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Inspector W. H. Stevens Views Canadian West

How the Country's Resources are being Developed. The Growing Cities. Advance of Land Values. The Great Wheat Crop.

Mr. W. H. Stevens, of Lindsay, inspector of schools for West Victoria, has just returned from a trip to the west. He visited many places in the Canadian Northwest, and spent two weeks with his brother, a large farmer in North Dakota. U.S. When asked what he thought of the country, Mr. Stevens replied:

"If a man hasn't seen it, don't believe anything he tells you; for he cannot estimate the extent of the country without having seen it." Going via Owen Sound by boat he was pleased with the good accommodation on the C.P.R. steamer, which for comfort and restful travel is as good as any one could wish. "From Fort William to Kenora," said he, "there is a stretch of country which, perhaps, will never be any good for agriculture, but after that there is fairly good country to Winnipeg. 'I didn't like the looks of Winnipeg altogether, as the older parts of the city are built of a poor class of houses, but it will undoubtedly outgrow that condition and become a very great city. The fair was in progress and the attendance very large."

"How does it compare with eastern exhibitions?" "In the quality of exhibits it is not up to our Lindsay Central Fair. It was too early in the season to have the 1906 harvest exhibits. They could make a better display a little later in the season, but could not secure as large attendance. "There were some good specimens of live stock, but the horses and cattle were not up to what we see at Ontario fairs. All classes of horses and cattle were shown."

Leaving Winnipeg and passing through a good farming country, Mr. Stevens next stopped at Portage la Prairie. "Here I saw the first cutting of grain. They had begun cutting on August 3rd, and were harvesting a splendid crop. All around Portage la Prairie there is a good agricultural country."

"Brandon has a nice situation than any other place I saw in the west. It is on elevated ground in the midst of the prairie, and is built more compactly than other western towns and cities. Most of them are too much spread out. "The G. T. P. is to pass near Brandon. "I did not stop long enough to see the country around. I was there on the day of the fair and the place was crowded, and evidently appeared at its best. "From Brandon to Regina was the next journey, and the country through which I passed is good, with some poor spots. "Regina is the foundation for a great city. It is substantially built. The people who are building it evidently intend it to stay for keeps, and to make it their home. Dwellings being built are what would cost here from \$1500 to \$3,000 or \$4,000. To the south of the main city is the site where the government buildings are to be located. "Mud? Lindsay is not in it with Regina for mud. Even a light shower will make sticky disagreeable mud. But they are paving the streets and will overcome that difficulty. I have no hesitation in saying that Regina is a good solid city, although it is not so well situated as Brandon as to site. The public men are shrewd fellows and are working for the future."

From Regina Mr. Stevens went north about 250 miles to Prince Albert. For some distance the railway runs through the valley of a blind river, and very little can be seen of the country, but about Davidson and Hanley, crossing a magnificent grain belt the country can be seen for many miles east and west. Not one-tenth of this land is settled, and comparatively little of it is under cultivation. The impression he had of the wheat area of the west is that:

"If the other wheat growing countries of the world should all cease production, the wheat fields of the Canadian west could supply the world's needs. "Saskatoon is a 'boom' town, and is not being developed on conservative lines. Formerly the expectation they had of the capital being located there caused the 'boom,' now it is the G. T. P. which will likely cross through it. "The road now operated by the C. P. R. from Regina to Prince Albert has been purchased by the Canadian Northern, and will soon be run by that company. "The junction of the Canadian Northern and the present C. P. R. is about thirteen miles north of Saskatoon. From the junction to Prince Albert there is rolling prairie with lots of sloughs and recent growth of trees; all the way from Warman is historic ground, where the battles of the rebellion of 1885 were fought. "Prince Albert is located on the south bank of the Saskatchewan river, and is a nice little town. The soil is good all around it. Close to the river there is a sandy subsoil, which is not good, but back a little way more substantial subsoil of clay mixed with gravel. "The principal industries are the lumber mills, of which there are two or three large ones. The Prince Albert Lumber Co's mills are the largest, and their large output is spruce and tamarac. There is no pine."

