

Rapid City. Here Colonel Martin and Mr. McClune—late of England—have erected two very neat villas. This district is thickly settled with Englishmen and their families, forming the northern border of what is now known as the English Reserve. The Hudson's Bay Company has for sale the south half of section 8 (320 acres), and the north-west quarter of section 26 (160 acres), all good land.

### TOWNSHIP 14, RANGE 19.

The land in this township is very fine, and for farming and stock-raising cannot be beaten. Immense quantities of excellent hay is everywhere found in the latter part of June and during the remainder of the season. Although a few less pond holes would add considerably to the value of some of the land in this township, yet these afford excellent sport in shooting seasons, the pond holes and small lakelets being literally covered with wild fowl. Prairie chickens also abound in this district, affording easy and pleasant sport all through the autumn and winter. Wood (poplar and stunted oak) is evenly and rather prettily distributed over the eastern side of the township. The Little Saskatchewan River crosses the south-east corner. This part is well timbered and deer are found here in the autumn and winter.

The Hudson's Bay Company has 1120 acres open in this township, all good land. Rapid City is the market town for those living in the south side, while those in the north side are equal distance between Rapid City and Minnedosa. Sand, gravel, and limestone are here, while the soil will average 2 feet 6 inches of leaf loam with a subsoil of clay and sand.

### TOWNSHIP 15, RANGE 19.

The south-west corner of this township is fairly timbered with poplar, elsewhere it is rather bare of timber but is excellent for farming and stock-raising purposes. Many of the leading farmers of the Saskatchewan are located in this township. Is within easy distance of the town of Minnedosa, or Rapid City. Is well supplied with game and wild fowl. Timber for building and fencing purposes is procured from timber lots (each settler having 20 acres allotted to him at the rate of one dollar per acre) along the river's sides. The Minnedosa and Rolling River Sawmills supply lumber sawn from spruce and poplar logs, principally the former. The Hudson's Bay Company has three-fourths of section 26 open. Excellent land.

### TOWNSHIP 16, RANGE 19.

Excellent farming land in this township. Many large farms are in good go-ahead hands. For stock it cannot be beaten. Is well timbered with poplar. The Little Saskatchewan River crosses the north side. On Rolling River is a sawmill, owned and managed by Mr. Cameron. The river runs into the Little Saskatchewan from the north-west, is