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COMING OF BARR COLONY

In the course of an article in the Lloydminster Times, Mr. R. B. Thompson indulges in these reminiscences of a striking event in Western Canadian history.

In memory I go back to the spring of 1903—May—when the Barr colonists from England, came over the 200 miles of trail from Saskatoon, and went into camps in tents on ground just north of where the town now stands. Probably eighteen hundred men and women, and a few hundred horses, had remained at Liverpool, and a few had become weak hearted and turned back on the trail, but the majority had pushed right on through the snow and slush of a wet and backward spring, and thus came to the promised land of the world's Saxon colonizers of the world. Think of it. Hundreds of delicately reared women and children, fresh from the comforts of English homes, walking for two hundred miles in mud and slush to the ankles behind a yoke of oxen, making probably ten miles a day. And when they reached their destination, what? How often were the words "promised land" said in derision? Short of food, no adequate supply of clothing, no farm implements with which to till the soil and no knowledge (in many cases) of the tilling process. If they had had very many grubbers, some shirkers, but there were many more of stout heart, and the faith that this far western land would make good what had been promised in its name. A few had farmed in the old land, but the conditions here were so different. However, they were before, had farmed in Manitoba, afterwards returning to the home land. But the call of the ever expanding west had been too strong, so now that they were here they would get down to work, and also teach their neighbors what they themselves knew.

How with a smile and a joke, but not a word of complaint, they set to work. No sooner would one difficulty be met than another would take its place. In time the provisions came, the implements came, and so much crop was in. But something else came also. It was an early frost, and one year's work was for naught. But in the course of time the Canadian and Americans, more used to the western farming methods, came in and settled among them. These were ever ready to give to their neighbors what knowledge they had. Then came the railroad bringing with it thousands of homestead seekers from all over the American continent and the old lands.

And what good feeling was prevalent through it all. Of the homestead adjoining that of an ex-London broker was settled a down east Yankee with a twang that would make you teeth ache. The nearest neighbor of the son of an American millionaire and a Yale graduate was (and is) an ex-cottonmonger from the cultured district of Whitechapel, whose proudest boast was that he was a distant kinsman of Jack the Ripper. But now things are getting down to a business basis and soon the crops began to move. Some of them were good, some fair, some were bad, but all the time the soil was getting broken up, the earth was warming, the conditions were getting generally better. Then on top of it all comes the bumper crop of this year—a crop of which they are talking in Toronto and writing from Chicago about.

A WINDSOR LADY'S APPEAL

To All Women—I will send you with full instructions my home treatment which positively cures Leucorrhoea, Uteric Pain, Displacements, Falling of the Womb, Painful or Irregular Periods, Uterine and Ovarian Tumors or growths, also Hot Flashes, Nervousness, Melancholy, Pains in the Head, Back, Bowels, Kidney and Bladder troubles where caused by weakness peculiar to our sex. You can continue treatment at home at cost of only about 12 cents a week. My book, "Woman's Own Medical Advice," also sent free on request. Write to-day. Address Mrs. M. Summers, Box 33, Windsor, Ont.

LOW DOGS TO BE STORM CENTRE THIS WEEK

MANY POLLINGS FOR BOROUGH CONSTITUENCIES TO BE HELD SATURDAY, JANUARY 15

Bitter Political Platform Opponents Spend Christmas Truce With Duke of Marlborough at Helmheim—Balfour Improving in Health and Allowed to Take Outdoor Exercise—Navy League Issue Orders

LONDON, Dec. 27.—As a result of the issuing of writs on January 10, a great many borough pollings will be held on Saturday, January 15th. The Conservatives hoped the first elections would be held on January 14, but except in a few cases where the writs will be received before sunset on Jan. 10, an election on the 14th will be impossible. After the results of the polling on January 15 are announced, a fair guess may be made as to how the elections are going. The Liberals recognize the importance of holding their London seats, so the party leaders will address meetings there next week. Gerald Balfour is not yet a candidate, and rumor says that the Unionist whip is unable to find him a seat, the efforts to induce the two Tory candidates in East-Marlybone to retire in his favor having proved unsuccessful. The Unionists claim that their candidates have good chances in North London, in the South-East and in parts of the East End, untouched by the influence of the labor members.

