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CROP EXPERTS

TELL OF THE EDMONTON CROPS... Special Correspondents of the Winnipeg Free Press send Despatches Concerning Crops in Various Districts Tributary to Edmonton.

Winnipeg, August 18.—The correspondents of the Winnipeg Free Press are writing up the crops throughout Western Canada, send in the following reports from the country in the vicinity of Edmonton:

Wetaskiwin District... From Lacombe to Wetaskiwin by rail very few crops are seen. An Indian reserve extends over most of the intervening forty miles.

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Along C.N.R. Line... Over the distance of three hundred and twenty miles between Langham and Edmonton, the crops are fairly uniform. In each of the thirteen districts inspected a paying crop will be harvested. It must be remembered that many of these districts are new and the majority of settlers in them are homesteaders, who are just receiving their permits, thus making small and capital many instances limited. These conditions, however, will quickly change, as many of the homesteaders are now buying and using steam and gasoline outfits.

Wheat... The whole country is best adapted for mixed farming. Dealing particularly with the crops along this line the wheat will average about fifteen to seventeen bushels. The best average crops as well as the best fields were seen at Edmonton and Strathcona. At no place were weeds, smut, nor rust seen to any damage worth mentioning, but dry weather, crops on stubble fields, time of seedings, and not sowing enough grain to the acre, are the chief causes noticed for poor crops in some sections. The oats are on the average much lighter than former years, and in a number of the districts, more particularly towards the eastern part of the line they are a poor crop. The average yield should be from thirty-two to thirty-five bushels, while for barley it will run from twenty-eight to thirty. I did not see sufficient flax to make an estimate of the whole crop, but wherever I saw it the crop was good. Getting under way on the whole division this week. A great deal of hay should be shipped from points along this line, and although the crop is not heavy, the hay areas are large and a large quantity beyond that needed for home consumption could easily be harvested. Quantity of grain is held by the farmers at every point and most of this is oat. An increased average of twenty-five per cent. on the average for each district in crop this year. Coming from Edmonton, I found that the heavy rains of Saturday night that fell there had not touched the district, but driving through the country this afternoon we were overtaken at seven o'clock by a heavy rain, and at the time of writing there was a deluge of rain, continuing through the night. The country around Tofted is known as the Beaver Lake district, and has for a number of years had a great reputation as a grain growing and mixed farming country. This year they will also realize a great crop. In the wheat, there is four times as much land under wheat this year as last, and fall wheat exceeds the spring in acreage as well as average, but both are good and will average in the neighborhood of twenty-five bushels. There is every variety of oat crop. I saw some fields that were poor, others fair, but the great majority were fields that will average from forty-five to one hundred bushels to the acre. The reason for the poor crops is quite evident when it is known that these fields have been in continuous crop for from five to ten years. The wheat Parloso Amiens on the first leg of his flight to this city left Amiens at 5.09 this morning with a passenger and landed at Calais at 7.15 o'clock.

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THREASPASSING ON C.P.R. LAND... Messrs. Brown and Green Were Convicted of Trespassing by Supt. Deane at R.N.W.M.P. Barracks in Calgary—Shows that the Roschud Creek Was Diverted.

Calgary, Aug. 17.—Yesterday's hearing of the charges against fifteen contractors and sub-contractors of the C.P.R. for trespassing on C.P.R. property in the Roschud country, while making the C.N.R. right of way was distinguished by Supt. Deane recording several convictions against sub-contractors, and the announcement of A. A. McGillivray, the defence that he would make an application for a stayed case.

Mr. McGillivray insisted upon all the cases being heard separately. At the morning session Philip Brown, a sub-contractor, against whom the evidence was heard Monday, was convicted by Supt. Deane and the evidence against another sub-contractor, Charles Green, who had also the handling of another two sub-contractors was heard.

Mr. R. B. Bennett appeared through-out the C.P.R. Mr. McGillivray made a hard fight against the conviction. "By holding that he was criminally in default you are holding that before any laborer can start to work he must see that his employer has every right to put him on the work he gives him to do," he observed. "Does your worship hold that every man who goes to build a railroad un-der way. When the end of the road is reached, he is to be held liable for the title of the railroad? It seems to me ludicrous. If that is so, then the end has come for the dollar a day navy because he can't afford to pay a lawyer 50 cents an hour to search up the titles."

Supt. Deane asked Mr. McGillivray to state in his own words what he meant by his contention. "I do not hold a contractor or sub-contractor in a very different position from that of a contractor or sub-contractor," he said. "I do not hold a contractor or sub-contractor in a very different position from that of a contractor or sub-contractor." "I do not hold a contractor or sub-contractor in a very different position from that of a contractor or sub-contractor." "I do not hold a contractor or sub-contractor in a very different position from that of a contractor or sub-contractor."

Case Against Chas. Green Heard... It was announced that there were several charges against Brown, but Mr. McGillivray asked that the case of Charles Green be taken first. This was practically a plea of not guilty, evidence against Brown. At the outset Mr. McGillivray put in an objection that as the alleged damage was not proved, the case should be dismissed. "I do not hold a contractor or sub-contractor in a very different position from that of a contractor or sub-contractor." "I do not hold a contractor or sub-contractor in a very different position from that of a contractor or sub-contractor."

WILL COST MORE IN CANADA... Winnipeg, August 16.—G. B. Hunter, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, the famous shipbuilder, is in the city with Chas. M. Hays, of the Grand Trunk. Mr. Hunter's firm will probably have a hand in fitting out the Canadian navy.

WILL ENLARGE BARRACKS... Calgary, August 16.—The reputation appointed by the city council to interview Attorney General Mitchell regarding jail accommodation for the Calgary district, took the attorney general down to the Mounted Police Barracks and showed him the cramped conditions under which the police were working, and how badly accommodation was needed.

NEW YORK FOUNDRY... St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 17.—The new foundry of the New York Foundry Co. is now in operation. The plant is situated on the west side of the city, and is one of the largest of its kind in the world.

MADE SUCCESSFUL FLIGHT... London, Aug. 17.—Moissan, the aviator, who yesterday flew from Paris to Amiens on the first leg of his flight to this city, left Amiens at 5.09 this morning with a passenger and landed at Calais at 7.15 o'clock.

A CITY LINEMAN

WAS ELECTROCUTED THURSDAY... Robt. Jones, in Employ of Electrical Department, Met Tragic Death at Pole at First and Peace—2300 Volts Passed Through Him.

While working among the electric wires at the top of a pole on First street at the northwest corner of Peace avenue, Robert Jones, a young lineman, three years in the employ of the electric light department of the city, shortly before ten o'clock Thursday received a shock which resulted in instant death. Jones was engaged, together with another young lineman, F. Marion, in connecting a new line in the east end power circuit, and in some fashion about 2300 volts of electricity were discharged through the body of Jones.

Books Wrong for Quarter Century... Bliddeford, Maine, Aug. 17.—Pride in the financial standing of the institution of which he had long been treasurer, and fear lest the announcement of poor investments in Western Canada should hurt that standing, led Charles H. Ingersoll to make false entries in the books of the York County Savings Bank, a quarter of a century ago, and to continue the falsification through all the years without detection, each year getting deeper into the middle of false figures.

