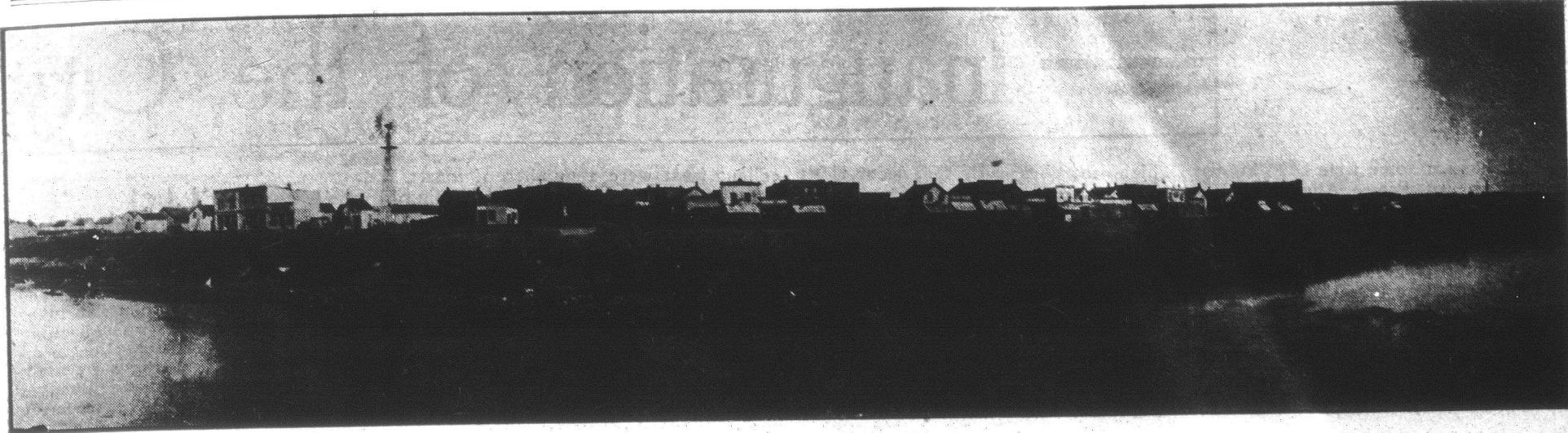




VIEW OF RIVER STREET, PRINCE ALBERT.

A Few Facts About Canada.

Canada has 20,000 miners.
Canada has forty-seven pulp mills.
Sixty thousand men are employed in the lumber industry.
Practically all the valuable minerals are found in Canada.
Canada produced, in 1903, \$18,000,000 in gold.
Canada ranks fourth among the gold producing countries of the world.
Canada exported \$31,000,000 of mineral products in 1903.
Canada's Yukon district yielded \$12,000,000 worth of gold in 1903.

Canada's population in 1763 was 70,000.

Canada's population, 1901, per census, 5,371,315.

Canada produced \$24,500,000 worth of nickel in 1903.

Canada has produced millions of dollars' worth of nickel.

Nickel was accidentally discovered in Sudbury in 1882.

Gold was accidentally discovered on Klondyke Creek in 1896.

Sudbury's nickel mines have reached a depth of 1,200 feet.

Canada has, it is estimated, 100,000 square miles of coal-bearing lands.

eighteen years \$556,000,000 in minerals.

Gross earnings, 1903, were: \$86,000,000; working expenses were \$67,000,000.

Canada has nearly 19,000 miles of railway (steam) and over 1,000 electric.

Canada has the largest continuous wheat field in the world—900 x 300 miles.

Only two per cent of the arable land of the Northwest is under cultivation.

The Canadian Pacific Railway was built in five years instead of ten, as

Children.

A dreary place would be this earth
Were there no little people in it;
The song of life would lose its mirth
Were there no children to begin it;
No little forms, like buds to grow,
And make the admiring heart surrender;
No little hands, on breast and brow,
To keep the thrilling love-chords tender.
No babe within our arms to leap,
No little feet toward slumber tending;
No little knee in prayer to bend,
Our loving lips the sweet words lending.
Life's song, indeed, would lose its charm,
Were there no babies to begin it;
A doleful place this world would be,
Were there no little people in it.
—Whittier.



VIEW OF THE EAST END OF THE CITY OF PRINCE ALBERT (what is known as Goshen).

