

westerners and constitutes the real backbone of tree planting in the prairie provinces today.

Western Governments Alert

The Provincial Governments are falling right in line too, and Saskatchewan and Alberta have come through with substantial grants to enable us to carry on. Then by co-operating through their various departments particularly the departments of Education and Agriculture, a lot of useful information is provided. The Government of

Saskatchewan in addition takes the Tree Planting Car along with its Better Farming Train. This University on Wheels as it is called, is sent out annually by the Government and assisted by the University of Saskatchewan, for the purpose of bringing to the very front door of the farmer the latest and best methods of farming. The train consists of some twenty-two cars and carries everything from live stock to a diner for the staff. Its lecturers are supplied for the most part by the University and the Professors at the head of the various Departments make

it a point to be with the train most of the time.

Our subject was of interest to everybody and we had the opportunity of addressing them all. In the five weeks' tour with the train we spoke to 33,416 people, delivered 253 lectures, visited 62 towns and covered 1604.2 miles.

The Tree Planting Car carries on from day to day with increasing interest on all sides. To date the total number of people spoken to for the year has been 51,975; number of lectures given 438, and 6403.6 miles of prairie railway lines traversed.

SOME WORDS OF CHEER

CONGRATULATIONS!

From Colonel S. Maynard Rogers, Superintendent Jasper Park, Alberta; "Might I tender my most sincere congratulations upon the great improvement in your splendid magazine."

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GOOD WISHES!

From Mr. W. A. Whitelaw, 201 Madison Avenue, Toronto; "The work you are accomplishing through your Journal is of paramount importance. I sincerely wish you every success."

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THINKS IT INTERESTING

From Mr. A. R. Rhodes of Prairie Cattle Farm, Zelma, Sask.: "I think the magazine quite interesting. We are in a new settled district. We came seventeen years ago and have now a nice bulk of trees with fruit inside the shelter. This year we have quantities of currants, red, white, black, raspberries and a few plums. Now others are interested also and most of the farmers are preparing to plant trees in the near future. Wishing the Magazine success."

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ADMIRE OUR SYSTEM

Macdonald College, P.Q.

Canadian Forestry Association:

I am a great admirer of your Association and the valuable work it is carrying on for the preservation of our Canadian forests. This admiration, however, pales into insignificance when placed along with the admiration which I hold for the tenacity, persistence, patience, and aggressiveness of the financial wizard who sends out your subscription appeals. I have succumbed again to his barrage and enclosed you will find your cheque for two dollars. This genius should have charge of the Canadian National.

DOING MUCH GOOD

From a Quebec member of the Canadian Forestry Association: "It is always a pleasure to be of any assistance to this Association which is doing so much good."

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ENJOYED FORESTRY CAR

From Hon. Beniah Bowman, Ontario Minister of Lands and Forests, Toronto; "I had an opportunity of seeing the Forest Exhibit Car, Espanola, Ontario, some little time ago. I can assure you I enjoyed very much the demonstration. I understand the people of the north are greatly attracted by it."

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FOND OF MAGAZINE

From William Rea, Barrister, Edmonton; "I am very fond of the magazine and I fully appreciate the fine work you are doing for Canada in the campaign you are carrying on for preserving our forests and for creating and cultivating a love for trees in the younger generation. I have always loved trees myself. The trees about my old home in Ontario were almost like persons to me."

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THE SCENIC ANGLE

From Guy Tombs, Montreal.—Your article in the July issue of the Forestry Magazine was exceptionally interesting, and in tackling forest protection from the scenic angle I am sure you opened up a new thought to some people.

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FROM A. B. C. FOREST RANGER

"I had the pleasure of attending the Forestry Association's Exhibits Car while it was at Courtenay this Spring. I consider this splendid propaganda and sincerely hope that it will become a permanent institution."