

NEW MINISTER FOR GRACE CHURCH

Induction Ceremonies took Place at Grace Church Last Night

The induction of the Rev. A. McWilliams at Grace church, west end, took place last evening at eight o'clock. After the edict was returned and properly adjusted the Rev. Mr. Collins, the lately inducted minister of Davisburg, preached the sermon from John 14 on "Peace." Thereafter the interim moderator narrated the steps leading up to the call of Mr. McWilliams. After the customary questions were put Mr. McWilliams was inducted.

The Rev. J. A. Clark addressed the new minister and the congregation after which followed a reception given by the ladies of Grace church.

The new minister then delivered an address to the congregation and thanked them for their kindness.

A vote of thanks was passed to the moderator for his services, and the meeting dispersed at a late hour.

TRUSTEES CONVENTION LATE THIS MONTH

Dr. Scott Will Read a Paper on Truancy

Arrangements have been completed to have a school trustees convention which will take place in Edmonton on the 23rd and 24th of this month. Calgary will be represented by three or four delegates, which will be appointed on Thursday, at the first meeting of the new school board.

This convention will be the first of what is to be annual one, and will be mostly for discussion and the reading of papers.

Dr. Scott of Calgary is down to read a paper on Truancy and Compulsory education, and criticism and suggestions as to school ordinance.

The following papers will be read and discussed:

Sanitary, Hygiene and medical inspection in town and city schools.

Salaries of teachers, relation to salaries compared with salaries of other employment.

Truancy and compulsory education, criticism and suggestions as to school ordinance.

Necessity of model buildings.

School term for cities, 200 days vs. 210.

Feasibility of consolidation of rural schools in Alberta.

Improvement of rural school premises.

The binding of school trustees by a single guarantee in graded schools.

Pollards in "The Gaiety Girl"

Pollard's Lilliputians presented at Sherman's Lyric theatre last night "The Gaiety Girl." The production is full of novel features. The youngsters displayed much grace and carried themselves with the delightful that appeals strongly to their elders. The scenic effects were of an elaborate scale and the costumes elegant. Little Daphne Pollard, in the role of Lady Virginia Forrest, won the house by her quaint manners and graceful carriage. She interpreted the role in an exceedingly clever manner. Master Teddy McNamara appeared as the knockabout comedian in the piece, and the way he went through the various stunts was a lesson to much older actors. He also sang a song that made a hit. Master Jack Pollard, who plays the part of the clergyman, is possessed of great talent and is a born comedian. He was the centre of attraction during the greater part of the production and was fully equal to the occasion. The chorus and ballet are especially good, and they sing some catchy songs. One of the features of "The Gaiety Girls" is the dancing. These little people are wonderfully graceful dancers.

Tonight "The Mikado" will be the production.

Saturday night will be the farewell of the Pollards to Calgary, on which occasion they will give their great vaudeville entertainment which has proved a success in all the large eastern cities. It consists of the songs and dances of the day and all the most popular numbers taken from the different operas in their repertoire. One of the children will give a farewell address to the people of Calgary.

OFFICIALS ARE NOW IN SESSION

Convention of Alberta Municipalities Being Held at Red Deer

Red Deer, Jan. 8.—At the convention of municipal officials today little was done but receiving the report of the executive.

It reads as follows:—

On March 6th the union was inaugurated at Calgary, followed by a most successful and enthusiastic convention with most of the larger municipalities represented. Many important matters affecting the welfare of all municipalities were discussed and there can be no doubt that every delegate attending that convention went back with broader ideas, more extended knowledge, and a brighter spirit to apply that knowledge for the benefit of his community.

Besides the general questions discussed there were several important matters dealt with and some of these were referred to your executive. It is upon these matters that we beg to report to this convention which we hope will be of great benefit to all municipalities.

1. The telephone question: (Resolved that the Alberta government should construct long distance lines, and that local telephone systems should be owned preferably by municipalities).
2. We beg to report that the former part of this resolution is being carried out, and have no doubt that the latter part will receive further impetus at this convention.
3. Care of indigents.
4. Reformatory for juvenile offenders and care of same.
5. Hospitals and care of sick.
6. Provincial bacteriological department be established.
7. Incorporation of Union of Alberta Municipalities.

