

THE ST. JOHN EVENING TIMES, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1904.

**TEN THOUSAND WERE
PRESENT AT HORSE SHOW.****Great Society Event in New York Yesterday—The Gowns of the Ladies Among the Leading Attractions—A Brilliant Scene.**

New York, Nov. 16.—The crowd at the horse show in Madison Square Garden today, was the largest of the present season. In the afternoon nearly all the boxes were filled with fashionably dressed women, and 10,000 persons witnessed the exhibition. The evening attendance was the largest and most brilliant so far this season. The attraction was the Waldorf-Astoria cup for big horses, and to see this society arrived early. The boxes were well filled and the gowns of the women proved one of the leading attractions to the thousands who thronged the balconies.

For two hours the promenade presented a brilliant picture, changing incessantly. Good natured crowds, drawn from every walk in life, elbowed their way around the concourse seeking vantage points. The occupants of the boxes held informal receptions, and the occasion seemed more like an entertainment at the opera than an exhibition of horses.

The first big class event of the afternoon was the champion prize of \$200 for mares which had been blue ribbon takers in other classes of this year's show. Queen Wilhelmina, one of the string brought here from England by Robert Whitworth, took first honors, the reserve ribbon going to

Eben D. Jordan's Mistress Marjorie. The largest prize awarded this week, the challenge cup, went to Mr. Jordan's black hackney stallion, Gentleman John. As this horse won the cup last year, today's victory gave Mr. Jordan permanent possession of the trophy.

Lord Brilliant, Mrs. John Gerkens' chestnut gelding, one of last year's blue ribbon winners, won first honor in the class for horses attached to runabouts, over Mrs. J. B. M. Grosvenor's horse Elevation, and Alfred G. Vanderbilt's Lady Katherine, out of a field of 50 competitors.

An interesting event was the four hand contest between Mrs. Grosvenor and Miss Ella S. Rose of England, which was won by the former.

The Corinthian class of jumpers was won by Mrs. Thomas Hiltchcock, Jr., with Kingman.

Eben D. Jordan has won the most prizes this week. His horses have taken ten blue ribbons, three seconds and one third.

Ten horses appeared as contestants for the Waldorf-Astoria cup. Eben D. Jordan's Hildred was declared the winner, with Burlington, the property of James Robert Moore of Chicago, the reserve.

Among the well known people present were the Duke and Duchess of Manchester.

Morning News in Brief.**Local.**

Robert H. Derrah, formerly of this city, has been appointed passenger and advertising agent of the Boston & Northern and the Old Colony street railways.

A meeting of the Fabian League will be held Friday evening in Barryman's Hall for election of officers and discussion of the winter programme.

The last lecture of the season to the Bearer Corps, was to have been delivered last night. Owing to slim attendance, however, it was not given. The examinations will take place next Thursday night.

There was a good attendance in Carleton Baptist church last night, when an excellent entertainment was given. Vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. J. Tutin, Miss M. Scott, Mr. Kingsmill, and S. J. McGowan; a flute solo was given by Harry McDuffie, and piccolo solo by Mr. Ross. Miss Wetmore and Wm. Thompson gave readings, while the Carleton vocal and instrumental selections.

Lumbermen are becoming active regarding the season's operations. It is estimated that there will be 65,000,000 less lumber cut on the upper St. John than last year, which will not be half the amount of last year.

The main river is at present quite clear of timber, while there is about 25,000,000 feet in the brook between Grand Falls and the head of the river at Kilburn's limits.

Coroner Kenny has decided to hold an inquest into the death of Ruby Ferguson, the Carleton girl, who died yesterday morning from the effects of carbolic acid. The following jury was chosen: Wm. Allingham (foreman), John P. Ring, J. Leslie Smith, Thomas Morley, Leonard Turner, Alex. Kindred and Sutton Roxborough. The inquiry was adjourned until Friday night at 8 o'clock in the City Hall.

Provincial.

At the Charlottetown police court yesterday John Hughes was convicted of third offence against the Prohibition Act and sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

WINTER FAIR AT AMHERST.
Programme of an Event of Special Interest to All Agriculturists.

The annual Winter Fair for the maritime provinces to be held at Amherst, December 12th to 15th inclusive, is an event of great importance to agriculturists all over the maritime provinces.

The following is the programme, which has just been issued:

PROGRAMME: MARITIME WINTER FAIR, 1905.
Monday 12th.

