THE WORLD'S GREATEST DRY FARMING CONGRESS

Permanent Offices for Big Congress at Lethbridge in 1912 Will be Opened on Monday—To Spend $40,000 Preparing for Convention.

Advice has been received by the provincial department of agriculture that the offices of the World's Dry Farming congress will be opened next week in Lethbridge. The office equipment is now en route from Colorado Springs and the permanent secretary, John T. Burns, and his staff of assistants, are now moving from Colorado to Alberta.

Arrangements for the Dry aFrming congress of 1912 will at once be got under way. In fact they have been started already. Writing to deputy-minister of agriculture Geo. Harcourt, who was elected chairman of the executive council, Secretary Burns says that he is already in a position to give assurance that the Canada convention of 1912 will be the largest Dry Farming congress the world has ever seen. It is expected that Mr. Burns will pay a visit to Edmonton in the course of the next week or two to confer with the officials of the department of agriculture and the members of the government with regard to arrangements for the 1912 congress. A grant of $10,000 towards this congress has been promised by the Alberta government. Upwards of $40,000 will be spent in preparing for the convention.

DOES NOT APPROVE CHANGE OF SYSTEM

City Assessor McMillan Does Not Regard With Favor The Proposal To Separate the Assessing and Tax Collecting Departments of City.

The proposal which has been made to separate the work of collecting taxes from that of making the assessment is not regarded with favor by City Assessor McMillan.

"The present system," he stated to the Bulletin yesterday, "is beyond doubt the best system for Edmonton until such time as the city has greatly increased in size and the new city hall has been built.

"To establish a separate department for the collection of taxes under present conditions would be a needless increase of work and expense. The bulk of the taxes levied in each year are now collected during one month, or at most two months. The collector would require a staff of experts for that brief period, and would have no work for them to do when that period had passed.

In case this proposal were adopted, and the collector's office separated from that of the assessor, it would be necessary to compile each year an additional collector's roll, the preparation of which would be about as costly as the present combined assessor's and collector's roll. It is much easier under the present system to obtain for the assessor's use the names of owners than it would be if it were necessary to go into another department for changes which are frequently made known when taxes are paid.

"The prompt completion of the work of the department this year was rendered the more difficult by the imposition of the new frontage tax on property abutting on water mains. The work done this year, however, will make next year's task easier and less time will be required.

"There is nothing wrong with our present system, which will meet the needs of the city for many years to come. All that we shall require is office room for expansion and the addition to our staff from time to time of a few clerks."

DID LINTON MEET WITH FOUL PLAY IN NORTH?

Lyleton, Manitoba, Man, Missing Since Last April—Last Word Heard From Him Was From Edson—Was on His Way to Grande Prairie.

Lyleton, Man., Nov. 20—Albert J. Linton, a resident of this place, left here last April, having in his possession a South African scrip and a considerable sum of money. He took two pure bred horses with him as far as Swift Current, one of which he sold in that locality and the other he left in charge of a groom, who was to travel him for the season. After making these arrangements, Linton left Swift Current for Edson, April 20, leaving word with his friends that he would be back in six weeks. He informed his friends of his safe arrival in Edson and intended pushing on into the Peace River district to locate his scrip. He has never been heard of since. His friends have applied to Ottawa, but find his scrip has never been registered, and it looks very much as if he had met with foul play.

An enquiry concerning the whereabouts of this man was received at the R. N .W. M. P. headquarters in this city a month ago, and was forwarded to Athabasca Landing, which is the headquarters for the police of the northern district, including Grande Prairie, where Linton is supposed to have proceeded from Edson. No reply has yet been received from the north.

Did Negligence Cause Collision.

Grand Forks, N.D., Nov. 20—Warrants were sworn out here today for the arrest of Conductor Wm. Christianson and Engineer D. W. Acker, members of the train crew of the freight train which collided with the Great Northern eastbound fast mail, six miles east of Rugby yesterday. Isaac Wright, engineer and Michael O'Leary, fireman, both of Devil's Lake, were killed in the crash.

