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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

ANY even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the North-West Provinces, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of the family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less.

Application for homstead entry must be made in person by the applicant at the office of the local Agent or Sub-agent. Entry by proxy may, however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of an intending homesteader.

An application for entry or inspection made personally at any Sub-agent's office may be wired to the local Agent by the Sub-agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant on receipt of the telegram such application is to have priority and the land will be held until the necessary papers to complete the transaction are received by mail.

In case of "personation" the entry will be summarily cancelled and the applicant will forfeit all priority of claim.

An application for inspection must be made in person. The applicant must be eligible for homestead entry, and only one application for inspection will be received from an individual until that application has been disposed of.

A homesteader whose entry is in good standing and not liable to cancellation, may, subject to approval of Department, relinquish it in favor of father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, if eligible, but to no one else, on filling declaration of abandonment.

Where an entry is summarily cancelled, or voluntarily abandoned, subsequent to institution of cancellation proceedings, the applicant for inspection will be entitled to prior right of entry.

Applicants for inspection must state in what particulars the homesteader is in default, and if subsequently the statement is found to be incorrect in material particulars, the applicant will lose any prior right of reentry, should the land become vacant, or if entry has been granted it may be summarily cancelled.

DUTIES—A settler is required to perform the conditions under one of the following plans:—

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased), of a homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such homesteader the requirement as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirement may be satisfied by residence upon such land.

Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST MINING REGULATIONS.

COAL—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 per acre. Not more than 2,560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

QUARTZ.—A person eighteen years of age, or over, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,500 x 1,500 feet.

The fee for recording a claim is $5.

At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When $500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1 per acre.

The patent provides for the payment of a royalty of 2½ per cent. on the sales.

Placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee $5, renewable yearly.

An applicant may obtain two leases to dredge for gold of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable at the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles. Rental $10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 2½ per cent. collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.

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MARKETS AND FINANCE

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Receipts of live stock at the city market since last Friday were 62 carloads, composed of 856 cattle, 431 hogs, 1,198 sheep and lambs, with about 150 calves. Besides the above, there were 229 hogs shipped direct to two local packing houses.

Exporters—Exporters sold from $4.50 to $5 per cwt., and export bulls at $3.75 to $4.25. Not many exporters on sale as will be seen by sales reported.

Butchers—Best lots of butchers sold at $4.50 to $4.75; best loads at $4.25 to $4.4; medium, $3.75 to $4; common at $3.25 to $3.60; cows, $2 to $3.75; canners at $1 to $1.50 per cwt.

Milch cows—About 20 milkers and springers sold at $25 to $50 each.

Veal calves—Prices ranged from $3 to $6.25 per cwt. Only a few selected brought the latter price.

Sheep and lambs—Export ewes sold at $4.25 to $4.40; bucks, $3 to $3.50; lambs, $5 to $5.60, and a few selected at $5.75.

Hogs—Receipts light, market low. Mr. Harris reports selects at $6.25; lights and fats at $6.

TORONTO FARMERS' MARKET.

The offerings of grain continue small. One load of Fall wheat sold at 90c a bushel, and 200 bushels of barley at 60 to 61c per bushel.

Hay in fair receipt and firm, with sales of 20 loads at $18 to $20 a ton. Straw is nominal at $14 a ton.

Dressed hogs are unchanged at $9 to $9.15 for light, and at $8.75 for heavy.

