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CHIEFTAIN'S TELEGRAM TO HON. WILLIAM PUGSLEY

Among the hundreds of telegrams received by Hon. Wm. Pugsley, congratulating him on his great victory in New Brunswick, the following must have the place of honor:

Quebec, Oct. 27

Hon. William Pugsley, St. John, N. B.

Heartiest congratulations. New Brunswick bears the palm in this contest.

WILFRID LAURIER

MANY CONGRATULATIONS COME TO HON. MR. PUGSLEY

Wires Bring More Hearty Messages to the Victorious New Brunswick Minister.

Hon William Pugsley yesterday received many more telegrams of congratulation from all parts of Canada. Some of them follow:

Fredericton, N.B.
Sincere congratulations on your magnificent victory in New Brunswick.
JOHN C. BROWN.
GILLMOR BROWN.

Calais, Me.
Sincere congratulations on your splendid victory, Charlotte County in line.
H. F. BURPEE.

Amherst, N.S.
New Brunswick has given her verdict. Accept congratulations.
E. B. ELDERKIN.

Boston.
Mr. Zebley and I congratulate you on your victory.
JOHN F. ZEBLEY.

Boston.
Please accept my most hearty congratulations.
DAVID S. COWLES.

Montreal.
My heartiest congratulations upon your splendid victory.
JAMES W. DOMVILLE.

Montreal.
I congratulate you on the result of the elections in the Maritime Provinces. I understand Lefurgey is beaten.
J. H. LEFEBVRE.

Ottawa, Ont.
Heartiest congratulations.
A. GEO. BLAIR.

Ottawa, Ont.
Mrs. Hunter and I send heartiest congratulations on your magnificent victory both personally and in the province.
J. B. HUNTER.

Cranbrook, B. C.
Your victory in New Brunswick very gratifying to N.B. boys.
DR. J. H. KING.

Millerton, N. B.
My Heartiest congratulations. New Brunswick has placed her confidence in you with no uncertain sound.
JAMES ROBINSON.

Sackville, N. B.
Congratulations on magnificent victory througnout province.
A. B. COPP.

Amherst, N. S.
Heartiest congratulations.
H. J. LOGAN.

Fredericton, N. B.
Heartiest congratulations on your vindication by St. John and provinces. Your persecutors got it where the chicken got the axe.
L. C. MACNUTT.

Fredericton, N. B.
New Brunswick the banner province.
Heartily congratulate you. York feels lonely with her missfit representative.
J. D. PHINNEY.

Halifax, N. S.
Hearty congratulations from your old friend.
VIVIAN T. BARTRAM.

Florenceville, N. B.
Accept our hearty congratulations on your sweeping victory throughout province.
H. H. McCAIN & SON.

Buctouche, N. B.
Hearty congratulations on your sweeping victory in New Brunswick. Am proud Kent is in line.
J. D. IRVING,
R. A. IRVING.

Fredericton, N. B.
Liberals of York congratulate you on magnificent results in New Brunswick. We anticipated doing better in York. Nevertheless, we are celebrating as if nothing happened us.
R. W. McLELLAN.

Sussex, N. B.
New Brunswick's splendid support is the best answer to the campaign of slander. My heartiest congratulations on your great victory and return of the Government.
DUNCAN H. McALISTER.

Montreal, Que.
Minister of Public Works, St. John, N. B.
Hearty congratulations on your splendid victory.
DAVID RUSSELL.

Richibucto, N. B.
Congratulations on your splendid victory in New Brunswick. It was nearly unanimous.
WM. D. CARTER.

Campbellton, N. B.
Most hearty congratulations on your splendid victory in the province.
WM. CURRIE.

Campbellton, N. B.
Congratulations on your magnificent victory. Restigouche stood by her guns.
THOS. MALCOLM.

Halifax, N. S.
Hearty congratulations on your great victory. N. B. did nobly.
G. E. BOAK.

Barrington Passage, N. S.
Hearty congratulations on your own victory and the splendid result in N. B.
W. S. FIELDING.

Halifax, N. S.
Am pleased to congratulate you on your grand victory.
WILLARD KITCHEN.

Ingersol, Ont.
Congratulations. W. MILLS.

Fredericton, N. B.
Congratulations from Young Men's Liberal Club, York County. Sorry we could not get in line.
C. H. ALLAN, President.
W. A. VANWART, Secy.

Moncton, N. B.
My congratulations on splendid results in New Brunswick, fourteen hundred majority here.
H. R. EMMERSON.

