

Grain Growers Illustrated Lantern Lecture

During the winter, commencing on the 29th of October, two prominent members of the Manitoba Grain Growers' association will tour Manitoba, giving lectures at various points, illustrated by colored lantern views. These lectures will be intensely interesting to every Western farmer who believes in freedom and the square deal, and will be descriptive of the rise and growth of the Grain Growers' association and The Guide. These lectures will also show that the many improvements which the men on the land now enjoy were secured and brought about by the farmers themselves, through their organizations, and that further improvements and reforms, which are very much needed, will be secured in the same way.

At considerable expense the men have

been equipped with the finest lantern obtainable for this work, also a large number of slides which will be well worth seeing. Here are some of the more important of these:

Two dozen colored cartoons, giving a political history of the times, from an independent standpoint.

Views of the co-operative movement in the Old Country, showing how the people in England and Scotland are reducing the cost of living by co-operation and dispensing with the middleman.

Photographs of the terminal elevator at Fort William, operated by the Grain Growers' Grain Company; the timber limit belonging to the Company in British Columbia; the home of the Grain Growers' Guide, and many others too numerous to mention.

MEETINGS YET TO BE HELD

Carroll	Nov. 13
Souris	Nov. 17
Hartney	Nov. 18 and 19
Lauder	Nov. 20
Napinka	Nov. 21
Melita	Nov. 22
Medora	Nov. 25
Deloraine	Nov. 26 and 27
Whitewater	Nov. 28
Boissevain	Nov. 29-Dec. 1
Ninga	Dec. 2
Killarney	Dec. 3 and 4
Holmfild	Dec. 5

Cartwright	Dec. 6
Mather	Dec. 8
Clearwater	Dec. 9
Crystal City	Dec. 10
Pilot Mound	Dec. 11
Snowflake	Dec. 12
Manitou	Dec. 13 and 15
Darlingford	Dec. 16
Thornhill	Dec. 17
Morden	Dec. 18
Plum Coulee	Dec. 19
Morris	Dec. 20

Lantern Lecture Tour Notes

Culross Enthused

On the 31st October the Grain Growers of Culross held a great gathering, about seventy-five farmers attending the meeting to hear what Messrs. Avison and Meneer had to say. H. Graham, secretary of the Association, made a splendid chairman and everything went off smoothly, the various cartoons and illustrations thrown on the screen being very much enjoyed by the audience.

Elm Creek Grain Growers Enjoy Lecture

T. E. Halford, secretary Elm Creek G.A., writes:—

"The lecture at this point was fairly well attended considering the busy time of year, and was very enthusiastically received by those present. The lecturers are equipped with a first-class lantern and a particularly good selection of educational slides. One striking slide of the elevator man falling off the teeter caused considerable laughter, its significance being fully appreciated. The two gentlemen in charge of the lecture are well selected and promise to make good. They not only possess knowledge of the achievements of the Grain Growers' Association, but are capable of imparting such knowledge to others. Give them the welcome hand, fellow partners, and thus assist in the betterment of our moral and social life."

St. Claude Grain Growers Interested

On November 3, in the local hall, about fifty farmers heard the lecture. Messrs. Avison and Meneer were again in great form and the different cartoons and pictures thrown on the screen were greatly appreciated and enjoyed. The farmers of this district are mostly French and are greatly interested in the doings and achievements of the Grain Growers. These people are anxious to learn more about the cause of the organized farmers, but are naturally somewhat handicapped on account of The Guide not being printed in their own language. The success of the meeting was due to the efforts of Wm. Grainger, who is doing noble work for the cause.

Well Received at Rathwell
Seventy-five farmers at this point

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