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Impressions Retained of a Summer at Victoria Beach

REV. Dr. P. C. Morgan, at the Sunday morning service in the Club-house, August 4th, struck the right note when, in the course of his very fine and scholarly address, he stated: "What are you going to do with the benefits and the impressions you have received at Victoria Beach when you get back to the City?"

That is something worth while thinking about!

We come down to Victoria Beach by the hundreds during the months of July and August, and some of us extend our stay into September. Each of these months carry new delights. Each week we meet new people, undertake new responsibilities in a small way, and do what we can to make our neighbors' lives a little more enjoyable and their stay a pleasant one.

As Dr. Morgan pointed out, we see at Victoria Beach Nature in all her wonderful realities, power, beauty and mystery.

The firmament at night in all its vastness, the day-time in all its glories of sunrise and sunset, and in noon-tide loveliness.

We can more closely observe these mysteries at Victoria Beach than in the confines of the City. We see Nature developing the trees, the flowers, the fruits and the insect life. Bird-life, with its songs of joy; the wild life of the deer, the rabbit, the chipmunk and the squirrel.

We enjoy sitting on the sand and watching the ceaseless wash of the waves — sometimes almost silently, again with power and majesty.

Then we meet and come in contact with the life of the city resident, as spent at the Beach. We meet new friends, enjoy the company of older acquaintances all the more because we meet them amid freer air and less confined areas. This gives a new angle to each life, and broadens and refreshes us anew.

Nature's gifts to man have never been more lavishly bestowed than one finds at Victoria Beach. Midway between the prairies and the range of rocks which contain the mineral wealth that has made this

province famous the world over, its height of land assures to each cottage-owner the best of drainage and the purest of water, essentials which do much to promote health.

Victoria Beach has also been blessed with a magnificent growth of timber—the birch and the balsam, the oak and the elm—magnificent trees unsurpassed in any part of Canada for shade and usefulness at the fireside. The Company has done much to preserve this splendid heritage, and has, as far as possible, maintained the avenues even at the expense of narrowing the roadways. This is as it should be.

Memories of summers at Victoria Beach, carried back to the long winter life Winnipeg residents have to endure, will be pleasant ones.

Recollections of what Nature has bestowed on the cottage life at Victoria Beach cannot fail to enrich the life of each individual. Dispositions have been changed for the better; narrow views have been widened; the desire to help those who had not the privileges we have will be strengthened, and life made better and purer because there is such a spot on our great inland lake like Victoria Beach.

This surely also must include the children who come to Victoria Beach by the thousands each summer, as well as their elders. It must also apply to the young who are just budding into manhood and womanhood.

Nature has done much to help them here; and it is up to those who are in charge of the direction of Victoria Beach community affairs to see that the large advantages here are made even greater, and that wholesome fun is not interfered with, but rightly directed.

HIGHEST BUSINESS IN BEACH HISTORY

Last Saturday, August 3rd, saw the biggest day's business in the history of the Beach as experienced at the stores, at Moonlight Inn, Pinehurst Inn and the golf course. Pinehurst Inn had to turn away many patrons, and additional accommodation will have to be erected this coming year to cope with the growing popularity of Victoria Beach.

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VICTORIA BEACH COMPANY'S STOCK A GOOD INVESTMENT

This is the greatest year in the history of Victoria Beach. This applies to cottage residents' enjoyment as well as to the success of the merchants doing business here. The weather has been beach weather. There have been no damp, murky days, and while the absence of rain has not been good for the crops of the country, it has made the summer at Victoria Beach most enjoyable.

Never has there been so many residents at Victoria Beach, as this season, and not a cottage has long remained vacant.



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In common with the other interests the Victoria Beach Company has flourished as never in the past. The stores have been heavily patronized; Pinehurst Inn has had to turn away many guests; the golf course has been better patronized than ever before, and up to last Saturday the receipts had been as large as for the entire season of 1928, and still another month in which players may enjoy the course.

The Company has also done a large business in rentals, and sales of lots have been very satisfactory.

All this means that expansion of the beach must go on. Pinehurst Inn must be enlarged. Every effort must be made to see that visitors are not turned away from Victoria Beach for lack of rooms; and at the same time the field rule that no rooming houses or boarding houses are allowed to operate must be enforced, so that property values of present holders of land and cottages do not deteriorate.

