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JERSEY CATTLE—DAVID SMITH, GLAD- stone, Man.

BRAEBURN FARM — HOLSTEINS — Thomson Bros., Boharm, Sask.

Selkirk, accountant. Souris—George Thomas Robinson, of Ninga, grain buyer. Winnipeg—Thomas Seaton Ewart, of Winnipeg, barrister.

NEW VARIETY OF WHEAT

Brandon, Aug. 2.—Binders have started on the experimental farm crops and the first plots cut are a new unnamed variety of wheat, and Daubeney and Orloss oats. The new wheat, which appears to be a good crop, is so much earlier than Red Fife and the very early Marquis variety, which has been engaging the attention of farmers generally, that the officials are not sure that it is not a "nine days wonder." This new wheat, which is a very good sample, is four or five days earlier than Marquis, which is about that much earlier than Red Fife. All experimental farm crops are showing well and indicate that there will be satisfactory yields. Considerable of the grain is now ready for cutting, and it is coming in very fast, so that the work of the binders will hardly be interrupted from this date on, as early varieties of grain will no sooner be cut than others will be ready. Rainfall for July, according to the experimental farm reports, is 2.91 inches, the heaviest moisture for that month in many years. In 1910 the July rainfall was two inches, so that this year shows an increase of 50 per cent.

RE BLACK RUST

Montreal, Aug. 4.—G. M. Bosworth, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific railway, today wired W. M. Lanigan, assistant freight traffic manager, Western lines, Winnipeg, as follows: "Any truth in the newspaper reports this morning regarding black rust in Manitoba?" To which Mr. Lanigan replied as follows: "There is no truth in the newspaper reports regarding black rust in Manitoba."

The Deloraine, Elkhorn and Boissevain summer fairs were held on Aug. 2. All were complete successes.

MICHIGANDERS COMING

Toronto, Aug. 2.—Two hundred Michigan people left Detroit today for Western Canada. Their stock and household

effects filled twelve freight cars. All parts of rural Michigan were represented by the 200 persons, who will soon be farming in the Canadian West. They were well supplied with money, and in nearly every case have selected the land which they will farm.

WHEAT ESTIMATE

A cablegram received from the International Agricultural Institute at Rome on the 22nd inst., gives preliminary estimates of 1911 wheat harvest, as follows:

Belgium, 14,050,000 bushels, compared with 12,449,000 last year; Hungary, 173,886,000 compared with 198,484,000; Italy, 196,579,000, compared with 153,339,000 last year; Spain, 154,437,000, compared with 137,449,000; Roumania, 121,710,000 compared with 110,828,000; Great Britain, 61,351,000, compared with 58,235,000 in Great Britain and Ireland last year. Conditions in Russia satisfactory.

France.—The latest reports are very optimistic, and point to a yield of about 320,000,000 bushels, against 253,000,000 bushels in 1910. Harvest has commenced in many districts, and the quality promises to be very good.

Germany.—The latest official report indicates an outturn of about 136,000,000 bushels against 142,000,000 in 1910. The weather has recently been very favorable, and the quality promises to be better than last year.

Russia.—The weather continues very hot in the Volga districts; very great damage has been done, and the yield is expected to be very small. In most other parts of the empire fairly good results are expected, and if there has been no particular decrease in the area sown, compared with last year, a relatively large yield of wheat may still be gathered, even if some 15 per cent. smaller than last year.

Turkey.—The area sown is reported to be much larger than last year; conditions generally have been favorable, and the yield promises to be an excellent one.

Roumania.—The overflowing of the Moldau in its upper reaches has done immense damage, especially to the timber industry. The crops are in danger.

The harvest in progress on the north coast of Africa is said to promise well in Algeria, where the yield of wheat is usually upward of 35,000,000, and of barley over 45,000,000 bushels; in the much less important producers, Tunis and Morocco, only a moderate outcome is expected. According to the June official report, the yield on the 1,250,000 acres of wheat in Egypt was likely to be "good" in Upper Egypt, but in Lower Egypt not quite up to that standard.

T. K. DOHERTY,
Chief Officer.

SAULT STATISTICS

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 4.—The statistical report of lake commerce through the canals at Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, and Ontario, for the month of July show a big increase in business over the previous month. The passages of east or west bound vessels totalled 2,874, against 2,573 in June. Total freight carried was 8,545,819 tons, against 7,476,087 tons the previous month. This report as itemized follows: East bound, copper, 17,676 tons; grain, 3,553,752 bushels; building stone, 1,790 tons; flour, 767,861 barrels; iron ore, 5,161,823 tons; pig iron, 5,081 tons; lumber, 88,049,000 feet, board measure; wheat, 6,182,597 bushels; general merchandise, 22,212; passengers, 11,642. Westbound, hard coal, 418,932 tons; soft coal, 2,210,309; grain, 1,100 bushels; manufactured iron, 63,486 tons; salt, 66,566 barrels; general merchandise, 168,129 tons; passengers, 13,186. The eastbound freight exceeded the westbound by 2,865,319 tons.

