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e side of Riding Mountain.

First View of the Buffalo.

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d of buffalo is thus told by
Jarvis: "The trails, wallows
of buffalo became notice-
as they were killed, we gave
passing note, but when two
fresh ones appeared we dis-
to follow them on foot,
stalked the animals just as
d a moose, and in about an
Mr. Seton (who was armed
camera) to an open glade,
plain view were a herd of
buffalo, two big bulls, one
this year and the rest cows
lings. Their photograph was
three times at sixty yards be-
they became alarmed and ran
tracks around everywhere,
night Beaulieu shot an old
a tribe in masonry to the Board
Trustees who planned its erection.

Present and Past.

The structure, which is of fine
brick with granite trimmings, is 70
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The new Separate School on Third
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and will open for the school term on
Monday recalls the fact that not the
least of the glories of the west is the
result of the effort made on every side to
secure an excellent education for the
boys and girls of today, who are to be
the men and women of tomorrow.

This determination to provide the
best attainable is very manifest in the
new Separate School building, erected at
a cost of \$50,000. For attention to
detail and modern equipment within
for simple elegance of architectural
lines, for harmonious proportions and
economy of conception the building is
everywhere noteworthy. As it stands
in modern completeness, it is a credit
to its architect, Mr. F. Deckerdort,
who projected here his ideal for an
educational institute for young
and impressionable beings, and to the
conductor, Robert Manson, who put
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chemistry. The main portion of this
floor is devoted to space for an assem-
bly hall, which is unique in its six
large side-chambers alternating with
equally large recesses where the
quaint broad windows are

Mr. Fiske Would Enjoy It.

The store is large and well-equi-
ped. There are footlights, drop cur-
tains and an elaborate series of dress-
ing rooms in the rear and wings,
which would have gladdened the
heart of Mrs. Fisk and her company
when they were endeavoring to make
up in improvised and tiny dressing
rooms on their recent tour of the
West. A piano is here and the whole
is set off at night by handsome elec-
tricals.

On the first floor the stairways at
either end have opposite them the
trustees' boardroom and the library.
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the story, that such was the land
boom at Saskatoon, that if the lots
sold by the per foot measure had each
been occupied by three persons, the
place would have a population of
320,000. This is going some in the
way of a town lot boom. Three years
ago the site of Saskatoon was an un-
broken prairie. Today it is a city
with a past, and a future that has
been discounted too far in advance.
But it has its future all the same, and
it is bound to be a great one. At
Regina—which used to be called
Pile of Bones, but does not recall the
name unless you mention it—the visi-
tor from the east sees a young city
that makes a great impression on him.
Before the snow flies Regina is going
to be just about the best paved town
of its size in Canada. The mud
there is nature's glue. They are
battering it down, however, and in a
few weeks all the business district
will be paved, and even Winnipeg
will require to look to her credit in
the matter of street paving. Last
year a Toronto man, who professed
to be a friend of the west, tried to sell
a town lot in Regina, which he
reasoned that did not affect Regina, he
succeeded in doing. In driving
about the place it occurred to me
as a good idea to work up a sort of
landed proprietor's interest in the
city, and he was not wrong. In any
other circumstances might have
belonged to me. It was somewhere
near the site of the new parliament
buildings. These buildings
do not as yet exist, except on
the business maps, but they
found the quarter section on which
they will be erected. It is a very
close quarter section, and the pro-
vince of Saskatchewan will there-
fore construct a group of buildings that
will be a credit even to the great
cities of the world.

But the site is a third for the
plain. Away on the horizon, hugging
the sky-line, was the lot that might
have been mine, somewhere in the
clutch of that vast expanse—a man
could not feel a sense of pro-
prietorship in such a lot any more
than he could in a lot of space
palf of water somewhere in the
middle of Lake Ontario. The prairie
business has been a failure for years
and years, and people down east have
done a great deal of buying that nobody
on the spot would have done. These
towns of course, are all growing up
very rapidly, but no town on earth could
grow as rapidly as a real estate man
could convert quarter sections into
per foot frontages.

The real estate story of Winnipeg,
if printed, would read like an Arabian tale
of the East. It would be a story of
a little later on. To mention one
case: An eastern man owned three or
four lots in Fort Rouge, but these
lots were sold for four hundred dol-
lars each. Four years ago these
lots were sold for four hundred dol-
lars each. Last year they sold for six
hundred dollars. It is to be hoped
that the real estate man who spared the
pains of reading these lines.

Last winter the daily papers of
Winnipeg, Calgary and Edmonton
were swayed by a real estate adver-
tisement. At present all this
business is at a standstill. The
real estate man who owned the
lots in Winnipeg have taken out
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Separate Classrooms.

On the ground floor are situated
four other handsome classrooms for
boys, each room, being fitted out with
the usual furniture and equipment.
Map cases and other equip-
ment in hardwood also occupy place
in each of the classrooms. In all there
are four exits to the school, and each
floor is equipped with the hose and
fire-fighting apparatus which will be
used by the boys in the fire-drill
pupils.

Modern Equipment.

Each class is fitted out with two
electric bells, which communicate
with the principal's room and the
janitor's. The stairways at either end
of the building are so broad that four
children could comfortably walk
down them.

On the second floor is the labora-
tory for the high-school pupils. It
is of the modern type, with glass
front, of test tubes, and phials, and
the complicated apparatus for the

ther. The man who is looking for
trouble can find a poker game in al-
most any town on the line, and the
police are not allowed to see the limit.
Those who do not play, and who con-
demn the practice, will tell you about
the local game, while cautioning you
to keep clear of it, are unable to
conceal their secret pride in the fact
that the game is so popular, and even