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THE CIRCULATION OF THE MORNING ALBERTAN ON WEDNESDAY WAS 12,783

MORNING ALBERTAN

CALGARY, THURSDAY, JULY 18, 1912



ELEVENTH YEAR-No. 120

ISLAND GAS IN HARNESS FOR CALGARY'S CONSUMPTION

GAS WITNESSED BY FIFTEEN THOUSAND PEOPLE; FLAME 100 FEET IN AIR

reat Pillar of Fire by Night Could be Seen in Every Quarter of the City, and Roar of the Escaping Product Could be Heard for Miles

ink Line Connecting City With Bow Island Gas Deposit is 170 Miles Long; the Company Will Supply Twenty-five Cities and Towns

ALGARY passed another milestone along the road of progress as a King Bee Treasurer."

as a King Bee Treasurer."

"Picht ho!" agreed. gas in commercial quantities was ignited within the

thousand persons pushed, crowded and jostled goodbout the scene of the demonstration, all bent to see for ust what the practical value of the natural gas piped to Bow Island really is. That same fifteen thousand astonished at the marvellous flow.

a wonderful demonstration. From a six-inch pipe with one hundred pounds to the inch, a shee of flame 100 usual man ever thinks about." t into the air. The powerful blaze of light could be quarter of the city and the accompanying roar could miles. Within a radius of a quarter-mile from the a newspaper could be read without difficulty in the the officials of the Canadian Western Natural Gas, eat and Power company desired, they could, by releasing um pressure and using a larger feed pipe, have illuminat-

cars and in automobiles and pressed as closely around the which can be waxed with delicately scented wax." "jet" as the police would permit. The neighboring hills nousetops were thronged with those who did not care to manner born.

tiny puff of an explosion.

undreds of persons

OWN ELECTRICITY FOR POWER

now that natural gas is being piped to the city at a reason

the city commissioners before the present contract with company expires at the end of this year. The city is now

with current by the Calgary Power company from the big

Park for auxiliary supply. It is probable that the aux-

whether this would supply for the entire city is another

gas engine equipment and is a problem that will re

To supply that much power would require the purchase

UNCERN WOULD MANU FACTURE COMPRESSED

GAS; LOOKING UP LOCAL FIELD

a short time to enter into further negotiations.

big field in the repairing of broken farm machinery.

establishments as, it does not require an expert to use it.

OOKING for a site for a manufacturing branch in this city for

ne Compressed Gas company, Harry G. Allen, a representa-

cials. He held a short conference with Alderman Whaley

careful investigation to solve.

Kananaskis but a steam plant is kept in operation by the city

Heat and Power company, is due the

credit and praise for the installation

of natural gas in Calgary. It was Mr.

Coste who promoted the company

cessary to such a great project, and after this had been accomplished, per-

sonally supervised the work of con-struction. Last night at the close of the demonstration, Mr. Coste was the

The pipe line connecting Bow Island with Calgary was commenced April 15. The line is 170 miles in

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of congratulations

arranged for the financial backing ne

ture more closely to the scene of the demonstration. of the Canadian West- send flagmen out shead to make an run again so we could give them fo-ah-you, would you? many Acting Mayor James opening through the crowd that

me moment a sheet of flame feet high leaped into the air to mozzle of the pipe. As the e was increased the flame rose and higher until the branching nd higher until the branching of fire at the top of the fierce-The flame grew gradually smaller and nn licked the darkness at of 100 feet above the ground |

the explosion that followed the Canadian Western Natural Gas, Light, there was a wild scramble on to of the thousands who had closely about the big jet. Men nen trod upon one another's getting away from the fiery aring that the slender-looking ld not long withstand the terressure brought to bear upon eassured by the behavior of the g gusher, many returned to get

ng the time the gas was hurnnversation was impossible in orhood of the demonstration, to the deafening roar caused by length, and connects this city wit erful pressure. The noise was eleven wells at Bow Island, with a 16 ike the exhaust of a locomotive. Inch main. The pressure at the wells ased a thousand-fold. The whis-of passing locomotives could not pressure to be used in the line ordinfeet from the engines, arily will not exceed 300 pounds. The was found necessary for them

PECTACULAR DEMONSTRATION OF NATURAL CONSERVATIVE CABINET CONSTRUCTORS PASS ON PORTFOLIO POSSIBILITIES

N a secluded spot within the interior of one of the office buildings in one of our cities, the Quartette that controls affairs and holds the Conservative policies in the more or less Itching Hollows of Their Hands sat and prognosticated. There was nothing else to do for Real Estate was Quiet, the Money Markets were tight, taft and roosevelt were things of the past, and so the Quartette look-

"When we hold the Provincial Power we will have to Select a Real Cabinet," remarked One, thoughtfully figuring up the Rental income of a Prospective Block.
"Well," said Two, boldly and incisively, "Wemust build for Posterity and the Empire. We must

select men who will be worthy of Their Party and capable of doing the Work Assigned.'

