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**FARMERS SHOULD PATRONIZE GRAIN GROWERS' GRAIN CO.**

The Secretary of the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association Gives Advice to the Farmers as to Marketing of Their Wheat—Farmers Should Sell to Protect Their Own Interests and Not That of Monopolists.

The following letter from the secretary of the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association has been addressed to all members:

To the Members of the G. G. A.,

Dear Sirs: The situation regarding the marketing of grain at country points this season has taken a sharp turn. In recent years the grain dealers charged one cent commission on all track wheat and made a difference of from 8 to 10 cents a bushel between street and track. This season they are offering to handle track wheat without commission, and take street wheat into their elevators, if sold to themselves at a margin of 10 below Fort William, less freight from point of shipment.

The reason for this sudden and drastic change of front on their part is quite apparent. The Grain Growers' Grain Company, which was organized some three years ago, has in that time handled upwards of 14 million bushels of grain. Last year it became a strong factor in maintaining the price of wheat, and in what became very obnoxious in the elevator interests. But what concerned them most is the fact that if the Farmers' Agency continues the same rapid progress for the next three years as it has done in the past, they will wholly regulate the marketing of our grain, and be in a position to place our grain on European markets direct from the farm.

It was known by those who keep in touch with the grain situation that the United States grain speculators associated with Peavey and Patten were for some years gradually getting control of the storage facilities of Western Canada. They were first introduced to us by the British American Elevator Company. The next move was to lease the C.N.R. terminals at Port Arthur. About the same time the Canadian Imperial, International, North Star, and others were organized by capital supplied by the same interests. Eighteen months ago they secured control of the Winnipeg Elevator Co., and later the Dominion, the last falling into their hands being the Northern, the strongest company in the elevator business throughout the west. The same capitalists control the C.N.R. elevators at Port Arthur by lease, and own the Empire and Consolidated at Fort William. They are this season building two more terminal elevators at the lake front and doubling the capacity of the Empire and Consolidated. It will thus be seen at a glance that all the terminal elevators, with the exception of the C.P.R., and all interior elevators with the exception of a very small number owned privately, are under U.S. control. In other words they are held by Patten and Peavey and their associates. There only remains those owned by the large milling companies. So that we are face to face with the stern fact that the large milling firms form the only barrier to complete control of our elevator system by the men who control the grain system of the United States.

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Some two or three years after the organization of the Grain Growers' Association, and when its members began to understand the system under which our grain was marketed, the leaders of this movement clearly saw that no modification of the "system"—which in its operation caused so much loss to the grain producer—by legislation or government regulation, would result in permanent benefit, the only effective remedy being to provide an agency through which our grain product could be marketed by ourselves, in this way cutting out all middlemen who do not render adequate service in the distribution. They therefore conceived the idea of establishing the Grain Growers' Grain Co., which in essence is the farmers themselves placing their grain direct with the consuming miller. This can only be done by charging a fixed rate per bushel for the service, and anything over actual cost of handling goes back to the producer either in the form of dividend or in creating conditions for better and more economical handling of grain. This fact is clearly set forth by the experience of the company.

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**FARMERS NOW KEEP DIVIDEND**

They made the same charge as the other grain dealers, and in two years they increased their capital by \$60,000 out of earnings. The farmers who sent their grain to the company now own that money, while if they had patronized the regular dealers they would have nothing left of the one cent per bushel commission paid. "The Grain Combine" clearly foresaw the disaster that would result to their business by a continuance of the success of the Grain Growers' Grain Co., and the word has gone forth that their successful career must be checked by inducing farmers not to patronize their own agency. At every shipping point there are from two to eight elevator agents with instructions not to allow any grain to be shipped to the Grain Growers' Grain Co., or to any commission house not friendly to the combine. Any and every inducement will be offered farmers, and every kind of story told to divert their grain from their own company.

An instance came to my notice a few days ago when a farmer had two cars of wheat ready to ship to our company. One elevator man got after him and convinced him that the price he offered was better than could be paid by the G.G.G.Co. while as a matter of fact had he shipped to the farmers' Co. he would have netted 2 cents per bushel more than he realized.

The farmer should remember that no one can handle his grain for nothing and that no one can handle it cheaper than we can ourselves, and that everything paid our company over cost of handling comes back to the farmer in some sort or other.

**BEST CROP IN HISORY**

Estimates from Dominion Department Shows a Uniformly Good Yield—Hot Winds in August Decreased Western Yield.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 13.—Archibald Blue, chief of the census and statistics branch of the department of agriculture, has supplemented the brief crop bulletin of two days ago, giving conditions up to Aug. 31, with a more detailed analysis of production of the Canadian farms this year. It indicates that in no previous year on record have crops been so uniformly good from the Atlantic to the Pacific. For the whole of Canada, estimates of production, based on reports of a large staff of correspondents, show for fall wheat yield of 16,700,000 bushels and of spring wheat 151,666,000 bushels, being 25.22 and 21.39 bushels per acre, respectively. The total yield is 168,366,000 bushels, or 21.73 bushels per acre, as against 154,690,000 bushels at the same date last year.

Oats with an average yield of 38.15 bushels per acre, gives an aggregate of 364,819,000 bushels and barley with an average of 30.55 bushels, gives an aggregate of 56,975,000 bushels. At the same time last year the estimate was 269,944,000 bushels for oats and 49,488,000 bushels for barley.

All field crops except hay and clover show higher averages per acre than at the same date last year.

In Ontario, where fall wheat is chiefly grown, the total estimate for the wheat this year is 16,153,000, as against 17,874,000 bushels last year at the same date; for oats 106,969,000 against 108,796,000 bushels; and for barley 19,726,000 bushels against 20,739,000 bushels. On account of summer drought in the central parts of the province oats and barley have been short in straw this year, but heads have filled well.

Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta show as compared with the same time last year, 143,285,000 bushels of wheat, against 104,064,000 bushels; 167,802,000 bushels of oats, against 107,860,000 bushels; and barley figures were 33,893,000 bushels, as against 25,851,000. The hot winds of August reduced the estimate of wheat by 1,428,000 bushels in Manitoba and by 6,975,000 bushels in Saskatchewan from the estimates at end of July, but the earlier ripening of grain in Alberta gave an increase of 124,000 bushels. The lowest quotation given by correspondents has been taken in computing products of crops; all the higher quotations have been discarded where a range of higher and lower yield has been reported.

The per cent condition of all other field crops at the end of August is very good. Corn for husking is 82.21; corn for fodder, 81.19; potatoes 90.59; turnips 89.38; mangolds, etc. 83.21; sugar beets, 83 and pasture 76.24. The report of live stock and dairy

**DOUBLE TRACKS THE PROGRAM**

C. P. R. Will Double Track Their Line West from Winnipeg to Brandon in the Near Future Says President Shaughnessy.

Winnipeg, Sept. 13.—"Double tracking to Portage la Prairie and Brandon will be undertaken in the near future." This was the important announcement of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy on Saturday. It means the forging of another link in the double line the Canadian Pacific is throwing across the continent. Sir Thomas who made the foregoing statement in the course of a lengthy interview had much that was interesting to say about the crop. "The Canadian Pacific Railway will move two thirds of this year's crop, which will unquestionably be the greatest in the history of this country," said the president of the C.P.R.

