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BANK ALSO WANTS AN AUDIT OF CITY'S FINANCES
That Said to be Real Reason for Hesitation to Loan City \$3,000,000

Lack of Ready Cash Blamed on System of Borrowing From One Bylaw to Another

High Occurs in Final Proceedings When Bank of Montreal is About to Loan \$1,500,000

That the real reason why the Bank of Montreal has been holding back from loaning the city of Calgary the full \$3,000,000 asked on unsold debentures is largely because the bank is unwilling to advance any more money until a thorough audit of municipal affairs has been made, was a statement made yesterday by Acting Mayor James Hornby.

"If it is true that the bank hesitates to loan us more money on these debentures until a municipal audit is had," said Alderman A. C. McDougall yesterday, "and from what I have heard that is the reason I am going to insist on an audit before we vote any more money bylaws. It is time that we were getting to the bottom of this whole mix-up."

The disclosure yesterday of the real reason for the bank's reluctance to advance the city more money casts considerable light on a remark made several weeks ago by Mayor Mitchell by City Controller W. C. Wood, in the presence of newspapermen, that he thought the bank had the city in a tight corner and was trying to drive a hard bargain.

Comptroller Displeas Publicity.
At that time, Comptroller Wood made a veiled attack on the local newspapers for disclosing the financial "mix-up" into which the city officials had entered. The disclosure of the matter had caused the Comptroller to place the blame for the difficulty of disposing of Calgary debentures on the shoulders of the press because of the publicity through articles and news items.

Since that time, it has also been revealed that a large part of the city's ready cash is due to the system of using money borrowed on one set of bonded general bylaws to work under other general bylaws debentures which have been voted out, but neither sold nor hypothecated with the bank. This practice has become very general, despite the fact that the aldermen are not at all certain that it is technically legal under the present city charter.

For instance, an issue of approximately \$400,000 of debentures voted for street railway construction is yet undrawn, although "the municipal railway" department has expended something like \$250,000 under these debentures for extensions and improvements, including the purchase of rolling stock.

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ALBERTA FARMER IS TO BE TAUGHT BY TRAIN SCHOOL
Mixed Farming Special, Full of Experts, to Go All Over the Province

Train Will be Equipped With Two Lecture Cars and Stops Will be Made in Many Towns

Duncan Marshall is Behind the Scheme; All Railroad Companies Are Assisting

FARM education on wheels is the purpose for which a special "Mixed Farming" train will be run over the Canadian Pacific, Grand Trunk Pacific and Canadian Northern railways in the province of Alberta beginning on October 28, and lasting throughout the month of November.

The train was arranged for by the Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture, who is receiving liberal assistance from the three railway companies, the officials of which have shown keen interest in the movement.

The Canadian Pacific, over whose lines the train will first be run, will furnish the equipment, consisting of two load cars of pure bred stock, two passenger coaches fitted for lecture rooms, one baggage car for displays of grains, grasses, weeds and dairy produce, a carload of poultry, one sleeper, one diner and one box car.

"Schools" will be held for three hours at all stopping places, beginning at 9 o'clock in the morning and 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Arrangements will be made in advance at all points, and no time will be wasted. The following officials will accompany the train: Professor W. J. Sullivan of the Canadian Pacific Railway department of natural resources; C. E. Lewis, provincial superintendent of fairs and institutes; H. C. Craig, superintendent of demonstration farms; W. F. Stevens, provincial live stock commissioner; A. McLeod, provincial inspector for C. P. Markets; provincial dairy commissioner, W. Foley; provincial poultry commissioner, H. C. McLeod; and provincial minister of agriculture, at present in the east and will engage two or three noted experts.

HARVEST REPORTS REVEAL IDEAL CONDITIONS
Recent Cool Weather, Followed by Sunshine, Welcomed in Saskatchewan

Crop to East of Calgary Maturing Naturally and in Good Condition

The C.P.R. is in receipt of crop reports from the vicinity of Regina, Sask., showing that conditions are propitious for a great harvest season. Clear, sunny weather is giving a great impetus to the work in the harvest fields and the cool weather disposed of the danger of grain sprouting in the shock after the rains.

