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WOMAN WALKS 400 MILES

Miss Hansen, from Washington State, comes to Regina for a Homestead, and is Refused—Wanted To See The Governor

"Can you tell me where the governor's office is?" asked a woman with a foreign accent as she walked into the West office Tuesday morning. "I want," said she, "to see the head of the government, as I can't get any satisfaction from the people in the land office about a homestead I came here to file on."

The woman was Miss Hansen, of Ballingham, Washington state, who was informed that women have equal homestead rights with men in Canada, and she bought a ticket to Vancouver only having sufficient money to take her that far. She then started out on foot and walked to Revelstoke, a distance of nearly 400 miles. Here she worked for a while and saved enough money to take her to Regina, reaching here Monday evening. At an early hour the following morning this woman was among the motley crowd that waited around the Land office steps to gain admission. She asked whether a woman could file on a homestead and was answered that a widow woman could, but no other. Turning, she walked out. She thought that the officials had not been courteous enough to her and that perhaps they were the same as they are in the States—"unobliging till they have to," so she started to find the governor. Passing the West office she stopped to make enquiries and she was informed that if she wanted the head of the government she would have to call on Premier Scott, and then she asked how it is that the

governor is not "the whole thing here as they are in the States." After some explanation the visitor recognised the difference in our system of government, but she thought it strange that there is no official above the land agent in this city, for to her he seemed to possess too much power and he was wanting in that official courtesy which she thought he was entitled to.

It was then suggested, that she had not explained her situation to them. This appeared too unsympathetic, and then the West came in for a calling down for not being independent of government influences. "Just the way with the papers on the other side." We explained, however, to the woman that if she were the sole head of a family she could make application for a homestead. This is where the whole trouble came in. As she said herself, "I am no widow, was never married, and too old now." If she had known that only widows could get homesteads she would have stayed at home, but she was fooled by a man she met in Washington from Prince Albert, and now she is here without enough money to take her home. However, she will try to get work for a while, and if that fails she will ask the city to send her back. "I won't stay in Canada," she said with her Swedish accent, "for I have sworn to the States and I won't swear to Canada if I can't get anything for it."

Leaving the West office she said "I am much obliged to you for explaining what I thought was a great wrong to me, but the agent should have taken longer to tell me. I guess I can't get a homestead 'cause I was never married, and don't expect to be. I'm up against it alright, but I'll make for home again to my friends. You have a great big country, but I see I can't get a piece of it."

The parting shot was, "Your government don't look good to me."

CONSERVATIVE MEETING

The Federal Conservative Associations for the City of Regina will hold a joint meeting in the City Hall, Thursday evening, September 5th, for the Election of Officers and for Organization. The President of the Senior Association is Dr. Cowan, and of the Junior Association, J. F. L. Embury.

It is urgent that as many as possible should be present. Delegates will be elected to attend the Federal Provincial Convention in this city on Oct. 16th.

CROP OUTLOOK IS BRIGHTER

Cutting will Soon be General—Grain is Plump—More Mixed Farming

The crop outlook has improved greatly during the last three days, and the chances for a fairly successful harvest even yet are much brighter. With clear weather the balance of the week the cutting will be general on Monday next, though there will be considerable wheat on the green side then. The frost has not done much damage so far, and many districts were not hit at all. On the whole, the sample promises to be good, as the kernel is very plump this season. Fields in some localities are good for forty bushels, and the average of the province outside the hailed area will be above last year. The business men at country points wore long faces last week, but they are in much better mood as the days go by.

One benefit which the threatened damage will bring will be the adoption of more mixed farming. Already farmers are preparing to go into hogs and cattle more extensively. The wheat crop is a money maker if successful, but it is a gamble to have all the eggs in one basket.

SWORN IN

Ottawa, Sept. 2.—Hon. Geo. P. Graham was sworn in on Saturday as Minister of Canals and Railways, and Hon. Wm. Pugsley as the minister of public works. There may be a shuffle in portfolios later on, after the return of Messrs Fielding and Brodeur, but the railways and canals portfolios goes for the present to Ontario, and public works to the Maritime provinces. These are two great spending departments. New Brunswick people here declare Sir Wilfrid Laurier's selection of Mr. Graham a reflection on their province.

An early election in Ontario is foreshadowed by the announcement that Premier Whitney and several ministers will tour the province this fall. This is their first appearance on the stump since taking office. The election will likely take place next June. The voters' lists are already being prepared.

DIES IN CANADA

Montreal Sept. 2.—John Attemborough of the Manchester Guardian, who was a member of the party of British journalists who visited Canada on the invitation of the British government died on Saturday of Summer complaint. When in the Northwest Attemborough was taken ill, and on reaching Montreal was so sick that he had to be removed to the hospital where he died. He was the youngest member of the party and had been in poor health.



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QUEBEC BRIDGE FALLS WITH A CRASH

St. Lawrence River Swallows up National Project and Many Lives are Lost--Cause of Disaster Unknown

Quebec, Aug. 29.—The great Quebec bridge collapsed this afternoon, and now the vast mass of steel work lies a tangled wreck across the St. Lawrence channel while, so far as can be estimated eighty-four men have lost their lives in the disaster.

