

Regina and District

POLICE MAKE BIG HAUL

The city police made a rich haul a few days ago when they visited the home of Carl Hickey at 820 Victoria avenue and recovered sufficient dry goods, electrical fixtures, clothing, boots and shoes, to start a fair-sized general store. The goods are alleged to have been stolen by Hickey and his wife during a period lasting over three years. Hickey and Mrs. Hickey were arrested and will be arraigned in police court.

The Hickey family, the police stated, came to Regina from Virginia.

Among the better articles of clothing recovered was a valuable coat taken from the Great West Stores two months ago, also a typewriter taken nearly two years ago from the market.

KRONAU FARMER HAS GREAT CROP

P. Fahlmann, a farmer living near Kronau, Sask., has just finished threshing his wheat and 380 acres of it yielded something over 23 bushels per acre. The wheat is of excellent quality too, which is expected to grade No. 1 northern. Mr. Fahlmann has 150 acres of oats which he will thresh this week and this should yield very heavy as it looks fine from the roadway, with big heads and heavy sheaves.

GROCERIES UNDER SIDEWALK

The city police officers found a quantity of groceries under a sidewalk in the west end of the city. Later they questioned two little girls, 11 and 12 years of age, who admitted stealing the goods from a local store in small quantities and hiding it. They will be brought before the juvenile court judge.

NEW WATER WELLS BEING DRILLED

For the first time since 1913 the city is commencing to drill new water wells at Boggy Creek for the purpose of augmenting the diminished flow.

WOMAN CHARGED WITH THEFT

Mary Selenski, 1680 Montreal street, was arrested by Detective McDougall and Sergeant McDonald, charged with the theft of a quantity of ladies' clothing from local stores. The stolen clothes consist of ladies' dresses, sweaters, blouses, petticoats, coats and other articles.

HEAVY LIQUOR FINE

M. D. McGregor, of the drug firm of Kennedy & McGregor, was fined \$200 and sentenced to serve thirty days in jail for unlawfully selling liquor. In default of payment he will serve an additional thirty days in jail.

CARDINAL MERCIER TO VISIT REGINA

Cardinal Mercier, the famous Belgian, who stood his ground so nobly during the German occupation of his country is now on the sea on his way to America and one of the points he will visit is Regina. This, information was obtained from the Archbishop's palace.

"TEN YEARS AGO," writes Mrs. Mary Muller of Hazenmore, Sask., "I had an experience with Forni's Alpenkrauter. My little son was then deathly sick, but this remedy made him well, and he has been well ever since. This explains the secret why this plain herb remedy has become such a popular family medicine. Druggists cannot supply it. Write to Dr. Peter Fahrney & Sons Co., 2501 Washington Blvd., Chicago, Ill. Delivered free of duty in Canada."

Canadian Provinces

Saskatchewan

CROP REPORT

Threshing is now general throughout the province of Saskatchewan according to reports received by the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture.

Rain has fallen in several districts during the past week which has delayed operations for a few days but which has materially helped green feed and pastures.

In the southeastern district wheat yields are running from eight to eighteen bushels, oats from twenty to forty-five bushels, pastures in a fair condition. In the Regina-Weyburn district the threshing is not far enough advanced to make a fair estimate of the yield while the remaining districts in the south will bring very low yields and pastures are drying up and are very poor. Conditions in the East-central district are more encouraging and estimates from the threshing returns show that wheat is running from five to thirty-five bushels per acre, oats forty to sixty. Estimates from the Central district give three to fifteen bushels, very little oats or other grain threshed as yet. Pastures improving. In the northern part of the province very little threshing has been done and wet weather has also delayed operations. Owing to rust the average yield is expected lower than anticipated earlier in the season. Many farmers are waiting for later growth in oats before cutting. Pastures fairly good but winter feed scarce.

SASKATCHEWAN AGAIN OUT AFTER WORLD'S WHEAT SWEEPSTAKES

Quite a number of Saskatchewan farmers, mostly members of the Canadian Seed Growers Association, have signified their intention of sending exhibits of products to the International Soil Products Exposition to be held at Kansas City, Missouri, September 24th to October 4th.