"The company is expecting to undergo a larger share than hitherto in handling the harvest and the double tracking between Port William and Winnipeg which is now complete in every respect, will enable us to transport the grain from the fields to the ports with a despatch and uninterrupted smoothness not previously possible."

Sir Thomas went on to say that the arrival of his special train on Saturday afternoon marked the finish of the double ribbons of steel. Three recalcitrant miles had hitherto defied the engineers, but by spending \$25,000 daily for some weeks on this part of the line alone a satisfactory bed for the rails had been secured and he believed that the line between this city and the lakes would now compare with any on the continent.

The track had cost 25 per cent. more than had been expected, and money had not been spared. The two lines should more than double the facility for manipulating traffic, he thought as the many obstructing contingencies attendant to a single track are now completely eradicated, and it was possible to maintain an even gait throughout the distance. Sir Thomas paid an enthusiastic tribute to those responsible for the construction of the track, saying that every man connected with the great piece of work was entitled to the highest possible credit.

He declared that conservative estimates of the crop placed it at 110,000,000 bushels. He said that the C.P.R. experts deemed this production, was rather under than above the mark.

The east he claimed, was too often ignored in speaking of the crop. As a matter of fact last year the value of the Ontario field output was 60 per cent greater than that of the three western provinces combined.

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**OGILVIE'S WORST OF ALL.**

Although the elevators owned by the large milling firms are not directly connected with the U.S. control, it is well known that the Ogilvie Milling Co. has been for years one of the worst of grain speculators. During the continuance of the famous "Patten Corner" the daily press at intervals gave lists of some of the associates of Mr. Patten who shared in his millions, and invariably F. W. Thompson of the Ogilvie Milling Co. appeared in the lists. So it is apparent that no relief can be expected in that quarter.

Last fall the farmers sold their wheat at from 65 to 95 cents per bushel. But during the six months from February to July the same wheat was sold at from 25 to 30 cents more. This year they pursued the same tactics and sold a large portion of the crop in Liverpool in June and July. It is estimated that 20 million bushels were sold in Europe before the 1st of August. Now they are trying to get it at a price that will net them at least 10 cents per bushel.

There is some misapprehension in the minds of many as to the true character of the Grain Growers' Grain Co. Not a few farmers and most business men regard the com-

**HAVE OUR OWN TERMINALS**

I want to especially press on the farmers the fact, that if the company this year does as good business as last, they will have capital enough out of earnings to build a terminal elevator of our own for next year's crop. If the government does not, in the meantime come to our aid, and thus check the manipulation that is going on there under the present system, that would be a splendid achievement. And the farmers can do it out of the savings effected in handling their grain through their own agency. The western farmers are paying "elevator interests" for handling their track wheat each year more than it would take to build terminals.

There is a special reason why farmers should consign their grain to their own agency this year. As already stated, the combine sold probably 30 million bushels of Manitoba wheat before Aug. 1st in Europe for October and November delivery on a basis of \$1.08 to \$1.11 Fort William. They then pounded the market until October wheat reached 95 cents. They are now paying around \$1.00 in store

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GENERAL NEWS

MILITARY INSUBORDINATION.

Port Arthur, Sept. 13.—Practically all the members of the 96th Regiment band were dismissed from service for insubordination. The regiment held a church parade to St. John's yesterday, and when the others went inside the bandmen refused and remained outside sitting on the grass. Today Colonel Laurie, the commanding officer, ordered all to turn in their uniforms, and receive dismissal.

WILL TRY AGAIN

London, Sept. 9.—Lieut. Shackleton intends making another try for the south pole next July. His expedition will have a base in Macmurdo Sound and another in King Edward Southland, if that point can be reached. The object of the expedition will not only be to try for the pole but also to do geographical work in King Edward Southland, which is an unknown region. Meanwhile Shackleton will lecture in the United States, beginning in October.

FORTY BUSHEL YIELD

There has been no unnecessary bragging about the wheat crop this year. The farmers have been optimistic, that's all. They have quietly refused to estimate the wheat crop, saying that when threshing season arrived they might do some talking. Evidently they are going to show us all right. J. M. Neufeld, a Rosthern farmer, has finished his threshing. From 63 acres of wheat he secured 2,500 bushels of No. 1 Northern. This is an average of slightly less than forty bushels per acre.—Rosthern Enterprise.

MONTREAL CIVIC ENQUIRY

Montreal, Sept. 14.—The Royal Commission, which has been probing into the civic administration of Montreal for the best part of the summer, finished its investigation today. Judge Cannon will now make his report to the attorney general of Quebec. The closing scenes were much of the Alphonse-Gaston order. The lawyers who had appeared in shoals thanked Judge Cannon for his impartiality, and Judge Cannon complimented the legal fraternity on their work. The report will be eagerly awaited, and it not expected until the end of the month.

JUMPED INTO WELL.

Rosthern, Sask., Sept. 10.—While being taken to the depot this evening Aaron Giesbrecht broke away from Sergeant Poole and ran half a mile into the country, where he jumped into a well, trying to drown himself. He was rescued only with greatest difficulty, as he was determined to end his life. Giesbrecht had been acting strangely since last June. Yesterday he threatened to run a pitchfork through his wife. In court today he was judged mentally unsound, and committed to Prince Albert jail to be held in surveillance until proven sane. Giesbrecht was brought back in time to be taken north tonight.

CENTRAL FAIR OPENS

Ottawa, Sept. 13.—Canada central fair opened this morning. There was no speech making. Lord Charles Beresford, who was to have opened the fair sent a letter of regret to Mayor Hopewell, in which he said he found it impossible to come to the capital on account of engagements in the southern states. Concluding his letter, Lord Charles said: "I shall have to go back to England and do what I can to secure for us an all powerful navy. Nothing can exceed the loyalty, patriotism and general feeling that I have observed among Canadians for the old country. Canada is anyway determined that the Empire shall remain intact."

HARRIMAN HAD CANCER

Vienna, Sept. 10.—Prof. Adolph Strumpell, the Viennese specialist whom the late E. H. Harriman came to Europe to consult, now admits that when he saw Mr. Harriman in July, he diagnosed his case as cancer. Prof. Strumpell, who is now at Breslau, has sent the following signed statement to the Associated Press: "I diagnosed Mr. Harriman's complaint as carcinoma of the stomach at the end of July. I could not, of course, communicate this diagnosis to private equities, but I confirmed Mr. Harriman's American physicians that the conditions did not indicate that an operation was hopeless. I hastened Mr. Harriman's departure homeward."

RIOTS AT FOX RIVER.

Gaspe, Que., Sept. 10.—Serious rioting has occurred at Fox River, 40 miles away amongst fishermen who are dissatisfied over the prices obtained for their fish. Fishermen surrounded the office of Wm. Hymen & Son, and demanded \$4 per quintal. They attacked the manager who was severely injured before being released. The mob then attacked Mr. Brien, who is manager for Wm. Fruing, and mauled him severely, and finally compelled him at the point of a pistol to

ALBERTA PRESS CONVENTION.

Edmonton, Alta., Sept. 9.—The 6th annual convention of the Alberta and British Columbia Press Association opened here today. Mayor Lee, welcomed the delegates, after W. A. Buchanan was elected president. P. H. Elton, was re-elected secretary. The other officers elected were: A. B. Watt, Edmonton, Saturday News, first vice president; T. W. Quayle, Claresholm, Rev. president; W. J. Watson, Calgary Herald, third vice president; executive committee, Duncan Marshall, M.P.P., Olds Gazette; R. M. Williams, Toft Standard; F. E. Simpson, Cranbrook, Herald; J. H. McDonald, Strathcona, Plaindealer; J. A. Carwell, Red Deer, Advocate.

