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ALBERTA

Within the short space usually allotted to an editorial, it is not possible for us to draw but a mere outline of the picture which presents itself to the mind's eye at the mention of the name which is the heading of this article.

These are not inventions merely to fill up space. They are facts which are already attracting the attention of the capitalists of the world.

As the question of coal largely enters into the economic value of this district we may mention that it is established beyond newspaper cavil that the coals of the Bow and Belly district are similar to the class of fuel now largely used on the western part of the Union Pacific Railway line.

The anthracite coal which has been discovered in the Rocky mountains and within this district is a matter which must be looked upon as of the utmost importance.

Nature here opens her door - The latch string hangs out Here is health along with it For him who walketh stout.

We did not have an opportunity last week of calling the attention of our readers to the communication of "Cow Boy" which appeared in the last issue of this journal.

"Cow Boy" makes point No. 2 when he quotes from the Benton River Press and refutes "Observer's" statements that stockmen on the

other side are perfectly satisfied with the free range system. Now the Benton River Press is an authority on stock matters in Montana that "Observer" cannot successfully dispute.

There is a world of truth in this as the honest settler himself must admit and does admit when we sit down with him and talk with him upon the broad basis of the whole question.

"Cow Boy" himself puts it properly and unanswerably when he says: "The stockmen of the north-west from a financial point of view are the back bone of the country."

We will not join in any hue and cry against the stockmen unless there are good and unanswerable reasons for it nor shall we defend the exclusion of bona fide settlers from those tracts in our district which we know are best adapted to mixed farming.

EDITORIAL NOTES. "Permits having been issued without any definite time in which they were to be used and returned, have been used as a cloak for smuggling."

Along the line of railroad the time specified is made as short as possible in order to prevent the very occurrence which the Herald writer alleges have taken place.

Is the Progress of the 12th inst. there is a long and interesting letter from Mr. J. D. Vanbuskirk who came a few weeks ago and who left for the coal oil country of Utah about ten days ago.

Calgary is a representative town. It contains the mountain and plain element. From here diverge the trail routes south to the International boundary and north to the Edmonton and the Peace or McKenzie Rivers, or to the North Pole if you choose to go.

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for delays occasioned by the absence of maps. In his report for last year Deputy Minister of Interior Burgess says:

"The area sub-divided into sections and quarter sections during the past season amounts to 27,000,000 acres, equal to 165,780 farms of 160 acres each."

The Winnipeg papers have been editorially discussing the bankrupt condition of Emerson and Mr. William Fairbanks, one of the town proprietors.

The Democratic party in the United States have never displayed the same ebullience as the Republican party. Hendricks was entitled to the nomination for Vice President but Cleveland was chosen.

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The rail war authorities have reconsidered their proposal to run only semi-weekly trains west of Brandon, and have issued another programme continuing the daily train service to Moose Jaw.

Mr. J. V. Carroll, whose sample of wheat was spoken of in last issue, while in town last week placed his order for a binder. This speaks well for Mr. Carroll's view of his crop prospects.

MacLEOD. From the Gazette: Quantities of hay are being hauled into town.

The sale of Indian Department horses, as previously advertised, took place at the Agency building on Monday.

Rev. Mr. McKenzie, who has been appointed to the Presbyterian mission at MacLeod, arrived on the coach last Friday.

Hon. M. H. Cochrane, and Mr. F. White, returned to town from the ranches on Sunday. On Monday they again started for Hillsburg, accompanied by Mr. W. Keeney, who had arrived from Calgary.

The National Artillery association of Great Britain intend to send out a team of three officers and twenty-two men to compete in a match to be held at Quebec next September.

The Collector of Customs in the District of Arizona has notified the Treasury Department that the Mexican Government will pay a bonus of \$55.00 per head for all Chinese labourers landed in Guaymas, Mexico, under a labor contract.

The Supreme Court of New York recently granted an order directing a summons to be served upon John C. Emory, by publication in the suit against him for \$3,185,000.

A Vareselle despatch of July 11th says that there are more deaths there from cholera than day, and the number of persons who have died on account of the cholera was 15,000.

General Cleveland got the nomination on the 2nd ballot; Tammany was knocked higher than Donaldis's balloon every struck.

Governor Cleveland was born in the town of Essex, New Jersey, on the 13th March 1837. He is a descendant of a New England family who have been in the country for 200 years.

Thomas A. Hendricks was born September 13, 1813, on a farm near Zanesville, Ohio. Hendricks is also a lawyer and an able politician.

Prime Minister Ferry is disposed to consider the Lang & Son affair as a misunderstanding, and the intensity demanded China will probably be reduced to \$200,000, and he hoped the trouble would be promptly arranged.

A recent cablegram says: Mr. Gladstone in reply to a question in the Commons by Lord Churchill insists upon the accuracy of his statement made at a meeting of Liberals at the Foreign Office yesterday.

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