The Other Two smoked cigars and Agreed Heartily. "We will need a man who understands Money thoroughly to handle the Job of Provincial Treasurer," remaked Two. "I don't think our Peerless Leader could be improved for this. When a man takes his preliminary financial education in living on a Minister's Salary, and his post graduate course in Handling Subdivisions and placing loans among farmers at Eight per cent. I believe he qualifies

"Right ho!" agreed One. "And the member for Okotoks certainly knos a-ah-Clydesdale horse when he sees one, and-ah-he certainly also knows-ah-that the best time to have colts come is in early summer. He will make a Grand Minister of Agriculture.

The Other Two nodded Enthusiastically and watched Two for Further Enlightenment. Of course they were not disappointed. "We could not improve on Doc Stewart of Lethbridge City, for Minister of Public works," he declared in a tone which slew all chances of argument. "What he doesn't know about bridge-work and fillings and boring is not in the book. And he's wise too. I'll bet he's cut more Wisdom Teeth than the

One nodded while the Other Two were so enthused at the Marvellous Judgment displayed that they spoke Words of Commendation. "And attorney general?" queried one of the Other Two.

"Tweedie," snapped One and Two together. "There is no man in the opposition in the house oday who knows so Much Law as he does.' "Provincial secretary?" asked someone thoughtfully. "That's the department which controls

"Gleichen," shouted the Other Two with Remarkable Unanimity. "No!" objected Two. "No. For minister of education we will need a man who thinks much of the Canadian Pacific tracks, the spot chosen for the his Personal Appearance and who can use many big words without saying anything at all. We want before nine o'clock although the demonstration was a sort of Beau Brummel who will appeal to the lady schoolma'ams, a man who always puts on a clean They came on foot, on starched collar every day, spends much time with his cravat, and-if he is so blessed-has a moustache

"Gleichen," screamed The Other Two as a mental picture flashed before their orbs. "He's to the more closely to the scene of the demonstration.

"And—ah—educated," supplemented One approvingly. "But to whom shall we give the jails and asylums?" he continued, turning to Two interrogatively. "You would not—ah—come back and

> "No!" explosively. "We might," began one of the Other Two, "Get Teddy Roosevelt to come over and run with that nor in view. He's fit all right.' Two heaved a sight of relief. "That's what we'll do. I'll have an order in council passed in a short

> whereby he will be able to qualify for citizenship without having to live three years on a nome Much pleased, and thoroughly satisfied, the Quartette arose and departed from the meeting.
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> "It's certainly a winner of a slate," they confided to each other, as they clumped in sedate dignity in the stairway. "Bue we yet need a plinister of telephones and a minister of railways."
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> "Kemmis will do for the phones," said One. "He can be heard farther when he gets properly."

started than any other member on the floor of the house."

They nodded again. "That leaves only the railway portfolio," remarked on of The Two.

Bob Patterson was Railroaded into the Conservative party on the Farmers' ticket. 'So he ight to know all about it," said Two meditatively. "And he used to know every good 'grade' on the ranges. Besides, he is said to be able to make a

with any man in the cattle country." declared One appreciatively. And thus the new government's cabinet was picked from the best material available.

WHAT THE GREAT WEST | INVESTED \$5,000; MADE A PROFIT OF \$20,000

That is the Pleasing Calgary Experience of H. M. Shaw, South American sheep ranchers oming to Alberta. W. G. Rudd, coming to Alberta. W. G. Rudd, southern Argentine, purchased four sections of non-irrigable and two sections of irrigable land in the Canadian Pacific Irrigation block east of Calgary, Chas. F. Houstock, Rio Gallegos, Patagonia, purchased four sections near Rudd. They will go extensively into the sheep business. They declare all prospects of Nanton

Bought Eleventh Avenue Property Two Years Ago; Sold Yesterday at Fat Figure

Skeptics attention!!

Fifty-five feet frontage on

Fourth street west and

Eleventh avenue which two

years ago was purchased by

H. M. Shaw, of Nanton, for

\$5,000, was sold yesterday to

A. Auriole, of Calgary, for

\$25,000. Now what d'ye think

In twenty-four months on

an investment of \$5,000 in Calgary real estaet, Mr. Shaw

cleaned up a profit of \$20,000.

