EDMONTON NEWS

LOCALS.

Bissatta' sash and door factory, of Strathcona, was sold yesterday to Messrs. Randall & McKay of this city. They already have a factory on Kinistino avenue, and are expanding their business.

There was an incipient blaze at the Olympic Cafe yesterday afternoon. The fire originated in the kitchen. The damage was slight. Messrs. Davison and Finlay are proprietors of this cafe. The buildin gis owned by A. R. Chisholm.

The Entwistle people do not believe in a man carrying a dangerous weapon in their peaceful community, and as a result a man by the name of Olaf Brandt was brought to the city yesterday by an officer of the Mounted Police and will spend three months at Fort Saskatchewan for the offence of carrying a big bowie knife. The case was heard before a justice of the peace at Entwhistle.

The Edmonton branch of the Women's Auxiliary of the Catholic Extension Society of Canada will be organized on Monday afternoon, April 25th, at the Convent, Victoria avenue and Eleventh street. All Catholic ladies of the city are invited to attend the meeting, which will be open at four o'clock. Afternoon tea will be served between four and six o'clock by the Ladies' Altar Society of St. Joachim's Church.

The United Aids of the city are moving their quarters to the east end of Jasper Avenue, and will be found after today at 566 Jasper East. The new quarters will allow of the secretary living there. This will be a very good feature as it will allow him to be there all the time and to render assistance to the people who apply at any hour of the day or night.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY BANQUET.

The president of St. George's society on behalf of the joint committees has received official notification from his honor the Lieut. Governor of Alberta to the effect that his honor will have much pleasure in being present on the occasion. During the evening, in addition to orchestra music by R. Moss and an orchestra of six pieces, a vocal program will be rendered under the direction of Howard Stuchbury, several of the finest voices in the city taking part.

SIX MONTHS FOR FORGERY.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

John Perry, found guilty on two charges of uttering forged documents, was sentenced by Magistrate Cowan this morning to three months in the police guard room at Fort Saskatchewan on the first charge and to six month on the second charge, sentence to run concurrently. Perry is a young man about twenty-five years of age and is married. He pleaded guilty to the charges brought against him.

Edgar Richardson appeared in the court this morning to answer a charge of violation of the building bylaw, on information laid by the building inspector. The charge is that of using scantlin 2 in. by 4 in., the same not being inside lintels of woodbrick not more than 9 inches long for bond strips 3-4 in. by 2 in. in a building now being erected on First street.

TO CONSIDER TWO OFFERS.

A joint meeting of the session and board of managers of First Presbyterian Church is being held this afternoon to consider the two offers which have been received for the present site of the church at the corner of Third street and Jasper Avenue. One of the offers has been made by a visiting capitalist and the other by the agent of a well known firm. The property is being purchased for actual use. One of the parties would immediately proceed to erect a large store building on the site, the other would put up a big office building, with stores on the street level and offices above. Both intending purchasers are known as responsible men.

PAID FIRST CLAIM.

The newly organized Great Western Live Stock Insurance company composed of local capitalists have just paid their first claim promptly, a few days after it was presented. A stallion named Tom Corr, owned by Walter Sporle, was killed in the recent Horse Show at Calgary, by rearing in a box stall and striking his head against a nail in the top. The accident happened on April 8th and the insurance $750 in all was paid yesterday, ten days after the accident. The directors of the company who are all local men are as follows: President, M. McCauley, warden Alberta penitentiary; vice-president, Richard Secord; managing director, W. R. Howey; secretary treasurer, Geo. B. R. Bond; solicitor, R. B. Williams.

QUAKER OATS INDUSTRY.

The Board of Trade have not received any communication from the Quaker Oats people in relation to the proposed location of a mill in this city. When asked as to the probability of the mill coming here the secretary of the Board of Trade made the statement that there was a good possibility of the mill coming to Edmonton, but as there will have to be a conference at the Chicago office of the company before the question can be settled, it will take another week before the decision of the company will reach here. The representatives of the company while in the city were struck with the possibilities of Edmonton as a shipping centre for their products, and as they can get the Fort William rate on the lines east, which is 25c. and as they will have the best possible shipping facilities to the west within the next few years, they were satisfied when they left this city that Edmonton had a claim from a distributing standpoint that could not be competed with. The cities that the company had in view as places that would appeal to them as points for a location were Saskatoon, Calgary and Edmonton.