The bridge fell at exactly twenty-three minutes to six this evening just as many of the workmen were preparing to leave. It was, however, so horribly effective in wiping out the lives of the men employed on it that very little is known as to how it happened and those who are left are so completely benumbed by the horror of the situation that they can do little to aid the situation.

It was the southern extension of the bridge which collapsed and this was rapidly nearing the zenith of the immense steel arch which was to span the river. For eight hundred feet from the shore the massive steel structure reared an arch with no supports but the piers from the shore while the outward extremity was 180 feet above the water.

Suddenly those on the northern saw the end of the arch half bend down and a moment later the whole enormous fabric began to break down slowly at first, then with a terrific crash, which was plainly heard in Quebec, and which shook the whole countryside so much so that the inhabitants rushed out of their houses thinking an earthquake had happened.

At the time of the catastrophe it is estimated that there were ninety-two men working on the bridge. Of these eight have so far been rescued alive, being picked up immediately after the disaster by boats.

Of the other eighty-four, so far sixteen have been recovered all dead, and it is feared that all the rest, or most of them, have been either drowned or crushed by falling girders.

The horror of the situation is increased by the fact that there are a number of wounded men pinned in the wreckage near the shore. Their groans and shrieks can be plainly heard by the anxious crowds that are waiting at the water's edge, but nothing so far can be done to rescue them or relieve their sufferings in the slightest degree. There are no search lights available and by the feeble light of lanterns it is impossible to even locate the sufferers, so that at the present nothing can be done to relieve them of their fate.

The awful completeness of the catastrophe seems to have paralyzed the sensibilities of everybody near the place. There is scarcely a family in the village of St. Romuald and New Liverpool which has not been bereaved, while in some cases five or six men of one family have been killed. Drivethrough the village from almost every house comes the sounds of lamentations of women. Most of the men are gathered around the approaches to the place where the bridge stood, some aiding in the efforts to rescue those still alive, and others waiting around for news, or helping to dispose of the bodies of the dead as they are found.

The disaster has produced an extraordinary effect in the city and is regarded as a national calamity.

A few minutes after the crash came from Silley that the whole southern half of the bridge had fallen into the river. For a long time people refused to believe that such a thing was possible, and crowds gathered round the newspaper offices waiting for further news which did not come for over an hour.

Then the original report was confirmed with the addition that practically every man working on the time had been killed. It was known that there were about one hundred men working, and the things caused the most intense anxiety, which gradually grew to a despairing certainty that one of the worst horrors that ever occurred in Canada had taken place.

The number of dead is variously estimated at from sixty to ninety, but the few left of the men who were working on the structure, state that there were about ninety-two working on the bridge at the time, of whom but eight were taken out alive, so that in all probability the list of dead will be about eighty-four.

Cause a Mystery
Nothing is known of the cause of the disaster. There was nothing of an untoward nature reported, that could give the slightest indication during the past few days that the immense structure was in an unsafe condition. It was built on such immense lines that it did not seem possible that it could break down. Whether it was caused by a defect in materials or by an error in the calculation of the architect, is a mere matter of conjecture.

The one certain fact is that where this afternoon there was about half of a bridge that had to have been one of the engineering wonders of the world, with a small army of me-

chanics and workmen, there is nothing now but a fantastically twisted iron and steel wreckage and a terrible number of corpses floating down the river, or crushed in between the fallen girders.

The bodies rescued so far are in a terrible state, crushed and broken until they can scarcely be recognized.

Loss Two Millions
In addition to the tremendous loss of life, it is estimated that the property loss will not be less than two millions of dollars, but at the present time figures with regard to this phase of the question are even more vague than those with regard to the death list.

Conflicting Reports
Montreal, Sept. 2.—Sensational developments in connection with the Quebec bridge disaster, is the telegram that Theodore Cooper of New York, who is the consulting engineer of the bridge, announced that he had sent, ordering the workmen off the bridge.

Last night Hon. S. N. Parent, president of the bridge company, made a statement that no such telegram had been received and that Mr. Cooper had never sent such a message.

In this Mr. Parent was in error. As a matter of fact, Mr. Cooper did send this telegram, but it was to the chief engineer of the Phoenix company at Phoenix, P. A., and not to the engineer in charge at the bridge as it was taken for granted it had been.

The telegram was sent on Thursday and practically read: "Do not put any more load on the Quebec bridge at present; better look into it at once."

This message reached Phoenixville on Thursday afternoon. John S. Deans, the company's chief engineer, was out and the telegram remained on his desk until he returned at five o'clock. A few moments later N. R. McClure, the engineer who made the inspection of the bridge for Mr. Cooper, and upon whose report the telegram was based, arrived at Mr. Deans office with full information as to the actual meaning of the telegram. Very strange it was at that moment when Mr. Deans and Mr. McClure were discussing the matter that the bridge collapsed. Had it held out for twenty-four hours later the awful disaster or at least the terrible loss of life might have been avoided.

A New York dispatch quotes Mr. Cooper as saying that he had a message from Engineer Hoare, saying that an examination had shown that the piers were in good condition and that the fault lay in the superstructure. Mr. Hoare reported that the entire construction had collapsed vertically, and that made, in Mr. Cooper's opinion, appear as if the fault lay near the main post. Mr. Cooper declined to say specifically what his inspector had reported to him, and that report did not cause him to believe that there was any imminent danger. It only created the impression in his mind that it would be well before proceeding further.