A MALIGNANT CASE OF SMALLPOX IS REPORTED

Victim Sent Into City From Construction Camps, Travelling in Crowded Car, and Proceeding to a Local Hotel—Both Have Been Disinfected

One of the most malignant cases of smallpox which has been brought to the attention of the health department up to the present time was reported Saturday and is now receiving attention at the Isolation hospital. The man came into the city from one of the western construction camps last night, travelling in a crowded car and proceeding at once to one of the local hotels. The case is an unusually malignant one and has caused some concern from the fact that during his journey the man came into close personal contact with a number of persons.

The car in which he travelled has been spotted and disinfected by the health inspector. Precautions have also been taken to guard against the spread of infection at the hotel. As many of the persons who travelled upon the car as can be located are being vaccinated. One man who was travelling in the car, noticing the patient, rendered assistance to him on the journey and accompanied him to the hotel. This man had not been vaccinated and is now under surveillance of the health officials.

Indications would seem to show that this last case is not unconnected with those previously reported, all of which would appear to have developed from the one at the parliament buildings. The last man to contract the disease was in the city until two weeks ago, when he left for the western construction camp. He has been there but a short time before he fell sick. The camp doctor sent him into the city for attention. There are now four cases of smallpox at the hospital, two having been discharged.

MAY BE A MURDER AT 1ST ST. RESTAURANT

Young Lad Caught By Chinaman in Making Away With Fowl, Hits the Celestial Over The Head and He Now Lies At Point of Death.

Mah Wah Hing, proprietor of the Alberta Restaurant, 830 First street, at present lies at the General Hospital at the point of death with a fractured skull and the police are looking for his assailant, a youth of some fifteen or sixteen years. If the boy is captured ,and there is every probability that he will be in the course of a day or two, a charge of murder or attempted murder will be laid against him ,according as to whether the Chinaman succumbs to his injuries or recovers. The police have been keeping the matter quiet in the hope of apprehending the youth and it was only through outside sources that the Bulletin was able to learn of the affair.

A Bulletin reporter visited the scene of the assault last night and was given a story of the affair by an employee of the restaurant. According to the information received, the assault occurred about two o'clock Sunday afternoon. Happening to look out of the back door of his restaurant, Hing noticed a boy in the act of raiding his poultry yard, which he keeps in the rear of his restaurant. The youth had two ducks in his hands which he was just making off with when he was intercepted. Hing grabbed the boy, but the latter wrenched himself loose, and picking up some heavy instrument struck the Chinaman over the head, fracturing his skull. Owing to the fact that there were no witnesses it is impossible to state just with what the blow was struck, but from the nature of the wound it appear that it was either a stone or a bottle. At all events it was sufficient to cause a serious fracture at the base of the skull.

He was removed to the General Hospital where Dr. Hislop attended him. Blood was flowing from his ears and it was evident that he was seriously injured. Examination revealed the exact nature of the injury to be a fractured skull. The Bulletin was unable to learn the name of the boy who inflicted the injuries, as the police refuse to divulge any information until he is arrested. It is understood, however, that the city detectives are working on the case and his apprehension is expected shortly.

Dr .Hislop stated last night that Hing has fairly good chances of recovery unless unexpected complications set in. He is still in a very serious condition, however, and some time must elapse before a positive statement can be made as to his chances for recovery. He was conscious last night and seemed slightly improved.

GAS EXPLOSION.

British Ambassador Was Compelled to Deliver Lecture by Candle Light.

New York, Nov. 20—Triple explosions of gas pent up beneath the pavement of a crowded street in the downtown section of Brooklyn resulted in the killing late last night of one person and the injury of twenty-five others. The explosions wrecked a mile of electric conduits and the theatre section of Brooklyn was in darkness the greater part of the night.

Hon. James Bryce, the British ambassador, delivered a lecture in the Brooklyn Academy of Music by candle light and theatre performances were given under the same conditions.

