WITH THE FARMERS

THE POULTRY BUSINESS.

The comparatively large quantities of poultry sold on the market square for the past two or three months indicates that the farmers are in a better position than ever before to supply the local poultry trade. The quantity disposed of this season has so far exceeded that of previous years that the retail butchers have noticed a decrease in their poultry sales and view with surprise the independence of the farmer in disposing of his poultry at first hand without the assistance of the middle man. Not only is an increase in the local supply very noticeable but the quality is correspondingly better. This was especially the case with the turkeys and geese during the Christmas trade. The birds were in splendid condition and attracted the attention of those who buy nothing but the best. The offerings of spring chickens and fowl, however, can stand considerable improvement, both in the matter of fattening and dressing for market. The appearance of poultry affects the sales more than any other farm product. No one is very favorably impressed with a bunch of spring chickens that are in poor condition and show the effects of scalding for the removal of the feathers. The consumer prefers to buy a bird with the whole skin and the farmer who has such to offer is the one who gets the best price. This is a matter which simply requires a little care and attention, and the result is such that it not only affects the immediate sale, but it means the success of the farmer in capturing the best of the local trade.

There is still a large quantity of poultry shipped into this province from eastern points. That this import trade shall diminish is the aim of the poultry branch of the Department of Agriculture. There is no doubt that the good showing made by the farmers this season is due to the educational campaign which was carried on throughout the province last winter, for the improvement of the poultry industry. This year a more extensive campaign than ever before has been outlined, and with the opportunities afforded of making a poultry meeting interesting as well as instructive, the results of this winter's work on the part of the poultry experts should be fully as encouraging as is anticipated.

In the eastern provinces the high price prevailing for dressed beef and pork is turning the attention of the consumers to poultry which is comparatively cheap. Poultry prices in the west are high and the demand, although not accelerated by the present price of beef, is sufficiently good to make the market strong throughout the year. The price is to a certain extent regulated by the sales of the imported product, but even when the importation decreases there is no reason to fear but that poultry will always bring a good price. Beef prices although at present sufficiently high at the retail stores, will rise before they fall, in sympathy with the prevailing scarcity of beef both in Canada and the United States. Herein is the assurance that the poultry market in Alberta will be found most profitable for the farmer who has the essential of quality in his offerings.

The supplying of the local egg market is something that is receiving a great impetus among farmers and poultry breeders. The Twin City poultry association is in a most flourishing condition and the object of every fancier is to produce eggs. The poultry fattening station in Edmonton is practically completed and will begin early in the spring to elevate the standard of the farmer's poultry. The year 1909 should see a wonderful development in the poultry industry in Alberta.

COMMERCIAL MARKETS.

There were only seven or eight farmers on the Market Square on Saturday with offerings of poultry, butter, potatoes and dressed meats. These were disposed of on a slow market, showing that the demand is slow in reviving after the holiday season. The hay and coal market was quite brisk and more loads could have been disposed of than were offered. The feature of the market in times of general briskness and in periods of depression is the steady demand for hay and the good prices secured. More hay has been sold on the market-square this season than in previous years.

Quotations are as follows:

Dressed meats—Beef, 5c to 6½c per lb. for the best and 4c per lb for inferior quality. Dressed hogs sold in carcase for 7c to 8c per lb.

Fish—Whitefish are selling at 6c per lb. and trout at 12c per lb.

Feed—Oats are steady at 25c to 26c per bushel. Feed barley is worth 25c and malting barley 35c to 40c. Feed wheat is worth 50c to 65c per bushel.

Hay—Hay strikes a firm and slow market alternately, but prices do not vary. Timothy is quoted at $12 to $14; upland, $8 to $10; slough, $6 to $8. Green feed is selling at $7 to $8 and straw at $3 per load.

Butter and Eggs—No eggs are offering, but the price will range from 35c to 50c per dozen. Good butter has a rising price of 25c to 30c.

Poultry—The turkey receipts are about played out, but goose is still strong. Geese sell at 14c to 15c and chickens 11c to 13c per lb.

