

# AROUND THE CITY

**LOCALS.**  
(From Monday's Bulletin.)  
J. H. Morris returned this morning from a trip to Winnipeg.  
McDougal postponed this morning. Rev. E. E. Marshall united in marriage Mr. Daniel W. Lewis and Miss Lou A. Wallace, both of Ipswich, South Dakota.  
Dr. Riddell has returned from Macleod, where he was assisting at the special ordination of Henry Haslev, a late Alberta College student, who takes charge of the Frank Mission.  
Since the first of July licenses have been issued for \$3 real estate offices in Edmonton. Last year there were over 100 offices, but this season there are some that have not yet taken out their licenses.  
The Canadian Club will have a luncheon at the Alberta Hotel on Monday at 1:30 o'clock, when Justice Landry of Dorchester, P.E.I., will be the guest of honor. All members of the club are requested to attend.  
Mr. Jerry Smith, the well-known independent farmer, is in the city today as the imperial. He has 120 acres under crop this year and says that the prospects were never better for a record harvest both of hay and grain.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Killips, of Syndicate avenue, were at home to a party of about thirty of their friends on Friday evening. Cards and dancing were the features, along with an excellent supper served shortly after midnight. A thoroughly enjoyable time was spent by all present.  
Mr. McKay, of the B. Hockley Co., returned to the city Friday after spending two months in New York. He states that crop conditions in Alberta look considerably better than anywhere else along the line. He enjoyed his stay in Gotham, but is glad to get back to Edmonton once more.  
The Capitol Mercantile Co. have vacated the store in the Opera House block and now occupy their new premises at the corner of Jasper avenue and Fourth street. The Edmonton Printing & Publishing Co. have also moved into new quarters in the Bellamy building at the corner of Rice and Howard streets.  
Between forty and fifty residents of Edmonton and district left on the Ottawa Old Boys' excursion to the Dominion capital over the C.P.R. on Saturday night. They filled a special Pullman. Another sleeper was attached at Battleford to accommodate a similar number who took the train there.  
Mrs. W. A. Deyl entertained the Ladies of the Macbees at her new home on Bellamy street, Thursday afternoon. A delicate lunch was served and a pleasant afternoon enjoyed. A dancing party was planned for Wednesday evening, July 31st. Final arrangements will be made at the regular review Monday evening, July 22nd.

Dr. H. R. Smith, who has interested himself in the case of the unfortunate German, Henry Opler, whose feet were frozen in the line. He is applying the amputation of both limbs below the knees, reports the receipt of \$20 in subscriptions toward securing artificial limbs for the man. This amount was subscribed through the Bulletin. Lists were opened in other places, but as yet no other returns have been made. It will require \$150 to purchase the artificial limbs.  
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Robert MacCarty, Queen's avenue, was removed to the public hospital yesterday afternoon. His case has not yet been diagnosed.  
E. A. Lilly, insurance adjuster, of Calgary, arrived in the city last night to appraise the loss caused by the fire in the Inglis block on Sunday morning.  
The young people of Poplar Lake will give a picnic at McDiarmid's Grove, on August 1st. The proceeds to be applied to the building of a new hall.  
E. Riche, of Gariepy & Lessard's, returned yesterday from Morinville where he has been in charge of the firm's store there with the manager, who is on his holidays.  
An incipient blaze occurred last evening in a Mamaya avenue house occupied by Emil Casakowski. A defective chimney was the cause. The loss will not exceed \$25.

A number of complaints have reached the police of persons loitering on Fraser's flats in made condition. Notices have been posted and any continuing such a practice will be prosecuted.  
The O.N.E. will not likely put on a special train for the Fort Saskatchewan fair on Friday, but will run extra coaches on the boat, which leaves at 8 a.m. Returning leaves the boat at 8 p.m.  
The E. W. M. E. are still looking for the man Rusk, who is alleged to have issued a worthless lien loan. The police have wired to Athabasca Landing to have him apprehended if he shows up there.  
The Edmonton branch of the Alberta Farmers' Association held their regular monthly meeting in the Board of Trade offices on Saturday. There was a fair attendance but only routine business was taken up.  
Two samples of new potatoes were left at the Bulletin office today from the garden of George Roy, corner of Fifth street and Victoria avenue, weighing 9 oz. and 5 oz. respectively. These potatoes grew in 42 days.  
A. J. Law, of Alberta College, has been secured to take charge of the Methodist services in the tent at Norwood, and also at Victoria avenue and Sixteenth street. The service in the latter place is in the evening.  
James Kelly, Canadian government agent at Wadena, Minn., writes that crop in Minnesota was very poor, such as wheat, oats and flax. The corn crop is very late, but if the frost keeps away a fair crop may be secured. The clover is very good.  
W. Beecher Smith, of Manchester, England, who is covering the Western provinces in the interests of the Y.