These matters have been placed before the local government but have not been advised as to any action being taken, and in fact the executive did not presume they could be dealt with by the legislature at its first session, and would recommend that these questions be further discussed at this convention for information of new members.

The question of affiliation of this union as well as other provincial unions with the Union of Canadian municipalities should be dealt with at this meeting. Your executive would advise the affiliation on as liberal a basis as possible, as the Canadian union with its ever increasing influence will be a great strengthener to this as well as the other provincial unions in resisting any encroachments on the rights of the people, or any matters affecting municipalities are watched with zealous care by the Union of Canadian municipalities, and any member whose interest is likely to be affected is looked after and immediately notified.

Your executive cannot report a very strenuous term, but several matters of interest to various municipalities have been referred to us besides those from the last convention.

One of these was railway crossings affecting several towns; these were watched by our acting secretary

COMMERCIAL MESSAGES

Chicago, Jan. 8.—The inquiry of the interstate commerce commission into the management and methods of the Harriman railroads, recently adjourned in New York city, was resumed here today. The only witness examined was President Ripley of the Atchafalaya, Toronto & Santa Fe railroad. His explanation did not produce startling information. He declared he did not know until he read it last week in the papers that the Union Pacific was the holder of nearly \$10,000,000 of Santa Fe stock. He asserted that when approached by representatives of this stock for the right to choose members of the Santa Fe directors he refused to consider the proposal until it was distinctly understood that the directors to be selected were not officers of the Union Pacific or any other one connected with the Santa Fe. The directors named were H. H. Rogers and H. C. Fryck, both of whom were directors of the Santa Fe. President Ripley testified that their connection with the Union Pacific in no way impaired their usefulness to the Santa Fe, and he declared them to be as good directors as the Santa Fe now has.

SASKATOON HAS A BAD FIRE

Saskatoon, Jan. 8.—One of the largest fires experienced in Saskatoon occurred this afternoon when the entire plant of the Capital Publishing Co. and Garner & Jamieson's tailoring establishment was completely destroyed. The adjoining building known as the Dakota Restaurant suffered a very narrow escape, being partially ruined.

How the fire originated is not known. It was discovered about 3:30 p.m. in the stock room on the second story, where it had already gained some headway. It was reported to the staff, but too late to offer any active resistance to its progress. The volunteer brigade did excellent service and saved the surrounding buildings.

A strong wind blowing from the south retarded the progress of the fire and placed a number of buildings to the north in jeopardy.

The proprietors of the Capital, Thompson & Tryon, and the proprietors of the Dakota Restaurant, and stock were lost.

INNISSFAIL MAYOR DULY SEATED

Nothing Sensational in the First Session of Council

Innisfail, Jan. 8.—The inaugural meeting of the Innisfail town council for 1907, was held in the council chamber last evening, and, in spite of rumors and street talk no sensational features developed. The affidavit of qualification and oath of office was duly subscribed to by Mayor-elect Constantine, as well as the newly elected councillors, A. B. McRae, J. A. Fawdry, F. Thompson. Mayor Constantine's inaugural address was brief but expressed the hope that by honest, conscientious and faithful effort, the council of 1907 would advance the interests of the town in a very substantial manner.

The following standing committees for 1907 were appointed:—

Fire, Water and Light—Councillors Kemp, McRae and Fawdry.

Public Works—McRae, Kemp and Stiles.

Finance—Stiles, McRae and Thompson.

Police—Fawdry, Kremer and Thompson.

Health—Thompson, Kremer, and Fawdry.

The first named councillor in each instance is the chairman of the committee.

James Jensen was re-elected Secretary Treasurer of the town; W. Jensen, assessor; F. M. Oldham, solicitor; and Dr. H. George, medical health officer.

Contrary to the announcement made by your special correspondent in last week's Albertan, S. P. Freeman did not return to town for the inaugural meeting. He is still in Winnipeg.

The local post office has changed hands, E. Dodd having succeeded N. W. Stiles in the position of post master.

Mr. Joshua Fletcher of Ellerton, addressed a meeting of the Innisfail branch of the Alberta Farmer's Association yesterday afternoon in the Orange hall.

