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DEAN ELLER

Successor to Dean George G. Ware Will Conduct First Service Next Sunday Morning

Dean A. Thorold-Eller comes Alliance as successor to Dean George
G. Ware, who conducted his last service as pastor at St. Matthews Epision anything in that country," he device as pastor at St. Matthews Episcopal church last Sunday morning. Dean Eller will begin his work at Alliance next Sunday. He comes from Grand Rapids, Mich., where he has been acting in the capacity of assistant to Dean Francis S. White.

The following article, taken from a Grand Rapids newspaper, tells of some of Dean Eller's experiences in the Canadian wilds before going to

Grand Rapids.

The article says: ral, where he is now acting in the capacity of assistant to Dean Francis S. White, he had some rough and thrilling experiences on the vast prairies of northwestern Canada. In fact, six weeks ago he came here straight from the province of Alberta, where he had been working for three hard years, trying to build up feeble little parishes in the midst of the plains.

Rev. Thorold-Eller shows the effects of his strenuous life in the open. His face is ruddy, his bearing rugged, his sinews hardened through the rigor of an existence which would strike many churchmen as too extreme to be endured. He came proved several orders listing vast over from Lincolnshire, England, in areas of land in the West for desig-1907, and since that time, with the nation under the Enlarged Homeexception of a brief six months when stead Act which permits entries of he returned for a vacation, has been 320 acres each. constantly engaged preaching and establishing churches in the north- made available for entry in double

His father was rector of a beauing. A few weeks after his mar- Mexico, and Colorado. riage to an English girl he came to were taken out, singly, and set down their own congregations.

The hardships endured during the first weeks and months of this lone— In Washington about 65,000 acres ly existence may perhaps best be imhave been designated as subject to sufficient for the purpose.

anything about church, or who were not already signed up by a Presbyterian preacher who had invaded which looked as though it might be able to turn out a dozen or so pious conduct services the next Sunday.

When he arrived, expecting to find handful, and prepared to be very thankful even for that, he found the little church crowded to the doors. There were over 40 there waiting for him. What was his joy to find that they were, nearly all of them Church the most inspired of any held under Mexico. his supervision in Canada.

of plenty to do. The only question by the recent odrer has been increaswas, after that, how one man could manage to get over so much ground as was necessary. Every other Sunday he would drive over 34 miles in going to and coming back from a the state are affected by this order, distant church where there was no which also becomes effective October preacher. This trip he used to make 10, 1914. all by himself, and upon one occasion the rig broke completely down. The box, with the seat on which he was sitting, went through to the hauled some rods before the horse,

could be prevailed upon to stop. This mishap made him a half hour in those parts are described as paying no attention whatever to time, his congregation was not even grown restive. Some one patched up his vehicle for him with the aid of a piece of wire, and he managed to get in the fastance of S. F. Nichols of

In the winter time he got over the ground in a wooden sleigh made very roughly out of boards and logs.

comfortable. did not live in any great degree of the ear corn meat, the cost of feed luxury. He had a rough little cabin for the same cows was \$6.76 per huddled near the tiny rough church. day. The average amount of milk It was really only one room, but given for three days was 379 pounds. this was divided up with curtains, which at 3 cents gave a profit above and later a kitchen was built on. cost of feed of \$4.61. The value of Mrs. Eller came out and lived the the balanced ration above that forsame simple and frugal life her hus-merly fed was \$2.30 per day in in-

lived in the vicinity of the river made famous by the Pink Lady. made famous by the Pink Lady. Once he fell into it and was nearly drowned. He was on his married AQUISITIONS drowned. He was on his way to attend a funeral, and had the misfortune to lose his balance while attempting to moor his light little The water was deep, too, he says, but he managed to scramble Then he dried his clothes the best way he could, building a fire for the purpose. He was late to the fun-eral, but the people engaged in it

Rev. Eller feels now he is living in the lap of luxury, when he remem-bers what hardships had to be endured during those aix long years of 892,135 square miles; Louisiana loyal service to the northward. He is very much impressed with Grand Rapids, and likes the United States first rate. Though a typical Englishman i nappearance and in accent, he yet appears to have acquired very much the American point of view. Before Rev. A. Thorold-Eller came as curate to St. Mark's pro cathedhaving a church of his own some

Vast Areas of Land Added Under Enlarged Homestead Act Which Permits Entries of 320

Secretary Lane has recently ap-

All of this land which has been homesteads has been determined by the department to be arid and nontiful old church said to boast an an- irrigable. The areas included in the a part of the Oregon acquisition and tiquity of fully 800 years, and the designations are in the states of Wy- 12,558 square miles was obtained soon early began a scholastic train- oming, Washington, Arizona, New from Mexico.

