from all angles and were unanimous in emphasizing the point that no immigrants should be allowed to settle in Canada unless they were prepared to fulfill all the obligations on Canadian citizenship.

MILLION AVAILABLE IN HOUSING SCHEME

Winnipeg.—One million dollars has been made available for the housing scheme in Manitoba by the provincial government and will be ready within 24 hours after application is made by the municipalities, declared Hon. Edward Brown, provincial treasurer.

DESERTER FINED \$250

Winnipeg.—Charles H. Schneider was fined \$250 and costs in police court on a charge of being a military deserter.

WINNIPEG WORKERS AND 48-HOUR WEEK FIXED MAY FIRST

Winnipeg.—Practically all classes of workers are included in organized labor's drive for the 44-hour week and increased wages in Winnipeg. Negotiations affecting thousands of employees and almost all classifications of industry are being carried on daily in an effort to reach a settlement before working agreements expire on May 1.

RAILWAY SHIPMEN DEMAND 44-HOUR WEEK AND AN INCREASE OF 20 TO 30 CENTS PER HOUR IN PAY

A union committee will leave Winnipeg before the end of the week to negotiate with the railway war board in Montreal. Their demands are backed by 37,000 shipmen throughout Canada. About 6,000 Winnipeg men are affected.

ALBERTA

BOLSHEVIST GETS YEAR

Calgary.—Charged with being a vagrant and a member of the Social Democratic party, an association known as unlawful, Joseph Bang, a man of Austrian birth, was sentenced to one year's imprisonment with hard labor in the police court this morning. The police alleged he is a Bolshevist.

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PREMIER REFUSED TO RESIGN

Victoria.—In his reply to a delegation of returned soldiers asking for a provincial election, Premier Oliver said: "Immediate dissolution would prevent a thorough investigation of our possible sources of revenue and the proportion of the legislation necessary to be enacted at the next session of the province."

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Eastern Provinces

GOVT. GETS C.P.R. STOCK

Montreal.—Mr. Justice E. Ducloux issued an order transferring stock in the C.P.R. railway company to the value of \$22,600,000, held in New York on behalf of enemy aliens, to the finance minister of Canada.

ENEMY PROPERTY STILL TAKEN OVER

Toronto.—Probable enemy property valued at \$100,000 at present in custody of the National Trust company, was by order of Mr. Justice Middleton, at Osgoode hall, vested in the minister of finance as public custodian. The property consists of one hundred bonds of the Pere Marquette railway of a par value of \$1,000 each. They are collateral trust twenty years gold bonds.

AN AFFIDAVIT BY THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE ASSETS THAT DOCUMENTS FILED IT APPEARS TO HIM PROBABLE THAT COUNT ALFONSE MAUSCHKA, FOR WHOM THE PROPERTY IS HELD, IS AN ENEMY.

PRISONER DISPLAYED NO WEAKNESS AND MARCHED TO THE SEAFOOD FIRMLY AND WITHOUT HESITATION.

The prisoner displayed no weakness and marched to the seafood firmly and without hesitation. He made no statement in connection with his guilt either on the gallows or in the death cell. He was attended by a Franciscan monk, whose order took charge of the body for burial.

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What co-operation has done for Denmark is told in the following abstract from Circular No. 29, issued by the Illinois Department of Agriculture. "Denmark is a little more than one-half the size of New Brunswick. At one time much of it was a bleak waste of sand dunes. Only the eastern portion of the mainland and the neighboring islands were considered fit for agriculture. In addition, the country was impoverished by the Napoleonic wars and by the robbery of the province of Schleswig-Holstein by Germany in 1866. Yet, today, Denmark, in proportion to its population, is the wealthiest country in Europe. It is essentially an agricultural country and poverty is very rare. Owing to the excellent system of land tenure, 89 percent of the families own their own farms and houses. "One of the chief reasons for Denmark's phenomenal prosperity is to be found in the system of education. This includes the long-term elementary schools, circulating schools, travelling experts, school and state bulletins, farmers' clubs, educational camp meetings and the University of Copenhagen. There are now 70 high schools and 29 agricultural colleges in Denmark and old as well as young people attend them—the former for periods of a week or two at a time for the purpose of studying social problems and kindred subjects as they appear in other countries all over the world. After completing the high school and agricultural college courses, students enter the University of Copenhagen. There they come to understand the complexity of modern business and to regard agriculture not only as a science of production but as a system of distribution. "The success of rural co-operation depends in a very large measure upon the terms and conditions of land tenure. Co-operation can-

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REPUBLICAN CLUB, U. S. SENATOR MILES POINDEXTER OF WASHINGTON REITERATED HIS ARGUMENTS AGAINST THE PROPOSED LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

Republican club, U. S. Senator Miles Poindexter of Washington reiterated his arguments against the proposed League of Nations. He referred to the amended section of the covenant as mentioned in recent Paris despatches, but saw no reason to change his previous opposition. The senator said he believed a special session of congress would be called in May and that if not called by the president, it should assemble anyway in order to pass revenue bills to maintain the government.

DRUG HABIT INCREASED

New York.—Asserting that three New York physicians, recently investigated, have been found to have dispensed 1,500,000 narcotic prescriptions to drug addicts in six

DOLLAR BOUGHT LINERS

Seattle.—Purchase of three Hamburg-American liners which have been interned at Hankow, China, during the war, by Robert Dollar is under consideration, according to a cablegram from American Consul Thomas Sammons given out here by W. B. Henderson, agent of the Dollar line.

EIGHTEEN MILLION DOLLARS VICTORY BOND INTEREST MAY 1, INVESTED IN U.S.S. WILL BE \$22,500,000 IN 1924.