

Canada's International Exhibition

OPENS SEPT. 10th and CLOSES SEPT. 19th, 1900, ST. JOHN, N. B.

Attractions Unsurpassed.

Marsh, the Wonderful, Dives 70 ft. from a Flying Bicycle.

He performs the greatest feat of the century and is sought after by all exhibitions. This will be his only appearance in the Maritime Provinces this season. He dives seventy feet from a flying bicycle into a shallow tank. This feat is in plain view of all on the grounds.

Baden Powell's Armored Train.

as it circled in the defence of Mating, will be another free-for-all.

Funniest Coach Ride,

ever seen is another out-door attraction.

Magnificent Fireworks.

IN AMUSEMENT HALL.

Powers Bros.

Recently returned from a European tour where they delighted the most critical audiences in the world.

Rossi Bros.

Knockabout Artists, perform one of the most laughable acts ever staged.

Kelly and Ashby.

Comedy Acrobats, have a magnificent billiard table and play a most extraordinary game upon it.

Auguste Dewell.

is the prince of equilibrists and is a scholar and a gentleman.

Novelty Trio.

Don't say what they will do till they appear. Then—Look out!!!

Moving War Pictures.

In Agricultural Building Hall. The Eikon Waragraph Moving Pictures will be the sensation of the Exhibition. Here will be thrown upon a canvas of 300 square feet, wonderfully life-like and life size scenes of the British Boer War.

HORSES.

Among the Horse Exhibits will be noted Stallions of several breeds, and colts by the great trotting sire "Bingen," 2 06 1/4, and by "Preseus," 2.06 1/4, the fastest trotting stallion in the world. There will be noted animals of other breeds, including a Clyde, from York Co., weighing 2,600 lbs. All these splendid horses will parade daily before the grand stand.

CATTLE.

The Cattle classes include some of the very best animals to be found in Canada. Noted Guernsey, Ayrshire and Holstein herds from Nova Scotia, Quebec and P. E. Island, as well as New Brunswick. Short-horns, Herefords and Poll-d Angus par excellence.

SHEEP.

Among the woolly creatures will be many noted black faces and white faces.

SWINE.

Here the visitor can see the beautiful blonde rustling Tamworth and the hearty happy Berkshire brunettes and there are others.

POULTRY.

Large and small, White, Black, Buff, Speckled and every hue. They will all be there. Over 900 birds. An incubator will bring off a hatch on the 14th—a sight worth seeing.

Natural History Display.

This department, conducted under the auspices of the St. John Natural History Society and the active superintendence of Mr. C. F. B. Rowe, is a unique feature among Canadian Exhibitions. Here the Animal, Bird, Fish, Insect and Plant Life of the Province, and its Mineral Wealth as well, are displayed. Fifty varieties of Native Fish, swimming in their natural element in glass tanks, is the most striking feature. All lovers of nature cannot fail to be intensely interested.

Dining Room and Lunches.

Good meals will be provided by a Committee of Ladies, in the Dining Room in the Main Building, and lunches can be procured at the Lunch Counters at any hour of the day and evening. Oysters and soft drinks of all kinds will also be supplied.

An innovation this year will be the SMOKING ROOM, where, from an adjoining Cigar Making Exhibit, lovers of the weed may enjoy a first-class smoke and a quiet chat.

BUTTER AND CHEESE,

and How it is Made. A magnificent display—and interesting competitions.

Everyone Can Come.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY ARRANGEMENTS.

From Sept. 8th to 18th, tickets will be sold at all stations in New Brunswick, good to return up to Sept. 22nd, at single first-class fare, with 25 cents admission to the Exhibition added.

Tickets will be sold at this rate in Nova Scotia on the 8th, 11th, and 13th and in Quebec from Quebec City, Lévis and east, on the 8th and 13th.

SPECIAL EXCURSIONS.

From Sussex to Coldbrook and Stations inclusive, tickets will be sold from Sept. 10th to 19th at single second class fare, with 25 cents admission to the Exhibition added, good to return same day. From P. nobis to Moncton inclusive, same dates, same fare and good to return day following date of issue.

From points east of Moncton to Point du Chene and Amherst, same dates, same fare, and good to return two days from date of issue.

From points north of Moncton to Campbellton, at single second class fare, with 25 cents admission to the Exhibition added on the 10th Sept., limit for return 13th; on 12th, limit 15th; on 13th, limit 17th; on 14th, limit 18th; on 15th, limit 19th; on 17th, limit 20th.

SPECIAL DAYS.

