AROUND THE CITY

LOCALS.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

A large piece of the concrete sidewalk at the Windsor hotel corner has caved into the cellar dug for the enlargement of the hotel west of the present building.

At the office of the city assessor the staff is busily engaged in making up the taxes on the rate of 14 1-2 mills recently fixed by the city council. The special assessments are also being made out.

Harry Wright and Mrs. Wright, of Nelson, B.C., who have been taking in the Dominion fair, are spending a day or two in the city. Mr. Wright is now gold commissioner at Nelson, and is a former M.P.P. of British Columbia.

The man Berthal accused of shooting Hermenegile Joli at his homestead, near Saddle Lake, several weeks ago, came up before Inspector Cuthbert at Fort Saskatchewan today and was further remanded for a week. Joli is still at the General hospital but is recovering rapidly.

The bitulithic paving work on Jasper east is held up at the Alberta hotel corner, awaiting the arrival of the curves for the street railway that are to be placed at the corner of Jasper and Namayo. It will be resumed immediately upon the arrival of the curved rails.

The Edmonton bank clearings for the week ending today totalled $845,625.12. For the same week last year they were $706,065.83. For the first time in some weeks the total for the past seven days shows a substantial increase over the corresponding period in 1907.

At the office of the building inspector this morning T. J. Auten took out a permit for a $1,100 house on lot 14, block 11, Fraser avenue. Small permits were also taken by Miss Annie Silera and Miss Janet M. Sageon for houses in the Woodland sub-division and Ross' flats.

The meeting of the Edmonton Trades and Labor council called for last night was adjourned for a week as all the reports from the different unions with reference to the holding of a labor day celebration, have not come to hand. It is altogether probable, however, that a celebration will take place, though the question of a parade has not been decided upon.

An all-day picnic under the auspices of the Clover Bar, East Clover Bar and Agricola branches of the Alberta Farmers' association, will be held on Wednesday, July 22, at Mr. Reynolds' farm, close to Horton's store. The committee in charge of the picnic are arranging to serve meals free. In fact the whole affair will be free. Beside the admission being free the day will be a free and easy one. A brass band will be in attendance. There will be a baseball game, races and other sports, followed by speeches by prominent public men.

TESTING THE INCINERATOR.

Mr. De Carie, of the De Carie Incinerator Company, is expected in the city next week to be present at the test of the new incinerator, upon which the finishing touches are now being placed by the erecting engineer. According to the contract, the company are bound to give the incinerator a two weeks' test with any material that the city may supply. There is now a large amount of garbage piled up at the nuisance grounds, and when it is destroyed the test will have been a thorough one.

YOUNG-THOMAS.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening by Rev. C. E. Myers, of the Queens Avenue Presbyterian church, when Miss Lillian Thomas, of the Edmonton teaching staff, became the bride of Mr. Geo. S. Young, of this city. The bride was becomingly gowned in white-silk crepe de chene with tulle hat. After the ceremony luncheon was served to the immediate friends of the bride and groom at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Young left for the east on the 9.10 C. N. R. train and after their return will take up their residence at 1025 Sixth street.

MEN LEAVE FOR QUEBEC.

The non-commissioned officers and men from the 19th Alberta Mounted Rifles to be sent to Quebec with the Western Canada contingent to take part in the Tercentenary celebration in Quebec, will leave tonight or tomorrow morning for Calgary. Orders have been issued for the men to parade this evening at 8.30 in Strathcona, when orders will be given as to the time of entraining for Calgary. They will probably leave Strathcona at six o'clock on Friday morning, the cars for the men and their horses being attached to the south-bound freight.

At Calgary they will receive new uniforms and will be attached to the contingent from Southern Alberta who are going to Quebec. The men will probably be taken east from Calgary by special train and will join the other men from the west at Winnipeg.

The following the the regimental orders issued in connection with the men being sent to Quebec:

Edmonton, July 8, 1908

Regimental orders by Major S. C. Sutton, for the officer commanding the 19th A.M.R.

