

CHURCH NOTICES.

CATHEDRAL, ST. BONIFACE.

Sundays—Masses at 7.30 and 10 a. m.
Vespers at 3 p. m.
Week Days—Masses at 6.30 and 7.30

ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

Situated on the corner of St. Mary and Hargrave Streets. Rev. Father Ouellette, Rector; Rev. Father Cahill, assistant.

Sundays—Masses at 7.00 8.30, and 10.30, a.m.; Vespers at 7.15 p. m. Catechism for perseverance at 2.30 p. m.

Week Days—Masses at 6.15 and 7.30 a. m.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

Situated in Point Douglass. Rev. Father Cherrier, rector.

Sundays—Masses at 8.30 and 10.30 a.m. Vespers at 7.15 p.m.

Week Days—Mass at 7.30 a.m.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1886

CITY AND PROVINCIAL

COUNT D'ESTERBAZY took out a party of about sixty Hungarian immigrants to the colony near Whitewood.

The stream of Immigration from the old country continues unabated. On Tuesday last a large train of settlers for the west arrived at the depot.

Winnipeg six per cent. debenture, have taken another rise of one per cent. on the London market, being now quoted at 120. Winnipeg five per cents. remain at 113.

A. F. EDEN, land commissioner of the M. & N. W. R. Co., leaves for England on Friday on business in connection with his department and in the interest of immigration.

The output of the Rapid City cheese factory has been sold for 10c per pound to a Winnipeg buyer, to be delivered at Brandon. About \$4,000 will be distributed among the patrons of the factory.

A strong party of engineers and surveyors have been sent out by the M. & N. W. railway company to survey and locate that road from the present terminus of the track to Prince Albert. It is intended to extend the road some distance next year, but it is not yet known whether it will be pushed as far as Prince Albert.

THE Commercial says: The general commercial business usually done at the banks was of not quite as active a nature as during the previous week, the first week in the month usually developing an increased call for discounts. Payments have continued to be fairly well met, considering the season and the small amount of money yet put in circulation on grain account. However, the call for funds from grain circles has been steadily increasing, and promises considerable activity from this source in a short time.

A change of time comes into effect on the western division of the C. P. R. this week, although not effecting the hours of arrival and departure from this city, so as to afford more time to travellers to view the beauties of scenery through the Rockies. Between Winnipeg and Calgary the trains will lessen the time by an hour, arriving at the latter at 22 o'clock in place of 23 o'clock and the spare hour will be put in on the Rocky Mountains section. Likewise the train from British Columbia will arrive at Calgary an hour later than at present—at 4 instead of 3 o'clock.

A company, to be called the Canadian Anthracite Mining company, has just been organized, with a capital stock of half a million dollars, to work the Stewart coalmines at Banff. Letters patent will appear in a few days, and a \$50,000 deposit has been made with the Government. The promoters include McLeod Stewart, of Ottawa, and Senator Thorp of Wisconsin. Nearly 200 men are employed and work has been in progress since the 1st inst. The capacity will soon be 400 tons daily, but will ultimately increase to 1,000 tons daily. McLeod Stewart states that employment will be given to 1,000 men. The company will have 20,000 tons in the Winnipeg market on Dec. 1st. The promoters state that coal unequalled in quality and market will be found all the way from San Francisco and Victoria to Montreal. They will underfell American coal.

SEED WHEAT.

The Manitoba & Northwestern have issued the following circular to the farmers along the line of their road, regarding seed wheat:

"That the frequent changing of seed especially of wheat, has a great influence on the early ripening of the grain, improves the quality and increases the yield is a fact with which every farmer is familiar.

"In view of this, therefore, and of the difficulty which has been experienced during the past two or three years in obtaining good wheat for seed the company

intends this season to place in the way of the farmers along its line special facilities for procuring a supply of new seed wheat.

"It proposes to purchase a quantity of the purest red type wheat it can procure and to distribute it at the various stations along its line where it can be purchased in any quantity required at the actual cost to the company, without any freight or other charges added.

"Great care will be taken in the selection of the wheat, and it is hoped that every farmer will try and take advantage of this opportunity.

"Any who desire to do so will kindly fill up one of the forms of application accompanying this notice, which can be obtained from any of the company's agents, and forward it to the undersigned not later than the 31st inst.

"These forms of application are only intended to enable the company to estimate the quantity that is likely to be required at each station, and will not bind the signers to take any of the wheat if they are not entirely satisfied with it both as to quality and price.

PRAIRIE FIRES.

Government Measures for Relief.

