

THE GRAIN GROWERS' GUIDE

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BEYOND ALL REASON

THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT AND THE CANADIAN PACIFIC, CANADIAN NORTHERN AND GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC RAILWAYS MAINTAIN LARGE EXHIBITS IN THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPEAN COUNTRIES FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENTICING FARMERS TO COME TO WESTERN CANADA AND GROW WHEAT. "THE GRANARY OF THE EMPIRE" IS THE CATCHY PHRASE USED AT THESE EXHIBITS, WHICH CONSIST LARGELY OF WHEAT. WHAT HAPPENS? THESE FARMERS BY TENS OF THOUSANDS ARE LURED INTO THE COUNTRY BY PROSPECTS OF LARGE PROFITS FROM WHEAT RAISING. BUT WHEN THEY BEGIN TO DO AS THEY WERE EXPECTED TO DO THE GOVERNMENT AND THE RAILWAYS IMMEDIATELY ADVISE THEM TO QUIT RAISING WHEAT AND GO INTO "MIXED FARMING," AND NOT ONLY THIS, BUT THE SAME AGGREGATION BOTTLE UP THE FARMER AND ACTUALLY PROHIBIT HIM FROM SECURING THE BEST MARKET. IT IS ABOUT TIME THAT REASON SHOULD ASSERT ITSELF.

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