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LOCAL.
Mr. Justice Harvey granted non-suit in the case of Ince vs. C.N.R., an action for damages for the death of Richard Dinwiddie in 1926.

Count Von Hammerstein left Friday for the north with a party of men. He will continue his work prospecting for oil at Fort McMurray and at Lesser Slave Lake during the summer.

The McConn's sewer pipe being secured by the Edmonton Standard Plumbing and Heating Co. to replace the pipe which the city refused to accept, is now on the way here from Cincinnati, and there will be no delay in the sewer work.

A meeting of Norwood residents will likely be called next week to discuss the proposed hay market site on Queen's Avenue. The Norwood people are very desirous of securing the market and may fight the bylaw for the purchase of the Queen's Avenue property.

Chas. J. Smith has taken out a permit for a \$2,700 residence in the Grand estate on St. James street between Jasper and Athabasca. H. N. Lane has also taken out a permit for a \$2,200 residence in the same locality. Both houses will be built by McSparran & Co. A. M. Calderon is architect for the first and Barnes & Gibbs for the second.

The marriage took place at the Royal Temperance hotel at 8 o'clock Wednesday, of Norman Allen Fiebig, of Edmonton, son of John Fielders, of Poplar Lake, to Miss Mary Yohanna Neilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Neilson, of Bon Accord. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. S. Tuttle, pastor of Grace Methodist church. The young couple will reside in Edmonton.

Considerable excitement was created on Jasper avenue and McDougall avenue south yesterday afternoon by a spectacular runaway. A team of horses, owned by Jos. Hehsdoerfer, took flight before the store, and dashed down the street. Turning south on McDougall, they continued their headlong pace down the hill and across the bridge to the south side of the river. Miraculously, the horses, which had a heavy delivery wagon attached, did not collide with any vehicles on their wild career.

A recent issue of the Nelson, B.C. News states that the Canadian marble works of that city, of which the managing director is Sam J. Gorman, of the firm of Gorman, Cancey and Grindley, Edmonton, have received an order for all the marble to be used in the construction of the new Great West Life insurance building on Lombard street, opposite the Grain exchange at Winnipeg. The contract is a large one, the total amount of marble which will be required being over 300 car loads. The whole of the exterior of the building will thus be of Kootenay marble. The building is to be completed by November 1st of this year. Mr. Gorman says that this is the first large order obtained for Kootenay marble as far east as the prairie capital.

A MYSTERIOUS ALARM.
At a quarter to ten Thursday a message, rung in by means of No. 29 on the fire bells, was sent in to the fire halls. The informant, who was heard by the three halls, stated that there was a fire between Second and Third streets on the brow of the hill just south of Revillon's warehouses, and that the flames were then breaking out through the roof. A fast run was made by Nos. 1 and 2 halls, but no fire could be found. The chief then rang up central and was told that the call which automatically registered came in from the rooms of the janitor of the new Windsor block. Inquiry was then made of the janitor, but he absolutely denied all knowledge of who rang in the call from his phone. No further light could be secured on the mystery and the call was marked down to false alarm and no explanation given. It is thought that some mischievous person sent in the call while the janitor was absent from the room.

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SUPREME COURT.
At the Supreme Court Thursday John Hershberger pleaded guilty to forging two cheques on E. C. Pettijohn of Pembina for \$60.10 and \$40.20. Sentence was served until some enquiries were made into the case.

BANK CLEARINGS INCREASE.
Edmonton bank clearings for the week ending Thursday totalled \$538,074. For the similar week in 1925 the total was \$629,221, and for the similar week in 1927, \$763,661. The percentage increase over the corresponding week last year is 33 per cent.

LOOKING FOR LONDON MAN.
The local office are on the lookout for a London, England, man named William Barnes, who is believed to be in the city or the Edmonton district. Barnes was confidential clerk in the employ of Stillwell & Co., London, and is alleged to have eloped with Mrs. Jennings, wife of the nephew of Mr. Stillwell, and to have taken \$30,000 of the firm's money. Detective Roberts of Scotland Yard force, London, has been in Winnipeg looking for the man and is now en route to this city.

