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WITH SIR WILFRID LAURIER, PREMIER OF CANADA, AT SIMCOE, ONTARIO



STORM COVERED WIDE AREA IN THE PRAIRIE PROVINCES

Hail, Wind and Rain Do Considerable Damage to Crops.

Rain Only Fell in This District

Cyclone Swept North Dakota—Hail at Calgary.

In comparison with other districts throughout the Prairie Provinces the Edmonton district was peculiarly fortunate in escaping damage to its standing crops by the storm of Saturday and Sunday.

Chater, Man., Aug. 21—Robert Johnson had a large barn blown down by the wind at Chater, north of Chater, on the G.T.P. A barn valued at \$500, the property of David Coffin, was struck and knocked down north of Chater, and nearby Arthur Edwards' barn was partially destroyed.

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Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 21—One son of John Patterson, living southwest of this city, was killed and another was probably injured in a cyclone, which passed southwest of this city at six o'clock tonight.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 21—A cyclone, which passed along the Canadian boundary tonight, struck two miles and a half north of West Hope, blowing down several farm buildings and injuring several people.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 21—One of the most electrical storms of the season has played havoc with telegraph and telephone lines.

Reciprocity's Benefits to Western Canada—Higher Prices on the U. S. Side of Line.

Congressman Leffort, Wisconsin, April 17: "The prices of agricultural products are much higher in the United States than in Canada."

OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF LETTING OF G. T. P. CONTRACT

PRESIDENT HAYS AND CHAIRMAN SMITHERS, ON GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC, EN ROUTE TO EDMONTON—FOLEY, WELCH AND STEWART GET CONTRACT FOR LAST SECTION OF ROAD.

Winnipeg, Aug. 21—C. M. Hays, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, and Alfred W. Smithers, chairman of the board of directors, left this morning for the west, and will go over the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific to Edmonton and then west to the end of the steel and to the summit of the mountains.

Regarding the general outlook for the railway, President Hays was optimistic, and stated that plans for the extension of the line through the West would be carried out with vigor.

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RECEIPTS FROM EXHIBITION TO BE IN EXCESS OF \$25,000

GATE RECEIPTS ALONE WILL TOTAL THIS AMOUNT—THURSDAY'S RECEIPTS FROM GATE AND GRAND STAND WERE NEARLY \$13,000—EXHIBITION STAFF FINISHING UP WORK.

The clerical force of the Edmonton Exhibition association is still busily engaged on the aftermath work of the big fair, which came to a successful, full close last Saturday night.

MORE RAVAGES OF SUNDAY'S CYCLONE

Home Shattered Like Stack of Cards and Its Contents Struck About Country—Occupants Seek Protection in Well and Escape in Bateau.

St. Lawrence, Aug. 20—Four people met death shortly after one o'clock this morning in the St. Lawrence river when a collision took place between the steamer Hero and the tug Chieftain.

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UNHOLY ALLIANCE IN QUEBEC INEFFECTIVE

Combined Forces of Conservatives and Nationalists Fail to Shake Laurier's Hold on Quebec—Tories Are Doomed in Ontario.

Bulletin Special. Montreal, Que., Aug. 21.—The striking feature of the campaign in the mountain districts everywhere at his meetings in Quebec.

In Ontario the Opposition campaign shows signs of going to pieces in the rural districts.

Scenes of enthusiasm characterized the nomination of the Minister of Militia in King's County, Nova Scotia, his farmers particularly participating.

Orangeville, Ont., Aug. 21.—B. Brown of Orangeville, to oppose Toronto, Ont., Aug. 21.—Dr. Duffin Liberals today nominated D. J. Best, M.P.

USING FALSEHOOD TO DEFEAT RECIPROcity

Borden's Effort to Stymie West by Canadian Farmers Among Whom Nationalists Are Reputed to Have Made Greatest Headway.

Minneapolis, Aug. 23—John Barrett, director general of the Pan American Union, who is in Minneapolis today, sees in the annexation bogey being raised by Borden followers the gravest danger to the reciprocity treaty that has yet developed.

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SIR WILFRID SPEAKS IN RURAL DISTRICTS

Speaks to Typical Audience of French Canadian Farmers Among Whom Nationalists Are Reputed to Have Made Greatest Headway.

St. Julien, Que., Aug. 21—Sir Wilfrid Laurier carried his campaign into the rural districts of the province today addressing a typical gathering of French Canadian farmers here this evening.

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