PPRACTICAL RANGE ECONOMY

In these days when everyone is feeling the high cost of food, it is remarkable how many sensible, practical, economical housewives fail to practice economy in the right spots. For instance—so many housewives continue month after month, year after year, trying to get good results out of the old cook stove or range—one that uses up twice as much fuel as is necessary to attain the best results—and then imagine they

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are practising economy merely because they save, for the moment, the price of a new range. Is that real, practical economy or good management? It don't take much figuring to work out the correct answer—to demonstrate fully that it is a false standard of economy that permits the burning up of the price of a new range every little while in wasted fuel burned in an old, worn-out cook stove or range that was put together with stove bolts and putty, from which the putty has dried up and crumbled away, leaving open seams all over it, through which one can insert a table knife anywhere. In addition to the waste, there is a constant waste of high-priced food which hasn't had a square deal from the old, worn-out stove in a long time.

TRUST LEADERS FINED

New York, Aug. 4.—The succession of fines which has marked the progress of the government's successful campaign against wire manufacturers, indicted for forming pools in alleged violation of the anti-trust laws, reached a climax today when Edwin E. Jackson, Jr., a New York attorney, whom the federal attorney termed "head and brains of the trust," was sentenced to pay \$45,000. This is by far the heaviest penalty inflicted upon any of the seventy-three wire manufacturers who have pleaded nolle contendere, but it did not satisfy United States District Attorney Wise. He pleaded with Judge Archibald to send the wire trust attorney to jail. He declared tonight that he would apply for Mr. Jackson's disbarment. Ten of the indicted men, including Mr. Jackson, changed their pleas of not guilty to nolle contendere today. The others were fined \$1,000 each, with \$100 more for each additional indictment. Against Jackson nine indictments were found, and his fines were \$5,000 for each count. In addition he was sentenced to pay \$2,600 in costs. District Attorney Wise told the court that the defendant had made \$211,000 in organizing the wire pools in 1908, and \$107,000 in 1909, and charged that he had violated the law for twenty years. "In my opinion," he continued, "this man is the worst type of criminal that society has to contend with. He knew he was violating the law, and he dragged others into it." Others who pleaded and were fined today were: Herbert L. Scatterlee, son-in-law of J. P. Morgan, William S. Kyle, Wallace D. Rumsey, George E. Holton, Frederick I. Hall, J. B. Olsen, James H. Siberlein, Benjamin S. Wolf and Eugene R. Phillips.

Premier A. L. Sifton of Alberta, and Premier Walter Scott of Saskatchewan, have returned from their trip to the coronation, landing in Montreal on Aug. 2.

A special committee of the city council of Toronto have advised the construction of a "tube" railway under that city.

Manitoba Section

DESFORD REGULAR MEETING

A meeting of the Desford G.G.A. was held on Saturday evening, July 29, at Desford. A report of the Brandon meeting with Mr. Borden was given. Comment followed, which approved of Mr. Borden's attitude on the Hudson Bay railway, chilled meat, and elevator question, but regretted his attitude on the tariff and reciprocity, the discussion finally ending in a motion by J. R. White, seconded by A. Henderson:—"That the Desford G.G.A. re-affirm its decision to support the reciprocity agreement made with the United States." Carried without dissent. The meeting also desired that a report be sent to the Grain Growers' Guide, enclosing a cutting from the Hamilton Expositor, presented to the meeting by Mr. Kempthorne, in which it is stated that in the opinion of Mr. R. L. Borden many Western farmers are turning against the reciprocity agreement, and asking if this be true of the Western farmers. The platform of the Grain Growers, as outlined in The Guide, was read and favorably commented upon by the meeting. It was decided upon motion of A. Henderson and Gregory, "That ladies be allowed to become members of our association." Meeting then adjourned.

THOMAS E. HARPER, Sec'y.
Boissevain, Man.

MANITOBA RETURNING OFFICERS

The returning officers for Manitoba constituencies at the coming Dominion elections are as follows: Brandon—John Grant Rattray, of Pipestone, merchant. Dauphin—Edwin James Bowden, of Dauphin, barrister. Lisgar—Charles Wahn, of Gretna, agent. Macdonald—William Henry Fielding, of King Edward, farmer. Marquette—Archibald Reuben Tingley, of Russell, attorney. Portage la Prairie—Charles Heath, of Portage la Prairie, real estate agent. Provencher—Napoleon Comeault, of St. Jean Baptiste, merchant. Selkirk—Frederick Walter Robert Coleleugh, of