DIED ON TRAIN

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 9.—Mrs. A. W. Beise, aged 28, of Kenaston, Sask., died on the Great Western train between St. Paul and South St. Paul today, while on her way to her old home at Pine Island, Minn., with her three children, her husband, and relatives. The body was taken to an undertaking establishment in South St. Paul where it was prepared for burial, and taken on to Pine Island this afternoon. Mrs. Beise, who has been ill for the past year was on her way to Pine Island to spend her last days. A number of relatives met her in St. Paul and decided to undertake to get her home. Her youngest child is two months old and the eldest four years old.

HASLAM BREAKING

During the past six weeks the Haslam Land Co., have let contracts for 2,000 acres breaking, and have paid out in cash for work done, about \$3,000. The land that the work has been done on is nearly all between Halbrite and Stoughton, and mostly belongs to parties from the States that the company have sold to, and who are intending to locate on it in the near future, but are getting it broken up before coming. The farmers who have been lucky enough to secure a share of this big contract should be thankful to the company for the work they have provided them with during the slack time of the year and the money they have expended on it.—Halbrite News.

FLOWING WELL AT HANLEY

On Wednesday, Sept. 8th, in digging a well on the Rolleston farm, about a quarter mile from town, a vein was struck which had force enough to bring the water to the top. One remarkable thing about the well is that it is less than 60 feet deep, and another that it has a very strong flow (careful measurements show that it flows 1 gal. per minute) The well is a two foot bored well, being put down by Messrs. Cannon of Kenaston, and due credit should be given them for their persistence in getting down to this depth, as they had to dig out numerous rocks. The well will be iron cased. It has been quite an object of sightseeing.—Hanley Herald.

NEW STEAMSHIP RECORD.

New York, Sept. 9.—"Four eleven, thirty-five," shouted a coal stoker through one of the port holes of the Onard steamer Mauretania this evening when the revenue cutter Hudson came up alongside the giant ocean express off quarantine. On hearing the figures a loud cheer went up from those on board the cutter. The stokers' figures explained that Mauretania had made the trip across Daunte Rock lightship to Ambrose channel lightship in exactly forty days eleven hours and thirty-five minutes, breaking the record established by her sister ship, the Lusitania, a week ago. The Lusitania's best time over the same course was made in four days, eleven hours and forty-two minutes. The Mauretania left Queens-town (Daunte Rock lightship) at exactly 10.15 a.m. Sunday. Her highest run was made on Tuesday last when she scored 666 miles. The day before that she made 453 miles.

SHOCKING TRAGEDY.

Edmonton, Sept. 14.—What may develop into a case of murder and attempted suicide took place at section 23, township 55, range 8, ten miles north of Mundare, on Monday morning. The parties are S. Zibily, a Russian farmer, and his wife, each about 35 years of age, who now live at the point of death in the Vegreville hospital. Some time ago the man quarrelled with his wife, with whom he has not since lived. On Monday morning the wife, accompanied by another woman went to the shack, and according to the story told, the man is alleged to have attacked her with an axe, cutting her head in a terrible manner before the horrified gaze of her companion. He

then mutilated himself in a terrible manner with a jack-knife. Zibily was corralled in the house by his neighbors and the police summoned. The woman is still unconscious, and with her husband was taken to Vegreville. She cannot recover, but it is thought he may survive.

DON'T CARE FOR CIVILIZATION

Fort William, Sept. 11.—There is in Fort William today a man 44 years of age, who has lived his entire life in Canada, and yesterday for the first time, saw a railroad train, a street car, a brick or stone building, a paved street, a theatre, and many other things that go to make up this modern civilization of ours. He told a correspondent that now he had seen these things he was contented to go back again to his home, and did not care if he did not visit what the white man calls civilization for another 44 years. The man is R. Ischoff, a factor of the Hudson Bay trading post at Martins Falls, away in the north land, more than 500 miles to the north of the city. "Do you find it lonesome, up there, and would you not like to stay here now that you have come?" was a question asked. "Not at all," was the reply, "I obtained a vacation this year, and decided to come down and see the city, but when I have seen all there is to see I want to go back."

On Sunday evening Dr. Patrick was summoned to perform an urgent surgical operation on a patient living fifty-two miles north and accompanied by Nurse Ryan, he started for the patient's home in Mr. Levi Beck's new Russell automobile. Mr. George Rogers was in charge of the car, and Rev. Father Bergonia, having business in that direction, accompanied them. When the bridge near the Reaman school was reached some thing went wrong with the steering gear and it failed to respond readily with the result that the car ran into the wheel guard of the bridge just as the other side was reached, broke this and fell a distance of three feet to the ground, wrenching the back seat of the car and throwing Nurse Ryan a distance of twenty-eight feet, the fall breaking her right arm near the shoulder. Dr. Patrick saved himself by clinging to the back of the front seat until the car was stopped. The injured nurse was brought to town, the broken arm set, and she is now doing nicely under the care of Nurse McElhenny. The occupants of the front seat escaped uninjured, and the back seat was the only part of the car damaged. After attending to Nurse Ryan's injuries the party resumed their journey north.

NO NAVY PORTFOLIO

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—It is understood that a separate department or portfolio will not be created for the administration of the Canadian navy, under the scheme to be submitted to parliament next session. This is likely to be assigned the department of Marine and Fisheries, but a separate branch of the department will be established, to be headed by the admiral in command and probably with a board of naval advisors. If the naval programme were to be on a more extensive scale that is contemplated, a portfolio might be created, but as at present constituted the Cabinet is considered to be fully manned. Estimates for the forthcoming session are now in course of preparation in the different parts of the government. It is announced that no very heavy individual projects will be provided for, but at the same time, owing to the number of works held over from last year, the total will be larger than was passed in the previous session's supply. It is learned on very reliable authority that no provision will be made for a start on the Georgian Bay Canal, at least not as a national undertaking. This will afford promoters of the scheme a chance for urging construction, or at any rate a beginning of it, by a private company with a government guarantee of bonds.

A STRIKE THAT FAILED

Of course it's human nature to kick against working for \$2.50 a day when \$3.50 can be had on all sides. That is why Contractor Masterson has such an awful time getting the water mains and sewers laid this fall. The gang of laborers was hired for work in Regina at \$2.50 a day. Since they came down here the farmers have been after them for the harvest work, and it has been hard to hold them down to their contract. Last Saturday they decided that the system of payment pursued by the contractor was sufficient excuse, and on Labor Day they went on strike. The contractor had been in the habit of computing pay up till Thursday, but did not issue the pay checks until Saturday nights. On Saturday the men asked for pay up to the minute which was refused. On Monday they laid a complaint before P. C. Duncan, asking the contractor to be compelled to pay them in full. The contractor responded by laying a complaint against the men for breach of contract. The matter was aired on Tuesday morning when, after hearing all the evidence, the magistrate ordered the contractor to pay wages in full, and afterwards fined the men each \$2 and costs for quitting work without permission. The magistrate told the man in charge that they were locked up in the barracks until their fines were settled.—Estevan Mercury.

