

# Farmers' Market Place

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## FARM LANDS

**A NICE SECTION OF LAND WANTED, AND** a few choice quarters. Will trade imported or American bred registered stallions, mares and jacks for a nice section of land in Saskatchewan or Alberta. Will also trade same kind of stock for a few choice quarters of land in the same province not too far north. I would like to trade stock for a section of heavy timber in British Columbia. Would prefer land unencumbered. W. L. DeClow, Cedar Rapids, Ia. 87-11

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**THREE QUARTER SECTION FARM, THREE** miles from Sinitaluta; equipped stock, implements, etc., furniture, including piano; \$42 per acre; without equipment \$35. Charles Peach, Sinitaluta, Sask. 8-6

**C. F. R. LANDS—BETTER BUY THAT** quarter you have had your eye on before an outsider gets it. Reserve it now. Only one-tenth cash. Write for price and terms. E. B. Hafner, general agent, Winnipeg. 5-13

**FOR SALE OR RENT—IMPROVED SEC-** tion, five hundred cultivated, school and town handy; rents for third; twenty-six dollars per acre. Worth Hiskey, Botha, Alberta. 8-2

**FOR SALE—CHOICE HALF SECTION, ALL** broke; good buildings, northern exposure; plenty good water; five miles from town. For particulars apply A. S. Elliott, Windthorst, Sask. 6-10

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**THRESHING OUTFIT FOR SALE—22** horse power traction, 36x60 separator, self-feeder, new this season; Perfection weigher, Neepawa blower, 8-inch drive belt, nearly new, two rakes. As I wish to give up threshing will take \$1,500 now or \$1,200 about Oct. 15. Jas. Glennie, Macdonald, Man. 7-2

**FOR SALE—22 H.P. GASOLINE THRESH-** ing engine; only used a short time. Write A. J. Quigley, Sinitaluta, Sask. 5-2

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**FOR SALE—ONE FIVE-FURROWS COCK-** shutt engine gang, breaker bottoms; run part of one season. Apply to James Lee, McAuley, Man. 6-2

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**MARQUIS WHEAT FOR SALE—CLEAN** and free from seeds; last year yielded nearly 60 bushels per acre. Benj. H. Thompson, Boharm, Sask. 8-11

**WANTED—CAR OATS, SEND SAMPLE** and price to Coleman & Son, Redvers, Sask. 8-6

**POTATOES—OFFERS INVITED FOR CAR-** load early in October, grown on light, sandy soil, quality good. Harding, Spy Hill, Sask.

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## BUTTER AND EGGS

**BUTTER—EGGS WANTED—WE PAY TOP** prices. Remittance by express order day following receipt of shipment. Mark name and address plainly on each package. Advise shipment by mail. Reference: Standard Bank, Simpson Produce Company, Winnipeg, Man. 11

## Grain Exchange Annual

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would, for their own protection, provide more initial storage on their farms.

"As indicating the growth of the grain business in the West, it may be of interest to you to know that in 1900-1901 Manitoba had an elevator storage capacity of only 10,300,000 bushels, while last season it had 22,400,000 bushels.

"The Northwest Territories, which included the present provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta, had storage capacity of 2,400,000 bushels in 1900-1901, against which Saskatchewan alone had last year 29,300,000 bushels and Alberta 9,800,000 bushels, or a total of 39,100,000 bushels for the two provinces, making a grand total of about sixty-one and a half millions of bushels country storage licensed by the warehouse commissioner for the last crop season. In addition to the above, there were licensed at Port Arthur and Fort William terminal elevators having storage capacity of 25,700,400 bushels.

### Addition to the Exchange

"In 1908, when the present Grain Exchange building was erected, it was supposed that trade requirements for at least ten years had been fully anticipated and provided for. You all know how inadequate it is today, many of you would gladly double your office space if room were available. You will be pleased, therefore, to know that the Traders' building association, owners of our present building, have prepared plans for an addition which will practically double the present space, besides providing for a room to be used for the purpose of selling grain by sample, which will be one of the largest in the world in use for this purpose.

### Damaged Grain

"The question of the "out of condition grain" at Fort William and Port Arthur this summer past had engaged the attention of the council on several occasions, and they have been in communication with the board of grain commissioners in an endeavor to alleviate the situation, and it is hoped with the augmented drying facilities at Fort William and Port Arthur that the "out of condition grain" will be placed in a warehouseable condition, and the bulk of it shipped out of the terminals without causing congestion on account of the arrival of the new crop grain.

### Origin of Exchange

In the annual report of the council

of the Exchange, presented by the secretary, C. N. Bell, some interesting history was given.

The Winnipeg grain market has grown with the production of wheat. In June, 1883, an attempt was made to organize a grain market at Winnipeg. One meeting was held, but no organization took place. Then followed the disturbances of 1884 and 1885, and it was not until the November of 1887, when the country had what was then considered a wonderful crop, that ten men came together and formed an exchange for trading in grain and other farm products. The membership in that original exchange was placed at \$15. Today we have three hundred members and memberships are trading at \$4,500.

In those early days it was almost impossible to obtain the market values of wheat in the outside world. There were few transportation facilities for the movement of grain. Today the Grain Exchange is in direct communication with Chicago and Minneapolis, the fluctuations of these markets being posted on our blackboards for the information of the members; and cables are received from Liverpool three times each day, so that we are kept in close touch with the grain markets of the world.