The work of prayer is being observed by union service each evening this week, in which the pastors of the Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian churches are engaged.

VICTORIA CHOOSES THE OLD FOUR

Liberals Ready for Battle With Four Tried Men in the Field

Victoria, Jan. 8.—The Liberals' nominating convention tonight selected Messrs. Drury, Cameron, McNeven and Hall as candidates. All four were members of the last house. Judge Clements took his seat on the supreme court bench this morning at the opening of full court. Joseph Martin, K.C., on behalf of the bar, felicitated the new judge on his appointment. Judge Clements takes the vacancy created by the translation of Judge Duff to the Supreme Court of Canada and was formerly legal adviser to the Yukon council in the days of the great rush. Later he occupied the position of county judge for Yale.

When It Is 20 Below

You need all the comfort you can get at night. Here's where we can help you. We have the line of

BLANKETS AND COMFORTERS

That gives satisfaction. Every item in our stock we guarantee to be just what it is represented to be. Our stock of Blankets was contracted for before the price of wools went up, so we can still sell at the lowest of last year's prices.

White Wool Blankets, good, honest, hard wearing Blankets, that wash well, full size and weight, 6 lb. \$4 per pair.

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The Queen Alexandra Blanket, beautiful soft fleece made from best Canadian wool, cosy and warm, fit for anyone to use 7 lb. \$7 per pair. 8 lb. \$8 per pair. 9 lb. \$9 per pair.

ENGLISH AND CANADIAN EIDERDOWNS

Nothing adds more to your source of comfort these zero nights than a nice Eiderdown. They're light and warm, and come in designs and colors that brighten up any bedroom.

Full size Eiderdowns, covered with good Sateens thoroughly down-proof, good designs worth \$7. each \$5.40.

Cambrie covered Eiderdowns, 72x72 in. light effects, a wonder at each \$6.75.

Sateen Covered Eiderdowns, with and without frills \$7 \$8 \$9 \$10 \$12.50.

Silk Eiderdowns, in most attractive coverings, and guaranteed down-proof \$14.50 \$17 \$22.50 \$36.

ALL OVER THE STORE

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Calgary Furniture Store Ltd.

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The Canadian Bank of Commerce

Capital paid up \$10,000,000
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 Assets 31. Oct. 1906 over \$112,000,000

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 163 branches in Canada, United States and England. 21 branches in Alberta.

IN THE SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT.

Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards are received and interest is allowed at current rates. No delay in making withdrawals.

C. W. ROWLEY, Manager Calgary Branch.

Glanville's Annual Stock-Taking Sale

It Will Pay You to Investigate! Sale Begins Wednesday Morning the 9th, and will Continue Until the 19th Jan. Goods Sold Only for Cash:

Dress Goods Dept.

15 pieces all wool new Panama cloth, all shades, including the new spring shades, suitable for afternoon and evening dresses. Regular 75c, for **55c**

3 pieces wool Crepe de Chene, colors blue, creams and black. Regular 65c, for **40c**

3 pieces fancy tweed dress goods, small check, colors greys and browns. Regular 65c, for **40c**

3 pieces 54 inch dress tweeds, very suitable for suits and skirts, light and medium greys. Regular \$1.25, for **80c**

15 dress ends, fancy tweeds, all wool, in dark and light colors, worth up to \$15.00 each, for **\$7.50**

STAPLE DEPARTMENT

25 dozen pure huckaback linen towels, size 17x34, extra value at 40c pair, for pair **25c**

17 dozen fine Scotch linen towels, brocaded border, large size, 22x44, good value at 75c pair, for pair **50c**

10 dozen fine English cotton sheets, perfectly free from dressing, size 2 yards by 2 1-2 yards. Regular \$2.00 pair, for pair **\$1.60**

10 pieces kimona and wrapper flannels, very pretty designs, came in too late for this season. Regular 25c, for **15c**

20 dozen Table Napkins. Regular \$1.05, for **\$1.15**

10 dozen Table Napkins. Regular \$2.00, for **\$1.40**

10 dozen Table Napkins. Regular \$2.75, for **\$1.75**

15 dozen Table Napkins. Regular \$3.50, for **\$2.25**

20 only Linen Table Cloths, border all round, sizes 2x2 1-2 and 2x3 yards. Regular \$2.75, for **\$1.75**

20 only Linen Table Cloths, pure Irish linen grass bleach, sizes 2x2 1-2 yards and 2x3 yards. Regular \$4.00 and \$4.50, for **\$2.75**

Ready-to-Wear Dept.

