

SPLENDID FARMING COUNTRY AROUND RIVIERE QUI BARRE

Prosperous Community to the North-West of Edmonton—Its History, Present State of Advancement and a Trading Centre in a Typical Western Settlement.

Bulletin Staff Correspondent. Riviere Qui Barre, Jan. 16.—At the crossroads at the southwest corner of section 26, township 45, range 26, west 4th meridian, there stands today a group of frame buildings on the prairie plain. In the old country such a place might be called a hamlet and in Eastern Canada "The Corners" but in Alberta it is simply called Riviere Qui Barre.

The chief centre of the place may be the post office. There is no river here. But at the present site the biggest building is the Roman Catholic church, a big frame edifice but not too large to accommodate the congregation from the parish of St. Emerance.

Riviere Qui Barre is a French name meaning in English the "river which bars." But at the present site there is no river river. So what an odd name for a place on the open prairie. But there is a reason for all this and a reason for this name.

The Blue-Whisker Barre. To the westward of St. Albert lies a lake known as Blue Lake, through which the Sturgeon River runs. Some distance north of Big Lake a little stream flows into the north into the little Sturgeon river near the Elbow.

Eastward from this stream, the prairie was open range with a few scattered bluffs of poplar or willow, while on the westward side trees grew and flourished because unchecked by the killing influences of the prairie fires which swept across the river which bars. This lush then barred the way for the progress of settlement in the early days in this district.

The Klondike Trail of 1898. The Klondike trail of 1898, when the Klondike rush was at its height. Along this trail the peak of the mountains rolled off into the valley. But the most conspicuous feature of the trail was the string of halting places, or halting places of various kinds. At that time Riviere Qui Barre was a small hamlet, a few houses and a few stores.

A Little Roman Catholic chapel had been erected at the mouth of the township. But as the settlement thickened the congregation grew, it was found necessary to build a new and larger church at the corners in a central part of the settlement.

Mr. Poirrier erected a large general store with a hall above. Other stores and shops were built at the corners. In more recent years the homesteaders began to migrate into the Riviere Qui Barre, and the settlement grew. The Old Riviere Qui Barre trail was gradually fenced off and travellers compelled to follow the route through the settlement.

Thus a stopping place was necessary at Riviere Qui Barre for many of these homesteaders would come to trade and purchase their supplies rather than make the longer haul from Edmonton.

Business Places Now Here. As the settlement grew and the mail increased a separate post office was established at Riviere Qui Barre with Edward Flynn as postmaster. He also drives a mail stage, which leaves the Riviere Qui Barre upon the arrival of the C. N. R. train from Edmonton.

Riviere Qui Barre is a despatching office from which mail routes radiate twice per week to Seymour, Stony, Dumahill and Belvedere, a total distance of 28 miles. From Belvedere mail goes north and northwest to Lawton, Mossie, Campsie, Green-croft, Whitcroft, Roydale, Peavine, Sandford, Mayertown, Paddle River, and Holmes Crossing and Hesterbridge. From Dumahill mail goes to Rich Valley, Lac La Poudre and Wild Horse and also northeast to Manoka and Weston. Mail also goes from Stony to Glenora and from Seymour to Independence. With such a large district to serve with mail, it is no wonder that the Riviere Qui Barre stage has over half a ton of mail at nearly every trip.

Business Places Now Here. There have been farmers in the past but now there is a hopeful prospect in the form of a new coal mine, recently opened a few hundred yards behind the post office. This may help to attract the railway managers to see the wisdom of building a spur or possibly a main line to secure valuable freight business of the coal mines at Riviere Qui Barre. The C. N. R. have built a spur east to the Cardiff mines and from the same point a spur could easily be built straight west to the Riviere Qui Barre mine over the level prairie.

7-Foot Seam 122 Feet Underground. 7-Foot seam 122 feet underground. Larger coal mines have had smaller beginnings. The Riviere Qui Barre Coal Co., Ltd., of which J. Poirrier is president and G. W. Irwin secretary, have secured twenty acres of valuable coal property, at a depth of 122 feet.

FIVE KILLED BY GAS EXPLOSION

CONNEVILLE, PA., STORE WAS WRECKED AND OTHER DAMAGE BY EXPLOSION.

