ANOTHER POSER FOR SOLICITOR

MUST DECIDE QUESTION CONCERNING THE WEIGHT OF PIGS.

By way of variety the city solicitor, who during the last week or two has been almost constantly engaged giving opinions upon attempts on the part of the council to dismiss a commissioner, will now be called upon to give an opinion upon a question arising out of attempts to ascertain the correct weight of a number of pigs. A few days ago a farmer weighed several pigs on the scale at the Rice street market, received a ticket for 1540 pounds and sold the pigs at that weight. The purchaser was afterwards troubled with doubts as to the weight of the pigs and drove them to the First street market, where they tipped the scales at 1330 pounds. Investigation revealed the fact that the scale at the Rice street market had played false, and the question therefore arises, is the city or the vendor liable for the loss sustained by the purchaser, who paid for 1540 pounds of pig but received only 1330? The responsibility of deciding this question was thrust upon the solicitor by the commissioners at yesterday's meeting.

To Investigate Credentials.

That in future all indigents applying for admission to the city hospital must have the recommendation of the medical health officer and the chief of police before they are admitted, was the decision reached by the commissioners.

An offer of the Sewer Deodorizing Co., Ltd., of Winnipeg, to install in Edmonton the Beeman Deodorizing and Disinfecting Plant, was referred to the city engineer for report. The writers state that the apparatus was given a three months test in Winnipeg under the supervision of the city engineer, and proved to be entirely satisfactory. It is stated that the machine will prevent all trouble with emanations from sewer air shafts, not only destroying odors but also all disease germs and bacteria. The device manufactures formaldehyde directly from wood alcohol. The cost as shown by the test is seven cents per day. The machines are supplied at a cost of $90 each and may be installed at a trifling expense.

The Sterilizing Plant.

Superintendent McLean of the waterworks department reported that he was making arrangements with Superintendent Deerwester of the power plant fo rthe operation of the new sterilizing plant.

The city engineer submitted a report on the progress of the work at the Groat Ravine bridge, called for in view of the application of Gorman, Clancey and Grindley for an extension of time for the completion of the steel work owing to the non-completion of the concrete work by the city. Owing to circumstance out of the control o fthe civic departments this work has been delayed. The engineer states the he expects to complete the easterly abutments and the easterly three piers by the end of this week. After these have been allowed to set for six or seven days, or until the end of next week, the erection of the steel work can be commenced and carried on on the easterly side while the engineer is completing the piers on the west side. It is expected that the entire concrete work will be completed in two weeks time The erection of the steel work, he states, ought not to take longer than two months, and he recommends that the contractors be allowed two months from the date when the foundations are in such condition as to allow them to commence work. The recommendation was adopted by the commissioners, who will also communicate with Carruthers and Round owners of the Groat Estate, who are contributing $25,000 towards the cost of the work. Commissioner Boullion stated that it was unlikely that it would be possible to use the bridge before June 15th.

Filed Solicitor's Letter.

A copy of Solicitor Bown's letter to Commissioner Boullion, in which he expressed the opinion that the powers of the commissioners were unaffected by the resolution of the council calling in the services of an outside engineer to give advice regarding the types of machinery to be installed at the power plant, was placed upon file.

A report was received from the city engineer upon the problem of the sliding bank south of Jasper in the east end of the city. From observations made it has been ascertained that there are a number of springs in that part of the bank which is affected. One of these springs is said to be warmer than the others, and the opinion is expressed that burning coal beneath the surface may be the cause. It is believed that the springs may contribute to the trouble. The investigations will be continued.

The Nurses Home.

Drawings were submitted by the medical health officer for the nurses home which it is proposed to erect at the Isolation hospital. The appropriation made for this purpose in the estimates was $4,000. The drawings contemplate a building which, according to the architect's estimate, will cost $6,000. The commissioners were not satisfied with the drawings and more carefully prepared plans will be secured.

Plans submitted by the medical health officer for alterations to the hoppers at the incinerator plant met with a similar fate. The apparatus which it is proposed to install will be of considerable weight, and the beams upon which the weight would rest were considered wholly inadequate for its support.

C. S. Eaton, representing the International Heating and Lighting Co., will appear before the commissioners at their regular meeting on Monday, when he will submit specifications for the plant which the company proposes to erect in the event of the city granting them the franchise for which they have applied.

Referred to Council.

The agreement submitted by the Department of the Interior, to which the city will become a party in the event of a decision being reached to develop hydro electric power on the Athabasca river, was referred to the city council.

