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WESTERN ITEMS

Battleford saw a rainbow Friday.

There were 1,452 horse and 2,886 cattle brands recorded in the province last year.

The Moosomin grain elevators are almost empty.

High River Presbyterians will build a new church this year.

Machinery is being purchased for the new Medicine Hat brewery.

A Sons of England lodge was instituted at Medicine Hat last week.

A kindergarten will be opened in connection with Lethbridge schools.

Pincher Creek is long on slaughter houses. There are 45 of them there.

The International Coal Co. at Coleman spent $360,574 in wages last year.

Knox church, Regina, will establish a mission at the north end of the city.

The Alberta Portland Cement Co. at Sanialene will employ eighty men this year.

In the last three years the Coleman Coal Co. has made profits of half a million.

Stockton & Millinson of Calgary, will establish a wholesale fruit warehouse at Regina.

An estimate of the amount of business done in Battleford during the year 1906 totals $85,000.

Lethbridge's new steam laundry opens for business today. It will employ fifteen white men.

Claresholm school is again open after being closed three weeks on account of smallpox.

G. L. Vroowan & Co., have sold four new automobiles to Lethbridge parties already this month.

Claresholm sportsmen are asking the town council to assist them in building a race track.

The Macleod Presbytery has sanctioned the erection of new churches at Lethbridge and Macleod.

Public notice is given of the intention of the village of Magrath to incorporate. Magrath is growing.

Two new publications are out in Southern Alberta this week. The Great West is issued by the Society of Equity over a Claresholm catline and the Free Press is the new Taber paper.

Free Press: Shipments of agricultural implements from the east and from the south will reach the highest point during the first half of March and great the same time the general immigration movement will begin. The railway companies are now busily preparing for this traffic.

Leader: Frank Green, who succeeded J. Bussy as roadmaster on the Moose Jaw-Broadview section of the C. P. R. has been appointed general roadmaster on the Winnipeg-Fort William section. Mr. Green will be succeeded on this division by J. Marionquis, the regular roadmaster on the Swift Current section. The latter gentleman will make Regina his headquarters, and it is understood he will also have charge of the work on the new line which the C. P. R. will build north from Regina this summer.

Didsbury claims 800 population.

There are twenty-two school districts tributary to Olds.

Didsbury's new flour-mill will be erected this year for certain.

A. A. McGregor, a Calgary grocer, has sold his business to T. E. Avison.

Didsbury council will build a new fire station and town hall this year.

Mr. Gilmore, of Calgary, will establish a bakery at Didsbury this month.

Calgary claims its new Y. M. C. A. building will be the best in the west.

Twenty-two doctors have just received licenses to practice in Saskatchewan.

The Bell Telephone Co. is stringing a line between High River and Lethbridge.

There is a deficit of $1,418 in connection with Moose Jaw's 1906 exhibition.

Lourey Bros. expect to have their new hotel at Strathmore open for the spring trade.

Innisfail Methodists have asked Pastor Webber to remain in charge another year.

There are twenty-two candidates for the three new positions on the Calgary fire brigade.

The C. P. R. is observing the new Lord's Day Act. There was nothing coming in the yards there last Sunday.

C. Reinhardt had the bad luck to push his foot into a hay press at Didsbury, Monday. Amputation was necessary.

The Alberian claims the headquarters of the Strathcona Horse will either be at Calgary or Medicine Hat.

Battleford council has taken advantage of a change in the law and have repealed twenty year waterworks debenture by-law and passed another extending the time to fifty years.

A subscription is being taken up among the cittizens of High River for the purpose of trying for natural gas the existence of which there are strong indications.

The town of Pincher Creek is advertising in this issue of the News, the fact that it has no connection with the town site of Pincher City.

In a fit of economy the town of Fernie has cut off one police man and its city collector and reduced the salary of its magistrate.

The Queen's Hotel at Battleford, has installed a system of electric lights, the power being driven from a gasoline engine.

$2,300 has already been contributed by Medicine Hat merchants to help pay the salary of the publicity commissioner.

