

## Canada at the Chicago Land Show

WILL MAKE A MAGNIFICENT EXHIBIT OF GRAINS AND GRASSES, VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.

A carload of grain in straw, grasses and other of the products of Western Canada arrived at Chicago the other day, and is now installed in the Coliseum, where the United States and irrigation exposition is under way. Those who are interested in the "Back to the land movement" will find in the Canadian exhibit one of the best displays of the agricultural products of Western Canada that has ever been made. There are representative men there, who will be pleased to give the fullest information regarding the country.

The exhibit shows what can be done on the free grant lands of that country and most of the grain was produced on the farms of former residents of the United States who have taken advantage of the homestead lands of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The vegetable exhibit will attract a great deal of attention, and some marvelous potatoes, carrots, turnips, cabbage and cauliflower are shown. It is true that the homestead area is being rapidly taken up and the bulk of that now to be had lies north of the Saskatchewan river in a portion of the country known as the park country. Here there is a large quantity of open prairie interspersed by beautiful groves of poplar and willow. Water is in abundance, hay is plentiful and consequently fodder for animals is right at hand. Those who have taken advantage of farming in these districts and watched the efforts of those in the prairie proper feel that they have the advantage of their brother, who is not able to secure fuel and the other conveniences of the park district on his own farm.

The crop conditions throughout Western Canada the past year have been generally good, and some wonderful crop yields of wheat, oats and barley are recorded. The Canadian Government, under whose auspices the exhibit spoken of is being made, is preparing reports on crops in the different Western Canada districts, and while these will not be ready for distribution at the land show commencing on the 18th of November and closing on Dec. 8th, application made to the Canadian Government agent nearest you will bring them to you as soon as they are published.

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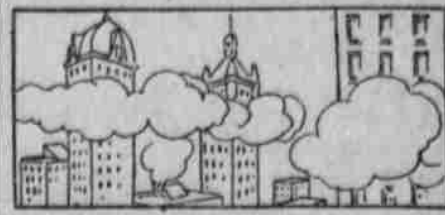
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# HAPPENINGS IN THE CITIES

## Plan 100-Story Building for Gotham



**NEW YORK.**—At the recent meeting of the National Association of Building Owners and Managers in Cleveland, O., the statement was made that skyscrapers over 30 stories in height are monuments of uselessness. To show the absurdity of the statement George T. Mortimer, vice-president of the United States Realty and Improvement company, of New York, stated that there are now in his office plans for a 100-story building. He claims that from an engineering standpoint the plans are practical and there is no reason why the building could not be constructed.

A few years ago, when it was believed the building code would be amended to prevent the erection of buildings higher than 20 stories, the Equitable Life Insurance company filed plans for a 60-story building, but that was little more than a dream of the late Paul Morton, then president of the company.

When the Metropolitan tower was built two years ago it was thought

the limit in height had been reached. That structure of 49 stories, towers 700 feet above the ground. But at the present time a 55-story building is in course of construction which, when completed, will be 750 feet high. So it will be seen that the 100-story building, like the 100-foot boat, is really not a dream but actually in sight as a practical realization.

According to Mr. Mortimer, the erection of a 100-story building will not offer any more serious engineering problems than are to be found in putting up one of 45 or 50 stories. The foundations will not have to be any deeper, for the solid rock below the surface of Manhattan would support a 500-story building if it were possible to build one.

The building, of course, will be of steel construction, more than 40,000 tons being required, not to mention 22,500,000 common brick, 2,700,000 face brick, 60,000 cubic feet of Indiana limestone, 6,000 cubic feet of granite and 9,000 tons of ornamental terra cotta. The outer materials are in equally stupendous quantities. For instance, 1,350,000 square feet of partition tile will be needed, 2,400,000 feet of pine boards for floor covering, 6,900 windows, 18,000 square feet of glass and 840,000 pounds of window weights. Ninety elevators will be housed in it.