Absent on Leave:

"In accordance with District Headquarters letter, dated June 22nd, 1908, the following non-commission officers and men of the 19th The Alberta Mounted Rifles have been selected for service with the Northwest contingent for the Tercentenary celebration, Quebec: Sergeant P. C. Kidston, Sergeant Quebec, Corporal Bristow, Privates Belcher, Empson, J. Flynn, G. Ferguson, W. Groat, Gauthier, E. Graham, Nobert, R. O. Stewart, R. J. Sheppard, B. Turner and Toupin.

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By order,

H. G. FORSTER,
Lieut. and Adjutant.

PORK COMMISSIONERS HERE.

The members of the Pork Commission, appointed by the Alberta government, are at present in Edmonton and have begun their exhaustive inquiry into the hog industry of the province. Their first task is to go over the evidence of the Beef Commission as far as it relates to the pork industry. They will also examine the pork packing plants in Edmonton and require the management to furnish them with facts and figures hear the evidence of any one whom the commission may chose to call upon or who may desire to give evidence on his own account.

On Monday and Tuesday of next week the commission will sit in the Board of Trade rooms at 10 a.m. to to enable them to arrive at the probable cost, capacity, etc., of such establishments.

PLEASED WITH EDMONTON.

Harry Wright, of Nelson, B.C., arrived in the city yesterday from Calgary, with his wife and son, and is a guest at the Alberta hotel. Mr. Wright attended the Dominion Fair at Calgary, and came north to pay his first visit to Edmonton. He is much pleased with the capital city of Alberta, and the surrounding district, and from what he has seen of it during his short stay here, says he likes it better than Calgary.

Mr. Wright was for four years Conservative member for Ymir in the British Columbia Legislature, and resigned his seat in the House to accept the position of provincial land agent at Nelson. He states that the people of British Columbia are preparing for the coming federal election. The seven members representing British Columbia in the Dominion parliament are all Liberals, but Mr. Wright is looking for at least six Conservatives to be elected this fall. The Liberal member for East and West Kootenay, W. A. Galliher, is retiring from parliamentary life, and the Liberals have nominated Smith Curtis to contest this riding. The Conservatives are holding their convention on July 21st to nominate a candidate. J. H. Schofield, M.P.P., for Ymir constituency, is spoken of as the Conservative candidate, and the name of W. A. McDonald is also mentioned.

Mr. Wright returns home to-morrow. He reports the crops as looking excellent in British Columbia, as in Alberta, with every prospect of an excellent fruit and grain harvest this year.

GRAIN BLOCKADE INEVITABLE.

Railways are Tardy in Arranging for Serious Situation Facing Them.

Winnipeg, July 9.—The intense heat throughout the prairie west is bringing the crop along at a great pace and the barley threatens to be ripe before the farmers have got through haying. With a tremendous crop in sight the railways are tardy in working up to the serious situation confronting them. Last year, owing to the poor crop, much rolling stock stood idle and the financial stringency was another contributary cause to the railways resting on their oars. Now, however, the shops have been put on full time, with a view to catching up, but grain blockades throughout the west are inevitable and likely to assume a serious character.

The wholesale houses are remitting heavy orders to eastern manufacturers and the stream of wheat east will inevitably collide with the stream of commodities west, thus further complicating the transportation situation.

TOO BIG AN UNDERTAKING.

Ottawa Journal Throws Cold Water on Georgian Bay Canal Project.

Ottawa, July 8.—The Ottawa Evening Journal, in discussing the one hundred million estimate of the cost of the Georgian Bay canal, arrived at by government engineers, says: "In view of the N.T.R. and other obligations, this is an enormous sum for Canada to provide. Under the circumstances we believe that the construction should be left to a private company, the government guaranteeing the bonds." The Journal points out that a charter could be held by a company giving the government the power of expropriation which would fully protect the interests of the people.

TOUR OF H. B. AMES, M.P.

Will Speak at Nova Scotia Centres and Proceed to the West.

Halifax, July 8.—The Nova Scotia summer tour of Mr. H. B. Ames, M.P., has been arranged. It will begin at Amherst on July 6th and will include meetings at Moncton, Oxford, Stellarton and Pictou. He will speak in Sydney on July 25th. The Moncton meeting will be the only one outside of this province.

