

NEWS OF THE DISTRICT

ATHABASCA LANDING.

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KEEPPHILLS.

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SAFE CRACKERS AT LIBERTY

Ottawa Free Press Comments on Administration of School Lands.

Ottawa, Oct. 8.—With policemen and special constables stationed along every road, scores of volunteer searchers watching upon a hundred hill tops from North Wakefield, of Chelsea, and all boats along the river securely locked at their anchorage to prevent their use by fleeing men, three notorious criminals who robbed the safe of Elford's store at Wright village and later figured in the mid-night fight with the Dominion policeman at North Wakefield, were still unaccounted for at a late hour this afternoon.

PROVINCE SWEEP BY PRAIRIE FIRES

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In view of the very indefinite reports which have been received from time to time, of losses to settlers in various parts of the province by prairie fires, the Bulletin has resorted to authentic reports from local correspondents as to the true state of affairs. It would appear that the damage has not been general, and that the danger has been considerably reduced by heavy rain on Wednesday night.

EARL GREY PLEADED WITH RECESSION HERE

The following letter has been received by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor from His Excellency the Governor General:

Government House, Regina, Oct. 4th, 1930. Dear Lieutenant Governor—I shall be obliged if you will convey to Mr. Rutherford and the other members of your government, also to the mayors, councils and citizens of Strathcona and Edmonton an expression of my most grateful appreciation of the whole-hearted welcome extended to me in my capacity as representative of His Majesty's government of Edmonton are concerned. It appears the losses to settlers by fire, except in the Vermilion district, have been very slight. The worst reports come from the Calgary district to the north and east of that city, where the losses in the face of approaching winter are such as to cause a probable request to be made to the provincial government for assistance.

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First Volume of Work That Has Taken Years to Prepare for Publication. London, October 6.—The first volume of the extensive and complete edition of Wesley's journals, which the Methodist Publishing House has had in active preparation for several years, is almost ready for publication. It contains researches into the early history of the founder of Methodism made by the editor, Rev. Nehemiah Curnock.

COUNTERFEITER SENTENCED.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 7.—Judge Hay Morris, sitting in the Federal court, sentenced Albert Sexton to serve four months in the United States penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, this morning, for passing counterfeit coins in Minneapolis and St. Paul. Sexton pleaded guilty.

WILL EXPEDITE BALLOONIST'S RELEASE.

St. Petersburg, October 6.—When the news that the American balloonist, Mr. Edgar W. Mix, was under arrest at Ostrolenka, north of Warsaw, was communicated to the premier, M. Stolypin, at his country estate, this morning, the premier promised to expedite his release.

GERMANY DESIRES BIG LOAN.

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