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## SCARCITY OF LABOR ON FARMS IS SOLVED BY HYDRO MACHINERY

New Era in Agricultural Development Inaugurated Yesterday Near Cookville When Threshing, Milking and Other Farm Work Was Done By Electricity.

A new era in agricultural development was inaugurated yesterday when Mrs. Beck, wife of Hon. Adam Beck, chairman of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission, switched on the electric power at J. W. Micht's farm, Clarkson, four miles north of Cookville. The large attendance of farmers from the districts of Brampton, Port Credit, Clarkson, and Cookville and Meadowville, gave eloquent testimony to the widespread interest which had been evoked by the investigation into the utility of hydro-electric power on the farm.

The power was supplied by a cable connected with the Port Credit-Brampton transmission line, and the current passed through a transformer carried on a traveling motor wagon, which drove a motor installed on a second truck. There were also on view milking machines, pumping machinery, choppers and cream separators, and during the afternoon the visitors had ample opportunities of seeing the various labor-saving appliances in operation.

The demonstration was in charge of the Hon. Adam Beck, who had as his right-hand man, F. A. Gaby, acting chief engineer of the hydro-electric commission.

Domestic Appliances.  
Inside the farm house Mrs. Brown, who has charge of the domestic appliances at the hydro exhibit at the Exhibition, gave an interesting display of the many time and labor-saving devices placed on the market by the commission. Mrs. Brown had charge of the cooking exhibit at the recent electric show in Madison Square Garden, New York.

Three days will be spent on Mr. Micht's farm, and after giving demonstrations in the Brampton district, the exhibit will be taken to the Galt, Preston and Heepster districts; from there to the New Hamburg, Berlin, and

Baden district; then to the Stratford, Seaford and Mitchell district. After that the following districts will be visited in the order named: London and Byron, St. Thomas and Port Stanley, Woodstock and Ingersoll, Tillsonburg and Norwich.

Prominent Visitors.  
In addition to the Hon. Adam Beck and Mrs. Beck there were present: Hon. James Duff, minister of agriculture, order Wilson, M.P.; Richard Blain, M.P.; Sam Charters, M.L.A.; Reeve R. H. Lush, Deputy Reeve William Rutledge, Deputy Reeve Gordon and the councillors of the local township.

Cow's Novel Experience.  
After the visitors had witnessed a practical test of the threshing machine the unique sight of a cow at Clarkson being milked by electricity generated at Niagara was afforded the crowd. The cow gave no sign that anything unusual was afoot, and the farmers and their wives were loud in their praises of the wonderful contrivance.

The ease and rapidity with which the threshing of a large quantity of oats was accomplished aroused the out-spoken admiration of the farmers assembled. They fully appreciated the explanatory remarks of the minister of power as to the saving in time and labor. Here was the solution of the difficult problem of the farmer after years of getting labor, and skilled labor into the bargain. Mr. Beck assured his hearers that with a two-horse power motor he could thresh 12 bushels of oats an hour, and he expressed his willingness to back a two-horse power electric motor against a reputed five-horse power gasoline engine.

Hon. Adam Beck.  
Three ringing cheers were given for Hon. Adam and Mrs. Beck, who were thanked on the motion of Mr. Charters.

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## SUPT. ROGERS VERY MODEST

Ordered That Flags Be Draped Over Figures of Diving Girls Who Wore Men's Suits.

With every regard for the moral welfare of the men, women and children attending the Exhibition, Joseph Rogers, superintendent of provincial police, performed a noble and inspiring act yesterday. Never before has the chief of the provincial constabulary been so thoughtful.

It was Children's Day. He attended the Exhibition. His mind uplifted by the sight of the frolicsome little children, which to everyone presented a lovely spectacle, Mr. Rogers, while strolling down the "midway," noticed something which shocked him terribly. This something shocked him, but no one else on the grounds, as far as he was concerned. At any rate there was a large canvas painted in various colors, depicting the figures of diving girls. These pictures showed the maidens in a diving pose. Their garb was that which is worn in France and Germany, and sometimes at seashore resorts on this side of the water, even up to Muskoka. The girls were shown in men's bathing suits, such as have been seen in the newspapers recently in photographs of women divers and swimmers.