Mr. Stevens' son Howard, who is a surveyor for the Proudfoot and McLennan Co., has been north of the town, through the timber lands, and says there is more spruce and tamarac than the present mills could cut in the next fifty years. "The water supply in this part of the country is good," said Mr. Stevens, "and there is no trouble in sinking wells. In some other places they have to go deep to get water, but around Prince Albert, good water can be obtained not far from the surface. The city water is taken from the Saskatchewan river. He drove out to see the country, and passed by the beautiful farm of Mossom Boyd, of Bobcaygeon. There is a large district east of the town called the Cabrot river district, where land was offered him a year ago for \$6 an acre. It is now selling for \$12 an acre. Before returning to the east Mr. Stevens took a trip south from Winnipeg into North Dakota. The country about half the way from Winnipeg to the boundary is too wet for farming, but the rest of the way from Morris south and over the line is grand country. "The Red River valley is one stretch of wheat," he said, "the largest continuous belt I saw." Going through Grand Forks, west on the Great Northern to Knox, then south to Rhodes, Mr. Stevens spent two weeks with his brother, who has a large farm under cultivation at the latter place. During his visit to the west, Mr. Stevens was much impressed with the amount of work the western farmer accomplishes in a day. "Do you think the climate has anything to do with it?" he was asked. "No," he replied, "I think not. It is simply because the measure of a day's work has been set large by some ambitious ones, and the others are not satisfied until they fill it." "Do you see any drawbacks which are likely to affect the country?" "The time is past when a hail storm can affect it to a very great extent, and even a drought would not likely affect such a great area of country. "But there is one thing that is more than likely to affect the progress of the country in the future, and that is the land speculator. Companies have bought up large blocks of land at what should be settlers' prices, and by the time it has passed through several speculators' hands, the price is forced up to \$15 or \$18 per acre for unimproved prairie land, and the settler must pay that price or move far out from civilization and the railways."

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naked; and they sewed fig leaves together, and made themselves aprons."—Gen. 3:7.

The subject of dress engages a large amount of the time and attention, the interest and the thought of human beings. This is especially true of those who dwell in civilized lands. With us the art of dressing is cultivated with constant and unwearied assiduity, and with myriads of persons the chief question is "where shall we be clothed?" But probably there are few who even put to themselves or to others the question "What is the Divine idea of dress?"

Looking out upon the panoramic field of God's works, and observing all the beauty and variety to be seen in this magnificent universe, we cannot but feel that God is a lover of dress. He has put robes of beauty and of glory upon all His works. Every field blushes beneath a mantle of beauty. Every star is robed in brightness, every bird is clothed in habiliments of the most exquisite taste. It is certain that He who has so clothed all things, giving to each a robe suited to its nature and environment, has an idea of what man's dress should be. What this divine idea of dress is must be learned from God's written word. This book tells us all we need to know of our being, life and destiny. And just because dress is vitally related to these realities, the Word makes known the divine idea of human dress.

Searching this book we find the declarations regarding dress to be neither meagre nor meaningless, but numerous and full of profoundest moral and spiritual significance.

When we look abroad on the great creation we see that every natural object and every living creature is clothed. There is but one exception to this universal fact. It is only dead things that remain unclothed.

(a) Look at natural objects. Through all the sunny season of the year, the earth is arrayed with a robe of loveliness far more charming than the loveliest garment that a queen ever wore. And if we look at the shrubs and flowers which adorn earth's bosom, we shall see that all of them are exquisitely dressed: "Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like these." Matt. 6:29. The mountains and hills are arrayed in embroidered garments, of green, and the trees of the forest are everywhere clothed with rich, varied and ever changing dresses. The fruit trees in garden and orchard are not only beautiful with leaves in the spring, but also with fairest buds and blossoms; and in the autumn days with ripe and precious fruits. And no two trees are dressed alike, for the great Creator delights in variety, and rejoiceth in all the works of His hands.

(b) Look also at the living creatures. They, too, are all dressed. Not one of them is left in an unclothed condition. Many are naked when ushered into existence, but it is not long until the bird is covered with feathers and the beast with hair or wool. Man alone of all God's creatures is left without clothing. Man alone is compelled to have recourse to artificial clothing. Why is this?

The material dress worn by fallen humanity is unnatural. Adam ap-

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THE WEEKLY SERMON

The Divine Idea of Dress
(Frank S. Weston, Immanuel Baptist Church, Toronto)

THE DESTRUCTION
"And the eyes of these both were opened, and they knew they were

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