

THE HALIFAX EXHIBITION SOME SPLENDID ATTRACTIONS

Fredericton Men Advancing Interests of Fredericton Exhibition for 1907—Fair Will Take Place After the Halifax Show—Daisy Wilkes' Victory Commented Upon—American Owners Distinguished for Their Crooked Work.

Halifax, N.S., Sept. 28.—Secretary Hooper and C. H. Thomas, of the advertising department of the Fredericton Exhibition, who are about to leave for home, have about completed arrangements for the circuit for the principal maritime fairs in 1907. The Halifax show will precede the Fredericton fair, followed by the Charlottetown exhibition early in November. The present indications are that the Fredericton 1907 fair will open about September 21.

The Fredericton men pronounce the show here complete and good, the largest ever held in the maritime provinces. The show, however, is not as large as it should be for a Dominion fair, but it is most creditable for such a far eastern point.

The principal exhibitors here have been interviewed by the Frederictonians and all have expressed the intention of taking spaces at the next fair at Fredericton.

The victory of Daisy Wilkes in the 25 class yesterday, when she copied the big end of the \$100 purse and

took a new record of 2:20 1/2, has caused owner O'Neill to be warmly congratulated by his many acquaintances. Driver Cox has also come in for his share of honors. It is quite generally felt, however, that Warren F. was not driven to win, for American owners bought Daisy Wilkes heavily in the pools and count on having the Ozone mare the favorite in the 2:22 class, which will give them an opportunity for a killing on Warren F. The Americans since their arrival here have been parties to the crookedest kind of work in most of the races, in which their horses started, and the only wonder is that the drivers have not been taken down for laying on their hands. It is likely that the Maritime Horsemen's Association at a meeting during the winter will pass bye-laws refusing to allow Americans to have a look in on the 1907 circuit.

Byron Phair will likely refuse an offer from J. R. Cowans to trade the colt Koronet for the free-for-all Charina, 2:12 1/2, or Barker L. 2:20 1/2, of the Springhill Stables.

KAISER TRIES TO STOP MARRIAGE

His Princely Cousin Joachim Albrecht Bent on Wedding an Actress Who is Fat and Forty.

Berlin, Sept. 28.—Kaiser Wilhelm is furious and court circles are shocked because Prince Joachim Albrecht von Preussen declares he will wed Maria Sulzer, fat and forty, who is worst of all, a cheap variety house actress.

The prince is the second son of Prince Albrecht, who died Sept. 12. His bride will cost the bridegroom \$100,000. His father, the late Prince Albrecht, in an attempt to break off the undesirable match, of which he had knowledge, became his death. He induced Prince Joachim's inheritance to the minimum allowed under the law fixing the amount a son must receive. Consequently the young man will receive only \$100,000, instead of \$8,000,000 if he persists in marrying this woman of twice his weight and ten years his senior.

Unmoved by all efforts which have been made to separate him from the actress, Prince Joachim is firm in his determination to marry her, and Oct. 28 has been set as the wedding date.

Kaiser Wilhelm has remonstrated vainly with his cousin against bringing such a woman into the family, and at the prospect of his having to acknowledge her as a cousin by marriage.

Hitherto the Hohenzollerns have regarded with proud contempt the follies committed by some of their royal families, boasting to such menial alliances had been made by the German royal house.

The future princess is known to Berlin as an actress of minor roles at the Theatre, where, like French plays are produced regularly. To add to the scandalousness of a princess to be, she is a divorcee. She was formerly the wife of Baron Lethenow.

Prince Joachim will be forced to make sacrifices other than financial ones. He is a major in the Grenadier Guards and a knight in many high orders, as well as being a cousin of the Kaiser. His expedition from army and court circles will be inevitable if he contracts this marriage.

KILLS DAUGHTER HIDE HER SHAME

Powder Springs, Ga., Sept. 28.—Discovering that his 16-year-old daughter Ruth was to become a mother in a few months, John Bullard, a well-to-do planter who lives near here, yesterday morning shot the girl to death. He immediately went to his brother and told him of what he had done.

Ruth is better dead than living with such a shame coming to her," said Bullard. "When she told me I decided that there was nothing to do but kill her, and she agreed with me."

Bullard is a widower, and the dead girl was his only child. He himself is in the last stages of consumption.

NEW COMPANIES

F. A. Jones, C. D. Jones, F. P. Vaughan, W. E. Raymond, George Blake, all of St. John, are applying for incorporation as the Vaughan Electric Company, capital \$24,000 of 480 shares. R. D. Isaacs, Laura M. Coombs, John Hannah, E. R. Chanman, St. John; Wm. H. Murray, Winnipeg, seek incorporation as the Northwestern Land and Investment Company. Capital \$48,500 of 980 shares. Chief place of business to be at Welsford, Queens Co.

E. C. Cole, F. W. S. Colpitts, J. P. Hogan, H. G. Cole, Moncton, and Geo. D. Ellis, St. John, apply for incorporation as E. C. Cole & Co., to carry on a general men's and boys' furnishing business at Moncton. Capital \$45,000 of 450 shares.

GEN. TREPOFF WAS POISONED

Cocaine Found in His Intestines—The Revolutionists Use Poison Now Instead of the Bomb.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 27.—It has been definitely established that Gen. Trepoft died from poisoning on Aug. 29. A man with a bandaged face and a bandage on his right arm entered a drug store and asked for 15 grammes of cocaine. The clerk, surprised at the enormous quantity of the drug required, demanded a doctor's prescription. The man said he was a doctor named Sokoloff. He wrote a prescription and after receiving the drug left the store, being joined outside by a woman student.

