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Wm. Wood & Co. have taken over
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Fresh Fish, Poultry and Game in season.

TWO DOORS SOUTH OF CAHOON HOTEL.

On and after Oct. 1st. we shall
occupy the addition, now being used
by Dr. Brant in the present building,
and will still continue our private
banking business.

We pay 5 per cent interest on Savings
Deposits and Compound Quarterly

C. E. SNOW & Co.
BANKERS.

Agricultural Fair

Cardston has reason to be proud
of the fine Agricultural Fair being
held here. Although the weather
is not all it could be, everything
is working along smoothly. The
Fair is being held this year in the
O. K. Skating Rink and Livery
Stable and a splendid place it has
proven to be.

The Fair Association Officers
had everything splendidly ar-
ranged for the exhibits. Horses,
cattle, sheep and poultry were dis-
played at the stable, sheds and
corrals while the indoor exhibit
was displayed in the Skating
Rink.

The hall exhibition in many re-
spects surpasses that of last year.
The sheaf grain, vegetables,
flowers and school work are par-
ticularly good.

The vegetable exhibition was
simply great. There were a great
many entries and all first class.
Potatoes, carrots, onions, caulif-
lower, celery, citrons, water-
mellons, etc. were there in large
numbers and unexcelled quality.
The house plants and cut flowers
were very good indeed, although
not so numerous as in former years.
The fruit display of currants,
gooseberries and apples was first
class.

The Ladies Work and School
Department were also very good.
In the school work there were
over 200 entries.

Probably the chief feature of
the Fair is the Horse Show, in
which there were between one
and two hundred en-
tries. The horses were excellent
and strong in every class and are
a credit to the Province.

The sheep and cattle depart-
ments were well represented, and
in the latter were some of the
finest shorthorns we have ever seen.

The poultry show is another
chief feature of the Fair. In this
department there was strong com-
petition.

Owing to the inclement weather
yesterday many of the classes
could not be completed until noon
and in the afternoon the judging
took place which took up consid-
erable time.

The Government Judges, Messrs
J. G. Clark and W. R. Windsor
arrived on the noon train and
were kept very busy during the day.

Owing to the fact that the Star
is printed on Thursday we are un-
able to publish a list of the prize
winners in this issue.

Outing Season Is Over

The lake season is now closed,
the last party, two gentlemen
from Lethbridge returning this
week. Altogether it has been a
most successful season. The lakes
are now widely known as a
summer resort and next year will
see people from all over the Pro-
vince spending their vacation
here. W. O. Lee and sons are
proposing to put in a large num-
ber of boats and will also have
ponies to hire. If the Government
will put the roads in good con-
dition an automobile will be used
to convey the traffic to and fro.

An Army of Workers Out

Manchester, Eng., Sept. 21.—
About 40,000,000 spindles are idle
through the closing down of more
than 400 cotton mills in Lancash-
ire as a result of wages dispute
between employers and employees.
This means that 140,000 operators
are out of work, losing \$700,000 in
wages per week.

Ships Will Journey Round The World

New York, Sept. 21.—Six tiny
vessels, whose mission it will be
to warn the mariners of the Pacific
of rocks and shoals along the
upper western coast of the United
States, started today on a fifteen
thousand mile cruise around South
America. They will follow almost
exactly the route taken by the
great battleship fleet, now continu-
ing its voyage around the world.
The ships are less than 200 feet
in length. It is expected they
will reach San Francisco in four
months.

Church School To Be Established

Mr. Horace Cummings, Salt
Lake City, Utah, was in town this
week, interviewing the Stake Pres-
idency in regards to the establish-
ment of a Church School in Al-
berta. Mr. Cummings was very
favorably impressed with Cardston
and its central location in the dis-
trict. Magrath and Raymond are
working hard for the school and it
will be a difficult matter, when the
time arrives, to decide which of
the three towns is most entitled to
its location.