Every family and especially those who reside in the country should be provided at all times with a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment. There is no telling when it may be wanted in case of an accident or emergency. It is most excellent in all cases of rheumatism, sprains and bruises. Sold by all dealers.

ALBERTA MUSICAL FESTIVAL.

The two weeks intervening between now and the dates o fthe Alberta Musical Festival will be strenuous ones for many musicians throughout the province. The annual musical festival takes place on May 3, 4 and 5 in this city and gives every indication that it will far surpass the two previous festivals. A keener interest is apparent throughout the province and the entry list keeps climbing steadily. New features have been added which made for improvement. The male qaurtettes, small and large choirs will be particularly interesting competitions this year. All the classes are well filled. The festival will open on the evening of Tuesday, May 3rd with a band competition in the Thistle rink in which the Citizens' band, the 101st Regimental band, the Raymond Military band and others will compete. The other competitions will commence on the morning of the 4th and continue throughout the 4th and 5th ending with a grand concert in the Thistle rink on the night of Thursday the 5th. This promises to excel anything of the sort attempted before. The chorus of over two hundred and fifty voices and an orchestra of over forty pieces are putting on the "Ballad of the Campherdown," and "the Songs of the Vikings." If the rehearsals are any criterion the chorus and orchestra are sure to win new laurels. The orchestra is very much superior to any of the previous organizations. This concert will be under the distinguished patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, who will present the prizes to the winning competitors as on former occasions.

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS.

The last issue of the Alberta Gazette contains a long list of appointments made by the Provincial government. They are as follows:

Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Edmund Trowbridge, of Edmonton.

Notaries Public.
Charles Edward Cameron, of Granum.
George H. Darlow, of Alix.
Theodore Brandley, of Stirling.
John A. Mitchell, of Pakan.
Ernest Roper, of Bittern Lake.
Francois Adam, of Camrose.
Percy George Leaney, of Lamont.
Charles Harrison Dunn, of Wabamun.

Process Issuers.
Thomas Shaw Jenson, of Innisfail.
John Paul, of Fort Saskatchewan.
Alexander John McLeod, of Carbon.

Justices of the Peace.
Edward J. C. Davy, of Irricana.
Frederick James Francey, of Wabamun.
Adam S. McColgan, of Provost.
Henry Wilford, of Hatfield Farm.
Robert Alexander Darker, of Calgary.
Christopher George Corneille, of Camrose.
James McNaughton, of Carmangay.
William Adolphus Letson, of Chailey.
Thomas Walter Fetherston, of Nanton.
Charles Cummings Raven, of Wolf Creek.
Martin Woolf, of Cardston.
William James Gray, of Lougheed.
James Foey Kelly, of Lindsville.
Fred Ernest Reagh, of Nanton.
Thomas Russell Turnbull, of Edmonton.
Robert Angus Gillies, of Raymond.
John Madden Dunn, of Kimball.
Charles Edward Ingram, of Sundial.
Alexander Archibald, of Sunny Slope.
John Gustaf Wilcher, of Lewisville.
Charles B. Adley, of Flagstaff.
Charles Benson Robertson, of Three Hills.
James Campbell, of Ghost Pine Creek.
George Nelson Field, of Ferrybank.
Fred Hyde Turner, of Magrath.
George Robert Douglas Lyon, of Castor.
Frank Henry Whiteside, of Castor.
John Walter Miller, Carmangay.
George Hanna McFetridge, of Sandersville, Vallejo P.O.
David Miller Ross, of Monarch.
Jules Georges-Figarol, of Leo.
Walter Muir, of Garrington.

