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And invite inspection of our New Fall Stock.

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South Grey Show next Tuesday and Wednesday.

OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

A welcome visitor to the Capital this week has been Hon. Thos. Greenway, Manitoba's energetic and popular Premier. As usual he is full of enthusiasm over the outlook in his adopted Province, the public affairs of which he has so successfully guided for the past 12 years, and never had he better reason for satisfaction with the present and confidence for the future. The harvest, now successfully garnered, is the best in the history of the Province and the third of three successive years, each of which was a record. The latest estimates place the output at 60,000,000 bushels; from 90 to 95 per cent of this will probably grade No. 1 Hard and the price of grain promises to be at least an average. The improved transportation conditions have come into operation in time to give the farmer the fullest possible benefit from this splendid harvest. The reduction of three cents a bushel on east-bound wheat secured by the Government when granting the C. P. R. the charter to build the Crow's Nest Pass Railway is in itself equivalent to a cash saying of at least three quarters of a million dollars on this year's crop alone, while the big reduction in the west bound freight charges will make an appreciable difference in the cost of a multitude of necessities which the Westerner is compelled to purchase from the east.

The cost of a bushel of wheat.

In this connection it is interesting to note an estimate recently prepared by the Superintendent of the Brandon Experimental Farm of the cost of growing an acre of wheat. Giving all the details of preparing the soil, sowing, reaping and marketing, with the interest on capital invested and percentage on wear and tear of implements, a total cost of \$7.87 is arrived at, and taking the yield at the Farm, 29 bushels to the acre as an average, at .50 cents a bushel, which is certainly not an extravagant estimate, the farmer receives a clear cash profit on every acre of \$6.63. The best railway land has been sold this year at an average of a fraction over three dollars an acre, so it will be seen that one season's profits will pay the first cost of the farm twice over, and that is about as handsome a return for honest toil as any man could desire or expect. The Western farmer occupies a position to-day which may well attract the attention and excite the envy of his less fortunate brothers in older lands. Neither under the Stars and Stripes nor in any other part of the civilized world can results equal to this be assured and the one duty of Canadians at this time would appear to be to make known such facts as the above throughout the world, wherever desirable accessions to our population can be found; for population is the one thing that we lack to-day and the indications are that even that need is being rapidly supplied.

The Iron Industry.

Nor is the West monopolizing all the prosperity and development; older Canada is getting its share, and getting it abundantly. The iron industry may be quoted as an excellent sample of this, for it is advancing with giant strides in the Maritime Provinces, in Ontario, and in Quebec. The biggest development is in Nova Scotia where at Sydney, Cape Breton, the Dominion Iron and Steel Company has been organized with a capital of \$20,000,000, and at North Sydney another strong company is erecting extensive works. In Ontario furnaces with a capacity of 18,000 tons are being erected at Midland, and in each Province all the existing works are in operation to their fullest capacity night and day. Official statistics show that nearly 114,000 tons of pig iron was used in Canada in 1898, 64 per cent of which was produced in the country. In 1897 the consumption was little more than half of that and the proportion of home produced still less, the exact figures of home produced pig iron being 75,895 tons in 1898 and 33,254 tons in 1897. The iron and steel rolled into finished product in Canada in 1898 was 101,140 tons, as against 86,263 tons in 1897; 84,048 tons in 1896 and 74,370 tons in 1895, an increase of 36 per cent in three years.

Kipling's Good Advice.

In the contemplation of facts such as the above, one is irresistibly reminded of the following remarks of our friend Kipling:—"It is a great country; a country with a future. There is a fine hard, bracing climate that puts iron and grit into men's bones, and there are all good things to be got out of the ground if people will work for them. What it wants is more men and more

money. Why don't Englishmen think more of it as a field for English capital and enterprise? Surely there is an excellent opening for the investing and emigrating Briton there. Things don't perhaps move quite so fast as in the United States, but they are safer, and you are under the flag you know, and among men of the same stock and breed. Send your folks to Canada, and if they can't go themselves, let them send their money—plenty of it."

Beware the Wildcat.