Thirty thousand took part in the Cariboo gold rush of forty years ago.
Canada's Yukon gold field is 125,000 square miles in extent.

Canada's mineral production has increased 600 per cent. since 1886.

Canada produced \$5,000,000 worth of copper in 1903.

Canada's Mackenzie river is, with its tributaries, 2,500 miles long.

Canada has the greatest nickel deposits in the world.

Canada's centre of population is near the city of Ottawa.

Canada has 10,000 miles of rivers, navigable by steamers, west of Lake Superior.

Canada had only 3,000 miles in operation at confederation.

Canada produced \$16,000,000 worth of coal in 1903.

The projected Grand Trunk Pacific will be 3,600 miles long.

The Grand Trunk lines received \$75,000,000 from all sources.

Ontario has set apart nearly seven million acres as forest reserves.

Passengers carried in 1903, 22,000,000; freight carried, 47,000,000 tons.

The Canadian Pacific Railway received \$62,000,000 in cash from Canada.

Canada has produced in the last

called for by the contract.

Canada has, it is estimated, one million square miles of standing timber.

Canada has spent \$30,000,000 on seventy-two miles of canals—over \$1,000,000 a mile.

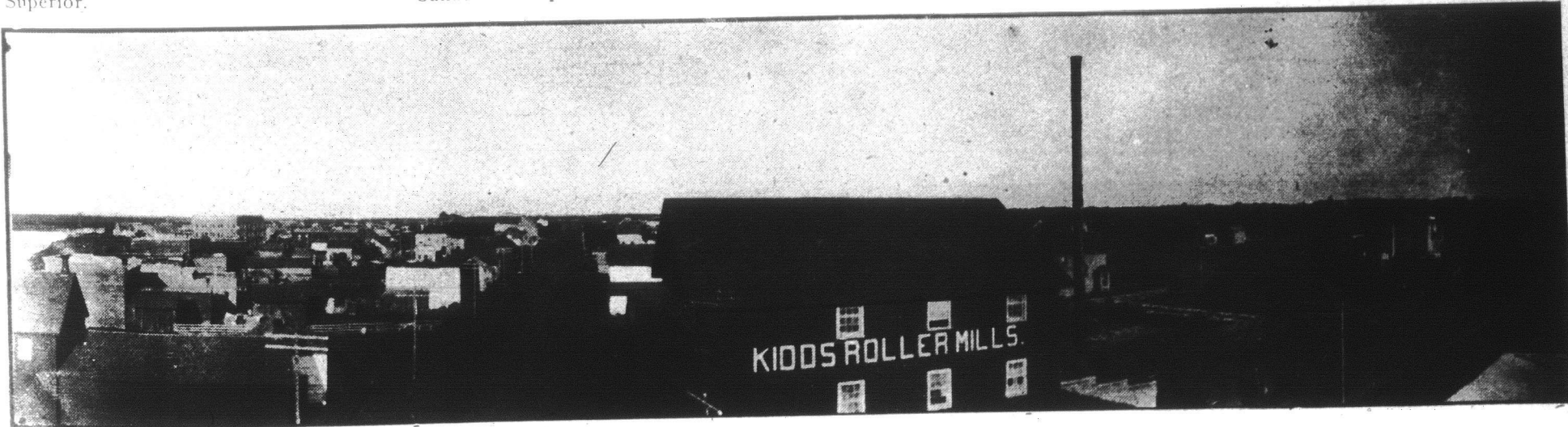
The Crow's Nest coal beds are estimated to contain enough coal which, if mined at the rate of four million tons a year, will last for 5,000 years.

Canada has 6,000 miles of waterways from the mouth of the St. Lawrence to the mouth of the Mackenzie, with less than 150 miles of a land break.

Since the purchase, Alaska has yielded \$150,000,000 worth of gold, furs and fish, and the Territory has purchased from the United States in the meantime merchandise valued at \$100,000,000.

The estimated number of chickens in the country is 250,000,000, producing for market in one year poultry worth \$136,000,000, and eggs worth \$144,000,000, a total value of about \$280,000,000.

Eagles sometimes rise to a height of 6,000 feet, and larks, crows, storks and buzzards often get up 2,000 feet. But the average bird seldom gets 1,000 feet above the earth.



PRINCE ALBERT, LOOKING EAST FROM WINDSOR HOTEL.