There is also the probability that a boat-house of some kind will have to be built to encourage residents owning their own craft, with a sufficient number for hire.

All this requires money, and the new stock offer of the Company, announced last spring, will again be brought before the attention of cottage owners by the manager to see if sufficient money cannot be raised to go ahead with the needed improvements in buildings.

The golf course must also be maintained at as high a standard as possible.

This stock is well worth having as an investment, the security is ample, and the future of the brightest. Cottage owners would do well to consider this means of making a good return on savings.

POPULAR DAYS AT GOLF COURSE

The golf course continues to be popular Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1 o'clock to 4 o'clock, when the fee is five cents for children and beginners.

An instructor is present to give hints to any one desirous of learning more of the game of golf.

Big Success of Water Sports

A crowd of more than 3,000 people witnessed the annual water sports held Saturday, August 27th, under the auspices of the Victoria Beach Community Club.

All the senior events were held off the Government Pier. The rugged background of the lake-shore provided a picturesque setting for the occasion. Canoes shot through the water at a fast clip, while overhead, seaplanes dived in the distance. The lake was slightly rough, and made the handling of the boats more difficult than usual.

The Winnipeg Canoe Club sent down a strong team of athletes, who thrilled the crowd with their exhibitions and stunts. Mr. Rothwell, of the Canoe Club, gave a demonstration of aqua-planing, which was watched with interest. Roy Billington, ex-commander of the Canoe Club and in charge of the party for the day, clearly showed that he could still handle a canoe. His act included flips, upsets, standing a canoe on end, and other antics. He drew much applause for his great work.

The members of the City Club also gave exhibitions in racing in their war canoes, gunwale races, crab races and duelling from their canoes.

The feature of the day was the war canoe race for the McKinney trophy between the Winnipeg Canoe Club (holders of the cup), and the Victoria Beach crew. It was a close and thrilling race. The Canoe Clubbers gained an early lead, but were always threatened by the beachers. The finish looked like a dead heat from the spectators' point, but the Canoe Club were declared the winners. The Victoria Beach crew made a splendid attempt to regain the cup, and never stopped trying. They were handicapped in not owning a canoe to practice in, also their opposition was of a Canadian championship calibre.

The grand aggregate was won this year by Miss Bessie Gee. Miss Peggy Lloyd was second, losing only by half a point.

Many valuable prizes were donated by City merchants and beach residents. They were distributed in the evening by Mr. Harry Kavaner, chairman of the sports committee.

Saturday was the tenth time the sports have been held and the day was more successful than ever. The Victoria Beach Club is full of energetic members, and credit is due to them in making this yearly event so popular. The judges for the day were: Mayor F. C. O'Brien, Arthur Hill, Osborne Scott, Angus More, Corbett Shepherd (Winnipeg Canoe Club), and Dr. Neil John McLean. The diving judges were: Fred and Charlie O'Connell, Frank McKinney acted in the capacity of announcer, and Arthur Morrison was the starter and referee.

The results of the afternoon swimming races were: Men, 17 years and over—1, Boyd Johnson; 2, Bill Dooley and Art. Rice-Jones; 3, Jack Conklin.

Ladies, 17 years and over—1, Bessie Gee; 2, Winnie Wales.

Diving, men—Long dive, 1, Banks Taber; 2, Jack Conklin.

Fancy—1, Eric Page; 2, Art. Rice-Jones.

Diving, ladies—Long dive, 1, Bessie Gee; 2, Mary Johnson.

Fancy, 1, Peggy Lloyd; 2, Dorothy Davidson.

Canoe races, Men's singles—1, Ed. Ateah; 2, Rex Lester.

Mixed doubles, 1, Ed. Ateah and Mrs. David; 2, Rex Lester and Mrs. Trainer.

Girls' singles—1, Mrs. David; 2, Mrs. Trainer.

War Canoe Race, over half-mile course, for McKinney trophy—1, Winnipeg Canoe Club; 2, Victoria Beach Club.

Swimming, 13 and under—Boys, 1, Charlie McKelvin; 2, John Teakles. Girls, 1, Eleanor McClung.