Before the meeting closed, Mayor Armstrong made reference to a statement which had appeared in the press and which he understood to suggest that he had been negligent in the matter of attendance at the meetings of the commissioners.

"I do not think I can be accused of trying to hold the meeting back on Wednesday," he said. "I was in the council chamber at the appointed time."

"And I was here at two o'clock on Tuesday," said Commisioner Bouillon, "for the conference with the superintendents. I waited for you until the superintendents were unable to remain any longer and left."

The discussion of this subject lasted but a few moments with no display of ill-feeling on either side, the commissioners parting in the best of humor.

LIBERALS HOLD A CAUCUS.

Decide to Press Reciprocity Agreement Through House.

Ottawa, Mar. 9—The Liberals were in caucus this morning for an hour, those in attendance including Lloyd Harris and Wm. German, who have spoken and voted against the reciprocity agreement. It was decided to press the reciprocity agreement through the House as soon as possible although a couple of days may be taken each week for the voting of necessary supplies and the furthering of other business. It was also decided to leave the selection of the eight Liberal representatives on the parliamentary coronation delegation to the government.

New Scheme For Attracting Settlers.

London, March 9.—The Southern Alberta Land company meeting today was of a satisfactory character. It will announce shortly, through a subsidiary company, a scheme of farms to attract the best kind of British emigrants.

EARTHQUAKE FELT IN THE UNITED STATES

Violent Tremor Accompanied by Roar like a Heavy Wind Shook the Building—Many Large Plate Glass Windows Shattered and People Fled.

Michigan City, Indiana, March 9. — What was believed to have been an earthquake, shook this city at 8.27 o'clock tonight. There was a violent tremor followed two minutes later by another. The first lasted for ten seconds, and the second about two seconds.

The tremors were accompanied by a roar that sounded like a violent wind. Buildings in the down town district trembled and rocked and windows rattled violently. Many large plate glasses were shattered and people fled in terror to the street.

Saint Louis, Missouri, March 9. — Four distinct earthquake shocks were recorded late today by the seismograph ate St. Louis University, th first being at 5.24 p.m. The others followed at 7.33, 7.38 and 7.48 p.m. The vibrations ceasing altogether at 9.07. Calculations place the greatest seismic disturbance in the far East.

TWENTY-FOUR YEARS AGO

Taken from the files of the Edmonton Bulletin for Saturday, March 12th, 1887.

Dr. Lafferty expects to remain here over polling day.

The Indian Department telegraphs today from Regina for 1,000 bushels of barley and 700 bushels of oats, to be delivered at Battleford by the 1st of May.

Jas. Eamer has a part Brahma pullet eight months old which, last week, laid an egg 5 1-2 inches around one way and 7 1-2 the other.

G. A. Blake, of Belmont, shot a large white, snowy or Arctic owl near his place last week. This bird is a native of the far north and is seldom seen here.

The assessment of Edmonton school district has been completed and amounts to $368,668, $233,875 being real property, $136,773 personal property. Court of revision sits in the school house on Monday, March 21st, at ten o'clock am.

A letter to the Calgary Tribune, from Montana, says that the weather there since the 1st of January has been the most severe that ever visited the territory. Stock losses will be enormous, and from the windows of the Northern Pacific passenger trains cattle can be seen standing frozen solid.

A joint political meeting was held in Jellett's store at Clover Bar, on Friday evening, J. St. G. Jellett, chairman. The attendance was not large on account of the stormy weather. Mr. Carney addressed the meeting for Mr. Davis, F. Oliver for Mr. Hardisty, and Dr. Lafferty in his own behalf. It was concluded about midnight.

Dr. McKay, H.B. chief trader in Peace River district, arrived fom Slave Lake on Friday. He experienced a heavy snow storm at the Athabasca Landing on the way in. The winter has not been severe at Slave Lake, and horses are wintering well. The measles and whooping cough have ceased their ravages for the present.

Mr. Holmes, Church of England missionary, has opened a school at Slave Lake, and has an attendance of about thirty. Excellent progress is being made by the pupils.

The following is approximately the number of votes in the various polling divisions of Northern Alberta, according to the enumerators' lists in a majority of cases: Edmonton, 154; South side, 53; Stony Plain, 44; Belmont, 69; Clover Bar, 40; Sturgeon, 35; Saskatchewan, 57; St. Albert, 161; S.e. Anne, 26; Beaver Lake, 10; Saddle Lake 5; Whitefish Lake, 1; Lac la Biche, 91; Athabasca Landing, say 20; Battle River Agency, say 20; Battle River settlement, say 40; Wolf Creek, say 20; Red Deer and Blind Man, say 40; total 944. South of Red Deer the vote is variously estimated at from 1,000 to 1,400.