Among the prospective exhibitors appear the names of some who have won high honours in past years. Seager Wheeler of Rosthern, J. S. Fields of Regina, Henry Miller of Regina, W. R. Abbott of Maple Creek and W. J. H. Warren of Moose Jaw, all entering exhibits this year.

The Weeds and Seed Branch of the Saskatchewan of Agriculture has arranged to transport all worthy exhibits from Regina to Kansas City and return, free of charge. Exhibits should be sent to Regina prepaid to that point to arrive not later than September 10th. Exhibits from last year's growth are eligible for entrance if this year's crop is not ready in time to send.

It is expected that a number of very fine wheat exhibits will go forward and Saskatchewan will again try for the world's sweepstakes which has been won every year but one for the last six years by this province.

The winning half bushels of hard spring wheat should take in prizes close to the value of one thousand dollars, the prizes including a beautiful \$500 trophy cup awarded by the C.P.R. and 8 foot International Harvester binder with trucks, and other smaller awards including some cash prizes.

SUSPECT CAUSE OF FARM FIRE

Sunday evening fire, believed to have been set by some unknown person, destroyed two barns, implements sheds, 12 horses, 3 cows and a number of pigs, the property of Roland Kramer, who lives about eight miles northeast of Rouleau.

There were two pig barns, one built last year, 40 feet by 60 feet, with well equipped cow and horse stables. The buildings were reduced to ashes, and the total loss will be about \$8,000. There is little insurance covering the buildings. Late Sunday evening, Henry Cass and his wife, who work for Kramer, returned to the farm from Rouleau, where they had been visiting. Mr. Cass was in the habit of putting his auto in one of the sheds, but, fortunately, on Sunday night left it standing near the door of the house.

The Cass couple went right into the house and retired. About midnight a dog belonging to Mr. Kramer gave the alarm by scratching at the door and barking. Mrs. Kramer got up and saw the barns in flames. When Mr. Kramer went out to the barns he noticed the doors, which had been left open were shut and securely bolted. This has aroused suspicion and an investigation will be held.

BODY OF FARMER FOUND IN SHACK

The body of Alexander Robinson, an aged farmer living south of Hazenmore, was found in the shack in which he has been living for the past four years, and the coroner who investigated the case has given his opinion that he died of natural causes.

Mr. Robinson had been living alone on the homestead for some time and when the neighbors last week did not see him about his place, they went to visit him, only to find the body in the shack.

FINE WHEAT YIELD ON SEAGER WHEELERS FARM

Threshing has been commenced on the farm of Seager Wheeler, at Rosthern. As a result of the operations on the "Wheat Wizard's" farm this year, some excellent yields are being recorded.

A field of Marquis has threshed out 28 bushels to the acre and no less than 42 bushels per acre has been secured from a field of Red Bobs, the new wheat bred by Mr. Wheeler. Red Bobs this year matured 10 days earlier than other varieties and the use of this grain will push the wheat zone another 100 miles north, in Mr. Wheeler's opinion.

MOTHER TRIED TO POISON HER TWO CHILDREN

Mrs. Cecilia Etta Morgan, of Wood Mountain, has been placed in Prince Albert jail pending the completion of the investigation into her case. Mrs. Morgan is alleged to have become insane, and to have administered poison to her two young children last week. According to the meagre reports

received by the provincial police, Mrs. Morgan is stated to have administered a small dose of gopher poison to her two children, but the timely arrival of a neighbor, who administered an emetic, saved the lives of the youngsters. Mrs. Morgan was then taken charge of by the neighbors until the provincial police arrived. She was brought before two justices of the peace, who committed her for observation and gave her over to the provincial police.

BARN BURNED WITH SIX HORSES NEAR WEYBURN

WEYBURN. — Fire, which is thought to have been the result of the carelessness of some smoker, destroyed the barn and six horses at the farm of H. G. Tindall, six miles southwest of the city, Sunday afternoon. The threshers were at the place. Two of the horses belonged to Alex. Monteith, while the other four belonged to Mr. Tindall. Only heroic efforts on the part of the machine gang and others saved the house from destruction.

