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Exhibition Notes.

A large and varied exhibit of Natural History Collections is assured for the St. John Exhibition. The New Brunswick Government, the Dept. of Marine and Fisheries, the University of N. B., the St. John Natural History Society and many private Collectors will contribute.

Collectors everywhere are invited to send in their Collections. \$150.00 is offered in prizes and glass cases will be provided for all perishable specimens.

No expense will be spared in making this department of the Exhibition one of the best of such exhibitions ever held.

It will afford a chance for all lovers of nature study to learn all about the appearance and occurrence of the Animals, Birds, Fishes, Insects, Plants and Fungi natural to this country. A great special feature will be the Fish Exhibit.

The magnificent collection of the Department of Marine & Fisheries, Ottawa, will be shown and the Chief Game Commissioner of New Brunswick, will have an exhibit of Live Fish in tanks, and be on hand to give full details of all that goes to make the Sportsman happy in this country of forest, lake and stream.

Every one who has a Collection of stuffed Animals, Birds, Fishes, or Mounted Insects, Plants, Fungi or Minerals, is invited to send them to the St. John Exhibition, where they will be shown and protected by glass cases.

Intending Collectors should send for Prize list of the exhibition showing prizes offered and giving full directions how to make and mount Collections. Address, C. A. Everett, Socy's Exhibition Association, St. John, N. B.

The Amusements at the International Exhibition, St. John, N. B., will this year be of an especially entertaining character.

The Out-Door attractions will include wonderful feats in slack wire balancing, man fired from a cannon and high diving.

There will be a high class double Vaudeville performance, twice daily in Amusement Hall.

There will be Seven Nights of Pyrotechnic display with many new features, showing the blowing up of battle ships and assaults on fortresses. Everyone should take in the great New Brunswick holiday.

The St. John Exhibition prize list this year provides for an additional sweepstakes prize in each Cattle Class, for the best male and best female animal owned and exhibited by a New Brunswick exhibitor.

There are also prizes in each Cattle Class for Calves under 3 months of age as well as to those between 6 months and a year.

Arrangements have been concluded for through trains to carry Live Stock from St. John to Halifax on the 21st September next. Stock can be loaded at the Platforms in the Exhibition Grounds, St. John, and unloaded on the Halifax Grounds. There will be no transfers and no Delays.

New Brunswick farmers should remember that \$700.00 will be given at the St. John Exhibition in extra Grain and Fruit prizes to each County in the Province. Twelve prizes for Grains and Four prizes for Fruits, will go to each County, making over 200 prizes in all. This will give every exhibitor several chances for a prize. Entries should be sent in before August 29th. Prize lists can be obtained from Chas. A. Everett, Manager and Secretary, St. John, N. B.

ST. JOHN LETTER.

Granite of late has largely taken the place of marble in the United States both for building and monumental purposes. Marble lacks the appearance of stability which granite possesses and it is really much more susceptible to the action of the elements. It soon discolors, does not retain its polish for any considerable length of time and by the action of fire is soon transformed into lime. Granite is more permanent in fact as well as appearance, and its effect is more pleasing to the eye both in buildings and monuments. New Brunswick has unlimited quantities of the finest granite in the world at Greenwich, Welsford, St. George, the north shore and many other places, and under present conditions the business of quarrying it for export ought to meet with a large increase in volume. One of the handsomest monuments at Firnhill was made of Welsford granite where the quarries are said to be inexhaustible.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. C. Miles, the artists, are en route to Europe and will visit London, Paris, Genoa, Turin, Florence and Rome during their absence. Samuel Leckey, aged 70 years, committed suicide in the Almshouse last Wednesday by cutting his throat with a razor. Mr. Leckey was once a man of considerable property and for a time was a member of the Portland police force. His mind was probably unbalanced by misfortune. Some members of his family who live in the city, it is said, declined to contribute toward his support.

The birth of a deer in Rockwood park last Wednesday was the great event of the day and the children are all agog to make an early call on the little stranger. The Almshouse now has 145 inmates many of whom have paid in taxes for quite as good accommodations as they receive, and some of whom, it is said, would be living in their own homes if the money sent them after the great fire had not been withheld.

Another circus will make a tour of the province in August. I. N. Northrup, of Northrup & Co., returned from his visit to England this week. He is most enthusiastic in his description of Port Sunlight where 2,290 operators are employed and the works are capable of turning out 250,000,000 pounds of soap per year. The company have 400 dwelling houses rented to operatives at three shillings per week, a free school accommodating 500 children, a free lecture hall and theatre and a free picture gallery, park, girls' institute, library, ambulance lawn tennis ground and a band supplied with instruments by Lever Brothers.