How Investigation Was Started... A month ago the bank directors voted to adopt a suggestion of the state bank examiner, and advertise for a competent person to investigate the books and report any discrepancy. It was announced that there were several charges against Brown, but Mr. McGillivray asked that the case of Charles Green be taken first.

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FOR THE QUEEN'S OWN

A Big Round of Enjoyment in London... Canadian Associated Press. London, Aug. 17.—The programme for the entertainment of the Queen's Own Rifles of Toronto, during the first four days' stay in London, is so full that their ingenuity will be taxed to complete it. It includes a banquet each evening, visits to the theatres and music halls, circular drives through the city and other festivities.

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MACKENZIE BASIN

IS FITTED FOR FARMING... Hon. Frank Oliver in Winnipeg Describes the Vast Area of Arable Land in the Far North—A Wise Take to Think of the North Country as a Frozen Region.

Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—Hon. Frank Oliver, who has only recently returned from a two months' canoe trip in which he traversed the Mackenzie river in its mouth, and crossed the divide to the Yukon country, thence back to civilization, arrived in Winnipeg yesterday. According to his views, it may now be looked upon as a joke to refer to the prairie country as "the last great west," and there is a grave possibility that the people of later generation will look upon Winnipeg as being in the effects east.

Favorable Climatic Conditions... The minister of the interior states that when the pressure of population demands it there will be an available area for settlement in the Mackenzie river basin equal to the 300,000 square miles in what is known as the prairie country. This is all a prairie territory and will have to be cleared, but the climatic conditions are favorable to the development of a great new agricultural area.

Mr. Oliver stated that he made the trip with a view to ascertaining the practicality of settlement in the north country, and in order to prove for himself the accuracy of the various accounts written of the district. He was certain as a result of this investigation that a tremendous section of country was suitable for settlement between the Laurentian ranges on the east and the Rockies on the west. The wonderful climatic conditions he attributed to the lower altitude and to the effect of the Japanese current. The lower ranges in the Rockies of the north and the greater width of the passes permitted the entrance of warm winds from the coast. He also thought that the water from the Mackenzie flowing into the Arctic ocean had an effect in tempering what would otherwise be a severe climate.

Thirty Townships Now Open... In referring to this vast section of arable land he did not include the Peace river valley, which was already well known as an agricultural district. He said that thirty townships were now open for homestead entry in the Peace river valley. Mr. Oliver said it was a mistaken idea to think of the north country as a frozen, barren region, and stated that at all the river mouths, the company forts on the Athabasca and Mackenzie rivers garden produce had been successfully grown for years. Potatoes were raised in the Peace valley, Good Hope, which is just outside the Arctic circle. He stated that in the delta of the Mackenzie river, and along the Peace river, which is tributary to the Mackenzie, there was some magnificent timber. The minister of the interior was accompanied by the secretary of the construction gang, quite a number of the mounted police on the journey, and the party made a portage of sixty miles over the Rocky mountains in crossing from the Mackenzie river to the Yukon country. The trip was made without mishap.

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EMPIRE DAY IN ENGLAND

Mammoth Celebration Was Arranged But Death of King Interfered... London, Eng., Aug. 17.—The secretary of the Empire Movement reports that Empire Day would have been celebrated in a far more extended manner than in previous years if the death of King Edward had not interfered. Arrangements had been made whereby 3,850,000 scholars would celebrate the occasion.

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PLATE FOR THE RAINBOW

Will Be Presented by Lord Strathcona... London, Aug. 17.—Lord Strathcona is making the presentation of the plate to the commanding officers of the Rainbow, which sails for British Columbia tomorrow.

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AMERICAN YACHT WOE

Marble Head, Aug. 17.—The Beaver, owned by C. H. W. Foster, won the first of the Spanish-American schooner yacht races here today. The Harp, owned by G. F. Adams, finished first, but disqualified herself by fouling the buoy. Guy Lowell was a close third. The Spaniards sailed a close race and were far ahead. The Chenta finished fourth, Papoose fifth and Mosquito sixth.

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WITH THE FARMERS

FAIRMERS' MARKET.

Edmonton, Tuesday, August 15.—No wheat is offering on the market. Potatoes have taken a big fall in price in the course of the last week and now bring from 60 cents to 75 cents per bushel.

Grain.

Oats to millers, 34c; feed oats, 32c to 40c.

Dairy Products.

Dairy butter, 20 to 25 cents per lb.; eggs, 25c per dozen.

Vegetables.

New potatoes, 60c to 75c.

Live Stock.

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CHINOOK.

Bulletin News Service. A good few have been attempting to disc their summer's breaking. It has been rather too dry. Friday's rain which penetrated to some depth must have softened the land very considerably.

BRUCE.

Bulletin News Service. While boring for water in Bruce last week, coal was struck at 60 feet and at 140 feet a 6 foot seam was bored through.

CHAUVIN.

Bulletin News Service. Harvest is on now in good earnest. binders are seen working on every farm. On the whole crop outlook is better than anticipated, the cool days and frequent showers have done splendid work. Heads of wheat have been found with over fifty big plump No. 1 Hard kernels in them. L. Borsgaard, south of town, has a whole field full of these heads.

ITALIAN CONFESSES MURDER.

St. John, N.B., Aug. 16.—At the police court this morning the confession of Andrew Rossi, who killed another Italian named Siracusa, through jealousy, was heard. Rossi said he was jealous of Siracusa's attentions to one Minnie Jones, and they had talked a great deal, but Siracusa was believed to be at him. At last in a fit of jealousy, he shot Siracusa, robbed him and fled. Rossi takes matters coolly.

D. D. MANN GIVES ADVICE TO THE MEN OF WESTERN CANADA

Asks Them to See That Investors From the East Get the Square Deal—Bright Future of the Town of Stewart—Says It Will Be a Distributing Point—Route of the C.N.R. in the Mountains Outlined by the Vice-President of the Railway Company.

The Portland Canal Miner, a paper printed at the town of Stewart, B.C., gives the following report of the speech of D. D. Mann at that place recently given him at that place.

"Mr. Chairman and citizens of Stewart, I wish to thank you for the enthusiastic way in which you have received the toast, and I also wish to say that I am very glad to be your guest tonight.

"While this is not much to say in appreciation of the first banquet in the town of Stewart, I hope you will receive it in the way that I met a visiting mining camp did his first cocktail. He said he did not care very much for the chery, but he did appreciate the spirit in which it was offered.

"Everything seems to be moving rapidly here, and as labor is scarce, there is a great deal expected from the men who do the work. I met a man on the hills the other day who was chopping wood at the camp and asked him how he was getting along. 'O,' said he, 'the boss is very good, the place, why, he first asked me to chop a tree down, and then asked me to chop it up again.' (Laughter.)

"The townsite of Stewart, at the head of the Portland Canal, is, in my opinion, one of the finest situated for a city that I have ever seen. The fact that Portland Canal, as the chairman stated, is at the head of navigation, means, if history repeats itself, that this will be one of the greatest commercial ports in the world. Take large cities like London and Liverpool, for instance, on the other side, and Montreal in Eastern Canada, all in view of the head of navigation, and this being the most northerly port in British Columbia should be the distributing point for the whole northern frontier.

