

AROUND THE CITY

LOCALS.

At the Police Court this morning three drunks were fined \$5 each and a man for riding a bicycle on the sidewalk paid \$3 for the breach of the by-law.

On and after November 1st the Canadian Northern will transport milk in their baggage cars under the check system. Cream will be handled by express, as heretofore.

At the police court this afternoon, John Atkin, against whom a charge for stealing a watch has been up for hearing several times, was sent down to Fort Saskatchewan for thirty days by Magistrate Wilson.

The city police magistrates have issued instructions to all pawnbrokers to keep the number and other identification marks of goods received by them in pawn. Stolen articles can thus much more easily be traced.

Complaints are received from residents in the vicinity of Third and Vermilion streets of a number of boys who are causing considerable disturbance in the late evenings by throwing stones at the tenters and passers-by.

At the Mounted Police Barracks yesterday the cases against the proprietors of the Royal Hotel, Stoney Plain, and Fairview Hotel, Spruce Grove, for alleged breach of the license act were adjourned until Saturday.

A large moose head has been placed in the C.N.R. offices in the North Block. The antlers are of immense size, measuring 54 1/2 inches. It is said the moose, which was shot near the C.N.R. thirty miles east of Edmonton, was the largest in Alberta.

Mr. Fred Hauschel, a farmer living ten miles west of Strathcona, died yesterday at the General Hospital, where he was taken a couple of weeks ago critically ill with typhoid fever. The deceased, who was 49 years of age, leaves a wife and family bereaved. The body was taken to Strathcona for interment.

Dr. Ella Spange, whose office was destroyed in the post office fire, has moved to 35 Jasper, east, the office formerly occupied by Sheriff Robertson, over the Martin saddlery store.

At the Police Court last evening the case of a teamster named Renzie for obstructing the sidewalk, was dismissed, the offender paying the costs. The alleged breach took place on Fraser avenue, where the sidewalk has been removed.

The deputy minister of agriculture has written to the secretary of the board of trade asking for a photo of Edmonton, from which can be made cuts to be used in a publication that will be distributed in London during the Franco-British exhibition to be held there next year.

The chemical engine was called to Fifteenth street at the top of the hill about five o'clock yesterday afternoon. A fire had caught in some brush, and as the tents and houses of that vicinity were threatened an alarm was rung in by some of the residents. The fire was easily extinguished.

The late secretary of the local trade and labor council, G. Parkes, leave in a few days for his home in Australia. Prior to his departure the local council will hold a smoker in union next Tuesday evening in their regular rooms. Refreshments will be served and all delegates to Winnipeg are invited to be present.

The meeting of the Ratepayers League called for the council chamber last evening, but did not materialize. There were not enough present to warrant the adoption of a platform. Judge Harland, chairman, Mr. Allan and J. A. Kinney were the only members of the executive present. An adjournment was made to next Friday evening.

CONVENTION DELEGATES.

Edmonton will be liberally represented at the Provincial Association convention to be held in Calgary tomorrow. Every outgoing train since yesterday morning carried delegates from Edmonton and Strathcona to the southern city. Among the delegates are: P. E. Lessard, Jas. McGeorge, F. A. Walker, M.P.P., J. B. Holden, M.P.P., Sheriff Robertson, Dr. Whitlow, Bob Hamilton, N. Bander, Mr. Ritchie, R. J. Hanson, Paul Reid, S. Shandro, W. J. Collier, A. T. Walker, Deacon White, W. Brown, Fred Dechene, M. J. Stewart, E. Mills, J. D. Blayney, E. N. Whillan, John Killar, John Mendel, P. Conok, John Klack, J. H. Riddell, J. A. McDougall, H. Bell, Fred Lawrence, W. Foster, W. J. Moore, M. W. Eager, A. W. Ebbett, Dr. Archer, G. C. Baltz, R. Stewart, T. Poitras, M. W. Hopkins, S. Rankin, H. Seigler, John Morris, F. O. K. Gray, H. A. Woodward, F. M. Morgan, Chas. May, Joe Kelley, Capt. O'Brien, O. F. Strong, P. E. Lessard, J. Getford, M.P.P., J. R. Boyle, M.P.P., J. McKenna, M.P.P., J. McPherson, M.P.P., L. Hendraux, F. C. Perron, J. D. Walker, G. B. McLeod, J. H. Board, W. Garsy, C. Koerman, J. C. Noel, A. G. B. Linn, Dick McIntosh, Col. Edwards, Gus Lessard, O. Tessier, A. Allen Jones, D. Marshall, Hon. G. W. Cross, Hon. C. Rutherford, Dr. McIntyre, M.P.C., A. Carvey, J. E. Laurencie, W. Verrean, B. Brossan, W. Prieston, P. Gunn, Arthur Mowatt, Rev. Hagar, Herbert Bowen, H. Hett, H. Brossan, H. B. Round, H. D. Hume, W. W. Campbell, Malcolm Dewar, A. Archibald, W. Swedrick, J. A. McKinnon, M. Bertrand, S. Mahoney, Joe Forster, Hon. Sen. P. Roy, Hon. Sen. P. Tait, A. Eversall, M.P.P., M. McKenzie, Beaver Lake, Rod Hoyle, J. E. Shepard.