Conneville, Pa., Jan. 12.—Five dead and twenty seriously injured is the toll of one of the worst explosions ever recorded in the natural gas fields of the Middle States which today wrecked a crowded five and ten cent store here, setting fire to and destroying the building and damaging nine other structures. The explosion blew out the front wall of the building, tearing down telephone, telegraph and electric lines, and blowing up a gas pipe, setting fire, hampering attempts at rescue work. Employees and customers were buried in the collapse of the building.

One young woman, was identified by her shoes which she failed to remove. The bodies of a man and woman were taken from the ruins to be buried. The bodies of a man and woman were taken from the ruins to be buried.

SETTLERS IN CITY FROM GRANDE PRAIRIE Do Not Advise People Going in to Travel Via Medicine Lodge as the Road is Rough and There Are No Stopping Places.

A. Palawock, about whose arrival at Grande Prairie some anxiety was felt last spring, arrived in the city Thursday on the occasion of his first trip out to Edmonton for supplies. He records that in spite of being caught by the break-up last spring, he was able to reach Grande Prairie without mishap. Although he had no road and broken horses, he was able to reach Grande Prairie without mishap.

Grain Yielded Well in 1910. The following are a few of the good grain yields of this district for the season of 1910. J. F. St. John, five miles northeast of Riviere Qui Barre, had 138 bushels which yielded according to machine measure, 1800 bushels oats, 250 bushels barley.

VEGREVILLE 'SPIEL YESTERDAY'S GAMES Results of Matches Played in Professional Shield, Merchants, Grand Challenge and Consolation Cup Competitions.

VEGREVILLE, Jan. 12.—Following are the results of games played yesterday: Professional Shield, eight games; Merchants, eight games; Grand Challenge, eight games; Consolation Cup, eight games.

600 C.P.R. PASSENGERS STALLED IN CALGARY Company Has Five Hundred Guests in the Mercur of Getting Out of Town.

Calgary, Jan. 12.—It is costing the Canadian Pacific railway fifteen hundred dollars a day to feed five hundred passengers tied up here on the way to the coast and no forecast is made as to when the road will be open. Grooves cut through the snow banks in the mountains in very rapidly and shovellers have hard work owing to the severe weather.

PREPARING FOR CORONATION. London Hotels Raise Rates in Anticipation of Coronation. London, Jan. 13.—Ostentatious contingents of troops will accompany the coronation festivities about five per cent. of troops will accompany the coronation festivities about five per cent.

Quebec Jan. 13.—Regarding a report which is current that Sir Lomer Gouin is likely to throw up provincial politics to go into Federal politics, the idea being to strengthen Sir Wilfrid Laurier's cabinet, Sir Lomer Gouin has already announced that he will not do so.

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WINNIPEG POLITICS

Mr. Rogers Laying Plans to Get to Ottawa.

Winnipeg, Jan. 12.—As the result of a conference yesterday between Hon. Robert Rogers and the editor of the Telegram, the provincial government organ, at which Magnus Sinclair, internal street railway union organizer, was the third party, Mr. Rogers took the first step to rehabilitate himself in the eyes of organized labor this morning. In view of the close connection between the Mackenzie and Mann interests and the provincial government, the people who were surprised to find the front page of today's Telegram devoted to a criticism of the street car service, the Telegram says, to the fact that many of the old motormen and conductors have not been taken back into the company's service, their places being held by men who were taken on during the recent strike.

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ROBERT CALDWELL DEAD. Injured Prominently as Witness in the Famous Druggist Case.

New York, Jan. 13.—Robert Caldwell, the great American affidavit maker, who figured as the principal witness in the famous Druggist case in England, is dead here after an illness of several days.

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SAYS SUNNY SOUTH HAS FEW ATTRACTIONS FOR FARMERS

Mr. L. O. Armstrong Says Canada Need Fear Nothing From Campaign to Diversify Immigration—C. P. R. Colonization Agent Has no Apprehensions Over the Attempt to Keep United States Farmers From Coming to Canada.

Toronto, Jan. 10.—Canada, from an immigration standpoint, has nothing to fear in the attempt of the authorities of the United States to divert the trek of the Appalachian farmers from Canada to the Southern States, according to Mr. L. O. Armstrong, colonization and industrial agent of the C. P. R., who has just returned from St. Louis.