The officials of the Phoenixville Company say that Mr. Cooper's telegram did not appear to call for immediate attention, and that any way it was too late to order the men off the work. It would have been impossible owing to the delay owing to the telegraphers strike to get a message to Quebec before the men had quit work for the day.

Victims Buried
Montreal, Sept. 2.—The funeral of eight of the Caughnawaga Indians who perished in the Quebec bridge disaster was held at that place today. Archbishop Bruchesi attended including Father Forbes, formerly in charge of Caughnawaga. He translated the remarks of the archbishop into Iroquois. All the deceased were buried in one grave in a Canadian cemetery. Forty-four children have been rendered orphans.

River Clear
Montreal, Sept. 2.—The first ocean liner to pass up the river since the bridge disaster was the Allan liner Tunisian, arriving last night. Capt. Braes found the ship channel perfectly navigable.

The funerals of several of the victims took place at St. Romuald and Quebec today. The occasion was very affecting. Several engineers have arrived at Quebec from different parts of Canada and the United States and a searching investigation will be conducted by the government board. There is little doubt that the bridge company will proceed at once with the construction of the bridge.

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The work on the bridges at Armstrong's and Busby's is progressing well. These bridges will supply a long felt want, and one or two more across Long Creek would be acceptable, as the creek is dangerous at high water.

We thought the epidemic of broken bones was passed, but news comes to hand of three more accidents. A rancher near here was kicked by a horse and badly injured.

Roy Nelson was badly cut up in a runaway on Thursday night, and the same night a German farmer was run over and his back broken, causing his death, which occurred on Sunday morning.

Services at Sunshine school house every Sunday as follows: Baptists, every morning at 11 o'clock, Sunday school at 2:30; English church every alternate Sunday evening at 7:30, and the Methodist the intervening Sundays at 7:30. At New Warren one Sunday at 2:30, the following Sunday at 7:30. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

A petition is in circulation for a new post office for Sunshine at Armstrong's.

The alterations on Mr. Smith's house are almost completed.

A GREAT CAPTAIN OF INDUSTRY

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Along with its use one should take exercise in the outdoor air, get all one can of God's sunlight and air; practice a deep breathing exercise every day. This "Medical Discovery" gives no false stimulation, because it does not contain alcohol or a narcotic. It helps digestion and the assimilation of food elements in the food as are required for the blood. Unlike a cod liver oil, against which the already sensitive stomach will declare open rebellion, this tonic has a purifying action upon the sensitive stomach and gives to the blood the food elements the tissues require. It maintains one's nutrition by enabling him to eat, retain, digest and assimilate his food. It overcomes gastric irritability and symptoms of indigestion, and, in this way, fever, night-sweats, headaches, etc., are done away with.

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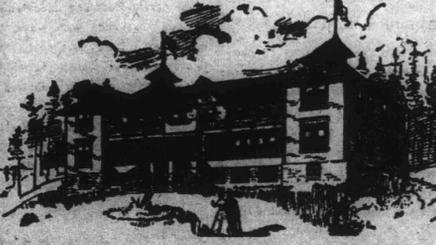
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THE TWO POLICIES

Since the announcement of his policy at Halifax, Mr. Borden has been severely criticised by the government organs for what they term the use of "platitudes" and "usual statements" concerning honest administration.

Without reviewing in detail the unbroken pledges of the Liberal government, the people of Canada are not absent minded enough to forget the parade of political virtue which characterized the Laurier campaign preceding their victory in 1896, and because they failed in their solemn obligation to the electors is no criterion respecting the fulfilment of the pledges which Mr. Borden makes to the people of this Dominion to-day.

The electors know how far the present administration has wandered from the path of rectitude, but, lest they forget, we publish below the two policies; that of the Liberals, adopted in their last party convention, and that of the Conservatives, as announced a few days ago by Mr. Borden.

Conservative Policy

PURITY OF ADMINISTRATION

More effective provisions to punish bribery and fraud at elections to ensure through publicity as to expenditures by political organizations, to prevent the accumulation of campaign funds for corrupt purposes, and to prohibit contributions thereto by corporations, contractors and promoters, to expedite the hearing of election petitions and to prevent collusive arrangements for the withdrawal or compromise thereof, to provide for a thorough investigation of corrupt practices, and if necessary to appoint an independent prosecuting officer charged with that duty, to simplify the procedure therefor and to enforce the laws so amended.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM

A thorough and complete reformation of the laws relating to the civil service so that future appointments will be made by an independent commission acting upon the report of the examiners after a competitive examination.

SENATE REFORM

Such reform in the mode of selecting members of the senate as will make that chamber a more useful and representative legislative body.

SELECTION OF IMMIGRANTS

A more useful selection of the sources from which immigration shall be sought, a more rigid inspection of immigrants and the abolition of the bonus system, except under very special circumstances, and for the purpose of obtaining a particularly desirable class of settlers.

SELECTION OF IMMIGRANTS

The management and development of the public domain (in which are to be included great national franchises) for the public benefit and under such conditions that a reasonable proportion of the increment of the value arising therefrom shall inure to the people.

PROTECTING PUBLIC INTEREST

We stand, therefore for the operation and management of our government railways by an independent commission, free from partisan control or interference.

