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West Bay Crry, Mich., Feb. 17.—Alexander Bennere of the firm of Bell & Bernere of Tilsonburg, Ont., father of James Farmers on the Dominion's Extensive Agricultural Resources—From Lake Superior to the Pacific.

At the recent meeting of the Central Farmers' Institute, held in Toronto, Prof. Sanders delivered a very instructive address on "The Northwest Territories and first he Columbia, and their Agricultural Resources." A map of the country west of the Charges. He would willingly give nough money to settle accounts and keep his son from going to the penitentiary if he and it, but it is not in his power.

The amounts owed the banks and others were large province, but when compared with he country west of it it was very small. The question arises, how much further Canadian farmers would go, and those who have visited the farms in Great Britain would readily understand that a great deal could yet be done. It is not long since farming was looked on as an insignificent calling, but now it was generally admitted that there was no colling that demands so much as farming, which might very trulp be called a profession of a very high sort. Frogress has been made in other parts of the country besides Ontario. The Resil was repaired that there was no colling, that demands so much as farming, which might very trulp be called a profession of a very high sort. Frogress has been made in other parts of the country besides Ontario. The Resil was repaired that there was no colling, that demands so much as farming, which might very black, sticky clay, and exceedingly fertile. That lack of settlement in this district, compared with other districts, had been the soil was very uniform, being very black, sticky clay, and exceedingly fertile. The lack of settlement in this district, compared with other districts, had been the soil was very uniform, being very black, sticky clay, and exceedingly fertile. The lack mense store of fertility in those lands. They have found in that district that it did not do to go into grain and wheat growing on a large scale. The large farms there were in some cases successful, but where a farmer depends solely on a certain kind of grain it was like gambling. Some accumulate large sums of money while others have failed. The true system of farming was mixed farming. In thus way, when there was a bad season for grain, a farmer can fall back on stock, poultry, etc. When mixed farming comes into practice then they would hear very ittle of failures. The Brand nexperiment al farm was placed there as it was in the center of a great wheat growing country. The land there was a deep, thick sandy loam, adapted for growing wheat. Many farmers on going in there had adopted the eld styles of farming, and failure every year was almost always the result. The best way was to simply skim the land at first and then next year plough two or three inches deeper. In the southern part of Assiniboia, as far west as Indian Head, the land is something like that in Manitoba. Six years ago farmers would not even talk of dairying, but now they saw there was no difficulty in this respect, and he dairying, but now they saw there was difficulty in this respect, and he sected the manufacture of butter would be carried on to a large extent. Farmers there could realize 20 cents a pound for their best creamery butter. West of Indian Head is a sandy belt, and west of that again a belt of clay lands. This clay when worked up becomes quite granular. Within 20 or 30 miles of the Sackatchewan river to the north there is another very ferriver to the north there is another very tertile country for ploughing and pasturing.
Beyond Moosejaw the country becomes
much drier, though the grasses there are
very nutritious. The Bow river district
was where all the large ranches are. The
horses are there often left out for the
winter, where they find abundant pasturage for the greater part of the year. He
had received from Dunvegan, in the Peace
river district, samples that would weigh
62 pounds to the bushel. Near Calgary
the altitude is much greater. He had often
been asked about British Columbia, which
was a most perplextng country to give an was a most perplexting country to give an opinion on. The climate in some parts was very like that of England. The rainfall there was about 62 inches last year, so that the growing each is a very long one. there was about 62 inches last year, so that
the growing season is a very long one.
Apple, pear, and plum trees grow their with
a luxuriance that can scarcely be believed.
The knowledge of fruit-growing was very
limited, but now that was changing. The
province must soon become a great fruitdrying and canning district, or the fruit
will be shipped east. All kinds of fruit,
whether from the north or the south, grow
very abundantly. The question of growing
nuts there for commercial purposes was
also being examined. Although that country had immense resourses in timber it had
no hard woods, but on the broken sides of
hills the Dominion Government were experimenting on growing some of the hard
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of the last correct answer a few two every other wooded trees, and he hoped that would be the means of introducing a new and successful industry. In reply to a question as to whether apples could be grown east of the Rocky mountains to Winnipeg Prof. Saunders said that experiments were being made, but as yet they had not been very successful, although some varieties of small fruits had been cultivated at Brandon. He thought the best results would be obtained on the light sandy soils. There was every reason to expect immense fields of hard coal a little west of Banff. The greatest diversity of climate is to be found from the western base of the Rocky Mountains to the Pacific. Some of the valleys grow very heavy grain, while others, where there is