After leaving Nova Scotia, Mr. Ames will make tours of Alberta and Saskatchewan, accompanied by Messrs. McCarthy and Lake. Mr. Ames proceeds in his yacht from Pictou to Sydney. His subject will be the government's administration of our western lands.

Indian Uprising in Oklahoma.

Eufala, Oklahoma, July 8.—Sheriff Odell, of McIntosh County, has returned from the Hickory ground rendezvous of the Snake Indians, and is organizing a posse to return and disarm the Indians. Odell says the situation is serious. He and the sheriff of Okmulgee county were openly defied by Crazy Snake and his band of armed savages. Fifty families have fled to Henritta for protection. The Indians have begun to burn the houses of those who fled, seven being destroyed last night. Over eight hundred Indians are assembled at Hickory ground. The trouble among the Indian has arisen over land deals in which half breeds and negroes are pitted against full bloods.

The attendance at the band concert last night at the baseball grounds was not large, but those present were well repaid by an excellent musical programme.

THE G.T.P. HERE SURE THIS YEAR

Collingwood Schreiber, Government Engineer, makes definite Statement to this Effect.

That Grand Trunk Pacific railway trains will be running into Edmonton over their own line this fall is now an assured fact. Collingwood Schreiber, of Ottawa, Dominion government engineer superintending the construction of the G. T. P. through Canada, who arrived in the city this morning, stated that Edmonton people might rest assured that this line would be built into Edmonton some time during the present year, making an unbroken line of steel from Winnipeg to Edmonton on the G. T. P. Whether steel will be laid west from Edmonton this year has not been fully decided.

Mr. Schreiber is making one of his periodical trips of inspection over the G. T. P. line. He is accompanied by A. M. Magillivray, of Winnipeg, government engineer in charge of one of the eastern sections of the G. T. P., and B. B. Kelliher, of Montreal, chief engineer of the G. T. P. The party went out this morning to the G. T. P. bridge at Clover Bar and will look over a portion of the line west of the city today. They will return last tomorrow.

Satisfied With Progress.

To a Bulletin representative this morning Mr. Schreiber stated that he was well satisfied with the progress of construction on the G. T. P. this year. The heavy rains in the spring interfered with the work somewhat but the subsequent fine weather is being taken full advantage of by contractors all along the line. Accompanied by Mr. Magillivray, Mr. Schreiber has travelled over the whole line from Fort William to the Battle river, leaving the former place on June 17. From Fort William to Winnipeg steel is not yet laid and the grading is not completed and they were forced to walk, ride and drive over this portion of the line. At Winnipeg, however, they took the train and travelled over the G. T. P. through Saskatoon and to within about 50 miles of the Battle river. They came through to Edmonton on the C. N. R.

Mr. Schreiber stated that the steel laying gang was within 40 miles of the Battle river, when they visited them and were laying steel at the rate of about five miles per day. They expected to complete steel laying to the Battle river in about 8 or 10 days and the work of erecting the steel superstructure of the Battle river bridge would be commenced at once.

Mr. Kelliher is Mum.

Asked regarding the plans of the company in reference to the construction of the line near Edmonton, Mr. Schreiber stated that he could not say what the company intended doing. Mr. Kelliher was very reticent when questioned regarding the plans of the company and said he made it a rule never to talk to the newspapers about the G. T. P. Rumors. An impression was gained, however, that she G. T. P. line from Edmonton to Clover Bar would be built at once and the steel taken out for the superstructure of that bridge. If the Clover Bar bridge is completed before the Battle river bridge steel will be laid east to meet steel laying gang working westward from the Battle river. No information was given regarding the G. T. P. station in Edmonton.

Contractor Stewart Returns.

J. W. Stewart, of the firm of Foley, Welch & Stewart, and H. J. Fetter, superintendent of construction for that company near Raymond, returned yesterday from a trip out over a portion of the grade west of the city. They report that the work of grading the G. T. P. westward is progressing very satisfactorily in spite of the wet weather that has prevailed this spring. A force of 2,000 men is now employed on the grade west of Edmonton and it is estimated that the G. T. P. grade will be completed to the Pembina river ready for the steel by the month of October.

