

GRIDIRONING OF ALBERTA WITH RAILWAYS

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covered by the charter of the Central Alberta Railway Company and was strongly urged by a monster delegation that visited Edmonton recently. The claims of the district have been strongly urged by the local representative, John T. Moore, and he has been successful. The proposed line will take one of the most thickly populated and fertile districts of Alberta.

Also a branch from Calgary through Cochrane to the boundary of the National Park at Banff, a distance of about 50 miles.

This extension was secured through the influence of Hon. Mr. Fisher, speaker of the Legislature, who urged the claims of the district in committee of the whole.

A line from, at or near Edmonton, in a north-westerly direction, towards Peace River, a distance of about 30 miles.

This extension is the beginning of the line to the Peace River and Slave Lake country, which will open up that far-famed district to the markets of the world.

A line from the present terminus of the Edmonton and Great Slave Lake (C.N.R.) at Morinville, in a northerly direction, about 60 miles, to Athabasca Landing.

This line will give Edmonton direct connection with Athabasca Landing, the last gateway at present into the north.

Grand Trunk Pacific. A line from a point on the western division of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway between the 111th and 113th degrees of longitude, probably from a point just west of or at Wainwright, to Calgary, and thence to the southern boundary of the province at or near Cochrane, a distance of about 451 miles.

This line will give Calgary and Lethbridge a direct connection with the Grand Trunk Pacific and will also bring all the country to the southern boundary into direct connection with the new transcontinental line. It is probable that work on this line will be started this season.

A line from a point on the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific branch line between Calgary and Lethbridge, near point being in a north-easterly direction from Macleod, thence to or near Macleod, not to exceed a distance of about forty miles.

By this branch, Macleod also gets on the G.T.P. line and will have the three great lines of the C.P.R., G.T.P. and C.N.R.

COLLIDED WITH TRAIN

Harry Linstead, Farmer, Near Brandon, Killed on Great Northern Tracks.

Brandon, Man., Mar. 1.—Harry Linstead, farmer at Roseland, had been in Brandon during Saturday afternoon with his horse and cutter, and started for home about 9 p.m. It appears that shortly after leaving the city he made for the "Great Northern" track, down which he drove from a point just beyond the city limits. He was struck by a train, and was killed. The train was a passenger train, and was carrying a large number of passengers. The driver of the train was not injured.

Passing the train they came upon the cutter smashed to splinters, while Linstead was hurled about eight feet from the point of impact, lying insensible, with severe wounds on the head. The horse was unhurt, and was taken to the point of impact, lying insensible, with severe wounds on the head. The horse was unhurt, and was taken to the point of impact, lying insensible, with severe wounds on the head.

Coroner Moore drove out to the scene of the accident today and found that the cause of death was a fractured skull. Deceased leaves a wife and one child, a daughter, aged fifteen months ago, a daughter of R. Chapman, who occupies an adjoining farm. He came originally from England and is not known to have any other relatives in the vicinity.

C.P.R. TO BUILD ELEVATORS.

Federal Government Will Not Undertake Construction of Terminal Elevators at Vancouver.

Vancouver, B.C., Mar. 1.—The Alberta government has been advised from Ottawa that the Dominion government will not build elevators in Vancouver. The bill will be done by the C.P.R. The bill was introduced in the House of Commons on March 1st.

First Chinese Consul General.

Vancouver, Feb. 23.—Kung Sen Chew, at present attached to the Chinese embassy, London, and vice-consul at Lord Li, the ambassador, will be the first Chinese consul general at Ottawa. He came originally from England and is not known to have any other relatives in the vicinity.

Engineer A. H. Huxley, who brought the train into Brandon, states that he has no recollection of the occurrence. The night was dark and the speed of the train caused the engineer to be around the cab obscuring anything on the line from view. He did not feel the shock and was unaware of what had happened until yesterday morning.

RUSSIA WOULD EXCLUDE FOREIGNERS.

Japan, Covenants Manchuria.

Peking, Feb. 23.—The situation at Harbin, as first exposed by Frederick D. Fisher, the American consul there, is becoming more acute. Business at all stations west of Harbin is at a standstill owing to the fact that Russian soldiers are not only closing but sealing and guarding all Chinese mercantile establishments for refusing to pay the taxes levied by the railway. The railway administration threatens the closure of English, German and French, as well as all the Chinese establishments at Harbin. Great Britain and Germany have entered strong protests, upholding the American position. France is passive on account of the Japanese. Japan is neutral on account of the strong representations made to her by Great Britain, but unofficially she is wholly sympathetic with the Russian position, hoping for a president that will permit Japan to exercise sole political power over her spheres in Manchuria. Not only the open door, but the integrity of China proper, is at stake. The Russian contention prevents China from the sovereign administration of practically all Manchuria.