A Holiday Truce

In reality the Christmas truce is best illustrated by the following society item: "A society is starting at Helmheim, including Mr. Hon. Winston Churchill and Mrs. Churchill, and Mr. and Mrs. Balfour. The Duke and Mrs. Balfour are staying at Helmheim, and the two cousins are kept political opponents, and often in political conflict. Mr. Churchill is said to have been in the front line in the recent months than any other Unionist, and will begin again to say them on Thursday.

Pastoral Letter Issued

A J. Balfour is so much better at Whittingham that he is allowed to go out for a few hours each day. How little below the surface heat of political feelings are is shown by a pastoral letter of Dr. Deane, Bishop of Exeter, in which he asks the Catholics to vote for the support of the Catholic schools, that they may be able to give a question but high home rule that should be considered.

Canvassers Wanted

Tomorrow the campaign will be renewed with the greatest vigor. There will be 10,000 meetings this week alone, 4,000 of which will be in the streets. The Unionists are short of canvassers; they want 100,000. It is a great poster campaign, and scores of millions of leaflets have been issued. Lord Milner is now in well.

Stories reported to the police department bear directly on the circumstances leading up to, it is alleged, to the illness and subsequent death of ex-Mayor George Cox of Ottawa. According to the story related by one of the police informants, the late ex-mayor was subjected to much rough treatment at the hands of a man in whose house he had spent the earlier portion of the evening of December 4. Mr. Cox was seen about nine o'clock in the company of the individual in question, after leaving the latter's house and his actions towards Mr. Cox were such as to attract attention. The detective department is in full possession of the facts. The late Mr. Cox, it is ascertained, was confined to his room on the day following the incidents referred to and he gradually became worse until he passed away last Saturday morning.

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L. I. D. ELECTIONS

The following additional election results from local improvement districts have been received:

- L. I. D. No. 24—Joseph Gell, 3 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 40—Sid Tucker, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 42—Jas. Hazlett, of Little Woody, aed.
- Div. No. 3—Wm. Iverson, of Elm Springs, 7 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 10—J. J. Lamb, of Dakota, 1 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 71—Theodore E. Johnson, of 4 maj.
- Div. No. 2—Jas. A. Carr, of Carleton Place, 1 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 73—E. A. Craddock, of Stonehenge, aed.
- Div. No. 1—W. A. Seal, of Stonehenge, aed.
- Div. No. 4—Fred Jones, of Lee, 1 maj.
- Div. No. 5—Chas. M. Wilson, of Lincoln, 1 maj.
- Div. No. 6—Geo. Lamborn, of Maslinod, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 91—Robert Rae, of Maryfield, 1 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 93—T. M. Wetherald, of Swawata, aed.
- Div. No. 1—John Shields, of Warrington, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 100—D. L. Rennie, of New Warren, 1 maj.
- Div. No. 6—R. Bushby, of New Warren, 12 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 104—Nap. Assant, of Gruburg, aed.
- Div. No. 6—E. D. Stephenson, of Hill, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 121—W. Watson Powell, of Hill Farm, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 215—Peter Herman, of Reservoir, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 216—O. S. Alders, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 225—A. H. Haggie, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 248—Addison Taylor, of 1055, 8 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 255—T. H. Archer, of Tall Model Farm, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 259—F. H. Kessler, of Owensville, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 260—Herbert N. Taylor, of Rathmullen, 4 maj.
- Div. No. 6—S. C. Hanson, of Holbeck, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 271—L. A. Graham, of To go, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 277—George O. Purdy, of Model Farm, aed.
- Div. No. 5—S. G. Rumlt, of Ladstock, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 279—Owen Skillman, of Baymore, 18 maj.
- Div. No. 2—Jas. S. Graham, of Musmore, 13 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 287—J. H. Macey, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 288—A. H. Graber, of Marston, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 289—R. G. Mathews, of Velterhill, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 301—Walter B. Wilcox, of Kansas, 5 maj.
- Div. No. 3—J. DeB. Copin, of Tacing Lake, 27 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 305—Bennie Johnson, of Buchanan, 40 maj.
- Div. No. 1—Anthony Turner, of Invermay, 16 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 306—Edward Hanson, of Taffnel, 10 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 331—Matk Nigrelbb, of Sunny Lea, 20 maj.
- Div. No. 3—Ole Olson, of Sunny Lea, 4 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 335—Peter Johnson, aed.
- L. I. D. No. 333—R. B. McGerrigh, Edinburg, 1 maj.
- L. I. D. No. 334—Thos. Hamilton, of Woodhall, aed.
- Div. No. 3—Sam Luclow, of Mitchellview P. O., aed.
- L. I. D. No. 339—

