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The Buildings and Grounds
Present an Animated
Scene.

LORD DUNDONALD WILL OPEN THE EX-
HIBITION MONDAY AT 3 P. M.

The Fredericton exhibition which opens on Monday, promises to easily eclipse in point of numbers and the extent, variety and excellence of exhibits anything in the show line ever before attempted in this section of the province.

The big show will be formally opened at three o'clock on Monday afternoon by Major General the Earl of Dundonald, commanding the Canadian militia. It is expected that the lieutenant governor and members of the local government will also be in attendance, and the opening ceremony promises to be of more than usual interest. The Earl of Dundonald, accompanied by his A. D. C., Capt. Newton, will arrive here from Sussex by the eight o'clock train this evening. He will be met at the depot by Hon. L. P. Farris, commissioner of agriculture, John A. Campbell, M. P. P., president of the agricultural society, and C. Fred Chestnut, chairman of the publicity committee, and will be conveyed to the Barker House, where he will be the guest of the exhibition executive during his stay in the city.

On Monday morning the distinguished visitor will be entertained to a drive about the city and Marysville, and he will likely spend the whole of the afternoon at the exhibition grounds. He will take his departure by the nine o'clock train Monday evening for Kentville, N. S.

The exhibition buildings and grounds today present a scene of great activity, and all is bustle and excitement in preparation for the opening on Monday. A large force of men are at work putting the finishing touches on the buildings and sheds, and also getting the exhibitors' booths in readiness. A large number of exhibits have already arrived, including nine carloads of thoroughbred cattle which came in over the Canada Eastern last night. There are about 120 head in the lot, belonging to Mr. M. McMonagle of Sussex; George A. Fawcett, of Sackville; W. W. Black, of Amherst and others. There are Herefords, Shorthorns, Jerseys, Guernseys and other fancy breeds, all magnificent animals. Mr. McMonagle has no less than thirty head, principally Jerseys; Mr. Black has about a dozen Herefords, including a three year old bull, which ups the scales at 2,250 pounds, a regular monster, and Mr. Fawcett's herd of Shorthorns, contains some magnificent specimens.

There are over two hundred entries in cattle alone, and all the available space for them will be taken up.

Mr. F. E. Cane's splendid exhibit of horses and cattle from Chamcook farm and Sir William VanHornes exhibit of black belted cattle are expected to reach to reach here this evening.

Messrs. Spence and Lawrence of St. Stephen, have arrived with a magnificent collection of poultry and pet stock and will easily be the leaders in their line.

The city promises to be overrun with visitors next week and every arrangement is being made to provide accommodation for them. The hotels and boarding houses will take care of a goodly number, and many private householders will open their doors to the visitors. The indications are that there will be lively times about town next week.

It has been arranged to have the opening ceremony take place in the new amusement hall, which has seating accommodation for about one thousand people.

Chairman Dibblee has arranged to have the diving horses give an exhibition on the grounds immediately after the opening ceremony. A tank has been prepared just in rear of amusement hall, and is being filled with water from one of the city hydrants. The

diving horses were exhibited about the streets this morning and attracted a great deal of attention.

Mr. F. B. Edgecombe, chairman of transportation has been notified that Supt. Downie, of the C. P. R., has very kindly placed his private car at the disposal of Lord Dundonald for his trip to Fredericton. It will be attached to the regular C. P. R. train from Sussex this evening, and will also be available on Monday evening for His Lordship's passage to Kentville.

MUNICIPAL POLITICS.

Agitating the Minds of our Country
Friends Now-a-days.

