



Through the World's Granary

BUT UNLESS you have made this journey, your idea of it must necessarily be vague. You may read the most glowing description of Western Canada, you may hear the most interesting account of this country from an eloquent enthusiast, but in order to fully realize what William E. Curtis, world-wide traveller and America's foremost newspaper correspondent, meant when he said: "Winnipeg's greatness is and always must be due to the Canadian West," you must make this journey from Winnipeg to Mirror yourself.

Mr. Oscar K. Lyle, grain expert, representing S. P. Chapin and Company, of Chicago and New York, is quoted in the Winnipeg Telegram, issue of August 18th, 1911, as follows: "Will have a crop so surprisingly large that I hesitate in telling its full extent for fear of unbelief. It has the greatest promise I ever saw in wheat, flax and oats. I will state frankly that in touring over the States for forty years, judging crop prospects, I never saw such crops as I have since I came to Canada. They have opened my eyes, and my eyes have seen the crops for the past forty years in the States."

*An Expert's
Tour of
Inspection*

Mr. Lyle had just finished a tour of crop inspection through the West at the time he made this statement. That his prediction has been fulfilled is attested by the record breaking harvest recently completed in the vicinity of Mirror.



A CANADIAN WHEAT FIELD, VICINITY OF MIRROR

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