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A Volunteer Crop of 16 Bushels

J. Polson, Dominion Immigration Officer, Touring Southern Alberta Tells of a Wheat Crop at Lethbridge, Which, After Cattle Had Grazed Upon it for a Year, Produced 16 Bushels.

Bulletin Special.
Calgary, Aug. 28.—Alexander & Budd apparently not have things all their own way in connection with the supply of light and power to the city. A rival company has appeared on the scene and there was probably "something doing." The matter was discussed at a meeting of the light committees last Friday night. That meeting was held in camera in conformity with the ancient views of its members, but the Albertan was able to discover what the discussion was about. The new power concern is to be established at Radnor and the promoters are the Alberta Portland Cement Company, who are seeking the right to sell power to the city in competition with Alexander & Budd.

This is how it all came about. In the first place the cement company has had considerable trouble in obtaining the propelling power for their machinery and they naturally looked around to try to discover something that would answer their purpose. It was mentioned at this point that the cement company was the first concern to consider the practicability of manufacturing power at the Bow river in the neighborhood of Kanakas and they obtained options on land in that vicinity of the falls, as well as on land in close proximity to Radnor. These options expired in the spring of last year and the company was not prepared to go any further just then, owing to the heavy rain which partially destroyed their plant, the matter was allowed to drop. Messrs. Budd & Alexander happened to hear of the matter just about the time and Mr. Alexander went to Radnor to purchase the existing option. But Mr. Alexander made a sad mistake, and a mistake that has proved a very expensive one. He took an option on the land on the only one side of the river and the cement company, suspicious of the purpose for which they required it, immediately bought the land on the other side. In the meantime Alexander & Budd had been working before the city council, asking for franchise for a number of years, and they journeyed to Ottawa to get a permit from the Dominion government to erect a plant and dam at Radnor. In the meantime the cement company had put through the Radnor scheme. The next move of Alexander & Budd was to survey a site at the falls, as also falls upon the information given by James T. Childs, a civil engineer of Calgary, who some years before had surveyed the site for the C. P. R. All the while the cement company was in the process of buying the land on the other side of the falls, the cement company had put through the Radnor scheme. William Kennedy, jr., one of the greatest engineers in power development on the continent, was called in consultation and came west to inspect the site. As a result of his inspection the promoters are now engaged at the spot and building will be commenced in a very short time. Medicine Hat--Weather all that could be desired. Crops will be very fair. Wheat better than other grains. Harvesting of fall wheat and barley now in progress and promises good yield. No damage from frost. Strathmore--Crops still doing well. Harvesting fine and favorable. Wheat cutting expected to start in about ten days. Ardrie--Crops progressing favorably. Cutting in progress. No damage. Castle--Weather very favorable. Crops in excellent condition. Cutting will begin this week. Rain Monday night, but no damage reported. Didsbury--Weather warm and dry until Sunday, when heavy rain fell.

CALGARY MAY GET CHEAP POWER

At Pittsburg Summer Resort, and was Badly Torn--Beast was Filled With Lead.

At Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 27.—Torn, bruised and suffering from shock, Mrs. Anna A. Hucks, 55 years old, this city, lies at her home tonight in a precarious condition as the result of an attack by a lion at Luna Park, a summer resort in this city, late today. Mrs. Hucks was rescued from the jaws of death, while she lay on the ground, while the animal had thrown her and while scores of rescuers were firing a fusillade of bullets into the blood-razed animal, while it was clawing at the woman's body.

Without warning the lion approached from behind one of the buildings and with a roar sprang for Mrs. Hucks, who was nearest to him. The woman screamed and attracted the attention of the crowd.

W. A. Downing, chief of the park police who came to the rescue, found the lion tearing at the woman's clothing and having drawn his revolver immediately emptied all the chambers into the beast. Restored to his feet, the lion was then fired with his rifle. Other rescuers secured Hucks' remains from the shooting galleries and Remingtons from behind one of the buildings and were pumping lead at the lion.

Still standing over the prostrate woman, Hucks' teeth and looking his tail the lion stood with the ground about him literally plowed up by the hundreds of shots that were being fired at him. Soon with the noise of firearms and the shouts of the woman's rescuers the lion turned and walked a few feet away and sinking down upon the ground he turned over on his back and with a few kicks and a gasp, he died. His skin was completely torn with the small calibre bullets that had been fired at him and took effect. The shot that caused his death was among the first fired. It was a .38 calibre revolver, used by Chief Downing, when he first appeared on the scene.

WOMAN WAS ATTACKED BY LION

Harvard Professor Tells Story of Woman Who Hunts Like Diana and Hunts Like Eve

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Prof. McAuley, of Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., is in town, having spent a few weeks in the country surrounding Blue Sea Lake and Manitowish, the Gatineau, and he brings down with him a strange story of a wild woman. While hunting one day in the woods, a scurry in the undergrowth caused him to turn his load-rifle in the hope that game was near.

Reverts to Fig Leaves.
To his surprise, however, a face peered through the brush. It was a wild face, tanned to a dark brown by the sun, but she seemed to be dressed in nothing but leaves. The poor creature has not a companion, save a number of dogs, who help her in procuring food. She lives mostly on the fruits of her husband's excursions. It appears that owing to some injury done the woman some years ago, she has shunned human society since.