"There could be no better medicine than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. My children were all sick with whooping cough. One of them was in bed had a high fever and was coughing up blood. Our doctor gave them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the first dose eased them, and three bottles cured them," says Mrs. R. A. Donaldson, of Lexington, Miss. For sale by all dealers.

15 YEARS A DYSPEPTIC

Forced to Live on Stale Bread and Porridge.

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" CURED HIM

AVONDALE, N. B., October, 15th.

"I have been a great sufferer from Indigestion for fifteen years. I was forced to deny myself all such hearty foods as beans, meats, potatoes and could not drink tea or coffee. For the past two years, I lived on porridge, stale bread, etc. I had treatment from two doctors, and tried nearly every kind of medicine, but got worse.

"Finally I saw a testimonial of "Fruit-a-tives" and concluded to give them a trial. I took nearly four boxes of "Fruit-a-tives" and they have made me feel like a new man. I can eat all kinds of hearty foods without suffering, and am no longer constipated."

LEMUEL A. W. BROWN.

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R. G. DAVIDSON'S NAME IS AGAIN MENTIONED

One of the Vacant City Commissionerships—Special Committee of the City Council Has Approached and Offered Him the Position.

R. G. Davidson, formerly chief of the fire department, is being mentioned once more as a possible candidate for one of the vacant offices on the board of city commissioners. It is stated on good authority that Mr. Davidson has been approached during the last few days by a member of the committee of aldermen who have this matter in hand and may likely accept the position.

Several months ago, before Commissioner Bouillon was finaly dismissed and at the time when it was proposed to add to the board Mr. Davidson's name was mentioned as that of one likely to be appointed. At that time he stated that under no condition would he accept the appointment. In view of the changed circumstances it is now considered likely that he would accept the position if it were offered.

Mr. Davidson left the service of the city at the time when several of the superintendents retired, for the generally understood reason that they had experienced difficulty in working with Commissioner Bouillon. Since his retirement he has been associated with the Bitulithic and Contracting Co.,

While the committee appointed several months ago have not yet reported to the council it is generally known that they have made several attempts to secure suitable candidates, but with no success. One of the first to be approached was John Stocks, deputy minister of public works in the provincial government. A determined effort was made to persuade Mr. Stocks to accept the appointment, and failing his acceptance, John Chalmers, provincial government chief engineer was approached. It is stated that Mr. Chalmers would agree to accept only if assured of an annual salary of $7,000. This is in excess of that which the council have determined to pay to the new commissioners, namely, $5,000.

Whether an appointment will be made before the close of the year is not yet certain. An air of mystery surrounds the work of the special committee, and while several requests for a report have been made by the council such requests have been met invariably by a demand for more time. It is possible, however, that some action may be taken upon the return from the east of Mayor Armstrong, who is expected in the city tomorrow morning.

Quickest, Surest Cough Remedy Ever Used

Stops Even Whooping Cough Quickly—A Family Supply for 50c—Money Refunded if it Fails.

If someone in your family has an obstinate, deep-seated cough—even whooping cough—which has yielded slowly to treatment, buy a 50-cent bottle of Pinex and watch that cough vanish. If it fails, money back promptly, and without argument.

A 50-cent bottle of Pinex, when mixed with home-made sugar syrup, makes 16 ounces—a family supply—of the most effective cough remedy that money can buy, at a saving of $2. Gives instant relief and will usually wipe out a bad cough in 24 hours or less. Easily prepared in five minutes—directions in package.

Pinex Cough Syrup has a pleasant taste—children take it willingly. It stimulates the appetite and is slightly laxative—both good features. Splendid for croup, hoarseness, throat tickle, incipient lung troubles, and a prompt, successful remedy for whooping cough.

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49 NEW COMPANIES ARE INCORPORATED

Have Aggregate Capital of $8,000,000. Metropolitan Loan and Investment Company With Capital of $2,000,000 Has Head Office in Edmonton.

