
CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY

Miles from Winnipeg	Time	STATIONS AND DESCRIPTIVE NOTES	
	Monday Sept. 13th		
107	1.04	PLUMAS	lighted; its municipal council
100	1.18	OGILVIE	conducts business in antici- pation of a trebled popu- lation of even more prosperous people. When summer resorts grow in the vicinity of Canadian towns, the conclusive mark of their inhabitants has surely appeared. On Lake Dauphin, eight miles from the town, there are eighty holiday cottages already in occupation, and tented camps too numerous to mention.
		<p>It will be too dark for you to see either the reaping of harvest, or the luxuriance of the woods skirted by the railway—the sturdy oaks; the tall, graceful, white-dressed poplar; the ten- foot bushes on which grow the luscious saska- toons; the cranberry shrubs; the hops climbing fifteen feet and yielding fruit that cannot be ex- celled in the Weald of Kent; the hazelnuts in un- believable profusion; the raspberry canes which a month ago could have furnished Covent Gar- den with its best berries. But these things abound long before you touch Dauphin, and for miles after you have left its lights behind. For you are traversing the flat district that separates Lake Winnipegosis from the Riding Mountains. Through Ochre River, whence a branch is build- ing for the farmers of St. Rose du Lac, through Makinak and Laurier to McCreary Junction, whence you can go to Neepawa, Carberry, Bran- don, Regina, and, if you choose, to Edmonton, the line leads to Gladstone, where the Canadian Northern Railway began to grow in 1896.</p>	
93	1.36	GLADSTONE	It is thirty-seven miles
87	1.47	GOLDEN STREAM	from Gladstone to Por- tage la Prairie, through a
79	2.05	KATRIME	succession of level farms.
75	2.16	BEAVER	The Portage Plains have
71	2.24	YOUILL	been growing wheat with- out a set back for over
66	2.32	RIGNOLD	thirty years. At Portage
61	2.42	WALLDON	la Prairie within a hundred yards of each other are the tracks of four transcontinental railways. The town has a population now of about 6,500, and aiming at 20,000; for which purpose it has a Twenty Thousand Club, with an apostle souly devoted to its service.
56	2.55	PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE	The track from Por- tage la Prairie to
49	3.08	CURTIS	