Wheat, new, bush.	$ 0 91	$ 0 92
Do., red, bush.	0 91	0 92
Do., Spring, bush.	0 85	0 00
Oats, bush.	0 52	0 00
Do., new, bush.	0 43	0 50
Barley, bush.	0 60	0 61
Peas, bush.	0 75	0 75
Hay, ton	18 00	20 00
Straw, ton	14 00	0 00
Seeds—		
Alsike, No. 1, bush.	7 30	7 50
Do., No. 2	6 50	7 00
Dressed hogs	8 75	9 15
Eggs, per dozen	0 24	0 25
Butter, dairy	0 24	0 28
Do., creamery	0 25	0 30
Fowl, dressed, lb.	0 10	0 12
Chickens, Spring, lb.	0 14	0 15
Ducks, lb.	0 12	0 14
Turkeys, per lb.	0 14	0 17
Potatoes, bush.	0 60	0 85
Cabbage, dozen	0 25	0 35
Beef, hindquarters	9 00	10 00
Do., forequarters	5 00	6 50
Do., choice, carcase	7 50	8 50
Do., medium, carcase	6 00	7 00
Mutton, per cwt.	8 00	9 50
Veal, prime, per cwt.	7 50	10 00
Lamb, per cwt.	10 00	11 50

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS.

London.—London cables are firmer at 11¾c to 12¾c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c per lb.

FLOUR PRICES.

Flour—Manitoba patent, $4.60 to $5, track, Toronto; Ontario, 90 per cent. patent, $3.25 bid for export; Manitoba patent, special brands, $5.30; second patent, $4.70; strong bakers', $4.50.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET.

Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures to-day:

Wheat—Oct. $1.00⅛ asked, Dec. $1.00¾ bid.
Oats—Oct. 42½c bid, Dec. 42c asked.

Liverpool, Sept. 11.—Bacon— Short, clear, backs, firm, 45s 6d; clear bellies, firm; 48s.

Lard—American, refined, steady 45s 6d.

Cheese—Strong; Canadian finest, white, new, 69s; do., colored, 60s.

Chicago, Sept. 11.—Cattle—Receipts about 18,000; market steady to a shade lower. Beeves, $4 to $7.20; cows, $1.25 to $5.50; Texas steers, $3.75 to $5; calves, $3 to $8; eastern steers, $4 to $6; stockers and feeders, $2.60 to $5.00.

Hogs—Receipts about 23,000; market steady to 5c higher; light $6.20 to $6.62½; mixed, $5.70 to $6.60; heavy $5.55 to $6.25; rough $5.55 to $5.80; pigs, $5.50 to $6.40; bulk of sales $5.85 to $6.15.

Sheep—Receipts about 18,000; market steady to strong. Natives $3.25 to $5.80; western $3.25 to $5.85; lambs, $5 to $7.65.

Pittsburg, Sept. 11.—Oil opened $1.78.

New York, Sept. 11.—The stock market opened heavy.

"One of the country's greatest needs at this time is that of more Christian unity and concord." Thus spoke the Bishop of Hereford on the 18th ult. at a meeting in support of the Leysian Mission in London. Few men have done more to hasten the time when Churchmen and Nonconformists should work more closely hand in hand than Dr. Percival, who regrets that the cloud of religious controversy should stand in the way of its realization.

DENTAL

DR. BRIGGS, DENTIST, WILL RESUME practice Saturday, Aug 10, at 38½ King street west.

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Stocks and Bonds

Noon stock letter received by A. E. Carpenter from Ennis & Stoppani:

New York, Sept. 11.—The market during the morning developed considerable improvement, with much short covering, but some profit taking by influential traders at higher prices reached. London bought 15,000 shares, that market showing vigor, except in case of copper. Copper metal broke badly there, apparently to basis of 14 cents. Rumor of an important failure to be announced today was generally circulated, accounting for hesitancy displayed. New York city bonds sold to-day as high as 103. A very pleasing fact is that the Bank and Trust Companies in nearly every State in the Union submitted prices for these bonds. Foreign bids were also larger than any other sale by the city of New York. The contrast with two previous offerings of $44,000,000, which elicited bids of less than $5,000,000 in all, is very great. The city will be in funds for the balance of the year, and will pay out all the $40,000,000 during the next few months. London Consols are higher. The 2-cent fare decision in Pennsylvania is very gratifying to railroad interests, and the Northern Pacific petition in the case against the State of Minnesota has been amended so as to include claim of confiscation, which was the basis on which the Pacific case was decided in favor of the road. Adjustment of metal prices must cause irregularity in the general market, but short selling seems likely to predominate.—Ennis & Stoppani.