Liberal Policy

(Every plank of which has been violated.)

PLANK NO. 1.—Tariff.

That the customs tariff of the Dominion should be based, not as it is now, upon the protective principle, but upon the requirements of the public service; that the existing tariff founded on an unsound principle, and used, as it has been by the government, as a corrupting agency where it has developed monopolies, trusts and combinations.

In these and many other ways it has occasioned great public and private injury, all of which evils must continue to grow in intensity as long as the present tariff system remains in force.

That the highest interests of Canada demand a removal of this obstacle to our country's progress, by the adoption of a sound fiscal policy, which, while not doing injustice to any class, will promote domestic and foreign trade, and hasten the return of prosperity to our people; that to that end the tariff should be reduced to the needs of honest, economical, and efficient government; that it should be so adjusted to make free, or to bear as lightly as possible upon the necessities of life, and should be so arranged as to promote freer trade with the whole world, more particularly with Great Britain and the United States.

INDEPENDENT COMMISSION

The development and improvement of our national waterways, the equipment of national ports, the improvement of transportation facilities and consequent reduction of freight rates between the place of production and the market whether at home or abroad, and the establishment of a thorough system of cold storage.

DEVELOP WATERWAYS

The reorganization of the present railway commission as a public utilities commission with wider powers and more extended jurisdiction so as to establish thorough and more effective control over all corporations owning or operating public utilities or invested with franchises of a national character.

RE-ORGANISE COMMISSION

The establishment, after due investigation, of a system of national telegraphs and telephones under conditions which shall be just to capital already invested in those enterprises.

IMPROVE POSTAL FACILITIES

The improvement of existing postal facilities, especially in newly developed portions of the country, and the inauguration after proper inquiry as to cost of a system of free rural mail delivery.

FISCAL POLICY

A fiscal policy which will promote the production within Canada of all useful articles and commodities that can be advantageously produced or manufactured from or by means of our natural resources, having due regard to the interests of the consumer as well as to the just claims of our wage-earning population.

PREFERENTIAL TRADE

The promotion by negotiation, legislation and other constitutional means of a system of mutual preferential trade within the empire.

RETURN STOLEN LANDS

To restore their public lands to the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan upon fair terms.

PROVINCIAL RIGHTS

The unimpairment maintenance of all powers of self-government which have been conferred upon the provinces of Canada under the constitution.

PLANK NO. 5.—Independence of Parliament.

That it is the ancient and undoubted right of the House of Commons to inquire into all matters of public expenditure, and to all charges of misconduct in office against Ministers of the Crown, and the reference of such matters to royal commissions created upon the advice of the accused is at variance with the due responsibility of Ministers to the House of Commons, and tends to weaken the authority of the House over the executive government, and this convention affirms that the powers of the people's representatives in this regard should on all fitting occasions be upheld.

PLANK NO. 6.—The Land for the Settler.

That in the opinion of this convention the sale of public lands of the Dominion should be to actual settlers only, and not to speculators, upon reasonable terms of settlement, and in such areas as can be reasonably occupied and cultivated by the settler.

PLANK NO. 7.—Provincial Franchise

That the franchise act since its introduction has cost the government treasury over a million dollars, besides entailing heavy expenditure to both political parties. That each revision involves an additional expenditure of a further quarter of a million dollars. That this expenditure has prevented an annual revision as previously intended, in the absence of which young voters entitled to the franchise have, in numerous cases, been prevented from exercising their natural rights. That it has failed to secure uniformity, which was the principle reason assigned for its introduction. That it has produced gross abuses by partisan revising barristers appointed by the government of the day. That its provisions are less liberal than those already existing in many provinces of the Dominion, and that in the opinion of this convention the act should be repealed, and we should revert to the provincial franchise.

PLANK NO. 8.—County Boundaries for Ridings.

That by the Gerrymander acts, the electoral divisions for the return of members to the House of Commons have been made so as to prevent a fair expression of the opinion of the country at the general elections, and to secure to the

PLANK NO. 2.—Reciprocity.

That, having regard for the prosperity of Canada and the United States as adjoining countries, with many mutual interests, it is desirable that there should be the most friendly relations and broad liberal trade intercourse between them; that the interests alike of the Dominion and the Empire would be materially advanced by the establishing of such relations; That the Liberal party is prepared to enter into negotiations with a view to obtaining such a treaty, including a well considered list of manufactured articles, and we are satisfied that any treaty so arranged will receive the assent of His Majesty's government, without whose approval no treaty can be made.

PLANK NO. 4.—Strictest Economy.

We cannot but view with alarm the large increase of the public debt and of the controllable annual expenditure of the Dominion and the consequent undue taxation of the people under the governments that have been continuously in power since 1878, and we demand the strictest economy in the administration of the government of the country.

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PLANK NO. 9.—The Senate.

The present constitution of the senate is inconsistent with federal principles in our system of government, and is in other respects defective, as it makes the senate independent of the people, and uncontrolled by the public opinion of the country, and should be so amended as to bring it in harmony with the principles of popular government.

PLANK NO. 10.—Prohibition Plebiscite.

That whereas public attention is at present much directed to the consideration of the admittedly great evils of intemperance, it is desirable that the mind of the people should be clearly ascertained on the question of prohibition by means of a Dominion Plebiscite.