Notice of the incorporation of 49 new companies is given in the last issue of the Alberta Gazette by E. Trowbridge, registrar of companies. The companies have an aggregate capitalization of eight million dollars. The Metropolitan Loan and Investment Company Ltd., with head office at Edmonton, is capitalized at $2,000,000; the Superior Coal Company Ltd., with head office at Lethbridge is capitalized at $1,500,000 and the Canadian National Investments Ltd. with head office at Calgary, is capitalized at $1,000,000.

The new companies incorporated are as follows:

A. P. Burns Contracting Co., $30,000, Medicine Hat.

Alberta Transfer Ltd., $20,000, Gleichen.

Pincher Creek Rink Co., Ltd., $10,000, Pincher Creek.

The Westman Realty & Investment Co., Ltd., $10,000, Medicine Hat.

Bonnie Brae Coal & Quarries Ltd., $250,000, Calgary.

The Scandinavian Good Templar Building Ltd., $20,000, Calgary.

The Peace River Collieries Ltd., $200,000, Edmonton.

Jamieson, Harmer & Huntley Ltd., $50,000, Calgary.

The C. Planitz Co., Ltd., $25,000, Edmonton.

The Elbow River Power & Development Co., Ltd., $500,000, Calgary.

The Silver Heights Syndicate Ltd., $40,000, Calgary.

British Colonial Investment Co., Ltd., $10,000, Calgary.

Canadian National Investments Ltd., $1,000,000, Calgary.

Canadian Newspapers, Ltd., $500,000, Calgary.

Adams Coal Mine Co., Ltd., $25,000, Lethbridge.

The Alberta Realty Co., Ltd., $25,000, Edmonton.

The Monarch Securities & Investment Co., Ltd., $50,000, Edmonton.

The Crescent Heights Land Co., $25,000, Strathcona.

The Central Securities Ltd., $10,000, Edmonton.

The Gateway Chestermere Townsite & Development Co., Ltd., $75,000, Calgary.

Edmonton Rubber Stamp, Co., Ltd., $11,000, Edmonton.

The Endla Olive Co., Ltd., $10,000, Calgary.

The Manufacturers Locators Ltd., $100,000, Calgary.

The Inter-Provincial Lands Investment Co., Ltd., $250,000, Calgary.

Oaklands Park Development Co., Ltd. $18,000, Calgary.

The Magnetic Wheat-Flour Co., Ltd., $150,000, Edmonton.

Meeting Creek Trading Co., Ltd., $10,000, Edmonton.

The Mount Robson Trading Co., Ltd., $10,000; Edmonton.

Metropolitan Loan & Investment Corporation, Ltd., $2,000,000, Edmonton

Imperial Powder Co., Ltd., $10,000, Edmonton.

Federal Investors' Corporation Ltd., $75,000, Magrath.

Castleview Ranching Co., Ltd., $10,000 Pincher Creek.

Alberta Well Drilling Co., Ltd., $30,000. Calgary.

The Adams Land Co., Ltd., $15,000, Calgary.

The Superior Coal Co., Ltd., $1,500,000 Lethbridge.

E. F. L. Tavender & Co., Ltd., $20,000 Calgary.

Canadian Stock Food Co., Ltd., $50,000 Calgary.

The Lake Stuart Land & Development Co., Ltd., $50,000, Calgary.

The News-Telegram Publishing Co., $150,000; Calgary.

Canada West Securities Corporation, Ltd., $250,000, Calgary.

Alberta Bottling Works, Ltd., $20,000 Calgary.

Athabasca and Northern Townsites Co., $25,000. Edmonton.

Great West Nursery Co., Ltd., $10,000 Edmonton.

Calgary Loan & Investment Co., Ltd., $10,000, Calgary.

Beverly Heights Limited, $30,000, Calgary.

The Alexander Milling Co., Ltd., $10,000 Lethbridge.

The International Supply Co. Ltd., $200,000, Medicine Hat.

Certificates of Registration have been granted to the following companies:

London and British North America Co., Ltd., $5,000,000, London.

Walch Lands, Ltd., $100,000, Winnipeg.