REMANDED FOR TRIAL

Roper, the Man Who is Accused of Shooting His Employer at Qu'Appelle, After Receiving Hearing is Sent Down to Stand Trial on Murder Charge.

Qu'Appelle, Sept. 11.—The preliminary trial of Milton Roper, charged with the murder of his employer, A. H. Harris, opened yesterday before Inspector Heffernan. Great interest was manifested in the crowded court. Wesley Halliday told of his suspicion being aroused on finding the deceased's horse left in the ivery stable by the accused and on his return with his father and J. Howden and an uncle of the deceased to the latter's farm, where they found Harris lying on an ash heap in a blue near the house alive. J. Howden spoke of finding his nephew. He broke the door of the house which was locked, and identified a hat and a revolver as belonging to the deceased. Deceased was apparently unconscious but spoke to Halliday when he was arrested. Dr. Bourns testified to having found Harris suffering from a wound in the skull and exposure. He attended deceased until his death and then performed an autopsy, when he found a bullet and a piece of metal in the deceased. He did not think it possible for deceased to have recovered. Impossible for the wound to be self-inflicted.

F. Ames, J.P., testified to taking the ante mortem statement. Deceased stated that Roper shot him while he was in a buggy and he was afraid he would die. Sebastian Greuber swore that Roper left his horse in the ivery barn stating that Harris would call for it. Sgt. Dubuc testified to arresting Roper in Winnipeg where he registered as A. H. Watson. Roper at first denied his identity, but later admitted it. He had a Union Bank pass book in the name of A. H. Harris in his bag. Dubuc identified a .32 revolver as the one found in the bush and swore it was the same calibre as the bullet found in deceased's head. Roper was remanded for trial.

Farmers Should Patronize Grain Growers' Grain Co.

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Fort William for cash wheat, and are after the farmer to give them his wheat at that price to fill their sales. If he refuses to deal with them, but consigns his wheat to his own agency the combine has to come to them to get their wheat or forfeit their sale, and they will make them put up the price. You see how much better the manager of the farmers' agency, who has several hundred cars to sell and who knows the game, can deal with these gentlemen than the individual farmer who has perhaps one or two cars, and who perhaps knows nothing of the "tricks of the trade."

I feel sure that did the farmers understand the situation they would not be misled by the wiles of the elevator interests. Relief from the combine is in sight if our people loyally support their own agency and strengthen their organization.

The United Farmers can defeat any organization that Peavey and Ogilvie can put against them. They have the wheat, they now have their own agency for marketing started on a successful business basis, and only need the support of the individual farmer in order to provide an avenue to export their grain independent of the "Grain Trust."

I would suggest that you get at once as many farmers as possible together and talk this matter over. Get enthusiastic in support of our movement and we will win out.

R. McKENZIE, Secretary.

Manitoba Grain Growers Association, Winnipeg, Sept. 8, 1909.

The Prairie Shack.

How full of interest is the little shack, that does not figure in any building permit letter, and what a chapter in western history is that man making who lives in one, for it takes more real grit to go out into the prairie space and build a shack and live in it, than to erect a city block and rent it. It's the man who lives in his little shack who most truly typifies the life of the west. He is the man who is doing things. It is only fair when we are priding ourselves on our wheat fields and mines in southern Alberta to count in the shacks, the homes of the men, who built them. Architecturally speaking some of these are crude in the extreme, and some of their household fittings would make you laugh—or cry. Still there is no occasion to apologize for them. They are the elements of home in its virile state, and the word home means everything to the true growth of the west.

Too frequently the west is regarded as a place wherein to gain wealth, and land is bought up by speculators who have no interest in building up the country or adding in any way to its improvements but they are a quite willing to profit by the same when it comes through the coffers of others.

Thus the shack, humble though it may be, gives one a sense of permanency, and is a happy promise of days to come. In time it will change to a larger, more pretentious dwelling as the fortunes of the owner change with the seasons "in the land where the king is wheat," and we would not wish it otherwise. The west is progressive and no part of it more so than the prairies. The shack is but a stage in the evolution of home-making in the west and not a lonely bachelor keeping house in his own crude clumsy way, enduring all hardships and inconveniences of his unpretentious lot, but is looking forward with abounding hopefulness to something better by and by, when his home life will count far above and beyond his acreage and crops and herds.

All honor then to the hope of the west, the little homes where all kinds of tongues and nationalities, are kindling in its fulfillment.—Lethbridge News.

North Pole Victims.

Table listing names of North Pole victims: Year, Explorer, Lost. Includes names like Sir Hugh Willoughby, Sir Richard Chancellor, Sir Martin Frobisher, etc.

Normal School Notes.

An unusually large number of teachers-in-training at Normal, this term, as usual, the "old province" being well represented.

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Two a week the boys "pound sand" for an hour under the efficient direction of the Sgt.-Major of the 96th regiment. From 3 to 4 on Friday afternoons the Normal Literary Society furnishes programs of a literary and musical nature. Some excellent talent has come to the front. Have you to teach today? No I'm on for tomorrow.

Nobleman Goes Insane.

Vancouver, B.C., Sept. 13.—Deep disappointment and continual brooding over the loss of his seat in the British Parliament, this morning caused the Hon. Muir Wilson, a millionaire of Sheffield, England, and Serbian consul, to go suddenly insane at the hotel in Vancouver, where he was stopping. He is now confined in the city jail where for several hours he kept up a succession of shrieks and screams which were heard for more than a block away. He screamed himself into a frenzy and only discontinued through absolute exhaustion. Early in the morning guests at the hotel were started when they saw striding with military bearing down the spacious stairs a figure in a British court costume, waving a gleaming sword before him. "Down on your marrow bones," he shouted. "I am the Lord, High Executioner." The guests fled in terror for an instant, till it was perceived that the man, though looking very dangerous, was perfectly harmless. Later he became very violent. Wilson was formerly a Conservative member in the British House of Commons.

Police Guard Asquith.

London, Sept. 12.—President Taft, as a brother golfer, will sympathize with Premier Asquith in the difficulties he has in obtaining a game owing to his fear of the suffragettes. Mr. Asquith was guarded, while playing over the Littlestone links today, by five policemen in plain clothes under the command of a Scotland Yard officer. The premier and his opponent, the two caddies and the guardians made an imposing body as they strode across the links. The presence of the "gallery" probably put the players off their game, for they took more than three hours to complete the round. One policeman afterwards said that he considered golf the slowest game he ever witnessed.

G. M. Annable Company.

This is Moose Jaw's day of large companies; only a few weeks ago a distributing company was formed with \$300,000 capital subscribed, and on Tuesday there was born the G. M. Annable Company Limited, capitalized at half a million dollars, of which the whole amount is subscribed and fully paid up.

The business of Mr. Annable has grown within the past couple of years so that it was far beyond the power of one man to keep all the details working as they should. Only a year ago the office staff consisted of Mr. Ratus Smith, the new manager of the company. For some months now five or six people have been constantly employed, first class system has been introduced, and business put on a most thorough basis.

During the past summer the Annable business has grown by leaps and bounds, passing all expectations and the formation of a company was the only feasible way of handling the business offered. Some British Columbia capitalists

THE MARKETS.

Market price table for WHEAT, OATS, and REGINA VEGETABLE MARKET. Lists various grades of wheat and oats with their respective prices per bushel or ton.

Licenses Dealt With.

