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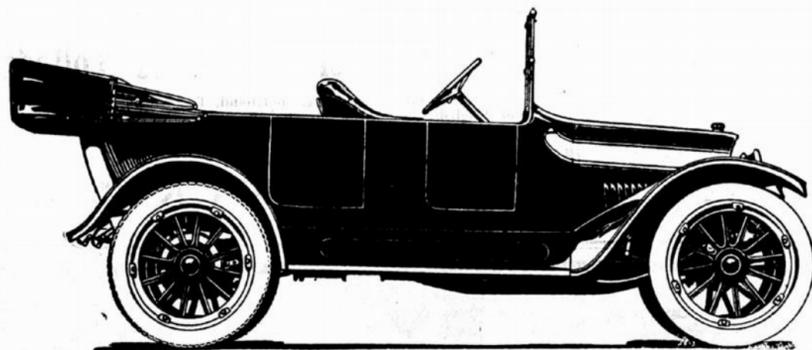
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GRAIN HANDLING BY GOVERNMENT

TERMINAL ELEVATORS IN CANADA SHOW INTERESTING PROFITS, SAYS SOLON.

Winnipeg, April 10.—Matters affecting western Canada's grain handling system engaged the attention of parliament at Ottawa for a large portion of this week. When the estimates of the department of trade and commerce were being considered there was a long discussion over the shortage in grain shipments and the opinion was expressed by several members that the shipment of grain east of Fort William, as well as west of that point, should be in the hands of the grain commission. Sir George Foster made an interesting statement in reference to the government elevators which have been built in the west, their cost of operation. On a vote of \$625,000 for the administration of the grain act, Sir George stated that the interior storage elevators would be in operation for the next crop. At present the elevators at Saskatoon and Moose Jaw in Saskatchewan are in operation and the one in Calgary is expected to be ready in August. The minister said that the terminal elevator at Fort William cost \$1,300,000 and those at Saskatoon and Moose Jaw a little over \$1,000,000 each. The capacity of the terminal is 2,500,000 bushels Saskatoon and Moose Jaw 3,500,000 each and Calgary 2,500,000 bushels.

NORMAL SCHOOL NOTES.

Entries for the Declamatory and Field Meet contests close April 26th. Persons interested should make special note of this and get entries in at once.

Information and entry blanks will be sent on application to George Altmann, State Normal, Minot, N. Dak.

The Northwestern Teachers' Association is especially fortunate this year in securing such splendid speakers as will appear on April 29-30.

Judge Kavanaugh is a Chautauqua lecturer of national reputation, as well as an eminent jurist of Chicago. He is an authority in his line and Bar associations look to him for points in important procedures. The Chicago Tribune notes that the Judges of Cook county and members of the Chicago Bar association will be asked to join Judge Marcus Kavanaugh in a petition to the next legislature to change the present "archaic trampled laws" of legal procedure to "common horse sense" rules. Judge Kavanaugh has had years of experience on the bench of Chicago, as well as in a close hand study of the methods in England and in other countries, where he was sent three years ago as representative of the Industrial Club of Chicago to study conditions along lines of legal procedure.

Another lecturer of national reputation is also expected to be present to address the Association—Professor Maria L. Sanford, formerly of the University of Minnesota. She hopes to be here the morning of April 29th. There will be admission charged to the evening lectures, all of which will be given in the Normal School gymnasium.

The following members of the Senior class have been placed in teaching positions for the coming year: Miss Comer, Surrey, N. Dak.; Miss Hagen, Kindred, N. Dak.; Intermediate; Miss Alice Swenson, 6th grade, Minot; Miss Ida Hamre, 3rd and 4th grades, Veva; Miss Madden, 3rd and 4th grades, Donnybrook; Miss Eva Valker, 7th and 8th grades, Brinsmade; Miss Anna Moun, Primary, Gardena; Karen Moun, Intermediate, Gardena; Miss Nelson, 4th and 5th, Ray; Mildred Jacobson, Primary, Burlington; Harold Meyers, Columbus.

The Y. W. C. A. of the Normal school realized a neat little sum from their candy sale on Monday, which will be applied in furnishings for their

association room on the 3rd floor.

The declamatory contest on April 30, will be held in the Normal school gymnasium, and the field meet on the Normal school athletic field, May 1st. These meets, altho complete in themselves, will serve in a way as preliminaries to the state contests to be held in Grand Forks a few weeks later, and will serve to assist the schools of the district to select their representatives in the state meets. The declamatory contest begins at 8:30 p. m. and the field meet at 2:00 p. m.

The athletic events will be as follows:

Track—100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, 880 yards, 1 mile relay in teams of 4, each man to run 440 yards.

Field—Running High Jump, Running Broad Jump, Pole Vault, for height; 12 pound Shot Put, Discus Throw, 12 pound Hammer Throw.

Admission will be charged to both the declamatory contest and field meet, and the surplus, if any, will be divided among the competing schools as follows: 50 per cent according to the number of students competing, 50 per cent according to number of miles traveled by competitors, not to exceed six students per school.

Eight athletes in the field meet, exclusive of the relay race.

In the declamatory contests certificates will be awarded to the successful contestants and also a trophy to the schools represented.

In the field and track meet trophies will be awarded to the successful individuals and also a trophy to the winning school.

The Normal school will offer free the use of 50 folding camp cots and the main building for sleeping accommodations, and also offers meals at the dormitory at 25 cents a plate.

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Work has begun on the Normal campus and athletic field. Altho the progress is barely evident as yet, perhaps the most difficult things are being done now. The athletic field will be north of the power house and dormitory and west of the main building. It will have a quarter mile track with 220 yards straightaway. There is a space for tennis courts and also for school gardens upon which work has already begun.

As the natural lay of the ground is very level, very little grading will be necessary. It will be in shape for the field meet on May 1.

Wherever Judge Kavanaugh has appeared on the lecture platform the conservative press of those cities is strong in his praise. He has not hesitated to characterize the American lawyer, jurist and legislator as "traitors to justice" and upon their shoulders places the blame for the increase of crime in this country. Some of his statistics and conclusions: "Every year there are three times as many murders in the U. S. as in Canada." "Italy has but one-sixth as many homicides per million persons as America—a growing disrespect for law nourished by poor legislation."

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Girl Forgives Her Would-be Slayer. Elmer Lommen, the nineteen-year-old Hatton youth, who shot Miss Grace Erickson, the girl he loved, because she spurned his love, was forgiven by the girl shortly before he died. The young couple were taken to the hospital at Northwood immediately after Lommen had shot the girl and himself, and as the youth lay dying, he begged to be taken to the girl he loved. He was wheeled into her room and he asked her forgiveness for his rash act. The young woman granted his request and after bidding her farewell, he was taken back to his room, where he soon died. Miss Erickson lies at the point of death with a bullet lodged near her heart, the surgeons say she has a fighting chance. The bullet cannot be removed and her only hope lies in the fact that complications do not arise.

Youthful Murder Gets Life Sentence.

Clarence Orton, who murdered John Scott, on Dec. 1, 1913, pleaded guilty before Judge Buttz at Cando and has been given a life sentence in the penitentiary. This established somewhat of a record in North Dakota criminal procedure, as it was but six days from the time he was arrested until he received his sentence. Young Orton, who first accused a neighbor, Mr. Rodd, of shooting Scott, completely exonerated him and told how he had done the horrible deed himself. He had accompanied Scott to town that day and upon their return, knowing that he had nearly \$500 in his clothing, fired a bullet into his head and then fired four more shots. He secured only about \$68 in currency, the valuable papers being buried in the manure pile with the body of the victim.

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