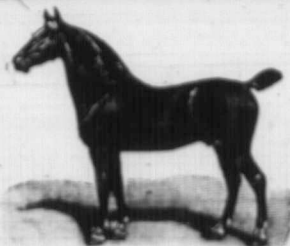


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tax. The awards will be paid in full
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an assessment of more than ten cents
per acre of assessable land. In this
case only would the claims be paid pro
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to be quite high enough to reasonably
ensure payment in full every year. The
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tached for any purpose, nor can they
be assigned except to secure payment
of money due for seed grain from which
the hauled crop was grown.

The indemnity in Alberta is \$6.00
per acre and the assessment rate 54
cents per acre in 1914-15.

The Board's Work

Some difficulty was experienced in
making adjustments at first due to the
difficulty of securing experienced ad-
justers. Out of 2,127 claims in 1915
there were only 49 appeals, or 2 1-3 per
cent. These were later adjusted by the
chief inspector.

In 1914 the total assessment was
\$241,844, the losses \$191,000, the ad-
ministration expenses \$13,241, leaving
a surplus of \$37,603. The severe
drought, however, left many municipali-
ties unable to pay their assessment.
This left the board able to pay only
half the claims, the remainder being
paid at the end of 1915. Last year
was a very bad one in Alberta for hail.
At least seven private companies out
of fourteen lost money on Alberta busi-
ness in 1915, the loss of four being
greater than the premiums, not count-
ing administration expenses. The total
loss for the district in 1915 was over
\$355,000. The year's assessment was
\$248,470 plus \$37,000 from 1914. This
left the board only able to pay 75 per
cent. of the awards. The other 25 per
cent. has been carried over and 24 cents
per acre added to the 1916 assessment,
which should enable the board to clear
everything off in full. The grain
blockade last year rendered it impos-
sible for some municipalities to pay
their assessment at the proper time,
causing more dissatisfaction. The re-
sponsibility is really up to the munici-
palities that have not paid up all
moneys due.

During the last three years the total
losses have ran 6, 4 and 6.3 per cent.,
respectively, of the amount of insur-
ance. In 1915 the insurance carried
was over \$20,000,000 and the loss
\$1,297,462. Municipal co-operative hail
insurance is the cheapest kind of in-
surance yet devised. If a reserve is to
be built up, however, and some should,
there should be either a raising of the
assessment or a reduction of the indem-
nity. No district in the West is im-
mune from damage. The board believes
if the scheme is generally taken up by
the municipalities the cost will work
out much less than that obtainable thru
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ing Shorthorn cows and sixty-five year-
lings and two-year-olds. The herd has
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and judgment, the blood of 80 per cent.
being that of the well known Holstein
bull "Bonheur Sir Fayne." The other
herd bull is "Korndyke Wayne," a
son of the great "Korndyke Lad." Four
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