MANITOBA

ANOTHER SENSATIONAL GOLD STRIKE

WINNIPEG. — News of another sensational gold strike, this time in the Contract Bay district, 70 miles from Kenora, was brought to Winnipeg by Robert Wachman, a Chicago salesman, who claimed to have made the find.

The strike, according to Wachman, is a pay streak containing from \$200,000 to \$300,000 gold to the ton, surrounded by ore that will mill more than \$100 to the ton. Wachman, prospecting while on a vacation, shares the credit for the strike with Gus Larson, who has been a prospector for 25 years.

RURAL SCHOOLS LACK TEACHERS

WINNIPEG. — About 100 rural schools in Manitoba were unable to reopen on September 2nd because no teacher could be secured, according to the teachers' bureau. Although salaries have never been so high in this province, the teachers are not available, it is said. Inexperienced and unqualified teachers get around \$750 per annum, while experienced teachers receive as much as \$1,000 and \$1,200, according to standing.

HELD STOLEN FURS

WINNIPEG. — Charles and Mabel Lucas, alleged to have received a large part of \$20,000 worth of furs stolen from a firm in this city, appeared in police court, charged with receiving stolen goods. They were remanded for one week without pleading.

MAXIMUM PENALTY IMPOSED

WINNIPEG. — George Wilson was fined \$1,000 and costs, with the alternative of six months in jail, by Magistrate MacDonald in police court on a charge of violating the Manitoba Temperance act. The maximum penalty was given Wilson as his record shows four previous convictions under the act.

LUCKY PROSPECTOR KILLED FOR MOOSE

WINNIPEG. — H. A. McDonald, aged 34, a pioneer prospector known throughout the Canadian mining world as "Lucky Angus" was killed accidentally at Rice Lake, on Sunday, being mistaken for a moose. McDonald became prominent in mining circles 10 years ago through his discoveries in Manitoba gold fields.

HON. V. WINKLER ILL

WINNIPEG. — Hon. Valentine Winkler, provincial minister of agriculture, is in a very serious condition at his home suffering from influenza.

OIL FIND AT THE PAS

WINNIPEG. — Reports reaching here from The Pas, Man., state that a discovery of crude oil of great commercial value has been made 20 miles southwest of The Pas.

ALBERTA

POLICE CANNOT HOLD THEIR MAN

EDMONTON. — When Larsen, the man taken on Wednesday at Cadomin mines near Mountain park by Detective Campbell, wanted on a charge of holding up in Edmonton and suspected by the police of having shot Policeman Nixon, who died the next day, was being brought to Edson, he threw himself from the gasoline speeder in which he was being taken to Edson and

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before it could be stopped on the down grade, disappeared in the woods. The escape took place between miles 4 and 5.

ALBERTA FOLLOWS SASKATCHEWAN ON PROFITEERING

EDMONTON. — The Alberta government will co-operate with the federal commerce board in its efforts to run down the profiteers. A message has been sent to Judge Robson from the attorney-general's department to the effect that the government will provide police to investigate complaints of suspected hoardings or other manipulations of the food market and will also furnish a counsel, probably from its own staff, to conduct the resulting prosecutions.

PROTEST PRESCRIPTIONING

CALGARY. — That the prescribing of liquor for beverage purposes be taken out of the hands of the medical men of the province of Alberta entirely and handed over to the attorney-general to be sold through vendors of the department, was the resolution passed by the medical men in their annual convention here Wednesday morning.

Eastern Provinces

TORONTO STREET CARS SUDDENLY CUT OFF

TORONTO. — An unpleasant surprise was sprung upon the people of this city at 4.45 in the afternoon on September 3rd when every street car in Toronto and suburbs suddenly stopped and remained just where they had stopped until 9.20 at night. The cause was a walkout of 250 electrical workers in the employ of the Toronto Railway company, Toronto Electric Light company and Toronto Power company.

The trouble was precipitated as a result of a failure of the officials of the union concerned to obtain an interview with General Manager R. J. Fleming, of the Toronto Railway company and a promise from him to accept the award made by the board of conciliation in Ottawa.