Canadian Pacific Believed To Have Secured Chicago Great Western Line

That the Chicago Great Western
railroad, together with all of its ter-
minal facilities, rolling stock and
 motive power, will soon become
the sole property of and a subsid-
iary line to the Canadian Pacific
Railway seems to be a certainty,
according to reports.

Such a step by the C. P. R. will
mean one of the greatest mergers
of modern railroading. It will
be the means of giving the great
wheat fields which are being de-
veloped in the Canadian northwest
an outlet in the United States
which will be second to none. It
will place the Canadian Pacific en-
tirely in a class by itself. It will
be fully equipped with terminal
facilities in three of the largest
cities of the middle west, and
placed in a position so that the en-
tire contemplated system may be
operated without regard to parallel
competitive line objection.

Court Cases

The following cases were heard
before Justice Barker on Saturday
last:—

J. P. Low vs Pilling Bros. for
using abusive language. The lat-
ter were fined \$5.00 and costs which
amounted to \$10.00.

In the case of Hodgeson, the
detective, for "selling liquor" the
accused failed to appear. He was
fined \$258.00, which together with
the forfeiting of the bonds, a-
mounts to \$458.00.

No Musical Contest

Owing to no entries being
made, the Musical Contest
billed for this evening, had
to be postponed and a dance
will be given instead.

Stamped With The Seal Of Success

A vital, moving drama of force
and power, a play of rare merit and
distinction. Such is the "Holy
City," the religious drama by
Clarence Bennet, which is to be
the offering in the Cardston The-
atre, on Saturday Oct. 10th. It
treats of a religious subjects with
a reverence and sympathy and has
won approbation of thousands of
clergymen of all denominations.
Mr Harold Nelson will be seen
in the part of Maruis, a Roman
soldier supported by Frederick
Clarke, and an excellent caste of
metropolitan artists.

Well Satisfied

Mr. Anton Roskopf, of Thien-
ville, Wis. has been in Cardston
for the past two weeks attending
to the threshing of his grain on the
Oxenham farm, four miles south of
town, that he recently purchased.

Mr. Roskopf is a man of large
means and a farmer of wide exper-
ience and he is certainly much
pleased with the conditions here.
Some of his wheat went fifty bush-
els to the acre and graded no. 1.

Mr. Roskopf says there may be
other places as good as the Card-
ston District, but in all his travels
he has never found any, and taking
everything into consideration he
is well satisfied here, and expects
to move his family up next season.

Serious Fire Near Kimball

Early Sunday morning Mr.
Niels Nelson, who lives two miles
east of Kimball, had the misfor-
tune to lose his wheat stacks and
wagons by fire.

The stacks, ten in number and
representing \$2,500, were situated
near the barn, and were discovered
to be in flames about 2:30 a. m.
As the fire was past control, all ef-
forts were directed to the saving
of the barn and haystacks, which
was accomplished after much hard
labor, and the plowing of a fire-
guard. The origin of the fire is
unknown.

New Doctor in The City

Dr. Lovering, who has been
taking the place of Dr. Sanders
in Magrath for the past three
months, came in yesterday and
will start a practice here. The
doctor is a gentleman of consid-
erable experience and Cardston
is to be congratulated in obtain-
ing his services. His office will
be in the building of the Custom
House—one door south of the
Cardston Implement Co.

Will Equal Butte

Mr. J. H. Van Pelt has received
a letter from the Secretary of the
Reid Mining, Milling, and Smelt-
ing Company of Great Falls Mont-
ana that the stock of the Com-
pany has been raised to twenty
five cents per share. This action
has been taken on account of the
reports of experts on the mine—
these reports show the prospects
to be that in the near future this
Company's property will be one of
the leading ones in this section
and the directors believe will
equal the finds at Butte Montana.

Announcement

Cardston will shortly have an-
other business. The Cardston
Saddlery Co., S. H. Horner, man-
ager, announce that they will
open up in this town about Oct.
1st, and will carry a thoroughly
up-to-date horse furnishing es-
tablishment including repair de-
partment. Space has been
secured in the Cardston Mercantile
building. Mr. Horner is well
known in Cardston having con-
ducted a harness store in this
town for some seven years in the
past.