COURT CASES.
An action involving \$7,577 was concluded at the district court Thursday before His Honor Judge Winters after having occupied a whole day at the trial. J. J. Burns brought an action against the Clover Bar Coal Co. for this amount. He claimed that he had contracted to haul coal, to be paid at the rate of 40 cubic feet for the ton. The defendant's company claimed on the other hand that the plaintiff was to be paid pro rata according to the amount taken. The difference in price between the weight and the measured amount of coal taken was \$7,577 which the plaintiff sued for. After hearing a great deal of evidence in the case and listening to the lengthy arguments of the counsel on both sides, the judge dismissed the action holding that payment should be made pro rata on the basis of W. B. Eager appeared for the plaintiff and H. H. Robinson for the defendant.

The appeals of two residents of Edmonton, L. L. Pearce and U. S. Bolster, against the judgment of the Police Magistrate Cowan in the city police court, holding them liable for real estate licenses will come up for hearing at the District Court before Judge Winters on Saturday, May 29th.

The case of P. Chalvairre vs. the Clover Bar Coal Company was decided in favor of the defendants. This action was similar to that of J. J. Burns vs. the Clover Bar Coal Co.

The jury empanelled to try the action of Agnes Mason against Mrs. W. J. Webster for \$2,000 damages for slander, after being out for over two hours could not agree on a verdict. They were accordingly dismissed.

The counsel for the plaintiff and defence will argue the case before His Honor Mr. Justice Harvey this afternoon and it is probable that a new trial will be ordered. The jury was composed of Henry Miller, Edward Looby, F. A. Aylwin, Robt Andrews, Elijah Dixon and D. Atkinson.

The plaintiff, Agnes Mason, is a 13 year-old girl who was employed as a domestic in the home of Mrs. Webster, Eighteenth street. After remaining there for a time she went to work for Mrs. Campbell. It is alleged that Mrs. Webster made slanderous statements about the plaintiff to the effect that she had missed several articles and believed that Agnes Mason had taken them. As a result of these statements the plaintiff claims that she was discharged from her position and suffered in consequence. She accordingly brought suit for \$2,000 damages. As the jury could not agree on a verdict it is possible that there will be a new trial. C. F. Newell conducted the case for the plaintiff and D. M. Biggar appeared for the defence.

At the District court today the case

of the Prudential Life Insurance Co. vs. Geo. W. Robertson, is being tried before His Honor Judge H. C. Taylor. This is an action for a note given by the defendant for insurance. The defendant claims that the note was obtained under misrepresentation as to the insurance. The case is being proceeded with this afternoon. J. D. Hyndman is appearing for the plaintiff and E. A. Mackie for the defence.

WILL G.P.R. TIME TABLE CHANGE
Some time ago an announcement was made by District Passenger Agent J. E. Proctor, of Calgary, that the summer time table of the C. P. R. would go into effect in the C. & E. on the 1st. But that the only material change would be that the train for the south now leaving Strathcona at four in the afternoon would leave three instead. Since then no further news of the change has been received. The local C. P. R. ticket office is an absolute ignorance of any change and the station agent at Strathcona while anticipating a change on June 6th is not in a position to make any announcement at the present time.

THREE YEARS FOR FORGERY
John Hershberger, a laborer from Pembina, was on Saturday sentenced to three years imprisonment in the Alberta Penitentiary for forgery by His Lordship Mr. Justice Harvey. Hershberger is a laborer, twenty-eight years of age, who works for E. C. Pettijohn on the G.T.P. grade west of the Pembina river. Early in May he forged Pettijohn's name to two cheques for \$60.10 and \$40.20 and cashed them. He was arrested at the Supreme Court Thursday pleaded guilty to both charges. He explained that his sister in Iowa was dying and that he wanted the money to go and see her. Sentence was deferred until his statements were investigated. It was found that he was planning to go to the Pacific Coast and not to Iowa as he had stated, as a consequence he was sentenced this morning to three years imprisonment in the penitentiary to ridgeroy.