Mr. Rogers ordered that the figures be draped with flags.

SEVEN MEN ARRESTED.

Several complaints arriving at the provincial police at Queen's Park, led to the arrest of seven young men for indecent assault on two young girls at Muskoka Station, on the Canadian Pacific Railway. They are Robert Kidd, Robert Maclean, Walter McNamara, P. Ambrose, Ernest Clarke, Melbourne Welch and Leslie Hibbert.

Establish Starting Precedent.

MONTREAL, Aug. 28.—(Can. Press.)—If Henry Bati is released from the Verdun Insane Asylum because of an alleged irregularity in his commitment, 182 other private patients at the institution must also be given their liberty, declared R. O. Macfarlane appearing to oppose on behalf of the institution Bati's third term for freedom, which opened this morning before Justice Macdonald. His lordship ordered that petitioner be examined by a commissioner.

## USED A BRICK INSTEAD OF BALL

Man Whose First Aim Was Poor Managed to Hit Negro's Head on the Second Trial.

One of the most exciting episodes at the Exhibition this year happened last night on the "midway." At a ball-throwing stall toward the east end of the grounds, a coon whose head is the target for baseballs for those who wish to spend a nickel for three throws was given a nasty blow by a brick. A man, who had spent about a nickel and could not hit the dark head became so "sore" at his aim that he picked up the missile nearby and threw it. It struck the negro right on the cranium, stunning him for an instant. When he recovered he gave chase, and was followed by one constable, a couple of boy scouts and about four hundred people, who were in the neighborhood. They pursued the assailant over several hundred yards, around the grand stand, several tents, and away over to the north end where the cattle sheds are located. Finally the boy scouts scored their second victory of the day when they ferreted him out from under a buggy. The man was taken to the station and charged with assault.

## CADETS SHOOT ALL DAY TODAY

The first stage of the shooting competition for the king's trophy and the Lord Roberts' gold medal between the Imperial Cadets begins today at Long Branch. Yesterday all the young soldiers were at the ranges and practiced from about 10 o'clock until 4 o'clock at 200, 300, 600 and 900 yards distance. Rivalry is keen among the various corps, and it is expected that some great marksmanship will take place. Among the cadets are many crack shots who have captured several big matches. The cadets made no public appearance at the Exhibition yesterday, for it was entirely boy scouts' day.

## WORLD-WIDE MEMORIAL SERVICES TO GEN. BOOTH

### SERVICE TO DEAD BECOMES VAST REVIVAL

Response to Call to "Mercy Seat" at Funeral Services of General Booth so Great the Police Were Needed—London's Largest Congregation Mourns in Impressive Way.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—(Can. Press.)—Funeral services over the founder of the Salvation Army, Gen. Wm. Booth, were held at the Olympia to-night in accordance with the traditions of that organization, without pomp or symbols of mourning, but with a most moving fervor and impressiveness.

Thirty-four thousand people participated in the service. The body of the late general in a plain pine coffin rested high on a white catafalque in front of the big platform across the end of the hall, where all the chief officers of the organization were seated and where forty bands were massed.

While the front rows of chairs before the coffin were filled with representatives of various bodies, with the exception of the king, several mayors in their robes and chains of office, a delegation from the stock exchange, ministers and clergymen of all the Protestant churches, and Jewish rabbis, and while many notable personages were seated throughout the house, the rank and file of the great gathering was composed of the plain people for whom the army works and of whom it is composed.

Greatest Congregation.  
The service itself was not only a memorial, but was a mammoth meeting of prayer and praise. No other congregation comparable with it ever occurred in London, if in the world, save the funeral of the general's wife, which was held in the same hall 22 years ago this coming October.

