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A Real Policeman's Job.

The motto of the Northwest Mounted Police, "Maintien le droit," was freely translated by the troopers to mean "Go where you are sent," says the New York Herald. This famous police force has been reorganized and has a new name, but its traditions and sense of duty have descended to its successor and co-operating bodies. An instance of this is found in a recent official report by the Saskatchewan Provincial Police and constitutes one of the most remarkable details ever given a single police officer in that it was undertaken in the midwinter of northwestern Canada. It entailed 103 days of consecutive duty with the necessity of providing food supplies in an almost uninhabited region and it involved a journey of 1,900 miles by snowshoes, dog teams and canoes, the thermometer hovering all the time between 30 and 50 degrees below zero.

An Indian tramping down from the Arctic circle region told a priest, at Fond du Lac, on the northern frontier of Saskatchewan, that he had found a man dead in a shack about 100 miles away. The priest notified the commanding officer of the police at Prince Albert, 500 miles to the South. Within an hour Officer M. Chappuis was on his way to investigate the matter. It is from his report, written with the least expenditure of words, and with no attempt at magnifying his task, that the details of his trip are gathered.

TRAVELLING AT 50 BELOW.

When he reached Isle a la Croix, on February 16 he had to buy a dog-sled and a sleigh "owing to the fact that no one would hire me a sleigh, and no one would make the trip with his own dogs." Five days afterwards when he reached Cree Lake the snow was four feet deep and the thermometer about 50 degrees below zero. His guide refused to go further and the native Indians declared it was impossible to reach Fond du Lac, but a white trapper agreed to accompany him. The only food he could buy was four quarters of caribou.

On March they had left only a little tea and a half bannock and no food for the dogs, but, he says, "we kept on." The next day "we had nothing to eat, our dog team got smaller, as I had to leave two dogs behind, which were eaten by wolves." In the evening of March 14 his "feelings were revived" by the sight of a shack, the first he saw since leaving Cree Lake. He found in it some frozen fish. "I took fifty of them; I could have taken more, but it is not a good policy, as I did not know who was the owner of the shack and was afraid of putting him in the same position we were, almost starving." He found out later, however, who the owner was and paid him "10 cents a fish, making a total payment of \$5."

A MAN'S JOB.

After he reached Fond du Lac he had yet an eight day journey on snowshoes, as the dog team could not travel much of the way owing to the high banks of rocks. He found that the man whose death he had come to investigate had died from natural causes, perhaps cold or starvation. He had been dead at least a year. It was impossible to bury the body on account of the solid rock. So he says: "I pulled the rock stone to pieces and brought in some stones from the outside and lowered the body to the ground; after wrapping up the

remains with a blanket and canvas I put a number of logs and wood over the body, then placed the stones on top, thereby forming a grave. Before leaving I nailed up the door and window and wrote on the door in English, French, Cree and Chipewyan that this was the grave of Emmanuel Person, and that no person was to interfere or attempt to go inside the shack."

A few little details, which were crowded into the last paragraph of the report and which Officer Chappuis almost forgot to mention, were, that the trip back "was harder owing to the fact that I took a lunatic at the request of the residents of Fond du Lac and handed him over to the Alberta Provincial Police, that he saw no game but was never out of sight of a large number of wolves, and that for much of the distance there was such a blizzard blowing that we could not see the dogs in front of us."

Chappuis' job was a man's job, one for a man of resources and of the kind of grit that looks upon "insurmountable" obstacles, only as something to be overcome. Obedience of orders was as natural as drawing breath; he was sent and he did what he set out to do. He was, the real policeman, to whom the sense of duty is above everything else, and it matters little whether his post covers 1,900 miles of Canadian snow or a city street.

Siamese Twins

Die Inseparable.

Rosa and Josefa Blazek, Siamese twins, died at Chicago on March 29. Josefa, who had been in a stupor for nearly a week, was the first to pass away. Her sister, Rosa, died fifteen minutes later at 3:10 a.m. The twins had been suffering from catarrhal jaundice. Josefa had been near death for nearly a week. Rosa was apparently in good health until two days ago. She made up her mind that she wanted to die with Josefa. Frank, the twelve-year-old son of Rosa, was with his mother and aunt when the end came. The boy is normal in every way. Frank Blazek, brother of the twins, also was present. No attempt to operate to separate the two after the death of Josefa was made. An X-ray had never been taken to determine the possibility. This was in accord with the wishes of the sisters. Rosa and Josefa were born 43 years ago. They were educated and learned to play the violin. They romped like other children of their age. In early childhood the two started a tour of Europe which lasted over a decade. They came to America a year ago to tour the country. Rosa was married. Her husband was killed in the world war.

Anatomically they were two complete persons, with the exception of two organs they had in common," said Dr. Breakstone. "They were joined together at the side and back. Like two individuals they had different likes and dislikes, as far as similar environment would permit."

Over-eating was the indirect cause of the deaths, according to the doctors' diagnosis. In the old country Dr. Breakstone said the women seldom ate meat. Since they have been in the United States they have eaten five meals a day consisting of from five to six pounds of meat each. The twins were the second offspring of a normal percentage. There were four other children, all normal and all still living. The twins had amassed a large fortune while travelling with shows in Europe.



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SEED POTATOES.—A shipment of canker proof potatoes for the Agricultural Department is due to arrive by S.S. Digby to-morrow from Liverpool. This special seed was imported last year for those who had canker affected land and on the whole very good results were obtained.

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