The Reeves Engine Co. will build large warehouses at Regina and make this city their provincial headquarters.

Pincher Creek council will ask the Postmaster General to change the name of Pincher station postoffice.

Thirty-seven homestead entries were recorded in the Winnipeg Dominion lands office last month.

Night sessions have commenced in the Saskatchewan legislature, and the session will end early in April.

The Calgary spring fat stock show this year will be the best ever. Twice as many horses are entered as last year.

Customs receipts at Regina for the month of February were only $9,322.52, showing a considerable falling off as against the same month last year.

The receipts of the Calgary markets and pound departments for the month just closed shows an increase of $48 over the correspondng month of last year.

The annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Oddfellows which was to have convened in Portage la Prairie next week has been postponed until March 27.

Supt. J. Brownlee has been appointed to the charge of the Moose Jaw, Swift Current, Portal and Moose Mountain section of the C.P.R.

There is no abatement in the big demand for Canadian flour in the Orient. The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co. report further sales of 40,000 bags of middle grade flour for shipment from Winnipeg to China. This firm has now disposed of the enormous quantity of 110,000 bags.

Fresh eggs are still fifty cents a dozen at Saskatoon.

Regina fat stock show will be held March 20, 21, and 22.

Well drilling operations have commenced in Saskatchewan.

Winnipeg had 262 births, 201 deaths 128 weddings in February.

Staveley's new Oddfellow's Lodge was organized last week.

Building prospects at Saskatoon look better this year than last.

Winnipeg dealers predict wheat will go to $1 a bushel before spring.

Melfort was out of tobacco Tuesday, but a good supply arrived yesterday.

The C.P.R. will get its water from the city waterworks at Regina this year.

Building permits for January and February at Regina only totalled $25,000.

A $20,000 bridge will be built over the Battle river, south of Lashburn this year.

John Millar, secretary of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association, is to resign shortly.

Four applications have been received for the position of secretary treasurer of Lethbridge.

The Knight Sugar Co. at Raymond will pay $14,682 to farmers who raised beets last year.

The minister of militia says the barracks for the Strathcona horse will be built at Medicine Hat.

The Knight Sugar Co. at Raymond are feeding 10,000 cattle and 600 horses this winter. Their loss was only four per cent.

PRIZE WINNERS AT SEED FAIR

Edmonton District Holds Its Own in Competition With Province in Red Fife and Banner Oats.

(Friday's Daily.)

The judges at the seed fair have finished their work and handed out the following awards:—

CLASS I, ALBERTA RED

1, Wm. Leavitt, Leavitt; 2, Thomas Leavitt, Leavitt; 3, Wm. A. Woolford, Cardston; 4, Thos. Woolford, Cardston; 5, Frank Cresmon, Cardston.

CLASS II, WINTER SOFT

1, Wm. Frank, Didsbury; 2, F. W. Kienban Olds; 3, S. D. Boyd, Bowden.

CLASS III, RED FIFE

1, Harvey Woolley, Medicine Hat; 2, Joseph Atkinson, Medicine Hat; 3-Ivan R. Lindsay, Clover Bar; 4, Wm Kisth, Clover Bar; 5, Adolph Johnson, Clover Bar; 6, E. S. Crest, Lethbridge.

CLASS IV, SPRING WHEAT, OTHER THAN RED FIFE

1, Alex Woolley, Medicine Hat; 2, Jos. T. Lord, Cardston; 3, Geo. White, Red Deer; 4, Wm. Nolan, Knee Hill Valley; 5, Thos. Leavitt, Leavitt.

CLASS V, OATS BANNER

1, S. C. Hagen, Winterburn; 2, P. Gecko, Clover Bar; 3, R. McAllister, Strathcona; 4, W. Smeltzer, Edmonton. 5, A. J. Stannard, Strathcona; 6, Adolph Johnson, Clover Bar.