SENT UP FOR TRIAL.

At the police court yesterday afternoon Wm. Goodman, a farmer of St. Albert, was sent up for trial in the Supreme Court on a charge of altering the weight of a load of hay. The hay was weighed in the city, and the ticket, produced in court, showed evidence of having been changed in the gross weight from 3,400 to 3,200 lbs., and in the net from 2,150 to 2,050 lbs. The amount involved by the change was only \$2.85.

R.N.W.M.P. TO REMAIN.

In a despatch received from Ottawa yesterday, it was stated that plans are under contemplation for the removal of the R.N.W.M.P. from the older settled parts of the western provinces to the more northern and unsettled regions. In contradiction of this, however, it is learned that when the new provinces were created, and the old territorial government was dissolved, assurances were given that the mounted police would be left in the provinces for at least five years.

SHORT ROUTE TO LESSER SLAVE.

Mr. Alfred Beaudry and son, of Lesser Slave Lake, arrived in the city last night, having driven the entire distance of over 250 miles in eight days. He came in on the Swan Hill trail, crossing the Pembina river at Belvedere or Macdonald's Crossing. He states the trail is dry, and the road in excellent condition for travelling. From Deep Creek, which is about half way to Edmonton, settlers are found all along the way. Mr. Beaudry states that some assistance from the government the Swan Hill trail would be the shortest and best route to the Lesser Slave Lake country. It is from seventy-five miles to one hundred miles, he says shorter than the north trail via Athabasca Landing. Oats in that district are a good crop. He threshed 600 bushels of it there. Wheat in many cases has escaped the frost, which renders a fair fraction of the crop of good grade.

COYOTE ESCAPES.

A coyote owned by some resident of the flats at McDougall avenue made its escape several days ago, and considerably alarmed the owners, who were afraid it might cause damage. One of the men pursued it with a revolver, and fired several shots, but was unable to bring it down.

In the meantime the unlawful discharge of firearms in the city has come to the notice of the police, and the alarmed hunters sought the assistance of the civic authorities to protect him from the power of the law. One of the commissioners interceded with good effect, explaining that the coyote owner was given permission to kill the animal if he could.

PHONE LINE TO VEGREVILLE.

J. Grierson, the foreman of the government telephone lines, came up from Vegreville last night on his way to Calgary. He states the line is practically complete to Vegreville and that their work will be finished by the end of the week. There are 100 men working, and he says "and everything is being pushed ahead as rapidly as possible."

CHARGED WITH ALTERING WEIGHT OF LOAD OF HAY.

Charged with having obtained money by false pretences from Mrs. Ida Copeland of Third street, Wm. Goodman, of St. Albert, was arraigned at the Police Court before Magistrate Wilson yesterday afternoon after the evidence of two witnesses had been taken. The case was adjourned till today.

The case for the crown was conducted by Crown Prosecutor Cogswell and H. A. Mackie represented the defendant. It is alleged that Goodman, who is a farmer about eleven miles from the city, in selling a load of hay to Mrs. Copeland changed the gross weight from 219 lbs. to 203 lbs.

The following was the evidence taken: Mrs. Ida Copeland—"I live on Third street, McLeod block. I was taken two weeks ago on a Wednesday I saw defendant on the square and bought some hay and some from him. He asked me if I wanted some good hay and he offered to sell at \$10 a ton. I said I wouldn't have anything but good hay. He brought the hay next Monday at 3 o'clock. I thought he said he would bring it at noon. It was good bright hay on the outside but had inside. The ticket from the weigher at St. Albert scales read 3630 lbs. It appeared to be all right so I paid for it. He split the hay off though I wanted him to stack it up. I did not want to take it but did not know what else to do. The load of hay was largely poverty grass, red grass and what is known as buffalo grass. He said none better could be bought. The amount he figured out came to \$13.15 but he said it would only be \$8. I paid him a \$10 bill and three \$1 bills. The waterman was there at the time and he said I had not got the weight I paid for. I asked Goodwin to wait but he refused so I paid him getting the change for a second ten dollar bill from the waterman.

To Mr. Mackie—"I am in the habit of making purchases for my husband but never bought hay by the load before though I have bought it several times by the bale. I wouldn't have bought the hay for \$4 if I had seen it on the square. The horses hardly eat it.