The bachelors' concert on Thursday evening in the Mammoth Hotel was attended by about 150 people. Tea was served upstairs. The cooking, which was most creditably, was all done by the bachelors themselves, and their attention to the duties as waiters, ushers, etc., was all that could be desired. The concert was given in the lower story of the building. The performers were: Dr. McInnis, manager, flute and guitar; W. Stiff, B. Fonesca and James McMunn, violin; W. B. Cameron, H. Anthony and E. Raymer, guitar; J. R. Michael and F. A. Osborne, flute; W. H. Carson, cornet; and W. West snare drum. The singers were Messrs. Beecher, Ibbotson, Anthony, Stiff and Michael. Dr. McInnis was piano accompanist. After the concert the room was cleared for dancing which was indulged in with spirit until about twoo 'clock am. on Friday. The audience was large, the music excellent, everyone—almost everyone—was in good humored and the affair was a success throughout, a credit to those who instituted it and to the place. The stump speech was the hit of the evening.

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MUST DO AS BRITAIN SAYS.

Will Not Allow Germans to Secure Concessions Jeopardizing Britain's Interests.

London, Mar. 8—In the House of Commons tonight Mr. Balfour, Unionist leader, expressed some anxiety concerning the attitude of the government in relation to the Bagdad railway and he wanted to know what the ministry was going to do in the matter. In reply, Sir Edward Grey, foreign secretary, intimated that the government was prepared to bring pressure on Turkey in order that British interests might be safeguarded. He pointed out that it would be impossible to interfere with the German concessions, that if British trade was insufficiently guarded the nation must seek other concessions which could be under her own control.

The government was not quite helpless in this matter. Turkey wanted money and had recently asked for an increase in the rate of customs to 4 per cent. This they could not get without the consent of Great Britain. Sir Edward said he was quite anxious for this consent to be given, as he wished to see the new regime in Turkey strengthened and supplied with resources sufficient to establish a strong and just government throughout the Ottoman empire, but if the money was to be used to promote railways of doubtful advantage to British trade, or which would take the place of communications recently controlled by British concessionaires, it would be impossible for Great Britain to consent to the desired increase in the Turkish customs.

THE MANUFACTURERS OPPOSE RECIPROCITY

Big Meeting Was Held in Toronto Where ex-President W. K. George is One of the Speakers—Pass Resolution of Protest.

Toronto, March 9—Five thousand people occupied Massey Hall this evening at the meeting to protest against reciprocity and a great many more were turned away. Sir Wm. Mortimer Clark, formerly lieutenant-governor of Ontario, occupied the chair. The meeting was announced as a non-partisan gathering intended to inaugurate a campaign of education to protest against the agreement. With the exception of G. T. Blackstock, the speakers were all Liberals.

The resolution presented by Z. A. Lash, K.C., was seconded by W. L. White, managing director of the National Trust Company, was passed without question.

After setting forth the same general arguments against reciprocity contained in the protest of the aforementioned eighteen Liberals, the resolution declared that before the agreement went into effect it should be passed upon by the people and that to prevent the continuance of the disturbance of trade already caused by the action of the Government the election should be held without delay. The other speakers were Arthur Hawkes and W. K. George.

500 IMMIGRANTS REACH WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, March 7—About five hundred immigrants arrived at the C.P.R. depot last night. More than one-half of them had been passengers on the Empress of Ireland, but in addition to those from the Empress, there were many who landed in New York on American liners and who came West by way of Montreal. Among these are a number of French people who crossed on the "Chicago," and who were bound for points in Saskatchewan and British Columbia. Two large French families consisting of twenty persons were ticketed to Mortlach, Sask.

TO TAKE OVER THEIR POWERS

COUNCIL WILL GIVE CONTRACTS WITHOUT CONSULTING THE COMMISSIONERS

Powers previously exercised by the city commissioners were taken out of their hands at last night's meeting of the council when a motion was passed authorizing the employment of an outside engineer to make recommendations to the council regarding the machinery which it is proposed to install at the power plant.

Tenders for this machinery are in the hands of the commissioners at the present time and the types of machinery to be added to the power plant were chosen on Monday afternoon at a joint conference of the commissioners and the heads of the power plant, street railway and electric light and power departments respectively.

