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LOCAL NEWS

C. V. Sifton, Winnipeg, is in the city and is stopping at the Alberta.

Diamond ring given away at Sherman's rink tonight in place of last night.

J. A. Markle, of Red Deer, Indian commissioner, came in from the north last night and registered at the Alberta.

W. A. Duff, travelling passenger agent of the Canadian Northern, Winnipeg, is in the city and registered at the Alberta.

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Examinations in Music.

Dr. MacRae, local representative of the Associated Boards of the Royal Academy of Music and the Royal College of Music, yesterday received the time table of the examiner, Prof. D. S. Dunhill's tour for Western Canada. The dates and places are as follows:

Monday, May 30, 9.30, at Mr. F. Wrigley's studio, Herald block; Wednesday, June 1, 2.30, St. Hilda's College, pupils of Madame Ellis Browne and Miss Phillips; Thursday, June 30, same place, 9.30 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.; Thursday, June 2, 2.30, Calgary Conservatory of Music; Friday, June 3, same place; Friday, June 3, studio of Miss Little; Saturday, June 4, 9.00 a.m., Western Canada college, 4 p.m., organ puplis at Knox church.

A Talented Lady Cornetist

Among the many soloists appearing with the Navassars' Ladies' Band, which is to play at Calgary the first week in uly, none are better or more favorably known than Miss LilJlian Sieger, who occupies the premier cornet position with this world's famous organization of lady musicians.

Miss Sieger, a native of St. Louis, Mo., received he preliminary musical education in her home city, but her talent soon equalled that possessed by the instructors, who suggested her finishing her schooling abroad. This she did, having taken a three years' course in the Paris Consvreatory of music, under the guidance of Jean Duval, head of the Department of Cornets at that world famed college of music.

Miss Sieger though only young in years, is classed with such older and famous artists as Herbert Clark of Sousa's band.

Upon the occasion of the Navassar's appearance here she will be heard in several solos.

The Poultry Show at Exhibition

The poultry show in connection with the big Provincial show will doubtless surpass the grand display of last year. Mr. Sharp Butterfield of Windsor, Ont., who has judged the last two years, will again officiate. Mr. Butterfield judges at all the largest shows in the east and with him picking the winners there is no doubt but that the best birds will win. Prizes are offered for all classes from the largest turkey to the smallest bantam. There is also a liberal classification for pheasants, pigeons and pet stock. The Calgary Poultry association is co-operating with the fair board in their endeavor to make this summer's poultry show the best ever held in the west. Besides the regular cash prizes there are also offered cups for the best bird in almost every class. The White Wyandotte club of Canada also offers a silver cup for the best four White Wyandottes. There are also two championship cups, also a silver cup for the best display of one variety. The Poultry association wishes every member to exhibit. Prize lists and any information desired can be obtained from the office of the exhibition company. Five years ago the poultry entry numbered about 60 birds. This year the entry will reach close to one thousand.

Boy Scouts

This movement, which is spreading all over the world, has reached Calgary and certainly seems to have caught on. After some weeks of patrol action, the first definite combined movement of the seven patrols which now exist in Calgary and Crescent Heights, was at the memorial service of our late King. Many of our readers must have noticed the smart appearance of 35 boys who marched behind the cadets to the Pro-Cathedral on Empire Day. The troop mustered 42 under the following officers. Scouts, Masters Jewitt of Crescent Heights; Northcott of St. Stephens; Clarke of the Pro-Cathedral, with two assistant Scouts, Masters Reid and Spiller, also Chaplain Horne. They marched from 7th avenue to 14th street west, thence south to the Elbow River, where the various patrols made fires, cooked and ate their dinners, after which some creditable scout work was performed of despatch running. The boys have certainly learned how to take cover. So much so that a visitor remarked to one of the officers that he believed no boy was stationed on the west side of the headquarters. He was told that if he walked in that direction he would be challenged by at least six. He went, and found this was so. After more cooking at six, they fell in, saluted the flag, and marched back to the city, the marching being one of the features of the day.

PARTELLO STOCK COMPANY

Presented a Delightful Comedy at the Lyric Theatre

In spite of the fact that fully half a dozen other attractions claimed the patronage of the entertainment loving portion of the city's population, the Lyric theatre was comfortably filled with a most appreciative audience to witness the second presentation in the repertoire of the Partello Stock Company. The play, "Lena Rivers," was a new one to a Calgary audience and was charged with an abundance of good wholesome comedy with just sufficient of the pathetic and dramatic to prevent it being anything of a "screamer."

Miss Kennedy and Jack Westerman were in the leading roles and the audience appreciated intensely the consummate skill of both artists who cleverly alternated in comic and serious situations.