Maryland Village Destroyed.

Marydel, Md., Mar. 1.—The village of Templeville, two miles west of here, was destroyed in the city before 10 a.m. In a test case recently a Chinaman was fined \$5. This is being appealed to the full court and the Chinaman declares they will carry it to the privy council if necessary on the ground that it is class legislation.

MAY HOLD GRANTS A YEAR.

South African Veterans Will be Treated With Consideration.

Ottawa, Mar. 1.—At a meeting of the Canadian South African Veterans' association on Saturday, over which Major Winter presided, it was intimated that eleven associations were now affiliated including Halifax, Charlottetown, St. John, Quebec, Ottawa, Montreal, Toronto, London, Winnipeg, Regina, and Vancouver and Victoria. Representatives at the meeting were: Toronto, Col. Ryerson, Capt. Tom Walker, M.P.; Quebec, Col. Poirer, Major Bessie, Col. Turner; Montreal, H. S. H. C. Tattersall; Halifax, Capt. H. G. Stewart, Serg. Craig; Calgary, W. A. Lowry; Ottawa, Major C. E. Winter, Andrew Miller.

W. A. Lowry intimated that he had interviewed Hon. Frank Oliver, who informed him that the veterans could hold their grants for a year without performing settlers' duties and other about which had been discussed in consideration. A committee was appointed to which matters such as the disbursement of the fund will be referred. It was decided not to interfere on behalf of the veterans of the war, who are endeavoring to secure land grants. The following officers were appointed: President, Col. S. B. Steele, Calgary; vice-president, Major C. F. Winter, Ottawa; secretary-treasurer, Andrew Miller, Ottawa; provincial vice-presidents, Nova Scotia, Major H. B. Stairs, Halifax; Prince Edward Island, Major W. G. Weeks, Charlottetown; New Brunswick, Major B. R. Armstrong, St. John; Ontario, Col. J. S. Ryerson, Toronto; Manitoba, Col. J. Macdonnell, Winnipeg; Saskatchewan, Lt. Col. Saunders, Regina; Alberta, W. A. Lowry, Calgary; British Columbia, Capt. W. Hart Macgregor, Vancouver.

PATTEN CONTROLS WHEAT

Market of the World—Shorts Are at Wheat King's Mercy.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 23.—A "blue" week begins tomorrow for the wheat pit, who have pitted their judgment against that of the wheat king, who now controls the wheat market of the world. Wheat went to \$1.19 a bushel by Saturday, but it is expected to slip by that point with the wheat king under the careful guidance of Mr. Patten, and the shorts who have no covered position. The wheat king is expected to save himself from utter extinction, for Mr. Patten has said force of only \$1.14 a bushel. In the meantime, while Chicago shorts are vainly trying to seek a hole whereby they may escape, the wheat king is continuing to follow up all the main thoroughfares leading from the city. Instructions are to overlook nothing, and to follow up all the main thoroughfares leading from the city. Instructions are to overlook nothing, and to follow up all the main thoroughfares leading from the city.

THE HAMILTON MURDER.

Accurate Description of Man Who Murdered Kinrade Girl Not Available.

Hamilton, February 23.—Provincial detective Miller agrees with the members of the local force that the motive for the murder of Miss Kinrade was robbery. He said the man who killed her had a poor description of the alleged murderer to work on. It would fit one thought in a crowd of thousands.

DISCIPLINE CAUSED DEATH.

Member of Brooklyn Regiment Forced to Attend Inspection—Contracted Double Pneumonia.

New York, N.Y., March 1.—That their recruit sergeant, Frederick Kopp, a member of company "G" 47th Regiment, Brooklyn, was compelled by force to attend regimental inspection, although he had been confined to his bed for two weeks, and that he died two days later, from exposure, at his home, No. 310 Linden street, was the accusation made today by the young man's parents.

FALSE MARRIAGE IN CITY HALL.

Remarkable Case From Canada's Gretna Green—It Required Nerve.

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 23.—A young woman, name withheld on request, who was called on by the city magistrate, was married in the city hall, and was taken to her home in the city. The marriage was a false one, and was a case of Gretna Green.

TO CONTINUE FOREIGN POLICY.

The Tait Administration Will Pursue Course Laid Down by Roosevelt.

Washington, D.C., Feb. 23.—For more than an hour yesterday afternoon Roosevelt and President-elect Tait discussed the foreign policy of the new administration. The two men agreed that the new administration will follow the course laid down by Roosevelt.

POWERS PLEAD WITH SERVIA.

Paris, Feb. 27.—According to trustworthy information received here from Vienna, St. Petersburg and Belgrade, Rissa has consented to join with France, England, Germany and Italy in urging Servia to accept the ultimatum of the great powers.