In accordance with the resolution passed by the council last night the recommendations of the commissioners will not be considered and the council will place the orders upon the advice of some outside engineer chosen by themselves.

Ald. McKinley Opposes.

The action of the council was opposed by Ald. McKinley, who asked that his vote be recorded. Ald. Hyndman was absent from the meeting and the remaining aldermen supported the motion.

Ald. McInnis, who introduced the motion, said that he had no confidence in the recommendations of the body of men who at the present time had authority to make such recommendations.

"At the present time," said Ald. McInnis, "there is only one person to whom we can look for reliable information, namely, the superintendent of the power plant, and the gentleman who occupies that position, I believe, is not an engineer qualified under the laws of Alberta. I do not think it would be advisable to allow him to recommend the purchase of machinery."

Mayor Armstrong Approves.

Mayor Armstrong expressed his approval of the proposal and suggested that a committee of the council should be appointed to take the matter up with the commissioners and secure a competent person.

"That would hardly do," said Ald. McInnis. "The commissioner of utilities has placed certain men in charge of the departments. It would be presumption for us to talk to them and tell them this man is no good. If they did not think them good they would not put them there. Never mind the commissioners. We want a man satisfactory to the council."

"There will be a communication along these lines in a few days from a competent engineer," he added, but gave no intimation of the precise meaning of this statement.

Superintendent Deerwester he described as "a gas producer man," adding, "He is not an engineer as far as steam is concerned. He does not pretend to know anything about it."

Ald. McKinley said he was not in a position to speak with certainty in this matter. He supposed, however, that the superintendent, having come from another part of the country, had just to go through the formality of taking out papers in Alberta.

Are Quite Capable.

"I think the present commissioners are quite capable of taking care of this business, and I have no reason to believe that the superintendent of the plant is not a capable man. I am perfectly satisfied to allow them to recommend tenders for our acceptance."

The power proposition of the Edmonton Heating & Lighting Co., in accordance with the recommendation of the committee of the whole council which met on Monday, was referred to the superintendents of the street railway department, the electric light and power department, the power plant, and Commissioner Boullion, for analysis and report.

Dog Bylaw Passed.

The bylaw "to provide for the registration of dogs and keeping of same in the city of Edmonton," which has ben before the council for some time past, was finally passed. It was adopted in the form recommended by the committee appointed to frame its provisions, save that the clause providing that dogs running at large on the streets might be shot was struck out. No effort will be made to enforce its provisions for a few days, in order that the public may be first informed that it has been passed.

The refund of business tax collected in error from H. B. Poole, of Fairview, was authorized.

The request of the Edmonton Exhibition Association that a committee of the council be appointed to meet the board of directors of the association to discuss the control and expenditure of exhibition debenture money was referred to the finance committee and the mayor.

Waterfront Assessment.

In accordance with one of the recent amendments to the city charter a waterfront assessment of five cents per foot frontage on all property along the lines of the watermains was authorized. By this tax, which will be levied upon owners of property whether occupied or unoccupied, it is hoped by the end of the present year to wipe out the deficit shown on the books of the waterworks department last year and by 1912, if the expectations of the council are realized, a susbstantial reduction in the water rates will be effected.

A grant of $500 to the Beulah Mission was authorized. A further proposal to grant to this institution free water and light was left over for consideration at the next meeting of the council.

The commissioners were authorized to enter into negotiations with the Hudson's Bay Co. for the purchase of the proposed armory site, subject to the condition laid down by the company that the land shall be used "in perpetuity for government and public purposes."

A communication was received from the C. H. Evans Engineering Co. requesting permission to tender for the installation of a gas plant should the city decide upon the municipal operation of such a plant.

H. D. Whitney, architect, requested permission to submit plans for the proposed public library. The communication was referred to the library board. Ald. Lundy stated that a promise of $25,000 towards the equipment of the institution, had been received from the Rutherford Government. The present administration, he said, had not been approached.

ROADS AND RAILROADS THE CRY OF THE NORTH

J. L. Cote, M.P.P. for Athabasca, Says Northern Settlers Want Better Roads, and a Railroad Into the Country—Believes There Will Be Great Rush North This Year.