The first export shipment of grain from the Canadian West was less than two hundred bushels, and was sent out in sacks. Today grain is shipped by the carload, in trains running as high as fifty to sixty cars each. We have at the head of the Canadian Lakes, 30,000,000 bushels' storage capacity; the Canadian fleet of lake freighters has a capacity of 9,000,000 bushels; and our ports are thronged during open water with the enormous lake freighters from the American ports. The first shipment went out in bags, on a river steamer to St. Paul. Today, freighters carrying 360,000 bushels sail from our lake ports to Eastern terminals. Winnipeg as a handler of grain, has surpassed the famous markets of Chicago and Minneapolis, in 1911 101,326,250 bushels of wheat being handled at Winnipeg, as against 96,647,850 bushels at Minneapolis, and 42,629,751 bushels at Chicago.

### Growth of Business

Another method of measuring the development of the grain trade of the Canadian North West is the fact that when the first elevator was built at Fort William, in 1884, the average length of haul for a grain train was 500 miles, indicating that the grain for that shipment was collected within a radius of twenty-five miles of the

## POULTRY

**PURE BRED MAMMOTH BRONZE TUR-** keys for sale; male bird imported from States, weight 22 lbs. Mrs. Haughton, Strassburg, Sask. 8-3

**IMPERIAL PEKIN DUCKS FOR SALE—** \$2.00 each; \$5.00 trio; some of last season's, also young stock; large, profitable, ornamental. Order now. Mrs. Francis T. Shipman, Birch Hills, Sask. 8-7

**ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS—** Cockerels, hens and pullets for sale. Frank Holmes, Broadway, Saskatoon, Sask. 8-6

**S. C. WHITE LEGHORN COCKERELS,** prize winners and from heavy laying strain, \$2.50 each, four for \$9.50. Order early. Mrs. John Blake, Bradwardine, Man. 8-6

**BLACK ORPINGTON, PRIZE WINNERS**—Eggs and birds for sale. W. W. Douglas, Glenboro, Man. 29-26

## CATTLE

**HEREFORD CATTLE AND SHETLAND** Ponies—Pioneer prize herds of the West. Pony vehicles, harness, saddles. J. F. Marples, Poplar Park Farm, Hartney, Man.

**HOLSTEIN—YOUNG BULLS, READY FOR** service; also cows and heifers. J. C. Drewry, The Glen Ranch, Cowley, Alta.

**BROWNE BROS., NEUDORF, SASK—** Breeders of Aberdeen Angus Cattle. Stock for sale.

**RED POLLED CATTLE—FOUR YOUNG** bulls for sale, also females. Clendenning Bros., Harding, Man. 47-26

**W. J. TREGILLUS, CALGARY, BREEDER** and importer of Holstein Friesian Cattle.

## HORSES

**REGISTERED GLYDESDALE—ORDERS** taken for foals at weaning. Registered Shorthorns, some nice young bulls on hand. Registered Yorkshires, six litters. J. Bousfield, MacGregor, Man.

**GLYDESDALE STALLION FOR SALE—** Imported. R. G. Ward, Welwyn, Sask.

## SWINE

**A FEW BERKSHIRE BOARS AND SOWS,** \$12.00 to \$15.00 each while they last. Two Yorkshire sows, \$15.00 each. Only two Shorthorn bulls for sale now, \$80.00 and \$100.00, if taken at once. Walter James & Sons, Rosser, Man. 2-11

**PETER McDONALD, VIRDEN, MAN,** breeder of Berkshire pigs. 46-15

**RUSSELL M. SHARP, BREEDER OF** Berkshire swine, Edrans, Man. 4-14

**JAMES HONEYMAN, FAIRFAX, MAN—** Tamworth pigs, six weeks; eight dollars up.

## SITUATIONS

**WANTED—NOW FOR WESTERN TRADE** good men only to sell our well-known lines of specialties in fruit and ornamental trees, shrubs, seed potatoes, etc. Outfit free, exclusive territory, pay weekly; whole or part time engagement. Write Palham Nursery Co., Toronto, Ont. 48-12

**WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER FOR WIDOW-** er with family of four. Apply, giving full particulars to A. Gustavson, Clanwilliam, Man., P. O. Box 77. 4-2

City of Winnipeg. Today, the average haul for grain cars to Fort William has grown to 775 miles. The railways have done marvels in grain carrying, but the double-tracking of our three great systems, the building of the Hudson Bay road, and the opening of the Panama Canal will scarcely be sufficient to overtake the rapidly developing grain areas of the West.

The council and officers of the Exchange were elected as follows:

President, Andrew Kelly; vice-president, A. K. Godfrey; secretary-treasurer, C. N. Bell; council, H. T. Swart, (Zenith Grain Co.); John Fleming, (Alex. McFee & Co.); G. R. Crowe, (British Empire Grain Co.); G. V. Hastings, (Lake of the Woods Milling Co.); W. L. Parrish, (Parrish & Heimbecker); Donald Morrison, (Donald Morrison & Co.); A. C. Ruttan, (Jas. Richardson & Sons); J. C. Gage, (Consolidated Elevator Co.); W. E. Milner, (Maple Leaf Milling Co.); Geo. Fisher, (Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Society); S. T. Smith, (Smith, Murphy & Co.)

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