THINKS HE IS BEING DRUGGED.
A man named Oliver G. Allen, a Dakota farmer, who arrived Saturday afternoon from Calgary, has been in the station last night and asked protection, claiming that he was pursued by some clerk in the employ of Stillwell & Co., London, who were endeavoring to take his life.

He is evidently suffering from a delusion that some one is following him to get him and for that reason he is unable to sleep or eat. Through lack of food or rest he has worn himself almost, to a skeleton and last night was almost weak to walk.

At one time he was a school teacher and he has served as a soldier in the United States army. On enquiries it was found that he is quite rational but he firmly believes that he is being pursued almost to the point of insanity by some one who he knows who his pursuers are or why he should be drugged. He told the police he had been drugged by James A. Egan, Lewiston, Mont., and it is to escape his enemies that he has come to Canada.

Last night when he arrived in the city he started to walk to the home of relatives in Namayo named McCue, but thinking he saw men looking for him he returned to the police station for protection.

GUilty OF FORGERY.
John Hershberger, a laborer, twenty-eight years of age, was arraigned in the Supreme court, Thursday afternoon, before His Lordship Mr. Justice Harvey on the charge of forging the name of E. C. Pettijohn of Pembina, to two cheques for \$60.10 and \$40.20.

When asked if he had anything to say before sentence was passed, he said that he had been working for Mr. Pettijohn on contraction on the G.T.P. grade west of Pembina. He recalled word that his mother in Iowa was dead, and that his sister was dying. He wished to go home to see his sister before her death, and as he had no money he forged two cheques, and cashed them in Stony Plain. He endorsed them under the name of J. J. H. Brown and the name of a woman name hidden when his crime was discovered. The parties with whom he cashed the cheques were suspicious and had him arrested. He stated that he had refunded the money, all but \$11 which he had spent.

"This is the first thing that ever came up against me in my life," said the defendant, "and thank God it's going to be the last."

After considering the matter Mr. Justice Harvey deferred sentence until he had examined into the correctness of the statements made by the prisoner. He is confined in the R.N.W.M.P. barracks here awaiting sentence.

MARL FOUND AT SION.
Adam Bennett, a resident of the West of Pembina, has struck oil at some place a pretty good proportion on his quarter section some fifty miles north west of Edmonton. While digging a well a couple of weeks ago he struck a seam of Marl twenty-one feet in thickness. He has sent samples of it to Montreal to be tested and if it assays as good as it looks Mr. Bennett will not have much more to do but rest easy and watch the money pile up.

Mr. Bennett was in the city yesterday on a business trip and told a Bulletin representative about his find. He had samples of the marl taken from his farm which look pretty good to the uninitiated. He should test up to the mark it will not only mean wealth for Mr. Bennett but will provide a cement industry of considerable importance to Northern Alberta. The marl is fifteen feet below the surface and is thus free from the danger of containing too much mineral matter. The seam is twenty-one feet in thickness, but Mr. Bennett has not made any tests as yet to determine its width. It was found on the south east quarter of 30-57-1, west of the 5th.

The survey of the C.N.R. from Edmonton to Lesser Slave Lake passes through this quarter, and if this line is built it will provide good transportation facilities. The test of the marl show it to be good. Mr. Bennett will probably sell a portion of his claim and develop the deposit.

Adam Bennett has always been a pretty lucky life and he accepts his latest find with equanimity. He took up a homestead in the West of Dakota a few years ago, some distance

away from a railway. He had not held it very long before a railway was built through that country and a townsite laid out on the quarter section adjoining his. This enabled him to sell out at a big profit. He does not, however, depend wholly on his luck and the present time is spent at work brushing and breaking his farm and getting it under cultivation.

INSURANCE COMPANY WINS.
At the District Court on Saturday, His Honor Judge Winters gave judgment for the plaintiffs for the amount of the claim in the case of Geo. W. Robertson vs. Strathcona, vs. the Prudential Life Insurance Company. This was an action on a note given for insurance premium. The defendant will probably appeal the case to the Supreme Court. There are a number of similar cases in Strathcona pending.