Through the intervention of Mayor Church and Civic Works Commissioner Harris, Manager Fleming agreed to accept the award in question, and just as soon as these two had informed the strikers, who had assembled at the Labor temple, to this effect, the strike was declared off and the street cars began to move again.

ROBBED RESIDENCE OF \$40,000 WORTH

TORONTO. — When Lieut. Col. Dr. Perry Goldsmith returned to Toronto after five years' service with the Canadian forces overseas, he discovered that his residence, had been cleaned out in his absence. The thefts included furniture, art treasures, stocks, jewelry, etc., the loss being estimated at \$40,000. Mrs. Inez Paradise, of Oshawa, Ont., is under arrest charged with the stealing.

AIRPLANE FUNERAL HELD IN TORONTO

TORONTO. — The first airplane funeral in Toronto took place here on September 3rd when the remains of Baby Leonard Allen, son of Martin Allen, was carried by the airplane to Mount Pleasant cemetery, four miles from the city's home.

A second airplane containing an employee of the funeral director followed. The parents of the child motored to the cemetery.

KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

GUELPH, Ont. — Harvey Hastings, an Elora hotel owner, was killed on Sunday night as the result of an automobile accident, which occurred on the Kitchener road, about three miles from this city.

YOUNG GIRL SHOT

MONTREAL. — Accidentally shot through the head by her step-brother, Dorothy Clarke, aged 17, died at the Royal Victoria hospital here.

FOR CHEAPER POSTAGE

OTTAWA. — Mr. Lemieux has given notice that he will propose in the commons a resolution: "That, in the opinion of the house, the time has come when a cheaper rate of postage and of cable communication should be adopted."

QUEBEC ENDORSED KING

QUEBEC. — At a meeting of Liberals at the Laurier Club rooms, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"That the present meeting, held this day under the auspices of the Laurier Club, accept with enthusiasm the choice of the Honorable Mackenzie King for the post of leader of the Liberal party in this country."

TWO YEARS FOR ARSON

WELLAND, Ont. — Convicted of having committed arson, Carson J. Wills, motorman on the N. W. &



L. E. Railway here, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary, and John Young, conductor, was sentenced to three years.

Miss Tillie Rink, charged with having been implicated in a conspiracy to burn the house in question, was remanded till the fall assizes.

DEAD IN ELEVATOR SHAFT

TORONTO. — With his body badly crushed, Moses J. Levine was found dead at the foot of the elevator shaft at his warehouse. Levine is a member of the firm of Kohen and Levine, grocers.

FOUR INSTANTLY KILLED

MONTREAL. — Four persons were instantly killed, while two others were severely injured in an automobile accident which occurred at St. Bonaventure, near Drummondville, late on Sunday night, when the machine missed a bridge over the Riviere Aux Vaches and tumbled down the embankment.

United States

LOCAL EARTHQUAKE

BERKELEY, Cal. — An earthquake of one second's duration was registered on the seismograph at the university of California here shortly after one o'clock Thursday last. The origin of the tremor was near Berkeley, the university authorities stated.

ARREST MEXICAN OUTLAWS

WASHINGTON. — Outlaws responsible for the murder of John W. Correll, an American citizen, have been arrested and will be placed on trial at Tampico, the Mexican embassy announced. The arrests were made near Los Mezquils and included Ramon Diaz, chieftain, and his followers, Rafael Ruiz, Francisco Gamboa, Blas Vidal and Francisco Valverde.

GUTTERS RAN WITH BEER

CHICAGO. — Four hundred barrels of 2.75 per cent. beer manufactured by the Schlitz Brewing company of Milwaukee, before the war time prohibition became effective, was dumped in the gutters of the street a few days ago by United States revenue inspectors, to enable the company to recover \$2,400 in taxes, previously paid the government.

SOCIALISTS CHEER BOLSHEVIST IDEA

CHICAGO. — The National Socialist party in a declaration of principles adopted, unqualifiedly endorsed the soviet republic of Russia and the international Socialist movement and condemned the League of Nations. The delegates jumped to their feet and cheered for several minutes when the paragraph was read approving the soviet republic of Russia. The document compared the Russian revolution with the American revolution of 1776.

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