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CANADA TO FEED THE WHOLE WORLD FROM HER BREAD BASKET

Frank G. Carpenter, in New York Herald, Tells of Opening Up of the Great New Wheat Belt of Northwest---100,000,-000 Acres at Least Fit for Grain Crops---Average Yield Per Acre Double That of the United States.

writing at Edmonton, 400 miles north of the United States boundary. I am on the United States boundary. I am on the United States boundary.

me maps which show what homesteads have been taken. The lands are pretty well absorbed on both sides of the river for a distance of a thousand nules. Many little towns have sprung up. The same is true everywhere along the new railroads, there being something like forty new towns on the Canadian Northern alone. Indeed, the whole wheat belt is peppered with homesteads, although not five per els of wheat an acre. The wheat territory weighting from twenty-five to thirty bushes of the good land has been occupied has thus been pretty well prospected and with homesteads, although hot live per care of the good land has been occupied and the greater part of it is yet unbroken.

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(Frank G. Carpenter, in N. Y. Herald). wheat lands are those which put them at 50,000,000 bushels. A large part of last Edmonton, Alberta, Saturday-I am one hundred million acres. The land here year's product came from this same region

the Ohio in our early days. I have before much less. We have all kinds of farmers, color and it may of our European immigrants do didn't being

and the greater part of it is yet unbroken. These Canadians are enthusiasts. They look at things through eyes like those of Colonel Sellers, and they are expecting to eventually supply not only Canada and Great Britain, but also the United States and other countries with wheat. They say that the United States is growing so that it will soon consume all the grain it can raise, and that our wheat area is already defined. They think also that our wheat crop will grow less from year to year, while theirs must be multiplied by

"We were producing grain near Winnipeg long before your Western States had any existence," was the reply. "As far back as 1812 Lord Selkirk brought a colony to Manitoba, and that colony raised wheat. The settlers came in by Hudson Back and real-depth of their way down here.

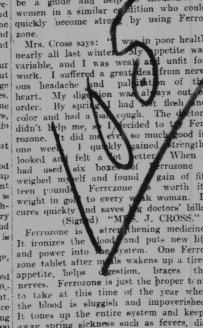
we had to wait for the railroads, which were first built along in the 80's. Today the lower part of Manitoba is one of the world's wheat granaries. It produced 4,000,000 bushels in 1886, 14,000,000 bushels.

the United States boundary. I am on the frontier of the great wheat belt which the Canadians are opening up, and which promises to revolutionize the bread markets of the world. I have been traveling for three weeks through the grain lands, and am now, in a straight line, about as far northwest of Winnipez as irom New York to Chicago.

All along that line there is wheat all the way. *Lower Manitoba produced more than 40,000,000 bushels last year, and something like 100,000,000 bushels were harvested in Canadia.

The size of Canada's new bread basket is hard to define. The area I have described has been thoroughly prospected. Wheat is actually raised in all parts of it, and I hear stories of great wheat lands beyond. Three hundred miles due north of Edmonton, on the Peace river, they are raising big crops and flour miles are now grinding away at Fort Vermillon. They receive good prices on account of the high freight rates which prevail throughout the widds of the Northwest.

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year, while theirs must be multiplied by the for it reaches its maximum. The world's wheat crop now averages something like three billion bushels, which is considerably more than three that is easy to take, sure to benefit, and surpass Indeed, it is often much less. Last year times as much as the United States has corrected one hundred million bushes. Among the lowest estimates of the vield will steadily increase, and it will hart ford (Conn.), U. S. A.

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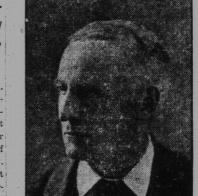
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For God and kindred eye to eye
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R. H. B. TENNANT.

ALDERMAN MILLIDGE HAS PASSED AWAY

Leading Citizen, Bright Scholar and Lawyer, Man Who Gave Time and Talent for City's Welfare.

The death of A derman Thomas Millidge, K. C., one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of this city. occured at 6.30 Wednesday morning Though he had been in poor health for somewhat more than a year, his death came as a shock to his many friends.

Alderman Millidge had been a sufferer last few weeks, been under the care of



Alderman Millidge was unmarried, and lived on Millidge Lane with two brothens and one sister.

The surviving members of the family are brothers and sisters as follows:—Rev.

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are brothers and sisters as follows:—Rev. James W. Millidge, rector of Oak Bay, Charlotte Co., N. B.; Mrs. E. C. Hamilton, widow of George A. Hamilton, M. D., of this city, now in England; Frank, at present in Milwaukee, Wis.; Miss Sarah de Blois, Winnipeg, Man.; Frederick Cecil and Arthur Hamilton, in Manitoba; and Lewis de Blois (in D. Jacks office), Beverly Vicars and Miss Marion at home. dies Marion, at home.

Celebrated His 80th Birthday. Beulah, Kars, N. B., Jan. 23-On Saturday evening, Jan. 20, 1906, some friends met at the home of Mrs. James Jones to celebrate the eightieth anniversary of the birthday of Benjamin Crawford, uncle of Mrs. Jones. They spent a very pleasant social evening, and returned to their homes, leaving tekens of their esteem and

Mr. Crawford's youngest daughter

AMERICANS THRIVING AT CANADA'S EXPENSE

Modus Vivendi Drawing Hundreds of Nova Scotians in Uncle Sam's Ships, and Many of Them Become Lost to This Country---Mr. Jameson of Digby Makes Sta e nent That Startles Tariff Commission.

Digby, N. S., Jan. 24-The question of fitably presecuted by American fishermen the inadvisability or a continuance of the if the license before referred to were modus vivend, which exists between Can withheld, and the privilege of obtaining pose of regulating fishery matters, was brought up before the tariff commission at Middleton (N. S.), last week by Calrence Jameson, secretary of the Digby board of trade. The matter was the subject of a lengthy report to some of the American papers, and the Beston Herald has commented editorially upon it. In his remarks before the commission Mr. Jameson said:

new conditions, to constantly supply th It was desired to draw attention to a demand. It would open up to Canada the few of the objectionable conditions that had developed under the arrangement. America, now held largely by the Americans, which, whatever its theoretical excellence is to the minds of those who first apply would be increased; the fishing fleets cies to the minds of those who first approved its conditions had, in actual practice, proved a veritable vampire, preying upon the life of Canada's Atlantic fisheries. It might very properly be said that until vigorous protest was made against the continuance of this agreement, there was no reason why it should not be reconstructed from time to time, and it was no American vessels instead of baying them.

newed from time to time, and it was no American vessels, instead of having them doubt owing to this lack of concerted action on the part of those most interested among the most skilful of Canadian sec in the fisheries of the maritime provinces, that it was still in existence.

men surrendered their rights as British subjects, and became citizens of the that it was still in existence.

Under its provisions American vessels, American republic; came to their native upon payment of a fee equal to \$1.50 per ton, may obtain a license "to enter into the bays and harbors of the Atlantic the bays and harbors of the Atlantic through the bays and the bays are through the bays and the bays and the bays are through through the bays ar