MONDAY'S GRAIN MARKETS.

Winnipeg, January 4.—Wheat markets very dull today. Liverpool ¾d to ½d lower. United States markets opened ½ to ⅝c lower and declined about ¾ altogether; then in the last half-hour reacted and advanced sharply, closing ½ to ½ cent higher than Saturday's close. Our Winnipeg market was very dull and inactive; it declined with the United States markets and advanced again with them, but not to the same extent, the close being ¼ to ⅜c under Saturday. The news of the day and weekly statistics were all more or less bullish and the wheat situation continues strong. Today's prices are:—No. 1 Northern, 98¾; No. 2 Northern, 95¾; No. 3 Northern, 92; No. 4, 87½; No. 5, 83; No. 6, 76¾; feed, 1.68; rejected 1-1 Northern, 94; rejected 1-2 Northern, 91; rejected 1-3 Northern, 87¾; rejected 2-1 Northern, 91½; rejected 2-2 Northern, 88¾; rejected 2-3 Northern, 85½; rejected 1 Northern for seeds, 90; rejected 2 Northern for seeds, 87½.

Winter wheat—No. 1 Alberta Red, 96½.

Oats—No. 2 white, 36½; No. 3 white, 34½; feed, 34½; No. 2 feed, 33½.

Flax—No. 1 Northwestern, 1.22; No. 1 Manitoba, 1.20.

American options: Chicago—May, 1.07¼, 1.07¾; July 98¾, 99¼; September 95½, 95½. Minneapolis—May 1.09¾, 1.10¼; July 1.09¾, 1.10.

STUDENTS VS. POLICE.

Eggs, Stones and Sticks Used in Fight in Paris.

Paris, Dec. 31—The inauguration today of a new system of examinations at the medical school of the Sorbonne, which is objectionable to the students, was the occasion of a serious demonstration. Two thousand students paraded the streets voicing their displeasure. They broke windows in the school with stones and showered the police with eggs, stones and sticks. Several persons, including some innocent witnesses, received injuries. The Republican guard was summoned and cleared the street. The students resumed their demonstrations for a short while, but they were finally conclusively dispersed with the aid of the police. The medical school has been closed by the authorities.

The German Ticket Tax.

Berlin, Dec. 30—In furtherance of the demands of German business men in this city, the abolition of the railroad ticket tax is being advocated, chiefly, as the supporters of the scheme avow, with a view to increasing the volume of the American tourist traffic in Germany. An appeal issued on behalf of business men declares that the ticket tax, which is added to the price of every passenger fare on the German railroads, is a serious obstacle to the growth of the tourist traffic, increasing materially the costs of travel, especially in the case of family parties.

Port Simpson Mission Destroyed.

Prince Rupert, Dec. 31—The old Methodist mission house at Port Simpson was destroyed by fire at an early hour last Monday morning and with it was destroyed what was recognized as the finest collection of old Indian curios to be seen anywhere on the coast. One room of the mission being given up for that purpose only.

Saskatoon Settles Case.

Saskatoon, Sask., Jan. 1.—The suit of James Stratton against the city, in which he claims some five thousand dollars as commission on the sale of city debentures, and which was to come up for hearing at the Supreme Court next week, has been settled out of court, the city agreeing to pay $4,000 and costs.

New Line of Depredations.

Washington, Jan. 1.—An organized gang of horse thieves has been carrying on their nefarious work in the fashionable quarters of this city. It is declared many stolen dogs are being shipped to New York and it is thought that some of the lost animals will appear at the dog show in Madison Square Garden in February.

C. N. R. Hotel at Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, Dec. 30.—A wire was received today from Mayor Carrick stating that in company with the city solicitor he had conferred with Messrs. MacKenzie and Mann and an arrangement was made for the C.N.R. to give the city a piece of property for a municipal dock, and for a building of a magnificent terminal hotel at a cost of $750,000.

Three Claimants to Award.

