

**Two New Canadian Towns.**

The Brandon, Saskatchewan, and Hudson Bay Railway company is building a line from St. John, N. D. to Brandon, Manitoba, and will soon push their line from Brandon north to Hudson Bay. This road runs directly through the choicest of the world famed Manitoba wheat fields, a district well settled with prosperous farmers, who have for years been anxiously awaiting railroad connections with the south, and it is now certain the railroad will be in running order and ready to help move this year's crop.

It is the intention of the Townsite company to offer lots for sale in the towns of Bannerman and Desford on July 7th, 1906. The company will have a representative on the ground, as designated below July 6th, between the hours of eleven o'clock a. m. and 4 p. m., where people can make their choice of lots, and July 7th a representative will be at St. John, N. D. at Rolette County bank at 9 o'clock a. m., where deals for lots can be consummated. These two towns offer every advantage to business men in all lines and from their advantageous position they are destined to become flourishing business centers. There will be an immediate demand for hotels, general stores, hardware stores, lumber and coal yards, restaurants, drug stores, and, in fact, all lines of business. They offer a splendid opening for a private bank, and men with a moderate amount of capital will find here an excellent opportunity of establishing themselves in a permanent and lucrative business.

Bannerman will be located on a mile north of the International boundary line and about two miles from St. John, N. D., five miles from the northeast quarter of Section 15, township 1, Range 18. This town is favorably located on good high ground with excellent opportunities for drainage.

Desford is located on the northwest quarter of section 14, township 2, range 19, and has a good location.

The terms of sale will be one-third in cash, one third in one year and one-third in two years at 8 per cent interest. If a person desires they can make full payment and receive deed.

For further particulars inquire of

BRANDON TOWNSITE COMPANY,  
Willmar, Minn.  
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President.

**Fooled Himself.**

Nic Kremer, a young lad working for Nic Roles of Glenburn, is a manipulator of the mysteries of the magician's art, and occasionally he performs before Mr. Roles' boys. Last week he was doing a stunt with a bean and one of the mysteries he performed was to cause a bean placed in his ear to reappear from his mouth—at least that is what Roles' oldest boy thought he did. Presto change! What Nic Kremer can do an heir of Nic Roles can likewise do. True to his belief the boy stuffs a bean into his ear and tries to get it out of his mouth, but nit, no bean came through. A little more persuasion was what the boy thought the bean needed so he pushed it in a little further and left it—'cause he couldn't get it in further or out. A day or two later a pain hit the boy's ear that caused a hasty summons of surgical aid and before the bean was removed the boy had to be brot to Minot where Dr. Carr with great difficulty removed it. Nic Kremer may have holes from his ears to his mouth, but Nic Roles, jr., doesn't believe it any more.

**Birthday Celebration.**

The home of John Campbell at Prairie View Farm was a scene of enjoyment last Wednesday evening, it being the sixteenth birthday of their daughter, Irene. It was also Mr. and Mrs. Campbell's wedding anniversary, and Mr. A. M. Spires, a well known young man in our neighborhood had the pleasure of having a celebration in honor of his birthday. Also dancing was indulged in until twelve o'clock, when refreshments were served and after it was partaken of, dancing was resumed till almost two o'clock, when the young people departed wishing Mr. Spires and Miss Irene many happy returns of the day.  
A. GUEST.

Rain fell nearly every day during the month of June. Farmers are praying for a little less rain for they believe that wheat is likely to rust some if this wet weather continues. What we need now is plenty of clear weather, not too hot.

**Business Opportunities**

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of

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