## Aged Churchman Charged With Arson

**NEWARK, N. J.**—Ellis Appleby, of Old Bridge, N. J., 60 years old, deacon in the Baptist church, wealthy and well known, was recently arrested on a charge of arson. Action comes after an inquiry of six years, in which the whole county of Middlesex has been terrorized by incendiary fires. During the reign of terror murder followed arson. The specific accusation is made by an insurance company in the case of the burning of the home of Mrs. Jessie Brown on August 31. In six years the residents of Old Bridge have been strangely murdered and more than a dozen fires occurred.

Six years ago Mrs. Jane Wright, an octogenarian, was found dead in bed one morning in her house, where she lived alone, across from the Baptist church of which Appleby is one of the elders. Every effort was made by the authorities to find the murderer, but the case baffled the cleverest detectives. One of those who threatened to bring the murderer to justice was George Whiteman Jr., son of the keeper of the Rooster Inn, two miles from Old Bridge. A few days later young Whiteman and his father were murdered in the inn, both having been shot by some unknown assailant.



A few weeks later a laborer who was thought to have some knowledge of the crime was found murdered in the road on the outskirts of Old Bridge. The murder of the laborer was followed by the finding of the body, in a deserted part of the town, of Thomas Collins, a prominent citizen of Old Bridge, who had made the statement that he would spend every cent he possessed to bring the murderer to justice.

In the meantime the insurance companies, the county board of freeholders and the townspeople had detectives working. So baffling was the series of crimes that two well-known detective agencies gave up the work. It was a private detective, employed by an insurance company, that finally placed the blame at the door of the Baptist church elder. The Appleby family is one of the best known in New Jersey.

## Pretty Girl Thief Gets \$600 by Ruse



**PHILADELPHIA, Pa.**—What the police declare to be one of the boldest and most carefully planned robberies perpetrated here in recent years was committed by a beautiful 21-year-old girl, who, impersonating an inspector in the John Wanamaker store, collected \$600 in cash from five cashiers. That the girl did not succeed in getting away with several thousand dollars was due to the young woman cashier in the suit and cloak department, who refused to turn over the day's proceeds to the "inspector." The only clue to the girl's identity that the store detectives have found is the signature she used in signing receipts for the money she collected. On each of the five receipts turned over to the cashiers she signed in a bold, firm hand the initials "M. R. C." That the robbery was carefully

planned is evidenced by the fact that the girl preceded the regular inspector, who daily collects the cash, by but a few minutes. So close was her calculation that while she was getting cash from one cashier the regular inspector was collecting from a cash register only a few feet away. She told the cashier that the regular inspector had been discharged and she would in future make daily collections.

Without a word the cashier turned over about \$50 in bills of small denominations, which the collector put in a small tin box—a duplicate of the one carried by the regular inspector. The same performance was repeated at one of the counters on the main floor.

Emboldened by her success, the girl made her way to the suit and cloak department, but the cashier there became suspicious and refused to turn over the day's cash, which amounted to more than \$4,000. The girl did not remonstrate, but saying she would take along the schedule of the day's business went to another counter on the same floor and was successful in making collections.

## Cowboy Shopper Is One Real Spender

**KANSAS CITY, Mo.**—When the fop of the Bar-Circle-X and the Bar Y ranches comes up to the city to buy his winter wardrobe, about the same time his more effete brother, the fop of the towns, goes to St. Louis, Chicago or New York to lay in his winter wardrobe, so there is little chance of their meeting and comparing notes. With his supercilious air, the effete one might look in scorn upon his sun-tanned confrere, while the bronco-bustin' dude of the south-west undoubtedly would break into a guffaw if he saw the other in a Prince Albert coat and top hat. So perhaps it is well that each makes his annual eastern migration about the same time of the year. For the difference between them, at bottom, is very small, after all.

When the one comes back with his new fall suit and his fuzzy hat and his spats and gloves and all the rest of it he probably will think he has been something of a spender. He probably would be surprised to know that the other would look upon him



as a cheap sport, a piker, a T-wad, who didn't know how to turn good money loose when he had it. For your cowboy dude is the original turner-loose of money when it comes to buying adornments. He will spend \$40 for a pair of boots, \$10 for a pair of gloves, \$20 for a hat and \$75 for a saddle without turning a hair.

