

PORT ARTHUR and Fort William are said to be considering a proposition to unite under one civic government. "Strathcona" and "Vanhorne," are proposed names for the united municipalities. Either name ought to help the town along—if there is anything in a name. But is there not already a Canadian town named after the gallant and public-spirited Scotch lord? It occurs to us that South Edmonton was renamed Strathcona.

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THE Vancouver World is in a position to contradict the report telegraphed to the Nelson Tribune, from Victoria, dated March 6th, to the effect that the banks in the interior had been instructed to put into effect, forthwith, the stoppage of merchants' discounts and drafts, as recently hinted at.

THE Decker gang, who conspired to flood the country with counterfeit bank bills, have been found guilty, and sentenced. The two Deckers, father and son, were sent to Kingston for five years each, while Hans Kuntz got fifteen months in the Central Prison. Robert Nurnberger, another of the gang, was allowed to go on suspended sentence, because he is expected to give information of others connected with the conspiracy.

ACCORDING to F. W. Thompson, general manager of the Ogilvie Milling Co., less money is in circulation in Manitoba than usual, because of the large quantity of wheat still held by farmers. He states that there are from six to eight millions of bushels still in the farmers' hands, and in addition to this, a considerable portion of the 3,500,000 bushels in the Fort William elevators, and the 4,000,000 bushels in interior elevators, likewise, belongs to farmers. Mr. Thompson, on information received from the company's agents, estimates the increased wheat average of Manitoba and the Territories for 1900 at 10 to 15 per cent., making a probable total of 2,250,000 acres.

THOSE who are planning a summer holiday ought not to forget the Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition, during the last week of July. This has always been an interesting event; there has been, year by year, a good display of the products of our Great West; and this year's fair is expected to be the best yet. Prizes to the amount of \$20,000 are to be awarded. The seating capacity of the grand stand has been doubled, and it will now, we are told, seat no less than 14,000 people. Evidently the spectacular element is not being neglected, for the management has spent \$12,000 or \$14,000 on this grand stand. The amount of money offered in nineteen horse races during the fair is \$5,200. We warn the Winnipeg Industrial Board that they are in danger of having the same fault found with them as is being found by manufacturers with the Toronto Industrial Fair, viz., that the play-booth, tight-rope, and semi-military part of the show is overdone, to the injury of the educative part.



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