rid, affirm that a widow of any age has at least seventy-six spinster drawing power, and some place her figure up to eighty-two. The widow's chances at any age are, there-lore, seventy-six to eighty-two times better

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Hon. Mr. Ouimet states that the report is now before the Privy Council waiting its turn to be deposed of. Mr. Coatsworth, who was also wired, in view of the trouble over moving the boathouses, to try and hurry up matters, says the order will probably be issued next week.

The Ontario Association has advanced the price of linseed oil 3 1-2 cents per gallon. During the past two weeks quota have advanced six cents in England.

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had not been very successful, aithough some varieties of small fruits had been cultivated at Brandon. He thenght the best results would be obtained on the light sandy soils. There was every reason to expect immense fields of hard coal a little west of Banff. The greatest diversity of climate is to be found from the western base of the Rocky Mountains to the Pacific. Some of the valleys grow very heavy grain, while others, where there is little or no water, are only suited for rancing. In conclusion, he hoped what he had said would add a little to the information they aiready had of the resources of that great country, which is still very sparsely settled. There they had a great saving bank for the Dominion as it was developed. He then described what Canada was expected to show of her agricultural and mineral resources at the World's Fair, and said they would have every reason to be proud of the efforts of the provincial commissioners in this respect.

Weman's Matrimonial Chances,
A woman's chance to marry at from fitteen to twenty years of age is said to be 14½ per cent. From twenty to twenty-five the chances is increased to 52 per cent.; from thirty-five to forty the chances of an animarried woman sink to 2½ per cent.; from twenty-five to thirty; did minishes to 18; from thirty to thirty; dive, to 16½ per cent. From twenty to twenty-five the old maids shances of getting a husband is but 3-8 of 1 per cent.; while from fifty to fifty to fifty the old maids shances of getting a husband is but 3-8 of 1 per cent.; while from fifty to fifty to fifty to widows. Accurate statisticians, who would not be caught in a mistake for the world, affirm that a widow of any age has at least seventy-six spinster drawing power, and some place her figure up to eighty-two.

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Dominion	28416	282 170	28316	2821
Hamilton British America	167	164 128	167 130	1649
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Western Canada L. & S. 175 .... 20 p.c. 165 Transactions: Morning—20 of Toronto at 223 20 of Commerce at 148, 10 and 35 of Imperial at 192, 14, 13 and 67 of Consumers' Gas at 1914, 6 c 'an. Northwest Land Co. at 90, 10 of Incander cent Light Co at 157 1-4, 9 of Canada Permanen at 1874, 6 of Ontario Industrial Loan at 10 Afternoon—50 of Commerce at 148 1-4, 7 of Imperial at 191 3-4, 25 and 25 of Commercial Cable at 1814, 25 at 18176, 25 at 182.

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John J. Dixon & Co. received the following despatch overtheir private wire from H. Allen & Co. New York, to-day:

Demoralization continues. There are indications of liquidation upon the part of important interests which have been holding Industrial stocks for a long while. This iliquidation in the long side of the market has apparently extended its depressing influences to the important railway shares. Reading, together with Sugar and Cordage, was sold freely. This seiling movement was supposed to be buill iquidation. The money market continues in its demoralized condition and will remain 80 until definite action is taken in regard to the proposed bond issue. No such action can be taken until the president returns from his vacation. It is expected that to-morrow gold shipments will amount to about half the amount which was previously bulletined. It is probable that not more than \$2,000,000 will be shipped. Some of the houses which were to have exported gold on Saturday have p ostponed their shipments until next week.

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cuts \$22 to \$23; lard, 13c tubs and 134c; chease firm and scarce at those
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