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The Outlook.

Although the spring was somewhat late and the seeding was not completed as early as in some years yet the weather has been so favorable to growth since the seed went in that the crops are well advanced for this season. The rains of last week have done a great amount of good and with the sunshine following the growth from day to day is noticeable.

Western people, usually hopeful, are now jubilant over the prospects for a good crop this year. Last year's crop put a good many of the farmers who suffered from the previous year, on their feet again, and it only requires a good crop this year to give them a working capital.

Two Sides.

Evangelist Gale who assisted in conducting a campaign in Regina, put a mark of condemnation on the theatre. Gipsy Smith who is conducting an evangelistic campaign in Toronto, also condemns the theatre in the following terms:

"The theatre serves no good purpose, and is instrumental in leading young people away from Christian standards. It is growing worse in its tendencies, and it can only be reformed by removal from society. No true Christian may attend the theatre. Virtuous lives among stage people are the exception. Religious plays are but money making tricks. The acted drama serves no other purpose than to entertain."

Mme. Helena Modjeska, who was a great actress, died recently in California. A few years ago in answer to a question, as to what she attributed her success, she said:

"I have kept my ideals. I have not lost my faith in humanity. I haven't forgotten how to enjoy and be glad. I know it is out of fashion to be poetical, but there are still germs of poetry in my soul and I am a religious woman. There are certain characters that cannot be portrayed by a woman who does not believe in God—God is the first essential for success in anything."

It seems to us that the theatre is a great medium of influencing the public. We believe there are many plays with good tendencies just as there are some with evil tendencies. What the stage wants is reform, and this comes from the public. If only the good plays and players were patronized, the evils would soon disappear.

Absurd Restrictions.

Yesterday afternoon a gentleman occupying a position of trust and responsibility in the Victoria business community, was called to Seattle on business in connection with a matter of great importance, says the Victoria Colonist. When he went to buy his ticket he was asked by an officer of the United States Immigration department where he was born, and the reply was "In England." He was then asked how long he had been in Canada and he said "six months." He was then told that he could not go aboard the steamer. Of course, as a matter of fact, the immigration officer has no right to forbid anyone to board a steamer here for Seattle or any place else, but for the convenience of travellers the officer is allowed to exercise authority at this end of the voyage instead of at the other end. The gentleman offered to pay any head tax or do anything else that might be required of him, but the officer was obstinate, and he therefore had to forego his journey. Now we submit for the consideration of our South African-contemporaries

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If an agreement such as this is not exceedingly absurd. Let us strip it of all details and take the bad facts. Here is a well known, well dressed, prosperous business man, with plenty of money in his pocket, who finds himself called to go over to Seattle on an important business matter with some people there. He goes to the steamer to embark, but cannot go because he happened to be born in England. These are the simple facts of the case. This gentleman wanted to go to Seattle; his presence in Seattle was important to himself and to some Seattle people, but because he was born in England he could not go. Can anything more utterly ridiculous be supposed? Is it necessary for every man who was born in England to treat a trip to Seattle as an international affair and give notice to the government of that country that he contemplates making the journey? Has it come to such a pass that an Englishman resident in Victoria is not allowed to go to Seattle unless he knows he will have to go some hours before and go through a lot of red tape? Next week the exposition will open. Will it be necessary for every English born person in Victoria to take out a certificate of baptism, or some other thing, or pay money or do something or other of an equally nonsensical nature before he is permitted to take in the show? If this is the case the fact cannot be too soon made known. It will certainly make a difference in the attitude towards this city. It may be said that we should not condemn a regulation simply because it bears hard on some particular case. Our answer to this is that it is a fool regulation which makes it impossible for a man born in England to go over to Seattle on business without going through a performance resembling the Inquisition. Any man could make a more sensible regulation in five minutes.

Editorial Notes.

The month of weddings has arrived again.

Since the feud between Dan McGillicuddy and Bob Edwards has subsided, Calgary has struck gas—underground.

Abundant Restrictions.

The unfortunate incident in connection with the second race in Winnipeg between the Englishman, Fred Appleby, and the Indian, Paul Acoose, when tacks were found on the track which a couple of times were picked up by Acoose in his feet, and eventually put him out of the race, will have a disastrous effect upon racing in that city. Some investigation should take place.

Some of the eastern papers are advocating an increase of remuneration to the cabinet ministers. Some suggest an increase from \$7,000 to \$10,000 per annum, explaining that the ministers have no way of making money other than at their offices. This explanation could hardly hold good with respect to Clifford Sifton who, in the opinion of some Liberals, did wonders as head of his department, and at the same time made a fortune for himself while he was Minister of the Interior.

J. W. Smith returned to the city from the east recently with the assurance of Mr. Wainwright that the G.T.P. branch line between here and Yorkton, would be in operation this fall. We believe the survey has been made and when the money is raised, the work will no doubt be undertaken. We would draw the attention of the government which guarantees the bonds on this line to the fact that the people of Foxleigh district, who have been waiting for years for railway facilities are not provided for by this line as they should be. The survey shows the line to be about twelve miles east, whereas it might just as well tap this dis-

trict. The settlers of the Foxleigh district as well as the settlers east where the line is surveyed have petitioned the government for a change. Notwithstanding any objections the railway company put forward, it is the duty of the government to see that the best interests of the settlers are served by the new lines, which are to be actually built in the province.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

Those who are interested in foreign missions will probably remember that a Regina branch of the Canadian Auxiliary of the Zenana Bible and Medical Mission was formed by Miss McKinney at a drawing room meeting held at the home of Mrs. J. W. Smith, Victoria avenue, on Nov. 16 last. Representative ladies of the different churches were present and passed a resolution to support a bed, to be known as the Regina Bed, in the Canadian hospital at Nasik, India, otherwise known as the Dhanakorai Hospital. (The ladies of the Knox church missionary society had already promised to support a bed in the Kinnaird Memorial Hospital, Lucknow.)