Tan competition, boys and girls under 5—1, Marcia Hale; 2, Johnny Jamieson; 3, Buddy Smith. Boys and girls, 6, 7 and 8, 1, Ellen Gowan; 2, Cyril O'Brien; 3, Bert Shinton. Boys and girls, 9, 10 and 11, 1, Margaret Lamb; 2, Reg. Gowan; 3, Margaret Pacey.

FISHING COMPETITION WINNERS

The Friday morning and afternoon fishing competition at the pier was a big success.

First prize, largest fish, Philip Baker. Second prize, largest catch, David Kinnel-Grant; consolation prize, Harry Lowden.

Smallest fish, boys, Allan Stumm; smallest fish, girls, Jean Kilpatrick.

There were 30 competitors, and although the catch was small, excitement was keen until the last minute. Mr. T. E. Williams was in charge.

POPULAR WITH MUSICAL ARTISTES

Mr. Charles W. N. Kennedy and Mr. Fred C. N. Kennedy, who were the original locators of Victoria Beach as a summer outing place, were enthusiastic musicians, and it is therefore a harmonious thought to know that this beach is popular with the singers and musicians of Winnipeg.

This summer there were at least twelve choir conductors spending a portion of their vacation here, and those, with solitary well-known in musical circles in Winnipeg, were the following:

Mr. Fred M. Gee (All Saints); Mr. W. Davidson Thomson (Knox Church); Mr. Wilfred Layton (Augustine Church); Mr. F. E. O'Brien (St. Patrick's); Mr. J. Lyons (St. Andrew's); Mr. F. D. Bull (Broadway Baptist); Mr. Peter Logan (St. John's Presbyterian); Mr. Woodcock (Rossdale United); Rev. G. Horobin (St. Jude's); Mrs. Musgrave (Young Church, girls); Mr. and Mrs. John Waterhouse, Miss Gwendolyn Davies, Mrs. F. C. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Scott, Miss Mae Clarke, Mrs. J. M. Rice, Mrs. Gus Mingle, Miss Gertrude Newton, Miss Mae Colclough, Mrs. N. J. MacLean, Mr. Roy Wydeman, Mr. Arnold Smith, Mr. Ronald Woodcock, Mr. Cecil Pratt, Alderman A. MacFadyen, Mr. Kenneth Sealley, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Search, Miss M. MacLeod, Dr. P. C. Morgan, Hodine Walker, Mrs. G. Horobin, Miss Evelyn Walker, Mr. Ronald Gibson, Mrs. (Dr.) Goulden (Flora Matheson), Miss Norris Duthie, Miss Eva Eggleton, Miss Myrtle Rutan.

DANCE TO HELP PURCHASE OF WAR CANOE

A suggestion has been made that a dance be held in the City, under the patronage of the club officers, the funds to go towards purchasing a war canoe for this beach, with which our paddlers could make a better showing than they have been able to do against the Winnipeg Canoe Club crew.

Members of the Winnipeg Canoe Club have promised their hearty support to it.

Rev. W. N. Kennedy
2nd - Baptist Church

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PATRICIA BEACH EVENTS
 The morning sports on Patricia Beach, Saturday, August 3rd, were attended by several hundreds, and the events were entered into heartily, except in the senior class. Many of the parents were present, and at the close young, and those older, walked up the side of the bank and were presented with a cone of ice-cream, which was heartily enjoyed by everyone. There was a generous supply, and much merriment. The coat of tan, castle-building and swimming races were directed by Mr. J. B. Little, and Mr. G. J. Reeve, well-known principals of City schools, and they were assisted by Mayor F. C. O'Brien, Dr. J. K. McClung, Dr. Neil John McLean, Mr. T. E. Williams, Mr. Victor Scott distributed the prizes at the close. The winners in the competitions were:
 Castle-building, under 8—Boys, 1, Kenneth Gray; 2, Archie Gray; 3, Bobby Hind. Girls, Barbara Baker; 2, Phyllis Durr; 3, Ruth Warren.
 Castle-building, over 8—Boys, 1, Warren Ellis; 2, Don McLean; 3, Philip Iverson. Girls, 1, Edith Jamieson; 2, Betty Atkinson; 3, Jessie Pascoe.
 Swimming, 11 years and under—Boys, 1, Don Stanley; 2, Reg. Govan. Girls, 1, Gwen. Ashton; 2, Beth Gibb.
 Swimming, 12 and under—Boys, 1, Hardun Gibb; 2, Billy Gray. Girls, 1, Dorothy Williams.

