

BREEDING BUFFALO

A unique enterprise that promises great returns is about to be started in the North West. As is known, the buffalo which used to roam over the prairies in countless herds is now all most extinct, but Mr S. L. Bedson, warden of the Manitoba penitentiary, a few years ago secured a young buffalo bull and four heifer calves which have increased to a herd of 18 bulls, 25 cows and 18 calves, all thoroughbred buffalo. A company is being formed under the name of the North West Buffalo Breeding Company to buy this herd for \$25,000, obtain a ranch and carry on a stock business. The capital stock will be \$75,000, divided into shares of \$10 each. It is alleged that by crossing with ordinary cattle, a breed may be obtained possessing all the hardihood and most of the characteristics of the thoroughbred buffalo, the head and hide being at least equal to that of the buffalo, and the meat of very fine flavor. It is urged that one advantage which buffaloes possess over ordinary cattle for range breeding is that being natives of the North West, they are able to stand the extremes of heat and cold and unlike ordinary cattle can find their food in deep snow and under a crust of ice which they will clear away with their hoofs. Moreover, it is argued that the calf of a day old is capable of taking care of itself.

If all these claims are well founded this enterprise may accomplish a good deal for the North West. Everyone knows that an enormous amount of capital is invested in the stock raising industry of the Western States, and that western cities have been largely built up by the cattle trade. In the Alberta district of our own North West there are already seventy thousand head of cattle, and the business of stock raising is very profitable. But both in the north, west Canada and in the western and south western States there have been very large losses during exceptionally cold weather and if a breed of cattle is able to stand these extremes of climate can be raised the value of the millions of acres of grazing land in the Canadian North West can scarcely be over estimated. Moreover a solution of the Indian question may be found in this enterprise. If the herd of Buffalo owned by this company increases as rapidly as expected it will, before many years, be numbered by thousands, and the Government could by purchasing buffalo convert the Indian reserves into stock ranches and make the Indians raise their own food. They are never likely to make very good farmers, but as cow-boys the Indian and half-breed could compete with the white man on equal terms. Ultimately there is no doubt that the large ranches, whether of ordinary cattle or buffaloes, must give way to smaller holdings in order to make room for settlers, and it is to be hoped that farmers throughout the North West will be encouraged to devote more attention to stock raising in order to take the place of the large ranches which are a great source of wealth to the country and any enterprise that will remove the difficulties and lessen the losses now attending the business should be generously supported.

THE HABIT OF DRINKING

There is no one thing that does more to demoralize not only boys but grown men, as the habit of treating and being treated. A man goes into a saloon, thinking he will take a glass of beer, worth of itself will hurt no one particularly. Tom and Dick and Harry and Jack have just sat down to a table, and they ask you to join them. You drink with Tom, and then you want to go, but Dick says, 'Fill me up again,' and you don't want to offend Dick, so you drink another. Now you have taken twice as much as you intended to, and you feel mad at yourself. You would give anything to go, but Harry says the boys have got to drink with him, and you worry down another, and you feel as though you were a beet wagon. Then Jack wants to show that there is nothing mean about him, and he pounds on the table and the waiter brings more beer. You only drink half of your's and you feel as though you were the biggest fool of the century, but they all have treated except you, and to go away now would look small and mean. You would rather give a dollar than put another slug of beer down under your vest, so you say, 'Let's have some cigars boys the cigars are brought, you light one, and feel as though every puff was going to raise those two quarts of beer slop around in a three pint stomach; and you finally go out of the saloon with tangled legs, disgusted mind, sick stomach and feel as if you wanted to maul yourself. You went into a saloon fifty pence a nickel, and you spent from ten cents to a dollar, and instead of enjoying yourself, as you thought you would when you went in, you made a fool of yourself. If, when you went in, and were invited to sit down; you had said, 'No boys, I am in a hurry,' and take but one glass, they would have said it was all right, and may be they would have been glad you did not stop. Perhaps they invited you simply from force of habit, or were 'sizing you up.'