Flour is unchanged but millers predict an early advance. Oatmeal and cornmeal are 10 to 20 cents per barrel higher than last week. Sugars are easier: granulated 4 1/2 cents, extra C 3 1/2 and 3 7-8 cents. DeForest & Sons quote Austrian granulated in 100 pound bags at 4 1/2 cents and English yellow in 224 pound bags at 3 1/2 cents. New canned peas are in the market at 80 and 90 cents per dozen. Choice eggs are up to 9 cents and choice butter remains unchanged at 14 cents.

EDWARD EDWARDS, St. John, July 23.

Conservative Convention.

MONCTON, July 19.—The Liberal-Conservative convention opened in the Opera House here to day. A large delegation was in attendance.

The following are the delegates from Queens and Sunbury: H. W. Woods, C. E. A. Simonds, R. D. Wilmot, A. D. Wilmot, Thos. H. Gilbert.

Senator Woods of Westmoreland occupied the chair. The Hon. Mr. Foster was present and addressed the meeting. Among the resolutions passed was the following:

Moved by W. H. Thorne, of St. John: We heartily approve of the course pursued by the liberal conservative opposition in parliament during the last three sessions under the experienced leadership of Sir Charles Tupper, and we pledge our most earnest efforts in support of the same.

The resolution, which was moved by George V. McInerney, M. P., caused the most discussion. It read that in the opinion of this convention it is desirable that at the approaching general election for the province of New Brunswick we support candidates pledged to establish and maintain a provincial administration in sympathy with liberal conservative principles. The mover said he had for years believed in the principle affirmed in this motion. As things were under responsible government the party system was best adapted to make the government accountable to the people. The proposed change had to come and he believed it was politics to introduce it now. The government called itself a coalition, but he found that the patronage departments in the province were operated against the conservatives in federal affairs. During the session at Ottawa this matter had been talked over on the occasion of Dr. Stockton's visit. It was then thought best to take the voice of the party in general convention, and he asked now for the verdict. He believed that the Emmerston government had intended to spring an election ahead of the convention, but the convention was here now and would deliver its message.

Men and Women Repaired.

A machine that is constantly and incessantly working needs repairs at certain intervals. The human frame worn by mental and physical toil and subjected to the worries and cares of our modern life, has need of repairs and building up. In the hot summer weather nervous energy is at a low ebb, and as a consequence, nervous debility, terrible headaches, dyspepsia and a run-down condition make life a burden for thousands.

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Accident on the C. P. R.

BANGOR, Me., July 21.—A construction train on the C. P. R. ran into a hand car at McAdam this morning and conductor and brakeman, fearing a derailment, jumped off. The conductor, whose name was Fitzgerald, was killed.

AGONIZING PAINS

Endured by Those Who Suffer from Sciatica—A Victim Tells How to Obtain Relief.

Probably no trouble that afflicts mankind causes more intense agony than sciatica. Frequently the victim is utterly helpless, the least movement causing the most agonizing pains. Those who are suffering from this malady the following statement from Mr. John Hayes, of Hayesville, York County, N. B., will point the road to relief and cure. Mr. Hayes says:—"For upwards of twenty years I have suffered from weakness and pain in the back. Some four years ago my trouble was intensified by Sciatica settling in my right leg. What I suffered seems almost beyond description. I employed three doctors but all to no purpose. I had to give up work entirely, and almost despaired of life. This continued for two years—years filled with misery. At this time I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after using six boxes both the sciatica and the weakness in the back which had troubled me so long, were gone. I was again a well man and feeling fifteen years younger than before I began the pills. Nearly two years have passed since I discontinued the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and in that time no symptom of the trouble has shown itself. Under God I thank Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for what they have done for me."

Mr. Hayes voluntarily testifies to the truth of the above statement before Edward Whosead, Esq., J. P., and his statements are further vouched for by Rev. J. N. Barnes, of Stanley, N. P.

The Plebiscite Campaign.

It has been announced, not officially, but from a reliable source, that the Dominion Plebiscite on prohibition will be held some time near the last of October. This fact should rouse temperance workers everywhere in Canada to increased effort in spreading true temperance principles during the remaining weeks of the campaign.

It is useless for temperance workers to calmly await the eventful day, as though the victory could be won without an effort. They must realize that the provincial plebiscite of a few years ago was really what may be called "a walk-over," for the temperance party.

In the coming Waterloo, the solid liquor phalanx will go up against the mighty force of temperance warriors. We greatly fear that the munitions of war will not be too abundant on the right side.