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CALGARY LIBERALS DECLARE CONFIDENCE

Endorse Dominion and Provincial Governments and Declare Confidence in Mr. Cushing.

Calgary, Jan. 10.—The annual meeting of the Calgary Liberal association was held last evening, when officers were elected for the next year. The resolutions were passed endorsing Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. A. L. Sifton and W. H. Cushing.

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PURPOSES AND ORGANIZATION OF ST. OHN AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION

Chief of Police Outlines Movement For Establishment of Branches Throughout Canada. The Objects Which are in View—In Time of War Organization Would Be Valuable Auxiliary.

The following extracts from the address of Captain Birchwhistle at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday indicate the course being followed in the extension of the St. John Ambulance Association to Edmonton and the objects of the organization:

"The objects of the Association, summarized are:—First, the instruction of persons in rendering first aid in case of accident or sudden illness, and the transport of the sick and injured.

"Second, the instruction of persons in the elementary principles and practice of home nursing.

"Third, the instruction of persons in the principles of domestic hygiene and sanitation.

"Fourth, the carrying out of works of relief of suffering of the sick or injured in time of peace or war.

"Fifth, the organization of Auxiliary units at centres to be utilized in time of war.

"About a year ago it was decided by those interested to organize the work of the Association in Canada on a practical working basis. His Excellency the Governor-General readily consented to the plan and the work was launched in a most satisfactory manner.

"The ambulance department of the Grand Priory of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England has an honorable record. It is the latest descendant of an ancient and worthy order of chivalry dating from the Crusades and has been noted for its good work during the intervening centuries.

"The present and Sovereign Head of the Order is His Majesty the King, and His Majesty the Duke of Cornwall, is the head of the association in Canada in His Excellency the Governor-General, and His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor has graciously consented to be the chief of this Province.

"The work of the Association starts far back as the 11th century, when the association was known as the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, and its headquarters were in Jerusalem, the city of the Cross of Jesus in the West, and the centre of its activities was the Holy Sepulchre.

"The Order of St. John of Jerusalem was founded in 1072 by the Order of the Knights of Jerusalem, and it was in 1857 that the Order of St. John of Jerusalem was reconstituted in England.

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TARIFF CONFERENCE MAY END SATURDAY

The Canadian and United States Representatives Negotiating Reciprocity Treaty May Conclude Their Work This Week.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 11.—It is stated here today by acute observers of the situation that the reciprocity conference will probably be closed by Saturday.

The reciprocity conference, which is now in progress, is the most important of the kind ever held in this country.

The conference is being held at the invitation of the United States government, and is the first of its kind since the signing of the Reciprocity Act of 1908.

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A RE-ADJUSTMENT OF RATES

Independent Oil Refiners Have Won A Victory.

Cleveland, Jan. 11.—The independent oil refiners have won a victory in a fight to obtain a readjustment of the freight rates to points in Canada which will enable them to enter into competition with the Standard Oil.

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CABLE COMPANIES IN STATE OF ALARM

Reduction in Tolls a Move to Head Off Scheme for Government Cable From Scotland to Canada.

New York, Jan. 11.—In well informed circles here it is the prevailing notion that the recently announced agreement between the Anglo-American Cable Company and the Western Union Telegraph Company for the reduction of tolls on trans-Atlantic messages from 25 to 12 cents a word is a plan to prevent public sentiment from crystallizing in support of the proposed new government cable from Scotland to the north of Canada.

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PRIESTS RESIGN

Refuse to Take New Oath Imposed by German Government.

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From Munich it is reported that four professors of theology at the University of Munich have resigned their pastoral functions in order to escape taking this oath, which is a Catholic clergyman has declined to take the oath, and that a professor has completely severed his connection with the church as a protest against the action of the papal curia. The great majority, however, of the teaching staff of the faculty of Catholic theology have consented to give the required guarantees.

Rumors are afloat in Dresden that in the Catholic court circles there, much chagrin is felt at the refusal of the king, especially in Great Britain. It is even said that King Edward VII. has refused to receive any Catholic prelate at any time as an enthusiastic Catholic, is considering whether he should not transfer his allegiance to the church of the traditional majority of his subjects belong.