Barnesville, Minn., Jan. 1.—Chief of Police Forsythe, of this place, who captured Frank Hauser, the notorious bank robber, Sheriff Whaley, who claims to have put Forsythe wise, and special agent Delaney, of the Great Northern railway, will claim the $1,000 reward offered by the government and the Great Northern railroad.

Newfoundland House Called.

St. Johns, Nfld., Jan. 1.—The legislature has been called for February 4. It is uncertain which prime minister will meet the house. An election in the spring is a possibility.

Drowned in Trout Lake.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 1.—Ed. Hughes, aged 24, of New Westminster, went through the ice on Trout Lake and was drowned in six feet of water.

Old Church Edifice Destroyed.

Montreal, Dec. 31.—The Roman Catholic church erected at St. Timothe, near Vellevfield, in 1823, was destroyed by fire late this afternoon.

MYSTERY CASTLE HONEYMOON.

Duke of Leeds' Daughter May Know House's Grim Secrets.

London, Dec. 31.—The most interesting wedding which has taken place recently is that of the eldest son of the house of Glamis, who last week married a daughter of the Duke of Leeds.

Glamis Castle is probably historically the most interesting building north of the Tweed.

Its traditions date back to the Druids and Celts and the Stone Age, and the cross in the manse garden at Glamis is one of the earliest Christian symbols to be found on this island; but the pointed turrets of the old Scotch house, with its grey roof and its stone walls, are chiefly celebrated for the grim mystery which it is supposed to conceal.

Whatever that mystery may be, there is little doubt that it seriously affects the owners of the old castle.

I well recollect being told that the late Lord Strathmore was one of the gayest of the youthful peers until the day he came of age, and after that a smile was rarely seen to light his face. He used to spend many hours in his private chapel, praying that the terrible influence which rested on the house might be withdrawn, and he is said to have remarked to a friend, "If you could guess even the nature of this secret, you would go down on your knees and thank God that you too, were ignorant of it."

It has been the custom of the house of Strathmore to make known this secret to the eldest son on attaining his majority and the factor of the estate. Many have been the guesses and long the discussions as to what is the history of this weird possession, but it has never been revealed.

When Lady Glamis returns from her honeymoon an interesting ceremony will take place as she crosses the threshold of the gateway 400 years old. The lion beaker of Glamis will be presented to the bride, and in it she will pledge and be pledged.

This beautiful cup is in the form of a lion, and originally contained a quart of wine, but as the modern head would not stand such a draught, an inner cup has been inserted, so that the bride need but sip the wine.

Apart from the central interest of the mystery of Glamis, there are many legends of ghostly visitants where the bride will spend her honeymoon. I recollect on one occasion an aunt of mine staying there, and telling me afterward that she saw a lady in green cross the gardens.

She thought little of it, and at luncheon remarked that the lady did not seem to be one of the house party. The host and hostess looked uncomfortable, and she afterwards learned that the figure she had seen was the ghost of a former Lady Glamis, who was falsely accused of witchcraft against the life of James V., and who was burned at the stake, and she was constantly seen wandering around the site of her old home.

CHIEF WITNESS RETRACTS.

Haynes Says He Gave His Signature to Mayoralty Nomination.

St. Catherines, Jan. 1.—When Jacob Haynes, aged 82, the man who made the affidavit that Landis C. Bradt, mayoralty candidate, had forged his signature to his nomination papers, was put on the witness stand in the police court, the old man practically declared that he had given Bradt permission to sign his name. The case was dismissed. Bradt may endeavor to upset the election by acclamation of Mayor Campbell.

ROBBER GETS THE BULLET.

Shot in the Head During Attempted Robbery of Street Car.

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 1—In an attempt to hold up a crowded street car early today, Thodore Adams was perhaps fatally wounded by a passenger. The shooting was followed by a panic among the men passengers. Smith, the man who shot him, was sitting near the door when he saw Adams and a companion. He saw they were bent on robbery and drew his revolver. The bullet penetrated Adam's head, and as he fell, the companion ran away.

HUGHES WILL ATTEND.

New York Governor Goes to Taft's Inauguration With Suite.