The best way for a young man is to make a rule and stick to it, never to treat or be treated. If you want a glass of beer, go and buy it and pay for it, and go about your business. If you want a cigar buy it and smoke it. Do not get in a habit of smoking cigars unless you can afford it, and do not take a cigar with every fellow who asks you to join him. If you do, you have to return the compliment some other time, but if you stop receiving such courtesies you can easily stop granting them. At first the boys will think you are economizing, and they will laugh at you; and in a year they will respect you, and in two years they will admire you, and will ask you how you manage to pull through

so nicely on so small a salary. A firm, 'No, thank you,' when asked to accept a treat will do it all, and instead of outsiders saying to you, 'He is going to the best pretty fast,' they will be very glad to meet with you and talk with you and say, 'There is a fellow that will some day fill his place in the world.' And when the spending thrifts have lost their money, these same fellows that have thought you small potatoes because you would not join in a round of drinks and cigars will ask you for a loan and say they always knew you had a good heart in you, and when you refuse unless they can show up collateral, they will be offended, but they will respect your business habits all the more.

To sum up: You have got to have some nerve, decide that you will not treat or be treated, and will only drink or smoke when you feel like it, and then pay for it yourself. Then you will save mopey, respect yourself, and will not lose the respect of any person you have reason to care about.

FREQUENT COMMUNION

With the holy sacrifice of the Mass, Prophet and Apostle have united the receiving of the Blessed Eucharist. 'As often as you eat this bread' says St. Paul and drink this chalice, you shall announce the death of the Lord.' During the first persecutions, daily Communion was an ordinary practice in many parts of the church. In the days of the penal laws, Mass was so seldom said in Ireland or England, that all present did not communicate. And well in those times, might men so live, for, from hour to hour, they stood face to face with death. At present, daily Communion is only found within the cloister; and, the number of weekly and monthly communicants is not one-fourth of what it should be. Christ 'prepares His banquet; and sends out his messengers to call those who were invited.' He adds, 'unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man, you shall not have life in you.' Yet, many Catholics pass whole years rejecting the invitation and defying the treat. The piety of young children attending school or just after leaving it, is frequently exposed to the grave scandal of a father, who for years does not approach the Holy Table. What a terrible judgement is such a parent laying up for himself! How false is he to the Christ, whose words he pretends to believe, and those of eternal life! How cruelly misleading is he to his children, in whom his example, stronger than all instruction, is daily tending to produce a similar neglect.

CARDINAL TASCHEREAU

Presentation of His Letters of Appointment and the Red Hat by the Pope's Special Messenger. Quebec, June 29.—The formal presentation to the Cardinal-Archbishop of Quebec of the official letters conveying his appointment as cardinal sent by special messenger from the Pope and the red hat indicating the wearer's high office took place in the throne-room of the Archbishops palace at one o'clock this afternoon, in the presence of a large body of clergy, judges, foreign consuls, senators, members of the Dominion and Provincial Legislature and leading citizens. The Comte Gazzoli drove to the place at one o'clock, and was received by the Archbishop standing at the foot of the crimson-covered throne, and with a tall brass crucifix on his right. As the Count advanced to the centre of the room he came to attention and gave the military salute, after which he took off his plume-decked helmet, and advancing towards his Eminence, bent his right knee and bowing at the same time handed to his Eminence a sealed package containing the letters announcing his elevation to the cardinalate. The documents were written in Latin, and as his Eminence received and opened them he handed them to his Grand Vicar, who after reading them in Latin translated them into French. The Garde Noble then paid complimentary addresses to his Eminence, which his Eminence replied to with marked eloquence, and welcomed the Court to Quebec. All the company, beginning with ex-Justice Taschereau, of the Supreme Court, and the Count de Primeau Real, were presented to his Eminence and kissed his hands, subsequently receiving the benediction, which his Eminence also afterwards gave to the large assemblage of ladies and others outside the main entrance.

Bright and Cheery.—Some persons live in a perpetual state of fret. The weather is always objectionable, the temperature is never satisfactory. They have two much to do, and are driven to death, or twofold, and have no resources. If they are ill they know they shall never get well, if they are well they expect soon to be ill. Their daily work is either dredgery, which they hate, or so difficult and complex that they cannot execute it. In contrast to these we sometimes meet with men and women so bright and cheery that their

very presence is a positive pleasure. They discover the favorable side of the weather, of their business, of home surroundings, of social relations, even of political affairs. They will tell you of the pleasant things that happen, and give voice to all the joy they feel. Of course they are sometimes annoyed and worried by petty troubles, but the very effort they make to pass them over silently diminishes their unpleasant effect upon themselves, and prevents the influence from extending.