Why Building Railway. 'I have been asked very often why I am building this railway. It is because we have an ocean port at one end of it and a mining country at the other. There is an ideal transportation proposition. In addition to

RIVAL RAILWAYS IN SOUTHERN ALBERTA MAY COME TO TERMS

The Trial of the Charges Against C.N.R. Contractors for Trespass Will Likely be Dropped by Canadian Pacific—Railway Commission Advised Settlement—Engineers of C.N.R. and C.P.R. Will Consult Together and Reach an Agreement Over Construction.

Calgary, August 18.—Because peace is in sight in the fight between the C.N.R. and the C.P.R. over the construction of the C.N.R. road through the Servosburg and the C.P.R. districts, on the Vegreville to Calgary line, an adjournment in the charges being heard before Superintendent Deane against fifteen C.N.R. sub-contractors was called yesterday morning.

Mr. R. B. Bennett, C.P.R. solicitor, stated that he had received a telegram from the president of the Board of Railway Commissioners had made an amicable suggestion in the matter. It is understood that the Railway Commission has advised the C.N.R. and C.P.R. engineers consult together and come to some peaceful arrangement before Saturday next. Otherwise the best of engineers will be sent over the ground and

GAYNOR OUT OF DANGER.

Stronger and Better Than at Any Time Since He Was Shot. New York, Aug. 16.—Mayor Gaynor continues along the path of recovery and when he awoke today he seemed to be stronger and better than he has since he was shot. A week ago there was danger of infection, but everything is in readiness since circumstances render an operation unnecessary.

FIRST RAIN SINCE MARCH.

Kenora, Ont., Has Downpour After Many Months' Drought. Kenora, Ont., Aug. 16.—The first heavy rain since March visited this district last night when precipitation between eight in the evening and four in the morning amounted to considerably over two inches. It was accompanied by a violent electrical disturbance which put the power plant out of business for some time and plunged the town into darkness. The numerous fires which have been burning have been checked in many localities. A boat brought word this morning that the precipitation was twenty-five miles south and if it covered as wide an area its value to lumbering interests is incalculable.

DISRELEASED WITH CANADA.

British Teachers Touring Dominion Have Numerous Criticisms. Montreal, Aug. 15.—The party of fifty British school teachers who have just completed an extensive tour of Canada have left on their return home. In an interview on the ship, T. Gaulty, the leader of the party, handed out a rather tart criticism of the Dominion. There was much to admire about the country, and he thought the trip had profited the teachers, but he deplored the fact that Canadians seemed to be bent on the acquisition of the dollar.

ITALIAN CONFESSES MURDER.

And. Rossi Says Jealousy Prompted Him to Kill Siracusa in Toronto. St. John, N.B., Aug. 16.—At the police court this morning the confession of Andrew Rossi, who killed another Italian named Siracusa, through jealousy, was heard. Rossi said he was jealous of Siracusa's attentions to one Minnie Jones, and they had talked a great deal, but Siracusa was believed to be at him. At last in a fit of jealousy, he shot Siracusa, robbed him and fled. Rossi takes matters coolly.

GERMAN HEIR POPULAR.

Berlin, Aug. 18.—"Papa always is nice to me now, and I believe I have got into closer touch with him. A variation about politics and I am short time ago we had a long con- nappy about it."

This sentence, taken from one of the crown prince of Germany's letters to his intimate friend, the young Count Hochberg, is characteristic of the relations existing between the heir to Germany's throne and the kaiser at the present moment.

The projected journey to India and the far east will practically be his debut into public life and the kaiser's decision has been received with delight by all those Germans desiring to see the crown-prince out of his swaddling clothes before being called upon to take over the reins of government.

Like Sailor, Forbidden to Steer. The crown prince shares this feeling. In another confidential letter, he remarks:—

"It is just as if I was the oldest sailor on board a ship and never allowed to steer, although I know I may have to take over the steering of the ship at any moment."

Despite the fact that the crown prince has been kept jealously in the background, he is the most popular of German princes, and is adored by Germany's youth. He is a most daring sportsman and is never happier than when in the saddle or on a racing yacht, but even here the kaiser's restraining influence has been exerted. He has been forbidden to play polo because of its expensiveness and danger.

In a letter to the press by the American the other day, the kaiser's prohibition was deplored, as it places a veto on the game throughout the empire.

I have spent the last thirty years of my life in pushing back the fringe of civilization west and north. (Cheers.) During that time I have been a pioneer in nearly every sense of the word. When I reached Winnipeg on Christmas 1879, it was in advance of railway construction. With my own hands I prepared the railroad line which carried the first locomotive over the Canadian Pacific Railway into this city. Now I have come to the Pacific coast to help you pioneers push the fringe of civilization eastward, and I assure you that we hope to do it. (Loud cheers.)

"I can only say, gentlemen, in conclusion, that I am proud to be your guest tonight."

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Advertisement for Wilson's Fly Pads, featuring an illustration of a fly and text stating 'American and Canadian Scientists tell us the common house fly is the cause of more disease and death than any other agency.'

Advertisement for Brunswick-Balke Collender Co. featuring a pool table and text: 'STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!!! A Complete Pool Table For \$225'

Advertisement for The Brunswick-Balke Collender Co. with address: 224-228 McDougall Avenue, Edmonton, Alta.

Advertisement for Little's Book Store, featuring 'SOUVENIRS' and 'LITTLE'S BOOK STORE' with a list of items and prices.

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EXHIBITION WILL BE A GREAT STOCK SHOW

Entries in All Classes Total 1,812, an Increase of 609 Over Last Year—Increase of 50 per Cent. in the Exhibits of Horses.

That the Edmonton Exhibition next week will be essentially a stock exhibition, and will be the largest stock exhibition ever held in Northern Alberta, is indicated by the astounding figures displayed in the official announcement of the entries in all classes, which has been issued from the offices of the Exhibition Association.

The entries of all classes total 1,812, an increase of 609 over last year, or about 50 per cent. The stock entries alone total 1,446, or 455 more than last year, and 1,271 more than the total entries for 1908. The biggest increase is in sheep, where there are 14,141 entries this year, as against 31 for last year, an increase of 500 per cent. There is an increase of 54 per cent. in the horses, there being 275 entered this year, including over 300 stallions, as against a total of 251 horses last year and 234 in 1908. The cattle entries total this year 402, as against 221 in 1908 and 192 in 1907. In swine there is an increase of 40 per cent. over last year.

These figures are astounding, and tell the story of how the Edmonton exhibition has jumped into prominence within the past year, both on account of the efforts of the directors to make it a stock exhibition, and on account of the new grounds and buildings that have been established by the association.

The eight cattle stables, the nine horse stables and the sheep and swine stables, all large, new and modern, will be crowded to their capacity to accommodate the stock that will be brought to the city next week. The cattle sheds are each 150 feet long, and have a capacity of 80 head each. The nine horse stables have a total capacity of 640 head.

Another feature of the figures issued from the exhibition offices is the

The Picture Shows the Judges' Stand, a Position of the Stock Buildings and Racing Stables, as Well as the Fine Enclosures, Where Various Stock Competitions Will be Judged.