Commissioners for Taking Affidavits.
Lon Neary, of Mound.
George H. Adams, of Edmonton.
Charles W. Cuthroll, of Leduc.
J. W. Crawford, of Calgary.
George F. McNally, of Wetaskiwin.
Hugh R. Parker, of Vermilion.
James C. Butchart, of Vegreville.
Joseph Morgan, of Olds.
William W. Gould, of Edmonton.
S. J. McCoppen, of Edmonton.
Hugh McFarlane, of Lock Sloy.
Robert Wellington Mayhew, of Calgary.
S. F. Kimball, of Raymond.
W. R. Preston, of Talbot.
A. C. Edwards, of Grassy Lake
A. Boileau, of Edmonton.
H. A. Murphy, of Vallejo.
George J. Hunter, of Pincher Creek.
Andrew Murdock, of Stettler.
Wilfred S. Parkes, of Hutton.
Leslie J. Zohrah, of Prairie Creek.
H. Foreman, of Endiang.
J. S. Holdtime, of Flat Lake P.O.
Odin P. Grande, of Westeroso.
Ralph Willitts, of Nanton.
C. S. Thompson, of Big Valley.
H. H. Crawford, of Strathcona.
Walter John Rolfe, of Edmonton.
Thomas Russell Turnbull, of Edmonton.
David Halliday Bingham, of Magrath.
R. Vincent Shaw, of Calgary.
Nellie Maude Taylor, of Calgary.
Elizabeth Watson, of Stettler.
Hannah Laura Magee, of Stettler.
Eloise Harding, of Stettler.
James Leroy Carter, of Delia.
Samuel Stevenson, of Lillico.
P. D. Walker, of Athabasca Landing.
Ernest A. Ullman, of Harker.
Horace G. Hurlburt, of Carmangay.
E. E. Morgan, of Three Hills.
Robert H. Inglis of Calgary.
W. Alexander, of Banff.

Coroners.
Robert Tucker, of Wolf Creek.
Charles Cummings Raven, of Entwistle.

Issuers of Marriage Licenses.
Chester J. Gaudaur, of Gleichen.
William E. Entwistle, of Entwistle.
James McNaughton, of Carmangay.
Joseph Marshall, of Rimbey.
A. A. Towns, of Haneyville.
George Lloyd, of Strathmore.
George Cumming, of Strathmore.

Official Auditors.
Dembpl Phillips, of Pine Creek.
D. B. Lattey, of Cheadle.
E. Davies, of Wetaskiwin.
Richard Robertson, of Three Hills.
Kenneth H. Wates, of Rimbey.
Hugh McEachern, of Edmonton.
L. L. Pound, of Ribstone.
Wm. F. Tolley, of Mountain View.

Poundkeeper.
Thomas Mayes, of Sexsor; the pound to be kept on the south-east quarter of Section 10 Township 48 Range 14 west of the Fourth Meridian.

Brand Readers.
Percy Kneeshaw, of Gaetz Valley.
D. A. Hart, of Ohaton.
N. Frank Austin, of Cardston.
Donald Smith, of Evarts.
N. Neilson, of Taber.
Thomas J. Ross, of Clive.
R. A. Pilling, of Cardston.
A. C. Smith, of Wabamun.
Percy W. Rubbra, of Carstairs.
Elias Pilling, of Leavitt.
W. B. Thorne, of Aldersyde.
Harvey Kibbe, of Edberg.
C. Nixon, of Manfred.
Noah Wakeford, of Gladys.
G. H. Rawtinheimer, of Red Deer.

Resignations and Retirements.
Harold W. Riley, of Edmonton; deputy provincial secretary.
Frank Ricks, of Morley; stock inspector.
George Passe, of Provost; poundkeeper.

ASQUITH GAINS STRENGTH.

Position of Ministry is Improved by Recent Events.

London, April 19.—From yesterday's parliamentary turmoil one solid fact emerges. Lloyd-George came off second best in the conflict with O'Brien, but he is going to get his budget majority of 93, for the budget guillotine resolution is a measure of the ample majority composed of Liberals, Laborites and Redmonites, who will put the budget through the Commons at double quick time.

Moreover, Lansdowne has pledged the Lords to accept the budget. When thus passed by the Commons the assurance that the budget is safe is an undoubted electoral gain for the ministry, but their position over the Lords' veto is still most precarious, and leading ministerialists admit they have no expectation that the King will give Asquith these guarantees for the creatio nof 500 new peers at the first time of asking, which Asquith pledged himself to demand immediately the Lords refuse to accept the abolition veto, as they certainly will refuse.