Montreal, Q.
Accept my hearty congratulations on your great victory notwithstanding the abuse you received. You have spiked your enemy's gun. Sorry friend Pender was not with you.
W. H. OLIVE.

St. George, N. B.
Heartfelt thanks for your vindication and sweeping victory.
DAN GILLMOR.

St. George, N. B.
Your victory is magnificent. N. B. appreciate you and Charlotte is in line.
W. J. LYNOTT,
Sec. Emmerson Liberal Club.

Yarmouth, N. S.
Accept my sincere congratulations on your magnificent victory and success of Liberal party in Canada.
B. B. LAW.

Charlo, N.B.
Heartiest congratulations. What's the matter with New Brunswick?
J. REID.

St. Peters, N.S.
Hearty congratulations on your magnificent victory over unscrupulous opponents. You rubbed it in.
J. B. BARTRAM.

Edmonton, Alta.
Accept my heartiest congratulations.
C W. CROSS.
(Attorney-General of Alberta.)

Berlin (Ont.)
North Waterloo joins in sending you heartiest congratulations.
MACKENZIE KING.

Winnipeg.
Saskatchewan thanks New Brunswick for yesterday's magnificent work in behalf of decency and development. Accept my sincere congratulations.
WALTER SCOTT.
(Premier of Saskatchewan.)

Stanley.
Liberal party of Stanley send you greetings and heartiest congratulations on your election and general victory for the Liberal party. Long life and prosperity to Dr. Pugsley.
D. R. MOORE.

Ottawa.
Intensely gratified with your magnificent victory, most prominent of all.
N. A. BELCOURT.
(Senator for Ottawa.)

Edmundston (N.B.)
Sincere congratulations on your triumph in New Brunswick and Canada.
JOHN COSTIGAN.

Buctouche (N.B.)
Congratulations on your glorious victory. I am with you.
O. J. LEBLANC.

Hillsboro (N.B.)
Overwhelming victory. Albert County proud of contributing to your provincial triumph.
F. M. THOMPSON.
(Chairman, Albert Exec. Lib. Com.)

Fredericton.
My most hearty congratulations on your victory after such a hard fight. Very sorry for Pender.
J. J. McCAFFREY.

St. Andrews.
Charlotte redeemed. Congratulations from St. Andrews Liberal Club.
R. E. ARMSTRONG.

Sydney, N.S.
Sincere congratulations on splendid victory in New Brunswick.
G. H. MURRAY.

Chatham (N.B.)
Northumberland's congratulations.
JOHN P. BURCHILL,
(President).

WARREN C. WINSLOW,
(Secretary Liberal Association.)

Perth Junction.
Accept my congratulations. The people of this county know when they have a good thing.
J. F. TWEEDDALE.

Brooklyn, N.Y.
Heartiest congratulations upon your splendid victory.
J. P. CARRITTE.

Ottawa.
Heartiest congratulations on your splendid victory.
JOHNSTON EDGERLY.

Montreal.
Heartiest victory
B. SHEPHERD.

Rothesay.
Great victory. Very hearty congratulations; almost incredible.
J. DOMVILLE.

Richibucto.
Congratulations on your great victory.
KENT NORTHERN RY. CO.

Fredericton.
Congratulations on splendid victory.
A. B. ATHERTON.

Dalhousie.
Accept hearty congratulations. Yesterday was a great day for you. Hard fight here. Hazen government made determined effort in Restigouche.
C. H. LABILLOIS.

St. Martins.
A solid New Brunswick endorses Sir Wilfrid's selection of you as one of the great Liberal leaders of Canada and sounds the death knell of Hazen and Toryism in this province.
St. Martin Liberal workers won out against desperate tactics.
MICHAEL McDADE.

Bathurst.
My sincere congratulations upon your great victory in New Brunswick, the greatest ever achieved in the province. Mr. Burns and the Hazen government put up a fight of slander against me, yourself and our esteemed leader, Sir Wilfrid. Although my majority is reduced, friends still carried immense victory under circumstances, over 400 of our sincere Liberals out of the county at present.
O. TURGEON.

Shediac (N.B.)
On behalf of the party here extend most hearty congratulations on the grand results of the province under your guiding hand. Yours sincerely,
E. A. SMITH.
(President Shediac Liberal Club.)

Moncton.
Many congratulations. The victory is decisive. Sorry Pender was not elected.
T. C. BURPEE.

Buctouche.
Congratulations. Yours is a glorious victory. Slanderers buried.
JAS. BARNES.