Poultry	117	224	25
Dogs	105	77	
Horticulture	13	247	1800
Domestic Manufactures	19	42	120
Dairy Products	89	56	
Sundries	91	61	
Total	541	1202	3812

Spectacular Fireworks Displays

On the afternoon of the opening day a display of daylight fireworks will form an attractive feature of the programme. These consist of bomb-shells, which burst at a considerable height and discharge various effects made of Japanese paper, such as floating fishes, floating animals, floating birds, floating men and women, showers of flags and ribbons, showers of mammoth confetti. This programme will be repeated on the afternoon of the third or "Farmers' Day."

On the evening of the second or "Strathcona Day," a magnificent pyrotechnic display will supplement an attractive programme of races and platform acts. The set pieces included in this display are transforming star wheel, the pigeon house and fiery pegasus, the electric storm, contras revolving electric wheels, the Greek garden or terrace of golden fountains and poppies (over 300 feet in length), fireworks tapestry device (2,000 square feet), Niagara Falls by moonlight, concluding with a mammoth section piece, "The Earth's Fruits to the

THE PROGRAM FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday, August 23rd (Opening Day)

Morning.
Stock judging at 10 a.m.
Al. G. Barnes 3-ring animal circus, Baseball at 10.30 a.m.
Fire massed bands, Jasper, 11 a.m.
Directors' luncheon, 12.30 noon.

Afternoon.
Opening of the new Exhibition Grounds with appropriate ceremonies

12. Gentlemen's road race, amateur, 1/4-mile heats, 2 in 3, for horses that have been used exclusively for road or manure purposes since January 1st, 1910, to four-wheeled rigs, purse \$200.

All the attractions and music between heats and a grand pyrotechnic display at the conclusion of the racing.

One of the big days of the fair.

Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., held in Calgary last week.

Grand Master Shera was presented with a very handsome jewel by the members of the lodge, the presentation address being made by Bro. G. H. McAvoy, P.G., which was suitably responded to by the grand master.

Some short but very able speeches were made by Past Grand Master A. D. May, Bro. J. Tully, P.G., and the

have taken upon yourself a very great responsibility with regard to the welfare and promotion of Oddfellows in this great province, and we are fully assured that you will fill it creditably to yourself, to the lodge and to the town which you represent.

Trusting this little token will be acceptable, to remind you of the esteem and regard with which you are held by your brother Oddfellows, and wishing both you and Mrs. Shera long life and prosperity.

Signed on behalf of the committee of Fort Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F.
P. D. GORDON, N.G.,
GEORGE B. TAYLOR, Rec. Sec.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cronston, of Fort Saskatchewan, returned on the 12th from a five-month tour of Ireland.

An auction sale of horses was held here on Wednesday by Mr. Stimmler, of Edmonton, a fair price being paid for all animals bought.

Miss Florence Squarebriggs returned to the Fort Tuesday after a two years' visit to the old country and eastern Canada.

At a meeting of the town council held Thursday night a public holiday was declared for Thursday, August 25th, in conjunction with citizens' day at the Edmonton exhibition.

\$200,000 IN GROUNDS AND NEW BUILDINGS

City Has Expended This Sum in Transforming the 147-Acre Compulsory New Exhibition Grounds in the North East End of the City.

Owing to the rapid growth of the City of Edmonton and the surrounding country, the Exhibition Association found that the old grounds and buildings were entirely too small for exhibition purposes. The mayor, commissioners and city council of Edmonton took the matter in hand and placed at the disposal of the association 147 acres of land situated on the Canadian Northern and Grand Trunk Pacific Railway lines, and having street railway connections. Almost eight acres of this land have been fenced in by the Exhibition Association for exhibition purposes, and the balance has been turned into a recreation park for the use of the public until such time as needed by the association.

The City of Edmonton, which retains the title to the land, has thus secured exhibition grounds large enough for all time. Permanent buildings are being erected on these grounds of the latest and most up-to-date type. Sheds, show horse stables, race sheds, hogs and sheep pens, horticultural and dairy buildings are being erected, a standard half-mile race track, grand stand, paddock, judges' stand, attraction platform are under construction and on August the 23rd, 1910, the new grounds and buildings will be thrown open to the public.

In 1911 other modern buildings will be erected and in 1912 a modern exhibition hall, to be completed in time for the great provincial fair, to be held in Edmonton, will be built.

Exhibitors of stock, etc., at Edmonton, will this year have their animals housed in modern buildings with water connection, clean sanitary conveniences, which together with the fact that there is an unlimited demand for pure-bred animals amongst the farming community and that the



Two Thoroughbred Foxhounds from St. John Heights, Alberta, Entered at Edmonton Exposition.



REGISTERED SHROPSHIRE
First Prize Winner at Calgary and Entered for the Edmonton Fair.

astonishing increase in horticultural exhibits. In the year 1908 there was not a single horticultural exhibit. Last year 21 exhibits were displayed. This year there were 247 entries, or an increase of 1,200 per cent.

Entries have come from all points in Canada. Many of them are from Ontario. A list of points from which entries have been made is as follows: Strathcona, Edmonton, Crossfields, Flat Lake, Lambburn, Spruce Grove, Horse Hills, Vauxville, Ingersoll, Ont., Viking, Bramford, Ont., Crowfoot, Fort Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Cochrane, North Edmonton, Kitcheny, Morleyville, Irma, Sandy Lake, Stronon, St. Albert, Coronation, Watakwik, Regina, Kneeshill Valley, Duhamel, Leclac, Lewisville, Winterburn, Lacombe, Lammerton, Macleod, Bentley, Mill Lett, Spruce Grove Centre, Clyde, Red Deer, Namsa, Wainwright, Innisfail, Jerking, Clover Bar, Medicine Hat, Calgary, Morningdale, Gates Valley, Tees, Kivlers, Gul Barre, Picardville, Wawanesa, Man, New Norway, Oida, Chedoke.

	1908	1909	1910
Horses	234	251	375
Cattle	199	221	402
Sheep	31	221	14141
Swine	67	106	147

CRIPPEN STILL IN QUEBEC.

No One But Authorities Know Reason of Delay.

Quebec, Aug. 19.—Crippen and Miss Leneve are still here, frothing under the delay in the arrangements for their departure. No one knows the reason for it outside of Inspector Dix and the Attorney General and they don't talk. Automobiles are kept in constant readiness near the corner of Maple avenue and Grindice avenue. Each paper has some friend among the staff of the St. George's boarding-house, where Inspector Dix's party are now all stopping, and every train is being watched.

CYCLONE.

Thoroughbred Colt, only three days old, taking his first work out. Sired by Imported Cyclone, dam, Copper Queen, both bred in the purple and from the best racing families in the world. Cyclone will be staked for the Fox Garry Derby and the Alberta Futurity, to be run in 1913. Walter Speer, Owner, Edmonton.

weights. First \$10, second \$5, third \$5, fourth \$3.
Attractions and music between the heats.

Wednesday, August 24th.

Strathcona and Watakwik Day.
Morning.
Stock judging at 10.30 a.m.
Al. G. Barnes 3-ring wild animal circus.
Baseball at 10.30 a.m.
Four massed bands at 11 a.m.