Asquith will then resign and the ministerialists will count on Balfour's disinclination to accept office on the score of health and great financial and other difficulties of the situation.

A cabinet minister said this morning that even if Balfour accepted office in the hope of saving the King from unpleasantness of electoral attacks fromw extremists like Keir Hardie he would fall to pieces over his inability to secure supplies in the teeth of a coalition majority. "Thus," added this minister, "we shall compel a general election on the simple Lords' issue and so long as we as a cabinet and party hang together we are bound to win sooner or later."

Candid Unionists themselves now admit the mistake they made in running away at the beginning of the session when they had the chance of defeating the ministry on the first amendment.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS CASE.

Finding of Skeleton Near Prince Albert Reveals Remarkable Story.

Prince Albert, Sask., April 20—Gathering wood near the east of the city Jas. Murray came across the skeleton of a man last week, but not until yesterday was it mentioned to the police who are now searching for the remains. It is thought the remains as those of William Wilkinson, a homesteader, and it is hoped some light may be thrown on the mystery. Wilkinson disappeared last spring and his brother, reporting the disappearance, stated he had gone out with a gun on Sunday morning, and had nt been seen after. Later the brother's wife died but before her death she is said to have stated that the two brothers had gone out together, but her husband had returned alone. Later the widow of the brother contracted typhoid fever and died in the Victria hospital here, and yet later the only child of this unhappy union died, the four deaths all happening within a year. Another brother lives in the Battleford district. Prairie fires had so altered the scene that Murray was unable to immediately locate the spot where he saw the remains.

SHE FOUND LIFE TOO HARD

St. Thomas, April 18—Circumstances connected with the death of Mrs. Jane Mapson, the aged restaurant keeper found cut to pieces on the M. C. R bridge at daybreak this morning, seem to indicate that the woman either intentionally os aimlessly wandered out on the structure some time early in the morning. She was heavily in debt, and her creditors were pressing her for payment. The fact seemed to make her despondent and hopeless of ever getting on her feet again. She was the widow of Thomas Mapson, formerly hotelkeeper at Belmont, and after his death she married a man named Miller, but after he was sent to prison for shooting a man she assumed her former name. She leaves a $500 insurance policy, which she made payable only last week to a brother in England, and Mrs. Still of Aylmer, a former employer. An inquest will be held on Tuesday.

To Look for Coal Beneath Lignite.

Toronto, April 18—That the lignite discovered in New Ontario, near Cochrane, may turn into good bituminous coal at a greater depth, is a possibility that the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario railway considers worth investigating. To this end the commission is sending a party of men into the country and if the lignite shows evidence of extending down to any depth, they will return to Cochrane, and a diamond drill will be sent up to thoroughly determine whether coal exists.

Falsified His Company's Accounts.

Kenora, April 20—John Vestendahl, formerly of Winnipeg, was sentenced to 18 months in the Central prison Toronto for theft and falsifying the accounts of the Lake of the Woods Milling Co., of which he was head clerk.

NEWS OF THE DISTRICT

LLOYDMINISTER.

Bulletin News Service.

Seeding has made rapid progress in Lloydminster district. F. N. Payne has 25 acres and J. F. Milner over 100 acres finished, in each case to wheat.

As a result of careful enquiry it is estimated that fully 50 per cent. of the seeding is completed to date.

The appointment of A. J. Blackwell as homestead inspector for the Lloydminster district, west of the 4th Meridian, has been confirmed from Ottawa. Mr. Blackwell is one of the old-time Barr colonists and his knowledge of the country and experience of the district will ensure a capable and efficient official.

The U.F.A. can again report progress in Lloydminster. A new branch has been formed at Oxville the district south of the town. The farmers met at Wingan schoolhouse, and were addressed by G. H. Or Range and W. Linton on the question of union among farmers. Thirty members were enrolled to start the new branch with G. Giery as president and W. Murray, secretary-treasurer.

The ordinary meeting of the town council, on Monday transacted some rountine business and also discussed the much debated question of herd law, a letter from A. C. Forster to the council, on the subject, being read. There were present the Mayor, I. P. Lyle, and Councillors Cumming, Proctor, Lester, Hall and Haines.