The biennial elections for the York municipal council take place on Tuesday, Oct. 6th, and a notice to that effect has been published in the newspapers over the signature of Secretary-Treasurer Bliss. So far, but little interest has been aroused in several of the parishes, but as polling day approaches things will probably liven up a bit. The county ratepayers keep a pretty sharp watch on representatives in the municipal parliament, and the latter have to be mighty careful how they vote on questions likely to involve increased taxation. Although taxes are very low in the country, in comparison to what the city ratepayers are called upon to contribute, our country friends do not want their burdens increased, and the councillor who has a tendency to extravagance is sure to be called to strict account when next he appeals for the suffrages of the people. It will be remembered that at the January session of the council when the bills incurred by the Board of Health on account of smallpox, were submitted, a majority of the councillors flatly refused to order their payment. Secretary Treasurer Bliss, to his credit be it said, clearly pointed out that under the law there was nothing for the council to do but pay the bills, but his advice was not heeded. A majority of the council were for fighting the matter in the courts, and instructed Secretary Treasurer Bliss to resist payment. Our readers are already familiar with what happened as a result of the foolish action of the council. The Board of Health obtained an order from a Judge of the Supreme court, calling upon the warden and secretary-treasurer to show cause why the bills should not be paid. The case came up for argument at St. John, and the Board of Health of course came out on top. The county authorities had to pay the costs, together with the council fees, the whole amounting to about \$825. It was a very foolish proceeding from the first, and the councillors responsible for it are likely to be called to strict account. Most ratepayers take the view that men who would go to law, and throw away a large sum of money, when they knew that they had not the ghost of a chance of winning, are not safe men to transact business at the council board.

It seems quite certain that there will be contests in every parish on the eastern side of the river, with the possible exception of Bright. In Stanley, Coun. Merrill will probably retire, and the candidates will be Messrs Pond, Peacock and Hinchey. Coun. Young, C. N. Goodspeed, C. B. Morgan and Charles Forbes are talked of as candidates for St. Marys, and for Douglas ex-Coun. George Seymour will likely oppose the old councillors. For Bright it seems quite likely that Couns. McKeen and Reynolds will have a bloodless victory. Coun. Timmins will seek re-election in Queensbury, and other names mentioned are M. B. McNally and M. A. Hagerman. In Southampton James T. Martin announces that he will be a candidate in opposition to the present representatives.

In the parishes of New Maryland, Kingsclear, Prince William, Dumfries, Canterbury, McAdam and North Lake, new candidates are scarce, and there is but little election talk as yet.

MARYSVILLE NEWS.

A Popular Wedding---A Valuable Cow---
Personal Items, etc.

(By Our Own Reporter.)

Sept. 19.—A wedding which has been looked forward to with keen interest will take place next Wednesday when Mr. Joseph Chapman will lead to the altar Miss Laura Fullerton, one of Marysville's popular and accomplished young ladies. The Herald wishes the young couple a long and happy wedded life.

Mr. Charles French, one of most progressive farmers is talking seriously of entering his handsome mooley cow at the coming exhibition. The cow in question was purchased some time ago from Pete Ayotte, and is well known throughout the county of York, not alone for her lengthy pedigree and wonderful milking qualities, but for her beauty, as she is certainly a magnificent

beast, and has all the leading features required in first class cattle. If there is any class open for this particular breed, no doubt Mr. French will be well paid for his trouble.

The funeral of little Maggie Stafford took place yesterday afternoon. Rev. A. D. Paul of Gibson was the officiating clergyman. George W. Adams was the undertaker in charge.

Mr. Elwood White of Brick Hill is erecting a fence around his residence and when finished it will add wonderfully to the appearance of the premises.

Mr. Hubbard Niles of Gibson and friends made a flying visit to Marysville yesterday.

About four months ago there was considerable talk among our horsemen as to who had the fastest goer in Marysville; in fact the boasts that were made by some of our sporting fraternity were of the most extraordinary nature, especially when people did not know the horses talked about. Where are the owners of Harry Nowlan, White Wings, Marshal Ney and Tippo Lumpa that they did not enter their would be world beaters at the Fredericton races next week. Tippo and Marshal may bring off their long talked of race which would be rather interesting, especially for John.

"Exhibitions an Educator."

In order that their clerks may derive all the benefits from attendance at the exhibition, and will be fresh for the next day's business, John J. Weddall & Son have decided to close their place of business as usual (six o'clock) during the exhibition week.—d2.

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