President Somers of Toronto **Board of Trade Supports** Prairie Complaint.

Says Rates Are Not Just -**Predicts Congestion of** Grain Traffic.

(From The Province, Vancouver, July 20.) The western farmer has found strong champion in Mr. G. T. Somers, president of the Toronto Board of Trade the is at the Hotel Vancouver. Studying conditions at first hand on a tour of the prairie provinces, Mr. Somers met and talked with hundreds of people. He is convinced that the farmer is suffering from a real hardship and injustice on account of existing railway freight rates. He sees in a solution of that problem the key to the sextlement of the unrest in Alberta and Saskat-

Mr. Somers is one of Toronto's big, broad-minded men of affairs. He is president of the Sterling Bank of Canada, president of the Canada Grain Company, a large exporting concern, and president of the Crown Life Insurance Company, and is identified with other leading industrial corporations. He was one of the eighteen prominent Toronto Liberals who signed the manifesto addressed to Sir Wilfitd Laurier, declaring their unalterable opposition to the Taft-Fielding reciprocity agreement. They opposed their own party in the subsequent election campaign.

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"Reciprocity with the United States is a dead issue outside the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan, where considerable unrest prevails. I think that a solution of the problem lies in the equalization of local freight rates in the west. The western farmer has a real grievance. The freight rate on wheat in Ontario is six cents per 100 pounds, as compared with twelve cents on the prairies. This discrepancy is excessive and should be abolished," said Mr. Somers to a representative of The Province.

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"If protection is a good thing for manufacturing industries why not give a little more to the farmer? I am unreservedly in favor of the government granting a bounty on export flour. It will indirectly help the farmer by adding at least two cents a bushel to his wheat and will result in the establishment of a large milling industry in scores of prairie towns, especially if local freight rates are adjusted at a fair and equitable basis.

"Again, in view of the increasing crop production and the lack of storage facilities at the head of the lakes, I think it is the urgent duty of the provincial governments and the railways to build large elevators and drying plants without a moment's delay, at points a few hundred miles apart. This will tend to facilitate the marketing of the grain and relieve the abnormal pressure at the head of the great lakes. These are the conclusions I have reached after going into the question and considering it from the business man's viewpoint. If the farmer is treated fairly we will soon hear the end of the reciprocity talk. The grain grower now point. If the farmer is treated fairly we will soon hear the end of the reciprocity talk. The grain grower now talks of the higher prices for his productions prevailing across the line. Tear down the barriers and he will find that prices will fail to a lower level.

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"Under any circumstances I don't see how congestion of grain traffic can be avoided this year in view of the outlook for an extraordinary crop. Of course, there will be some relief via the Vancouver route following the opening of the Panama Canal, as I am convinced that a great deal of the export traffic will flow this way. But the production to-day will be a bagatelle compared with the situation a few years hence. That is why the governments and the railways should take measures in advance to handle the traffic, as its arrival is a certainty.

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"I don't think the think there should be any, the Dovercourt Land Company were east and west in Canada. As Canadians we should rejoice in our common heritage and do all in our power to aid in developing it. Every pulse beat of western development is felt east of the great lakes and the good times we are enjoying there is one of the effects of the interdependence of those two sections. Meantime 1 hope that common justice will be granted the prairie farmer by equalizing the focal freight rates."

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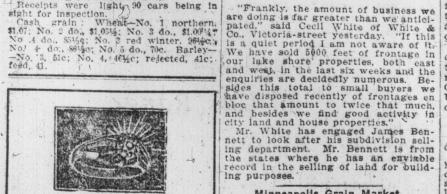
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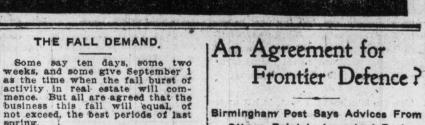
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