At a second meeting held at Mrs. Smith's on Saturday, May 22, the ladies determined to make an appeal through the local papers, for contributions towards the support of the bed. This appeal is made, not on account of any difficulty the ladies have met with, but to give every woman and child of whatever denomination, an opportunity of contributing to the support of the bed, and if possible, a nurse. It will require \$50.00 per year to support a bed, and \$50.00 per year to support a nurse. When divided among the different denominations this leaves a very small sum for each church to be responsible for; but, knowing that the different missionary societies are already taxed to their utmost, the ladies resolved to ask those interested but not connected with a missionary society for support.

The Dhanakorai Hospital is a Canadian auxiliary kept up by the Canadian hospital. At present it is a small building (with 30 beds) which is in a bad state of repair, and has been pronounced unsanitary by the health authorities. The auxiliary is endeavoring to raise funds to build a new hospital (\$10,000) with at least 50 beds and perfect sanitary conditions.

According to the financial statement from Dec. 1, 1907 to Dec. 1, 1908, the support received from the west was:

Table with 2 columns: City, Amount. Includes Victoria (\$402.18), Winnipeg (\$413.34), Vancouver (\$246.90), Edmonton (\$242.50), Calgary (\$173.50), Coaldale (\$133.50), Elkhorn (\$66.70), Regina (\$79.55), Lumsden (\$4.10).

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Kindly send all contributions toward the support of the bed to Mrs. R. Sinton, the Treasurer of the Regina branch; or during the Treasurer's absence in July and August, to Mrs. J. W. Smith, president of the Society.

GRACE BRODER, Sec.

GENERAL NEWS

The hotel and buildings occupied by the Massey-Harris Co. at Abernethy were destroyed by fire last Friday.

C. J. Mickie who has been leader of the Liberal opposition in the Manitoba assembly has been appointed a county court judge for the province.

Ottawa, May 26.—The cabinet had under consideration this afternoon the capital case of a homesteader named Tetrault, now under sentence to be hanged next month for the murder of a settler near Battleford last November. The victim died as the result of being stabbed in a drunken brawl. It was decided to recommend to his excellency that the sentence be commuted to life imprisonment as the evidence did not show that the crime had been in any premeditated.

G.T.P. BONDS SOLD.

London, May 27.—The million dollar issue of the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company guaranteed by the governments of Saskatchewan and Alberta, was largely over-subscribed today. The Financial Times referring to the success of the G.T.P. issue, says evidently there is plenty of money available in this country, also plenty of faith in the future of Canada. On the other hand the underwriters of the New South Wales \$1 per cent. loan have been saddled with 50 to 60 per cent. of its total.

Minneapolis, Minn., May 26.—Thos. Read, one of the few remaining veterans of the Mexican war, is dying at his home in this city. Read served through the Mexican war in the Fourth Infantry of which U. S. Grant was quartermaster and Robt. E. Lee was major, and he knew both men intimately. He was orderly for Major Lee for six months and became much attached to him. A painful wound received when Scott was advancing upon Mexico city prevented Read from enlisting in the civil war to serve under one former comrade and against another. The dying veteran has been very fond of music all his life and was a skillful violinist, even at the age of 84 years. His violin has been his life long companion and is itself more than eighty years old.

Ottawa, May 27.—A general reduction of the numbers of active militia who will go into camp this summer is announced in the military orders today as follows: Cavalry paymasters, regimental quartermaster, sergeants, orderly room sergeants, signalling corporals and hospital corporals will not train. Infantry—paymasters, stretcher bearer section, sergeant drummers and signalling corporals will not train. Engineers—No. 1, 2 and 4 companies are not to exceed 85 per cent of the full establishment for training, and No. 3 company 60 per cent of the officers, and non-commissioned officers being reduced proportionately. The result will be to reduce the muster at the annual camps to 20,826, made up of 1,774 officers, 4,235 non-com. officers and 14,927 men.

JOKE ON FROBISHER.

The inhabitants of the aspiring village of Frobisher "went in the air" recently over a report that Jim Hill, the railway magnate, was in Orxow for the purpose of viewing the location for the proposed extension of the Great Northern railway, a branch of which, it has long been rumored, will enter southern Saskatchewan from North Dakota. The only chewan that can be assigned for the report gaining credence, which almost caused Frobisher to send a delegation down to see what was doing, was a photographer's tent pitched on the south side of the track. A person of a jocular turn of mind, in reply to a question from another who was passing through on a train, asked what the tent was for, replied that it was Jim Hill's survey camp. Unlike the rolling stone that gathers no moss, the report gained credence, and when it reached Frobisher with the exaggerations that a rumor of this kind gathers, it appeared to be true enough, causing no small amount of palpitation of the heart and consternation among the promoters of the village's interests.—Orxow Herald.

ANGLICAN COLLEGE

Saskatoon, Sask., May 26.—Bishop Newham, head of the Anglican church in this diocese, accompanied

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