

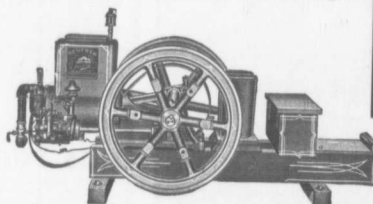
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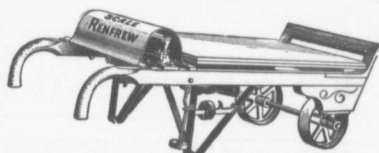
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## A Letter from a Pioneer

There are men who would prefer to be their own boss on land they can call their own, than to hold down the best job the city affords. Such a one is W. D. Albright, for several years editor of *The Farmers Advocate*. Last fall Mr. Albright resigned his position on *The Advocate* and started out for the Peace River District of Alberta. Since then he has been pioneering. Recently Farm and Dairy received a letter from Mr. Albright, part of which will be of interest to Our Folks.

"I became so engrossed with pioneering work last fall," writes Mr. Albright, "that I put off nearly all letter-writing in anticipation of the rough weather to come. The fine weather continued, however, until the latter part of January, and ever since then there has been no storm equal in severity to many that I have experienced in the East. During the last two weeks, however, an unprecedented amount of snow has fallen, and the white mantle is now nearly two feet deep. Up till the latter part of January there has been just about enough snow for sleighing.

"Grande Prairie, where we are living, is about as we expected to find it, only a little more rolling. The soil is good black loam, with a somewhat heavy subsoil. The first considerable body of settlers reached here in 1900, travelling by ox team 550 miles from Edmonton. This past autumn and early winter five threshing outfits turned out 375,000 bushels of grain, most of it of excellent quality. Oats averaged about 80 bushels an acre, though yields of 70 and over were common, and one acre threshed 125 bushels.

"In this tremendous extent of country whose watercourses drain through the Mackenzie to the Arctic, is an astonishing wealth of resources. Beside vast areas of good land we have coal, oil, gas, asphaltum and other minerals of great economic importance. We have lumber of merchantable quality and considerable quantity. We have Niagara's of Hydro-Electric possibilities and, withal, great reaches of navigable channels. We have fish and fur, and will eventually have export outlets to the Pacific markets. We have a climate which people from the long prairies consider much superior in pleasantness to that of Saskatchewan. Thus we leave the makings of a self-contained province with mixed farming as its sheet anchor. Railroads are being pushed energetically into the Peace River and Athabasca country, and the forthcoming era of development will be kaleidoscopic.

"But what is the use of talking! You must see the country to understand."

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Fig. 3

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