And right now the man who

purchased the property would

not take \$5,000 for his bar-

of that?

cutt, from Patagonia, also arrived, and will buy land for sheep. These are all experienced sheep men and should give a great impetus to the industry in Alberta. You who have some doubts as to the rapidity with which Calgary realty is enhancing In Vancouver:

Government docks at Prince Ruin value read this and if it doesn't make you change your mind you're playing The manager of a local bon 1 house states that the money invested in Regina this year is the greatest of any year in the history of the city. hookey from the foolish

DID YESTERDAY

In Calgary:

Enfargement of the Merchants' bank building announced. THETHER it would be cheaper to generate electricity by gas, able figure, than to enter into a new agreement to buy it In Winnipeg: Calgary Power company, is a question that will be con-

In Victoria:

here are better for the sheep itry than South America.

The greatest plowing contest in the world begins in connection with the Winnipeg exhibition. All the large tractor firms are represented.

It could be operated more economically with gas than with whether this would supply for the entire city is another. AT NOVEL ENTERTAINMENT

Teachers of Chinese Y.M.C.A. are the Guests of Those Whom They Instruct

A novel musical entertainment and a very tasteful repast were outstanding features of a social given by the "boys" of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. to we of the concern was in Calgary yesterday to confer with the their teachers and friends on Tuesday

The music was Chinese and was proing Mayor Hornby and said that he would return to Calduced on Chinese instruments by Chinese performers; the unique per-The company manufactures a gas comprising a mixture of formance being listened to with great ene and oxygen for welding purposes. The flame developed interest and appreciation by the large gas is said to have remarkable qualities in this respect and audience

The program consisted of selections an especially economical method of mending broken by a four piece orchestra, and duets by performers on the Chinese dulcimer ry. The concern has a capital of \$25,000, having been very organized, and the plant established on a small scale in and the Chinese violin. The render-er, B.C., is meeting with great success, Mr. Allen says. He ings were decidedly interesting, some that two pieces of broken metal, welded together by the pro-are stronger than before th break occurred, and holds that it

Brief addresses were made during

the intervals by Ho Lem, the vice-

The sale was consumated by the firm of McIntyre and McIntyre. CHILD SWIMS DOVER BAY London, July 17.—A six-year-old girl, Freda Pockett, of Market Har-

borough, in Leicester, swam across Dover Bay, half a mile wide, yesterday, in 19 minutes. The child is three feet tall and slight. She used a breast ASQUITH DODGES THE SUFFRAGETTES

London, July 17 -- Premier Asquith is now on the way to Dublin, playing a game of hide and seek with the sufbig field in the repairing of broken farm machinery.

e gas is compressed into tanks similar to the prestolite tanks in obiles, and is supplied in this form to blacksmiths or macstablishments as, it does not require an expert to use it.

the intervals by Ho Lem, the vice-fragettes. The premier left his official residence in Downing street this afternoon, and later in the day unexpectedly appeared in Wolverhampton, accompanied by his daughter

WEATHER OF THE WEST HIGHER TEMPERATURE

Winnipeg, fair ... Minnedosa, cloudy Qu'Appelle, fair Swift Current, clear Prince Albert, cloudy Battleford, clear Medicine Hat, fair Edmonton, clear

The weather today throughout the estern provinces has be lly fair, with not much change i

Dawson Atlin Edmonton Battleford Moose Jav Winnipeg Port Arthu Kingston Ottawa Halifax Manitoba-Fair and cool. Saskatchewan and Alberta-Fair, ttle higher temperature.

COME TO CALGARY

To Appreciate Growth Must Come to the City, Says Victor Marsden

"Calgary's rapid growth is astonishing," said Victor Marden, a
prominent harness and saddlery
manufacturer of The Dalles, Oregon, upon his arrival here yesterday. Mr. Marden comes to Calgary
to look over the situation with a
view o festablishing a branch factory in this city.

"To appreciate Calgary's remarkable growth during the past three
years, one has to come and see for
himself. No city in the west to
my knowledge has made such wonderful progress."

Mr. Marden brought with him a
handsome saddle to accompany the

Mr. Marden brought with him a handsome saddle to accompany the \$1,000 prize to be given to the winner of the bucking horse championship of the world at the Stampede.

"The Stampede will eclipse all Frontier day celebrations held in the States. Frontier day in Cheyenne will be tame in comparison."



NO WONDER MY BEST PEOPLE ARE DESERTING

"You would not-ah-come back and Press Bulletin: It is estimated that 250,000 Americans will locate in western Ca nada

PARK SITE

Inspected by Acting Mayor Hornby and Officials

Party is Pleased With Location Marks the Beginning of a New Hundreds of Delegates Arrive but Thinks Price Asked is somewhat Too High

Excellent for Park as It is Well Wooded

Great Advantage is Car Line on Acquire Several Sections of the Other Side of River to Shouldice Park

and runs out to Shouldice park. vince.