The murderer of the late Bishop of Madrid has professed repentance for his crime. Writing to the cathedral chapter of the diocese: "With all my soul I beg forgiveness of all, on account of the bitter grief I have caused by scandalous deed. Pray for me to God and to our Blessed Lady, and forgive from your hearts the most unfortunate and most unworthy of your subjects."

TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS, marked "Tender for oats," and addressed to the Commissioner N. W. M. Police Regina, N. W. T., will be received up to noon on Saturday, the 12th June, for furnishing five thousands bushels Oats, to be delivered at the C. P. R. Stations, Regina, not later than 30th June.

Oats to be delivered in gunny sacks to be furnished by the contractor without extra charge and to be retained by the Police.

The lowest any tender not necessarily accepted.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted Canadian bank cheque of an amount equal to ten per cent, of the total value of the Oats tendered must for, which will be forfeited if the party declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the service contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

No payment will be made to newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority.

FR. WHITE, Comptroller, N. W. M. Police, Ottawa, 19th May, 1886.

TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS, marked "For Mounted Police Provisions and Light Supplies," and addressed to the Honorable the President of the Privy Council Ottawa, will be received up to noon on Wednesday, 30th June.

Printed forms of tenders, containing full information as to the articles and approximate quantities required, may be had on application at any of the Mounted Police Posts in the North West, or at the office of the undersigned.

No tender will be received unless made on such printed forms.

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FR. WHITE, Comptroller, Ottawa, 18th May, 1886.



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ARTIST

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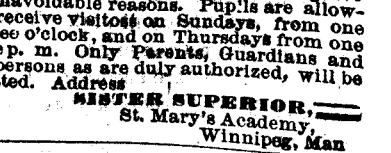
The Sisters are happy to inform their Friends and the Public that a new and commodious Building which they have recently erected will enable them to bestow additional care upon the education of their Pupils. The Teachers will devote themselves with unremitting attention and labor to the intellectual culture and moral training of their Pupils as well as to forming their manners to the usages of polite society. Pupils of every denomination are admitted and no interference is made with their religious convictions; they are, however, required to conform to the general rules of the Institution.

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Parents residing at a distance will please furnish sufficient funds to purchase and clothing as may be required, also materials for Drawing, Fancy Work, etc. Pupils from other institutions will not be admitted without a recommendation from Superior Books and Letters are subject to the inspection of the Directress. Pupils are admitted at any time, charges dating from entrance. No deduction will be made for partial absence, or for withdrawal before the close of a session, unless in case of illness, or for other grave and unavoidable reasons. Pupils are allowed to receive visitors on Sundays, from one to three o'clock, and on Thursdays from one to five p.m. Only Parents, Guardians and such persons as are duly authorized, will be admitted. Address

MISTRESS SUPERIOR, St. Mary's Academy, Winnipeg, Man.



TENDERS for a license to cut timber

on Dominion Lands in the District of Alberta, N. W. T.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, and marked 'Tenders for a timber berth,' will be received at this office until noon on Monday, 5th day of July next, for two timber berths of eighteen and nineteen and one-half square miles respectively, situated on the head waters of the Bow River, in the district of Alberta.

Sketches showing the position approximately of these berths, together with the conditions on which they will be licensed, may be obtained at this Department or at the Crown Timber Offices at Winnipeg and Calgary.

A. M. Burgess, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior



NOTICE

Weights and Measures

The following balances only are to be admitted to verification:

- A. Balances having equal arms and on which the load is suspended below the fulcrum.
- B. Balances commonly known as steelyard or Roman Balances, having equal arms.
- C. Balances with equal arms and on which the load is placed above the fulcrum.
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By order, W. HIMS WORTH, secretary.

Inland Revenue Department, Ottawa, Feb 24th, 1886.

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