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"EVE'S NITOR"

The following poetry article on the exhibit written by Mrs. Sherck of Fort William who for the fair, the guest Mrs. S. Horner at the Sherck is on the Herald enterprising town at the "Kam."

REGINA, THE QUEEN OF PRAIRIES

"A lion watches at the gate And all her gallant Is set with thorns, ah The hand that touch

Regina, the queen of the Saskatchewan's star Her diadem, royal red Bright elegant gem

Silver-bordered by velvet Are the green velvet train, While the blue-bell and daisy Gem the links of chain.

She smiles on her khaki men. Standing close to the gown, Like the arms that lie petals

Of the rose in her radiance Then her beautiful head them, In sweet, stately home When she thinks how the old England As they'd fight for Prairie Queen.

Woe betide the rash fool venturing To touch the rich breast, While her khaki-clad guard round her— Regina—the Queen of

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Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion, featuring an illustration of a man carrying a large fish on his back and text describing its benefits for health.

"EVE'S EMPIRE" BY NITOR IN ADVERSUM GAY PAGE

The following poetry on Regina and its environs was written by Mrs. Sherk, "Gay Page" of Fort William who was in Regina for the fair, the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. Horner at the Barracks. Mrs. Sherk is on the Herald staff in their enterprising town at the mouth of the "Kam."

REGINA, THE QUEEN OF THE PRAIRIES

"A lion watches at her foot, And all her gallant stem Is set with thorns, ah! woe betide The hand that touches them!"

Regina, the queen of the prairies! Saskatchewan's star of the west! Her diadem, royal red roses, Bright elegant gems on her breast

Silver-bordered by lovely Wascana Are the green velvet folds of her train, While the blue-bell and White Shasta daisy, Gem the links of her glittering chain.

She smiles on her khaki-clad guardsmen, Standing close to the folds of her gown, Like the arms that he hid 'neath the petals Of the rose in her radiant crown.

Then her beautiful head bows before them, In sweet, stately homage, I ween, When she thinks how they fought for old England As they'd fight for their sweet Prairie Queen.

Woe betide the rash foe that should venture To touch the rich gems on her breast, While her khaki-clad guardsmen surround her— Regina—the Queen of the west!

—Gay Page.

Calm and soft, soothing and beautiful, I found the prairie lands after the grandeur of the Rockies and the rush of the mountain torrents. The effect of this change made me home sick and I longed for the subdued, seemingly unemotional atmosphere of the home surroundings. I contrasted it, not unfavorably, with the glamor and excitement of the great things projected by the lofty minds met with at the national council. I felt ungratefully inclined to compare the council to the gleaming glaciers, cold and distant, though wonderfully fascinating. I had succeeded in climbing to the edge of two of the glaciers, but the triumph of attainment was shrouded by the discovery that what appeared, from a distance, pure clear and solid water, was not only dangerous to those who attempted to traverse its surface, but ragged and soiled by the ravages of time.

This feeling of disillusion was strong when I reached Regina, and I welcomed her sweet wayside blossom—the roses that invaded her streets to the very doors of her business houses. They were not the cultured Glorie de Dijon, nor the superb Paul Neyron, but the indescribable lovely and fragrant wild prairie rose. The rolling meadows about the fair grounds were literally covered with their beauty, and the Royal North-West Mounted Police yielded their dignity to their country's beauty and gathered rare blossoms to satisfy the desire for a nearer enjoyment of their fragrance and hue. The same reaction caused me to answer, when asked by the courteous president of the agricultural association, Mr. Hunter, what I should like to see, "Oh, the fruit and the flowers and the animals please—not the women's department." So he showed me the treasures from Peachland and Summerland, and all the rich products of the fruit growing districts, Saskatchewan's valleys and prairies, forests and meadows

and mines yielded rich trophies of Canada's wealth.

When we reached the stables Mr. Hunter directed my attention to a beautiful picture. A woman stood in one of the stalls caressing a splendid horse, who, thinking no doubt of some beloved mistress, rubbed his nose lovingly and gratefully against the shoulder of his gentle admirer, who lovingly exclaimed, "Don't I wish I owned you!" Here I was introduced to Mr. Yule, manager for Sir William Van Horne, who had a fine exhibit of live stock and a great string of prize ribbons festooning his section.

Mr. Yule pointed with pride to a cow that he had advised Sir William to buy in the Highlands, "when just a wee bit of a clumsy calf," for the sum of one thousand dollars. A few months afterwards she took the prize as champion of England and her owner refused a thousand pounds for her. The keen eye of the skilled farmer had not deceived him.

"Now," said Mr. Yule, "I want to show you something that will interest the woman that's in you." I was just going to protest and beg him to go on with what would interest the man that was in me inherited from my father's side, when he added, "This cow we bought from King Edward and the queen herself called my attention to her when I had the honor of visiting her dairy. Queen Alexandra knows a good cow and many a prize has she won. Her dairy has no new fangled machinery, no cream separators; everything is done by hand in the good old fashioned way."

"Come this way now," said Mr. Hunter, "and see if I can't interest you in the work of another good woman."

I followed with reluctant feet, away from the mooing cows, the roaring bulls and the long-legged wags, but when I peeped inside the next "exhibit" I turned to the president with my sweetest smile. It was the lunch room!