The board of license commissioners sat in Regina yesterday and dealt with applications as follows: J. W. Farr, Earl Grey, license recommended. Boltin and Foulstin, adjourned until Sept. 28, on account of house not being completed.

Normal School Notes.

The following numbers were given on Friday, Sept. 10th, viz: Male quartette—Boys Glee Club. Reading—Miss Morrison. Duet—Messrs. Jones and Bryce. Mandolin solo—Mr. J. Gillen. Speech, "What We Should Read," Mr. Turner.

Indians May Vote.

Ottawa, Sept. 14.—A proclamation has been issued by the Federal government extending provisions of the Indian Act in regard to the exercise of the franchise of all bands of Indians whose reserves are situated south of the north boundary of township 70 as surveyed or projected through the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta.

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who have had their eye on "Mac" for some time, have subscribed for \$200,000 of the stock, fully paid, which starts the new company off at a splendid gait and makes them well able to handle all the business that is offering.

The president of the new company is Mr. Annable, and the vice president and manager Mr. Rufus Smith. Mr. Smith has been in the country only a little over three years, but in that time has made a record for himself as one of the most successful business men in the city. "Rufus" as he is known by his friends, is a very careful dealer; has added a great deal to the success of the Annable business and also has done a few good turns for himself.

Mr. Andrew Spies has also a substantial interest in the new company, and John E. Chisholm is appointed as the board secretary.—The News, Moose Jaw.

The town of Rosthern has struck a tax rate of fourteen mills on the dollar.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Houston have returned from a three weeks' trip to the east.

It is probable that the functions in connection with the laying of the corner stone of the new Parliament buildings, will proceed as follows: Laying of corner stone at 2:30; presentation of civic address and reception at city hall at 4 o'clock.

On account of not being able to amicably make a settlement with J. K. McInnis for a right of way for their Regina-Bulyea branch through his property north of town, the C.P.R. made an application to the court for an order allowing them to proceed with the construction work. After argument before Judge Newlands in which the C.P.R. was represented by W. A. Allan, and J. K. McInnis by J. M. Martin, an order was issued which allows the company to go ahead with construction work as soon as the sum of \$15,000 is paid into court. This sum is to remain there until a board of arbitrators, which is to be appointed decides upon the remuneration Mr. McInnis should receive.

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Tree Planting on the Prairies

Address Delivered by Arch. Mitchell at the Recent Meeting of the Forestry Association Held in Regina

The following paper was read by Archibald Mitchell, assistant in the tree planting division of the Dominion Department of Agriculture...

It is almost impossible for anyone who has never been farther west than Regina to realize how utterly bare and destitute of trees the western prairie can be.

The first settlers were ranchers and such a country suited them well, as the prairies were bare, and the grass plentiful...

The causes contributing to the treelessness of the prairie, and whether it was ever covered with forest, have long been a bone of contention...

The rank growth of grass, and the lack of an abundance of rainfall, were the two other factors which probably were most against the growth of trees.

The shortness of the rainfall had no doubt a very important bearing on the question, for many a seed blown onto the prairie would never germinate simply because there was not enough moisture to enable it to do so.

Fire, live stock, lack of moisture, and prairie grass, these four have been the agencies preventing or retarding natural growth, and they are still the factors we have to deal with today in our attempts to grow plantations by artificial means.

We know now, thanks to the experimental farms, how to carry over the year's rainfall to help the growth of the next, and by careful preparation previous to planting and good cultivation afterwards, we are able to solve the moisture question quite satisfactorily.

It is not a question of whether there is only rainfall enough for one crop at a time, and that woods and grass must be kept out in order that trees may get their proper share of the

moisture. There is never any trouble about growing trees successfully, if only these simple principles are understood and carefully acted upon.

From Maple Creek west and as far north as Didsbury in Alberta the Chinook winds have long been regarded the greatest deterrent factor in tree growing and no doubt their influence has been very considerable though hardly quite in the way many people have thought.

We are finding now that the attitude of the public towards tree planting is rapidly changing, and they understand much better the conditions necessary for success.

Larger areas too are being prepared and although we yet find too many instances of men who talk about planting two or three rows of trees to shelter their places, there are quite a number who seem to realize the value of a solid block of trees and prepare accordingly.

The trees used in these plantations are, in order of hardness: Ash, Elm, Sharpleaved Willow, Manitoba Maple and Cottonwood, and these we find do well over nearly all the prairie provinces.

Investigation has been quite largely used to stimulate tree growth in Alberta and some parts of Saskatchewan, and with marked success.

Quite a change in the last few years has come over the spirit of the southern Alberta settler with regard to irrigation and tree growing.

There is probably little doubt that damage of this kind does sometimes occur to our introduced trees, but not nearly so much as people suppose, as many successful plantations throughout the Chinook belt can amply testify.

The moisture question is the great question in tree growing on all parts of the western prairies, and there is no exception even where the Chinooks are concerned, for it is a matter of common observation in the work of the planting division that the best plantations are cultivated, that is, the better the soil moisture is conserved, the better they as a rule, come through the winter.

A frequent source of trouble in our plantations, particularly in the higher regions of Alberta and the northern parts of Saskatchewan is the freezing of the young growth in the fall before it is matured sufficiently.

The only necessity for successful tree growing is that experienced by every farmer who knows enough to summerfallow his land periodically, to conserve sufficient moisture for his growing crops, and the man who thoroughly works his land either by summerfallowing or by breaking and

rank growth shoots about two weeks before the frost is expected. This checks length growth, and the wood is hard and matured before the frost comes.

The tree growing problem is thus solved, and it is pleasant to be able to add that, as time goes on, people are getting more confident that this is so, and plantations are increasing rapidly throughout the west.

2,367,460 trees were distributed this year by the Forestry branch, and the number of applicants on our list for inspection is 44 per cent. greater than last year.

Mr. Murphy Scores Globe. Toronto, Sept. 9.—When addressing the general reform association this afternoon Hon. Chas. Murphy, secretary of state, took to task the party press in general and the Globe in particular.

Mr. Murphy stated that he had not reached sufficiently the advanced stage of political morality where if he was struck on one side of his political face he would turn the other cheek.

Mr. Murphy pointed out as a result of the sudden spasm of morality in the Globe, regarding racing charter, that a prominent Liberal had assumed that the secretary of state and Mr. Mulvey had been elected on account of their being Catholics, though the minister said he knew this was not the reason.

John McEwan of the Globe editorial staff, replied briefly asking what he meant by the position of the Globe if it kept silent when their friends granted the racing charter which their enemies refused.

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There will be offered for sale at the Office of Sheriff Cook, in the City of Regina, at Twelve o'clock noon, on SATURDAY, SEPT. 11, A.D. 1909. The following lands, namely: The East Half of Section Fourteen (14), and the North-West Quarter of Section Three (3), all in Township Nineteen (19), in Range Eighteen (18), West of the Second Meridian, in the Province of Saskatchewan.

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PEARY'S EFFORT TO DISCOVER THE NORTH POLE.

Peary has reached the North Pole on his eighth trip north and the world rejoices with him. He is without doubt the most enthusiastic and resolute of the band of adventurers who have sought fame within the Arctic Circle, and had it been left for civilization to declare by plebiscite to whom the honor of reaching the ultimate north should be given, there is no doubt that Peary would have been chosen.