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PLANNED TO MURDER KING.

Assertion Made by Member of Portuguese House of Lords.

Lisbon, July 8.—Dr. Jose Maria de Alpoim, chief of the Progressive Dissidents, smarting under the insinuations in Lisbon last February, of King Carlos and Crown Prince Luiz, created a sensation in the House of Lords today by revealing what he declared to be the true story of this regicide plot.

He asserted that the assassinations had been decided upon at a meeting of the leaders of the Progressive and Regenerator party a few days before they were carried out. A number of Republicans also were present at this meeting.

Dr. Alpoim charged further that the Republicans proposed to obliterate the entire royal family with the exception of Maria Pia, the mother of King Carlos, but that the Monarchists insisted that such a general slaughter would be useless. Finally Manuel Silva Buissa and Alfredo Costa were given $20,000 and $10,000 respectively to kill King Carlos and Premier Franco.

Arrangements were made by other men to cover the flight of the assassins, but when Buissa and Costa fired their friends lost their heads and opened fire also. These shots resulted in the death of Prince Luiz.

"BRAIN BROKER" ARRESTED.

Hapgood and His Secretary Are Charged With Fraud.

New York, July 8.—Herbert J. Hapgood, founder and president of "Hapgood's National Organization of Brain Brokers," was arrested in his office at No. 305 Broadway, charged with obtaining from William J. Witte, of No. 31 Park Row, $13,500 "by trick and device." Other complaints against him and the amounts of which they say they were defrauded are Charles J. Bittel, No. 109 West Fifty-fifth street, $12,000; Walter A. Page, No. 561 West 144th street, $2,500; and J. S. Elliot, No. 545 West 148th street, $2,500.

Ralph L. Kilby, who acted as secretary for Hapgood, was also arrested in connection with the affair, and both were locked up in police headquarters. Bail in $20,000 was demanded.

Hapgood is the president of Hapgood's Incorporated Employment Agency and of the Hapgood Sales Company, and he also publishes a paper called Hapgood's Opportunities.

The "Hapgood Sales Co." was chiefly engaged in exploiting a safety razor. Bittel got $50 a week as its treasurer and vice-president from October, 1906, to a week ago, but never handled the cash, he says. Hapgood was an old college chum of Witte's in Germany, and he gave Witte a $50 a week job with the razor end of the Hapgood industry. Elliott went to Europe and sold the razors to nobility.

DARING BABY BURGLAR.

Brooklyn Police Have a Hardened Criminal of Nine.

New York, July 8.—Brooklyn police have in hand a baby burglar aged nine, and they declare her to be the worst they have ever known. She is a frail, puny mite, not so high as the waist of Detective Thomas Robinson, the officer in charge of her, and she has pale cheeks and innocent blue eyes. Yet her skill and daring are said to have amazed her captors. It is believed that in three months she has, no fewer than thirty flats, taking goods valued at $10,000.

Several times she has been caught by her victims and let off unsuspected because she was so little and so young, and looked so simple. Even when she was captured yesterday evening the police laughed at the notion that she could be the cunning thief who has been stealing in the fashionable section of Williamsburg for weeks, and they did not wish to arrest her.

Her name is Annie Reilly, and she lived with her father, Richard Reilly, a stevedore's laborer, at No. 383 Hewes street, Brooklyn.

It was three months ago that complaints of flat robberies began to come in to the police, and in every case a little girl had been seen in the neighborhood. Try as they would the police could never get her.

Patrolman Louis Miller, standing at Marcy avenue and Hewes street yesterday afternoon, saw a girl answering the description of the one wanted, pushing a blue go-cart. He accosted her.

"What have you in that go-cart?" he asked.

"Nothing, mister, but me doll."

But Miller was curious, and he lifted the covering. To his surprise, there were a lace skirt and dress, a hat and a gold watch and chain.

"A lady gave them to me," whimpered the girl, but she was taken to the station house.