Lloydminster farmers are showing an intelligent appreciation of the manifold advantages to the agriculturist, of the internal combination engine. That the distinguished features of this engine, facility of manipulation and economy, appeal to grain growers is shown conclusively by the sales this spring, of Laurie & Co. alone. This firm has already sold locally three of the big powerful gasoline tractiors of twenty horsepower manufactured by the International Harvester Company and one stationery engine of eight horse-power. An order was given for yet another tractor but the I.H.C. could not guarantee delivery in time, owing to the unprecedented demand, this year, for this type of tractor.

One purchaser in Lloydminster, Mr. Wallis, has contracted to break 1,500 acres this summer, and if he makes good the queer looking machine with its roughing exhaust will add a valuable percentage to the rapidly growing crop acreage around Lloydminster.

The final meeting of the Saskatchewan Light Horse to compete in the great rifle shooting contest, which has been in progress at various points, all over the Dominion this winter, took place in the drill hall this week. The general average of the shooting was excellent throughout and the local cavalrymen need not fear comparison of their scores, with any sent to headquarters. The winning team scored as follows, out of a highest possible of 50. Major Hodson 49, Sergeant Rowles 46, Q.M. S. McDowell 45, Corp. Morlidge 45, S. S. M. Gronow 44, Sergt. Rowle 44, Pte. Jacobs 43, Lieut. Hall 40, Corp. Eustace 38, Sergt. Wallis 37.

The James Par Concert Co. played a good program to an appreciate audience in the Methodist church on Monday night.

Lloydminster, April 15.

INNISFAIL.

Bulletin News Service.

J. H. Briggs has sold out to W. Jensen from North Dakota, who has gone to the Red River district.

R. Nelson brought in two cars of live stock and effects and is commencing farming on a large scale.

J. Euglsany sold his farm recently to Rev. Magnussen.

M. Hewisen of Kenard, Neb., intends selling our his land in the States and settling here.

C. Garnier having sold off his stock and implements has left for Calgary.

Excavating has been commenced for the foundation of the Danish Lutheran church.

Seeding is now in full swing here.

The Mount Royal Hotel here is now finished and makes an excellent improvement to the town. The decorations inside are right up-to-date.

E. F. Ludlum, the oldest real estate agent here, is doing considerable business. His sales the last two months represent very large tracts of lands.

Innisfail, April 17.

IRMA.

Bulletin News Service.

Nearly all the farmers are finished sowing wheat. It is also reported that in some places in the district wheat is an inch above the ground.

During the past week several new settlers have arrived.

The Excelsior Literary and Debating Society held its closing meeting for the season on last Thursday week. This society was organized last fall and held fortnightly meetings during the winter which were largely attended. A notable feature in the success of the society was the interest taken in its paper, "The Roseberry Tatler," edited by Miss M. Clark.

Miss A. Elliott, the local tennis champion, removed to Viking during the week where she takes up the position of school teacher.

Mr. H. S. and Mrs. Purvis visited their friends on Sunday last.

Mrs. Clark returned home on Tuesday last after visiting in Calgary.

George Tripp has had his livery barn painted, which adds very much to its appearance.

Messrs. Geo. Tripp and A. W. Toll have just returned from Fort Saskatchewan, where the former purchased a fine dapple grey stallion, the latter a team of mares.

Mr. Coleman McLean paid a flying visit to the Capital in the early part of the week, returning on Tuesday, bringing his bride.

Mr. J. Milden represented the local I. O.O.F. Lodge at a banquet given by the Edmonton lodges to meet the Provincial Grand Master.

PADDLE RIVER.

Bulletin News Service.