Marysville.
Congratulations on your magnificent victory.
ALEX. GIBSON, Jr.

WORRIED TO DEATH

Indigestion. Loss of Sleep. Heart Palpitation

A Case that Proves Prompt Action is Wise when Health is Poor

"At night I would wake up with vague feelings of fear and numbness in my hands and other parts of the body," writes Mr. E. X. Smeaton, of St. John's. "I had grown thin and pale, and at night it was very difficult to get enough warmth in my feet to get asleep. My digestion was poor, and appetite very uncertain. The form of nervousness that worried me most was starting at every little thing, which resulted in such violent heart action as sometimes frightened me. Finally I had to give up my work which was inside office work, so languid, nervous and weak had I become. Through the intervention of a friend I was induced to use Ferrozone. My appetite improved at once, circulation also improved and Ferrozone accomplished the renewal of my blood and natural warmth seemed to come back to my limbs. At the same time Ferrozone built up my constitution. I became quite strong and resumed my occupation. In brief, I am well."

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LIBERALS USED FOWLER TORCHES

Bought Stock-in-Trade Laid in for Tory Celebration at Sussex

DIDN'T CELEBRATE

News of Defeat Changed Conservative Plans, and Band Hired for Their Expected Jubilee Was Turned Over to Their Opponents—Many Congratulations to Dr. McAlister.

Sussex, Oct. 27.—The election is over and business is the order of the day now. The campaign was conducted in the main without bitterness and there are few things to regret.

In the closing days of the contest party feeling sometimes ran dangerously near to personal differences, but today congratulations are in order, and Dr. McAlister, the Liberal representative for Kings-Albert, has received many hearty hand shakes from those who opposed him yesterday.

The Liberal club rooms were the scene of the greatest enthusiasm up to an early hour this morning. The returns from New Brunswick and all over the dominion were received by special wire in the building, and announced to the waiting throng.

Arthur Keith, president of the Sussex Liberal Club, was the happy announcer, and the cheers that greeted his messages could be heard throughout the town. The fact that Sussex town gave McAlister forty-four majority was largely due to Mr. Keith and such assistants as R. H. Arnold, Messrs. McArthur, W. H. Culbert, and scores of others who devoted much of their time and all their energy to electing the doctor.

An amusing incident of the early evening was the transfer of the Conservative torches and band engagement. Mr. Fowler's committee were so confident of his election that their preparations for celebrating his victory included an additional hundred or so of torches that came by express that afternoon and engaging the services of the Sussex band. After the first four returns from Kings come in an enthusiastic Liberal committeeman invaded the Conservative rooms with a shout, "Say you fellows won't need torches or band tonight, better let us have them."

"They're yours," was the prompt reply and very soon the Liberal youths of Sussex were lighting the streets with the Tory torches.

With band and plenty of illumination, the big crowd awaited McAlister's return and his reception and speech were features of the evening.

The kind words of the Liberal M. P. for his opponent won him many friends. He had no reason to feel unkind to anyone and no one could have reason to say that he had said anything to be regretted. If in the warm contest anything of an offensive nature had been said no one would regret it more than he did. With the hope that he might be able to live up to the responsibility and honor conferred upon him by the people, Dr. McAlister left the bandstand and was carried by willing hands across the street to his residence which, with the grounds surrounding it, was brilliantly illuminated, and there found his wife and a large number of their lady friends eagerly awaiting him.

Telegrams of congratulation began to pour in soon afterward. A few of them are here given:

St. John, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Accept my heartiest congratulations on your splendid victory. New Brunswick has done nobly. Eleven to two.
WILLIAM PUGSLEY.

Charlo, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Heartiest congratulations to yourself and the people of Kings and Albert.
J. REID.

St. John, N. B., Oct. 27, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Congratulations upon your having successfully "turned on the tap."
MICHAEL McDADE.

Sackville, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, M. P., Sussex.
Accept our heartiest congratulations upon your splendid victory.
MR. AND MRS. C .C. ALWARD.

St. John, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, M. P., Sussex.
Accept my hearty congratulations on your splendid victory.
F. M. COCHRANE,
St. Martins.

Newcastle, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Congratulations from Northumberland.
F. P. WHALEN.

Moncton, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Hearty congratulations.
O. E. RENNIE.

St. John, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Duncan McAlister, M. D., M. P.
Heartiest congratulations, cheers, Hallelujah. Will ye no come back again?
E. H. McALPINE.