Before leaving on the Roosevelt Commander Peary was asked as to the scientific value of his proposed explorations. He said: "To begin with the settlement of the disputed question as to whether or not the vast area is a polar sea or a polar continent. It must be remembered that there is a territory around the Pole larger than the United States that is absolutely unknown. If it is land or a collection of islands it was undoubtedly broken away from the mainland of Asia or North America ages ago—in all probability at a time when the earth was very young.

"No, and I do not think it is any colder either, despite the fact that every wind that blows at the North Pole is a south wind. After you once strike Arctic cold, I mean the real severe, deadly cold of the Polar regions, it remains practically the same. Another valuable and important point to be settled for the benefit of scientists by any one who reaches the Pole is the proof of the pendulum test. As we all know, the force of gravity is determined by the swing of the pendulum. Scientists have been able to determine it exactly on all parts of the earth except in the Arctic and Antarctic latitudes. By it we are able to determine the curvature of the earth. We know exactly what the diameter of the earth is at the equator. But we do not know exactly what it is at the poles. It is supposed to be something like 26 miles less in circumference that way, but just how much of the earth is flattened at the poles will never be known until some scientist stands at the pole and proves it."

One of the reasons why Peary has succeeded is supplied by his specially constructed ship, Roosevelt. She has many times the horse power of any previous Arctic exploration ship, and apart from this advantage the Roosevelt's hull is egg-shaped. The theory is that she cannot be caught in the ice, but that the pressure will raise her above the surface. The harder the ice pressure the more the ship is squeezed up, until, if the ice gets thick enough she rides on top of the pack. Of course, it would smash unless the hull was strongly reinforced by supports, which it is. An iron beam and iron rods run from the main deck right down to the keel. Then there are oak beams crosswise on the deck and between decks, and braced from side to side. There are also every 48 inches tie beams running from the centre iron posts diagonally down to the lower crossbeam. It is exactly the same principle that is used in the old-fashioned country highway bridges. No force can overcome the resistance of this bracing until the fibre of the wood gives way. There are no staterooms or quarters below deck. The hold is used entirely for coal and supplies. The accommodations for living and sleeping are all in light superstructure on the main deck. In this way the hull of the ship is a solid mass, as well as being braced. No ice floe could possibly smash her.

The Roosevelt was thoroughly tested in 1908, when she was sailed and steamed to a point only 500 miles from the pole. Thence Peary made his dash north, and got within 200 miles of his goal, when the condition of the ice made further progress impossible, and he turned home. He said on returning that he had learned more on the trip than on his previous six voyages, and that one more attempt would surely win the prize. Indeed the complete history of his

explorations, viewed in the light of his final achievement, would reveal the fact that Peary's work was becoming easier, or that he was steadily becoming better qualified for it, from 1891 to 1899. He will probably say that his hardest work was raising money for his trips. First his own private means were sunk in the enterprise, and then Peary set to work to raise more money by writing books. This was also invested in outfitting subsequent expeditions. By the time the seventh trip was made however, Peary had found financial backing, of which the Roosevelt was the result. Thus the greatest obstacle of all was removed from his path, and he was able to conserve all his energies on his one end. It is interesting to recall that on one expedition Mrs. Peary accompanied her husband and gave birth to a child within the Arctic Circle.—Mail and Empire.

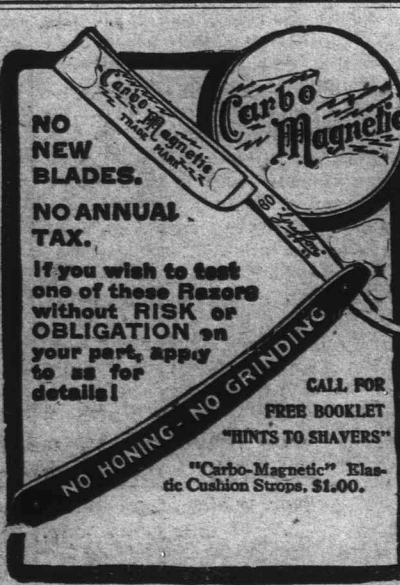


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MUNICIPAL REPRESENTATIVES DISCUSS RESOLUTIONS

Officers Elected and Place of Meeting Decided on for Next Year--Financial Year Should Correspond With Calendar Year--Government System of Keeping Books to Be Given a Trial--The Resolutions Adopted.

The annual convention of the Union of Saskatchewan Municipalities opened in the council chamber here on Wednesday afternoon last.

Addresses of welcome were delivered by the Lieut.-Governor and Mayor Williams.

The president delivered his opening message as follows:

In opening the address which I have the honor to deliver today I wish to thank His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, and His Worship, the Mayor of Regina for the friendly words with which they have welcomed us to the capital of our young and important province.

There is now a healthy rivalry between all our leading western cities and towns, and in such times it is advisable for all municipalities to interest their best citizens to become interested in public affairs.

during which an address was delivered by J. N. Bayne, of the Municipal Commissioner's Department.

As a result of the discussion, however, the following resolution was adopted:

"That this Union of Saskatchewan Municipalities address the report of the Union of Canadian Municipalities' special committee on uniform municipal statistical returns, and a uniform principle of municipal accounting, and recommended that the provincial government be asked to make the financial year in all municipalities end with the end of the calendar year."

It was proposed that the government should appoint a commission to enquire into and report upon a system of accounting which will insure uniformity and simplicity in all financial municipal reports.

On the motion of Mayor Boe, seconded by Councillor Taylor it was resolved "that whereas the provision in section 61 of the City Act, which fixes the financial year for cities appears to have been inadvertently dropped from the Town Act, that the government be memorialized to enact the same provision for towns and villages as is done for cities in this respect, and further that the provisions made by section 96 of the City Act and section 53 of the Town Act regarding the submission of an audit abstract of the receipts and expenditures up to the 31st day of October and the further provisions in these acts that such abstract be submitted by the auditor should be limited to an interim certificate of such receipts and expenditures by the auditor to be submitted by some member of the council at the ratepayers' annual meeting instead of by the auditor."

Moved by Mayor Hopkins seconded by Councillor Clark, "That this Union resolve to contribute \$50, being 25 per cent. of our receipts, to the Union of Canadian Municipalities as their subscription to that union for the year 1909."

HARRIMAN THE GREAT

Passed Away at His Home Last Thursday--One of the Greatest Railway Magnates and Financiers that Has Yet Appeared on Wall Street.

Arden, N.Y., Sept. 9.—E. H. Harriman, the great railway magnate and financier passed away at his home here shortly after noon today.

Edward Henry Harriman was born Feb. 24, 1848, at Hampton, L.I. He was the second son in a family of six children. His father was Rev. Orlando H. Harriman, an Episcopal minister.

The Harrimans were poor as church mice. The elder Harriman changed parishes every year, but not till Edward was full grown did he get one where he could earn a comfortable living.

While still in his teens young Harriman went into Wall Street as a "broker's" clerk. He was an undisciplined, near-sighted, weak looking young man, reticent, repelling, confidence, one who made few friends.

But he was keen as a polished steel blade. Despite his weak appearance he was indefatigable.

And behind his big glasses glowed his eyes, deep set, penetrating, calculating, hard. He set in to learn the Wall Street game. It was in the early '70s. His teachers were Jay Gould, Jim Fiske and Jay Cooke.

