

THE PASSING OF THE WESTERN FRONTIER

Felix J. Koch, One of the National Editorial Association, in the Cincinnati Paper, writes...

The following are some of the impressions of Edmonton, written by Felix J. Koch...

Time was when Edmonton, Alberta, formed a sort of "jumping place" for the cattle men and the horse ranchers...

And today—well, in my mail as I write there is the prospect of the railway being extended to beyond the Arctic circle...

We can start in perfect comfort at New Orleans or San Diego and travel very easily from thence to the north...

It is not the Royal North-West Mounted Police riding his horse on a gallop...

Just Police Officers. A horse that is splendid in itself, a man in dark brown trousers and a light shirt...

They walk behind the wagon, Indian fashion, stop it and bring the pot of coffee...

But he is not the settler of the '80's or even the '90's. Instead, he is simply moving out of the cities to take up a homestead...

American Machines Used. We, however, are eager for a peep at Edmonton. We remember reciting in college the professor of economics...

It is high noon when the train pulls in over the Canadian Northern. Five minutes later, hungry men, we wander to the hotel—the largest. On our way...

Even the street car is out here on the frontier, although it is but a single trolley. Land on this main street brings \$800 to \$850 a foot now...

THEY WOULD PAY 5 CENTS PER TON

Northern Alberta Coal Operators Propose That Government Assume Liability Under Compensation Act, the Operators to Pay into a Fund for the Purpose.

The Northern Coal Operators' association and the Southern Alberta Coal Operators' association have a proposition to submit to the government...

On this occasion of the presence in the city of representatives of the coal mine operators of the south to interview the government...

A Hazardous Occupation. The letter states in the preamble that coal mining is known to be a hazardous occupation...

Would Pay 5 Cents Per Ton. The operators will make a proposition to pay five cents to the government on every ton of coal mined by them...

Meeting of Operators. A meeting of the Northern Coal Operators' association was held in the office of the Builders' exchange Thursday...

Exclusion of Opium to U. S. Washington, Feb. 1.—The House was asked today to pass the Payne bill to prohibit the importation of opium...

Chinese Burned to Death. Canton, China, Feb. 1.—Two hundred lives have been lost in a fire which occurred today in a lot of flower boats...

Amoy, China, Feb. 1.—The troops sent to quell the so-called opium riots in the Tungshan district some time ago have been withdrawn...

Demonstration Results Serenely. Hanover, Germany, Feb. 1.—A socialist demonstration against the Prussian election laws caused a collision with the police...

Domestic Infelicity Here. Mrs. Vadnaiss Shoots Her Husband—Cardston Couple Again Quarrel.

Leithbridge, Feb. 1.—Richard Vadnaiss, a farmer living south of Cardston, was brought to the city tonight with two bullet wounds in his head...

Approve Assistance to C. N. R. Vancouver Board of Trade Interested in Grain Conference at Calgary.

Vancouver, Feb. 1.—Mayor Douglas in a happy speech at the close of the board of trade banquet...

Japanese Viscount Dead. A prominent statesman in the Flowering Kingdom.

Tokyo, Feb. 2.—Viscount Tanaka died here today. He was a member of the privy council and took a prominent part in the restoration of the emperor...

Fire in Snowstorm in St. John. St. John, N.B., Feb. 1.—The early snow of Sunday morning in the thick of a cold storm...

Naval Engagement at Gibraltar. Gibraltar, Feb. 1.—Gibraltar seemed to be the scene of a naval engagement at close range for one hour...

SEA HOLDS ITS SECRET.

Steamer Which Foundered Off Cape Hatteras Is Unknown.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 1.—The turbulent waves over Diamond Shoals, fourteen miles off Cape Hatteras...

Complaints Against Railways. J. J. Denman, of the Clover Bar Coal Co., J. Blaine, of the White Star Mining, Strathcona, and C. A. Hyndman...

Wood Alcohol Fatal Beverage. Washington, January 31.—A report received from Mars Island by the naval medical department...

Jury Finds Busse Blamed. Chicago, Feb. 1.—George Busse, brother of the mayor of Chicago, was convicted by the coroner's jury...

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FIRE BURNED FOR FIVE HOURS IN SHIP'S HOLD

Lives of Passengers and Crew of Quebec Lined Korona, in West Indies' Trade, Imperilled—Brave Action of Captain and First Officer Saves Vessel.

New York, February 1.—A stubborn fire that burned for five hours in the forward hold of the Quebec liner Korona...

The ship, left St. Thomas on January 23 in heavy weather. Two days later she had managed to reach a point 200 miles east of Turk's Island...

At six o'clock that evening a dozen passengers noticed that the engines had come to a sudden stop. Captain Carmichael was on the bridge...

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WEDNESDAY'S GRAIN MARKET

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