On the return of Dr. Harrison, Minister of Agriculture, from the Northwest portion of the province last week, steps were immediately taken by his department for the purpose of ascertaining the extent of the losses which have been sustained by prairie fires in different portions of the Province. A circular has been sent out to the Reeves of the various municipalities asking them to ascertain through members of their respective council full particulars as to the losses sustained by individuals, and to send in such information to the department. A series of question were asked as to these losses which will no doubt elicit sufficient information to enable the Government to decide the aid it may be necessary to extend. This prompt action on the part of the Government will without doubt meet with very general favor.—Manitoba.

MINNESOTA WANTS DIRECT CONNECTION WITH WINNIPEG.

The Minnesota Tribune says: "What do the following items from the Winnipeg papers mean?"

"The rumor that the M. & N. W. railway company have been offered the privilege of utilizing the Stonewall branch of the C. P. R., if they desire to extend their line to Winnipeg lacks foundation.

"Mr. Whyte, general superintendent of the C. P. R.; Mr. Baker of the M. & N. W. railway, and a party of gentlemen made a trip of inspection over the Stonewall branch yesterday."

"We hope there may be some foundation for these rumors. It would not hurt Minnesota. In fact we think it would tend to our advantage. We cannot see why the M. & N. W. railway should stop fifty miles from its proper terminus Winnipeg and there is no doubt in the world but that the company will in the very near future make an effort to get there. It cannot do so too soon."

MAN. AND N. W. T.

St. Laurent, Oct. 19.—The half-breed scrip commission has been sitting here since Monday, 11th inst., and 100 claims have been settled, amounting to over \$15,000. With the exception of a few Manitoba claims, this settles all the claims here. The commission left for Batoche yesterday evening.

Montreuil, Oct. 19.—Prairie fires have swept this part of the country. Mr. Cassels had his stables and hay burned, Mr. Wright lost about 100 tons of hay, and Mr. Mason lost about seventy-five tons of hay on the Souris river and his house on 19. 3. 24. The fire is now raging among the timber on Turtle mountain. There were a good many hairbreadth escapes. Something needs to be done in the way of legislation to prevent prairie fires. The laws now in force are useless, at least they have proved so.

Strathclair, Oct. 19.—A splendid display was seen at the fall show of the Strathclair society yesterday. In horses, cattle, sheep, and pigs the show was most excellent. The butter exhibits exceeded fifty samples. The grain was fully equal to the provincial exhibit, and nothing could be more satisfactory. An electoral division society was formed last night. Among the notables present were Minister of Agriculture Harrison, Attorney-General Hamilton and J. W. Shanks.

Portage la Prairie, Oct. 19.—The fall show at this place notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather proved a success.

The exhibits were generally of a superior character, the contests in the various classes being very close, except in the vegetable line; in which Mr. E. Tomlin made a clean sweep. The ladies' department deserves special mention, as do also the school exhibits. The number of cattle was not quite so large as of former years, but this can be accounted for by the fact that several large stock owners in the Westbourne district being prohibited from showing their cattle by the quarantine placed upon them on

account of the anthrax that broke out there some time ago. All the other lines were fully up to or above the average. The exhibition closed with some horse racing, which excited considerable interest. The annual supper was held under the auspices of the society, at the Lorne House, and was largely attended, there being 70 or 80 people present.

Several cases of fever are reported from Silver Creek on the line of the M. and N. W. Ry. A couple of engineers have returned to town laid up with it. They attribute it to the bad water and bad food and generally unhealthy situation of the camps at that point.

Brandon, Oct. 16.—Conservative meetings are to be held in East and West Brandon as follows: Elton, 29th. Alexander, 21st at 13 o'clock. Brandon, 21st at 19. 30 o'clock. Opposition candidates and their friends are invited to attend.

An agricultural society has been formed with S. Clegg, president; 1st vice, Vance Tessel; 2nd vice, Adams. Directors, C. Piling, D. W. Shaw, Mayor Smart, E. Fitz-Bucke, J. W. Sifton, J. A. Hector, J. E. Smith.

The latest fair has proved a great financial success, notwithstanding the bad weather.

Portage la Prairie, Oct. 16.—The annual fall exhibition held yesterday was a great success, considering the weather which was unfavorable. The attendance was good and various exhibits were well represented especially the fine arts and ladies' departments which were better than ever exhibited before. The vegetable display was also good. O. Tomlin captured 46 prizes. Among the cattle noticeable were K Mc Kenzie's herd from Rat Creek. There was a good display of horses. The annual supper at the Lorne house was well attended.

Regina, Oct. 16.—Last evening Governor Dewdney publicly thanked the North west Councilor its unanimous approval of his efforts towards the government of Territories. A number of petitions were laid on the table and Mr. Cayley's bill to remedy the present difficulties at Calgary has read the first time. The Calgary municipal problem has now begun to receive a solution. The Indian commissioner and Mr. Hayter Reed have taken steps to relieve the Indians from being decimated by measles, typhoid etc. The Beaver Lake Indians are being attended to and Dr. Dodl leaves on a three weeks medical inspection on Monday.

