

15 to 20 ft. Some small lakes. Mixed farming is general. Owing to high altitude subject to frost. Leading crops: Oats, barley and potatoes. Markets at Strathclair, Shoal Lake, Newdale and Winnipeg. No homesteads available. Price of raw lands, \$15 to \$20; improved farms, \$25 to \$40. Pop. about 1,200, including Scotch, English, Irish, Galicians and Canadians. Write Jno. Underhill, Reeve, Strathclair P.O.

SWAN RIVER. Area 415,000 acres, 60,000 acres cultivated. Land is rolling. Soil varies, but mostly sandy loam. Watered by Swan and Woody Rivers. Wells, 20 ft. Mixed farming. Local markets at Swan River, Kenville and Durban. Subject to frost. Served by C.N.R. Crops, 1911: Wheat averaged 25 bush.; oats, 50; barley, 40; roots, 300. Pop. 2,500. Some homesteads available. Average price of raw lands, \$15; improved farms, \$30. Write H. R. Harley, B.L.A., Swan River P.O.

South Western District

Area 84 miles e. and w. by 72 miles n. and s. Comprises municipalities of Albert, Arthur, Brenda, Cameron, Cornwallis, Daly, Edward, Elton, Glenwood, Morton, Oakland, Pipestone, Riverside, Sifton, Turtle Mountain, Wallace, Whitehead, Whitewater, Winchester, Woodworth. Average crops in 1912: Wheat, 23 bush.; oats, 52; barley, 40; flax, 14; roots, 200. Settled fairly thickly, chiefly by good class of settlers from Ontario. Practically no homesteads available. Average price per acre of raw lands, \$12 to \$25; improved farms, \$20 to \$50.

ALBERT. Area 184,320 acres, 78,408 acres cultivated. Situated in the southwest corner of province. Land dark loam; clay subsoil; especially adapted for wheat, averaging 20 bushels per acre. Abundant growth of grass. Good water plentiful. Pop. 850. Cultivated land from \$18 to \$25 per acre; uncultivated land from \$12 to \$18 per acre. Write Jas. McLaren, Reeve, Albert Crescent, Man.

ARTHUR. Area 184,320 acres, 117,502 acres cultivated. Land is flat, traversed by creeks, with steep banks. Soil varies from sandy loam to clay loam, 6 to 24 ins. Watered by Souris River, creeks and wells (average 25 ft.). Markets at Brandon and Winnipeg. Served by C.P.R., 2 branches. Mixed farming and grain growing. In 1911 (a poor season), wheat averaged 18 bush.; oats, 30; bar-