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## All Railroads Will Run Special Trains For Exposition

Entries For the Different Events Are Far in Excess of What Was Expected.

Starting Friday the special trains will start running to Calgary, but before that time the history will start on their journeys on the regular trains, which will all have extra coaches on, and the special rates will reduce the cost of the trip very materially. The splendid list of attractions and the large number of entries which are reported in all classes, ensure the trip being worth while for anyone who is interested either in the progress of the country or feeling the need of a holiday.

There is a special excursion train on the Grand Trunk on June 30. The Canadian Northern will run an excursion on Dominion Day, July 1. There are two excursion trains to be run on the Canadian Pacific from Bassano and intermediate points, and another starting from Banff, which will bring the people from the main line down.

Every indication of a Big Time representative of the Western Standard has just been over the grounds, and as far as it is possible to judge by outward appearance there is going to be a splendid fair. The stock cars were starting to come in, and from every stable there were the sounds of the animals which were vowing their objection to be taken away from the ranches. But their condition is quite satisfactory, and there is nothing which can be done for their comfort which has been overlooked.

There are in all 150 more entries in the livestock branches than there were last year, and last year's display was a good enough one. The large number of entries in the cattle, sheep and swine classes, which have been made by Ontario exhibitors, has added very largely to the entries and will make the interest in the stock match greater.

Many exhibits of special interest to the farmers and stockmen are being put in readiness for the opening this week. One of the largest features will be made by the Dominion government in Canada is the wool exhibit which has been placed in the art building. It is particularly interesting just now, when mutton and wool are both such a splendid price. The big wool sale which is to be held in Calgary again this year, is receding about double the amount of wool and the information which the sheep breeders can obtain at the government exhibit will assist them in getting more money for their efforts, and without any additional expense or loss of their time.

Messrs. McCrimmon and Semmens, the two officials in charge, will be pleased to give all information regarding the industry, and they are also supplied with a large number of pamphlets which are full of information on the sheep question. Farmers Will Be Interested. The government egg exhibit will also be very interesting, as it will show the eggs graded according to the new classification, which it is hoped will be generally adopted, and by which eggs will be sold in the future. This will be to the advantage of the

## SIR SAM HUGHES SAYS "BOSH" TO RUMOR ABOUT REMOVING CAMP

Well Pleased With the Appearance of the Soldiers—Pays Them Splendid Tribute.

Sir Sam Hughes, Canada's minister of militia, arrived in town almost in coming Tuesday morning, and before anyone knew he was here, he was on his way to Sarcee, where he inspected the troops at that point. Sir Sam said the rumor that Sarcee camp was to be broken up, "what flights of imagination some men have," and the major-general, and continued by saying that it was "utter nonsense" and "nothing to it." "The western camps are all right, and why should we change?"

## ANNOUNCEMENT

Special attention of the readers of The Standard is called to the advertisements of the Hudson's Bay Co. on pages 19 and 23 of the second section. Never in the history of Calgary has such a generous offer been made by any merchandise firm neither have to many bargains been offered than those advertised on these pages. Read the Hudson's Bay Advertisements.

The man who directs Canada's military affairs refused to be drawn into a lengthy discussion about the matter, but he made it eminently plain that at the present time no change was being contemplated.

However, he would not speak at length on that subject, he would on the Canadian soldiers. Words failed him when he tried to express his admiration of the fine men who were giving their lives in the trenches in Flanders. He didn't care to talk about conscription, saying that "it didn't worry him." The invasion from the States was dismissed by a wave of the hand. Even the trouble in Mexico was merely mentioned, and Sir Sam announced he didn't quite know where Mexico was.

"What shall I say about the Canadian soldiers?" said Sir Sam. "Haven't they proved themselves to be the best in the world? One thing is certain, Canadians now know and

## One Hundred and Ten Entries Will Compete in the Horse Races

The Free-For-All Will Have Some of the Best Horses Ever Seen Here.

The best race that was ever held on a western Canadian track, not only Calgary, said Fred Johnston, the popular and well-known local horseman, to a representative of the Western Standard. "That 2:09 pace and the free-for-all being of the best horse-flesh in the west, not only Canada, but the United States as well." There is no doubt but that Fred is sincere in what he says, and anyone who knows him can rest assured that he means what he says. Look at it yourself! Just glance over that field and see what wonderful possibilities there are in the 2:09 pace and the free-for-all.

Nine Entries in Nine Pace. There are nine entries in the 2:09 pace. Such wonderful nags as Homer Mac, College Gent, Strathell, Major Kelly, Alberta Nellie G. Major Gantz, King Bond and Red Rock will compete, and if this is not a field worthy of anyone's attendance, then there is no such thing.