Ross' Ltd., $50,000, London, Ont.

The Waite Fullerton Co., Ltd., $20,000, Winnipeg.

Selkirk Security Co,. Ltd., $100,000, Winnipeg.

Marshall Sons & Co., Ltd., $3,750,000, Gainsborough, Eng.

Portland-Stewart Development Co. Ltd., $15,000, Vancouver.

J. J. H. McLean & Co., Ltd., $100,000, Winnipeg.

The marriage of Joseph Gilbert Middlemass, M.D., and Tillie May Smith, both of Wainwright, Alta., was solemnized at the First Baptist parsonage, last evening, Rev. F. W. Patterson officiating.

Northerners Condemn Whitney Govt.

Cobalt, Ont., Nov. 20—A big mass meeting of miners and citizens was held here tonight condemning the provincial government for calling the elections when the revised voters' lists of Cobalt, Haileybury, Latchford and Coleman townships are not ready. A deputation will ask Sir James Whitney to defer the election for the district. About 3,000 appeals have been entered by those who wish to be added to the lists.

Harvey Decides Not to Run.

Orillia, Nov. 20—East Simcoe Liberals today nominated Ezra Long, an Orillia manufacturer. The former member, J. E. Tudhope, has retired from politics, while Dr. J. A. Harvey, who was first nominated, decided not to run.

12,000 BARRELS OF WHISKEY WERE BURNED.

Owensboro, Ky., Nov. 17—Twelve thousand barrels of whisky let loose by fire, which destroyed a bonded warehouse of the Davies County Distillery company here tonight, were licked up by the flames or lost, when the blazing liquor flowed out upon the Ohio river, covering the surface of the river with a sheet of flame. The loss of $400,000 is practically covered by insurance.

URGED INTOXICATION IN EXTENUATION OF CRIME

But Judge Taylor Refuses to Accept This is an Excuse—Two Men Sentenced to Lethbridge Jail for Six Months for Theft—Two Other Cases.

Four criminal cases were called for trial in the District Court yesterday. Two of the defendants pleaded guilty, a third not guilty and in the fourth case the accused, through some misunderstanding, failed to appear, being at liberty on bonds.

Frank Wilson entered a plea of guilty to the charge of stealing a watch and chain from R. L. Haskell, caretaker of the post office building, August 7th last. From the statement of Crown Prosecutor Cogswell, it appears that Wilson pretended to be deaf and dumb at the time he approached Haskell with a typewritten copy of an appeal for pecuniary assistance, representing that his condition was due to excessive heat. Haskell gave Wilson 25 cents. As evidence of his gratitude, Wilson immediately proceeded to steal Haskell's timepiece, which was lying on a dresser in Haskell's room.

Says He Was Intoxicated.

In a brief statement to the court, Wilson explained that he was intoxicated and in a stupor when the police arrested him, a few minutes after the crime had been committed.

"I could not have been in my right mind when I did it," said Wilson. "I don't remember anything about it."

"Intoxication is no excuse whatever for committing a crime," declared Judge Taylor. "You are a big, strong, young man, and I hope this will be a lesson to you. I could give you seven years in the penitentiary, but I will sentence you to serve a term of six months in the Lethbridge jail. You must be careful when you get out. You would not get off so easily the next time. When your term expires, go to work and earn an honest living. There is plenty of work for every man who wants to work in Canada."

Admits He Stole Overcoat.

William Mayer, who was unable to speak anything but Polish, told the court through the aid of an interpreter that he was guilty of stealing an overcoat from the Jasper House, October 12th, belonging to Louis Chapman. Mayer also attributed his present predicament to over indulgence in liquor.

"I'll give you a chance to sober up," observed Judge Taylor, and he sentenced Mayer to six months in jail at Lethbridge.

Brawn Fails to Appear.

Clerk Kelly called the name of Steve Brawn three times, and there being no response, inquiry developed the fact that he was out on bail and probably had not been advised that his case was due for trial. Brawn is charged in a complaint sworn to by Bernard Hyams of destroying a cheque for $5, drawn by J. A. Brawn upon the Merchants' Bank of Canada.