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SUNDAY'S PREACHER
 The minister for next Sunday morning's service is Rev. J. Hodges, of Martin Avenue United Church. Mr. Hodges has rented a cottage on Sixth Avenue. The soloist will be Miss Gertrude Newton, of Knox Church, and the accompanist will be Mrs. F. C. Kennedy, organist of St. Andrew's (River Heights).
 Rev. G. Horobin, of St. Jude's Anglican Church, will conduct the service on Sunday, August 6th.

Scores were made on the golf course this week by Mr. Martin, 30, and Mr. Hood, 32.

G. B. BARAGER
 GENERAL STORE
 Our store is equipped with a complete stock in every department to meet the needs of visitors and cottagers at reasonable prices.
 We ask a chance to give a quotation to anyone contemplating large opening orders. No order too large.
 Large circulating library—moderate prices. Large stock of all popular magazines.
 Come empty-handed and care-free! We can supply you with everything, and, if not in stock, we will get it for you at short notice.
 Visit our store, and let us be of any service we can. Fresh fruits and vegetables daily—our specialty.
 "A Clean, Bright, Well-stocked store, with Best Quality Merchandise"—is our motto.
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GOLF COMPETITION THIS WEEK-END
 There is to be a golf competition this week-end. There will be prizes for the best scores made by both men and women.
 There will also be prizes for the best scores made at hidden holes by both men and women old and young.
 The prizes consist of half a dozen Spalding golf balls for each event, and there will also be a consolation prize for the one getting the largest score at any one of the hidden holes.
 Competition is open to anyone from 6 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock at night, and the day is Sunday, August 11th.
 The card must be turned in for a continuous game of 18 holes. Competitors may play as many games as they choose but cannot play nine holes in the morning and nine in the afternoon, and call it one score.
 The hidden hole
 One hole will be selected from each round of nine holes. The winner will be the one getting the lowest score on the two hidden holes. In case of a tie, the one getting the lowest aggregate in 18 holes will be the winner.
 The probability is two separate holes will be selected. That is not known yet, but the judges will keep the numbers of the holes a profound secret.
 Score cards must be witnessed by opponents, one or more. Sometimes only one opponent is in a game, and then again three and, sometimes, four play together. All playing as opponents or partners must witness each other's score.
 A game consists of 18 holes of continuous play. The selection of the best of the nine holes played during the day is not allowed. Cards must be turned in at the end of each 18 holes played, although two 18-holes games of each may be played during the day, and the best will be selected.
 Score cards are to be turned in to Steve Houthillier at the Club-house.
 The Judges are Mr. Frank E. Sprague and Mr. John J. Conklin.

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A VIVID CHURCH SERVICE
 There is no need for the "Beach News" to refer to the very excellent Church service held in the Club-house last Sunday, August 4th, when Rev. Dr. P. C. Morgan had charge. This distinguished clergyman is too well-known to need any praise for the cultured, refined and appealing manner in which he places before his audience the truths of the Bible as he realises their meaning. It was a service which will long be remembered by those who were present.
 Mrs. J. M. Rice was the offertory soloist. This talented singer gave two selections, "My Lord and My Redeemer" (Dudley Buck) and the hymn, "The Ninety and Nine." Mrs. Rice is an accomplished vocalist, and sings with power and feeling, interpreting the composer's thoughts in a way that makes a strong appeal to any audience.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SPORTS DAY
 Next week a detailed statement of the receipts and expenses of the two recent sports days, held under the auspices of Victoria Beach Club, will be presented in the "NEWS."
 Acknowledgment of those who gave donations and prizes will also then be made.