CLASS VI, OATS, ANY OTHER, LONG OR MILLING VARIETY

1, H. J. Bowden, Cardston; 2, John Milligan, New Lunnon; 3, S. C. Hagen, Winterburn; 4, Lars Jenson, Olds; 5 E. Alpaugh, Conjuring Creek; 6, Magnus Pearson, Calmar; 7, Wm. Kisth, Clover Bar; 8, B. Andrewa, Strathcona.

CLASS VII, OATS, SHORT OR FEEDING VARIETY

1, R. Fisher, Spruce Grove; 2, Albert Loughheed, Bowden; 3, E. Alphough, Conjuring Creek; 4, Earhest Johannsen, Strathcona.

CLASS 8, BARLEY TWO ROWED

1, F. H. Herbert, Strathcona; 2, T. H. Woolford, Cardston; 3, F. Dorwart, Edmonton; 4, G. B. Skinner, Bowden.

CLASS 9, BARLEY SIX ROWED

1, A. Von Mielecki, Calgary; 2, J. J. Richards, Red Deer; 3, Adolph Johnson, Clover Bar; 4, Napoleon Gaqq, Spruce Grove.

SCHOOL DISTRICT COMPETITION

The A.F.A. Strathcona branch, hayve offered prizes for the best exhibit of seed grains from the various school districts within a radius of twelve miles of Edmonton and Strathcona.

The results are as follows—

First, East Edmonton; second, Sallsbury; third, Colchester.

In each school district there were individual prizes offered for wheat, oats and barley. Results are—

Clover Bar S.D.—Wheat—1, Adolph Johnson; 2, S. Symons; 3, Fred T. Jackson.

Oats—1 P. Hecko; 2, J. O. Parminter; 3, Adolph Johnson.

Barley—Adolph Johnson.

Colchester—Wheat—1, Mr. Harkey, Strathcona; 2, R. McAllister; 3, A. B. McKetcherin.

Oats—1, R. McAllister; 2, B. Andrews 3, E. Johannsen.

Barley—1, R. McAllister; 2, B. Andrews; 3, E. Johannsen.

East Edmonton District—Wheat —1, Mr. Mills; 2, W. B. C. Chamberlain; 3, Mr. Gerard.

Oats—1, Mr. McConnell; 2, W. B. C. Chamberlain; 3, Fulton.

Barley—1, F. H. Herbert; 2, S. Fulton.

Salisbury S.D.—Wheat—1 Geo. Ball; 2, Boyd Beshop; 3, Ralph Hubbert.

Oats—1, J. S. Lozier, 2, W. Smeltzer; 3, T. Dorward.

Barley—1, T. Dorward; 2, G. Stannord; 3, A. J. Stannord.

Poplar S.D.—Oats—1, James Hodgins.

Oliver S.D.—Wheat—1, Ralph Weer, Ellerslie.

Oats—1, J. Govenlock, Ellerslie.

SPECIAL PRIZES

T. Daly's prize for Banner Oats exhibited by boy who secured seed from Mr. Daly last spring—1, Ivan S. Lindsay, Clover Bar.

J. R. Boyle's prize for best Red Fife in Sturgeon electoral district—J. A. McLeod, Edmonton.

J. R. Boyle's prize for oats in Sturgeon electoral district—John Mulligan New Lunnon.

Mr. Ritchie, prize, Edmonton Milling Co., for best red fife in any school district—Mr. Mills, Strathcona.

Strathcona

STRATHCONA PEOPLE PLEASED

Thursday's Daily.

Strathcona business men and other citizens are naturally greatly pleased with the announcement in yesterday's Bulletin of the bill granting a charter to the C.P.R. to construct a line between Camrose and Strathcona, having passed its second reading and now being practically an assured fact. Strathcona people have looked for ward for some time to a definite measure tending to the completion of the preliminary steps taken by the Canadian Pacific towards this new railway line.

This forenoon to the Bulletin a number of business men expressed their satisfaction at the granting of the charter and mentioned some of the benefits that would accrue to Strathcona as a result of the construction of the branch.