So young Harriman was soon trading on the floor—for his customers, for himself. If he was noticed at all by the giants of the exchange, it was as a shrewd young man, remarkably quick on his feet with every turn of the market, quick as a flash to change position, and protect himself.

Within ten or fifteen years he had made good. He had made his million, had won the respect of W. K. Vanderbilt and Stuyvesant Fish. There were the only sort of friendships he allowed himself. He had established his own brokerage and banking house—E. H. Harriman & Co.

Also he was studying railroads—studying them as no man had ever done before. He wasn't a railroad wrecker like Jim Hill. He was no builder like Jim Hill.

He became friendly—but not a friend—with Stuyvesant Fish, who had admired his ability, and had him made a director of the Illinois Central, then a struggling road of 2,000 miles. Till 1887, when Fish became president and Harriman vice president, the broker was completing his "education." He worked with Fish in building the I. C. to a powerful corporation operating nearly 5,000 miles of trackage.

Fish was content to build up the Illinois Central, but his vice president was looking far beyond. He had his eyes on the west first. His opportunity came in 1889 in the purchase of the Chicago and Alton.

BEYOND HIS DREAMS

Montreal, Sept. 13.—Lord Strathcona reached the city from the west yesterday and in telling of his trip said the growth of the country was beyond his dreams.

Asked for his opinion of the wheat belts most northern limit, His Lordship said that he was sure that a great deal of wheat will be raised away up in the Peace River country, as well as in other directions.

As for the plan to ship wheat via Vancouver to Europe, he was of the opinion that promoters of this policy know what they are talking about, and that it is highly probable that a portion of the future crop of the Canadian west would find an outlet by the Pacific coast.

Lord Strathcona is a great admirer of the port of Vancouver, although there are other fine ports, he declared, on the Pacific coast and on the Canadian side at that.

There was New Westminster where, with a little dredging ships drawing 30 feet and more would receive a cargo, and no doubt, Prince Rupert would give a good account of itself in the future as the terminal port of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

He thought, however, that the fact of Vancouver having so much fine back country at her very doors was an advantage that can never be lost sight of. As to the people of the west Lord Strathcona was confident they would all remain British.

PRIESTS SUSPENDED

Marieville, Que., Sept. 9.—A sensation has been caused in the vicinity by the reported suspension of Canon Lemieux and twenty priests from all priestly functions and all official communication with the faithful.

This has resulted from a dispute over the location of the new college to replace Marieville college which was destroyed by fire some months ago. The suspended priests preferred to move to Quebec, while the Bishop of St. Hyacinthe, head of the diocese, objected.

The priests then moved to St. Johns, whereupon the Bishop took the drastic action referred to above. It is stated that those effected will appeal to Mgr. Shearsh, papal delegate at Ottawa.

St. Joseph, Levis, July 14, 1903. MINARD'S LINIMENT Co. Ltd. Gentlemen, I was badly kicked by my horse last May and after using several preparations on my leg nothing would do. My leg was black as jet. I was laid up in bed for a fortnight and could not walk. After using three bottles of your MINARD LINIMENT I was perfectly cured, so that I could start on the road. JOS. DUBES, Commercial Traveller.

BOY FIRES HOUSE

Indian Head, Sept. 3.—A small boy set fire to T. R. Ford's house this morning. The child was playing in the clothes closet, where a stove filled with paper had been stowed away. He lit the paper and only the prompt action of the neighbors and fire department prevented a serious fire. Considerable damage was done to wearing apparel and bedclothing.

THE GREAT

combination to daunt anyone but Harriman—and the lone broker and his powerful backing which believed in him, on the other.

Wall street saw the Northern Pacific stocks hammered up to 200, 300, 400, 800, 1,000 a share. Great fortunes were wiped out. In that pitiless struggle millionaires toppled and fell. It was Jacob H. Schiff, of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., Harriman's most effective backer, who on his knees begged the master raider to lay off.

But before Harriman had stopped he had 78 millions out of 150—one million better than control of stock. But part of this was preferred stock, which might be retired. And Hill and Morgan had power of retiring the stock. It was an alternative between a law suit and a compromise.

Harriman compromised getting representation on the board of directors of the Burlington.

The Santa Fe was another rich road waiting for someone to grab it off. It was independent in policy, instead of a stock ticker, and Hill, the Goulds and the Rock Island people all coveted it. But again Harriman got away with the prize, securing control in 1906.

It was in the same year that he got half interest in the San Pedro line, the road Senator Clark put in from Salt Lake City to Los Angeles.

Even such a keen judge of men as Stuyvesant Fish, ruling the Illinois Central, was yet to be deceived by Harriman's tactics. Fish, a benefactor of the wizard, had put him in the practical end of the railroad game. Fish's pride was the Illinois Central. Harriman, though personally friendly

to Fish, reached out for control, and got it. Fish was deposed after as stormy an internal fight as ever was waged in a railroad's inner circles.

Fighting to the last ditch, Fish quit game. Harriman's man, J. T. Harahan, Fish's former aid, was made president of the road.

When ex-President Roosevelt was writing voluminous things about malefactors of great wealth, Mr. Harriman had a "hunch" that the president was saying things about him.

Harriman had raised a large sum for the Republican campaign in New York in 1904, the year that Roosevelt ran for president himself. When the "rough rider" was making his hardest cracks at rich malefactors, suddenly there appeared in publication a number of stolen letters, correspondence between Harriman and Roosevelt in 1904, in which the president put himself and Harriman in the ranks of "practical men."

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**Local and General**

The prairie chicken shooting opens today.

The Broad street bridge has been opened for traffic.

F. J. Hurkett of Brandon was in the city over Sunday.

D. H. McDonald of Fort Qu'Appelle spent Sunday in the city.

Frank Nash has returned from a trip through British Columbia.

The city council has struck the rate of taxation at fifteen mills.

Mr. Hunt, representing Millar & Richard, was in the city yesterday.

Miss McDonald has been appointed acting city clerk, by the city council.

The Massey-Harris Co. are putting up a distributing warehouse at Arcola.

Calgary has fourteen chartered banks represented with sixteen local branches.

Frank Blackstock of Saskatoon was in the city over Sunday and Monday on business.

Mrs. R. J. Westgate and son left on Sunday evening for Winnipeg to visit friends.

Walter Bole, of Toronto, and D. W. Bole, of Montreal, were in the city on Saturday.

Miss Isabel Willoughby returned to Toronto last Friday to resume her college studies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McCannel left for the coast last Friday where they will in future reside.

Leith Hanbridge has arrived in the city to take a position with Haultain, Cross and Jonah.

Mr. Pickwell of the reportorial staff of the Edmonton Journal spent last Thursday in the city.

J. Rosen, the proprietor of the Waverley Hotel, is having a new stable erected at the rear of the hotel.

Mrs. A. E. Gibbons, received word last Friday of the death of her brother, Colin Gordon, at Toronto.

T. D. Brown and Mrs. Brown (nee Roberts) have returned from the east and will take up their residence here.

J. H. Friel left on Monday for Marquis, on the Outlook branch to buy wheat for the Imperial Elevator Co.

The death of Mrs. Andrew Houston took place on Sunday. The late Mrs. Houston was the mother of Mrs. B. Orr.

Prof. McDermid, principal of the Deaf and Dumb Institute of Manitoba died at his home in Winnipeg last Sunday morning.