The following quotations are reported by A. E. Carpenter, Stock Broker, 102 King street east:

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Railroads.	Open.	1.15 p.m.
A. T. & S. F.	86⅝	86⅞
Balt. & Ohio	90⅝	..
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	44½	..
C. P. R.	164½	165½
Chic. Mil. & St. P.	121⅝	121⅞
Chas. & Ohio	38⅞	38⅞
Chic. G. T. Western	09⅛	..
Erie	21⅝	21½
Erie, 2nd	31⅝	..
Illinois Central	137	..
Missouri K. & T.	35½	35⅝
New York Central	104⅛	104⅜
Nor. & West.	71	..
Ont. & West.	33	..
Penna.	120	119⅞
Reading	46	46½
Rock Island	20⅛	..
Rock Island, pref.	46	..
St. Louis S. & W.	16⅝	..
Southern Pacific	85	86
Southern Railway	16½	..
Soo, Common	103	104
Union Pacific	130¾	131
Wabash	11⅜	..
Wabash, pref.	21	..
INDUSTRIALS.		
American Car & Foundry XD 1%	40¼	39¼
American Cotton Oil	33¾	33⅝
American Locomotive	53½	..
American Sugar	113⅛	113½
Amalgamated Copper	66¼	66⅝
Colo. Fuel & Iron	23¾	24
Distillers' Securities	55⅛	..
People's Gas	87½	..
Pressed Steel Car	29¼	..
Rep. Iron & Steel	24⅛	24
Rep. Iron & Steel, pref.	77½	78
United States Steel XD ½%	30⅞	31¼
United States Steel, pref.	94⅛	94⅝

Sales to noon, 260,300.

COBALT NOTES

Under the management of Capt. Harris, the McKinley-Darragh Mine has increased about 100 per cent. in value.

The stock of Cobalt Central Mine has advanced 10 points during the past few days on reports that an important announcement in regard to this mine is pending.

It is announced that some of the principal companies at Cobalt will begin the operation of their concentrating plants at an early date.

Herbert Gates, who has properties in James Township, says that he has the Nipissing ore of the new camp, and James Township will be the next sensation.

As a result of a trip up the Montreal River by License Inspector Blackwell and one or two constables, about a dozen informations have been sworn out against different parties for selling liquor without a license.

W. G. Muggley has started the construction of a smelter at the south end of the property of the Townsite Company at North Cobalt. It will treat ore from the Silver Queen and the City of Cobalt Mines.

It is now thought by those interested in the Cobalt mines that the Guggenheim interests will soon control many of the good properties.

A large cobalt vein, measuring from three to five feet in width, was discovered yesterday morning on the property of the Temiskaming and Hudson Bay Mining Company. To all indications this vein may be one of the bonanza mines of the camp, as silver would likely be found in it at a depth of a few feet.

The Ontario Government have extended invitations to a number of English journalists to visit Cobalt and the mining districts of the province. The following papers have been asked to send representatives: Times, Telegraph, Morning Post, Standard, Tribune, Daily Mail, Financial News, Financial Times, of London; Yorkshire Post, Birmingham Post, Liverpool Post, Manchester Guardian, Economist, Statist, Globe, Pall Mall Gazette, London Financier.

In the vicinity of Silver Lake the field is pretty well staked, and in James Township, is all staked. At Bear Creek in the latter area the population is housed in 50 tents. There are two or three stores and a post-office in the place.