Washington, Jan. 1.—The local inaugural committee has received official notice that Governor Hughes of New York will attend the inauguration of Mr. Taft. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Hughes, his military secretary, adjutant general and staff. Notice has also been received that a large force of New York national guards will be in the parade.

BODIES FOR $25.

Three Men Want to Have a Good Time and Then Die.

Minneapolis, Jan. 1.—Three men in Minneapolis hold their bodies as worth $25 each, no more, no less. Within three weeks three men have called at the anatomical laboratory at the State University and offered their bodies for sale for $25. In each instance the offer was refused by the professors in charge of the school.

Smallpox in Ontario.

Toronto, Jan. 1.—Ontario mortality returns of contagious diseases have been issued for November. Reports from 738 municipalities representing a population of 1,910,000 gives deaths from all causes as 1,927 equal to a death rate of 12.1 per 1,000 of reported population. There has been a marked increase in the number of cases of smallpox for November, three times as many as in October; an increase of 50 per cent. over that of the corresponding month of 1907. The type of disease is mild. No deaths have occurred.

King Will Visit Germany.

London, Jan. 1—Lord Knollys, private secretary to King Edward, has denied a despatch from Sandringham that there is any truth in the announcement made by the Daily Mail today that King Edward and Queen Alexandra had abandoned all idea of visiting Berlin in the spring.

IN THE NORTH ALMOST HALF OF A CENTURY

William Wylie, Second Oldest White Resident of the Athabasca District Passed Away—Almost a Lifetime in Employ of the Hudson's Bay Company.

In the sudden death of William Wylie, on New Year's afternoon, at his home on 237 Edmiston street, Edmonton, there passes from the scene of northern activities a man who spent forty-six years of his life practically isolated from civilization in the great wilds of the Athabasca district. Up to September last Mr. Wylie had been for all those years in the employ of the Hudson's Bay company at Fort Chipweyan. At the present time there is only one white man, Timothy Gaudette, of Fort Good Hope, who has lived longer in the north than he. So fond did he become of the isolated life that he rarely left the post. This fall he went to Winnipeg but could not live there and returned to Edmonton with the intention, it is believed, of returning to Fort Chipweyan in the spring if death had not terminated his career.

An Old-Time Employee.

The old-timer was a native of Orkney, Scotland, and left his home in July, 1862, when a lad of sixteen years. He came by way of the Hudson's straits and York factory, first to Norway house for a year's sojourn, and then Fort Chipweyan, where until three months ago he had been in the employ of the Hudson's Bay company as a carpenter and blacksmith. Until his removal to Edmonton, Mr. Wylie had been for forty-six years without going beyond the boundaries of the Athabasca district.

Mr. Wylie's long isolation from the world left him absolutely ignorant of the great inventions of science, and the changes they had wrought in the commercial world. When he went into the north the only means of transportation that he had any knowledge of was the ox cart, and the only means of communication the mail bag. Until he had reached Edmonton again last September he had never seen a telephone, had never ridden in a steam railway or a trolley car, didn't know what the telegraph meant, and could not imagine what an automobile was like. When he left his home in Scotland, he shipped direct for America from Solway, and consequently did not even have the experience of travelling on the English railways then in existence. Consequently Mr. Wylie lived a lifetime in the last three months spent in Edmonton before his death. In 1882 Mr. Wylie helped to build the Hudson's Bay steamer Graham, the first to operate on the northern rivers and the one still in use between Fort McMurray and Fort Smith on the Athabasca.

The Family Surviving.

Nearly forty years ago Mr. Wylie married Miss Flett, daughter of one of the Hudson Bay clerks at Chipweyan. The family consists of four sons, William and Jack, at Fort Chipweyan, Peter at Fort Vermilion, and Edward at Edmonton, who is now mail carrier for the northern posts, and three daughters, Mary Ann, wife of Jim Fraser, son of Colin Fraser, the fur trader; Emma and Eliza.