Afternoon—Horse Racing at 2 p.m.
7. 2.25 pac, 223 trot, purse \$400.
8. 2.17 pac, 212 trot, purse \$500.
9. Run, 1/4-mile heats, 2 in 3, 5 lbs. below scales, purse \$250.
10. Closing purse, 1/4-mile dash for the three-year-olds and over, purse \$400.
Special vaudeville features and music between the heats.

Evening—Horse Racing at 7 p.m.
11. 5% furlong dash, purse \$500.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN.

Bulletin News Service.
On Monday last a very pleasant social evening was spent by the members of the Fort Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F., and their friends, in Simmons' hall, in honor of the new grand master of Alberta, Bro. W. G. Shera, of this lodge, who was elected to this high office at the meeting of the

Thursday, August 25th, Farmers' Day.

The Big Day of the Fair.
Morning.
Stock judging at 10 a.m.
Al. G. Barnes' big 3-ring wild animal circus.
Four bands on Jasper, 11 a.m.

Afternoon—Horse Racing at 2 p.m.
12. 2.40 pac, 225 trot, Merchants' and Manufacturers' Stake, purse \$600.
14. 2.23 pac, 218 trot, purse \$500.
15. Run, 1/4-mile dash, open, purse \$200.
16. Run, 1/4-mile dash, open, purse \$200.
17. Farmers' 1/2-mile run, 2 in 3, for bona fide farm horses, owners up. Entrance fee \$5. Purse \$75.
Vaudeville performance, good music, and a grand pyrotechnic display.

Evening—Horse Racing at 7 p.m.
5. Farmers' green trot or pace, 1/2-mile heats, 2 in 3, for bona fide farm horses, owners up, hoppers barred. Entrance fee \$5. Purse \$80.
6. 1/4-mile dash, for local boys' ponies, 13 hands and under, within 10 miles of city. Entrance free, catch

local representative of the federal government, W. H. White, M.P., followed by a musical program in which Messrs. J. Dalgetty, Rev. Mr. Behr, A. Hollings and L. Laylor took part. Dancing was indulged in till the small hours of the morning, supper being served about midnight.

The following address was presented:—
To William Glover Shera, Esq., Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Alberta, I. O. O. F.

Dear Sir and Brother,—On behalf of Fort Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F., Fort Saskatchewan, I have been granted the privilege, and I can assure you, the very great pleasure, of presenting you with this jewel, as a slight token of our appreciation, of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, in electing you to the distinguished office of grand master.

Friday, August 26th.

A free-for-all day for everybody.
Morning.
Stock judging at 10 a.m.
Al. G. Barnes' big 3-ring wild animal circus.
Four massed bands on Jasper at 11 a.m.

Afternoon—Horse Racing at 2 p.m.
19. Free for All Trot or Pace, purse \$600.
20. 2.30 trot, Directors' Purse, purse \$500.
21. Run, novelty race, 1 mile, 550 to each quarter, purse \$200.
Auto race. Stock parade at 4 p.m.
Extra attractions and music between the heats.

High jumping competition at 2 p.m.
Evening—Horse Racing at 7 p.m.
23. 1/4-mile dash, 3-year-olds, Alberta bred, purse \$150.
(And cup offered by Calgary Brewing and Malting Company)

24. Consolation run, 1/4-mile dash, for horses that have not been inside the money at this meeting. Entrance free. Purse \$100.
Platform attractions between the races and fireworks.

Not only is the fact that you hold the office of grand master of the Grand Lodge of Alberta an honor to yourself, and to Fort Lodge No. 14, but we are of the opinion that it is a very great credit to our town, to have the most important chair of the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, filled by a citizen of Fort Saskatchewan.

We know that in accepting this

THOROUGHBRED MARES AND FOALS

To the Life of Cassandro and her Foal by Cyclader. Cassandro is by that Great Race Horse, Finbarr and her Dam was Charm, one of the best race mares of her day. Cassandro has never been beaten in the Show Ring as a Brood Mare. Ta the Sight is Copper Queen and her foal by Cyclader. Copper Queen is a Daughter of Cassandro, 1907, four years old and sired by Copper King, Walter Sports, Owner, Edmonton.

City of Edmonton is behind the proposition (ensuring payment of all prize moneys) should attract even a larger exhibit than last year.

Run Over by Train.

Lanenburg, N.S. Aug. 18.—Dan Christopher, 18 years old, employed as a brakeman on the Halifax and Southwestern Railway, attempted to step from one box car to the next when the running board broke, precipitating him under the swiftly running train. He died two hours after the accident.

G.T. Trainmen Dissatisfied.

London, Ont., Aug. 19.—Far from being satisfied with the treatment they have received, Grand Trunk Railway trainmen here have applied to the international executive, and the opinion is freely expressed that there will be more trouble.

Brandon Water Improves.

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THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING.

The Artistic Bungalow Where the Directors of the Exhibition Association Will Hold Their Meetings During Fair Week. The Appearance of Building is Enhanced by the Retention of the Young Trees Around It.

GRAND STAND AND HOME STRETCH.
Photographs Show the Uncompleted Grand Stand, Being Erected at a Cost of \$200,000, and the Home Stretch, and First Turn of the Half-mile Track at the New Exhibition Grounds.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 22, 1910

A PURELY DOMESTIC MATTER.

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there could not be as well-founded a criticism of the date set by the department of agriculture, under whose jurisdiction the laws are administered, but the duck hunters who hunt for the pure love of hunting and not for the mere love of killing or for the benefit of their family larder, are at the present time convinced that the opening of the season should be later.

WHY NOT THE OTHER TYPE OF CAR?

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A WESTERN PIONEER.

Toronto Star—The death of the Rev. George Young removes one of the men, now fast disappearing, who knew the Canadian West before it had a political connection with Canada.

IN LIGHTER VEIN.

Miggles—Congratulate me, old man, I'm preparing to celebrate my wooden wedding anniversary tomorrow.

ADVERTISE WHAT?

Montreal Herald—"Advertise," says the New York Times in a fervent appeal to the United States government to stop the trek of American farmers into Canada.

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SPECIALS FOR FAIR WEEK. Golden West Soap 7 Cakes for 25c. Baking Powder 15c per Tin. Corn 3 Tins for 25c. Jelly Powders, all flavors, 7 for 50c.

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FRUIT JARS—Gem pints, 90c; Quarts, \$1.10. 1/2-Gallon \$1.40. Mason Jar Pints 70c, Quarts 80c, 1/2-Gallons \$1.10.

20 lb. Sack B.C. Sugar \$1.20 20 lb. Pail Syrup \$1.00

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Greatest Land Opportunity in British Columbia

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Sunday Excursions. Sunday excursions in Winnipeg have been discontinued as a result of the alliance's efforts...

Some Smaller Matters. Speaking of some of the smaller matters that were now engaging the attention of the alliance...

Boat Race in Rhodesia. Canadian Associated Press. Livingston, Rhodesia, Aug. 17.—Betting in connection with the Arnot-Barry boat race...

FROM FORT DROWNED. Escape From the Brandon Asylum. Martin of the Regina base in a serious condition at here...