"I'm an Elk," he said. "I knew it," I said.

Then he introduced me to the presiding goddess, Mrs. Peterett, and she told me that the Women's Auxiliary of her church had decided to wait tables for the consideration of \$100. I soon noticed that not only women but a staff of fine looking men were placing the hungry crowds at the other tables. (Ours was reserved for the officials.) On the arm of each man was a white band, bearing a red cross and the mystic sign "W.A."

When my soldier brother joined me after luncheon and the badge with which I had been decorated had done full duty at the fair, we went for a delightful carriage ride over the country trail and out to government house and the barracks. The gruesome guardroom was pointed out, but this time I was impervious to any depressing sights. Even the one blot on Regina's escutcheon did not irritate me as such things usually do. I refer to the inside of the C.P.R. station. The company is to be congratulated on the beautiful surroundings of the wealth of cultivated flowers and the pretty building, but I did wish that Mr. Busted, or Mr. Bury, or our own eminently fastidious station master, Mr. Borcham, would get a sight or a sniff of these rooms.

I marched across to the board of trade building, which I had noticed just opposite the pavilion, where the "petrified woman" was exhibiting her distinct charms and asked for the president, just because I wanted to know, you know if it was a peep into the ladies' waiting room that had done the business for the unfortunate creature. He promised to enquire and let me know. I am also indebted to Regina for a valuable lesson in western finance. The agricultural influence became so strong as to instruct me in the mystery of making money sprout from ideas, and "Claudia" of the Toronto News, was seized with the knowledge at the same moment but Fort William had sense enough to hold fast and watch the sprouts multiply.

There is this year under wheat in the Northwest five million acres, yielding approximately ninety million bushels of wheat. In the last five years up to 1905 the acreage has more than doubled, consequently within the five years ending 1910 this increase is likely to be repeated when we can figure on a crop of about two hundred million bushels in wheat only. But the yield of coarser grains is increasing with such rapidity that by 1910 the approximate yield will be over 250 million bushels. Therefore with the Canadian Pacific railway doubled tracked to Fort William and with the Canadian Northern and Grand Trunk Pacific all running at full blast, their combined capacity will be more than taxed. Whereas seventy thousand cars moved the crop or rather, failed to move it, this year, it will take over 400,000 cars to move the crop in 1910.

Under these conditions people who are opposing the construction of the Georgian Bay canal, and laughing at the idea of using the Hudson Bay as an additional outlet for the Northwest, simply belong to that class of pessimists, who, since the days of the building of the first transcontinental railway, have refused to believe in the future of Canada. At least their lack

of optimism kept them always behind the procession. The above figures are not taken at haphazard, but are based on the best information of government experts. Translated into English, they mean that all the efforts that Canada can make in the way of enlarging the hopper between now and 1910, will scarcely prevent an enormous glut of products in our Northwest.

(Toronto News)

Mr. Borden holds the leadership of the Conservative party under peculiar and difficult conditions. Historically the party stands for a policy of general moderation and fiscal protection. This position in curious disregard of pledges and traditions, has been seized by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The premier is a Whig. He is not even as progressive as modern British Toryism. He does not outgrow the books on which his social principles were fashioned a third of a century ago. In opposition he necessarily was a Liberal. In office he has chosen to be a sheer opportunist.

Nothing more is needed to mark the changes of ten or twelve years than the fact that as against the policy and practice of the Liberal party, Mr. Borden is advocating reform of the senate, provincial rights and the abatement of the evils of patronage. It is hard to distinguish Mr. Borden's speeches from those of the Liberal leaders of the eighties and early nineties. The Liberal editorials of that day now appear in Conservative papers. There is no reason that Mr. Borden should not adopt whole pages of the Liberal campaign matter of 1896 for the Conservative campaign of 1906. The western Conservatives are demanding louder duties on farm implements and household necessities and certain Conservative groups whisper of reciprocity negotiations with Washington. A Liberal journal in a manufacturing community hints at doubts of Mr. Borden's loyalty to high tariff and suggests repudiation of the fiscal heresies of his western supporters. Thus far have Liberal politicians abandoned their principles since 1896, and thus far have the Conservative leaders drifted from their historical moorings.

Moreover, there is a radical group in the Conservative party which distrusts Mr. Borden and clearly aims at his dethronement. At best it is hard to engraft radicalism upon the Conservative party. In the general election of three years ago Mr. Borden's course was too progressive for the masses of his party. It was impossible to impose public ownership of railways upon a party which was in favor of private control of railroads. There are few great centres of population in Canada, and few of the conditions which breed Socialism in the old world countries. In declaring for national telegraph and telephone systems, Mr. Borden antagonizes the Canadian Pacific railway, which is the natural ally of the Conservative party. Horned on the one side by the radical wing and distrustful on the other by corporate interests, Mr. Borden's path is beset with annoyances and difficulties.