Mayor Mills:—This was one of the —matters discussed by Mr. Whyte and myself on his recent visit here, but on which I was not at liberty then to speak. The C.P.R. vice-president then intimated it was the company's intention to carry the line direct to Moose Jaw affording the shortest direct route between Strathcona and Winnipeg. This town will be the terminal point, Mr. Whyte said, both for the Winnipeg-Strathcona line and for the Calgary and Edmonton. This will make Strathcona centre of the northern system. Mr. Whyte could not promise that the road would be completed this year as it might be impossible to get sufficient labor but it would be finished at the earliest possible time. There is also the extention to the coast scheme on which Mr. Whyte would not speak definitely, but his implication was that the high level bridge was but a means to that end.

Ex-Mayor Shephard:—As far as we know now the proposed line will be of great benefit to Strathcona and the intervening country. It will give railway facilities for the country between the C. & E. and the Grand Trunk Pacific and affords opportunity for its great development.

Ex-Mayor Davies:—This new line from Camrose to Strathcona is now practically an accomplished fact, inasmuch as it willl shorten the distance between here and Winnipeg by one hundred miles. This I have on the best authority. The line will become the main travelled route to the north country and consequently make a great increase in traffic. It will also tend to create a great deal of business at Strathcona and along the route and should much increase the value of the land along the line.

G. W. Marriott, president of the board of trade and manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce:—The new line will be a splendid thing for Strathcona and the country through which it passes. This country has now no railway facilities. Strathcona wants all the railway she can get and we will reap many advantages from the coming Camrose-Strathcona line.

O. Bush, ex-president of the board of trade:—The new line will bring Strathcona on the main line to Winnipeg instead of Calgary as at present. Strathcona will be the terminal point. This information I have from the C.P.R. officials. The new line will be the shortest between Strathcona and Edmonton and Winnipeg—even shorter than the C.N.R.

J. M. Douglas:—There is no question of its value to Strathcona. It will bring the whole through traffic to this point. That coupled with the fact that Strathcona will be the terminal point will have a great influence in building up our city.

STRATHCONA MAY BUY WOODEN PIPES

Thursday's Daily.

The Strathcona town council are contemplating the purchase of 13000 feet more wire wound wooden pipe for waterworks construction, similar to that laid last summer.

An agreement has been drawn up between the manufacturers—the Canadian Pipe Co., of Vancouver, and the city and has been submitted to the council for their approval. It is now being held pending an investigation by the waterworks and sewerage committee.

The contract calls for 13,000, 6 and 8 inch pipe to stand a pressure of 450 pounds head. When the pipe is delivered at Strathcona it is to be the agreement calls for it to be unloaded and stored under cover of the town. At the time of its arrival 75 per cent of the purchase price is to be paid.

Ditches are to be dug and refilled in proper shape by the municipality and the pipe distributed along the trenches as required. The company shall appoint a foreman and the city shall pay him at the rate of $5 per day and shall also pay all other labor.

After a test of sixty days the recost shall be paid by the town, but if, in the meantime, there be any leakage, the company shall make repairs at their own expense.

At the council meeting on Tuesday night the agreement was discussed in committee of the whole, with Coun. McKenzie in the chair.

Mayor Mills inquired if the proposed purchase and agreement might not interfere with the laying of the 1500 feet remaining under the present contract and the engineer give it as his opinion that it might do so.

Mr. Mills suggested that the council consider whether the old contract be dropped as it had been, he said, very ineffectually performed.

Councillor Rankin said that the entire question was one of wooden or iron pipe and the advisability of procuring a trenching machine from the Canadian White Co., was also considered. He didn't approve of paying 75 per cent of the cost on delivery. He favored no payment till the suggested test had been made.

The Engineer, Mr. McLean said the only proper way was to test every length separately. Last year the expert had no fault to find with the pipes being laid in the same trench as the sewers. He was perfectly satisfied and said the defects found were not the fault of the contractors, but other causes and the latter would have to make good.

LOCALS.

—The inside of the new Strathcona club house is practically completed and is now ready for furnishing. Much more time than at first thought necessary was taken up in finishing the building, owing to the unexpected very cold weather.

"I tell you, neighbor, ST. GEORGE'S BAKING POWDER makes fine cake and pastry."