A STEALTHY VISIT. That Home Has Been Broken Into. Cal., Aug. 19.—Interest in the case of Enoch Kendall...

For Brutal Assault. Aug. 21.—Mike Smith, a 40-year-old man, was found guilty to criminally assault a small girl...

FAIR GROUNDS TO BE A BLAZE OF LIGHT

The finishing touches are now being put on the new exhibition grounds and all will be in readiness for the opening of the biggest fair in Edmonton's history...

A Fine Entrance. The main entrance through handsome concrete block gateway of the lodge type...

Medicine Hat's Big Fair. Opens Under Favorable Auspices. Medicine Hat, Alta., Aug. 17.—Medicine Hat's big fair opened under the most favorable auspices today...

Three Rivers, Que., Aug. 16.—Mrs. Napoleon Bureau, mother of Hon. James Bureau, solicitor general for Canada, died today at the residence of her daughter...

When the boys were overtaken they were devoutly thankful that instead of being allowed to drift out into the trackless Gulf on a float...

Opium as Chinese Chestnuts. Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 17.—A shipment of five thousand dollars' worth of opium, consigned to some Vancouver firm at present unknown...

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LEAPED FROM THE STEAMER'S DECK

Montreal, Aug. 17.—A blinding mist and heavy rain aided two young stowaways aboard the Canadian Pacific liner Monmouth to make their escape from the ship...

Jumped Overboard. On Thursday morning, while the rain came down in torrents and the fog lay about so thick that the bow of the ship could not be seen from the stern...

FOUND WITH THROAT CUT. Private Detective in Search of Murderer Meets Untimely Fate. Quincey, Mass., August 16.—Griffin was found this morning; his throat cut...

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400 AMERICANS ON WAY TO EDMONTON

That four hundred Americans, on a very conservative estimate, will be in the Edmonton district this fall was a statement made at the immigration halls Wednesday morning...

Spied Out the Land. H. H. Wade, of Oregon, who was sent out this spring by a large party of American farmers, expects to bring back a very considerable number of settlers with him...

Arkansas Men Impressed. R. C. Phillips and Norman Carter, two farmers from Arkansas, who had their fare to Canada paid by farmers in their district, wishing to see a reliable report on the conditions of Canadian homestead lands...

Their Expedition Against Common Enemy, the Fire Fiend. Portland, August 16.—The U.S. troops have invaded Canada but their expedition was against a common foe...

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EDMONTON NEWS

THURSDAY'S DAILY.

DISLOCATED ANKLE. Donald Kennedy, an employee of the city telephone department, who resides at 47 Glenora street, has a leg badly dislocated at the ankle on Wednesday as a result of falling from a telephone pole near the new Exhibition grounds.

LOCATE ASPHALT DEPOSIT.

S. A. Bentley and D. Patterson have arrived in Edmonton from the north and report having located a deposit of asphalt which extends over an area of six miles. It lies inland from the Athabasca river and the assayer's reports show that the sample is better than anything found in the province so far.

FINE CROPS IN PADDLE RIVER.

Dr. J. H. Caldwell, Dominion veterinary surgeon for the Edmonton district, who has just returned from a trip through the Paddle river country, stated to the Bulletin that the crops in that district were in excellent condition. Barley cutting has started over a week ago and at present many farmers are cutting their spring wheat.

INVADERS PRIVATE HOUSE.

Mrs. John Fothergill, 1322 Namayo Ave., had quite an experience Tuesday night which she would not care to have repeated. Mrs. Fothergill, whose husband is foreman of the bridge and building department of the Canadian Northern Railway, was sitting in the parlor of her home alone about ten o'clock in the evening when two men in a buggy drove furiously up to the house and stopped the horse and entered the front door unannounced.

STRATHCONA CROPS.

The crop expert of the Winnipeg Free Press has the following on the crops in the Strathcona district: "I have spent today in the Strathcona district and found crops and conditions similar to the Edmonton district. Although the rainfall this season has not been equal to that of former years, the soil has a wonderful power of retaining whatever moisture it receives, and the crops are all in splendid condition."

MESSAGERS STRIKE.

C.P.R. Boys at Calgary Demand Higher Rate of Wages. Calgary, August 17.—A number of the messenger boys employed at the C.P.R. telegraph office went on strike at noon complaining that they had not been paid on the 15th, the regular C.P.R. pay day, and demanding four cents a message in place of two cents which they have been receiving.

EDMONTON NEWS

The garden crops are good. The grain is ripening fast; I noticed many fields that were now ready to be cut. From what I saw the cutting could hardly be called general, only a few fields of oats and fall wheat being cut, but next week should be a busy time. At present quite a heavy rain is falling.

ENTRIES TRIPLE OTHER YEARS.

The total number of entries received for the forthcoming Edmonton exhibition is 1,312, this is an increase of 400 over the number received last year and conclusively shows that Edmonton's fair this year will be far ahead of those held in former years.

REFUSED TO FULFIL CONTRACT.

Thos. Ashley and C. Tinkley were each fined five dollars, and costs at the R.N.W.M.P. barracks Thursday morning for refusing to fulfil a signed contract. Both the men had signed up to do grade work on the C. N. R. for McMillan Bros., but refused to do the work required of them.

INTRUDER WAS FINED.

Jos. O'Brien, who invaded the house of Mrs. John Fothergill, Niagara street, last Tuesday night, came up for trial at the police court Thursday. The evidence showed that O'Brien and his companion, who is still at large, committed damage to furniture in the house to the extent of about \$30. O'Brien was fined \$5 and costs and ordered to pay \$30 damages.

VISIT PACKING PLANT.

J. Y. Griffin & Co. Ltd., have issued the following invitation to visitors to visit the packing plant: "We presume you, as well as your many friends and acquaintances will come to Edmonton next week to attend the fair and see our new plant. Our plant is only ten minutes' ride on the street car from the exhibition grounds. You can easily come from town here on the street car in the forenoon and get back to the grounds in ample time for anything that will be doing in the afternoon. We will have competent guides to show you through and we believe you will say that your time was well spent."

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE PRESS ASSOCIATION OF ALBERTA.

The annual meeting of the Press Association of Alberta will be held this evening in the city hall. The date has not yet been fixed, but is being arranged at a time when the Raymond Sugar Factory is in operation. The association will also be holding an excursion to Cardston and the Waterton Lakes or Spokane, Washington. Premier Scott, of Saskatchewan, has been invited to be present at the convention. M. E. Nichols, of the Winnipeg "Telegraph," has already accepted, and also Allan Hayes, of the "Edmonton Journal," and W. W. Hughes, publisher, who will have a representative present.

MANY EXCURSIONISTS EAST.