Stein Pleads Not Guilty.

John M. Stein, accused of obtaining various sums of money, aggregating $52, between September 28 and October 20th, with intent to defraud John Pietratus, was probably confused when asked what his plea would be, for he said "guilty," at the same time expressing a desire "to make a speech."

"What, are you guilty?" inquired Mr. Robertson, who appeared for the defendant. The solicitor wheeled around in his chair and addressed the prisoner in a tone of surprise.

"Not guilty, I meant," returned Stein.

"Well, you hadn't better try to make another speech," remarked the solicitor, and the taking of evidence began.

Pietratus testified that he gave Stein different amounts of money, footing up to $52, on the strength of Stein's representation that he would pay a law firm for prosecuting a civil action in the District Court for Pietratus. The money, it is alleged, has never been paid, while Pietratus holds a receipt for all he handed to Stein.

CANADIAN NORTHERN SECURES EASY GRADE

Maximum Grade of Seven-Tenths of One Per Cent. Obtained Through the Mountains on Main Line—Location of Line Completed to Tete Jaune Cache.

Vancouver, B.C., Nov. 21—Advices received here by W. White, chief engineer of the Canadian Northern railway, state that W. I. Bassett and party have just completed the locating of the main line between the Yellowhead pass and a point in the vicinity of Tete Juan Cache. A portion of the original location, run in winters ago, was abandoned and a new line secured on the opposite side of Moose Lake.

Mr. Bassett reported that he was successful in securing a maximum grade of less than seven-tenths of one per cent. over the section which is the steepest on the entire route. He will shortly resume the revision of the route south from Tete Jeune Cache to Albreda Lake summit at the head waters of the North Thompson river.

TO WAIT ON PREMIER

In order to hasten the passage of the Amalgamation Bill through the legislature, so that it may not be necessary to hold a municipal election before the new mayor and council of the united cities called for by the act, Mayor Armstrong will arrange for a delegation committee to wait on Premier Sifton to urge immediate action by the legislature at the opening of the session. The mayor is hopeful that the bill may be passed within the first week after the opening of the session.

Don't waste your money buying strengthening plasters. Chamberlain's Liniment is cheaper and better. Dampen a piece of flannel with it and bind it over the affected parts and it will relieve the pain and soreness. For sale by all dealers.

CURED OF CONSTIPATON

Mr. Andrews praises Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills.

Mr. George Andrews of Halifax, N.S., writes:

"For many years I have been troubled with chronic Constipation. This ailment never comes single-handed, and I have been a victim to the many illnesses that constipation brings in its train. Medicine after medicine I have taken in order to find relief, but one and all left me in the same hopeless condition. It seemed that nothing would expel from me the one ailment that caused so much trouble, yet at last I read about these Indian Root Pills.

That was indeed a lucky day for me, for I was so impressed with the statements made that I determined to give them a fair trial.

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NO CENSURE FOR THE BRICKLAYER'S UNION

Trades and Labor Council Allows Matter of Bricklayers' Banquet Catered for by Japenese to Drop—Resolution Presented to Exclude Press From Meetings.

The Trades and Labor Council at Monday night's regular meeting, virtually decided to drop the matter of the protest of the Cooks' and Waiters' Union against the hiring of Japanese help at the recent banquet of the Bricklayers' Union. The committee of three appointed to deal with the matter brought in a report that they had agreed to disagree. Only two members of the committee were present when the meeting was held and they were unable to agree on the matter. A motion was brought up, when the committee's report was received, to table the matter for the time being and bring it up under new business. It was moved in amendment that the committee be discharged and a new one appointed.

Considerable acrimonious discussion followed and when the question was finally put, the motion carried by seven votes to six, a number of members refusing to vote. When the chairman reached new business there was an ominous silence and when he passed to the next head there was an audible sigh of relief from the rather small gathering of members. Evidently no one possessed the temerity to bring up the question again and it was virtually shelved. The result is that the protest of the Cooks' and Waiters' Union goes unheeded and the Bricklayers' Union goes uncensured.