Mr. Wylie's passing came suddenly and without warning to his wife and three daughters, who were with him at the time. He was seized with an attack of neuralgia of the heart near noon on New Year's day, and succumbed to the severeness of the attack three hours later. He had risen as usual early in the morning and had prepared the family breakfast. During the meal he announced that he had never felt better in his life, and expressed pleasure in anticipating a visit to several of his old friends in the city that day. At half past eleven he was seized with severe shooting pains in the vicinity of the heart, and went to his room to lie down. Shortly after dinner, his wife went in to speak to him and found him dead. He was buried in the Edmonton cemetery on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Sommers, of St. Paul's Anglican church, officiating.

A Man of Honor.

Dr. Mackay, the well known retired Hudson's Bay physician, now living in Edmonton, has been acquainted with Mr. Wylie since he first entered the north as a lad. To a Bulletin representative Dr. Mackay reviewed his associations with the deceased over a period of so many years.

"I never knew a finer man," said Dr. Mackay, "nor one with a keener sense of honesty. I got to know him in 1868, when I first went to Fort Chipweyan, and after that for ten years he was under my orders and assisted me in my work. He was one of the most useful men in the employ of the company. His death will be felt by every one who knew him."

Hindu Leader Stops Traffic.

Vancouver, Jan. 4—Prof. Tejah Singh, leader of the Hindu community, has been summoned to the police court to answer to the charge of obstructing the street traffic. He was haranguing his countrymen upon an up town corner and declined to move on when requested to do so by a policeman.

Church School for Raymond.

Raymond, Dec. 3—It has been learned on good authority that Raymond is to have the Mormon church school. This news arrived yesterday from Salt Lake. The school will mean a great deal for Raymond, and as Raymond is the centre of the Mormon settlement in Southern Alberta, it will be well situated.

To Contest Lethbridge.

Lethbridge, Jan. 2.—A convention of Liberals of the electoral district of Lethbridge will be held in Oliver's hall in this city on Thursday morning next to select a candidate to contest the riding in the by-election.

Bank President Suicides.

Howard, S. D., Jan. 4.—T. H. Radcliffe, president of People's State bank, committed suicide yesterday by taking carbolic acid. Despondency over ill health is given as the cause of the deed.

HEROIC EFFORTS SAVE CALAMITY.

Presence of Mind of Fireman Prevents Repetition of Theatre Fire.

Erie, Pa., Jan. 3—A horror was narrowly averted here tonight when fire broke out in the Park theatre during a performance. The house was crowded to its capacity. A dozen or more women fainted and had to be carried from the building, but so far as learned, none were seriously hurt, owing to the ease and rapidity with which the audience was dismissed and the theatre emptied. The building was partially destroyed.

"In the Nick of Time," was being produced at the time, and the piece fitly describes the discovery of the fire and dramatic scenes which followed, of which Abraham Lech, a fireman attached to the theatre, was the hero. Every one of the 1500 seats were filled when, at 10.15 p.m., he saw smoke. Concealing his surprise, he quickly hurried to the stage and whispered to the actors: "Keep the show going, for God's sake."

He then stepped to the front and asked the audience to file out in orderly fashion, giving them to understand that there was a fire in an adjoining building, and the show would therefore be cut short.

His heroic presence of mind probably averted a repition of Chicago's Iroquois theatre horror, for before the big audience realized the situation, the house had been almost emptied. Fire Chief McMahon expressed amazement that the house was emptied without a single fatality, in view of the fact that standing room tickets had been sold. The fire is believed to have originated in defective wiring.

HENEY FOR TAFT'S CABINET.

'Frisco Lawyer is Named for Attorney General.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 2.—Francis J. Heney is slated for the position of attorney-general in President Taft's cabinet, according to Detective Wm. J. Burns, says John F. Logan, a prominent Portland lawyer, who returned yesterday from San Francisco. Mr. Logan met Burns several times while in San Francisco and discussed many subjects with him. "Burns told me it was all cut and dried," said Logan, "and that Heney has already been tendered the cabinet place and has decided to accept."

Election Tangle in St. Kitts.