Departures by C.P.R. in the past few days have been: Mrs. N. Squair, Mrs. I. G. Laing, Montreal, to sail for Europe by the Ionian, Saturday, August 27th; Mrs. E. Lewis, Kelowna, B. C.; C. A. Nicholson, Banff; C. L. Berry, Windsor, Ontario; Wm. Lloyd and E. Edwards, Quebec, to sail by the Empress of Britain, August 28th. Departures by C.N.R. have been: Mr. Bruce's Moray, Sioux City, Iowa; Mrs. B. J. Sherry, Toronto; Mr. J. G. Stewart, St. John's, Nfld.; Mr. L. J. Jackson, Toronto; Mr. C. Collins, A. McKimm, Mrs. Wm. McGuire and Miss Gibson, Winnipeg; A. E. Howard, Saskatoon; W. Wilson and W. A. Wells, Toronto; Harvey P. Gibson, Omaha, Neb.; Mrs. M. Hoey, N. Sydney, N.S.; Miss M. B. Stork, Montreal; W. J. Shortley, Toronto; John H. Hughes, Minneapolis, Min.; Henry W. Swift, Chicago.

LIEUT. GOV. BULYEA TO OPEN.

The Edmonton Exhibition will be officially opened by Lieut. Governor Bulyea on Tuesday, August 23rd. After having a lunch with the directors of the exhibition, the Lieutenant-Governor will proceed to the grounds and occupy a special box in front of the grand stand, from which he will in a few words declare the fair officially open. The first Edmonton Exhibition will be in attendance and music will be rendered by maced bands during the ceremony. The directors of the Edmonton exhibition have sent a message to Gen. Baden-Powell who is at present in Glasgow, B.C., to be present at the opening of the fair. No reply has as yet been received from Gen. Baden-Powell. Word has been received by Manager Harrison that the Chicago Vandeventer Company will put on two high-class attractions not booked previously. A general information bulletin will be sent by the Exhibition Association. In this bulletin information regarding routes to the fair grounds, rates, and a list of the different boarding houses in the city will be given. A short outline of the events for each day of the fair will also be printed. Three thousand copies of this bulletin will be distributed throughout the city during the fair week.

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BONNYCASTLE RESIGNS.

Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—A. L. Bonnycastle, who was declared elected for Russell in the provincial election after the recount, made the statement last night that he had resigned his seat. Bonnycastle's opponent was first declared elected by thirteen, but the recount saved the seat to Bonnycastle, owing to a number of ballots having extraneous pencil marks. The lads claimed these ballots were spoiled while in the possession of the returning officer after the election, they being admittedly poorly guarded, but this was denied. Mentioning his resignation, Bonnycastle expressly denied any knowledge or that he was convinced that any irregularities occurred, but in view of the fact that there might be some doubt he decided to resign.

PRESIDENT FOR NEW PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE

Rev. Ned D. Keith, B.A., B.D., will take up his residence in Red Deer Next Month—Budget of News From the Midway Town on C. & E.

Red Deer, Aug. 18.—Rev. Ned D. Keith, B.A., B.D., of Prescott, Ont., formerly secretary of McGill University Y.M.C.A., has been appointed president of the new Presbyterian Ladies' College, to be established at Red Deer. He will take up his residence here next month.

Mayor McKee arrived home on Thursday after supervising the town's case in Ottawa before the Deputy Minister of Railways re the C.N.R. line from Stewart to the Brazeau country. The route was approved to nine miles east of the town, which was as far as the C.N.R. had surveyed. They will try and get a more north-westerly route from that point than the one asked, in order to avoid covering the same territory from Red Deer to Rocky Mountain House, as the Alberta Central.

By-Laws Passed.

The by-law for \$9,000, to buy 44 acres from the fowlsite company for a park in the south of the town, at \$100 per acre, and for improvements thereon, was passed by the council. There was considerable opposition, even though the council promised to reconsider its first action, refusing to submit a \$10,000 bid for the purchase of the Exhibition Association's 22 acres.

E. Michener, M.P.P., who assisted in representing the town's case at Ottawa in railway matters, and Mr. G. W. Smith, have gone to Vancouver as Board of Trade representatives to the Inter-Provincial Trade Conference, and to Victoria as delegates to the Methodist General Conference.

Provincial President James Bower, and Director E. Carswell, U.F.A., have gone to Vancouver to the Inter-Provincial Trade Conference.

Mr. J. N. Irvine has sold his 480 acres, nine miles southeast, to Mr. E. Day, of Medicine Hat, at \$21 an acre. The Gaets Manufacturing Co. are adding another storey to their new factory.

There has been quite a sale of lots in the new Englewood subdivision, adjoining the town on the east.

Big Yield From Cow.

Mr. C. A. Julian Sherman's champion Jersey cow, Rosalind of Old Basing, gave 15,377 lbs. of butter fat in a seven day official test last month, as compared with 12,552 lbs. in a similar test last year, which qualified her for the American Jersey Cattle Club register. She is now producing another twelve months' official test.

A. H. Trimble & Sons won the three herd prizes for Ayrshires at the Brandon fair.

Reg. Alford was elected without opposition to the council to fill the unexpired term of Councillor H. B. Eber, resigned.

Three prospectors, who called on Chief Engineer MacGregor, of the Alberta Central, this morning, offered coal in the Brazeau country the equal, if not the superior, of any in Alberta.

Haying and harvesting are in full blast, the latter being earlier than usual, owing to the drier weather.

Much Rain in District.

Red Deer got more rain in the week ending Tuesday than in any other week this year. The Red Deer people are all greatly pleased with the generous enconiums heaped by outsiders on the town, as the town entertained the Laurier party. The arch was a triumph, and was altogether the finest the party had met with, Mr. Graham said.

MOB SEEKS NEGRO'S LIFE.

Splintered Away by Officers Under Lawless Crowd's Eyes. Hinton, W.Va., Aug. 17.—Directly under the nose of a lawless mob of a thousand infuriated men, bent on having the life of the negro, believed to be the man who assaulted and murdered Mrs. Lottie Arles, of Quinnesmont, Sunday night, and nearly slain her husband, county officers last night escaped from a Pullman car in which they had guarded their prisoner for four hours and took to the woods with their prisoner. As soon as the mob learned that the negro had been carried away, when almost within their grasp, their anger broke out afresh. They scattered in search and began shooting at the negro and the officers. Militia accompanied by Governor Glascock is on the way from Charleston.

CROPS ARE ALL SAFE.

No Damage From Frost is Anticipated Throughout West. Winnipeg, Aug. 18.—Harry Acheson, grain agent of the Canadian Pacific railway here, has received telegraphic reports from more than 200 points on the system in response to inquiries as to possible damage to wheat from freezing. In none of these instances is there more than a slight frost, and grain has suffered no damage. Temperatures throughout the west are higher today and no damage is anticipated at later dates.

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GAYNOR BOOSTED FOR GOVERNORSHIP OF N.Y.

Democrats in Some States Are Also Talking of the Wounded Mayor as a Presidential Candidate at the Next Election.

New York, Aug. 18.—The New York Globe prints the following from its correspondent in Washington: "The Washington view of the shooting of Mayor Gaynor is that if he survives he is likely to be the next governor of New York, and the Democratic nominee for president in 1912. 'It may well happen that when Jack J. Gallagher fired an assassin's shot at Mayor Gaynor he was doing the very thing that was calculated to make certain the rise of the mayor politically. At any rate, that is one of the possibilities of the situation.'"

The information here is that there is not much question of the nomination of Mayor Gaynor for governor of New York, and that if it should be made certain the rise of the mayor politically. At any rate, that is one of the possibilities of the situation.