The most solemn moments of the long meeting were when the coffin was borne along the centre of the hall to the sonorous music of the Dead March in Saul. A small procession representing many branches of the army's activity, including men and women, and a detachment of officers from the

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### GRAND TRIBUTE TO GENERAL BOOTH

Massey Hall Was Packed Last Night at the Funeral Service for the Late Commander—Brass Band of Over 200 Played in Front of the City Hall.

In reverence of the memory of the late General Booth the united Salvation Army corps of the city met at Massey Hall last night to pay a tribute to their departed commander in the form of a funeral service. On the platform sat the lieutenant-governor, members of parliament, members of the city council and representatives from all the denominations. The army bands, over 200 strong, supplied the music, and the service was one of the most impressive ever seen in Toronto.

Massey Hall was filled for the occasion, and thousands were denied admission. On the wall facing the congregation the general's picture was hung with a large white cross as the back ground. The service was simple, consisting only of music with addresses by Lieutenant-Governor Sir John Gibson and Commissioner D. M. Ross. Only old standard hymns were sung, such as "Rock of Ages," "Crossing the Bar," and "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," and in the singing of these there was unmistakable evidence of the deepest emotion.

In the opening of the service the congregation remained standing, while the band played a funeral march and the staff officers of the army, together with those who were to occupy the platform seats, entered the hall in procession. The service proceeded, that in the regular order. Rev. Dr. Carman read the Scripture lesson from Revelations VII, 2-17, and the staff band made choir rendered several hymns.

Universal Sorrow.  
In his address the lieutenant-governor expressed his sympathy to the army for the loss of their great general. The bereaved general, he said, was not only yester's, the civilized world mourned his death.

"We feel," he said, "that there is universal sorrow and sympathy for him, and that is the best eulogy for a departed hero. We all hope and pray

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## CARPENTER FELL AND WAS KILLED

John Leybourne Slipped While Fixing Guide Ropes at the Central Prison Farm, Guelph.

John Leybourne, a carpenter, employed at the Guelph Farm, met death yesterday by falling 25 feet down the improvised elevator shaft, which is used for the purpose of carrying the concrete to the different floors of the buildings.

Leybourne, accompanied by another carpenter, had gone up to attend to the guide cables attached to the hoist; the night before and it was at the resumption of their work yesterday morning that the fatality happened.

After the men had been lifted to the height required, somebody called "all right" and the engineer, who is a thoroughly competent man, raised the bucket in order to release the break. Foster, who was the biggest man of the two, managed to hold on, but Leybourne fell to the ground.

He was picked up unconscious for a few minutes exclaimed that the hoist attendant was not to blame. He died 45 minutes after falling.

The coroner was called, and after making thorough investigation, decided that no inquest was necessary. Positive instructions had previously been issued that the elevators were not to be used for any other purpose than for hoisting material, but Leybourne had been asked to go aloft to attend to the guide.

## MORE RECORDS WERE BROKEN

Fully 84,000 People Attended the Exhibition Yesterday—4000 More Than Same Day Last Year.

Record breaking is becoming a common thing at the Exhibition. Even with yesterday's intermittent showers and with the sky always threatening to unload a deluge, the attendance was larger than on the same day last year. Fully 84,000 people passed through the gates. This was indeed a great surprise to the Exhibition management, for they expected to have a set-back of about 5000 in their race for the million mark. Today is industrial day. Manufacturers from all over the country are expected in great numbers.

GOMPERTS TO TESTIFY.

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 28.—(Can. Press.)—President Samuel Gomper of the American Federation of Labor arrived today to testify in the suit against America brought by D. E. Lowe and others, in which damages of \$80,000 are asked because of an alleged conspiracy by labor unions to injure the business of the plaintiff. This far all the witnesses in the case have been summoned by the plaintiff.

