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WAITING FOR THE RAILROAD.

By Edgar William Dynes, in the Play Man's Magazine.

In the west there are always a goodly number of people waiting for the railroad. There is the speculator who is holding land for the rise in value which will follow the laying of the shafts of steel...

Almost ten years ago a number of "go ahead" westerners with more enterprise and ambition in their make-up than money in their jeans, secured a charter to build a road from Midway to Vernon...

Over ten years ago it was announced that a railroad would be built from Golden down through the Windermere country and connecting with the Crow's Nest branch of the Canadian Pacific...

When the matter of whether or not the government was liable for the amount of the bonus came up in the courts some weeks later, a decision was handed down that went in the holders of the charter. This decision, however, came too late to be of any assistance to the project as construction had ceased some three months previous.

A short time before the general election of 1906, advertisements signed by a local trust company appeared in the local papers, asking for a rendering of all accounts against the Midway & Vernon Railway Company...

In July, 1909, a construction gang suddenly appeared on the scene west of Midway, an indication that they had received instructions to begin work on the grade of the Midway & Vernon. Again the hopes of the various interested parties rose high, but again they were doomed to disappointment.

All over the west there are men living in mansions, who have made fortunes in real estate, the enhanced values in city and town property being the direct result of the coming of the railroad. In Edmonton there are said to be over one hundred men who have each made from fifty thousand and upwards since the Alberta express has ceased to run.

THE CROP CONDITIONS ON C.P.R. IN ALBERTA

First Crop Report Shows Conditions to be Highly Satisfactory—Seedling About Over in Most of Provinces—Detailed Reports From Various Places.

Calgary, May 17.—The first crop report for the season filed by the C. P. R. station agents at various points throughout the country is on the whole favorable.

On the average 90 per cent of the seeding is completed, and from several points the report is sent that the crops are up one and two inches. So far there has not been a single report received of any loss from lack of rain or from frost.

These reports are received by the C. P. R. once a week, and cover the week ending yesterday.

Airdrie—Weather cool and dry; 11 inches snowfall; oats and winter wheat looking fine, and no damage from frost.

Edmonton—Weather clear, with medium light rains during the past week. Crops are looking good.

Stony Mountain—Conditions good; weather fair, with light snowfall; few showers of rain; wheat looking fine, and no damage from frost.

Camrose—Conditions good; cool, cloudy and light showers of rain. Wheat looking good; weather fair, with few showers, and more rain needed.

Daysland—Conditions good; warm and light showers. Wheat looking good; weather fair, with few showers, and more rain needed.

Killam—Conditions good; nearly all wheat and looking good; few showers of rain; wheat looking fine, and no damage from frost.

Hardisty—Conditions good, warm and light showers of rain. Wheat looking good; weather fair, with few showers, and more rain needed.

Staveland—Conditions good; weather very favorable, with steady snow on the ground. Wheat looking good; weather fair, with few showers, and more rain needed.

Macleod—General conditions good; fine rain during the week and prospects good. Wheat looking good; weather fair, with few showers, and more rain needed.

Pincher Creek—Ideal weather and rain, and general condition of crop fine. Wheat looking good; weather fair, with few showers, and more rain needed.

Coaldale—Conditions good; weather clear and cool, with high winds; very little rain and no frost. Wheat looking good; weather fair, with few showers, and more rain needed.

Medicine Hat—General condition of crop fair; more rain needed; weather fair, with few showers, and more rain needed.

NEVER EQUALLED IN ITS GRANDEUR

Impressive Ceremony Marks Conveying of King Edward's Remains to Westminster Hall

London, May 17.—Dignity, reverence and beauty mingled today in the impressive ceremony with which King Edward's mortal remains were taken from Buckingham palace to Westminster hall, there to lie in state.

Women, in the mourning through which the cortege passed, wept silently or sobbed aloud their sorrow for the sovereign who has gone, rebuffed for his widow whose dignified composure could not master her grief.

Through Westminster hall tonight 100,000 persons passed with absolute decorum, saying the last tribute of loyal subjects to their dead sovereign although they were not permitted to look upon his face.

The historic associations of the hall, the majesty in its vastness and simplicity, carries the mind back to the dawn and origin of the British constitution.

The hall's spaciousness is unbroken by a single pillar; its richly grained oaken ceiling is unbroken by low barriers, while its stained glass windows throw subdued and tinted lights down the great staircases that spring from it.

In the center of this hall, whose walls were marred by no trappings of wood, on a catafalque was placed the body of King Edward, who had all his predecessors knew how closely Britain's constitution limited his sovereignty.

The catafalque was raised on a space enclosed by low barriers on either side the Lords and royal mourning. Behind these barriers stood the members of the House of Commons assembled.

Remembering what passed recently the juxtaposition was tragic, the Lords and the Commons two black coated, silent masses, faced each other at the bier of him, who was peace-maker for nations and who sought to be peacemaker at home.

First Time in History. It was the first time in history that the two houses have been brought in juxtaposition since the 17th century. All agree that the splendor of Victoria's jubilee and Edward's coronation were surpassed by today's ceremony.

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People in the deepest mood of grief, the most silent, to points of vantage along the funeral's short course. There was no crowding, no pushing, no shouting.

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Bulletin News Service.

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CONTRACTOR ENGAGING MAN FOR WORK ON G. T. P.

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