North Sydney, N. S., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. D. H. McAlister, Sussex.
Congratulations.
GEORGE MADDEN.

St. John, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Congratulations on your magnificent victory.
A. P. BARNHILL.

Norton, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Hearty congratulations. Norton is proud of you.
REV. E. J. BYRNE.

Montreal, Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. Duncan McAlister, Sussex.
Congratulations old man upon your splendid victory.
JAMES W. DOMVILLE.

Canterbury, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Congratulations on your magnificent victory.
N. W. BROWN.

Sackville, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Congratulations on your great victory.
ALBERT COUNTY JOURNAL.

St. John, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Congratulations.
LeB. THOMPSON,
E. HOWES.

St. John, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Where, oh where is my little dog gone? I hear he is looking for Lefurgy, Kemp & Co. Congratulations.
SEARS.

Calgary, Ala., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. D. H. McAlister, Sussex.
Accept heartiest congratulations on winning Kings, New Brunswick. Did nobly.
RICHARD C. SHERWOOD.

Sackville, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, M. P., Sussex.
Accept congratulations Sackville Liberal Club in your well merited success.
B. C. RAWORTH,
President.
H. T. S. PAISLEY,
Secretary.

Dr. McAlister, M. P., Sussex.
Delighted upon hearing of your great victory.
A. B. COPP.

Woodstock, N. B., Oct. 26, 1908.
Dr. McAlister, Sussex.
Congratulations on your election.
FRANK TILLEY.

TWO SLAIN IN FIGHT; WEDDING FOLLOWS

Georgia Man Gets Sweetheart After Battle and Then They Elope.

Waycross, Ga., Oct. 27.—After a battle in which two men were killed, L. C. Edenfield secured possession of Effie Carter, the 15-year-old daughter of the wealthiest man in Coffee county, hastened with her to a justice of the peace and made her his wife.

Edenfield and Miss Carter had been sweethearts for some months, but her parents objected to the marriage on account of her youth. To get Miss Carter away from Edenfield and prevent an elopement, she was sent by her parents to the home of her brother, John W. Carter at Millwood. The girl notified Edenfield of her whereabouts and expressed her willingness to elope if he would come for her.

Accompanied by D. A. Wilson, Edenfield went to the home of the girl's brother and tried to steal her. He was discovered and a battle occurred, in which Wilson was killed outright and A. J. Little, a friend of Carter, was so badly shot that he soon died.

While the fight was going on, Miss Carter rushed from her brother's home to her sweetheart. Edenfield placed the girl in a carriage and hurried to the nearest magistrate and they were quickly married.

It is said that Wilson, who accompanied Edenfield to aid in stealing Miss Carter, was killed by her brother, and that Little, who was aiding Carter, was shot by Edenfield.

A LEGEND OF MAXIMILIAN

Emperor's Fate Said to Have Been Foreshadowed by a Cracked Die.

The sale a few days ago for $27 each of two specimens of the gold twenty peso pieces coined for the unfortunate Emperor Maximilian of Mexico and dated 1866 brings attention to an interesting series of coins which made their appearance during the brief period of the attempt to establish a European monarch upon the throne of the Montezumas.

Of course one of the first acts of Maximilian upon his accession to the throne was the striking of coins bearing his portrait and title. The silver coins were of five, ten and fifty centavos and one peso.

The copper coinage of Maximilian consisted of but a single denomination, the one centavo piece. The story was generally circulated at one time that only ninety pieces of the twenty pesos denomination were originally struck. This statement has not been confirmed, but it is a fact that the coin is scarce.

The first of the issues of Maximilian attracted notice on account of the statement that the engravers of the pieces which show the Emperor's bust had executed the design in such a manner that by reversing the coin a likeness of a donkey was produced. It requires a great deal of imagination, it may be said, to work out such a resemblance.

There has been an impression that all the coins of Maximilian are scarce, but this is not so. Great numbers of them were struck and as the Mexican dollar has for many years been a favorite form of currency in the Orient millions of such pieces found their way to the Eastern countries during the reign of Maximilian. The idea that the one peso piece was held at a high premium may be accounted for by the rumor in general circulation about 1868 that the Austrian Government was buying up all the Maximilian dollars at five dollars each.

There is said to be one extremely rare variety of the one peso which was struck at the Mexico City Mint in 1866. According to one story, the first dies broke after thirty-five pieces had been coined and this number represented the age of Maximilian when he was shot. It was said also that one ball pierced his forehead at the exact spot where a flaw appears in the die. As a matter of fact, says an expert numismatist, a die did go to pieces after a few coins had been struck and the subsequent dies were of far inferior workmanship. The coins of the first set are identified by the letters on the inscription of the obverse, which are shorter than those on the usual issues, and there is a depression in the temple of the Emperor's portrait.—New York Sun.