M. C. A. was a sales at the Board of Trade offices yesterday. He is issuing a pamphlet entitled "Hints to British Emigrants" for distribution in connection with the Y. M. C. A. work in the old land, and from the Board of Trade got the useful information concerning the industrial and agricultural resources of Britain.

The quarrel between Valentine Singer and M. Bilinski, at Gellidan, which has been ventilated for the past few days before Magistrate Wilson, resulted yesterday afternoon in the prosecution had been taken up. An umbrella handle in the hand, was then begun, but adjourned till next Monday, after the evidence for the prosecution had been taken.  
From Wednesday's Bulletin.  
The Yorkshire Club will meet this evening at the Castle Hotel.  
The Harris Novelty Trio appear again tonight in the Edmonton Opera House.  
Mr. P. J. Nolan, counsel for the Beef Commission, returned to Calgary yesterday.  
Mrs. P. J. Nolan, of Calgary, who has been visiting in Edmonton for the last ten days returned home yesterday, accompanied by Mr. Nolan.  
Dr. J. Russell, for twenty years superintendent of the insane asylum at Hamilton, who has been visiting in the city, left this morning for Calgary.  
Sid Smith, one of the Lesser Slave Lake traders, who has been in the city the past week, purchasing supplies for fall delivery, returned north yesterday.  
A garden party under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Poplar Lake Presbyterian Church, will be held at the residence of Messrs. McDiarmid, Poplar Lake on Thursday, July 25th.  
Jack Morton will open his new cafe in the Arcade block, now being built by Messrs. Archibald & Co. about the first of August. Work will be concentrated upon the completion of the building.

The further hearing of the Steinko Robertson assault case was this morning adjourned for a week. E. B. Wilson, who is appearing for the prosecution, and H. H. Robertson for the defence.  
At the police court this morning the case against Pile, charged with stealing saws, etc., from Archie Randall, was dismissed as there was no evidence of theft against the defendant.  
On account of several absent witnesses the hearing of the three charges of issuing worthless cheques against Messrs. L. W. Atling, was further postponed at Fort Saskatchewan until tomorrow morning.

The annual picnic of the Grace Methodist Sunday School was held in Norwood yesterday afternoon. The picnic was an enjoyable one and was largely attended. The program consisted of foot races and other interesting events.  
The management of the secretary of the National Council of Women in recent session at Vancouver, asking when they returned in Edmonton on their trip to the city. The city council has voted \$100 to assist in their reception.  
The management of the Kevin theatre gave their first performance in the opera house last night. The novelty trio from Chicago made a good hit as did Karl Keller in her illustrated songs. There will be a complete change of program tonight.  
Delegates from all trades in the city met in the Flinders Hall on Tuesday night, when committees were struck to handle the Labor Day demonstration this year, which is proposed to be the best in the history of Alberta. The next meeting will be held in the same hall on Tuesday next, the 30th inst.

The marriage took place at the King Edward hotel this morning of Fredrick A. Morrison, of the Farmington Advocate, to Miss Mabel Whitney, of St. Stephen, N.B. The service was performed by Rev. David Fleming, pastor of Knox Presbyterian church, Strathcona, in one of the parlors of the hotel, which was nicely decorated for the occasion.  
Hon. W. T. Finlay, minister of agriculture, returned to the city last evening. He stated that crops in the south are doing well and will be earlier than in the Edmonton district. The minister of agriculture spent yesterday at the Red Deer fair and spoke in high terms of the exhibits of horses and cattle. Mr. Finlay leaves the city on Saturday for a trip to the old country.