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MEMORIAL PRESENTED TO GOVERNMENT AGAINST RECIPROCAL TRADE ARRANGEMENT

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The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. Gentlemen.—It has been my intention to write you for some time, but being busy I have neglected to do so until now.

I am a Baptist minister. War ordained June 14th, 1887, in Cranham Baptist Church, Northumberland Co., Ont. I want to tell you in as few words as possible what I know about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was pastor of the Daleville, Que., Baptist Church in 1891 and again in 1894. While pastor in 1891 the Rev. John King, a former pastor, aged 74, was stricken with paralysis so that he could not help himself. His head or did, take a tablespoonful of rhubarb every day to keep his bowels regular. The paralysis never returned and it was not long before he could walk again and his bowels were regular. The paralysis never returned and his bowels remained active. He died a few years ago practically from old age.

I went from Daleville, Que., to Groton, Vermont, as pastor of the Baptist Church in that place. There lived a man about two and one half miles from Groton by the name of Neil McCrea, a Canadian. I heard he was ill, and being a Canadian, I went to see him. I found him lying in bed. He said he had no pain but was too weak to sit up. His lips were bloodless. In fact he was as white as chalk. I recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and gave him some. He began taking them and in a short time could see blood in the veins of his hands and in the course of a few weeks he was able to get up and walk. He had a hat on his head and a cane in his hand, and he was as well as ever. I have since recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and have seen many other cases of paralysis cured by its use.

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The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. Gentlemen.—It has been my intention to write you for some time, but being busy I have neglected to do so until now.

I am a Baptist minister. War ordained June 14th, 1887, in Cranham Baptist Church, Northumberland Co., Ont. I want to tell you in as few words as possible what I know about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was pastor of the Daleville, Que., Baptist Church in 1891 and again in 1894. While pastor in 1891 the Rev. John King, a former pastor, aged 74, was stricken with paralysis so that he could not help himself. His head or did, take a tablespoonful of rhubarb every day to keep his bowels regular. The paralysis never returned and it was not long before he could walk again and his bowels were regular. The paralysis never returned and his bowels remained active. He died a few years ago practically from old age.

I went from Daleville, Que., to Groton, Vermont, as pastor of the Baptist Church in that place. There lived a man about two and one half miles from Groton by the name of Neil McCrea, a Canadian. I heard he was ill, and being a Canadian, I went to see him. I found him lying in bed. He said he had no pain but was too weak to sit up. His lips were bloodless. In fact he was as white as chalk. I recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and gave him some. He began taking them and in a short time could see blood in the veins of his hands and in the course of a few weeks he was able to get up and walk. He had a hat on his head and a cane in his hand, and he was as well as ever. I have since recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and have seen many other cases of paralysis cured by its use.

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ina S. D. 1672 to commence duties Jan. 20. Apply at once, stating salary to the secretary, J. H. McCallum, Secy. to W. Mohr, Sec. Treas. Municipal, Alta.

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STRAYED—From the premises of the undersigned, three N.E. of St. Albert on Sturgeon River, row cow, red cow, roan heifer rising 2 years old; red cow, star on forehead, white under belly; 1 1/2 year old heifer, star on forehead, white on belly; red cow, 2 years old, face black; white steer 1 1/2 years; also one mare with white face, brown on and branded D. C. left shoulder. Apply JAMES BELLROSE, St. Albert.

STRAYED FROM THE FARM OF THE UNDERSIGNED.

On Dec. 15, one blue and white cow, weight about 1000 lbs. had calf on; also a red heifer, two and one year old; also a cow, face black, white star on forehead, white on belly. Reward will be given for information leading to their recovery. F. W. LOBB, Rich Valley P.O., Alberta.

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I HAVE TONS OF MONEY TO LEND on good farm property. This is private capital and these loans are made on your own terms. I will pay you to see or write me. W. D. McCallum, 220 Jasper Ave., East, Edmonton, Phone, 4242.

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| Year | Per cent | Total |
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| 1898-10 | 100 | 100 |
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REACH DECISION AS TO FISHERIES

CONFERENCE OVER NEWFOUNDLAND FISHERIES REGULATIONS SATISFACTORY

Washington, Jan. 12.—The Commissioners of the United States and Canada, who have been considering the fisheries regulations, have reached a decision. The Canadian and Newfoundland governments undertake to change the existing regulations to meet the objectives of the United States, thus making it unnecessary to call on the board of experts.