LADIES' TWEED SUITS

\$15.00 and \$16.00 Suits for **\$9.50**

\$18.00 Suits for **\$12.00**

\$20.00 Suits for **\$13.50**

\$22.00 Suits for **\$15.00**

10 only Venetian Shirt Waist Suits reg. \$12.50 for **\$8.75**

20 Only Ladies' and Children's Cloth Coats at this seasons goods the balance of our stock. Your choice at 25 per cent of reg Price

Reg. \$3.25 and \$3.50 for **\$2.50**

Reg. \$4.00 and \$4.50 for **\$3.50**

Reg. \$6.00 and \$6.50 for **\$4.75**

10 Doz. Flannelette Blouses in Fancy Stripes Reg. 75c. for **40c**

6 Doz Fancy Cashmerette Blouses in Dark and light colors, reg. \$1.25 and \$1.50 for **75c**

5 Doz. Fancy Cashmere and Lustre Blouses in Colors Navy and Black. Reg. \$2.50 to \$3.25 for **\$2.50**

10 Only Eiderdown Jackets Reds and Greys, reg. \$3.00 and \$3.25 for **\$2.25**

15 Only Eiderdown Jackets in Cardinal and Grey Reg. \$1.75 for **\$1.25**

15 Only Golphers Norfolk Style in White, Navy and Red, reg. \$3.00 for **\$2.25**

MANUFACTURER'S SAMPLES

A big lot of new 1907 Spring Waists and Wash Suits, and white wear. These are samples one of a kind only. Bought at a price away below value. We offer them at less than cost Price

Fancy Goods Dept.

Tinted Cushion Tops and Centre Pieces all new designs this season. reg. 50c. and 75c. for **25c and 35c**

50 Only Cushion tops with Silk to work with six designs. reg. 40c. for **25c**

3 Doz. Hemmed stitched Irish Linen Tray Covers, reg. 75c. for **40c**

3 Doz. Hemmed stitched Irish Linen squares 18x18, reg. 75c. for **40c**

3 Doz. Battenberg Centre Pieces 18x18, reg. 50c. for **35c**

Infants Knitted Wool Leggings and Overalls in Black and White reg. \$1.50 for **75c**

Infants Eiderdown Coats in Cream or Cardinal reg. \$2.25 **\$1.35**

Infants White Bearskin Coats \$2.50 for **\$1.50**

\$4.50 for **\$3.00**

\$5.00 for **\$4.50**

\$5.50 for **\$3.75**

CHILDREN'S MUSLIN DRESSES

We have placed together a lot of dresses sizes 4 to 10 years. Prices \$2.00 to \$2.75 for **\$1.25 and \$1.50**

FUR RUFFS AND JACKETS

Electric Seal Jackets \$45.00 for **\$32.00**

Electric Seal Jackets \$55.00 for **\$37.00**

Electric Seal Jackets, Sable Collar and Reverses \$75.00 for **\$52.50**

Persian Lamb Jackets \$125.00 for **\$80.00**

River Mink Jackets, \$60.00 for **\$40.00**

Grey Squirrel Jackets, \$70.00 for **\$46.00**

Astrachan Jackets \$60.00 for **\$41.00**

Astrachan Jackets, \$35.00 for **\$20.00**

Astrachan Jackets, \$45.00 for **\$30.00**

1 Fur Lined Coat with White Thibet Collar and Reverses and Hamster Lining, red cloth well tailored, reg. \$75.00 for **\$45.00**

8 Only Alaskan Sable Ruffs, reg. \$10.00 for **\$7.25**

4 Only Alaska Sable Ruffs, reg. \$22.50 for **\$16.50**

4 Only Alaska Sable Ruffs, reg. \$32.50 for **\$22.50**

2 Only Alaska Sable Ruffs, reg. \$45.00 for **\$32.50**

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