Qu'Appelle, Oct. 15.—Robert Crawford was elected to the Northwest council by 41 majority yesterday for the Qu'Appelle district, in the place of T. W. Jackson, resigned.

Regina, Oct. 15.—A gentleman has placed at the disposal of the Regina Leader the sum of \$50 as a prize to be given for the best 25 acre field of wheat in the Regina and Moosejaw district, on the 1st of July next.

It appears very strange that Galt coal should sell in Winnipeg at \$7.25 per ton, coal and what the people of Regina, living nearly 40 miles nearer to the mines, should be charged \$8.50 per ton. We Regina people don't believe in being sat upon by the Galt mine or any one else, if we can help it.

Regina, Oct. 11.—The third annual exhibition of the Assiniboia agricultural society, was a grand success, and notwithstanding the rain, a large number of farmers and visitors were admitted to the ground on Friday and Saturday, the two days of the show. The society had the roller rink fixed up for exhibition building, and pens were built on the vacant ground behind the rink for the cattle, sheep and poultry. On entering the building about noon on Friday, a most animated scene was presented to the visitor.

Prince Albert, Oct. 5.—The scrip commission is still sitting here. So far about thirty scrip have been issued which have all been bought up at prices ranging from sixty to seventy cents on the dollar, and as a result business is unusually brisk this week. The commission will close their sitting here in a few days and will proceed to St. Laurent and Batoche thence to Qu'Appelle, leaving the Cumberland district to be visited next year. The scrip issued here are mostly half breeds who are giving up Indian treaty annuities.

The 30th ult. was a gala day in Prince Albert, being the holding of the third annual exhibition of the Lorne Agricultural Society. The exhibits were both numerous and varied. Inside the hall the display of roots and other vegetables was very attractive. The size and quality of roots surpassed anything of the kind ever seen even in Manitoba, and a better sample of grain was never exhibited anywhere. Cheese of excellent quality from the Carrot River district, and butter than which it would be difficult to produce a better sample, were on view as the products of the dairy. The ladies' department was represented by a fine exhibit of needle and fancy work. Outside the show of live stock, poultry, etc., attracted the greatest attention and was a credit to the district.

The new court house is rapidly nearing completion, We are having beautiful summer weather at present.

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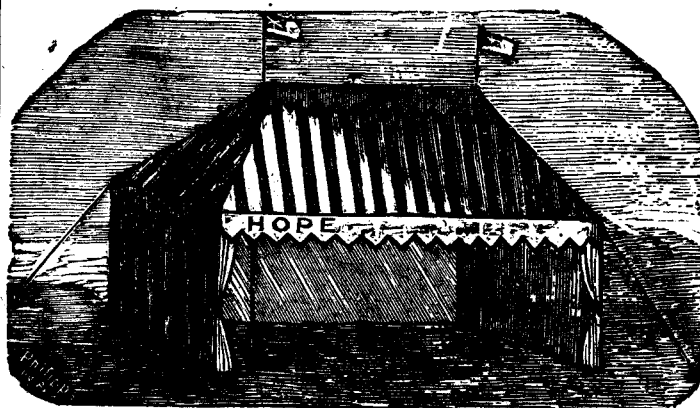
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The uniform, strictly obligatory, is a black merino dress, and a mantle of the same color, a straw hat lined in blue for summer, and a white hood for winter, a white veil of plain net. Parents are invited to inquire at the Institution for certain particulars before preparing the uniform. When desired it can be furnished in the establishment as also articles for toilet, drawing and fancy work, payment in advance is required. School books and stationery are furnished at current price. Other books and letters and subject to the inspection of the Directress. No deduction for pupils withdrawing before the end of the two monthly terms unless in case of sickness or for other cogent reasons. Pupils receive visits of their parents near relative and guardians, on Sunday, be-tween the hours of divine service and after Vesper, until 5.30 and on Thursday from 10 to 30 p.m. No other visitors are admitted unless they are recommended by parents or guardians.

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Tender for a Timber Berth," will be received at this Office up to noon on Wednesday the 1st day of December next for three timber berths of fifty square miles each, more or less numbered respectively 16, 17 and 18; situate on the west side of the Columbia River near Golden City Station on the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway in the Province of British Columbia.

Sketches showing the position, approximately of these berths together with the conditions upon which they will be licensed and the forms of tender therefor may be obtained at this Department or at the Crown Timber Offices at Winnipeg, Calgary, N. W. T., and New Westminster, British Columbia.

A. M. BURGESS,

Deputy of the

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