"On my way down to Edmonton from Grouard I met 400 teams going north," said J. L. Cote, member for Athabasca in the legislature. "That was in a week's time. Each of these teams was estimated to carry at least $1,000 worth of supplies. You can readily see from these facts just what large proportions the trekk into the north has already reached. The incoming settlers are striking into the country around Lesser Slave Lake and through to Peace River and Grande Prairie. Already the district on the south side of Lesser Slave Lake has doubled its population. But the rush to the north has not yet actually commenced. I am satisfied that before the end of the summer there will be three or four thousand more people in the north country than are there at present."

Mr. Cote has just returned to Edmonton from a trip which covered the most populous portion of his constituency. He visited Sawridge, which is at the east end of Lesser Slave Lake, Grouard at the west end of the lake and the Prairie River and Swan River settlements on the south side of the same body of water.

"The people of my constituency are asking for roads and railroads," he said. "This is the cry throughout the entire north. The fisheries of Lesser Slave Lake, entirely apart from the agricultural products, would go a long way to provide a profitable freight business for such a railroad.

At Grouard Mr. Cote was interviewed by delegations of settlers who urged that he use his best endeavors to secure direct road connection with Edmonton, and to secure the guaranteeing of the bonds of a railroad into the country.

Mr. Cote brought back with him from the north a bushel of wheat and a bushel of oats which cannot be excelled anywhere on the continent, he declares.

HOLLANDERS COLONY WILL ARRIVE IN APRIL

Arrangements Completed for Occupation of Large Tract of Land Southwest of Wabamun, on the G.T.P., by Fifty Families, Members of Co-operative Society of Hollanders.

The Co-operative Society of Hollanders, known as "Helpt Elkander," has made arrangements for the occupation of a large tract of country on the east side of the Saskatchewan river, in township 46, range 7, west of the 4th meridian. Fifty families will arrive in April and proceed together out to their new home via Wabamun, on the G.T.P.

This society has been established for about one year and has agents and secretaries all through the United States. Wittensfield, Mass., Chicago and Everett, Wash., are the chief points where they will gather to begin their journey. Wittensfield is sending the largest contingent, for which a special coach will be chartered to carry the women and children. Just now the local officers, Fred Baron and H. Rippers, are completing arrangements for cheap fares for all the members who are coming from points in the United States.

Immediately on reaching Alberta, the members will meet and change from a loose aggregation into a well-organized farmers' union. As many of the members have not over-abundant means, the wealthier ones will be called on to bear a good part of the burden for a year or so.

By co-operative effort, however, it is hoped that a good many of the hardships connected with homesteading will be obviated.

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WANTED—A Teacher for the Avon school district No. 1518; duties to begin the 1st April; state salary. J. J. Neill, Ranfurly, Alta.

TEACHER WANTED—For Thomasville S. D. No. 1958; duties to commence March 15, 1911. Apply with particulars to C. A. Wells, sec.-treas. Kitscoty, Alta.

TEACHER WANTED—For Blueberry S. D. No. 1444 (Protestant preferred) holding a first or second-class certificate. Apply to the Sec.-Treas., Box 9 Blueberry S. D., Stoney Plain.

WANTED—Teacher for Lake Shore School, No. 937, holding second or third-class certificate; duties to commence April 3rd (six months). Apply, stating experience and salary to Harry A. Kendall, sec.-treas., Tofield, Alta.

TEACHER WANTED for Kalna S. D. No. 1521; school continues 7 1-2 months. Salary $55 a month. School commences April 1st. Apply O. F. Page, secretary, Chipman, Alta.

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NOTICE.

On and after thirty clear days from the date of this notice, viz., on the 20th day of March, 1911, the available quarter sections in the following Townships will be open for entry:

Township,	Range		
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76	20	West of 5th Meridian	
75	21	West of 5th Meridian	
76	21	West of 5th Meridian	
75	22	West of 5th Meridian	
76	22	West of 5th Meridian	
73	22	West of 5th Meridian	
82	23	West of 5th Meridian	
83	23	West of 5th Meridian	
77	21	West of 5th Meridian	

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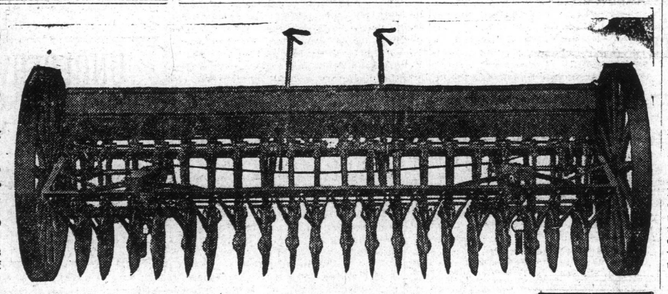

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