Farmographs

Quit knocking and go to work!
Be satisfied with your lot and suc-
ceed!

That farmer is happiest who
realizes that his neighbor knows
how to do something better than
himself and tries to learn these
methods.

Be sure that you do not spend
more for equipment and improve-
ments than your business will
warrant. If your farm is not
paying you what it should for the
money invested, it may be that
you have not apportioned your
capital well and have too much of
it where it is not being utilized.

Lord Milner is Coming to Canada

Lord Miller, who is now on his
way to pay the dominion a visit,
is one of the most prominent men
in Britain, and his determination
to "pay the country a visit, of
which I have heard so much," to
use his own words, is very gratify-
ing to Canadians.

His career in Egypt was a re-
markable one, and in successive
offices of governor of the African
colonies and later a high commis-
sioner for South Africa, have
given full scope to his talents.
He has studied law and was also
one of the staff of the Fall Mall
Gazette for some time.

Smashed the Street Car

Chicago, Sept. 21.—An infuriat-
ed mob of 12,000 people led by a
bishop, demolished a street railway
car and injured the crew that
undertook to drive through it.

Land Office No More

Cardston is now without a Land
Office, and will be for some time
to come. Mr. J. W. Martin, Do-
minion Lands Agent at Leth-
bridge was in town for a few hours
yesterday and took away with him
the books and records of the local
office. In reply to the question,
"whether the office would again be
established" he stated that the
amount of business transacted
here did not warrant the location
of one, that the future would de-
cide it.

Big Entry

Estevan, Sask., Sept. 20.—One
thousand and ninety-three entries
had been made here which
means two hundred and forty thou-
sand and eight hundred and eighty
acres have been secured by farm-
ers.

Great Fruit Crop

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 20.—
The fruit crop of British Columbia
for the present year is estimated
by Inspector Maxwell Smith at a
million and a half dollars. This
is a large increase.

Trolley In Edmonton

Edmonton, Sept. 21.—"We will
have the street railway for oper-
ation before the first of November,
unless there is some unexpected
hitch," said Mayor McDougall this
morning in speaking of the pro-
gress being made on the inter-
urban railway.

Conference Rates

The annual fall conference ex-
cursions to Salt Lake City will
take place on Oct. 4, 5, and 6, and
tickets will be on sale at the A. R.
and I. Co.'s office from Sept. 25 to
Oct. 1. The tickets are good for
thirty days after date. The fares
for Lethbridge is \$29.55, Stirling
\$28.50, Raymond \$28.90, Magrath
\$29.45, and Cardston \$30.95.

New Post Office

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 20.—Win-
nipeg's new post office built at a
cost of half a million dollars, will
be open to the public tomorrow,
Monday morning.

Col. Steele May Go to Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Sept. 21.—The ap-
pointment of a successor to the
late Col. Evans, D. O. C., for this
military district is not officially
made, but in military circles it is
thought probable that Col. Sam
Steele, D. O. C., of district No. 10,
headquarters at Calgary, will suc-
ceed Col. Evans.

To Get Rid of Noxious Weeds

Edmonton, Sept. 21.—A further
grant of \$500, to be spent in the
destruction of noxious weeds, has
been made by the Provincial Gov-
ernment at a recent council meet-
ing. The grant was necessitated
by the prevalence of noxious weeds
upon certain fireguards, road al-
lowances and deserted homesteads
in the district between Lethbridge
and Medicine Hat. This is the
very season of the year when the
weed seeds, ready to be carried off
by each puff of wind, are most
dangerous and the Government is
to be commended for its action in
this matter. The south country
has been making a reputation for
itself as a grain growing country,
and it cannot afford to let the
weeds get ahead of it.

Unable to Ship Cattle

The lack of cars for shipping
purposes is causing considerable
trouble among the local cattle
buyers and farmers. Mr. D. Bal-
ovske has had a herd of beef
steers on the Reserve just north
of town for the past ten days, and
the cars have not yet arrived.
The C. P. R. strike is the source
of all the trouble.