## BEST SOIL FOR DRY FARMING

Only Types of Land Not Adapted Are Alkali, Heavy Gumbo or Light Sandy or Gravelly.

(By H. F. PATTERSON, Montana Station.)

During the past two years we have received a large number of inquiries as to the best type of land for dry farming. There are a number of different types upon which farmers have had good success by following dry farming principles. The only types of soil that are not well adapted to dry farming are alkali lands, heavy gumbo lands, or light sandy or gravelly soils, for the reason that they do not have a good physical condition. The clay and alkali soils are so fine in texture that it is almost impossible for the plants to make use of the moisture that these soils contain. The sandy soils are so open and porous that they will not hold any of the water and so are not well adapted to dry land farming. Of these two types of soil the heavy clay and the sandy, the former is more desirable.

The subsoil is important in determining whether a land is well adapted for dry farming methods or not. The subsoil should be of such a nature as to absorb and hold a large amount of water. It is in the subsoil that we find the moisture reservoir, and unless this soil is of such a character as to hold the moisture, we are going to have a great deal of trouble in trying to dry farm it.

The best type of soil for dry land farming is a sandy clay loam, a soil that has the power of absorbing and holding a large amount of moisture and that can be very easily worked, and upon which the dust mulch can be easily maintained. It is very difficult to maintain a dust mulch upon a heavy, slip, clay soil, whereas upon a sandy loam this mulch can be maintained without a great deal of work.

The slope of the land best adapted for dry land agriculture varies with the different localities. Farmers, as a rule, prefer the land that slopes gently towards the north or the northeast. This, however, is not the most important point, but one worthy of full consideration when choosing a farm. The north slope escapes the direct rays of the sun to a degree, is a trifle later starting in the spring, which is frequently an advantage, and is generally not apt to suffer from hot winds and drought.

## VALUE OF THE HEIFER BEEF

Meat is Finer in Grain and Better, and There is No Waste—No Reason for Discrimination.

Professor Kennedy of the Iowa college, while in England a few years ago, expressed great surprise at discovering that butchers pay a higher price for heifer beef than for steer beef of the same age and condition of flesh.

Henry Wallace says this was also a surprise to him the first time he went abroad. He found that the butchers were willing to give a premium on heifers over steers and we found that in one or two districts of England butchers would buy only heifers if they could get them.

The reasons given by the butchers are that the grain of the flesh is finer, the bone smaller, and therefore the heifer cuts up better than the steer of the same age and furnishes a better capacity for beef. "We remember when a boy at home," says Mr. Wallace, "when a beef was to be killed in the fall of the year, mother always insisted on killing a heifer, giving the exact reasons stated by Professor Kennedy as given by the butchers at Liverpool—that the meat of the heifer was finer in the grain and better and there was less waste."

There is absolutely no sense or reason for the discrimination made against heifer beef in the United States. With cow beef it is somewhat different, for the reason that a cow that has produced a number of calves will not dress as large a per cent. of beef and the animal being older will not have the same tenderness nor fine quality.

A half a cent a pound, however, should be ample to cover this shrinkage; whereas a heifer is really entitled to a premium over the steer of from a quarter to half a cent.

## LIVE STOCK NOTES.

There is a growing demand for bacon—good bacon. Uniformity in the ewes of a flock is always desirable.

It pays and pays big to keep a ram in excellent, vigorous condition.

Exercise will help to make that streak of lean and streak of fat that is desired.

A long, large head, as a rule, indicates a hard, uneasy feeder and a great consumer.

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A hog needs all his time to make pork and should not be expected to spend any moments fighting lice.

Nothing is better to free the hogs from worms than coppers in the slop for several days in succession.

It is possible the pigs are squealing because they are hungry. Find out there is no profit in starving porkers.

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"My dear, I was one of the very first to leave," said a man who, on returning from an evening party, was greeted reproachfully by his wife.  
"Oh, you always say that," she retorted.  
"Well, I can prove it this time, anyhow," insisted the husband. "Look in the hall and see the gold-mounted umbrella I've brought home."

The Gist of It.  
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