"Of course you said so—but Baking Powder is one of the things that a baker must try for himself."

"That's right! What's the use of buying the best pastry flour, creamery butter and rich milk—and then have one of those alum baking powders ruin the baking."

St. George's Baking Powder

is a pure Cream of Tartar baking powder. I know it by the way the paste rises. You have eaten my Cakes, Pies and Fancy Pastry for years. Have you ever known them to be quite so light and flaky—and taste so good—as they do now? It's all due to ST. GEORGE'S."

"Yes, neighbor, we old fellows have found out about Baking Powders by practical experience. And ST. GEORGE'S is the best baking powder I've ever tried—not only for bakers, but for home cooks as well."

OUR NEW COOK BOOK is a daily help in the kitchen. It tells how to select and prepare meats, vegetables, etc.—and gives all sorts of recipes. Sent FREE. National Drug & Chemical Co. Limited, Montreal.

—The Strathcona team to line up in the hockey match against Edmonton tonight in the latter city will be the same as on Monday night and as follows: Goal, Humeston; point, Raitt; cover, McRae; rover, Hampson; centre, Ritchie; wings, McArthur and Kent (Capt.)

—At the Methodist parsonage yesterday afternoon, the marriage took place of James E. Haughn to Miss B. M. Morganson, both of Strathcona. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. J. Johnston.

—Herbert Cunningham, Vegreville, has been visiting friends in Strathcona.

—R. T. Purvis, Leduc, who has recently returned from the east contemplates residing in Strathcona.

—A meeting of the building committes of the Methodist church was held last night at which preliminary plans for the new church were submitted. The preparations of the plans will be gone ahead with at once and tenders called for shortly. The new building will accommodate about 1,000 but whether brick, stone, or concrete blocks will be used in construction, has not yet been decided.

—The health and relief committees of the Strathcona council are making preparations to accommodate the large number of immigrants expected this summer in Strathcona. A conference was held several days ago with the board of trade council to discuss ways and means.

THE NECESSITY ON PURE SEED

Subject of Addresses Given at Seed Fair Yesterday Afternoon by W. C. McKillican, Representative of Dominion Branch, Ottawa.

At the Seed fair yesterday afternoon there was a large attendance of farmers and other visitors. The main feature of the afternoon was the address of W. C. McKillican, representative Dominion seed branch, Calgary, on the Importance of Good Seed.

Mr. McKillican in opening emphasized the need of good seed to raise good crops. Good seed gives the crops a good start and is of great advantage. The law of heridity is as applicable to seeds as it is to stock breeding. There is now very little really pure grain grown. The question of changing seed from heavy to light land and vice versa has many advocates. There is no advantage unless you get something better. There is always a danger in changing that you bring in weeds that you don't already have. There isnt any need for changing if reasonable care is taken and the crop is suited to the land on which it is grown.

Good seed should be of some good variety and pure. Stick to standard varieties, let some one else try the fads and fancies. Red fyfe seems the standard variety in the north but some farmers like earlier ripening varieties. Fall wheat is coming more into prominence and Alberta red will command top notch prices. Each variety should be pure as mixed samples fill no place in the market. Soft wheat is demanded for biscuit making and in this case hard wheat spoils the flour for that purpose.

Seeds should be free from weeds and should be germinable—seed that will grow. The commonest cause of absence of germinative power is frost. It is impossible to tell by the look whether seed will grow, until tested. One way to test is to count out a number of average kernels and put between blotting papers. Keep these moist for five or six days and then you can determine what percentage is good. A soil test is perhaps a better one. Samples sent to Ottawa will be tested free of charge. And now a seed testing laboratory has been established at Calgary, where any grain addressed "Seed Laboratory, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa; Calgary, will be tested free. Seed grain should be large and plump, the latter essential being more necessary than the former. The smaller or shrunken kernels can easily be fed to farm poultry or stock but even if lost it would be more profitable than using such.