St. Catharines, Jan. 3—The city has not succeeded in extricating itself from the municipal tangle into which it has fallen. Through the dispute over the nomination paper, there will be no mayoralty ballot tomorrow. The city clerk contends that because Bradt signed the name of Jacob Haynes as proposer, his nomination paper is invalid. Bradt will appeal to the court to decide the question which may invalidate the election of Mayor Campbell.

Castro in Precarious Condition.

London, Jan. 4.—According to the Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail ex-President Castro's condition has suddenly become worse. He has hurriedly been taken again from his hotel to Dr. Israel's sanitarium, where an operation in the neighborhood of his kidneys will be performed in a day or two.

COURT FAVORS RACING.

The Racetrack Interests Make a Most Important Gain.

New York, Jan. 4—Race track interests scored today what they described as one of their most important court victories since the recent anti-betting legislation went into effect. It was in the form of a unanimous decision of the appellate division of the Supreme court in Brooklyn to the effect that the selling of advance information at the tracks concerning the horses, their weights, their jockeys and the like, said to be essential to the bookmakers in making their odds, is not a violation of law.

The decision declares that the printed slip of paper containing the information no more constitutes a device or apparatus for gambling because it could aid gamblers in making their bets, than the type from which the slip was printed, because such type was used to make the slip.

"If this decision stands on appeal," said District Attorney Elder, of Brooklyn, "it will have the effect of making race track gambling easy and the legislature will have to pass a law to correct it."

COOKED WHILE SLEEPING.

Terrible Death of Man Who Slept on Top of Boiler in Fort William.

Fort William, Ont., Jan. 4—On Saturday night Caney and Hobb, two men who crawled into the C. P. R. power house and proceeded to sleep on top of the boilers, in the morning discovered that another man named McLeod had spent the night there and he informed them that another man was also there. Later McLeod informed them that the other man was apparently dead and upon investigating they found this to be so. McLeod disappeared but Caney and Hobb gave information and were detained pending an investigation, although there is no reason to suspect foul play. The body was identified as that of Edward Williams, a native of Glasgow. It was lying on the hot boiler with the head on a coat and the flesh cooked, peeling off to the touch. The others were lying on an unused boiler.

New German Ambassador Received.

Washington, Dec 31.—Count Johann Bernstorff, the new German ambassador, formally presented his credentials to President Roosevelt this afternoon. The ceremony took place in the blue room of the White House. Secretary Root made the presentation.

Night Riders Indicted.

Union City, Tenn., Jan. 1—The grand jury returned into court this afternoon two true bills in the night-rider cases, indicting ten persons with conspiracy, assault and battery, while in mask, under the Ku-Klux statute.

Earl Grey Holds Reception.

Ottawa, Jan. 1.—Earl Grey held his usual New Year's Day reception today. The citizens of the capitol attended in large numbers.

LAID DOWN 11TH BASE LINE TO MOUNTAINS

Major Saunders Returns From Eight Months' Survey Work in Brazeau Country, Which He Says is Excellently Adapted for Stock Raising Purposes.

Major Saunders, who returned recently from surveying the 11th base line from the Saskatchewan River, near Rocky Mountain House, into the Brazeau coal fields, west of the Big Horn range of the mountains, leaves tomorrow for the East, en route to the Mediterranean, where, with Mrs. Saunders, who will join him in Toronto he will spend the remainder of the winter, sailing from New York about January 20th and returning to Edmonton in April.

Major Saunders, at the head of a party of fifteen, was engaged from April to December 1st last on a contract for the Surveyor General in running the 11th base line between the points named. The necessity for the demarkation of this line is to permit of subdividing, in order that homestead applicants in the country may secure their patents.

The line crosses two ranges of mountains, an outer range and the Big Horn range, the summit of which is 8,500 feet above sea level. The Brazeau country, trough which this line is driven, has an immense area. It was prospected two years ago by D. B. Dowling, for the Geological Department, and valuable coal areas were located. The coal resembles in quality the bituminous of the Crows Nest Pass. It is equally as good.