It is reported that a session of the Saskatchewan Assembly will be held in November, the opening taking place early in the month.

Messrs. Nay & James have purchased the waterworks debentures of the town of Arcola amounting to \$15,000, the price being 104.

J. K. McIntosh has been appointed by the Health and Relief Committee to the municipal hospital board to succeed C. C. Knight, resigned.

The stock of the Regina Fruit and Produce Company, has been sold to J. G. and W. Boyd, of Winnipeg who will open in the grocery business.

H. Anticknap's team on his vegetable delivery rig ran away yesterday and broke the wagon badly. The horses, however, were not badly hurt.

Mr. Purse, of Tees & Purse, was in the city yesterday in the interests of the Regina branch of the firm, of which Mr. Donaldson is the manager.

The visit of General Booth of the Salvation Army to Canada this fall has been cancelled owing to his undergoing an operation to one of his eyes.

Hon. F. W. G. Haultain was the groomsman at the wedding of his cousin, H. E. T. Haultain to Miss Francis Crown at Ottawa on Saturday morning.

W. H. Lazenby, a solicitor from Bethany, Missouri, has arrived in the city to look into the case of Neff, the man from Craik who is held on a serious charge.

While in the city last week with Lord Strathcona's party, Miss Howard, granddaughter of His Lordship, was entertained during the stay here by Madame Forget, who had invited a number of young ladies to meet her.

Miss Helen Fowler of New Orleans who has been visiting her uncle, the Hon. Justice, and Mrs. Johnstone, left last Thursday for her home accompanied by her cousins, Miss Queente and Miss Norma Johnstone.

H. M. Roper, who shot A. H. Harris, a farmer by whom he was employed at Qu'Appelle, has been committed for trial on a charge of murder. Harris died as the result of shots supposed to have been inflicted by Roper.

The Bishop of Qu'Appelle has appointed Rev. Clement Williams, of Moosomin, to the position of rural

dean. The deanery includes the parishes on the main line from Fleming and Sintaluta including branch lines connected with them.

Staff-Sergeant Fitzgerald of the R.N.W.M.P. was in the city last week. For the past number of years Fitzgerald has been stationed at Herschell Island, a post within the Arctic circle. He is now on his way to spend a holiday with his family at Halifax.

The death took place in Almonte, Ont., on Friday last of R. L. Von Ifland, accountant of the bank of Montreal, at that point. Mr. Von Ifland was accountant of the Regina branch for several years, being transferred from here a couple of years ago.

Threshing operations have commenced on Ed. McCarthy's farm near Richardson. Although labor is scarce Ed. has secured enough men to run his own outfit to do his own work. Joe Sporer, the southpaw of the Regina professional baseball team is a member of the threshing gang.

About the 20th of this month the planet Mars will be at the nearest point to the earth. It may be seen in the eastern sky in the evening. Its brightness distinguishes it from all other planets. Astronomers are minutely studying its phases at the present time, with a view to determining whether or not it is inhabited, and interesting announcements concerning it may be looked for.

H. C. Pierce of Wadena, Sask., is cutting his grain and plowing his land at one operation. A 22-horse power kerosene engine hauls an eight-foot Massey-Harris binder and a 14-inch six-furrow Cocksbutte plow. The sheaves are dumped upon the plowed land. The outfit is kept running day and night, being manned by two crews of three each. The outfit averages 35 acres every 24 hours.

The nickle-in-the-slot typewriter is about to be installed at the leading hotels, on ocean steamers, taxis, etc., says the October Popular Mechanic. If you want to use the typewriter you drop a nickle in the slot and it is workable for half an hour, at the end of which time it automatically locks itself up again. Another nickle releases it for another half hour. A guest at a hotel can have the slot typewriter taken to his room by notifying the clerk. They are wheeled up by one of the bell boys.

R. G. Williamson and Hugh Armour of Regina whilst driving south on Monday believed they detected signs of a prairie fire somewhere. The smell was very strong and as they proceeded it became still stronger, but still no indications of a prairie fire. It was extremely mystifying, until one of them had occasion to turn round when he discovered a coat and some rope in the buggy on fire. The latter was promptly extinguished and along with it went all their hopes of assisting to fight prairie fires.—Maple Creek News.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Hugg, 106 Royal street, Winnipeg, on Wednesday, Sept. 8, at 2 o'clock, when Miss Anna M. Hugg was united in marriage to Peter Macdonald. The Rev. Henry Irvine performed the ceremony. The bride was beautifully gowned in white and carried white roses. A dainty repast was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald left for Fort William where they intend to reside. The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents from friends in Carman, Regina and other places. Only immediate relatives were present.—Manitoba Free Press.

The family suffrage idea of the Rev. Mr. Phelan, a Roman Catholic priest in St. Louis, is frankly based on the anti-race suicide principles, "No babies, no votes!" Even proud man in the bachelor state would find himself disfranchised. And, when married, the votes would not come until the babies came first; but, then the mother as well as the father would have the ballot. To encourage large families, Rev. Mr. Phelan says he would "give every family an additional vote for every child born into it. If a couple has 10 children we would give the family 12 votes. In case the couple agreed politically, we would permit the father to cast the whole 12 votes. If the couple were divided in their views on politics, we would give the wife her own vote and the votes of all her daughters, and the husband his vote and the votes of all his sons." But what would be done in case the children were all of one sex? So ingenious a scheme should be worked out so thoroughly and justly that there would be no family jars at election time.

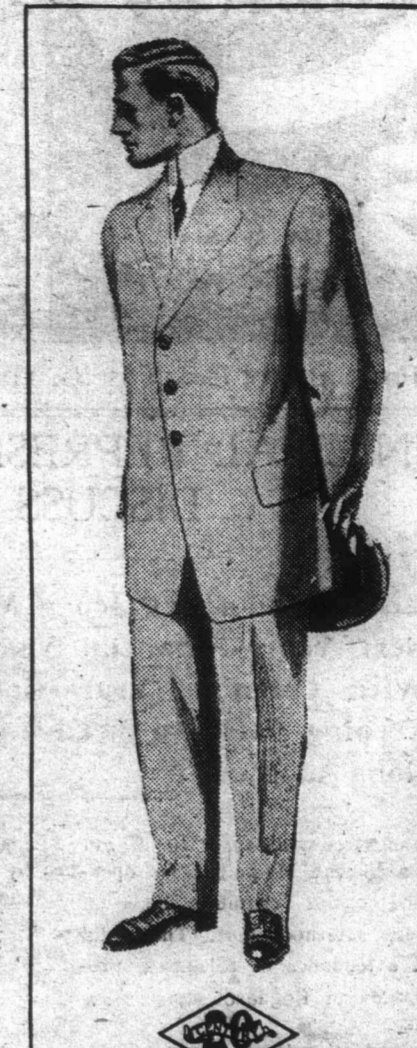
**NECK BROKEN IN FALL.**  
Qu'Appelle, Sask., Sept. 9.—James H. Graham, an elderly farmer living sixteen miles south of Qu'Appelle, left home Monday morning for a load of wood. In the evening his team was found by Thos. Bray. After searching for nearly two days, the neighbors assisted by the R.N.W.M.P., found the body on section 1, tp. 16, range 15. Coroner Hunt of Indian Head, and Staff Sergt. Dubuque made an investigation and found that the deceased had a fit and fell off the load breaking his neck, and decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

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