If our party is to conquer, we must calculate on giving our time and our means in a fair degree. Let us therefore show our interest to be "more than the word of mouth. A plan seemingly deserving of consideration is a forward movement in our I. O. G. T. lodges, S. of T. divisions and other temperance bodies.

If each member were to secure one new member, the membership would be doubled. Also there are numerous localities without any temperance organization.

Why not have our cause represented in these localities? Only three months more. If we fail in our efforts to liberate our fair country, how bitter must be the thoughts we shall have if in any way our lack of activity as pledged temperance workers shall have contributed to this failure.

Only action, determined action will save our country. Our rallying cry will not be "Remember the Maine." Let it be "remember the orphans, widows and all the sufferers from bottled destruction."

The golden opportunity is fast passing beyond our reach. We should all take a lesson from the following stanza: "The heights by great men reached and kept Were not attained by sudden flight; But they while their companions slept Were toiling upward in the night."

No sleep for us till we accomplish our purpose. Half-hearted, sleepy work is as bad as no work. Strive earnestly, faithfully, unceasingly. A Temperance Worker.

England to Add to Her Fleet.

LONDON, July 22.—The eagerly expected statement of the first lord of the admiralty, George J. Goschen, on the supplementary naval programme was made to-day in the house of Commons. He reviewed the original programme, which was considered sufficient when it was framed, being based upon the two power system that the navy of Great Britain must be equal to the combined fleets of any two powers. But in consequence of the action of Russia on the same system, the government was compelled to present a supplementary programme, paralleling the Russian increase of six battleships which Russia purposed to begin in 1898.

Only two battleships were taken into account in the original British programme and the first lord of the admiralty now added that the house proposed to grant four more battleships. (Cheers.) Continuing, Mr. Goschen remarked: "Russian programme provides for four cruisers. We propose to build four—(cheers)—and also twelve destroyers. It is estimated that the cost of the new programme will be \$8,000,000, making the entire expenditure for the new ships \$15,000,000. The battleships will be especially adapted for the passage of the Suez Canal."

Will Not Resign.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 20.—A message from the returning officer for Cassiar, states that the nominations have been duly held and three candidates have entered the field for the two seats for that constituency. They are Captain John Irvine and C. W. Elford, straight government supporter, McIntosh, independent Government. It is said to be probable Mr. McIntosh will withdraw from the polling. In any event the government will have two supporters from Cassiar, which will give it nineteen all told, or exactly half the house. Premier Turner does not contemplate resigning, but intends to meet the legislature in due course.

Douglas Harbor.

Your correspondent in giving an account of the entertainment on the 1st of July neglected to give the programme of the concert held on that evening. As it was quite a lengthy one and all present pronounced it a success I will give it you, and hope that you will find space enough in your valuable paper for it.

Opening chorus, "Canada the land of the Maple tree," by the choir. Recitation, "The Night Attack," W. E. Palmer. Trio "Gently down the Stream of Time," Misses Laura and Sarah Hunter and Edward Moore. Dialogue, "Married by a new Justice of the Peace," Miss Marion E. Palmer, Stephen Colwell, F. H. Palmer, John McDonald.

Instrumental Music—Miss Laura Hunter. Stump Speech, "A new Dr. Puffstuff," Ernest Palmer. Recitation, "The Lady and the Pie," Et-tawandel Palmer. Solo and Chorus, "The old red Cradle," Misses Elgina Allen, Sarah Hunter, Marion Palmer, Asa Balmain, Edward Moore.

Dialogue, "He heard at Last," Fred H. and Ernest Palmer. Instrumental Music—Miss Laura Hunter. Stump Speech—John Hood. Recitation, "Evil Company," Asa Balmain. Reading—Stephen Colwell. Scene "The Gypsy's Warning," Misses Laura Hunter, Elgina Allen and Asa Balmain.

Dialogue, "Peleg and Patience," Misses Marion Palmer, Hattie Carle, Elgina Allen, Fred H. Palmer, W. W. Simpson, W. E. Palmer. Solo, "Klondyke Gold," Robbie B. Palmer. Tableau, "Going and Coming from Klondyke," Robert and Ernest Palmer and W. W. Simpson.

Instrumental Music—Miss Laura Hunter. Illuminated Club Swinging—John Hood. Reading—Stephen Colwell. Duett, "Tired," Misses Laura and Sarah Hunter. Recitation, "The Country Girl," Miss Marion Palmer. Dialogue, "Rejected," Misses Marion Palmer, Elgina Allen and Asa Balmain.

Tableau, "A Midnight Scene in a Farm-yard," Fred H., Ernest, and Miss Marion Palmer. Chorus, "Good Night," by Choir.

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