THE SAILOR'S PRAYER BOOK.

"This is what you call the sailor's prayer book," a seaman said bitterly, as he kicked a holystone out of the way. "Why is it called that? Well, in the first place it is called that because in using it, in holystoning the deck, the sailor has to kneel down, and in the second place, because all holystoning is done on Sunday. Don't you know the chantey?—

"'Six days shalt thou work and do all that thou art able,
And on the seventh holystone the decks and scrape the cable.'

"The stone is called holystone because the first holy stones were bits of tombs stolen from cemeteries. It's got a pious, religious sound—holy, and prayer book, and Sunday and all that—but it is when he is using this stone that the seaman is most profane."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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CATHOLIC PRELATES GATHER IN FORCE AT BOSTON

Bishop Casey, of St. John, Among Dignitaries at 100th Anniversary of Diocese.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 27.—Most Rev. Diomede Falconio, Archbishop of Larissa, and the official representative of Pope Pius X. in the United States, and many prelates from all parts of the country arrived here today and tonight, to participate in the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Roman Catholic diocese of Boston. The great festival of thanksgiving will be opened tomorrow with a solemn pontifical mass in the cathedral of the Holy Cross, at which the celebrant will be the Papal delegate. The preacher will be Most Rev. William H. O'Connell, D.D., archbishop of Boston.

The festivities will terminate next Sunday with a mammoth street parade of church societies.

All the places of business and residences of Roman Catholics, as well as the church edifices, are being decorated for the great event. On the front of the cathedral, over the main entrance, is a large Gothic arch, on which are the words "To the Eternal Honor of Jesus Christ, Son of God and Saviour of the World, Who, Upon the Holy Cross Died for Our Redemption."

Among the distinguished churchmen in the city are: Archbishop Farley of New York, Archbishop Keane of Dubuque, Iowa, and Archbishop Quigley, of Chicago; Bishops Allen of Mobile, Ala., Walsh of Portland, Beaven of Springfield, Harkins of Providence, Guertin of Manchester, Fitzmaurice of Erie, Pa.; Casey of St John, N. B.; Ludden of Syracuse, McDonnell of Brooklyn, Hennessey of Wichita, Kas.; Gabriels of Ogdensburg, N. Y.; Northrop of Charleston, Burke of St. Joseph, Mo.; O'Connell, rector of the Catholic University at Washington, and McFaul of Trenton, N. J.

The Emigration to Siberia.

(St. Petersburg Correspondence of the Times, London.)

According to recent statistics the population of Russia is annually increasing at the rate of two-and-a-half millions. It is now 150,000,000. In 1920 it will, at this rate, reach 180,000,000, and in 1950 more than 250,000,000. In other words the natural growth of the population will, in less than half a century, cause it to exceed the present combined populations of Germany, France, Austria, Great Britain, and Italy. About 110,000,000 inhabitants are concentrated in the 50 provinces of European Russia. Of these only 14,000,000 are town dwellers; the remainder for the most part are engaged in agriculture, the exact proportion being 74 per cent. of the total population. Industrial occupations account for only 11 per cent. In consequence of the profound ignorance of the Russian peasantry (84 per cent. are illiterate) they are, and will for long remain, unable to apply modern methods of farming. Where, for instance, the Chinese farmer is able to obtain crops averaging 300 to 500 poods (36.4lb.) per "desiatin" (2½ acres), they barely raise 40 poods. Famines are perennial.

The increase of the population has brought about a great scarcity of land. The feeble development of industry provides only a small outlet for the surplus population. It has therefore long been obvious that the peasants in the European provinces must be encouraged to emigrate to the enormous available lands in Siberia. This, however, the Government persistently opposed on the ground that a large surplus population would provide cheap labor. Up to 1906 the annual emigration did not much exceed 100,000. In that year the Government raised its restrictions. The results have been remarkable; during the first ten months of 1907 the number of emigrants rose to 556,000; this year it is expected to reach 1,000,000.