The truth is that since its defeat ten or eleven years ago the Conservative party has shown no genuine reforming energy and no aggressive public spirit. It is still looking for a short cut back to office. It is still half persuaded that its defeat was a blind accident, for which a remorseful people are eager to make reparation. It hopes to get back to power with a senate unchanged and patronage unreformed. If trusts in the demerits of its opponents rather than in its own zeal for reform, for the abatement of public evils, and the prosecution of sound measures of public policy. Generally Mr. Borden's policy is sound, prudent and progressive, but the country demands evidence that it is accepted by the Conservative party and that his ascension to office will mean that the senate will be reformed, that a civil service system under competitive regulations will be established, that the government railways will be operated by an independent commission, that electoral laws and election methods will be improved, that the public lands of the west will be handed over to Saskatchewan and Alberta and the brand of inferiority removed from the new provinces.

RIFLE RANGE MEET CLOSES

First Annual Provincial Gathering very Successful—Prizes Widely Distributed

The first annual meeting of the Saskatchewan Rifle Association closed on Thursday last. This organization gathered here under favorable weather conditions and the function was successful from the beginning. The prize list was handsomely contributed to by the business men of the city and the awards show the wide distribution of these trophies. A great deal of credit is due President Williamson and Secretary Gordon for the good results of the initial meeting of their association.

The president's competition was shot Wednesday afternoon as follows: H. A. English, Grenfell 33 W. Vance, Fleming 25 E. Shillingford, Fleming 25 F. W. Ball, Grenfell 25 Cont. Grant, R.N.W.M.P. 32 Insp. Knight, R.N.W.M.P. 32 J. G. Soles, Regina 32

Grand Aggregate Saskatchewan, city of Regina, R.N.W.M.P. and Presidents. J. M. Fitzsimmons, Fleming, champion shot of meeting 119 F. W. Ball, Grenfell 115 S. Rutherford, Roche Perce 114 H. A. English, Grenfell 113 C. O. Saxton, Fleming 112 F. H. Rhodes, Regina 112 Const. Watson, R.N.W.M.P. 112

Smoker At a smoker in the evening at the assembly hall at the Barracks His Honor Lieut-Gov. Forget took the chair and a very pleasant time was participated in by competitors at the range and the city council as guests. The prizes were distributed by His Honor.

Ladies Match Twenty prizes in all donated by the merchants of Regina. Winners to choose their prizes in the order in which their score stands.

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The girl who wishes to develop her chest can find no surer or quicker way of accomplishing it than by going in for swimming. It requires quite a lot of muscular exertion to become an expert swimmer, and the girl who is going to take it up as an exercise when the weather permits can do a great deal by way of preparation if she will commence at once to take the arm and leg exercises required.

Swimming as an exercise, much of the fatigue and awkwardness caused by untried muscles will be prevented, and just as soon as you gain confidence to perform the movements you have been practicing in your room in the water you will be actually swimming. It cannot be otherwise.

The woman who is obliged to stay in the city during the hot weather, and who has little money to expend for pleasure, there are the free swimming pools, which, fortunately, are now established in most large cities. I have tried to illustrate the most important strokes movements of the arms and legs, and the woman who will practice these will find them excellent preparation for the actual swimming, much of the fatigue and awkwardness caused by untried muscles will be prevented, and just as soon as you gain confidence to perform the movements you have been practicing in your room in the water you will be actually swimming. It cannot be otherwise.

As to the matter of a suitable swimming costume, women are greatly handicapped. Custom has decreed a costume that is anything but rational or comfortable, and it would be hard to find anything more useless than the skirt of the fashionable bathing suit. But the most practical suit is made in one piece, of light-weight woolen stuff. The skirt should be separate, and would cover the face and neck. Deep breathing is also excellent for developing the neck. Since receipt of your letter I have published an article containing many valuable hints on making the figure plump.

Shampoo. Potassium carbonate, 1 ounce; ammonia water, 1/2 ounce; tincture of camphor, 1/2 ounce; water, 4 ounces. Dissolve the potassium carbonate in the water and add the remaining ingredients. Rub well into the scalp. Rinse thoroughly in several waters. Then dry carefully.

Condition of your hair is very important, but I think it can soon be improved by proper treatment. Shampoo it thoroughly with the shampoo mixture for which I am giving you the recipe, and then use the lotion for oily hair daily. Repeat the shampoo once in two weeks, and continue with the lotion until your hair is in a healthy condition.

Mrs. Symes' Health and Beauty Talks

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Local and General

Premier Scott has gone to Ottawa on official business.

Hon. R. F. Sutherland, speaker of the House of Commons was in the city a few days ago as a guest at the King's Hotel.

D. N. Luse of the Luse Land Co., who is in the Canadian West at present says that there will be a heavy influx of Americans this fall.

On Wednesday last at Banff, Walter O. Benfield was married to Catherine F. McLeod both of Regina. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. B. Hillocks.

The Methodists of Hamilton street church held a farewell service in their old building last Sunday. They are moving into the handsome new edifice on Victoria and Lorne streets.

The west bound morning's train was in two sections both of which were held here for over three hours owing to three freight cars being off the track at the Spring-Rice crossing. A train took the switch there but backed up too far after the switch was closed.

James Kenderly a porter at the Lansdowne who stole jewelry from guests at the house was sentenced to five years in the Edmonton penitentiary by Judge Johnstone, and the man Davis, alias O'Malley got four years for pointing a rifle at a policeman in resisting arrest.