WEDDING OF INTEREST TO VICTORIA BEACH
 The marriage of Miss Letchford and Mr. Leonard W. Pratt is of interest to many Victoria Beach residents, owing to their long association with this community. The announcement is as follows:
 The wedding took place in St. George's Church, Crescentwood, Saturday, August 3rd, of Gertrude, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Letchford, 425 Agnes Street, to Leonard W. Pratt, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pratt, 36 Waterloo Street. The bride, who wore a gown of Lucerne blue georgette and beige hat, and carried a bouquet of pink roses and valley lilies, entered the church with her father to the strains of Lohengrin's "Bridal Chorus," played by Mr. Roland H. Johnson, I.R.C.M., church-organist. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Mabel Letchford, as bridesmaid, who looked extremely pretty in a dress of canary georgette with felt hat to match and carried a bouquet of tea roses, sweet peas and maiden hair fern. The bridegroom was attended by his brother, Mr. Cecil W. Pratt, Rev. Col. G. A. Wells, warden of St. John's College officiated. During the signing of the register, Mrs. G. Deas sang, "For You Alone."
 Mrs. Letchford, mother of the bride, wore a pretty ensemble of printed georgette with grey hat to match and corsage bouquet of roses and sweet peas. Mrs. Pratt, mother of the bridegroom, wore a royal blue flat crepe gown, with beige mohair hat and a corsage bouquet of pink roses and sweet peas.
 A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, after which the bride changed into her travelling suit of navy blue flat crepe and felt hat to match and brown fox fur.
 The happy couple left on a trip west by motor, after which they will reside in Winnipeg.

LAKE WINNIPEG
 Oh, mighty Lake! that stretcheth far,
 To utmost bound of utmost star,
 Of lieth calm as anything
 Beneath the beat of sea-gull's wing;
 Oh, mighty Lake! what tongue can tell
 The mystery of thine ancient spell?
 I've seen thee lie as calm as glass
 While boats across thy bosom pass;
 I've seen thee rage, no longer kind,
 Swirled onward by the furious wind.
 Oh, mighty Lake! what mystery
 Is thine of ancient history?
 When summer blooms, come myriad feet,
 Retiring from the city's heat,
 Some solace from thy shores to gain,
 And each and all come not in vain;
 Yet scarce one heart gives passing thought
 To all the changes Time hath wrought.
 They laugh, they jest, that happy crowd,
 They sport with thee, Thou Lone and Proud!
 Thou Giant Force! behold them play,
 The little creatures of a day,
 And God above doth all control—
 While climates change and ages roll.

BEACH PEOPLE

Mr. and Mrs. D. McKinnon and family are spending a vacation at Kilmarnock Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McKinnon have as their guests Miss Lough and Miss Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Spencer are at "The Maples," Fourth Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. P. V. J. Jones and family are occupying "No. 1," Fourth Avenue for August.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Burton and family are enjoying two weeks' vacation at the Beach.

Mr. Howard Law, soliciting freight agent, C.N.R., with his wife and family, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Harris, Fifth Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Leneis Campbell are occupying Newton Lodge for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fox are spending three weeks at their cottage on Fifth Avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. Purdy and daughter, Jean, spent the week-end with Mrs. Pascoe, Sixth Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McKidd and family are occupying a cottage on First Avenue for August.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gilbert and family are occupying a cottage for two weeks on Fourth Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. King are spending the balance of the season at their cottage on Fifth Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Farrah are occupying a cottage on Sixth Avenue for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pratt returned to the Beach Sunday, after attending the wedding of their son, L. W. Pratt to Miss G. Letchford, which took place Saturday, August 3rd, at St. George's Church, Crescentwood, Winnipeg. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Pratt left for a motor trip for points in the West.

Miss M. Pratt, Mr. Cecil Pratt and Miss M. Ryan, spent the week-end at the Beach.

Mr. Stewart Graham, a member of the Winnipeg Canoe Club, and Miss H. Ryan arrived at the Beach Sunday afternoon, August 4th, in a launch built by Mr. Graham. They left Winnipeg at dawn, and had a pleasant trip. They were the guests of Mrs. W. H. Pratt over night, and left early Monday on the return trip, accompanied by Miss M. Ryan and Mr. C. Pratt.

Miss Mary Knox has returned to the City after spending two weeks as guest of Miss Kathleen Ball, Sixth Avenue.

Mr. Alwyn Prowse, who has been spending two weeks at the Beach, was called to the City by the sudden death of his mother, Mrs. Prowse, wife of a well-known medical man.