WESTERN CROP REPORTS

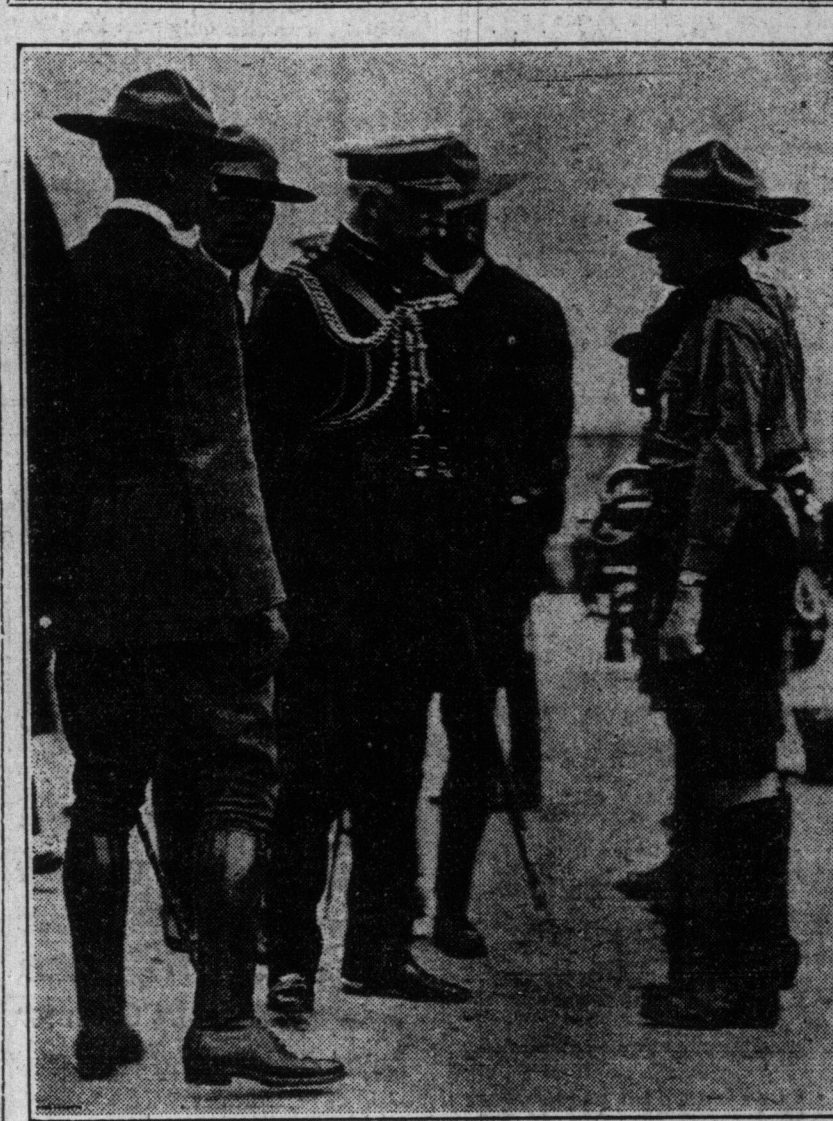
WINNIPEG, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Rains, which were pretty general over the entire spring wheat country, but especially heavy in the east central districts of Saskatchewan, during the past 24 hours, have about put a stop to harvesting operations, and in many districts the binder will not again be at work before Friday. Several points report bright, clear weather today, with the prospect of resumption of work in the afternoon on light and well drained lands. The harvest labor situation is naturally aggravated by delays of the last few days. Probabilities today say cool and partly fair, with showers in many localities.

ABE ORPEN ARRESTED.

Abe Orpen and Izzy Wilks of 16 West King street, were arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of running a hand book. They will appear before the magistrate this morning.

## "I Am Proud of You" Says Duke To Scouts From All Ontario

THE BOY SCOUTS' REVIEW



H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught is seen talking to a scout who has been awarded all the proficiency decorations. Also seen in the picture are J. C. Eaton, Commissioner Hammond and Captain R. S. Wilson of Ottawa.