After a very successful term of seven weeks the private school conducted at Paddle River, closed Friday, April 8th. Mr. Cason's children, as well as some of the others, have had but six months of school in four years, and he made up his mind that his children must have an education, so he concluded to hire a teacher and open school. The services of Frank Thompson were engaged and school was opened on Feb. 21st, with an attendance of seven. By the 11th of March, however, the attendance had grown to 11. Mr. Cason says it is much cheaper to hire a teacher and hold school than to pull up and move to town to educate his children. When the school commenced he thought that the children would learn much faster if there were a number of them than if there were only a few, so the school was offered to the public. The children showed a lively interest in it by wading through drifted roads to and from school in extremely cold weather. Mr. Cason deserves much credit for the interest he has shown in the welfare and education of the children of the surrounding neighborhood. His advice to the people is to club together and hire a teacher and stay on their homesteads instead of moving to town to educate their children as they cannot improve their land and live in the town too. This certainly is best until such time as government schools are established. He regrets that school was not opened a month or six weeks sooner so as to have had a longer term before the roads got bad.

Paddle River, April 15.

ATHABASCA LANDING.

Bulletin News Service.

The R.N.W.M.P. this week established a night patrol on the streets of the village.

Messrs. Geo. MacLeod and G. A. C. Donaldson of Mirror Landing were in the village a few days this week, having come down to repair the telegraph line. Mr. MacLeod repor's that fires that had been smoldering all winter underground are now breaking out, and doing a lot of damage to the telegraph poles.

This week the offices of the R.N.W.M.P. were moved into the house owned by Mr. Bannerman on the lot adjoining the present barracks. The old offices will be used for the quartermaster sergeant's stores.

The first boat of the season to go down stream left on Monday, when Neil Cameron and Julius Altschul left for Fort McMurray. They were accompanied by Mr. Brandt who will again handle the Hudson's Bay Co.'s tramway on the island at Grand Rapids. As the water is exceptionally low in the river they will undoubtedly experience some difficulties before reaching McMurray.

R. C. Farrell this week moved his stock of goods from his old stand on Lichfield avenue to the premises of the Kirk estate on Strathcona avenue. This building is being remodelled extensively, including the installation of plate glass windows and a glass door, which, when completed will give the store a very handsome appearance. Mr. Farrell is adding a big line of dry goods to his present stock of groceries.

The new steamer "Northland Call" of the Northern Transportation Co. was successfully launched here Tuesday morning. It is a trim little stern wheeler, drawing only a foot of water, when loaded, and especially adapted for use in low water. The trial trip will be made about Saturday of this week.

An unusual scene was witnessd at the local land office this morning (Thursday) when a number of new comers were waiting their turn out on the sidewalk in a line, to file for homesteads. These all obtained homesteads southeast of here, towards Pine Creek and were brought in by Land Guide E. H. Reid. Mr. Reid expects to bring in another large party shortly. The land in this district is being eagerly sought after this spring, and these land office rushes will soon be a daily occurrence.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of trade was held in the Methodist Hall, Tuesday evening of this week, when a large number of members were present. Considerable important business was done, the main business being petitioning the Dominion government for a land office here, in place of the present sub-agency and a fire guardian for the timber areas in this district. A pamphlet called the "Northland Trek" was accepted and same will be published with in a few days. It was decided to make a demand upon the Dominion Government for an appropriation towards the improving of the wagon road from here to the Peace River. This was left in the hands of the Transportation committee.

Rats are very plentiful at present.

Mrs. H. S. Young of Edmonton, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. W. L. Wood leaves tomorrow (Friday) for her home.

Ducks are reported as being plentiful in small lakes in the surrounding country.

Athabasca Landing, April 14.

ARDROSSAN.

Bulletin News Service.

Master Ibiddis Parker, son of Clyde Parker, was taken to Edmonton on Thursday last under direction of Dr. Smith to be operated on for appendicitis. The operation was successful and the patient is reported as doing well. His mother is staying with him in the city.

The G.T.P. is distributing posts along the line east of the town preparatory to resuming fencing operations from this point at an early date.

Miss Nellie Vance returned from Edmonton on Thursday being recalled through here mother's illness. Mrs. Vance is steadily improving.

The usual number of fires have been started this spring but some have proved unusually destructive. Over 200 tons of hay have been reported burned this year. With the continued dry weather and the bare and burned pasture, feed is likely to be scare in this vicinity.

It would be hard to find a worse piece of road than the four miles from W. Daly's corner west to the township line between ranges 22 and 23. It is declared that there should be some kind of legislation to compell local improvement districts to do their share of keeping up the boundary roads. The state of this road in an unusually favorable season is a disgrace.