Dr. Bell, the new assistant Provincial Bacteriologist has arrived here from Montreal. Dr. Bell is associated with Dr. Chariton. The work of this department has grown so rapidly that an assistant became necessary. Much of the work comes from Alberta from which the province gets a good revenue.

The high school opened Tuesday with an attendance of sixty-five pupils. It is anticipated that many yet will sign the roll from outside points. The cost of the fall term is \$5 and the spring term \$7. The teaching staff are Hector Lang, mathematics master and principal, salary \$1,800. N. McMurphy, science master, salary \$1,400. R. A. Wilson, classic master, salary \$1,400. Miss E. D. Cathro, modern language and English, salary \$1,000. The position of commercial master and junior English teacher has not been filled, as applications for the position are now being received.

Good bags were obtained by hunters who were duck shooting Monday. One party went to the chain of small lakes seven miles south west of Lake Mountain Lake, and they report that while the ducks are very plentiful hundreds could not fly. The season is about fifteen days too early this year owing to the late spring. People who are in the habit of making observations affecting the seasons say that the compensating laws of nature can be relied upon and that the little ducks will not freeze before they are able to go south, and if the weather will permit the ducks to properly mature, the wheat will come off all right. It is no doubt a very good kind of religion which has such faith in providence.

Commenting on the Regina fair the "Farm and Ranch Review" says: "The Regina summer fair is rightly recognised as the leading exhibition of Saskatchewan. Great strides have been made yearly for the past few years in the magnitude of this great exhibition, yet at no time in its history has such marked improvement been shown over the fair of the previous year as has the 1907 one over 1906. The board of directors are pushers, and they devote their combined effort in pushing along proper lines. The fair was a good, clean, agricultural fair, exceedingly strong in its live stock display. The buildings for housing live stock are many, large and well-laid out, being quite in keeping with the leading fair of a province.

W. F. Ketr, editor and manager of The Leader has gone east for his holidays.

Mrs. W. Nuttall of Bethune underwent an operation in the Regina hospital last Friday. She is doing well and will be able to return home in a few days. Mr. Nuttall left for home on Saturday.

A. Champagne, M.L.A. of Battleford was in the city yesterday interviewing the government on departmental business. Mr. Champagne says that the crop prospects are good in the Battleford district.

J. H. H. Young, manager of the Canada Life has returned from Toronto, where he attended the International convention of life underwriters. Mr. Young expects a visit shortly from the president of his company, Senator Cox.

The Regina Tennis Club will hold their first open meeting on Sept. 11-13. Three challenge cups are offered for competition to the whole province. There are a number of other prizes.

The appeal of the financial institutions against the assessment by the city council was dismissed by Judge Johnstone. The companies contended that because they came under the provisions of the Corporation Tax act passed by the last session of the legislature they are not liable to municipal taxes.

Those who lack confidence in the future of this country should have been at the corner of Victoria and Scarth streets on Tuesday to see the crowd gather at the land office doors awaiting their turn to register for homesteads. This was an old time rush and among the mob was a woman from the States who walked four hundred miles to find out that she could not get a farm because she is only a "Miss."

The last meeting of the benches of the old North-West Territories took place at Banff last week, when steps were taken to wind up affairs. Those present were: W. D. Beck, K. C., president; E. L. Ellwood, Moosomin, vice president; J. Muir, K. C., Calgary; C. P. F. Conybeare, K. C., Lethbridge; H. C. Taylor, Edmonton; Senator Lougheed, K. C., Calgary; W. B. Willoughby, Moose Jaw.

The Mrs. Scott who eloped with Duffield was brought back from Fortal but has gone to Winnipeg. She met her husband here at the depot and asked him what he meant by bringing her back here to make her the laughing stock of the people. It appears that she and Duffield met for the first time at the Regina exhibition. Mr. and Mrs. Scott had been married seven years. He is leaving for British Columbia, they having lived there before coming to Regina.

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Strayed from Mr. Bratt's, Buck Lake, one dark brown mare branded F 5 on left hip and reversed 5 on left shoulder. A reward of \$5 will be given for information leading to recovery, and parties unlawfully detaining will be prosecuted. Reply to Thomas Watson, Regina. 19-21

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No. 1 Northern	80
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STRAYED

From Regina on Aug. 30th, one black horse, blind in right eye; one brown mare blind, weighed about 1,300 each. No brand. Finder please notify D. R. GREVES, Regina.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES, JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF WESTERN ASSINIBOIA

Pursuant to the order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Newlands, made in the action of The Executor Life Insurance Company Limited, Plaintiffs,

—and—
Karl Galenowski, Jacob Frombach, Whelhan Slack, Imperial Bank of Canada, F. W. Law Co., Ltd., Odville Gageon Company, Ontario Grape Growing & Wine Manufacturing Co., Defendants.

There will be offered for sale at King's Hotel in the town of Regina, at twelve o'clock noon, on Saturday, the seventh day of September, A.D. 1907, all and singular the North-West Quarter of Section Fourteen (14) and the South-West Quarter of Section Twenty-three (23), both in Township Twenty (20) in Range Seventeen (17) West of the Second Meridian, in the Province of Saskatchewan.

The purchaser shall pay ten per cent. of the purchase money at the time of the sale and the balance within one week thereof, without interest and subject to further conditions of sale approved in writing. Full particulars may be had from the undersigned.

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