Later in the afternoon the police went to the home of the girl in Hewes street and found the place loaded with loot of all kinds. It was learned from neighbors that the girl's father, a longshoreman, rarely came home, and that Annie acted as a mother for her six-year-old sister, Lizzie.

Britain Adheres to Patent Law.

London, July 8—The representations made by the United States and Germany asking an extension of the time limit beyond August 28, when the new patent law is to go into effect, have proved unavailing. This law provides that foreigners who obtain British patents must manufacture the patented goods on British soil. President of the Board of Trade Churchill definitely informed the House of Commons this afternoon in this connection that the government had no intention of proposing fresh legislation to modify the sections of this law to which foreign patentees have taken objection.

Japanese Boycott Maintained.

Victoria, July 8.—The Chinese boycott of the Japanese is still affecting the Japanese liners. The Iyo Maru arrived here to-day with no Chinese passengers or freight from Southern China although it carried some tea and general cargo from Shanghai.

ALBERTA EXPECTS THE VERY BEST YET

Correspondent to the Toronto Globe Writes of the Crop Conditions in Alberta—Deputy Minister of Agriculture Harcourt Erpresses Great Satisfaction As To Prospects.

Toronto, July 8—The special Western correspondent of the Toronto Globe writing from Edmonton of the crop conditions in Alberta says:

The crop situation in the Province of Alberta is particularly promising, and the outlook is fully as satisfactory as it is in the other portions of the west. Weather conditions have been all that could be desired, and while there have been some drawbacks these have not been of sufficient importance to interfere seriously with the growth and development of the grain. Seeding was attended with the most favorable conditions which had been known in this portion of the Dominion, and the farmers made haste to take advantage of the opportunities which were afforded by this means. The average temperature during the past two months has not been high, but there has been enough warmth to start the grain well and give it a good root. At the present time rapid growth is the feature and all districts report great progress in that respect. Official opinions on the outlook, as drawn from the information on the subject, which is furnished by the Department of Agriculture are optimistic, and the enthusiasm manifested in Governmental circles is matched only by the joy with which the individual farmers contemplate the prospect.

Enemies of the Crop.

Given a favorable seeding season and moderately good weather during the succeeding two months, there is very little danger that the crop will suffer much damage before the blossom stage is due. Among the complaints which have been raised in Alberta since the seed went into the ground have been included regrets of violent winds, frost, excessive moisture and hail. Of these the last mentioned is by far the most dangerous as far as actual results at the time are concerned. A heavy hailstorm may deprive a farmer of his entire crop in less than half an hour, and there will be no chance of the grain recovering its stand. Hail is, therefore, a most unwelcome visitor. Damage from this cause, however, is local, and the fact that one district suffers severely need only imply that the general situation is changed. A good deal depends, too, on the period at which a hailstorm comes. In the early part of the season its effect is not serious, because the grain is not advanced far enough to be sensitive to attacks of that sort. The later the date, up to the time of harvest, the more grave is the danger. The farmer usually fears the coming of hail more in the month of August than at any other time of the year. With the grain headed out the liability to damage is vastly increased, and it is seldom that a field which has been visited by a hailstorm has enough grain on it to pay the expense of harvesting it.

Frost Not a Serious Factor.

The characteristics of hail apply also in large measure to frost. Damage in May and June are by no means rare in the west, and their effect is determined largely by the amount of progress which the grain has made since seeding. Frost has been a periodical visitor this year in many sections of the west, but it has been difficult to find any evidence of its having affected the grain. By the time the firt of these dips in the mercury took place spring wheat had made so great an advance that its germination was not open to injury, and the coarse grains were not even sown. Winter wheat in this Province had not come into bloom. Subsequent frosts found all the grains growing vigorously, with a hardy plant and strong roots. They may have caused some damage in one or two sections where the drop in temperature was exceptionally heavy. Harvest time will tell the tale which is to be told in that connection. As far as the grade west of Edmonton and it is estimated that the G. T. P. grade will be completed to the Pembina river ready for the steel by the month of October.