AWAKENED FROM SLEEP BY BURGLARS AND ROBBED
Unpleasant Experience of W. Sullivan Last Night; Two Arrested on Suspicion

How would you like to be in your downy bed in the delicious early slumber that comes to all who labor, and awaken to find a burglar standing over you and but to sleep again with a blow on the point of the jaw that is conducive to slumber?

That is what happened to W. Sullivan last night. As one of the results of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, the Canadian Pacific Railway is to erect a warehouse to store the exhibits from the exposition. Sullivan was rooming at 519 Ninth avenue, and went to bed early last night. Two men entered his room, and when he looked up from under the bed covers, he saw them. He called out, and he received a crack over the eye which put him down and out for the time being. When he came to he found he had lost four dollars of his own money and two dollars belonging to a friend.

He gave a description of the two men, and smart work by the police located McDonald and Fitzgerald, both of whom were recognized by Sullivan. Jimmy Rath was assaulted yesterday, but Jimmy was the thug to it, because he was broke. Description of his assailant was given to the police, and Chief Cuddy's dog net will land the assaulter in the bars before morning.

HON. JOHN MORRISSY WILL SPEAK IN CALGARY FRIDAY
The Hon. John Morrissey, formerly minister of public works for the province of New Brunswick, who is returning from attending the forestry convention at Victoria, B.C., will address a public meeting in the rooms of the Liberal league, Beveridge block, on Friday evening, Sept. 13.

Mr. Morrissey has taken a very prominent part in Canadian public affairs for many years and is a most instructive and entertaining speaker.

Local speakers including the Hon. W. H. Cushing and Mr. T. J. Skinner will also address the meeting. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

THOUSANDS OF HORSES DIE OF STRANGE DISEASE
Money Loss to Farmers of Western Kansas Estimated at Half Million

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JOKE IS ON GOVERNOR GENERAL; RUMOR HAS IT THAT THREE PERSONS WAS BAILED OUT TO WIN CHAMPIONSHIP
His Royal Highness Sends Congratulatory Message to Man in Detinue

How Macleod Takes Care of Himself in Times of Great Emergency

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MAYOR MITCHELL IS AGAINST DOUBTING THE FAIRNESS OF INDUSTRIES
Also Against the Proposed Stock Increase of the Canadian Pacific Railroad

Suggest That Company Should Use Proceeds of Land Sales to Take Care of Extensions

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MONTREAL FINANCIER GOES INTO STEEL INDUSTRY
Father of the Republic Would Modernize China by Building System of Railroads

Means Great Extension of Privileges to Foreigners in Yellow Republic

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SUN YAT SEN MAY BE THE JAMES J. HILL OF THE CHINESE
Chairman Hornby of Investigating Committee in Letter Denies Mr. Child's Charges

Declares City Clerk Notified the Engineer, Who Would Not Appear

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CHAMPION APPROVES OF ANNUAL STAMPEDE
"Tex" McLeod, Roping Marvel, Would Aid in Gathering Range Contestants

Dec Pardee Busy Making Motion Pictures of Life on the Canadian Ranch

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A. L. NUNNS RETIRING FROM BANKING BUSINESS

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THIRTY-FIVE CENTS YOU GET
Bank of Montreal advertisement.

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McDougal Block advertisement.

USE SNAP
Advertisement for a property.

BOWES & CO.
Advertisement for a business.

DEN, BEARD AND COMPANY, LTD.
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ELECTRIC LIGHTING CONTRACTORS
Advertisement for a business.

NEVIS COAL
Advertisement for coal.

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WHAT THE GREAT WEST DID YESTERDAY
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ANOTHER AVIATOR KILLED
Advertisement for a newspaper.

WARM
Advertisement for a newspaper.

TURKS GOT AEROPLANE AND PRISONER WITH IT IN CHEAP FASHION
Advertisement for a newspaper.

H. VIVIAN, WHO REORGANIZED CALGARY TOWN PLANNING COMMISSION, WILL BE HERE TUESDAY
Advertisement for a newspaper.