The week before Gen. Trepoft died revolutionists sent a cipher telegram to their followers announcing that he would be poisoned in a few days. A professor who examined the intestines of the dead general found traces of cocaine poisoning and the police found in the kitchen of the palace a week's supply of cocaine. The alleged doctor, Sokoloff, was arrested, but his accomplices were not discovered. Immediately after the government announced that the policy of repression would be followed and camp tribunals established, the revolutionists replied that they would substitute poison for bomb and pistol. They are now fulfilling their promise.

THE BEAR TOOK CONTROL OF SHIP

Boston, Sept. 28.—Captured in the wife of the Hunanay mountain and taken on an involuntary sea voyage, a large bear of rare species broke from his cage while in the midst of a great monsoon on the Indian Ocean and for nearly a whole day and night held command of the German steamship Trautentien, which arrived in Boston yesterday.

The bear drove the Landing crew to their cabins, where they locked themselves in, leaving the officers on the bridge to face the enraged animal. Smashing in windows, wrecking doors and roaring in savage manner, the animal cruised the deck for hours. No one dared to try to capture him. Finally he tried to climb the ladder to the bridge. The officers, who were unarmed, became frightened. The man at the wheel gave the signal to swing about the huge ship. As she came broadside into the rough sea, the bear was swept overboard. For a long time his roarings could be heard as he pursued the ship in a fight for his life.

NO BAREHEADED GIRLS IN CHURCH

Rockport, Sept. 28.—The Rev. Cornelius F. Reardon, pastor of St. Joachim's Catholic church, has given notice to the members of his parish that the summer fad of women and girls coming to church bareheaded must cease. He has informed them that they must come with their heads covered in accordance with the strict rules of the Catholic church all over the world.

MISSISSIPPI COTTON GROWERS

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 28.—The Mississippi association of cotton growers gathered for a meeting in Jackson today to discuss the future policy of the association. President Jordan of the national association and other prominent speakers were heard.

WARM CAMPAIGN IN PENNSYLVANIA

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 28.—Pennsylvania's unique campaign is now on in earnest and it is proving fully as exciting as was forecasted earlier in the summer. The managers of the regular Republican organization are using every effort to inject as much national politics into the contest as possible. "Stand by Roosevelt" and "Stand by the Tariff" are the rallying cries. Outside speakers are being urged to come into the state with the hope that the contest may be nationalized as much as possible. Speak or Cannon and several other leaders of national prominence have consented to visit the state, but they will confine their speech making to the close congressional districts.

The Lincoln Republicans, and the Democrats, who have joined in a fusion ticket, declare that it is purely a state fight, and say that the effort of the regular Republicans to introduce national questions is for the purpose of diverting the attention of the voters from the real issue, which is "Shall the state organization formed by Lincoln and crossed down to Pennsylvania, be permitted to control the policies of the state?"

Opinions differ as to what the outcome will be. The Lincoln Republicans and the Democrats won a notable victory in Philadelphia last fall and they hope to duplicate that victory in the state this year. But they are not as harmonious now as they were some close observers doubt if they can carry the state. Nevertheless, it is an exceedingly interesting fight.

Each side wants it to appear that President Roosevelt is in sympathy with it. The president is to visit the state next week, going first to Harrisburg to attend the dedication of the new capitol and then to York to attend a county fair. So far he has remained strictly neutral in the fight and is regarded as impartial by both sides. Some close observers doubt if they can carry the state. Nevertheless, it is an exceedingly interesting fight.

FRENCH KILL 360 NATIVES

Marseilles, Sept. 22.—Mail advices from Madagascar received here today brought news of a bloody conflict, near Majunga, between 150 French troops and a large number of Fanavale tribesmen, who lost 360 men killed.

No details were given of the French casualties, which are stated to have been heavy, the column having been surrounded and placed in a critical situation until the arrival of reinforcements.

Other tribes in the northern part of the island are taking the offensive.

MISSOURI LAWYERS MEET

St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 28.—Noted lawyers and jurists from every section of the state are gathered here for the annual meeting of the Missouri Bar Association, which will be in session two days. The feature of the opening day was the annual address of the president, R. P. Walker, of St. Louis. Eugene Ware of Topeka, delivered the annual address before the association and another eminent jurist on the programme for an address is Judge Wiley, of the United States court in China, who is to discuss the administration of justice in the Philippines.

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6 YEAR OLD CHILD BRUTALLY USED

Boston, Mass., Sept. 28.—Brutally assaulted and then slashed with a knife by an unknown man, and left to die on Army street, Jamaica Plain, near the Roxbury line, Monday evening, was the terrible experience of 6-year-old Alice Robane, of 24 Danforth street, Jamaica Plain, youngest daughter of the Rev. Hans Robane, rector of the Parker Hill avenue Lutheran church.

The child now lies in the City hospital in a precarious condition, and while hopes are expressed for her recovery, physicians fear that the little one may have a hard struggle for life.

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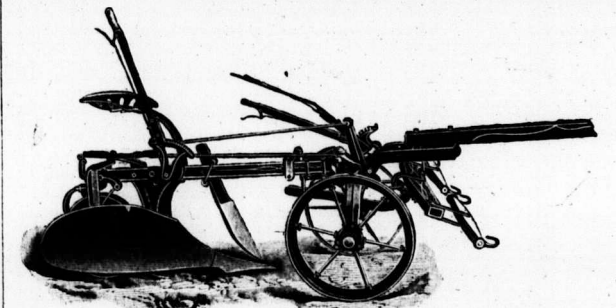
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