At the Orpheum

It is the laughing limit this new show at the Orpheum, and the girls do some dandy dances. Julia Grassel, singing the "Yama, Yama Man," was the song hit of the show. Harry Bernard and Jim Rowe were capable of doing more for the audience to make them laugh than ever before. It is a good show in every point, and was greatly appreciated by a packed house last night.

ALBERTAN "WANT ADS" PAY.

GODDARD REFERS TO COST OF THE ROAD

One of the A. & G. W. Engineers Gives Very Interesting Evidence

SOME STRONG INCIDENTS IN THE WORK DONE

He Was Watched Like a Small Pox Patient For Some Time

Edmonton, Alta., May 26.—J. R. Boyle, M. P. P. took the stand at the A. & G. W. investigation this morning. Mr. Walsh examined him. He said he had never been interested in the Athabasca Railway, but he had met Faulkner during the first session of the legislature, having been introduced to him by Cornwall at the Alberta hotel. He met Hawes in March of the following spring. He then told of having stayed over in Winnipeg with Cornwall at the latter's request while he was making a trip east. They met Faulkner, Hawes, Minty and Woodman.

"Their idea then" said Boyle "was to get a subsidy of $6,400 a mile from the Dominion government and they seemed to think that I had some influence with the Dominion government. I am not sure that they asked me directly to aid them. They thought the provincial government should help them too but I told them there was no chance. I promised to see Olive rand I did. I told Oliver of what had taken place and that they wanted me to see him. So when they come, tell them I've been here, I said.

"'Yes,' he said, 'I've seen you.' I might say that I did not take Cornwall's railroad project seriously, not considering it feasible. I have never received a cent from the Athabasca syndicate or the the A. & G. W. Co."

That was the beginning and the end of Mr. Boyle's testimony.

Goddard Gives Evidence

Cecil Goddard assistant chief engineer of the A. & G. W. Co., was called again saying he had found no more documents than he produced when called to the stand a few days ago. He was examined by Mr. Johnstone. He told of having been employed by Clarke through engineer Woodman to make a reconnaisance of the proposed route and make a report before September 1, 1908 when Clarke's option on the Athabasca Syndicate expired. Before going he met Dr. Waddell, Clarke's chief enginer at Kamloops. The witness was to report to Woodman and telegraph any required information to Clarke using caution in wording messages so information would not leak out at Edmonton. He said he travelled 1,400 miles in making the survey, going to the east of Lac La Biche and Stoney Mountains. He returned September 26. He went to Woodman at Winnipeg and thence to Minneapolis where he met Clarke, Waddell and Bowen. He reported to Dr. Waddell at West Hotel in a verbal, general way, as to line of route, grades and probable freight receipts.

Game of Hide and Seek.

Goddard told of an amusing incident when while three days this side of McMurray in making the reconnaisance he met engineer Phillips also making a survey. He asked Phillips what he was doing, and Phillips told him a "fairy story" but he did not learn Phillips' name until some time afterward. "Did you tell him what you were doing?" asked Jonhstone.

"You bet I did not" was the reply.

The witness said he later heard Phillips had been sent out by Clarke a wek after him to check him up. He felt hurt about it and asked Woodman for an explanation and Woodman made an explanation that was satisfactory. He said that he began the preparation of his report at the King Edward Hotel after making a second trip over the route, beginning October 7 and finishing October 12.

In that report he estimated the average cost per mile for a maximum grade of 1 1-2 per cent. for clearing, grading, bridging, ties ballasting and grubbing at $6,819. He figured on a pusher engine grade at Fort McMurray for a distance of six miles. He did not include, of course, the cost of rails. He said that while at the King Edward Hotel Dr. Waddell told him to keep quiet as he did not want him to go about much. He declared, however that the intention was not to keep him away from the government as Clarke had nothing to conceal, and that Dr. Waddell's idea was simply that he was pretty well known in Edmonton as an engineer and if he was seen persons might have suspected he was here for some definite purpose. Johnstone read a letter sent to Goddard by A. C. Fraser saying he trusted Goddard would not have to be treated like a small pox patient again.

The witness admitted that Waddell kept Phillips at the Windsor Hotel so that he and Phillips would not meet but said Waddell thought himself justified as the figures of both men were to be submitted to the government. Johnstone asked the witness how he could explain the discrepancies between his statement and that of Dr. Waddell which was $27,000 a mile but the subject was dropped until the witness could bring some figures bearing on it.

The witness then told of a meeting of September 13 when Cushing was present. He said the meeting was protracted, lasting until one o'clock in the morning. Cushing was there to the end.

"Mr. Cushing seemed to think the estimates of cost made by me, Phillips and Waddell too high objecting principally to the amount of yardage. The meeting was called to discuss the project with Cushing, from an engineering standpoint, but he kept holding back his approval. He seemed to want a government engineer to report first. Cushing did not say anything about the guarantee. Nothing was settled, the meeting ended in a deadlock."