Major Saunders stated to a Bulletin representative that there are as yet not a large number of settlers in the country. There are a few along the Saskatchewan River, who are engaged in farming and stock raising. These went in within the last three years. There is considerable good farm land here and a large area of excellent grazing country. The line laid down by Major Saunders traverses ranges 8 to 19, west of the 5th meridian, along the north boundary of township 40. Through ranges 11, 12 and 13 the country has been badly burned and is covered with a mass of fallen timber. The country is high, the altitude ranging from 3,000 to 7,000 feet above sea level. There is spruce and jack pine timber in considerable quantities, which toward the mountains is of a very good quality.

Game is plentiful throughout the entire country. It is the hunting ground for the Stoney Indians. The mountain streams teem with speckled trout.

Major Saunders' party, in order to get into the country, cut a wagon road from Rocky Mountain house west 50 miles, and from that point used pack horses. The weather during the summer was exceptionally wet.

This district is 14 days' hard travelling due west from Lacombe. It can be reached from Morley, Banff or Laggan by pack trail.

Major Saunders says the ferry established at Rocky Mountain house by the Provincial government has been greatly appreciated by the settlers. A post office is to be established at this point.

If your Stomach, Heart, or Kidneys are weak, try at least, a few doses only of Dr. Shoop's Restorative. In five or ten days only, the result will surprise you. A few cents will cover the cost. And here is why help comes so quickly. Dr. Shoop doesn't drug the Stomach, nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. Dr. Shoop's Restorative goes directly to the weak and failing nerves. Each organ has its own controlling nerve. When these nerves fail, the depending organs must of necessity falter. This plain, yet vital truth, clearly tells why Dr. Shoop's Restorative is so universally successful. Its success is leading druggists everywhere to give it universal preference. A test will surely tell. Sold by all dealers.

Notice to Creditors, Legatees, Devisees and Other Claimants Against the Estate of John Dorsey, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by virtue of an Order of his Honor Judge Taylor, dated the 27th day of November, A.D., 1908, that the creditors and other persons having claims against the Estate of the said John Dorsey, deceased, are to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their claims, together with a statement of their securities (if any) held by them, verifying the same by Statutory Declaration, and the names and addresses of their solicitors, (if any) to Messrs. Emery, Newell & Bolton, of the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, Solicitors for the Executors of the said Estate, before the expiration of seven (7) weeks from the first publication of this notice, as noted hereunder.

And take notice that after the expiration of the said period the Executors will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said Deceased or any part thereof amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they have then notice.

EMERY, NEWELL & BOLTON,
Solicitors for the Executors.

Dated this 27th day of November, A.D. 1908.

First publication of this notice the 25th day of December, A.D. 1908.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS, NEXT OF KIN, LEGATEES, DEVISEES AND OTHER CLAIMANTS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF DAY NORRIS, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by virtue of an order of His Honor Judge Taylor, dated the 30th day of October, A.D. 1908, that the creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the said Day Norris, deceased, are to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their claims together with a statement of their securities (if any) held by them, verifying the same by Statutory Declaration, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any) to Messrs. Emery, Newell & Bolton, Edmonton, Alberta, solicitors for the administrator of the estate of the said Deceased, before the expiration of seven (7) weeks from the first publication of this notice, as noted hereunder;

And take notice that after the expiration of the said period the Administrator will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said Deceased or any part thereof amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he has then notice.

Dated this 30th day of October, A.D. 1908.

EMERY, NEWELL & BOLTON,
Solicitors for the Administrator.

First publication of this notice the 18th day of December, A.D. 1908.

The place to buy your Horses is at LAROSE & BELL'S, The Edmonton Horse Exchange.
Cor. Rice & Namayo.

If you want to sell horses, wagons or harness the place to get the highest price is at

LAROSE & BELL'S
Horse Exchange.
Cor. Rice and Namayo.

Wants an Allowance.

Montreal, Jan. 4—Mrs. F. C. Jamieson, wife of the former manager of the Canada Tag and Label company, who recently left for points unknown, is suing her husband's mother for an allowance for herself and child. The defence claims that the plaintiff left home of her own accord and is now residing in British Columbia. The plaintiff insists that she is only there temporarily for her health on the advice of her physicians.