According to the evidence, the defendant wished to secure an insurance policy for \$10,000 face value. In the event of his death, at the end of 20 years, he wished his estate to receive \$7,452 and all the premiums paid. In giving him the policy, a guaranteed cash value of \$2,300, or a guaranteed paid-up value of \$4,000, it is alleged, that the policy gave him \$1,730.95, instead of the \$2,300, and \$3,600 instead of the \$4,000.

Judge Winters held that as the defendant understood that if he died before the expiration of 20 years his estate was to receive \$7,452, he should have deducted the fact that the paid-up value, or cash value, of the policy, in the event of his death, would only be in proportion to what he had paid in the first instance.

"He got what he bargained for," remarked His Honor, "and now he has to pay for it."

J. D. Hyndman conducted the case for the plaintiff, and the case was heard by the defendant. The case will be appealed.

U.S. FLOUR STOCKS AWAY BELOW NORMAL

Millers Declare That If They Shut Down, Country Would be in Throes of a Bread Famine.

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BANKER P. H. ROY GETS FIVE YEARS

Ex-Speaker of Quebec Legislature and President of Wrecked Bank Convicted.

St. John, Quebec, May 29.—P. H. Roy, ex-president of the Banque St. Jean, who was last night found guilty of the charge of making false returns to the government, was this morning sentenced to five years in the penitentiary by Judge Monet. This is the maximum penalty for the offence.

St. Jean, Que., May 27.—Phillippe H. Roy, ex-speaker of the provincial legislature and ex-president of the wrecked Banque St. Jean, was this afternoon found guilty by a jury of his complicity in having sent wilfully false returns to the government as to the bank's financial standing. The verdict was expected and there was no demonstration in court when the jury returned their verdict after an adjournment of only twenty minutes.

Mr. Roy made no sign when the verdict was given. He was accompanied in court by his son, J. P. Roy, and his son-in-law, Armand Lavigne, M. L. A. As soon as the verdict was given Crown Prosecutor Hibbard asked that sentence be at once pronounced, but Mr. Roy's counsel put in an application for a reserve case, claiming various irregularities during the trial.

G.T.P. REGINA LINE.
Definite Promise Given by Mr. Wainwright to Mayor of Regina.

Regina, May 25.—Former Mayor Smith has returned from Montreal and Ottawa, where he has been in the interests of the city and of the Selkirk Centennial. Today Mr. Smith stated that he had an emphatic promise of fourth Reginald Wainwright that the Grand Trunk Pacific line from Yorkton to Regina would be completed this season if men and money could be raised for the purpose. It is said that this will be the first branch line built.

College for Moose Jaw.
Regina, May 26.—The provincial board of directors of the Presbyterian residential college for Saskatchewan met last night and decided to erect a college at Moose Jaw. The sum of \$100,000 is to be raised for this purpose and the University site, Saskatchewan, and the Lutheran site at the same place.

Conciliation Board.
Toronto, May 25.—Hon. Wallace Nesbitt was chosen by the C.P.R. and J. T. Church of England will locate a conciliation board recently demanded by the union companies that a member was recently discharged without cause. The two representatives will select the third member of the board. The hearing will probably be held at Montreal.

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GOVERNMENT STROUVER

Systems Will be In Calgary and Let About the First of October.

Eventually Automatic Replaces Manual on Government in the Province

Within twenty-four hours of the arrival in Hon. W. H. Cushing, public works, who has from a trip to Chicago, eastern cities, where he investigated the practical the Strower automatic system, an agreement between the government and Automatic Electric Company, for the installation of automatic telephone exchange and telephones.

By the terms of the agreement it is to be installed in the city of Edmonton, and to be in operation by the first of October. The Strower system is a capacity of one thousand lines, and is being installed in the city of Edmonton, and to be in operation by the first of October.

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"In Columbus I found operation six or seven years ago, and it has fourteen thousand lines, and the rate is now satisfied with its system, and which is being installed in the city of Edmonton, and to be in operation by the first of October.

The Automatic Electric Company, which is being installed in the city of Edmonton, and to be in operation by the first of October, is a company which has been in operation in the United States for seven years, and has three thousand instruments in existence, and the in the long run, it is by supporting the old and, in adopting the new, was leading