HUGE INCREASE IN CANADA'S FIELD CROPS

VALUE FOR THIS YEAR SHOWS INCREASE OF \$100,458,100 OVER LAST

Value of all Field Crops Grown in Province of Saskatchewan as Compiled by Census and Statistics Office During 1909 Totals \$97,677,500, an Increase of \$60,068,500 Over Preceding Year

OTTAWA, Dec. 27.—The market value of the field crops of Canada this year is estimated by the census and statistics office in a bulletin issued today at \$522,992,100, an increase of no less than \$100,458,100 over last year's harvest. The total acreage under crop this year is given as 10,065,556, as compared with 27,505,663 acres last year.

Wheat Harvest

The total value of the wheat harvest in the Northwest provinces is \$121,560,000, and in the rest of the Dominion \$19,760,000, as compared with \$72,420,000 and \$18,300,000 last year.

Field Crops

For the other crops of the Dominion, oats show averages of 35 bushels and \$13.15 per acre, against 31.4 bushels and \$12.45; barley, 29.71 bushels and \$13.64, against 26.72 bushels and \$12.23; rye, 18.78 bushels and \$12.73, against 17.05 bushels and \$12.67; peas, 20.71 bushels and \$18.36, against 17.09 bushels and \$16.12; buckwheat, 27.61 bushels and \$19.94, against 19.76 bushels and \$14.47; corn, 33.31 bushels and \$18.75, against 32.73 bushels and \$17.43; flax, 15.98 bushels and \$19.94, against 19.76 bushels and \$14.47; beans, 23.67 bushels and \$33.61, against 27 bushels and \$33.08; corn for husking, 54.62 bushels and \$20.19, against 54.62 bushels and \$20.19; potatoes, 192.56 bushels and \$70.88, against 132 bushels and \$63.24; turnips and other roots, 434.29 bushels and \$64.58, against 373 bushels and \$64.58; hay, 1.44 tons and \$16.11, against 1.39 tons and \$14.84; fodder, corn, 10.29 tons and \$56.86, against 11.27 tons and \$48.25; and sugar beets, 8.60 tons and \$50, against 10.97 tons and \$53.25 per acre.

SIMPSON RESIGNS

J. D. Simpson, secretary treasurer of Moose Jaw, has handed in his resignation to the council, and the same has been accepted to take effect Dec. 31st. Simpson has been in the city service for seven years. In his letter to the council he states that his reason for resigning was he was of the opinion that he could better devote his time to his business interests. Simpson's department at the city hall was subject to much criticism by the city auditor in their annual report recently submitted and his resignation has created little surprise.

HORSE KILLED

While James Cargo of Wide Awake was driving out of Indian Head, he collided with another rig. The shaft of the other rig penetrated the neck of the mare, a fine driving mare, and in ten minutes she was dead. The mare was valued at \$1,000.

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