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THE HUDSON BAY ROUTE.

Canada is now committed to build a costly railway as an outlet for the Northwest by way of Hudson Bay. It is rather late now to discuss the practicability of the route. The west has demanded that the railway should be built and the route equipped. What the west demands is promptly granted in these days when our statesmen have all turned their admiring gaze toward the land of the setting sun.

But there was recently at Montreal a Hudson Bay steamer, the Pelican, with Capt. Gray, her commander, a weather-beaten Scottish sailor, who has navigated Hudson Bay for thirty-seven years past, and whose opinions in regard to the commercial value of the route ought to carry weight. And he does not think highly of this gateway as an outlet for the Northwest grain.

Capt. Gray, we are told discussed the project very frankly. He says the longest season of navigation to and from the Bay is from the middle of July to the end of September, or two and a half months and it is usually shorter, sometimes much shorter. This would mean, in the first place that the year's crop could not be got out till the middle of July of the following year. What farmer would value the new outlet on such conditions?

Again, Capt. Gray says that specially built ships would be required. The Hudson Bay Company have three vessels of about 600 tons each engaged in their trade and each makes but one round trip yearly. They bring out supplies from England and take back furs on their return voyage. Now let us suppose that larger ships will be employed than those used by the Company--say four times as large--and there is only one harbor available that will float vessels of that size.

Suppose them each to carry 100,000 bushels of wheat. It would take ten of such vessels to move a million bushels of wheat on one trip, but let us suppose they may possibly make two round trips instead of the one made by the Hudson Bay Company's vessels. In that case a fleet of ten ships would move two millions bushels in the season. Bear in mind that these specially designed ships would be unfitted for other trade and must remain idle for eight or nine months of the year. Under such conditions what company would undertake to build and sail the northern fleet of grain ships, or what rate of freight would they charge to make them pay?

Of course, the shipping company must be very heavily subsidised, or we should have a railway carrying

grain to Hudson Bay and leaving it there for good. Or we must have the Government owning and operating the ships, and we can judge from the expenses of a Government ice-breaker--say the Montcalm--what that would mean. If instead of two millions of bushels of grain we calculate on ten or twenty times that quantity, the ships, and railway, and the subsidies or cost of operating the route as a government service, will assume the proportions of another Transcontinental Railway.

The project is in brief to build a railway which at best can move grain a year old, on a route not yet demonstrated to be commercially practicable and that will be open at best two and a half months of the year. It will cost a vast sum to build the railway, the elevators and port equipment and the ships, and there is no assurance that the route will pay so to be kept open. However, the country is committed to the venture, whether reckless or merely imprudent, and we must all hope it may turn out better than the experienced Hudson Bay navigator would have us fear.

A NOTE OF WARNING.

There are some miscreants who think it a smart trick to send bogus news to the newspapers. They do not hesitate to forge the name of some respectable person to such manufactured news, although such forgery is a crime for which the offender may be sent to the penitentiary. Usually the object of the writer is to injure the feelings or reputation of some person in the locality from which the news is sent, or to hold such person up to ridicule or contempt, but this object is as far as possible concealed so that it may not be detected or suspected in the office of publication. In a majority of cases the fraud is discovered, or a doubt is raised which prevents publication. It sometimes happens, however, that the bogus news is printed in good faith by the newspaper readers.

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ceiving it. The Guardian has traced one such case recently with the result almost to a certainty. The matter is not yet disposed of. In a previous case in which the guilty party was a woman, only the intercession of the person injured prevented a prosecution, and probably the imprisonment of the offender. This is a very serious business, and an example must be made of one or more of the guilty ones in order to check it. The secret perpetrator of an attack upon the character and reputation of another who uses a bogus name or forges the name of another thereto, only lacks the courage to become an assassin. The sooner such an one is placed behind prison bars the better for the peace and welfare of any community afflicted by his or her presence.

After all even if it were true it is poor defence to claim that the other fellows were just as bad.

Hon. A. B. Aylesworth, who has suffered from deafness for some years past is going shortly to Vienna for special treatment, and we are glad to learn that there is a prospect of his being entirely cured. It is understood that unless his trouble yields to treatment he will retire from public life. This would be a loss not only to the party in whom he is so prominent, but to the Dominion at large.

A strange case is reported to The Guardian from a rural district in this Province, in which a postmistress refused to accept a stamped letter because the stamp had not been purchased at the office where it was presented for transmission through the mails. The letter was then sent to the post office by a messenger and was refused and returned to the writer. The postmistress in question evidently does not know her duty and moreover has taken a serious responsibility in refusing the letter. A stamp purchased in Tignish, or Georgetown, or for that matter in Vancouver is just as valid for the prepayment of a letter posted at a country post office in Prince Edward Island as if it were purchased on the spot. All persons are at liberty to purchase postal stamps wherever they may choose and such stamps are good for use at any time and in any part of the Dominion. Most persons are aware of this; the strange thing is that any one holding a post office appointment should think otherwise.

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The production given last evening by the Young Company at the Hippodrome theatre was "The Wages of Sin" and was about the strongest yet played by this company, whose performance last evening was one deserving of great credit. There were many stirring climaxes, and exciting incidents, and probably no more realistic piece of acting has ever been given on a Moncton stage than the struggle in the last act between her and villain. For fully five minutes these two participated in a most realistic grapple, and although everyone knew that in the natural course of events the hero would be victorious, yet the earnestness with which the two men fought brought the audience to its feet. Mr. Young, was given a warm ovation on his initial appearance. His acting last evening was of the best. In the role of Rev. Geo. Braudt, he was all that could be expected. Miss Marjie Adams, was again a feature, being particularly bright and realistic. Moncton Times. The Young Stock Co. will open their engagement at the Opera House Monday night next in "The Silver King." The date is for eight nights with a change of play at each performance.

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GRAND TEA PARTY!

A grand Tea Party in aid of the parish funds will be held at

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Thursday, August 13th 1908

All amusements usual at such gatherings will be provided refreshment booths will be supplied with temperate drinks and all the delicacies of the season will be furnished while tea tables laden with abundance of choice viands will constitute an irresistible attraction.

Following are the train arrangements. A special train from Charlottetown will run on the following schedule.

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Returning special train will leave for Charlottetown at 6.30 p.m. and regular train for Georgetown at 4.55 p.m.

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By Order

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The 15th annual meeting of the High Court of the Independent Order of Foresters will be held in the Y. M. C. A. hall, Charlottetown, on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 18th and 19th to open at 11 a. m. on the 18th.

The session on Tuesday evening will be of a social nature under the auspices of Court Brighton. All members of the Order can attend the meeting. Judge Cockburn of New Brunswick will be present at the meeting.

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