

Additional Alberta BETTER POST OFFICE SERVICE WANTED

At the last meeting of Summerville Union the resignation of Mr. Ritchie as secretary was accepted, and Mr. John M. Liddell was appointed to fill the vacancy. Our members have been very busy of late attending to harvesting and it has been difficult to give proper attention to matters of importance. This will be made up for at a later date though, when the members will have more time. Full particulars are being procured in regard to the Henderson fire, and at our next meeting we will discuss the question of co-operative stores.

The following resolutions were also adopted. "Whereas our petitions to the postmaster general regarding a bi-weekly mail receives no consideration whatever, it is the opinion of this union that we are not receiving just treatment from the department. Members are obliged to use other distant offices, at a very great inconvenience, where mail can be procured daily and it is urgently requested by this union that we be granted a bi-weekly mail as soon as possible. Under the present process of enumeration no adequate idea of the amount of business that would be transacted is obtained."

The residents of this neighborhood are much above the average of the country in general education and therefore make much use of the mails. The present contractor is willing and able to take a contract for the extra service. The telephone system petitioned for last year is not yet under construction and as the township is closely settled many letters pass to and fro by private messengers.

"Resolved that all candidates for membership of this union shall be men whose principal occupation is farming in this district and their names shall be submitted to a meeting of the union before being accepted."

The following telegraphic dispatch was sent out some time ago: "Particulars of a high colonization scheme of a semi-philanthropic nature, promoted by prominent Jewish bankers and merchants of France, England and Russia, were made public here by a prominent English financier visiting Winnipeg. The scheme is to colonize two hundred thousand of the persecuted Jews of lower Russia on farms which will be prepared for them in Alberta. Agents of the syndicate are understood to have been in the West for several weeks and to favor a large tract northwest of Edmonton. The present plan is to give the immigrants twenty years in which to pay for the farms."

This was thoroughly discussed by the members, with the result that the following resolution was adopted.

"Resolved that this union objects to the settlement of this enormous body of foreign Jews and considers that settlers of a more desirable character are obtainable. Further that this resolution be reported to the general secretary."

Resolved that the U. F. A. council be

asked to consider whether the government can be induced to establish a commission to control the lumber industry of the province and to prevent exorbitant prices being charged, or whether the U. F. A. should establish lumber mills of its own.
J. M. LIDDELL, Secretary.
Pincher Station.

THE RIGHT KIND OF A MOTTO

At a meeting of Tan Y Bryn Union held on September 18, six new members were secured, and as a result of the work we have started it is anticipated that we shall capture a lot more at our next meeting. We have as our motto "Every farmer a member of the Union."

We hope to have a visit from one of the officers of the central association at an early date, if such can be arranged for.

We are also anxious to ascertain what steps the U. F. A. are going to take in regard to the Hudson's Bay railway being built and operated by the government. If it is proposed to have the members sign a petition we are prepared to help, and would even send a delegate if it was thought necessary.

Tan Y Bryn Union is situated about six miles from Crossfield and nine miles from Carstairs, and we shall be heard from frequently during the coming winter.

E. RICHARDS, Secretary.
Carstairs.

SOME GOOD WORK

The members of Swan Hill Union are not going to be left behind when it comes to supporting the pork packing plant, and a bunch of fourteen contracts, aggregating \$35 hogs per annum, have been forwarded to the general secretary. We will get some more too as soon as the busy season is over.

H. S. DJUVE, Secretary.
New Norway.

WEIGH SCALES ORDERED

The last regular meeting of Pearce Union was held on Saturday evening, September 10th, there being a large attendance of members. Ten new members joined the Union and we now have a membership of thirty-one. Guess this is going some, seeing that this was only our second meeting. The president and secretary received instructions to order a Canadian Fairbanks five ton pitless scales, at a price of \$135.00, f. o. b. Calgary as per the quotations secured by the general secretary. At the next meeting of this union it is the intention of the members to place orders for coal, providing the scales are installed by that time.

F. R. DALZELL, Secretary.
Monarch.

FARMERS ARE BUSY

In sending in a request for more constitutions and reports of the last annual convention, J. Quinsey states that the farmers of Southern Alberta are very busy now, as the plows are now working in every direction after the recent heavy rains. However, the work of organization is going on rapidly and several new unions will be heard from in the course of the next few weeks.

HASTINGS COULEE BUSY

The members of Hastings Coulee Union are getting on fairly well at their meetings, which are well attended, but new members are scarce at the present time. We have a few members working in the interests of the pork packing plant and we are looking for a few more contracts in the near future, but everybody is busy harvesting just at the present time. We are also anxious to know what has been done in regard to gopher poisoning, and whether any steps have been taken towards asking the government to help furnish poison to kill off these pests. We are also anxious to get hold of the book "Sixty years on protection of Canada," so as to secure some information on the tariff.

ALMER H. JACKSON, Secretary.
Hastings Coulee.

TELEPHONES WANTED

Notwithstanding the pouring rain a largely attended meeting of the members of the Granum board of trade and local merchants and farmers was held in the Village Hall, Granum, on Tuesday evening, September 6th, for the purpose of adopting efficient measures for securing an extension of telephone communication between Granum and towns and villages to the east, namely, Barons, Noble,

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Carmangay and Monarch, and intervening farms at Jumbo Valley, Rocky Coulee and other places. Mr. Thomas Andrews presided. The extensions referred to have been officially promised nearly a year ago, and the necessary poles were actually delivered in Granum, but for some reason unexplained these poles were subsequently shipped away, and extensions from Claresholm east, which had not been applied for until after the poles reached Granum, have been made, while

Granum is left out in the cold. It was resolved to telegraph to the official in charge of the telephone business of the provincial government, pointing out the urgency of Granum's telephone extension requirements, and asking that the necessary connections be made at the earliest possible date. If necessary, this action will be followed up by a largely signed petition from those commercially interested in the matter of local telephone extensions.

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