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and the grain-growing districts have by no means escaped. A rainfall estimated at fourteen inches was the feature of early June, and when the water came down from the mountains the ordinary river channels could not carry it all away. It overran the fields, and, in some instances covered portions of towns and villages. It was possible for a farmer to graze from an upstairs window on a sheet of water covering a wheatfield. Under such circumstances it will not be surprising to learn when the returns from the harvest come in, that certain portions of the winter wheat area were not considered fit to cut. It would be remarkable if a flood should sweep over a great expanse of wheat land without doing some little damage. Even this cause is not likely to alter the general situation to any extent, and in some cases the floods, when they had the good sense to leave slowly and quietly, may have brought benefit to the lands which they visited.

Best Alberta Has Known.

Mr. George Harcourt, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, declares that the present season is the best the Province has ever known, in respect to the condition and growth of grain. He says that the crops are three to four weeks in advance of their state at this time last year, and he is greatly pleased with the whole outlook. The abundant rains have helped pasturage in all parts of the province, and the cattle, which had wintered in fine condition, have continued to wax fat. It is certain that there will be a most prosperous season in the dairying trade, and success of this kind will be additional encouragement to mixed farming, which is already making great strides in Alberta. In no season have the prospects of the farmers been brighter than they are this year.

PROGRESS OF FANATICS.

Leader David and His Band of Invaders Moving North.

Sinclair, Man., July 8.—Still watched by a mounted police vidette the religious fanatics moved north today in the broiling heat. Their wretched overloaded horse, drawing a wagon with the tents and camp equipage, will not be able to proceed tomorrow, as at two o'clock this afternoon it halted, being unable to proceed further.

Before them lie eighty miles of practically undeveloped country, and as they are unable to carry much provision, Leader David has his problems yet before him. His people are living on supplies purchased as they go though charitable farmer folk have given them much food and milk for the sake of the little children, who are forced to trudge by their fanatical parents.

Morning and evening, facing the sun and clapping their hands, the fanatics, from the oldest to the youngest, aged three, are to be seen singing their songs.

Visitors do not receive a friendly welcome from the invaders, whose very children seize revolvers at the slightest alarm.

It is rumored that the police concerted at Antler are being withdrawn.

STORM STRIKES MONTREAL.

Terrific Thunderstorm Sinks Steamer and Kills Farm Hand.

Montreal, July 8.—The storm that passed over Montreal and district last night caused a steamer with several barges in tow to capsize in the Chateauguay river and sink, precipitating the crew of ten into the river. All were rescued, but they lost everything and were obliged to walk to Chateauguay Basin in order to get funds to return to Montreal.

A farm hand named Lemieux, returning with supplies, opening a gate to cross the N.Y. Central tracks when lightning struck the wires, instantly killing Lemieux and one of his team. The top of Lemieux's hat was sheared off, though he was unmarked.

While sitting outside her home at Ottawa during the electrical storm, last night, Miss Betton was struck by lightning. She is recovering.

NEED 25,000 LABORERS.

Estimated Number Which Will be Required to Harvest Crops.

Winnipeg, July 8—On account of the very optimistic reports that are being received regarding the crops from all parts of the Conadian west, it is confidently expected that 25,000 farm laborers at least will be required to garner the crop. Arrangements are now being made for the handling of this vast army of men, and special trains will be run from various parts of the east.

The Canadian Northern crop report issued yesterday shows grains of all kinds doing splendidly. Prospects for a banner year were never better. The weather all over the country is all that could be desired.

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Weekly Report Issued By C.P.R. Shows Continuance of Growing Conditions Assuring a Bumper Crop—Favorable Weather is General Throughout the Province.

Bulletin Special.

Calgary, July 7—The crop report for the week ending today compiled by Supt. Price of the western division of the C.P.R. from reports received from agents along the line of railway in Alberta and Saskatchewan is as follows:

Airdrie—Cool and showery with warm spells.

Crossfield—Winter wheat heading out nicely; fair.

Carstairs—Fine and clear; very little rain.

Didsbury—Warm and dry.

Olds—Very warm; grain heading out.

Bowden—Warm with shower; no damage by hail.

