

FROM THE NORTHWEST

Neway Items from the Prairie Province

Mr. M. C. Cameron, M. P. for Huron, is in Winnipeg.

Laborers' wages at Edmonton run from \$30 to \$40 a month and board.

The Minnedosa Presbyterians are building a substantial and commodious church.

Brandon Council has purchased a Buick engine, to be delivered in two months.

Native stock is still plentiful at from \$10 to \$12, Prince Albert at \$12 and Winnipeg at \$15.

There has been quite a rush for Prince Albert this summer. A good many have gone in and more are on the way.

The Rev. Mr. Wellwood, of Minnedosa, is suffering from an attack of malaria, and is unable to work with his work.

The induction of Rev. John Ferris as pastor of the Brandon Presbyterian Church will take place on Thursday.

Buffalo leather has got so scarce that the Indians have to content themselves with cotton tents. What these lack in warmth they make up in appearance, as they are generally got up of different colored pieces.

Major Walker has just completed the purchase of 100,000 head of heads of stock for the Cochrane-Rancho Company, and intends to add about two thousand head in addition to his already large purchases.

John Todd arrived from the end of the track on the 31st with freight. He reports the road all the way from Qu'Appelle as being lined with immigrants and freight, all the way from Qu'Appelle to west. One large party will locate on the Battle River south of Edmonton.

A Chinaman from Ohio, who was taken to Winnipeg for the purpose of acting as an interpreter in a legal squabble, says that there is lots of money to be made here, and that the country abounds with essentials, in addition to those already here, intend becoming residents. The Chinese question promises soon to become a practical one here.

The prices of lumber at the mills at Edmonton are: Common rough lumber and scantling, \$12 to 14 feet long, \$25 per M; good rough lumber and scantling over 14 feet, \$35 per M; double dressed good lumber, \$45 per M; dressed and matched flooring and siding, \$47 per M; shingles, \$5 per M. About the timber saved in price is about 10 per cent. The only thing to be had. It answers every purpose, however, as well as clear pine, except for very fine work. It is also a little harder to work up.

Last week an Indian who lives near the fort at Edmonton traded his mother off to another Indian for a horse. After the exchange was made, the good-looking Indian who gave the horse up came and took him away, whereupon the other laid information with Captain Gagnon and had him arrested for stealing. An examination was held on Friday morning, which resulted in the following charges, just as the Magistrate held that the consideration given for the horse was not valuable.

Colonization societies have set their eyes on the central section of the territories. One branch of the Temperance Society will be located on the south branch and extend to within thirty or forty miles of us. Another will take up its land on the north side of the territory, and extend to the north of this place. A Roman Catholic Colony will occupy two townships on opposite sides of the river at Victoria and another at St. Albert, and still another has selected its land a hundred and fifty miles up Battle River. A contracting company has been selected for a number of shanties at Red Deer River for the reception of those who may not have time or means to build for themselves.

Strawberries have been plentiful all week at Edmonton, at an average price

of 25 cents a pound.

Homes of the Edmonton merchants are finding it cheaper to bring in their Canadian goods by way of the Missouri river and Boston than by way of Winnipeg.

It is not probable that the Missouri trail and water route with few transfers except to be able to compete successfully with the Missouri route with cart freight from that point to Edmonton.

Grain of all kinds gives promise of a most bountiful yield, and potatoes and other root crops are doing well around Battleford. Altogether the present crops are that the Battle River district will, as usual, turn out crops of the highest excellence. The area under grain is greatly increased over former years, and with the certainty of a mill being established the year— a heavy importation of flour that has so long been made will be done away with.

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MASONRY.

The following may be relied on as a list of old Masons, and if the "oldest" is not among them he must be the eldest:

Col. Mathias Hanson, Unity, M. H.	Initiated,
James Franklin Olmstead, Newburg	1820
Charles W. Smith, Newburg	1827
Capt. Sylvanus Hatch, Chocomaite, Calhoun	1829
Wm. C. Smith, Hartford, Conn.	1830
George Lee Rowe, Asawam, Conn.	1840
John W. Smith, Newburg, Conn.	1841
Simon Fox, Westville, Conn.	1842
Philip Chesham, Woodport, Eng., October	1844
Hon. James Cardozo, Newburg, N. Y.	1845
James Scott, Middlebourne, W. Va.	1846

Ellis Paul Castleton, N. Y.	1813
Andrew C. Bridgman, N. Y.	1813
Mayer, Graydon, Eng.	1813
John B. Hollenbeck, Burlington, Vt.	1813
Ellis, George, N. Y.	1813
Capt. Hiram Ferris, Port du Lac, Wis.	1813

Importment to Travelers.

Special Inducements are offered you by the Burlington route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

Prince Charles, the aged brother of the Emperor of Germany, has recovered in an almost marvellous manner from his recent severe accident, a compound fracture of the thigh.

Mr. Gladstone appears in a gay suit and a red cravat. The pantalons are so shrunken that they reveal his cotton stockings above the highlows. He wears a carnation in his buttonhole and is proud of it.

Mr. F. H. Underwood is writing a biography of Whittier at the request of the

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