**SHOT FOR THEFT.**  
From Monday's Bulletin.  
A misguided lynx, with a taste for chicken, met a sudden end Sunday night, when a bullet, from a rifle found lodged in its carcase. The pernicious lynx had seriously deplored the henry owned by Mr. Kallow, who resides on the Strathcona side of the river. Mr. Lynx secured no less than a dozen fowl in two visits. His third visit, on Sunday, resulted in his death. Mr. Kallow shot the animal as it was about to enter the coop.

**T. A. STEPHEN'S SUDDEN DEATH.**  
(From Monday's Bulletin.)  
The sudden death took place last night about 11 o'clock, at his summer cottage at Cooking Lake, of T. A. Stephen, a well known German and one of the old timers of Edmonton. Mr. Stephen was staying on a small island in the lake with Mr. Gouin. They retired about half past ten and a little later Mr. Gouin's attention was attracted by a moon. Upon investigation he found that Mr. Stephen was dead. He hastened to the landing in his gasoline launch and alarmed Judge Scott and others.

**ON INDIAN'S TRACK.**  
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but Mr. Stephen was beyond human aid.  
The deceased first came to Edmonton upwards of fifteen years ago to set up the private banking business of Lafley and Moore. Later he went to the Kootenay and upon his return he was one of those who started the Pullman on the overland route. He did not make Dawson but proceeded to the Housholl Islands.  
Mr. Stephen was engaged in the business for some years. Mr. Stephen was a native of Coltingwood, where his father, Dr. Stephen, still lives.

**RISEN FROM THE RANKS.**  
Mr. H. McLeod, general manager of the C. N. R., who was in Edmonton last week, is a railroader who has risen from the ranks.  
Mr. McLeod was born in Skye, Invernesshire, Scotland, July 13, 1857. His railway record is as follows: 1877, chairman, Victoria Ry., Ont.; 1879 to 1880, rodman and leveler, Credit Valley Ry.; 1881, transitman, location Ontario and South St. Marie Ry.; 1882, resident engineer, construction Toronto and Ottawa Ry.; 1883 to 1885, assistant engineer, construction Lake Superior Section C. P. R.; 1886, on location and construction C.P.R. lines east of Montreal; 1887, on construction C.P.R., South St. Marie branch; 1888 to 1890, locating engineer, in charge of construction, C.P.R. division, C.P.R.; 1890, locating engineer, Calgary and Edmonton Ry.; 1891, revision surveys, C.P.R. and locating Niagara Falls, Park and River Ry.; 1892, revision surveys C.P.R. Chalk River to Sudbury; 1902 to 1905, Chief Engineer, Lake Temiskaming, Colonization Ry.; 1906, division engineer, construction, Montreal and Ottawa Short Line, C.P.R.; 1897 to 1900, locating engineer, and Chief Engineer and Superintendent, Crow's Nest Branch, C.P.R.; May, 1900, to date, Chief Engineer, Canadian Northern Ry.; July, 1902, General Manager, Canadian Northern Ry.

**BAD FIRE IN FRAME BUILDING.**  
The collection of shops, offices and play-houses on the corner of Jasper and Third streets narrowly escaped being wiped out completely yesterday morning by one of the most destructive fires that has visited the city for some time. At 11:30 the Morton Cafe is destroyed, and serious damage has been caused to the grocery store of R. Bruce Inglis, Lewis' Bakery, Precision Millinery and the jewelry store of the theatre, the Kevin and the Edmonton Opera House.  
About 6:30 yesterday morning, smoke issuing from the building occupied by Morton's Cafe. Without a moment's delay the fire spread rapidly, and in four minutes the brigade were on the scene.  
By this time the structure was in flames and the chemical engine was useless. In a few moments four streams of water were playing on the fire, but it was not until before it was got under control.  
In the meantime, every possible effort was being made to save the furniture and fittings in the fire zone. This work was in progress until the roof of the stage in the Kevin Theatre, which was used to generate the gas for the calcium light, exploded, throwing backwards almost every person in the vicinity, giving a severe shock to some of the firemen. Fortunately no one was injured.