Innisfail—Fair and warm; good growing weather.

Penhold—Generally fair with showers; no damage.

Red Deer—Light showers; mostly fair and warm.

Blackfalds—Winter wheat out in head, fine and warm.

Lacombe—Warm with light showers; no damage.

Moringside—Warm with light showers.

Ponoka—Weather fine; prospects good.

Pembina—Weather fine; prospects good.

Millet—Warm and showery; hail storm damaged fall wheat badly.

Leduc—Fine light showers; favorable growing weather.

Stratheona—Light showers and hot; prospects never better.

Bittern Lake—Light showers and hot.

Camrose—Warm with light showers.

Ohaton—Warm with light showers.

Banff—Showers and warm.

Daysland—Showery and conditions very best.

Killam—Warm and dry; rapid growth.

Sedgewick—Showery and very warm.

Lougheed—Showery and very warm.

Hardisty—Warm with light showers.

Tees—Mostly fine.

Alix—Mostly fine; one heavy shower, no damage.

Nevis—Very warm with light showers.

Erskine—Mostly fair with light showers.

Stettler—Very warm with light showers; favorable to crops.

Okotoks—Good warm weather; warm showers.

High River—Fine and warm with a few showers.

Gleichen—Fine; plenty of rain; crops looking fine.

Langdon—Light showers, warm, very rapid growth.

Cayley—Part cloudy and warm; no rain to speak of.

Nanton—Weather fair; warm, cool and dry.

Stavely—Favorable weather.

Claresholm—Warm all week.

Granum—Very favorable.

Brocket—Clear and warm.

Taber—Generally warm; favorable; showers Sunday.

Lethbridge—Fair with local showers.

Macleod—Excellent weather; crops look well.

Pincher—Weather favorable.

Cowley—Favorable weather, rain fall sufficient.

Coaldale—Weather very favorable.

Strathmore—Favorable weather, fall wheat heading out.

Seward—Favorable weather; plenty of rain.

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Opposition Member Declare House That West is Rec Too Much Attentio

Ottawa, July 10—Governm cures amending the Manito act and authorizing grants quarter sections more land in to the 7,000 Canadian volun served in South Africa, occu of the time of the House of today. The former bill, wh great importance to the wh has evidently been drafted greatest care as the chief of the opposition members s be that they were not calle sultation when the bill was i of preparation. The bill wa with the exception of a fe clauses, which stand over to sidered in connection with Grain Inspection act.

The other items in today's w the passing of a bill amen Gold and Silver Marking the proprietary medicine bill unanimous concurrence in measures in the bill to pro importation, manufacture an opium except for medicinal

Jealous of the West.

During the course of discu the bill authorizing the gover construct a small branch lin P. E. I. railway, Angus McLe er of the P. E. I. Conservati occasion to make a bitter a the manner in which the gov as he alleged, paid undue att the development of the west ing for more transportation for the east, he declared:—

"The policy of the govern unfair to the people of the ea east is neglected in favor of The west is getting it all. W been the condition of affair House during this session? T of our time has been taken the affairs of the west and of and millions of dollars hav spent in the west compared w thousands in the east. It is we have items today in the for Nova Scotia, but that amount to very much. That an election dodge. We have o items for Prince Edward Isl the time will come when the f leter will regret the stand he with regard to the east. It is him to look to the west and west alone; they have had Millions of dollars have bee and most of it spent in the w of which should have gone to and it is time the governmen ed the fact."

The Opium Bill.

The bill to prevent the man sale or importation of opium for medical purposes, was rea time in the Commons toda Rodolphe Lemieux, rising to was good-naturedly held down opposition wi cells. The fi ing was carried.

The premier smilingly expre willingness to allow the boundaries bill to go through same manner.

R. L. Borden replied: "We ing the time for that."

On the bill to amend the M Grain act, W. D. Staples (Co donald) complained that the growers' delegation to Otta seen hedged about and gi chance by the bankers or oth ested parties; also that the opposition members were not to conference in connection w bill, and that when they went mittee, they were not admitte the member for Portage la Pra

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