WANTED.

TEACHER WANTED FOR OTOSKWAN school district, No. 482, salary $600 per annum; duties to commence Jan. 4th. Apply Joshua Fletcher, Sec.-Treas., Ellerslie.

TEACHER WANTED — FOR THE North View School District, 418, for the year 1909. Duties to begin directly after holidays. Male preferred, first or second class. Apply, stating wages and experience to Geo. G. Welbourne, Winterburn, Alberta.

TEACHER WANTED FOR BLACKfeet school district No. 1623, salary $59 per month. Duties to commence Jan. 4, 1909, lady teacher with second-class certificate preferred. A. Gordon, Chairman, Blackfeet Hills, P.O., Alta.

TEACHER WANTED—HOLDING A first class certificate for the Sturgeon Valley School District 774; duties to commence at once. Apply, stating references, experience and salary required to William Mason, Secretary, Boa Accord.

TEACHER WANTED — HOLDING A second-class certificate. Alberta trained preferred, with some experience if possible; state salary expected and references. Apply John Fluker, Sec.-Treas., Deep Creek, S.D., 367 Beaver Hills P.O., Alta.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—DRY CORD WOOD. Apply John Brandt, Stoney Plain Townsite, S. 36, R. 1, T. 52.

FOR SALE— FOURTEEN ROOMED house in fine condition, with two lots complete, in centre of Strathcona. Will sell for $1,200 on five year terms. Write Box 48, Strathcona.

PURE BRED BERKSHIRE PIGS FOR sale 3 months old at $5; other ages at reasonable prices. R. Harrison, Cappice Hill, S. 20, T. 53, R. 21.

FOR SALE— A FEW CHOICE REGISTERED Hereford bulls, from one to three years old, sired by Goldstone (2342) James Tough, Edmonton.

DEATH TO COYOTES — A FEW good pups for sale, from my well known coyote killers. J. C. C. Brebner, Clover Bar.

FOR RENT OR SALE—PARTIALLY improved 160 acre farm, 21 miles Northwest of Morinville, good land, few rods from school. Terms easy. Apply or write Geo. McMillan, La Culmette, Alta.

LOST—FROM H. BAYNE'S FARM, over month ago, two steers, one white and one red, also one bluish color heifer, all coming two years; one steer and heifer branded C7, suitable reward. H. Baynes, Box 1678, Edmonton.

STORE AND RANCH TO LEASE—Store and post office, situate on finest body of water in Northwest, roomy store buildings, new seven-roomed dwelling, new barns, chicken house, ice house, etc.; store carying stock of about $4,600, daily average $50.00. A snap, goods at invoice price. $15.00 per month rent. Postmaster, Lac La Nonne, Alta.

STRAYED.

STRAYED— FROM N. E. OF FORT Saskatchewan a black steer, branded P2 quarter circle on left hip. Reward will be given for information leading to recovery. Geo. Newton, Edmonton.

STRAYED TO THE PREMISES OF the undersigned, year old, red bull, indistinct brand on right ribs. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. John Lougheed, New Lunnon.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—FROM 2122 Jasper W. small brown pony, white star on forehead, brand "97" on left hip, mane cut half short and tail long, fore feet both white. Reward for information leading to recovery of same. Mrs. Chas. Sanderson.

STRAYED—TO MY PREMISES IN Norwood, about six weeks ago, red cow, mark on right ear; blind one eye, no brand. E. Dork, 1340 Namayo Ave., Edmonton.

STRAYED—CAME TO MY PREMISES on Nov. 15, red heifer coming three years old, with white forehead, red spot in the white and white in right and left flank and dehorned; no brand. Owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses on the N.W. 14, 17-59-24.

STRAYED— BROWN PONY, GELDing, white star on forehead, two years old, white hairs above three hoofs, mane and forelock cropped off, no brand. Reward will be paid for information leading to the recovery of this animal. Address John McLeod, Athabasca Landing, Alta.