Good seed can be procured by a more thorough use of the fanning mill. Every farm should have one. Much can be done in keeping the best and cleanest fields for seed. A third method is the breeding of grain by hand selection. In this way the best heads are selected in the field, keeping in mind the trueness to type, the excellence of the straw and of the roots. Put these on specially prepared good and clean land, say a quarter acre and from this next year select the best again. After three years of this course a certificate is granted by the department, of which the speaker will give further information.

Mr. Woolford of Carstairs, D. W. Warner, Clover Bar; and others followed in discussion.

Mr. Warner repudiated the theory that damp weather was productive of soft wheat. He would not have our wheat deteriorate into soft wheat. In the dampest years his wheat had grown hardest. He spoke strongly in favor of subsurface seed bed packing. The seed bed should be packed at the bottom of the furrow instead of the top. The weeds can thus be killed and the grain still held in the soil. He recommended the wheel packer but this could not be procured in this country. He advised the disc drill or the shoe drill, set hard anything to pack the under surface and still leave the top loose.

District News

VERMILION NEWS.

Mr. Wickman and wife, of Minnesota are moving a carload of settler's effects to their land, north of the town.

Messrs. Wood and Bowell are buying many horses and a car load of wagons and buggies for their livery business.

What threatened to be a serious blaze in the store of Pickle Bros. was happily averted by the heroic efforts of the bucket brigade in conjunction with the chemical extinguisher. Only slight loss was sustained.

Foley & Dwyer have several teams hauling lumber to their ranch, and will immediately begin erection of their house and out-buildings.

Continued fine weather, brings many people out, and our merchants report a very material improvement in trade.

Mr. Thompson, our popular merchant, is moving his large stock into his new store lately occupied by W. J. McNab.

The energetic freight department of the C. N. R. is rushing things, and our merchants are now receiving their Christmas holiday goods.

Dr. Berry leaves this week for Edmonton, with a fine bunch of draft horses, from his stock ranch north of town.

L. Heyward, anticipating a rush of business, has added a few more teams to his livery barn.

Mrs. Cornell, special travelling correspondent of the London, Daily Mail, being so favorably impressed with our town, has prolonged her stay for a few days.

Believing that one can't have too much of a thing, Mr. Granger, a pioneer, has claimed a charming lady of our district for his third bride. It was also her third venture. It was not only a union of hearts and hands, but also a joining of homestead interests.

A new doctor, who looked our town over with a view to locating, has moved northward, being discouraged by the first annual report of our town board of health.

The dance given by the Canadian Order of Foresters was a most brilliant affair, and decidedly the social event of the season. The fair ladies of the town and district graced the occasion in beautiful evening costumes. All did justice to a delicious supper furnished by our popular caterer, Mrs. Hinchy. Vermilion's orchestra was at its best and furnished a musical treat.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having been authorized by the owner Mr. Andrew D. Wilson breeder of Short Horn Durham cattle and Clydesdale horses (as well as the most fashionable strains of Collie dogs), I will sell, beginning at the hour of 10.30 sharp on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13th, 1907.

On Sec. 10-55-24, 13 miles due north of Edmonton, the following described property;

15 - HORSES - 15

1 chestnut sorrel gelding, 10 years old weighing 1525 lbs., an excellent worker
1 sorrel mare, 10 years old, weight 1425, in foal to Admiral Dewey.
1 bay mare 8 yrs old, weighing 1415 lbs., in foal to Admiral Dewey.
1 bay mare, 12 yrs. old, weighing 1525 lbs., in foal to Coulson's Jack.
1 5 yr. old blocky built stallion by imported shire horse and good clyde mare.
1 blocky built bay gelding, coming 3 yrs. old, by Admiral Dewey.
1 good bay gelding, coming 3 yrs. old, by Admiral Dewey.
1 bay gelding, coming 3 yrs. old, by Dewey and out of a big draft mare, has been hitched several times.
1 horse colt, coming 2 yrs. old, full brother to the above horse. They are well mated.
1 horse colt, coming 2 yrs. old, by Admiral Dewey and by sorrel mare.
1 black gelding, coming 3 yrs. old, by draft mare and sire.
1 pinto filly, coming 2 yrs. old, by Dewey. Will make a beautiful mare for all work.
1 last spring colt, full sister to above filly.
1 1400 lb. farm horse, a good strong worker.
1 mare pony, in foal by Admiral Dewey.