Joseph Outsmet, who is the town police at St. Albert said he was also the town weigher. He kept all the weights, gross weight, tare weight and net weight. It always got a duplicate printed from a carbon. The defendant got a load of hay weighed last Monday, Oct. 14th. He put down the weights as usual and gave the defendant a carbon duplicate.

The prosecutor here produced the weigh book showing the gross weight of 3,400 lbs., the tare weight 1,200 lbs., and the net weight 2,200 lbs.

The witness further said that the defendant had a talk with the defendant since the weighing and that the defendant had changed the weight of the hay. He did not know how the figure on the ticket was changed. The figure on the ticket given to the defendant had been changed in the gross weight from 3,400 to 3,200 lbs., and in the net from 2,150 to 2,050 lbs. The amount involved by the change was only \$2.85.

AT THE R.N.W.M.P. BARRACKS.

At the R.N.W.M.P. Barracks, before Inspector Worsley, this morning three cases for violation of the license act came up for hearing against Fred Madu and Frank Thill, proprietors of the Royal Hotel, Stoney Plain, and Carl Gittel, Fairview Hotel, Spruce Grove. The offences are alleged to have been committed on Sunday, September 22nd. The hearing will likely occupy the whole day. The prosecutions are brought by the provincial detective on behalf of the license department.

TEMPORARY METHODIST CHURCH.

A permit was taken out this morning at the office of the building inspector for a temporary Methodist Church on Fourteenth street, just north of Jasper avenue. The building for driving his car by a man named Piche, who is not long ago, and the cost will be in the neighborhood of only \$1,000, as the building will be roughly put up for immediate use. The property has recently been purchased by the Methodist Church from W. S. Weeks, through the agency of McGrath, Hart & Co.

SESSION OF PRESBYTERY.

A special meeting of the quarterly Presbytery of the Presbyterian church in this district was held today in the Fire Presbyterian church, market matters of importance. Those in attendance are Rev. Dr. Herdman, of Calgary, superintendent of missions; Rev. Dr. McQueen, Rev. Mr. Forbes, of Fort Saskatchewan; Rev. Mr. Fleming, Strathcona; Rev. Mr. Smith, Belmont; Rev. Mr. Myers, Rev. D. Campbell, Norwood, and Rev. Mr. Reikle, of Leduc, the clerk of the Presbytery. Rev. Mr. Forbes is accompanied by his wife. They are the guests of Mrs. John Owens.

EDMONTON AUTOIST FINED.

A case of some interest to horse owners and people whose business necessitates much travel by road, came up before Mr. T. Brokoviak, J. P., North Battleford, on Friday, when Darwin Piche, of Edmonton, the driver of an automobile, was summoned for driving his car by a man named Piche, who is not long ago, and the cost will be in the neighborhood of only \$1,000, as the building will be roughly put up for immediate use.

The platform as prepared by the committee will be ready for use at an early closing by-law, came up for hearing again at the police court last night before Magistrate Cowan. After judgment was reserved, every listener in the hall held that two of the defendants that the by-law is invalid owing to the manner in which it was passed by the city council. At the two meetings of September 13th and September 20th, it was given three readings each, but the final reading of the second three was under the protest of Alderman Daly. The second three readings were necessitated by the date of the act going into force having been omitted on the first occasion. Mr. E. Bown, city solicitor, is acting for the prosecution, and J. D. Hyndman for the defendants.

AT YOUNG MEN'S CLUB.

The Young Men's Club of McDougall Church met last evening in the hall at 107 1/2 street. E. Marshall was in the chair. An address was given by Pastor McDonald, of the First Baptist Church, on "The man for the times." The speaker said that there were three necessary qualifications in this man, the physical, intellectual and spiritual. Our body was very closely connected with our morality, and so we must care for our bodies. The body had more to do with habit than most men think. Knowledge was the finding out of God's laws in the world, after all. The men that the times needed were men who were strong in body, strong in intellect and strong in character. The men that the times needed were men who were going to step into politics and carry on things right. What we wanted in politics today was to have men who were willing to lose their political scalps than to lose their conscience. The address was listened to with great interest, and the men were much benefited by the words of Pastor McDonald.

BUILDING PERMITS.

At the office of the building inspector this morning, permits were taken out for the following structures: Wm. J. Prout, Sutherland street, dwelling, \$3,500. J. Kelly, Fifth street, dwelling, \$1,400. Methodist Church, First street addition to church, \$700. C. Springer, Vermilion avenue, stable, \$175. E. Barracough, Government avenue, addition to dwelling, \$75. E. Pion, Isabella street, addition to dwelling, \$75.