On Tuesday, 11th and Tuesday, 18th.	On Monday, 10th, and Monday 17th.
Amherst.....\$2.00	Campbellton to Eel River.....\$3.25
Aulac to Calhoun's.....1.75	Belledune and Petite Roche.....2.85
Pt. du Chene and Shediac.....1.75	Charlo, New Mills and Laughlins...3.10
Painsec Jct. and Humphreys.....1.50	Nash's Creek and Jacquet River...3.00
Moncton to Poilet River.....1.25	Bathurst to Red Pine.....2.75
Petitcodiac and Penobscot.....1.05	Bartibogue to Barnaby River.....2.50
Sussex and Apohaqui.....1.00	Rogersville and Kent Jct.....2.25
Norton......85	Harcourt to Coal Branch.....2.00
Bloomfield and Pessekeag......75	Cannad.....1.75
Hampton......60	Berry's Mills.....1.60
Nauwigawank......50	Good to return two days from date of issue.
Quispamis to Riverside......45	
Brookville to Coldbrook......35	
Good to return same day.	

ON SEPTEMBER 11TH AND 17TH.

Halifax to Shubenacadie.....\$4.75	On September 12 and 17th. from farthest parts of P. E. Island.....3.75
Stewiacke to Truro.....4.25	Summerside.....2.75
Londonderry to Oxford Jc.....3.75	
Springhill Jc.....3.25	

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY.

From Sept. 8th to 18th, good to return till 22nd, at single first-class fare from all stations to St. John. \$4.50 is the rate from Halifax.

SHORE LINE RAILWAY.

St. Stephen, from 10th to 18th, good to return 22nd, \$1.00 (without admission to Exhibition.)

All other Railways and Steamers leading into St. John and many connecting lines give return tickets at single first class fare.

Read the Excursion Rates.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip from Sept. 10th to 18th, good to return till Sept. 22nd, plus 25c. admission to Exhibition. There will be low rates for special days as follows—including admission to Exhibition:

THURSDAY, SEPT. 13th.		WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 12th.	
Return rate.		Return rate.	
Edmonton.....\$3.25	Plaster Rock.....\$3.25	Green River.....3.25	Arbuckle.....3.25
St. Leonards.....3.25	Red Rapids.....3.20	Grand Falls.....3.25	Tobique Narrows.....2.95
Good to return Sept. 17th.			
FRIDAY, SEPT. 14th.		THURSDAY, SEPT. 13th.	
Return rate.		Return rate.	
Woodstock.....\$3.25	Aroostook Jc.....\$3.00	Debec Jc.....2.25	Andover.....3.00
Benton.....2.25	Perth.....2.75	Canterbury.....2.25	Kilburn.....2.75
McAdam Jc.....1.75	Bath.....2.55	Harvey.....1.75	Bristol.....2.50
Tracey.....1.45	Florenceville.....2.45	Good to return Sept. 18th.	Hartland.....2.85
MONDAY, SEPT. 17th.			
Return rate.		Return rate.	
Lowelltown.....\$5.70	Newburg Jc.....2.25	Jackman.....4.20	Good to return Sept. 17, 1900.
Greenville Jc.....4.40	MONDAY, SEPT. 17th.	Brownville.....3.75	Return rate.
Lake View.....3.55	Return rate.	Mattawamkeag.....2.85	Presque Isle.....3.25
Danforth.....2.30	Return rate.	Vancouver.....1.75	Caribou.....3.25
Good to return Sept. 19th.	Return rate.	Fredericton.....\$1.75	Fort Fairfield.....3.25
FRIDAY, SEPT. 14th.	Return rate.	Fredericton Jc.....1.35	Good to return Sept. 20th.
Return rate.		Hoy.....1.20	MONDAY, SEPT. 17th.
Fredericton.....\$1.75	Return rate.	Westford......95	Return rate.
Fredericton Jc.....1.35	Return rate.	Westfield Beach......80	Havelock.....\$2.25
Hoy.....1.20	Return rate.	Good to return Sept. 15th and 20th respectively.	Millville.....2.25
Westford......95	Return rate.	St. Andrews and St. Stephen from 10th to 18th, good to return 22nd, \$1.50 (without admission to Exhibition.)	Cardigan.....2.25
Westfield Beach......80	Return rate.	Special Trains will leave Aroostook Jc, 7 a. m. Sept. 13th and one from Woodstock, 7.45 a. m., Sept. 14th.	Keswick.....2.15
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D. J. McLAUGHLIN, President.

CHAS. A. EVERETT, Manager and Secretary.

PUR:UED BY A BRIGAND.

Peculiar Predicament of an English Lady in the Tyrol.

When the grapes are ripening in the Tyrol, men called salters are stationed in the vineyards to guard the fruit. Local custom allows them to levy a toll upon the passerby, who is then free to gather as many bunches as he will. Wonderful is the dress of the salter, his head crowned with fur and feathers, and his broad chest ornamented by the tusks of wild boars. He carries a spear, and behind him runs a very shorp locking dog, who "yaps" at the approach of intruders.

One day, writes a lady from Meran, an Englishwoman invaded a vineyard here, and began her slow, duck-like walk on the slope. Suddenly from the vines before her emerged the salter, and began firmly but quite respectfully to explain that she must pay her "footing" before she could go on.