The above stock of horses are a very clean and desirable lot of draft horses.

26 - CATTLE - 26

14 extra good milch cows. Some will be fresh about time of sale, others later. The above herd of cows were raised on the farm and are very kind and gentle, and have had the poor ones weeded out carefully, as the herd was kept for dairy purposes and cows were never allowed to run with calves.
4 2 yr. old past heifers, coming in soon.
2 steers, coming 3 yrs. old.
4 heifers, coming 2 yrs. old.
1 high grade 2 yr. old bull

IMPLEMENTS

1 Massey-Harris binder, in good repair except canvas.
1 15-shoe Massey-Harris grain drill, good as new.
1 14-in. high lift Columbia gang plow, used carefully only one summer, good as new.
1 16 inch "Moline" sulky plow.
1 16 inch "Moline" brush breaker, nearly new.
1 14 inch "Moline" stubble plow.
1 4-section iron harrow.
1 Manson-Campbell fanning mill, complete.

Also 1 Walkerville wagon complete; 1 set farm harness complete, with breeching; 2 odd sets harness for 3rd horse, and 6 collars; 1 bob-sleigh rack and box; 1 road cart; 1 20-gallon iron kettle.

Also numerous other articles, such as singletrees, neck-yokes, picket bars, grubing hoe, forks, scythes, cow chains, good big churn, etc., etc.

Also 40 hens, mixed breeds.

We will also offer a quantity of "white hulless" barley and "early new market" oats.

TERMS OF SALE

$20.00 and under, cash. On amounts over $20.00 credit will be given until January 14th, 1908, by purchaser giving joint lien notes, bearing 8 per cent interest per annum. 5 per cent. discount for cash, where entitled to credit. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

Watch for red flags just north of Sturgeon River bridge.

Free Lunch for everybody at 12 o'clock.

GEO. SUTHERLAND, Clerk. C. H. WEBBER, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE

I am authorized by the owners Albert Hall and Joseph Oliver to sell at the house of

ALBERT HALL, Sec. 8-55-23

10 miles north west of Fort Saskatchewan, being 7 miles north east of Nayao P.O. on.

THURSDAY, MARCH, 14th, 1907.

Commencing at 1 p.m.

The following described property—

6 HORSES 6

2 well-matched bay mares 9 and 10 years old, weighing 1000 lbs each, good workers and extra drivers. An excellent team.
2 bay geldings 5 and 6 years old, well matched, weighing 1200 lbs each. 1A coachy pair and able for plenty of work.
1 black mare 10 years old, weighing 1200 lbs, bred to draught horse.

horses offered.

1 brown farm mare, 1000 lbs weight. There will probably be other

10 SHEEP 10

10 head of ewes supposed to be in lamb.

17 CATTLE 17

16 good cows supposed to be in calf by a good bull. Also one Hereford Bull.

IMPLEMENTS

1 good McCormick 6-ft mower, 1 nearly new "foot trip" 14-ft McCormick hay rake, 1 16-inch "Good Enough" sulky plow, 1 12-inch Moline breaker, 1 Chatham fanning mill, 1 2-seat surrey, 1 set bob sleighs.

HARNESS

1 set double work harness, 1 set double driving harness. Also some house-hold goods, consisting of 1 very good bed room set, very little used; 1 fine 3-4 length mirror, 2 bedsteads, 1 couch, 1 lounge, 2 stands, etc.

Also numerous other articles, consisting of 3 dozen good grain bags forks, shovels, chains, and 2 iron pumps, one nearly new; and 75 fet. good pipe. Also a quantity of wheat and barley.

Terms—All sums under $20, cash; on amounts over $20 credit until Jan. 1st, 1908, will be given by purchaser giving acceptable joint lien notes bearing interest at 8 per cent per annum. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

Geo. Sutherland, clerk C. H. WEBBER, Auctioneer.