JURY A CURSE INSTEAD OF A GREAT BLESSING

Connect For Toronto Street Railway Charged With Maintaining Commission Business Says Jury Which Does Not Believe In Evidence Is Barbaric Body.

FRENCH CAPITAL IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Jan. 12.—The increase in interest of French financiers in Canadian affairs has reached its acme. It is decided that owing to the recent success of the French capital in Montreal, M.P. During his journey through France Mr. Forget advanced the interests of the Canadian people, and he came back with authority for quite a large investment of French savings in Canadian enterprises.

WINNIPEG MIDNIGHT FIRE

Lockers Turned Out of Burning Building Scarcely Cooled.

SUN LIFE OF CANADA

The new business of the Sun Life of Canada, which was organized in the year just closed in the largest in the history of the company.

BABIES BURNED TO DEATH

Left Alone by Mother, While She Went to Neighbors.

NOT ENOUGH CURRENT TO OPERATE CARS

Superintendent of Street Railway Proposes to Experiment With a Hot Air Machine, and If Satisfactory to Substitute It For Electric Apparatus.

UNITED AIDS HOLDS ITS ANNUAL MEETING

Travis Barker, Retiring President of Council of United Aids Societies, Reports Work Done By Organization During Year.

IS ACCUSED OF MURDER

Whelpling, W. Va., Jan. 10.—All preparations have been practically completed and unless some unforeseen contingency should arise, the trial of Mrs. Laura Farnsworth Schneck, who is charged with the attempt to poison her husband, will begin in this city on Monday.

RECIPROCITY TALK

Canadian Representatives Presented to Members of Congress.

MEETING DOUBLE LIABILITY

Shareholders of Farmers Bank Are Paying Promptly.

MANY KILLED IN EXPLOSION

Twenty Girls and Four Men Reported Killed and Injured.

KING'S UNCLE IS NEXT GOVERNOR

Duke of Connaught Accepts Office of Governor-General of Canada.

BRITISH ISLES STORM SWIFT

Gale of Hurricane Force Raging in the Old Land.

MEXICAN INSURRECTOS HOLD REGULARS AT BAY

Handful of Revolutionists Successfully Resist Position Against Much Stronger Attacking Force—Twenty Men Killed, the Majority Being Federal Troops.

LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE CONVENES IN TORONTO

Retiring Secretary Refers to Closing of Post Offices in Western Cities on Sunday—General Officers Elected—Dr. McQueen Vice-President for Alberta.

TRAFFIC DELAY

Approaching a gale from the west, and continuance of the intense cold have not helped the transportation companies in their efforts to overcome the damage of the recent storms and get back to the schedule.

B. C. LEGISLATURE MEETS

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 12.—The Legislature opened today. The speech from the throne commented on the general prosperity of the province.

KILLED WHILE COASTING

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 12.—Clarence Johnson, aged 14, was killed last night in a coasting accident at South Vancouver.

BABY'S SPLENDID HEALTH

Mrs. H. Yates, Montreal, Que., writes: "Baby's splendid health was obtained through the use of Baby's Tablets."

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WILSON'S 44 Queen's Ave. THE JUDGE'S REPORT IN THE SHEARER INQUIRY

Winnipeg, Jan. 12.—There appears to be a nigger in the wood-pile somewhere in regard to Judge Robson's report on the investigation he held into the late James Shearer charges.

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SEMI-WEEKLY EDI VOLUME V. FINANCIERS OF JOIN TO Cash is Poured Into Many Companies is Taken Over Business World is All That Has Arisen.

New York, Jan. 10.—That banking institutions of the city are prepared to present any sane or present conditions in plain today by the presence clearing house of a number leading capitalists of the city on hand to take care of any might develop in any city had available almost unlimited resources in every institution might have unusual demand upon it, such as has not been since 1907, when Morgan's contribution of \$25,000,000 concern backed Equitable Insurance Co., of Morgan is a contributing factor.

Two Banks Support. Morgan also personally responsibility for all of its of which the Nineteenth and the ward banks and their branch it was by his directions that he had clarified the situation his order the Madison Trust company, formerly the Van Nord company, was taken over.

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