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6 Pieces Heavy Beaver, Regular \$15.00. Now \$11.15.	Ladies Heavy Dogskin, \$1.25	\$12.00 Suits go at \$8.00			
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	Vests and Drawers, Regular 50 cents. Now 40c.				
TOQUES.		MEN'S TIES.		MEN'S HATS.	
All colors, Regular 40c. Now 25c.	Silk four-in-hand, Regular 40c and 50c. Now 25c.	A miscellaneous lot in all sizes, to clear at \$1.25			
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30 pairs Men's Dongola Congress, Regular \$4.00. For \$2.10	Small Furs in Marmot sable, Mink, Fox and Ermine.				
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30 pairs Misses Dongola Bals, Regular \$2.25. For \$1.60					

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HERE DURING REBELLION.

Lieut.-Colonel E. G. Piche and Mrs. Piche, of Joliette, Quebec, were in the city today. The lieutenant-colonel is a member of the Canadian Ticket Agents' Association, holding the office of second vice-president. He and his wife have been making an extended tour of the west, and were interviewed this morning stating that the changes here in the past few years were astounding. "Regarding the accident to the Empress of China I have little to say. It is unfortunate that this occurred, as our fleet was already crippled owing to the disposal of two of our liners to the Japanese. It will probably upset the mail service, but the matter will be remedied as quickly as possible by the purchase of another boat. It was fortunate the accident occurred at this time of the year, as the tourist trade is really over."

EXPORTING STOCK.

J. B. Halstead, of Calgary, assistant general freight agent of the C.P.R., was in the city today, a guest at the Albertian. "We are at present," he said, "engaged particularly in the exportation of cattle. The stock will occupy our attention for a short while, but the business will be handled in a systematic and effective manner. "Regarding the accident to the Empress of China I have little to say. It is unfortunate that this occurred, as our fleet was already crippled owing to the disposal of two of our liners to the Japanese. It will probably upset the mail service, but the matter will be remedied as quickly as possible by the purchase of another boat. It was fortunate the accident occurred at this time of the year, as the tourist trade is really over."

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EARLY CLOSING BY-LAW.

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EDMONTON IN EARLY DAYS.

Warden Macaulay of the Provincial Penitentiary addressed the Young People's Guild of the Presbyterian Church last evening on the subject "Edmonton in the Early Days." "I left Winnipeg ten known as Fort Garry, in 1871, with my wife and child, a cart and oxen, for the city of Edmonton. It was a two-months journey across the plains, but when we arrived here we were ready for another 1,000 miles if necessary. I think the easiest way for me to interest you is to talk about the times and the growth of the city as made in the papers, the Bulletin. When the Bulletin was first published it was about the size of a Bible and, in fact, it was called the "Scotch Bible." Producing a copy of the original Bulletin the warden read several amusing advertisements from it.

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IMMIGRATION HALL NEWS.

The Immigration Hall news, according to Nels Nelson, who is the possessor of a stone, which, on the authority of several of the jewels of the city, he claims to be a diamond. The stone has been sent to Winnipeg, where it will be examined by a gemologist. There are constant inquiries being made at the Immigration Hall regarding the Paddle River, Peavine Prairie and Rimburb Prairie districts.

AGENTS WANTED

The city streets are now in much better condition than they have been at any time in the earlier part of the year. The good work done by City Foreman Palmer at small cost, has reflected credit on his skill in the position which he occupies.

LOCALLS.

From Friday's Bulletin. The work of the painting of the woodwork of the new railway station has been begun, and is now progressing favorably. The roof has almost been completed. The old plank walk has been taken up, and replaced by a new one, which has been constructed down to the present old station. Work on the three new churches be-

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The fire chief wishes citizens to understand that the burning of rubbish in the back yards must cease. This practice constitutes a grave danger to neighboring buildings, and is in direct contravention of the by-law which forbids the burning of anything in the open within 100 feet of any building. Only the other evening the chief and some of his men were called out at about 11.30 to put out a fire which had been started close to a building by ashes carelessly thrown out, and from which sparks were being blown directly on the building by the high wind which prevailed. If the fire had gone unnoticed for a little longer it might have resulted in a disastrous blaze. This morning Chief Grant found two people commencing to burn piles of paper and rubbish in their backyards, with a gale of wind blowing. After this warning all offenders will be prosecuted.

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Fine Edifice of Church Burned Insurance

Bulletin Special. Wostok, Alta., Oct. some church edifice Greek church, was here at 9 o'clock yesterday. The origin of the fire is not known. It was estimated at \$2,000. The church was the one in the neighborhood of the fire. It was estimated at \$2,000. The church was the one in the neighborhood of the fire. It was estimated at \$2,000.

Whitely, Ont., Oct. W. Daly, of Lindsay, a train while operating morning and instantly

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