The indications are that in the vicinity of Silver Lake, five miles west of Bear Creek, on the Montreal River, there will be a very important mining district. This is the statement of an official of the Ontario Bureau of Mines, who visited James Township and its neighborhood recently for the purpose of examining the rock formation. He saw two properties near Silver Lake. One vein in diabase, is seven inches wide at one point, and consists of native silver and calcite, similar to the ordinary rich Cobalt ore. The official saw only three or four feet of the surface which was stripped. The property was awaiting inspection by the Government inspector.

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OBITUARY

Death of Mrs. Tovell—Funerals of the Day.

Mrs. Tovell, wife of Mr. John E. Tovell, 111 Wentworth street south, passed away last night, after a long illness. Deceased was taken sick last Christmas day, and had been ailing ever since. She was a native of Ottawa, 63 years of age, and had resided in Hamilton 40 years. She was of a warm-hearted and kind disposition, and many friends will regret her death. Besides her husband she leaves one son, Mr. Fred. J. Tovell, of New York, and two daughters, Mrs. Carl Bastedo, of Toronto, and Mrs. Wm. Ortton, Slater street, this city.

The funeral will be on Friday afternoon, and will be private.

The funeral of Benjamin R. Rothwell took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30, from the family residence, 218 Victoria avenue north. Rev. J. A. Wilson conducted the religious services at the house and grave. The floral offerings were beautiful and numerous, showing the high esteem in which the deceased was held. The pall-bearers were T. B. Taylor, Watford, Ont.; T. M. Buckbee, Harry Christianson, James Luxon, J. J. Syme and D. Kemp.

The funeral of William Bamberger took place this afternoon from his late residence, on the Dundas road, at 3 o'clock. Rev. D. R. Drummond conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Mr. Cameron. The pall-bearers were R. R. Morgan, W. H. Ryckman, Frank and Robert Buttrum, J. Forsythe and A. J. Binkley. Interment was made in Hamilton Cemetery.

The remains of Angus Grafton, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Grafton, were laid at rest this morning, the funeral taking place from the parents' residence, 144 Hess street north. Rev. F. W. Hollinrake conducted the services. The floral offerings included sprays from parents, sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. Berryman, Master Harry Berryman, Mrs. Alexander and family, Master Georgie Prestnell, Master Otto Culp, Mrs. Rodgers and family, Master Roy Nichol, Miss Gertie Kergan, Miss Gladys and Garnet Jenks, Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Goldthorpe. The pall-bearers were Russel Smiley, Vernon Smiley, Garnet Jenks, Leslie Hulbert.

The following floral tributes were omitted from the funeral of the infant son of the late Archibald Mayo: Pillow, mother; cross, Mrs. J. Hardman, Utica, N. Y.; heart, Mr. and Mrs. McGahey; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Gavey; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. John Mayo, Mary McGahey, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clark, Annie and Mary Kinsella, Nellie Smith, Mrs. J. Wynn, Mr. and Mrs. E. Harris, Maggie McGahey and Mr. and Mrs. Cross.

Rev. F. W. Hollinrake conducted the services at the funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Dingle, 181 Catherine street south, yesterday afternoon.

Word was received here this morning that Edwin Gray, a former Hamiltonian, had passed away at Lacenter, Washington State, U. S. The deceased was 63 years of age and was an exporter of cattle. The remains will be sent to this city, and the funeral will take place from the residence of his niece, Mrs. W. A. Gilbert, 150 James street south.

Miss Mary Jane Lottridge passed away this morning at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Nancy Lottridge, Lottridge street, Barton. Deceased was 71 years of age, and was a well-known and highly respected resident in this vicinity. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon.

St. Albans claims to have the oldest inhabited house. It is a curious structure—of octagonal shape—of early Saxon origin, having been built as a boat-house to the ancient monastery founded at St. Albans by King Offa, about the year 795, and is thus over 1,100 years old That goes one higher than Provand's Lordship.

STOLE A FEW ODD COPPERS.

Toronto Youth Given Chance to Prove His Character.

Alleged Assailant of P. C. May Remanded One Week.