Eighty Troops of Boys Were Received by Their Chief at the Exhibition on Children's Day and the Splendid Spectacle Was Witnessed by 12,000 People—Highest Praise Expressed by His Royal Highness

"I am proud of you."

It was indeed a thing of splendor to see 2700 boy scouts from the four corners of Ontario reviewed by royalty yesterday, and the Duke of Connaught's above comment, when he addressed the boys, was likewise the sentiment of over 12,000 people who witnessed the stirring spectacle. It was the most outstanding event that has happened in the history of the movement in Canada, and the scouts were prepared, as they always are. They showed the stuff that they are made of. They performed feats that the grown-ups would not even attempt to do, because they were never taught.

The fact that it was "Children's Day" made the review of the boys a greater feature. Probably 10,000 children alone witnessed the gorgeous ceremony. There were exactly 80 troops, which marched by the duke, and 50 of these were from outside towns. Even with such a turnout it did not comprise any more than one-third of the entire force of boy scouts in the province, which gives a clear conception of the grip it is getting on the young life of the country.

The Men Behind.

Commander H. G. Hammond and Adjutant J. C. Gibbons were responsible for the great event. The scouts had never before the chance to show what they could really do before the public. And when they built huts, erected tents, erected bridges, put up a wireless station and transmitted and received messages by wireless, and did other things with remarkable skill they showed the disinterested and the disbelievers a few of the things they could do. The value of the teaching of the scouts' creed: "Be prepared" was borne home to thousands.

A Long Procession.

These sturdy young scouts marched from their camp in the west end of the grounds between crowds of cheering men, women and children. Their lines were as straight as those of soldiers, their stride as brisk, and they paraded to the strains of their own bugle bands. Through the west end gate of the track, fronting the grand stand, they passed, and before the procession halted, the leading troop had reached almost the east end of the grand stand, thus showing the great number in the parade, which almost circled the half-mile track.

At 3.30 the dual party arrived in motor cars, which was the signal for the Grenadiers' band to strike up "God Save the King." Their royal highnesses, the Duke of Connaught and Princess Patricia and party strolled along the canvas matting to the royal box. The Duchess did not attend. The review was immediately begun, and the duke witnessed the march past on the driveway in front of the stand.

Were Like Soldiers.

The boys were all small. They knew how to march and how to turn their eyes to the right when ordered to salute the scoutmasters, just as the troops were passing the duke. It was indeed a spectacle of splendor. To see boys about as big as the proverbial minute marching abreast in the hardened soldiers, every man in step, was well worth while. The Grenadiers' and Queen's Own Bands played alternately various regimental airs—the kind that made them step lively, and more than

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DEAD AT 101.

ST. CATHARINES, Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The oldest resident of this section passed away at the Lincoln Industrial Home yesterday in the person of John Whinney. His age was 102 years, and he would have been 102 years old next October. He came here from Muskoka and until a short time ago was still able to be about.

LIGHT IT UP.

While the Salvation Army memorial service was being held in front of the city hall last evening, every light in the building was burning. Hundreds of people remarked on the fine appearance of the hall. Why should it not be lighted up every night?

Big Fur Exhibit Downtown.

Toronto is one great city, in which to buy your fur garments. It is a fact that the furs sold here are better and far cheaper than can be secured elsewhere in America. This is because Canada is a great fur-producing country, and Toronto is its largest distributing point. The Dineen Company, 140 Yonge street, have a special display of new goods arranged for Exhibition visitors. It includes the very newest garments in Parisian fashion, made from selected pelts purchased in the Canadian northland and in the foreign marts of Europe. Ask for a new catalogue and price list.

THE SALE OPENS TODAY.

The advance sale of seats for Joseph M. Galt's big musical play, "The Girl of My Dreams," which comes to the Princess next week, opens this morning at the theatre of the box office. The scenery and music in "The Girl of My Dreams" are said to be most elaborate and entrancing. Song hits galore run thru the piece.