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Farmers Not Satisfied

The farmers of the province are not satisfied with certain features of the seed grain purchase regulations.

Grain men on the Soo and Estevan Lines have informed The West that there was enough wheat on those lines to supply the southern part of the province and farmers in the districts tributary could have made their purchases in the towns along the line.

Is It Revolt?

Is the New Brunswick shock responsible for the sharp contention shown by the local government organs in its editorial comment on Rev. Mr. MacKay's address to the Canadian Club, or is the Leader trying to imitate the Toronto Globe?

"What," says the Leader, "are we to expect of our public men, when cities, towns and even provinces openly offer themselves for sale to the party that will give them a bridge, a public building, or a certain office."

Why did not the paper using the above language make this appeal during the local election campaign? Why did they, instead of taking this stand display from day to day, "A

vote for Bole is a vote for the C.N.R. extension into Regina," and such like bribery offers?

The Scott government and its organs have degraded public life in this country to such an extent that men like Rev. Mr. MacKay will have uphill work for years to come in raising the standard of political morality above the mire in which it has been dragged for coercion purposes.

Editorial Notes

Before the Agricultural Committee of the House of Commons recently, R. E. Young, superintendent of the railway and swamp land branch, Department of the Interior, said if the wheat crop of the Canadian west in 1908 totalled 100,000,000 bushels on a settled area of 8,400,000 acres, it was no stretch of imagination to look into the future for a wheat production of 1,300,000,000 bushels, practically three times the total foreign trade of Canada at the present time.

It is probable that J. G. Turf, who has been nominated by the Liberals to contest Assiniboia East may withdraw. He fears that since he may not use the cry "poor but honest," that he might be defeated.

Press Comments

When times are good, work plentiful and money easy to obtain it is the fashion to abuse rich men. But when financial troubles come, he is a good man to have around. At the moment when all indications pointed to a collapse during the recent financial panic in New York, J. P. Morgan was the man who brought order out of chaos and saved the situation.

What strikes the man on the street in such cases as these, is the fact that, no matter how much the mob may be inclined to roast the big man on ordinary occasions, in times of stress it is willing to admit that it's mighty handy to have him around with his millions of available cash.

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CITY COUNCIL Several By-laws Passed Bread Question I of—Grants Made.

Ald. Ball and Ald. Wilk the only two absent from council meeting Monday. A by-law dealing with bread was passed. "Standards to weigh one and a half and three pounds avoirdupois bread to be sold per pound and shall show the actual weight on is also made for inspectors bakeshops, ingredients, etc. as penalties for the non-compliance with the provisions of the by-law. A by-law to provide for the election of a separate school board was passed. Nominations held on the 24th and the 31st of March.

R. J. Harwood was appointed inspector for the city. The law was also given a special poll and dog tax collector. By-laws were also passed in block 151 and block 152. The finance committee advised for payment accounts to about \$95,000. Among other things, Committee recommended city clerk write requesting R. to construct subways railway at Albert and Broad. The Finance Committee granted a grant of \$200 to the Chewan Poultry Association additional grant of \$200 to the city club. The city granted \$200 to buy book for his office.

F. W. Brimacombe has increased to \$100 per month working at the waterworks. The parks committee recommended the purchasing of lawn trees for boulevards. The committee recommended the annexing lands to the city.

COUNCIL NOTE The city solicitor, the city engineer filled their council chamber this evening. The page for the council yet been appointed. The mayor's chair is mental, but the mayor has kept from getting lost.

APPOINTMENTS A Long List of Appointments in the Gazette.

The following are among last issue of the Saskatchewan Gazette: Justices of the Peace—William Roe, of Log Va; Jas. Pinke, Sr., Cresswell; Martin Schuett, of Trav; Robert McLaren, Mayme; Jas. Robinson, Walpole; Wm. G. Blewett, Kams; Geo. A. Carroll, of Mc; Nelson G. Cooper, Ass; Geo. W. Andrews, McL; Henry B. Devine, Stras; Owen E. Hughes, of K; Alfred Nurse, Lanigan; Alex. C. Nicol, Lashbou; Wm. Sherry Stoenon; Ernest W. Early, Mars; Duncan Jamieson, Nok; Thos. H. McGregor, C; Deputy Sheriff—Geo. Garfield Calder. Notaries Public: Curtis R. Gough, Frem; Jas. R. Graham, of K; Hugo Emil Mellicke, D; J. R. H. Dixon, Belle; Duncan McKechnie, Lar; Commissioners for Oaths—Malcolm W. McLeod, C; Chas. H. Fleming, Ass; Frank Bransted, Oliver; Robert Fenske, of Rob; Chas. L. Franks, Pheo; Jas. Murchin, of Fair; Wm. W. Ashley, of W; William Brown, of Pri; Hattie Bentley, of Gos; R. McDonald, Prince A; Hugh Pick of Mortlach; Jas. Johnston of Sask; Rufus McNicol, of Fal; Chas. Woodhead of Pol; Jno. A. McKeen, of F; Wm. Mutrie, of Skibbe; Geo. Garfield Calder, John J. Lamb of Sas; John Underdown, of Chas. Pohl, Regina. Reginald B. Beatty, M; Gerhard Leopoldy, of W; Chas. P. Schmidt, of A; Acton M. Sparrow, of I; Issuers of Marriage Lic; Victor R. Ogier, of Lo; William Schell, of La; Robt. R. King, of Mel; Adison Fleming, of M; J. J. Gardner, of Peto; Process Issuers—Rhys Morgan South C; Neil McMurtrie, of P; Samuel Mathieson, of Davis, S. Walker, Not; Registrars of Vital St; Eliza S. Burdette, L; Edgar T. Wallace, H; Coronet—Robt. Henderson, of Official Auditor—Richard R. Pearce, M; Official Assignees—Shayne S. Simpson, o

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