Hotel Man Did Not Want to Prosecute William McCabe.

At Police Court this morning the cases of Henry Smith, Toronto; Frank McGinn, city, and Joseph McGarr, Toronto, accused of stealing valuables from J. Reynolds, Martin Travers, William L. Smith and J. Miller, were taken up. The last two named were acquitted and Smith, changing his plea of not guilty to one of guilty, was remanded for sentence.

Travers was called and said that on Friday last he was in his room, at 49 Hughson north, when Smith and the other two entered and gave him some drink. While they were drinking Smith took his trousers and went through them and took 5c. and four coppers, also a marked coin. He did not say anything, as the odds were three to one against him, but later on he called the police. He could not connect the other two with the robbery, except that they had been with Smith and in reply to a question from one of them when they got outside Smith said he got very little.

Witness identified the marked coin in Smith's pocket as the one he lost.

The Megistrate said there was no evidence upon which to convict McGarr, and they were acquitted. M. J. O'Reilly, on behalf of the other prisoners, then said that Smith did not remember anything that had happened that night, as he was very drunk. Smith broke down and cried bitterly at this point. He gave the names of a number of well-known business men in Toronto to whom he could look for a good word as to his character, and the sentence was postponed for four days.

John Holmes, 56 Macaulay street, was arrested by Constable H. Smith yesterday on a charge of assaulting Constable May on Sunday last. The Crown Attorney asked for one week's remand, which was granted. Holmes has retained J. A. Ogilvie to defend him.

William McCabe, 91 Locomotive street, was arrested by Constable Brannan last night on a charge of aggravated assault preferred by J. M. Barker, proprietor of the Flamboro' House. It was alleged that McCabe stuck the prong of an umbrella through one of Barker's hands when that gentleman was ejecting him from the hotel. He did not wish to prosecute this morning, however, and McCabe was allowed to go.

John McKellar, Barton street, was charged by Constable Gravelle with being drunk and disorderly, and, pleading guilty, he was fined $3. He created a disturbance on James street.

James McKay was sued by John Gogen for $7.74, by George Zimmerman for $12.80, and by Charles Histed for $10.32. Defendant promised to pay up on the 17th, the regular pay day, and the suits were dismissed.

The Parisian Laundry Co. was sued by V. Cocroft for $4.50, but as the company showed Crocroft did not understand their rules, the suit was dismissed.

John Dingwell, Main street east, was charged with being drunk. He was up a few days ago for being drunk and has been indulging ever since. He had had a fit, and was in bad shape, and was remanded to get a chance to dry out.

Arthur Ayers, Barton, and Thomas Pavelin, no address, were fined $2 each for indulging too freely at the flowing bowl.

Five small boys from the southeast part of the city faced the magistrate this morning on a charge of wilfully damaging and stealing a fire alarm box and key. The box is situated at Jackson and Catharine streets, and the police caught the boys in the act of breaking the glass over the key.

The magistrate gave the boys a warning and allowed them to go.

Gordon Freeland, 218 John street south, pleaded guilty to breaking a window in the store of Lee Ling, a Celestial, on John street south. He was fined $10.

Two years in the reformatory was the dose handed out to Levi Leclare. He was found guilty of stealing a bicycle, and as he had been up on a similar charge before, the magistrate decided he had had enough chances.

EVERY HOUR.

Stage Manager (to lessee of theatre)—Our scene shifter wants a holiday. He says he hasn't been away for three years.

Lessee—Well, tell him he can't have one. He gets change of scenery enough for anybody.

Revised Obituary.

We made a serious error in the obituary notice of Tom Harris, who quit this earth last Wednesday. We said that Tom, had always been a good citizen. This is a mistake, as Tom has been in jail on several and sundry occasions for minor offences, the most serious of which was changing the brand on a sorrel horse belonging to the J-bar ranch. Tom was, however, about as acceptable a citizen as ever came from the Goose Creek country, which loc