Seven in Free-for-all. The Free-for-all has seven nags competing. They are Homer Mac,

feel that they can accomplish things which were unheard of before. The boys at the front have confidence in themselves. They know they are superior to the tried veterans of the kaiser, and for that reason they have been writing the page of history in letters of gold."

The minister made a hurried up inspection of Sarcee. Just before noon he informed his attendant to get the train ready and he told the newspaper men that he was on a business trip and not visiting.

## MINERS ASK INCREASE OF 10 PER CENT.—OPERATORS ASK SEVEN MORE

The miners of district No. 18 have asked for an increase of 10 per cent in wages on account of the increased cost of living. The operators' counter proposition is five per cent increase immediately and a further increase of 2 1/2 per cent on and after April 1, 1917. This 7 1/2 will remain in effect until March 31 immediately following the end of the war. A referendum is being taken on the question, and the result should be known in about a week's time.

## ONE-LEGGED MAN HEARD FROM

A. H. Stewart requests the Blade to announce that he is ready to break all globe trotting records made by one-

## HOUSEKEEPERS OF CALGARY

WAR TIME PRICES necessitate strict economy, and this can best be obtained by VISITING THE NEW Calgary Market

The Most Modern and Sanitary Market in the West

BEST QUALITY GOODS are always obtainable at LOWEST PRICES at all times.

Special Saturday Bargains

NEW CALGARY MARKET SEVENTH AVENUE WEST Next to Central Methodist Church

## PRUDENTIAL HAS OIL!

This fact has been demonstrated beyond the question of a doubt. After a thorough investigation read what the newspapers of Calgary say:—

## BIG PARTY SEES THE PRUDENTIAL WELL PUMPING OIL

The Morning Albertan (June 19, 1916)

More than 100 persons motored down to the Prudential Oil and Gas company's well, and were treated to a convincing demonstration of the capacity of the well by the company's officers, who were on hand to do the honors.

Incidentally, the visitors were made the guests at a banquet, the principal dish of which was roast buffalo, cooked to a turn, and tender as the proverbial spring chicken.

The run was made under the auspices of the Calgary Automobile club, and some 16 cars got away from the rendezvous at the Palliser at 10:30 a.m. There were many ladies in the party, and they all enjoyed themselves to the limit. Other cars joined the procession en route.

It made an imposing trip. Pump C was found to be going in its sty. The oil was gushing in a steady stream from the orifice of the well pipe which carried it to the side more than one pair of eyes with astonishment. It was no intermittent flow, but a steady stream.

There are seven tanks at the Prudential well, and they are all full to the top, the last one being filled yesterday. The company has 275 barrels of oil on hand in the tank, and no one knows how many thousands down below in the well waiting tanks.

What struck the visitors, and especially the oil men present, was the beautiful color and appearance of the oil. It is a rich olive green, and the numerous champagne-like bubbles which effervesced through it showed that it was full of "life." It possessed the characteristic "gasoline" odor of the oil which has been found in the south field.

Among those who made the trip were Mayor Costello, Mr. Hansen, of the Northern Crown bank; Messrs. Campbell, Trannwaiser, McArdie, McKenny, Dickinson, and Fowler; Dr. Millican, and others.

The Prudential company was represented by President John Graham, Vice-president R. E. Neve, and Treasurer A. H. Schurer.

## THE PRUDENTIAL WELL NOW PRODUCING COMMERCIAL OIL

Calgary News-Telegram (June 19, 1916)

An old-fashioned barbecue, at which roast buffalo cooked to a nicety, was served, was held out at the Prudential oil well on Sunday. The guests for the occasion were a large crowd of members of the Calgary Automobile club.

It has been persistently rumored for months that the Prudential Oil company had oil in large quantities. These rumors had little effect on the stock; however, as Calgary was wary of oil rumors until convinced by practical demonstration. . . . President Graham decides to show the public the great discovery, and invites the people to visit the plant where active operations are in progress.

The business interests of all Calgary are bound to be benefitted as this discovery opens beyond question of doubt that Alberta is an oil producing province.

Rumors which have been current for months, practically demonstrated before large crowd of interested spectators. Prudential now need only sufficient tanks to care for output to place company on paying basis. Discovery means much to the business interests of Calgary and Alberta.

What anxious investors in oil stocks in Calgary and throughout the country have been waiting for has finally arrived. Practical test made before a large party from Calgary and surrounding towns, who visited the well last Sunday in company with Mayor Costello, President Graham, Manager Hanson, Northern Crown Bank; R. E. Neve and A. H. Schurer.

Result of the personal inspection of the well and plant proves highly satisfactory to all parties concerned. The examination was thorough and proves beyond question of doubt that the Calgary oil field is a paying investment.

Remember oil has been one of the greatest wealth producers the world has ever known. We consider this stock a golden opportunity for investors. We can fill your orders for Prudential or any other leading oil stock.

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AIN'T GONNA NO GAME!