Transportation presented supreme difficulties owing to the defective communication by means of the single track railway from Samara eastward, but the work was energetically undertaken and actively pursued, with the result that this movement bids fair to produce an important change in the economic conditions of Russia. The peasant soon learnt from his kindred who had emigrated that, after discounting the hardships of the journey on the inadequate allowance of 100 roubles (£10) made by the Board of Emigration and the privations inseparable from life in a new country, he would be in possession of a valuable asset—a plot of virgin soil averaging 15 "desiatins" (say 40 acres) without any of the restrictions which the neighborhood of the large landed proprietor imposed on his tenement in Russia. Pasture land was to be had in abundance for his cattle. His subsistence was ensured by a rich black soil, in nowise inferior to the best in the Black Earth region in South Russia, the only drawback being the prevalence of brackish water, which, however, a little trouble taken to drain his fields could easily remove. Besides, the rivers teemed with fish, the woods with game, while the absence of any strict supervision over the forests enabled him to fell timber for his dwelling. Hence the stream of applications to emigrate has developed into a flood, which has overtaxed the emigration officials.

The tide of emigration is mainly directed to a large expanse of territory, forming roughly a square bounded by the line of the railway as far as the river Ob to the north, the course of that river to the east, the Altai range to the south, and the Urals to the west. It includes portions of the Tobolsk and Tomsk provinces, and of the Steppe region, as well as the trans-Ural parts of the Perm and Ufa provinces of European Russia. Besides this vast area, the Government disposes of other equally vast and favorable regions for colonization.

There is the unbounded tract of pasture land extending from the Altais to Turkestan, vaguely described as the Kirghiz steppes, and officially denominated as the "regions" of Akmolinsk, Semipalatinsk, and Semiretchensk, the home of the semi-nomad Kirghiz tribes, a race of horse-breeders. Further east lies the extensive stretch of the Yenisseï basin, forming the provinces of Yenisseisk and Irkutsk, the former including the Minussinsk region, so interesting from an ethnographic point of view. The basins of the Amur and the Ussuri and the maritime province would scarcely exhaust the list. The tide of emigration has not yet materially affected them. The first-named area, ten years ago exhibited a dreary expanse of rich black soil lying fallow, varied by monotonous stretches of young virgin forest, devoid of any signs of human habitation or activity, save in the vicinity of the long, straggling villages extending for miles along the high-road in one long, endless street of dark wooden huts, unpainted save for the white-fretted window-frames typical of Siberia. And even here there were scarcely any signs of agriculture, the peasants mainly subsisting on their horned cattle and horses. Even five years ago, when the railway had been in operation long enough the produce a marked change in the aspect of the towns, the face of the country remained unaltered. Today the railway is lined by patches of upturned soil, with here and there rudimentary attempts at irrigation and small herds of cattle grazing on the boundless grass fields. The same incipient animation is noticeable on the banks of the rivers, where villages are fast springing up. A recent visitor passed several villages of quite considerable size which he could not find on the official map.

One feature which cannot fail to strike the tourist is the abundance of churches, even in the remoter parts; every town possesses quite a number of them. Owing to the scarcity of roads the swarm of emigrants naturally clings to the railway and to the large rivers, leaving the intermediate country bare. But the most marked improvement is noticeable in the aspect of the towns, where edifices of brick are beginning to supersede the conventional wooden house. Omsk has gained most in the last ten years in this respect.

The climate is said by the residents to be very fair on the whole. The winter, though severely cold, is dry and fairly free from the north winds that sweep the region of the "tundra" (frozen bog) and of the "taiga" (jungle). The transition from spring to summer is very sudden; the fields and trees assume their verdure in three or four days of sunshine. Summer and autumn are very fine and hot. The range of the Altais, owing to its dry climate, is fast becoming a favorite resort for invalids suffering from pulmonary diseases, and mineral springs abound. The only difficulty presented by the climate is the period of the year in spring and autumn when the ice begins to thaw and when it begins to form, and for two months in the year places like Barnaoul, situated at some distance from the railway, are cut off from the outside world.

The soil in the northern part of the square consists of rich black earth, yielding good crops. The rest of the land affords excellent pasture, more particularly the river beds, which, though inordinately wide, are encumbered by alluvial deposits forming extensive meadows on either side of the waterway. These are flooded in spring, and when the water subsides assume a most vivid emerald coating of grass, on which myriads of cattle could graze. The southern part, again, is rich in various mineral deposits, notably gold and copper. Several British companies have already started mining operations in the Altais. The scenery in the mountainous parts is very striking, the hills being mostly covered with forests of birch and pine, while the river banks, with their grass lawns and willows overhanging the water, bear a strong resemblance to English rural scenery in the Fen Country and the eastern counties.

The Record Head.

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