

between tears mused "Well done, thou good and faithful servant."

You know some postal clerks are merely wasting their time in post offices. There are lots who possess broad streaks of humour. I nearly fell from my chair as I read the following: "R. F. Duke has left his sorting case and gone HOME-STEADING." Ye Gods! We are progressing!! Of course the writer of the article was too fond of the bald truth; what he meant to imply was that R.F. had gone for a vacation on a farm. When I think of Homesteading I am always reminded of shacks. A well known authority has defined shacks thus: Shacks—Considered by some people a place of abode, really intended to keep cows from the dining table, if properly chinked up with mud may keep birds and gophers out. Anyway, R.F. should know. Personally I spent three days farming; that was three days after I had paid my 10 bones.

I took a homestead, paid ten bones
with glee,
To raise cows and wheat was my intention
you see;
But when I arrived on the new
Promised Land
And saw all the forest I had at command
I thought that my sorting case was
by far my best stand;
To ——— with the New Promised
Land.

However, let us glance over the branch notes,—this is where you meet Wisdom and Mirth. From Calgary we learn that big things are going in the Eating and Entertainment business; in the latter section singers are getting scarce. Looking at this in the right light, it's rather a compliment to the singers. It is pleasing to learn that the audience is fairly plentiful. Edmonton, the "Mecca" of postal musical world, we find here that "a military at-

mosphere is permeating the vicinity." For the love of Mike, how dare it! By the way, this is the place where Donald vanquished Gungha Din; nothing has been heard of Don since, that is outside of Edmonton. Saskatoon informs us they have been asleep, snoring they tell us. That sounds familiar, a primary sorter once told me the same.

HEB.

RESOLUTION FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF THE NEXT CONVENTION.

Whereas, one of the most vitally important matters to our association is that of thorough organization in every city throughout the Dominion of Canada; and,

Whereas, it does not become us to expect the general secretary to be responsible for this work; and,

Whereas, it is not expedient for this association to have too many officers, owing to the expense incurred in bringing them together in convention; and,

Whereas, all monies received by the association for dues, etc., are, under section 2, Secretary, Article 7 of our constitution, payable to the secretary who in turn forwards them on to the Treasurer; and,

Whereas, the secretary is the person who expends most money during the year and could be bonded to better advantage than the treasurer;

Be it resolved, that this association do away with the office of treasurer and the general secretary be made secretary-treasurer and that in place of the office of treasurer this association appoint an organizing secretary.

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Not Built for Speed.

He was wandering aimlessly around in a department store when the floor-walker approached him.

"Looking for something?" he asked.

"Yes, my wife," replied the man.

"Describe her."

"Well, she's a sort of a limousine, with a heavy tread and usually runs on low."

—Ohio Motorist.