Andrew McCartney leaves today for the west where he resumes work as fire ranger along the line of the G.T.P. from McLeod river to the mountains.

The baseball club re-organized for the season on Saturday night. The following officers were elected. President D. P. Cameron; secy.-treas., W. T. Hamilton; committee Messrs. J. Williams, A. Hughes, H. S. Begs and C. Vance. Captain D. P. Cameron. The boys have arranged to practice on Tuesday and Saturday nights and from the material on hand a first-class team should be developed.

G. N. Burke, rural line inspector of telephones, will be in Ardrossan on Thursday the 28th of April to make arrangements for extending the line in this neighborhood All interested should meet him here. For further particulars see officers of the Progressive Society.

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KING TO FACE MURDER CH

Strong Circumstantial Points to Convict as Sla His Companion

After an investigation over three years, a strong charge of murder has been by the R.N.W.M.P. against Oscar King, now undergoing of imprisonment at Edmont tentiary for horse stealing. formation has been laid ag convict and the case will com preliminary hearing on May the evidence, which is entirely stantial, but forms a strong not broken there is little d that the gallows will bring to a long career of crime.

King is regarded by the p one of the worst of the bad m have come to the west from time. His real name is though he has many aliases, is an Americanized German. accused of the murder of a ion, named J. A. Hindahl, of t nationality. The murder is to have been committed near on the 7th of March, 1907.

Cap With Blood First Tra

The first thing to arouse picion of the R.N.W.M.P. finding of a cap covered wit near Millet on the date abo tioned. It was later identifie longing to Hindahl. Later in tion revealed the fact that K Hindahl, who both at one tim ed in a coal mine at Clover B left Edmonton on March 9th team of horses to go to the ho of the latter near Ponoka. Th traced from point to point. were seen by farmers near Mi one will testify that the two into a bush, and when the came out only one man could in the sleigh.

The assumption is that King his comrade and then stowe away in the bottom of the sle turning to Clover Bar, where h ed the body in a pile of man

Body at Last Found.

For a time the case was at a still for no trace could be f the body. Later when King Fort Saskatchewan awaiting t horse stealing he told the M Police he could show them wh body of a murdered man wa took them to the manure pile at Bar mine and there unearth bodp. He said that August had told him another man ha a comrade for his money an were his remains.

The bones were gathered t and subsequent investigation they were the remains of a being. On account of being small they were thought to b of Hindahl, who was of very stature.

Find the Horses.

While tracing for horses th had stolen, the black team dahl was found in the hand man to whom King had sold th

A watch identified as belon the deceased has also been re by the police after having through King's hands.

Other articles have also bee ed, King's story was that H had frozen to death.

After King had unearthed th at Clover Bar and was awaiti for horse theft, he offered to t R. N. W. M. P. to a place ne Deer where the bones of murdered man could be found was in the fall of 1908.

Prisoner Escaped.

The trip was made, but the allowed the man too loose a t he made his escape while the were being stabled near Mark For months no trace was f him but about eight months l was picked up by the Edmon police on the market square. grown a heavy red beard and h means of this disguise to escap nition.

After this it was but a matt short time before he was convi horse theft and sentenced to serv in the penitentiary.

Recent investigation has revea King after Hindahl's disappara gone to Minnesota and secured gage on the dead's man's propert senting himself to be the owner

Witnesses will be brought he the United States as well as parts of Alberta. The case has charge of Sgt. Detective Nicholso R.N.W.M.P., who with Sgt. Wetaskiwin, and other member force have worked unceasingly up the disappearance.

It is thought also by the au that King murdered a man name who disappeared some time ago evidence sufficient to convict h found in this case.

Turbiner Victorian in Po

Halifax, N. S., April 22— last turbiner Victorian, the la boat of the season to this port today from Liverpool with ov passengers. During the months the mail boats will run St. Lawrence, only the secon boats calling at Halifax. Du six months ending today 34 sengers have been landed at

Manager of Quebec Bank in W

Winnipeg, April 22.—C. land, son-in-law of Chief Justi ell, at present manager of the Bank in Calgary, has been ap manager of the new branch Quebec Bank in Winnipeg.