PUGSLEY TO GET THE RAILWAYS

And Canals Portfolio in Federal Cabinet--No Longer Any Doubt.

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Hon. Dr. Pugsley, ex-premier of New Brunswick, has reached Ottawa to-night, and will have an interview with Sir Wilfrid Laurier tomorrow, where he will be offered and will accept a position in the Federal cabinet. There is no doubt he will be given the portfolio of railways and canals, vacated by the resignation of Hon. H. R. Thompson. On Friday he will be sworn in by Lord Grey. Seen to-night by your correspondent, Dr. Pugsley said he had nothing to communicate. He would have an interview with the premier to-morrow, and until then he could not say anything on the subject. As a matter of fact he had no information to give. However, it is pretty well understood that Dr. Pugsley was sent for by the first minister with a view to taking him into the government as minister of railways and canals. There is no change to-night in the Ontario situation. A meeting of the cabinet was held this afternoon, and although the matter was discussed, no decision was reached. Hon. George P. Graham, who rendered Dominion Liberals such splendid service in his organization work in eastern Ontario, the last general election, is the man for the Ontario portfolio, if he will accept, but the contention is now being put forward that he cannot be spared as leader of the opposition in the Ontario legislature. This is a high compliment to Mr. Graham, and whether he or some one else may be appointed to the vacant portfolio, the cry here is for Graham.

East Is Much Interested In Crop

Of the West. Means Much to the Whole of Canada. School Superintendent McCaig Gives His Observations in the East. Banks Attack on Municipal Ownership in Western Cities Has Been Unfair.

Superintendent McCaig has just returned from Chicago, where he has been taking in company with Inspector Ross, of Strathcona, a course of lectures in problems of school management and supervision. In addition to the work at the College of Education, they visited schools in Winnipeg, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Peterboro, Guelph and other places. Apart from the matter of school interests with which they were specially concerned, they had opportunities of viewing general conditions in the older part of Canada. There is no mistaking the importance in the west to the prosperity of Eastern Canada, judged by the way the easterners are following our crop conditions. A failure in crops here would strike the wholesalers through our retailers, and this would be especially true in manufacturing industries, which have been undergoing a wonderful expansion during the last ten or twelve years. Ontario crops do not appear to be specially good this year, but the circumstances are not of such importance there as it would be here, owing to the concentration of soil products into a diversity of commodities, such as meat, poultry, butter, cheese and eggs, which have such a splendid market in the old country, owing to their superior quality.

Western Crops Better.
The appearance of crops in the west, apart from the matter of lateness, is much above their appearance in the east. The light top of vegetation over large areas in Ontario and even Southern Manitoba, the good warning against the practice of grain growing, instead of the pursuit of mixed farming. It is a matter for congratulation that in Alberta our dairy enterprises have already attained considerable importance. Poultry is being encouraged, but the feeding of different classes of meat stock, such as cattle, sheep and swine, is not progressing so fast as it should.

With regard to financial conditions, the easterners have an exaggerated idea of the speculative habit which is said to prevail in the west. It seems to be lost sight of that the number of loans here has been considerable activity in real estate does not exceed half a dozen, while the great body of investment is concerned with farm lands, which are the safest properties into which money can be put, in comparison with stocks, industrial concerns and city property. It seems to be lost sight of that it is practically impossible to have a boom in farm lands, while there are still large unoccupied areas to be had for nothing. It is not gotten that the ultimate buyer in the case of farm lands is the man who is going to grow farm crops, and no real estate booster can rush these values past the point of economic safety.

Banks Attack on Municipal Ownership
There is as little satisfaction in the east as in the west with regard to the somewhat sudden action of the banks in restricting loans, and there are evidences that the banks will very shortly come into the limelight of politics. It appears from the effect of the action of the banks, as well as from their pronouncement that the debentures of cities in the west where municipal ownership is in fashion, have suffered more than the debentures in other cities. It has not been shown by the limited application that the principle of municipal ownership is not good, and it can be conclusive proof shown that in no case has the progress of municipal works approximated the needs and growth of these cities. It has been pointed out that the persons most closely connected with private corporations and private franchises are likewise the ones most closely connected with the banks, which may be one reason for the attack on municipal ownership.

As to School Matters.
With regard to school matters, Messrs. McCaig and Ross both testify to a very profitable time. Their visit did not have the effect of lowering their estimation of the work being done in our elementary schools, or of the efficiency, industry and intelligence of our teachers. Comparing our provincial system with a state system, two extremes are presented, namely, one of consistent uniformity of work and of qualifications of teachers, the other of rather confusing variety. The first one is probably opposed to individuality of development with respect to towns and cities; the second leads to irregularity and uncertainty even in elementary training.

In certain respects the United States are very far in advance of us. This, of course, is incidental to our pioneer condition. Many of the states of the union have large and liberally endowed colleges, in which the best of opportunities are given for the study of educational problems of all sorts. These colleges are developed.

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