In Wyoming 86,000 acres of land America, with a band of Church of have been designated for entry. The England students, destined for the lands affected by this order are wilds of Canada. Once landed, the quite widely distributed, being situyoung men scattered to the four ated in sixteen different counties in winds. A few were given already the state. The greater bulk of the store. established parishes. The majority lands, however, lies in its eastern of which Rev. Eller formed a part portion. Secretary Lane's order designating them has been made effect-"in the midst of nowhere," and told ive October 10, 1914, and after that they must hustle around and find time prospective entrymen who are otherwise qualified will be permitted

first weeks and months of this lonely existence may perhaps best be imagined, although Rev. Eller tells the
tale very graphically. He describes Enlarged Homestead act. This land
the loneliness of the great sweeping plains as simply terrific, especially to one who has been accustomed all his part of the state. The land immediate one who has been accustomed all his part of the state. The land immedilife to the smallness and the variety ately adjacent to the Okanogan has of insular environ. The solitary bird long been settled by homesteaders, calls at first drove him nearly to distraction. Gradually, however, he en over mainly to grazing. Within grew to endure with a patience what recent years, however, it has been at first seemed so frankly awful. In found that the dry farming of grain the end he came almost to love it. can be carried on successfully in Then he was glad that, when he was these uplands, and it is these arid so strongly prompted to give up and and non-irrigable areas of the pubto back to England, he had not cash lic domain that have just been made available for entry. This order also He drove miles and miles in a lit-tle rig with which he was provided. and all local land offices will be auth-He found very few people who cared orized to consider applications to enter the lands on that date.

In Arizona the secretary's recent order increased the area open under those parts ahead of him. But in the Enlarged Homestead act 140,000 time he managed to find a little log acres. The lands designated by this church in the center of what could order include a considerable area in hardly be termed a community, but the footbills of the town of Nogales, Arizona, and also areas of similar lands farther east above the valley souls. He said he would be there to of the San Pedro river. Some of these lands include tracts that have been requested by individual homesteaders for entry under the En-

larged Homestead act. Heretofore the greater part of the land in southeastern New Mexico has been designated by Secretary Lane as non-irrigable and subject to entry of England people, recently come under the provisions of the Enlarg-across, and mighty homesick for a ed Homestead act, but under one of real church service such as those the orders just issued a number of they had been accustomed to on the detached areas in Lincoln county other side. There was also an old have been designated as open to enorgan in the log building, and there try for enlarged homesteads. About chanced to be someone present who 28,000 acres are affected by this could play hymns on it. This serv-ice is fervently described by Rev. El-ler as one he never will forget, and local land office at Roswell. New

In Colorado the area designated From that time on he was assured under the Enlarged Homestead act

With the Farm Demonstrators A filed belonging to Frank Gregg of Merrick county had never receivground. The hind wheels started in ed any manure. A part of the field a contrary direction, and in this pre- was covered in August, 1912, with dicament the unhappy preacher was manure at the rate of 15 tons per acre, and a part left unmanured. The entire field was plowed, harrowed, and seeded to wheat at the same late to service, but since the people time. The unmanured part returned a yield of 18 bushels, while the manured part gave 34 1/2 bushels per

The value of properly balancing the rations for dairy cows is shown back home in time to conduct an Beatrice. With a ration consisting evening service.

Beatrice, With a ration consisting of ensilage, alfalfa, and ear cron meal costing \$6.90 per day for 20 cows the average product for three days was 307 pounds of milk valued Though perhaps not much to look at, at 3 cents, giving returns of \$2.31 the sleigh is sai dto have been most per day above cost of feed. With the omfortable.

As may be supposed, Rev. Eller of oil meal and bran and decreasing

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Secretary of Interior Issues Pamphlet Giving Interesting Information on Areas of Acquisitions

The areas of the acquisitions to has just been issued by direction of Secretary Lane. The total areas of the various acquisitions are given as follows: Original thirteen states, Purchase, 827,987 square miles; territory ceded in 1819 by Spain, 13,-435 square miles; Texas, 389,166 square miles; Oregon country, 286,-541 square miles; Mexican cession, 529,189 square miles; Gadsden purchase, 29,670 square miles; Alaska, 590,884 square miles; Hawaii, 6,449 square miles; Porto Rico, 3,435 square miles; Guam, 210 square miles; Philippine Islands, 115,026 square miles; Tutuila, 77 square miles; Canal Zone, 436 square miles. This pamphlet, which may be pur-

chased from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing office, Washington, D. C., for 5 cents, shows not only the total area of each acquisition, but also the present land and water area of each state and the portion of each state falling with the various tracts added to the public domain. Only two states, Colorado and Wyoming, fall into four of the acquisitions. As regards Colorado, 40-851 square miles formed a portion of the Louisiana Purchase, 34,478 square miles were originally part of Texas, 1,521 square miles constituted a portion of the territory acquired from Spain in 1819, and 27,098 square miles belonged to Mexico. Of Wyoming, 68,223 square miles were 4,784 square miles belonged to Texas, 12,349 square miles constituted

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age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

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