S. Blake gave notice of motion of a resolution calling for the exclusion of the press at all meetings of the council. This notice of motion came up at a previous meeting, but according to the constitution it must remain on the table until the next meeting, when it shall be voted upon. This evoked considerable discussion. In the opinion of J. Knight, such action was entirely unnecessary, taking the view that the meetings of the Trades' and Labor Council are not secret and therefore entirely open to the public. Opinions to the contrary were also expressed. The matter will be decided at the next meeting of the council, when a vote will be taken.

H. E. Whitebride wrote regarding a Labor paper which he proposed starting and which will be confined to the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan. According to the proposal, Mr. Whitebride was to finance the project, while the labor unions were to appoint an editor and dictate the editorial policy. The matter was laid over until the promoter comes to Edmonton and explains his plans more fully.

SPRUCE AND CEDAR IS 3 FEET IN DIAMETER

On Timber Limits on Fraser River Below Tete Jaune Cache, Surveyed This Summer by W. C. Fluin for Victoria Firm—Survey Party is Now in This City.

Having completed the survey of a score of timber limits on the Fraser river, 50 miles below the Tete Jaune Cache, W. C. Fluin and a party of six men who went west from Edmonton in September, returned to the city on Saturday night. The limits, each a mile square, were laid out for Carlin Bros., of Victoria, B.C. They are on the north side of the Fraser river, east of the Beaver river. The G. T. P. will run along the south bank.

The timber from the Beaver river east is described by Mr. Fluin as being principally cedar and spruce, of excellent quality. It averages from 20 to 35 inches in diameter, and some trunks are over three feet in diameter. It will cut in 32 foot logs. From the Cache to the Beaver river the timber is mostly birch of second growth, but from the Beaver river for a hundred miles west the timber is very heavy and as good as any known to exist in Central British Columbia.

Marten and beaver were very plentiful at the Beaver river, where the camp of the survey party was located. The country is reported to be swarming with trappers and prospectors "There are eight trappers to every two beaver," said a member of the survey party to the Bulletin.

The members of the party are W. C. Fluin, Geo. Franklin, J. G. Sutherland, J. Carmier, L. M. Whittier and C. R. Sale.

TWO MORE AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS SATURDAY

Little Boy Struck by Car on Jasper Avenue and Lies at Point of Death—Car Dashes Into Delivery Rig.

As a result of an automobile accident on Jasper avenue, about [illegible] Saturday afternoon, little five-year-[illegible] John Patterson, of 771 Namayo Avenue, lies at the General Hospital in a critical condition. In company with his brother and sister he was crossing Jasper avenue opposite the Garland theatre. Two automobiles running in different directions confused the lad and he ran directly in the path of the car owned and driven by P. R. Moeault. He was rushed to the hospital where Dr. Allin, who was summoned, found that the boy was suffering from a fracture at the base of the skull and concussion of the brain.

The little lad was in an unconscious condition all Saturday night but recovered consciousness Sunday morning. He was considerably improved last night and hopes are held out for his recovery. The parents are in a distracted condition. Little blame is attached to the automobile owner, as the little boy in his excitement placed himself in the dangerous position and the driver was unable to change the course of his machine. He stopped immediately and conveyed the boy to the hospital. Dr. Allin states that the boy has a fighting chance for recovery.

G. A. McCurdy, a grocer on Queen's avenue, is out a good delivery horse as a result of an automobile accident which took place on Fourth street on Saturday afternoon. Coming around a corner on Fourth street an automobile crashed broadside into a delivery rig owned by Mr. McCurdy. The rig was badly smashed and the horse rendered unfit for further use. The driver of the car stopped a moment to see the damage he had done and then put on full speed, evidently hoping to escape detection. The driver of the delivery rig, however, possessed sufficient presence of mind to jot down the number of the car and it is probable that Mr. McCurdy will be reimbused for the damage sustained.

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