Part of the contents of the Opera House were carried to an adjoining lot. In Lewis' bakery almost all the stock, with the exception of a few, was destroyed. The water fountain and some counters, were ruined. From the Precision Millinery a large part of the stock was removed, and a small part from Ireland Brothers' jewelry store. The contents of the stock of R. Bruce Inglis & Co. is a total loss, as is Morton's Cafe, with what nothing was removed.  
Losses are estimated as follows: R. Bruce Inglis & Co., \$5,000 loss, with small insurance; Morton's Cafe, one loss, \$200 insurance; Lewis' Bakery, not badly damaged, \$2,000 insurance; Precision Millinery, \$5,000 loss, with small insurance.  
The owner of the buildings, J. H. Watts, considers that the part of the block east of the Opera House, with the exception of the Kevin Theatre, is an entire loss amounting, it is understood, to about \$5,000.  
The cause of the fire is not definitely known, but it is supposed to have started from an explosion of the gasolene used in heating the water tanks of Morton's Cafe.  
The brigade made a good fight of the fire, and that it was confined to the area mentioned is largely due to the fact that the fire was well handled. Had their been a wind blowing the fire would undoubtedly have spread to other buildings. The water pressure was maintained at 80 pounds throughout. Five lines of hose were used.

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**JUDGMENT RESERVED.**  
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A calendar received this morning from the Board of Trade, which stated that the argument in the Star Church case was concluded before the judicial committee of the Privy Council yesterday, and judgment had been reserved.  
The case, which arose out of a dispute between adherents of the Greek Orthodox and the Greek Catholic churches at Star, has been before the courts for the past six years. The land involved is valued at only about \$2,000, but the principle involved by the decision had a wide bearing.  
On the whole, McDonald and W. W. Short, Edmonton, are the attorneys appearing in the argument before the Privy Council.

**SPREADING THE "GOSPEL."**  
From Tuesday's Bulletin.  
Up to Saturday close to 6,000 of the prominent Boarding of Trade's folders, fifteen minutes with Edmonton had been mailed, and already inquiries are coming in for more detailed information concerning the city. Pamphlets will be sent to every Canadian manufacturer, and at the request of residents numerous copies are being sent to the British Isles and all over the United States, also to New Zealand, South Africa, Australia, Cuba and Mexico.

**EXTENSIVE ALTERATIONS.**  
From Tuesday's Bulletin.  
The Gallagher Hull Meat Co. have completely overhauled their meat store in the Suburban, at the corner of renovation has been in progress the last month. A new glass and marble front has been put on the old one. The most modern methods and appliances have been introduced for the storing and preservation of dressed meat. The temperature of the store is kept at a constant 38 degrees Fahrenheit by means of a refrigerator counter with glass and sides has been installed for the storage of butter and vegetables.

In the cellar, which is lighted by means of luxifer lamps, is situated an ammonia refrigerator operated by a five horsepower electric motor, which is used for reducing the temperature of the refrigerators, cooling and freezing rooms. Two freezing apartments, 12 feet by 13 feet, have been fitted up in the cellar with a constant temperature of 20 degrees Fahrenheit below zero. In one of these apartments, the supplies of fish are kept in frozen state, while the other is similarly fitted up for freezing mutton and poultry.  
The walls of the main shop or sales room are made of concrete, and are clean tiled and give the shop an air of freshness and cleanliness.

**MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE.**  
From Wednesday's Bulletin.  
A young man named Charles A. Wood, bookkeeper at the Great West Saddle, disappeared on Monday evening from the city and search is now being made to ascertain his whereabouts. Wood was about twenty years of age and had been in the employ of the Great West Saddle for about a year. He came from Ontario.

**WEEDS IN THE CITY.**  
A gentleman has drawn the attention of the Bulletin to the large amount of weeds growing on vacant lots around the city and on the brow of the hill. He has been very successful in the work and is in a position to do the same in other places. He is offering to do the work for a reasonable price. He is a very energetic man and is willing to do the work for a reasonable price. He is a very energetic man and is willing to do the work for a reasonable price.

**THE ATTEMPTED MURDER CASE.**  
From Tuesday's Bulletin.  
At the police court this morning, before Magistrate Wilson, the preliminary investigation into the charge against Mikokis, of attempting to murder by shooting Charles V. Semrad was begun.  
The progress was made this morning, and the trial is expected to be held for a week or more if it proceeds at its present rate.  
The case for the Crown is being conducted by H. H. Robertson, in the absence of Crown Prosecutor Cogswell, who is on his way to Regina.  
The first witness was the victim of the shooting, Charles Semrad. He testified that he was in the block east of the Opera House, with the exception of the Kevin Theatre, is an entire loss amounting, it is understood, to about \$5,000.  
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