Mr. George Skinner, owner of the St. Charles Hotel, spent the week-end at the Beach, the guest of Captain and Mrs. J. F. McCallum.

Miss Laura McLarty and Miss Willa Donovan were guests of Mrs. Conklin over the holiday.

Miss L. Anna Flaher spent the week-end at the Beach, the guest of Col. and Mrs. W. K. Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McMurray spent the week-end at the Beach, the guests of Mrs. W. W. Symons.

Mr. N. B. Walton, general superintendent of the Canadian National Railways, with Mrs. Walton and family, spent the long week-end at the Beach.

Mrs. J. W. Rooke spent the long week-end at her cottage.

Mrs. J. W. Rooke spent the long week-end at her cottage, and was accompanied from the City by "Buster" Wilson, as her guest.

Miss Florence Windatt has recently returned to the City after a visit to the Beach, the guest of Mrs. Arthur Macaw, Sunset.

Mrs. Macaw spent this week in Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kennedy and daughter, Beth, 125 Eastgate, Winnipeg, have returned to Winnipeg, having spent a month's vacation at Pinehurst Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Brooke, 422 Sixth Avenue, have as their guests this week: Mr. Fred M. Martin, pianist and teacher, Winnipeg; Mr. Hans Grunsky, Winnipeg; Mr. Robert Turner, Winnipeg; Mr. J. Whitehead, Lilyfield; and Mrs. Agnes Lowe, Lilyfield.

Dr. R. A. Wardle, professor of the University of Manitoba, and Mrs. Wardle and family are occupying the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kavaner, Sunset Avenue.

Mr. Harvey Kavaner left Friday to join Mrs. Kavaner and family in Ontario, where they will remain until the end of the month. The family will spend the first weeks of September at the Beach.

J. W. Laidlaw and family are spending the month of August at their cottage, Eighth Avenue.

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Fills High Position



MR. A. A. TISDALE

New general manager of the Canadian National Railways (Western Lines), who attended the opening of the Victoria Beach Club-house four years ago, officially representing the railway, and who has ever since shown a personal interest in the welfare and advancement of the Beach. The "NEWS" congratulates Mr. Tisdale on the expression of confidence the Board of Directors of this great railway system has given him in his recent advancement in the service.

Soloist for Sunday



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Soloist of Knox Church, Winnipeg, who will sing the offertory numbers Sunday morning at the service in the Club-house.

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THE EDITOR'S WORK!

Winnipeg, August, 1929.
 Sir—I was greatly surprised and annoyed to see an item concerning my cottage and my vacation inserted in your last week's edition.
 You had NO AUTHORITY from me, and I will thank you in future to refrain from any repetition of such impertinence, and to mind your own business.
 When I require a notice of such a nature I will send it to the paper, and it will be, at least, a TRUTHFUL ITEM.
 Your idea as an editor is rather amusing and very amateur in its production.

Yours truly,

(Mrs.) R. G. FITZSIMONS,
 127 Arlington Street,
 City.

211 Fourth Avenue, Victoria Beach

FIRE ENGINE ATTEMPTS FIRE

The Beach fire engine had its first practical try-out this week. Someone had emptied some hot ashes from a stove close to a pile of brush at Sixth and King Edward. The fire was a furnace when the engine arrived, but when the apparatus got to work, 1,500 gallons of water were poured

on the blaze and the danger subdued. The engine worked fine once it got going, and pumped water from the well quicker than the engine on the shore of the lake could re-fill the well.

Cottagers should be very careful in emptying ashes outside these dry days.

The well used was at King Edward and Fourth, and it holds 1,000 gallons.

SYMPATHY OF COMMUNITY

The unfortunate death in the water at Patricia Beach Monday morning of Thomas W. Wright, of 428 Rosedale Avenue, Winnipeg, was the only sad feature of the two sports days. The doctor, who signed the death certificate, stated death was not due to drowning, but to heart failure, there being no water in the lungs or stomach. Dr. Speckley, provincial coroner, under the circumstances, decided there was no necessity for an inquest.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright had been occupying a cottage with their two daughters at 203 Third Avenue, and had been enjoying their vacation at the Beach. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to Mrs. Wright and children in their loss. The committee in charge of the children's land sports decided to postpone the programme arranged until this morning.

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