The offer was made by John Irwin, trustee for the owners, Commissioner Graves, Alderman thought the price somewhat too high. Negotiations are still in reached Calgary yesterday. rogress. however.

neans of a foot bridge across the

JEALOUS HUSBAND TRIES TO **KILL WIFE IN EDMONTON**

Edmonton, July 17.-Enraged because, as he said, his wife was un-Dock Strike Avoided

Montreal, July 17.—The big dock strike which threatened here has been avoided by the Dominion Transport company raising the wages of most of the discontented freight handlers.

Cian cobier, put a builet through her ded. This province has long been a big cattle and hog country, but practically all of the mutton consumed in British Columbia and Alberta comes in a critical conditon at the hospital.

Arts building in Victoria park, and a committee will be on hand at all times to care for the visiting delegates. A committee will also be at the building to explain the whiles to explain the public.

FIFTY ACRES OFFERED FROM SOUTH AMERICA SANITAL IN ALBERTA

Property Termed Lowry Estate Alberta's Mutton Comes From Seventeenth Session of Heat-Far Away New Zealand and Australia

> and Important Industry in This Province

Alderman whaley Says Site is South Americans Purpose Em- Formal Welcome to be Given barking in the Business on Big Scale

> Land in the Rocky-Ford District

FIFTY acres of land three and and a half miles west of the three sheepmen have come within the past week and within the past week and Bow river, between the river and purchased more than 3,000 acres tary and Heating Engineers will the railway tracks, has been of- of land in Alberta to be used for be formally opened in the Arts fered to the city as a park site for flock-raising purposes. This building at Victoria Park this \$4,000 an acre. The property is marks the beginning of a new and morning. Delegates began ar-

come to Alberta to inaugurate the capacity to accommodate the Acting Mayor Hornby, City sheep industry on a large scale Whaley and a number of other Republic; Charles P. Hustock, of citizens went out to look at the Rio Gallegos, Patagonia, and H. K.C., M.P., will formally welsite yesterday. Most of the party were highly pleased with the site Rudd and Hustock arrived more as a location for a park but than a week ago and Calcutt

have purchased four sections of of the board of trade, and Presi-"The site is a splendid one for non-irrigated land and two sec- dent W. J. Richards, of the Builda park," said Alderman Whaley, tions of irrigated ground in the ers' Exchange, will also deliver after returning from the inspec-tion trip. "The ground is well Rocky Ford district. The non-ir-addresses. wooded and there are a number of mer range and the other two secwooded and there are a number of level spots which would make good locations for a baseball field, tennis courts, etc. It is also well watered. One of the best features is that it is really adjacent to a street car line as the line that runs calculated in the convention proper will be called to order friday morning at the Arts street car line as the line that runs to Shouldice park lies just on the opposite side of the river and the and will then purchase a thousand building by President J. E. Walsh, of park could be reached from it by and will then purchase a thousand or more acres for himself.

The land was purchased by Rudd and Hustock from the Canadian Pacific company and lies in the central section of the irrigation block east of Calgary. All three of the men were Calgary. All three of the men were prosperous sheepmen of South Amer- to scientific sanitation, heating and ca, but the wonderful possibilities of Alberta, the excellent transportation about 4 o'clock at the Majestic theatre facilities and easy approach to markets appealed to them so strongly that hey public is urged to attend. sold out their holdings in the southern hemisphere and came here to locate.

The importance of the new industry the convention by tonight. The exfaithful to him, Martin Sura, a Galician cobler, put a bullet through her

Alberta—should not be underestimat— Arts building in Victoria park, and a

Ing and Sanitary Experts Lasts a Week

from Various Parts of the Dominion

Visitors at the Victoria Park Pavilion

Automobile Tour of Calgary to be Enjoyed by Delegates Tonight

THE seventeenth annual convention of the Canadian Society of Domestic Saniknown as the old Lowry estate, important industry in this prostream of visitors poured into this The South Americans who have morning. Hotels were taxed to

crowd of arrivals At II o'clock this morning at come the delegates to Alberta. Acting Mayor James Hornby will open the gates of the city to the Alderman Whaley, arrivals. Messrs. Rudd and Hustock Vice-President J. W. Campbell,

After the formal opening at

Montreal. After a meeting of the exccutive committee, the delegates will get down to business. Following the afternoon session Friday, Mr. T. B. Kidner, director of technical education in Calgary, will give an address ventilation. This address will be given on Eighth avenue, and the general