WOMEN SUFFRAGETTES PUNISHED.

London, February 23.—Mrs. J. M. Phipps, a sister of Sir John French, and other women suffragettes, who were arrested for attempting to enter the House of Commons on February 18, were sentenced to Holloway jail for three months.

WILL RUFUS POPE LEAD CONSERVATIVES

In Alberta?—Ex-Member for Compton, Quebec, Mentioned as Possible Leader of Party in This Province—He is the Pope of Pope-Lefebvre-Fowler-Bennett Group.

Winnipeg, Mar. 1.—A despatch from Calgary to a Winnipeg paper states that the names of M. S. McCarthy, M.P., and Rufus Pope, ex-M.P. for Compton, are being considered for the leadership of the Conservative party in Alberta. Mr. McCarthy was the unanimous choice of the Red Deer convention, but he has not yet signified his willingness to accept. The despatch says, Mr. Pope has large interests in Alberta and his three sons reside there, and it is felt by leading Alberta conservatives that his vigorous personality would be a great strength to the party in the impending campaign.

CIDER INDUSTRY NEGLECTED.

No Attention paid to Manufacture of Beverage in Canada.

Ottawa, March 1.—A bulletin on cider, issued by the Dominion analyst, states that of 92 samples examined many contain salicylic white, others are colored with dyes and contain chlorides and sulphates. The analyst expresses opinion that either a real cider industry does not exist in Canada, or that no one is looking after its interests. Some of the cider sold in this country is not of the best quality.

PEACE IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

U.S. Will Put Damper on President Zelaya's Ambitions.

Washington, D.C., March 1.—The State Department officers do not know whether or not the Central American situation is taking, but they want to find out quickly when the orders are sent out to the troops in the Central American situation.

SIR THOMAS IS BUMPED.

Engine of Train Bearing C.P.R. President and Family to St. John is Derailed.

St. John, N.B., Feb. 27.—The engine of the train which Sir Thomas and Lady Shaughnessy and daughter came from Montreal, left the rails near Bathurst, N.B. One of the brakemen discovered that the switch was thrown against them. The signal was given the engine and the train was derailed.

IS HE HAMILTON MURDERER.

Murderous Attempt Made on Life of Detective by Ethel Kinrade's Slayer.

Wellesford, Ont., Mar. 1.—The township of Pelham is excited over an attempt made on the life of a detective by the slayer of the girl who was killed in the Hamilton murder case.

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PRINCE RUPERT TOWN LOTS.

Sale Will Begin on May 1st in Vancouver and Victoria.

Vancouver, Feb. 28.—It is understood that the sale of lots in Prince Rupert will take place simultaneously in Victoria and Vancouver on or about May 1st next, and subsequent sales will be held at intervals of about four weeks. The decision to place the sale on the market at these dates was adopted after due consideration.

Owing to the lack of accommodation in the northern town it was felt that it would be better to attend a sale, and on the other hand it is felt that the sale of lots in Prince Rupert will be placed on the market and separate subdivisions will be allotted to the various buyers in Victoria and Vancouver.

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GAY PARIS IN GRIP OF FIERCE BLIZZARD

Wind Driven Snow Falling For 48 Hours, With No Signs of Abatement—Many Deaths From Exposure are Reported—Worst Storm in Years.

Paris, March 1.—Snow has been falling in Paris almost continuously for the last 48 hours and a blizzard of unprecedented proportions prevails throughout the whole of France. Many deaths are reported from exposure. Several inches of snow have fallen in the department of the Alps-Maritime and the conditions at Cannes and Antibes are exceedingly wintry. Other southern resorts are also suffering from the worst cold snap in years. There are no signs of present or improved weather conditions.

BRYAN DENOUNCES SUITS.

Indictments of Newspapers for Alleged Libel is Condemned.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 26.—W. J. Bryan in the forthcoming issue of his Commonsense will say about the president's libel suit. "The President has secured the aid of a federal official who will have taken the United States of the Indianapolis News. If every newspaper proprietor is to be expected to serve as a federal prosecutor in the case he dares to say a word against the president, the first step toward despotism. It will cost Mr. Pulitzer and Mr. Smith more than the fortunes of the average man to defend themselves in the suits brought. What chance, therefore, would the average editor have in such a case."

BILL MINER'S PAL CAPTURED.

Arrested in Washington on Friday—Now Tell How Miner Escaped From Westminister.

Victoria, Feb. 23.—The mystery surrounding the escape of Bill Miner, which was the subject of debate in the House of Commons, will now soon be revealed by the capture of one of the men who accompanied Miner. This man, McLean, of Nanaimo, who was arrested today at Mount Vernon, Washington. He will be extradited to Canada to face the charges against him.

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