If the Dominion hopes to profit to the fullest extent by this advice, and benefit as it has a right to do by the splendid conditions now existing, its reputation upon the British money market must be sternly and jealously guarded. The British capitalist is a liberal investor when his confidence is once secured, but when that confidence has been shaken, the mischief done is often almost irreparable. In the early days of the Klondike boom Canada's reputation suffered not a little by the unprincipled conduct of promoters foisting wildcat schemes on the London markets. There has not been so much complaint recently, but that the mischief has not been entirely eradicated, is apparent from a statement which recently appeared in the London (Eng.) Financial Times, in which a shareholder in 'The Klondike Reets Exploration Company' exposed the rottenness of that concern. The prospectus of the Company issued less than two years ago, placed the capital at 100,000 £s sterling, of which 17,000 pounds was subscribed and duly paid up, but the entire amount has vanished, in fact the whole business appears to have dropped out of sight. The correspondent declared that he and his fellow shareholders, were induced to invest almost entirely through the influence of prominent men whose names they saw upon the prospectus, and they very naturally and rightly feel aggrieved at the outcome. As the Globe's London Correspondent very pertinently observed in commenting upon the case:—"The moral is obvious. No Canadian and especially none who has attained a position which gives him importance in the eyes of strangers personally unacquainted with him, has a right to compromise Canada by allowing his name to be used on a prospectus seeking Capital outside of the Dominion unless he is convinced by expert advice that the concern has a reasonable chance of success, to say nothing of being an irreclaimable wildcat. Light hearted ignorance in such cases is not an excuse."

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Crawford

Thrashing is all the go around here now. Boyle Bros. and Alexander McDonald have tipped the record and are doing great work.

Mrs. Alex. Coultis is visiting her daughters in Toronto at present. Also Mr. and Mrs. Hastie spent a few days in Toronto.

A young son arrived at the home of Mr. Tom Clement last week. Tom says it is going to stay too.

Mr. Donald McLean and family have returned to Shallow Lake, after spending a month's visit at Mr. Boyle's.

Miss Flora McDonald returned home, after spending a month visiting friends in Owen Sound.

Mr. D. Gillis, of Williamstown, spent last Sunday with Miss J. Coultis.

Mr. Alexander McDonald spent last Sunday out east. I wonder where? and which way does Angus go driving.

Miss Clara Armour, of Toronto, was the guest of Miss Jessie Hones a few days.

Murdoch

Mrs. J. E. Burrows, of Paisley, returned to her home, after spending a few days with her mother who was seriously ill, but who we are pleased to report has almost fully recovered.

Mr. Alex Bradley, accompanied by his niece, Miss Mary, visited Arthur friends last week.

Mrs. Sam Orchard, of your town, is renewing old acquaintances around her old home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Eden enjoyed a week's holiday at Shallow Lake.

Mrs. D. and Mr. J. Sharpe visited South Bend friends one day last week.

Miss Jane Mathews is enjoying a well earned rest, after spending a number of months in the city.

Miss Mary A. Gordon is a-visitng Mr. Kodsley, of Holstein, this week in his rush in tailoring.

Mr. Thomas Fallock, Jr., is engaged for a few months with Mr. George Bradley, of Arthur.

Court of Revision.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court will be held pursuant to "The Ontario Voters' Lists Act" by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Grey, at the Town Hall in the Town of Durham, on Saturday the 30th day of September, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock, a. m., to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Town of Durham for 1899.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

Dated at Durham, the 13th day of September, 1899.

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Sad and lonely is now the home
That once was gay and bright,
Since you have gone and left us,
To inhabit the realms of light.

We sorely miss thee now John,
For you were our greatest joy,
Our lost and loved and happy one,
You were our precious boy.

But what good can this do for him,
Who sleeps beneath the sod?
For fairer far than the brightest flower,
Is he in the presence of God.

For we know he is an angel now,
And clothed in robes of white,
And placed upon his beautiful brow,
A crown that is ever bright.

We know that thy troubles are ended,
That now you are with the blest,
"Where the wicked cease from troubling,
And the weary are at rest."

Then useless it now is to mourn,
Our happy dear one is at rest,
We know he can never return
From the land of the happy and blest.

There we will strive to meet thee,
Where parting is no more;
Oh, with what joy we shall greet thee,
On that happy, heavenly shore.

Then keep him blessed Jesus,
Our secret treasure oh keep,
Till we like unto this happy boy,
In death shall fall fast asleep.

—EUPHEMIA McARTHUR.

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