But he was not allowed to proceed. The lady uttered three shrieks, in quick succession, threw something at him and fled. Down the steep and rugged footway she ran, while the man, smirzed, duffed his plumes, passed his hand over his bewildered forehead and then stooped to pick up her missile.

He examined it; he roared after her to return, and then, as she paid no attention, he set forth in hot pursuit.

Faster and faster they flew until, reaching the leading thoroughfare of Meran, the salter dropped into a walk, although still keeping the woman in sight.

She reached the hotel, and more dead than alive, flung herself on the hall porter's

shoulder, explaining in gasps that she had only gone out for a little walk, and had met the most frightful brigand.

'He chased me', she cried, 'even though I had flung him my purse at once! I never knew I could run so fast.'

Meantime the honest salter appeared to return the mad lady's purse. He left it with the concierge, and then returned to his vines, a bewildered man. He could not grasp the concierge's explanation that his feathers had frightened the lady; for were not those very feathers what his own people most admire? He could only remember having many times heard that all the English are mad.

Vocabularies.

The vocabulary of men engaged in professional or mercantile work does not include more than two or three thousand words. But there are stenographers who can readily use five or six thousand word signs. Dr. Eugene Murray-Aaron, in his 'Butterfly-Hunters,' mentioning the extensive vocabularies of several men of science, says:

'Hugo, the French naturalist, and Louis Agassiz, the Swiss zoologist could promptly give the names according to careful estimates, of over five thousand animals, in addition to the ordinary words they knew perfectly. It has been said of Dr. Asa Gray, the great botanist of Harvard, that he knew quite eight thousand plants by name and at sight.'

'But by far the most remarkably trained memory with which I have had acquaintance was that of Dr. Joseph Leidy, for many years, and until his death, president of the Academy of Natural Sciences of

Philadelphia.

'Doctor Leidy was not only a foremost geologist and mammalogist having hundreds of the terms of these sciences upon his tongue's end, but he was a very good student of birds, reptiles, fishes, insects, and lesser things, and remarkably ready in remembering where their different species belonged in the great order of nature.'

'Besides this he was an authority on microscopic life, especially minute parasites, was a botanist, one of the leading physicians and anatomists of his time, and a perfect encyclopedia of geography and exploration.'

'Add to this a good memory for names and faces and a familiarity with several foreign languages, and you get some idea of this man's powers in that respect. After a long conversation with him one day on this subject, I estimated that his memory enabled him to use twenty seven thousand words at will.'

Doctor Murray-Aaron gives the details of this estimate, which allows for English, geological and general science, three thousand words each; three foreign languages and geographical, two thousand each; and technical and medical, five thousand each. This estimate does not seem to be an extravagant one.

Good Girl o Make Love to.

Attendant—That girl came in for an ice cream soda and went away without ordering it.

Proprietor—What was the matter?
Attendant—She was so long making up her mind what sirup to take that she had cooled off without it.

PEOUILIAR EVIDENCE.

Perfume Leads to the Arrest of a Thief and a Murderer.

By the ineffaceable odor of certain perfumes and scents, murderers and thieves have sometimes been detected. An interesting case of this sort occurred not long since in Paris, where a notorious burglar was arrested solely because he had a partiality for eucalyptus.

An elderly lady awoke one night in the city of Paris to find that the jewel box at the side of her bed was just being robbed by a burly, masked man. The lady controlled herself and feigned sleep, but she noticed the strong odor of eucalyptus that pervaded the man's garments.

As soon as he had gone she opened her bedroom window and screamed for assistance. But the thief had made good his escape, nor was he captured for a considerable time.

One day there called at the office of a Hebrew pawnbroker a gentlemanly-looking fellow who was desirous of pledging a few articles of jewelry. Now the pawnbroker had received a list of the gems stolen from the lady in question, and he saw that none of them were shown by the gentleman; but he had read in the newspaper account of the robbery concerning the strong odor of eucalyptus about the thief, and he at once noticed the smell of the fragrant oil prevailing in the customer's clothing.

His suspicions were aroused, and he summoned a policeman and told his story. The result was the capture of a notorious burglar and the thief of the lady's gems. Another case hails from India. A mer-

chant returning to his home from Calcutta took with him a small flask of spikenard, a costly perfume used in Hindu religious rites. He was robbed and murdered on the way. Months afterward the criminals, who had come under suspicion for other crimes, received an informal visit from the police, when the strong odor of the costly scent was discovered in their abode, and the half empty flask was unearthed beneath a stack of fuel in one of the rooms.

This led to the conviction and execution of three members of the gang.

As to the Census.

'This is strange,' remarked the Gothamite, looking over the estimated population of Chicago as compiled by the Chicago papers.

'Think so?' sneered the Chicagoan.

Yes, but truth is stranger.'

Exploded.

Julia—'I thought Mr. Benedict swore that he would never marry.'

Harold—'So he did, before he enlisted. He is one of those converts to annexation as a war measure.'

Hungry Hooley—How d'yer feel, old chappie?

Empty Egan—Like a meal ticket with every meal punched out

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