ONE CIVIL SERVANT REFUSED THE OATH

Had an Idea That it Was a Direct Copy of the Accession Oath of the King

Ottawa, May 26.—Considerable comment has been caused in the civil service by the refusal of an officer of one of the departments to take the oath of allegiance to King George V. It seems that when the other employees presented themselves, this one abstained from going to the room where the clerk of the privy council was administering the oath. The remedy will be in his salary being stopped by the auditor general. The reason assigned is that the clerk took the stand that the oath is similar to the coronation oath in reference to Roman Catholics, which is not at all the case.

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Handsomely tailored in green, navy and black. Regular price $20.00. Friday **$14.00**

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MILLER BILL BEING TRIED OUT IN EAST

Newspaper Men on Trial for Publishing Certain Racing News Contrary to the Bill

Toronto, May 26.—W. A. Hewitt, sporting editor of the Star, J. W. Ferrier, C. Walker and J. McLaughlin were remanded for a week in the police court on a charge of breach of the racing act. Inspector Kennedy swore out information yesterday against these four men on a charge of printing, publishing and selling daily racing records and Chicago daily racing information.

This morning they pleaded not guilty and were remanded. In the meantime the sale of racing information in papers is stopped.

RECORD IN FLYING MADE BY O. WRIGHT

Dropped 2,700 Feet at a Terrific Pace, But Had Perfect Control of Machine.

Dayton, Ohio, May 26. — Orville Wright has made five aeroplane flights here within a few hours, in one of which he reached an altitude of 2700 feet and from which height he landed at terrific speed, reaching the earth in one minute and 28 seconds, or at a rate of over 20 miles an hour, thus establishing a world's record for descent. The machine dropped under perfect control and landed within fifteen feet of the end of the starting rail. For the first time in his life Bishop Milton Wright, father of the Wright brothers, left the earth with Orville and was taken 300 feet into the air.

Natural Gas Near London

London, Ont., May 26.—Natural gas has been struck not far from London on the farm of Sid Dicy, Westminster township. Well drillers were at work and at 225 feet struck a flow of gas, which when ignited burned 24 hours. Neighbors have given orders for the drilling of wells on adjoining farms.

EDISON HINTS AT NEW FORCE

Successor to Electricity Probable, the Inventor Says

East Orange, N.J., May 26.—Thomas A. Edison, the electrical wizard, has suggested the possibilities of the discovery and development of a new power, "another method of agitating the atoms or molecules besides the thing we call electricity," as he said. But in the meantime, he declared that the scope of electricity as a motive power is gradually widening and being better realized.

What the new power may be the great inventor did not undertake to say. Its discovery, as he suggested, will likely be by accident, probably through one of the five human senses, as radium and the X-ray were found through the sense of light.

While Edison discussed a new force other than electricity merely as a possibility, he discusses it in a most interesting manner.

"I took dinner on one occasion with an eminent professor of the University of Berlin," he said, "and I moved my forefinger at him and asked him what made it move. He couldn't tell. There is one form of motion that we do not comprehend. So it is there may be discovered a new power which we can convert into use, but I cannot say what it will be."

Graphic Gives Advice

London, May 26.—The Daily Graphic hopes that Canada will modify the immigration regulations, and says the Dominion possesses such boundless resources that the government should do nothing to suggest "dog in the manger" policy.

NOTICE

Taxpayers, Attention.

The attention of property owners in the subdivisions north of the Bow River and west of the 5th meridian, lying outside the City of Calgary and Village of Crescent Heights, is directed to the fact that the assessment of Local Improvement District No. 13-A-5 for the year 1910 is now completed and notices have been mailed to the respective owners as their names appear on the assessment roll. Taxes are now due and payable at the office of the undersigned and all property in arrears after December 31st next, is liable to forfeiture pursuant to the provisions of the Local Improvement Ordinance.

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THREE DIVISIONS OF ENGLAND

The Northern Part Leads Rest of Country in Progress

England, as every attentive observer has noted, falls roughly into three parts. North of a line drawn from the Dee to the Humber there is the England which is almost as new as America, the England of coal and iron, cotton and wool, the England of great mills and mines and of industry on an immense scale. That is the England the capitals of which are Manchester, Sheffield, Leeds and Bradford, the cities whose names stand throughout the world for modern English manufacturing supremacy and commercial enterprises, and this England has pronounced at least as decisively as in 1906 for the government, for free trade, and, above all, for democracy.

Just to the south of the line there is the Midlands, the region of which Birmingham is the capital, the region in which industry is carried on for the most part in small factories by struggling employers. That England has, on the whole, gone against the government.

Finally, there is the South, the feudal England, the region characterized by cathedral cities, small market towns and rather decayed residential boroughs.

In size of population, in wealth, in industrial significance and in virility, the urban North as unquestionably outweighs the urban Midlands and the urban South as it has unquestionably given on its verdict for the cause of progress.

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