2 p. m.—Judging beef cattle. Judging man, Mr. J. H. P. Jones. Judging poultry until completed. Judging swine and apianry until completed.

8 p. m.—Official Opening.
Chairman, J. B. Elderkin.
Address of welcome, N. A. Rhodes.

Address of welcome, H. J. Logan, M.P. Address of welcome, Mr. J. H. P. Jones, Minister of Agriculture, Toronto, Ont.

Address, Prof. J. H. Girdale, agricultural, Central Experimental farm, Ottawa, Ont. Subject: Feeding Swine.

Address, F. W. Hodson, Dominion Live Stock Commissioner, Ottawa, Ont. Address by representatives of the Provincial Association.

Tuesday 13th.
9.30 a. m. to 12.30—Judging swine.
10 a. m.—Meeting of fruit growers in Board Room.

10.30 a. m.—Ladies judging competition.
2 p. m. to 6 p. m.—Judging sheep.
8 p. m.—Meeting of the Maritime Live Stock Association.

Wednesday 14th.
8 a. m.—Dairy stable open to public.
9.30 a. m.—Judging cattle.
10 a. m.—Meeting Maritime Beekeepers' Association in Board Room.

2 p. m.—Judging sheep.
8 p. m.—Chairman Mr. H. M. Campbell, Apohqui, N. B.

Address, C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Toronto, subject: The Value of Bone to the Live Stock.

Address, R. F. Holtermann, Brandon, Ont. Subject: The Value of Bone to the Live Stock.

Address, R. Graham, O. A. college, Guelph, Ont. Subject: Feeding Swine as Part of Farm Economics.

Address, Prof. J. H. Girdale, agricultural, Central Experimental farm, Ottawa, Ont. Subject: Feeding Beef Cattle.

Thursday 15th.
9.30 a. m.—Judging swine.
10 a. m.—Meeting Maritime Poultry Association in Board Room.

2 p. m.—Judging sheep and swine.
8 p. m.—Flocking competition.
8 p. m.—Chairman Mr. F. L. Hazard, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Address, C. McNell, chief fruit division Ottawa, subject: The Apple a Necessity in the Home Life and How to Grow it.

Address, F. W. Hodson, Dominion Live Stock Commissioner, Ottawa, subject: Breeds of Mutton Sheep (illustrated).

Address, J. H. Girdale, agricultural, Central Experimental farm, Ottawa, subject: Feeding Dairy Cattle.

Presentation of prizes.
God Save the King.

TIME.

By Theodosia Garrison.
When I think sometimes of old griefs I had, or had, that once seemed too harsh to bear.

And yet today I can but think him Ah heart, the old joy is so tragic. And the old grief so light.

From the Reader Magazine.

**ONE ROBBER
CAPTURED.****His Captors "Got a Drop on Him" And He Wilited.**

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 16.—A special from Cheyenne says the robbers who held up and killed Cashier Middaugh of the Cody National bank and made their escape with a considerable sum of money, have been captured in Northern Wyoming.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 16.—A special to the Times from Cody, Wyo., says:

"According to news received by telephone from Thermopolis, only one man has been captured. This was the larger of the two men who robbed the Thermopolis saloon. The captured man appears to fill the description of the one who shot Middaugh. The capture was made about three or four miles above the mouth of Owl Creek, in the Big Valley a mile from Thermopolis.

Three men rode cautiously upon the ruffian and succeeded in getting a drop on him before he was aware of their presence and upon being questioned as to the identity and whereabouts of his partner he refused to speak and he has remained silent ever since his capture. Upon his person were found a revolver and some money.

Two Moncton boys and two English lads were sentenced to six months in jail at Quebec yesterday, on a charge of stealing a quantity of cigars from an I. C. R. box car. The lads were arrested at St. Charles Jct., by I. C. R. police and taken to Quebec for trial.

At a meeting of the Halifax city council last Thursday, the offer of Harbour and Co., of Boston to report on the water service, was accepted, the amount of remuneration not to exceed \$2,000.

A letter was read from Mayor Crisley in which he stated that he found it necessary to veto the vote of the council engaging Mr. Harbour, as he was a citizen of the United States. He said there were plenty of competent engineers in Canada. The vote was sustained by the council and a despatch at once was sent to Mr. Harbour notifying him of the veto, as he was to have left Boston to night for Halifax.

General.

A despatch from Ottawa, says that Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of finance, on account of pressure of business, has been obliged to decline the invitation to address the Canadian Club in New York.

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