It is known that some of the shrewdest Republicans in New York have been talking all along on Gaynor as the Democratic nominee. More than that, there are some astute New York Republican politicians who have been talking about the matter here lately and they have said frankly that if Gaynor was named he probably would be elected."

This was before Mayor Gaynor was wounded. That the circumstances of the assault upon him and the fortitude with which he has borne up have helped to increase his popularity in New York and nationally is clear. Already Minnesota Democrats have spoken out in favor of Gaynor as the valuable man for the Democratic presidential nomination. It is extremely likely to do so.

As the situation stands among the Democrats the great body of them are looking for a Moses to lead them. If Mayor Gaynor should happen to be the next governor of New York and should make a success of it he would be almost certain to be the next Democratic national convention.

A Rival for Harbison.

It is true that Gov. James Harbison is much in the limelight at present, many think probably, nominee of the Democrats for president. That is, he will be a strong factor if he carries Ohio this fall, and does not slip up on some one of the numerous political banana-peels that his enemies are throwing in his path. But the trouble with Uncle Jud is that the "right wing" of the party has its suspicions of him.

"It has a deep, dark notion, that he is allied with the so-called reactionaries, and that he is not a true conservative. It is lukewarm toward his nomination, to say the least. William J. Bryan is well known to be hostile to the nomination of Harbison, and that the nomination of the Bryan forces would support Gaynor and so would a good many of the conservative element of the party. It is at the situation in almost any way else it appears, as many politicians here size it up, that if Gaynor gets well he'll be hard to catch politically."

Albion Complains.

Even from Alberta came the same complaints with regard to shipments of hay to Vancouver. Before a resolution on the subject was passed Mr. Crerar, minister of agriculture, and Mr. Crerar formally supported the suggestion that the rules that apply to those who sell grain on commission should be extended to dealers in hay, fruit and other farm products that was subject to inspection. Mr. Crerar of the British Columbia Farmers' Association, and other agricultural associations, under government inspection. On motion of Mr. Greer, president of the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association, a resolution was adopted that the permanent standing committee be requested to secure the co-operation of the grain growers of Manitoba and Saskatchewan and any other association in the four western provinces on any points which will assist them in working out the question of bonding and licensing commission agents.

Deny Rumors.

Liverpool, Aug. 19.—The officers of the Allan Line deny the American rumors that the C. P. R. has taken control. Death Caused by Ice Cream. Portsmouth, Ohio, Aug. 18.—Seven persons are dying, and a score of others are seriously ill as the result of taking poisoned ice cream at a church function at Glen, Kentucky, last night.

BE OUT ON STRIKE.

All Shipyards in Germany Are Now Standing Idle. Berlin, August 17.—As a result of the fight between the German shipbuilders and their employees, all the shipyards of Germany except the government yards are now idle, so far as construction assigned by the government to private yards is at a standstill and ship-orders are in many cases removed to a triflingly managed condition. Both bodies are demanding an increase of ten per cent all round and a fifty-five per cent increase in wages. It is maintained that these demands are a cloak to political purposes, and cannot be granted.

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THE UNITED FARMERS CONVENE IN VANCOUVER

That Excessive Freight Rates Are Seriously Hindering and Demeriting Interchange of Products—Complaints Regarding Shipments of Hay From Alberta.

Vancouver, Aug. 18.—The Intertrade Association, and lower freight rates between the prairie provinces and British Columbia were subjects of discussion and of action at the convention which opened here today and will close tomorrow. The United Farmers of Alberta and British Columbia, contrary to expectations, Mr. Scott, deputy minister of agriculture, did not arrive.

The chief resolution adopted expressed the conviction that excessive freight rates are seriously hindering the interchange of products under present conditions, and retarding future development in both Alberta and British Columbia, and it is further the conviction of this meeting that if it should be made certain the rise of the mayor politically. At any rate, that is one of the possibilities of the situation.

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To Meet Railway Officials.

Copies of this resolution will be sent to the municipalities of the C. P. R., C.N.R., G.N. and G.T.P., and to Mr. Whyte, requesting that a meeting be arranged at a date to be agreed upon. A standing committee of these representatives in both provinces of a system of public abattoirs, either by the municipalities or by the provincial governments, under government inspection.

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Inspection, otherwise there was no one to decide the shipper and the agents as to the grading of a parition shipment. Finally a resolution was adopted asking the provincial government of British Columbia and Alberta to enact a uniform law licensing and bonding all commission merchants handling any kind of farm produce. The provisions to be all on line down as the "Mannable Grain act for the licensing and bonding of grain commission merchants."

The question of grading and standardization of hay will be discussed tomorrow. Secretary Fream said the Dominion act regarding this matter was not properly enforced and applied to the east rather than the west. He thought that the convention should draft regulations which would establish the standard of qualities and submit them to the government. The hay should be inspected and under such a system he believed that hay would figure as largely as grain in the activity of many Alberta farmers. The question will be dealt with tomorrow.

Deny Rumors.

Liverpool, Aug. 19.—The officers of the Allan Line deny the American rumors that the C. P. R. has taken control. Death Caused by Ice Cream. Portsmouth, Ohio, Aug. 18.—Seven persons are dying, and a score of others are seriously ill as the result of taking poisoned ice cream at a church function at Glen, Kentucky, last night.

BE OUT ON STRIKE.

All Shipyards in Germany Are Now Standing Idle. Berlin, August 17.—As a result of the fight between the German shipbuilders and their employees, all the shipyards of Germany except the government yards are now idle, so far as construction assigned by the government to private yards is at a standstill and ship-orders are in many cases removed to a triflingly managed condition. Both bodies are demanding an increase of ten per cent all round and a fifty-five per cent increase in wages. It is maintained that these demands are a cloak to political purposes, and cannot be granted.

TWO MINERS KILLED.

Rock Carried in and Carried Them Down Stairs. Phoenix, B.C., Aug. 18.—Mike Bauer and D. Hainan were running a machine at Snowflake mine, when, without warning, a large quantity of rock saved in carrying men and machinery down the slopes below. Both bodies were recovered in a frightfully mangled condition. Both were experienced miners. Bauer has a brother in Milwaukee, Hainan was a Finlander and leaves a wife.

CHILD SEES MOTHER SHOT.

New York, Aug. 18.—Armed citizens and posse are skirting the swamp near North Bergen, N.J., today searching for Bertrand Pond, who is wanted for killing Mrs. Mary Umchez in the presence of her six-year-old son. The shooting took place last night and the police charge that Pond killed the woman because she rejected his attentions.

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Canadian Militia at Right.

Liverpool, Aug. 19.—The Morning Post declares that nothing is wrong with the staff of the Canadian army except numerical insufficiency and far too limited opportunities. It thinks the fighting value of the militia equal to the value of British territorials in any colony.

Program of Races Stand Enthused by Large Crowd in Good Season.

Opening day of the exhibition in the spacious to the east of the city history. Yesterday the first time charged to for years to come will the Capital City's annual race track receiving of flying hoofs and hooves. The grand stand held course of spectators, Midway began its career of flying hoofs and hooves. The grand stand held course of spectators, Midway began its career of flying hoofs and hooves.

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