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VAST INCREASE IN PRIZES

Dominion Exhibition Awards From 50 per cent. to 125 per cent. Greater.

In short time the prize-list for the Dominion Exhibition, to be held in St. John, September 5th to 15th, will be ready for distribution. It will be the most interesting of its kind ever printed in Eastern Canada. Not only will it explain the vast field of competition among farmers, breeders, manufacturers, dairy men, school children, household workers and others, but it will contain detailed information relative to the distribution of prize monies, which in this case will be increased from 50 to 125 per cent. over former appropriations. This generous increase is possible through the grants of the Dominion, Provincial, and Civic Governments. Cattle prizes, especially in the Shorthorn, Hereford, Ayrshire, Holstein and Jersey classes have been increased 100 per cent.; in the Clydesdale, Shire, and Percheron horse classes the increase is to be 50 per cent.; Dairy breeds of cattle will receive 125 per cent. more money than previous occasions, while sheep and swine breeders will receive funds greater incentive than heretofore. Poultry fanciers will be interested in a new system of judging, and the prize list will vary with number of entries in each class. Dairy awards have been revised upwards as well, after consultation with representatives of the Provincial department. A notable feature in this section of the show will be the separation in competition of the professional dairymen and the household butter-maker, special prizes being awarded for each. In the Horticultural department the prize list has undergone a lot of changes, made with a view to improving the quality of exhibits. Naturally this has entailed the elimination of several classes of apple, not fit for competitive purposes so early in the autumn. The funds withheld on this account have been put into new classes. Potatoes will be judged in a new manner; instead of judgment being rendered in each individual variety, they will this year be classified in six types—White Round, White Long, Rose Round, Rose Long, Red and Black. The Women's Work and Household Science Department, also the Educational section, have been included in the increase of prize monies.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader. Duties.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a portion of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister. In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent and cultivate duty acres extra). A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate duty acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

W. W. Cory, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for. Monthly fee \$5.00.

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L. T. B. A. CELEBRATES

Alexandra Lodge, No. 193, L. T. B. A., celebrated its seventh anniversary on Thursday night in W. C. T. U. Hall. About 100 people were present. Mr. H. Wynn presided. An excellent program was carried out. As a result of the meeting four or five volunteered to become members of the local lodge.

FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Mr. John W. Sobey, head lumberman for the Dominion Pulp Co. received a telegram a few days ago from the Harmsworth's, Grand Falls, Newfoundland, asking for stream drivers. Mr. Sobey immediately set to work and picked thirty from a large number of applicants. The party are guaranteed the best of pay and expenses. The men leave here tomorrow morning in charge of Mr. Sobey, who will return as soon as the men are all placed.

SUMMER RESORTS

Experience, the testimony of thousands, and the popularity of the several fishing, hunting and tourist districts located on the lines of the Grand Trunk Railway system, is conclusive proof that they are the Elysium of the sportsman, and the Mecca par excellence of the tourist.

The "Highlands of Ontario" is a land dotted with lakes and rivers that have their source in the northern forests and flow until they join the vast inland seas, Superior, Huron, Erie or Ontario, whose waters are in turn, borne by the broad St. Lawrence to the Atlantic Ocean. This great Tourist Railway reaches all the principal resorts in this vast territory, including lakes Orillia and Couchiching, the Muskoka Lakes, a popular resort 1000 feet above sea level where thousands of people annually make their summer homes for rest and recuperation. The Lake of Bays District where some of the finest hotels in Canada are to be found, and a locality replete with natural beauty and loveliness, with splendid fishing. Maganetan river, the very heart centre for sport, for rod and gun, Lake Nipissing and the French River, where wild and rugged scenery is to be found, and the atmosphere filled with health giving properties. Splendid fishing and hunting grounds are found in this territory. The Temagami region, a forest reserve containing 2,750,000 acres of lakes, rivers and wilderness, the scenic grandeur of which is incomparable. Magnificent fishing and hunting in season. The 30,000 islands of the Georgian Bay is another most delightful and beautiful territory, where the most interesting trips may be taken. The steady increase of travellers to this locality is alone proof that it is becoming the most popular resort on the inland lakes. The Algonquin National Park of Ontario, a comparatively new and attractive region, little known to the lover of Rod and Gun and the tourist, has all the summer attractions that appeal to the denizen of the city. This territory has been set aside by the Provincial Government of Ontario solely for the delectation of mankind. The gamest of black bass, speckled trout and salmon trout are found here in goodly numbers. Hunting is not allowed. The Algonquin Park covers an area of 2,000,000 acres, there being no less than 1,200 lakes and rivers within its boundaries. Good hotel accomodasion is found in all the districts mentioned and a postal card addressed to the General Advertising Department, Grand Trunk Railway System, Montreal, will receive prompt attention, and illustrated publications of any of the districts will be quickly sent to all enquirers.

The lesson in the Hill tragedy will be lost on the multitude. It is a week there would be found one her unheeding crowd ready to flirt with death. Such is the way of mortals.

Explorer Amundsen, intends to drift with the north polar ice for seven years, but it seems a poor way to save rent and moving expenses.

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PERSONAL

Mayor McMurdo was in Moncton last week.

Miss Mary Craig spent the holiday in Moncton.

R. A. Lawlor, Esq., Chatham, is in town to-day.

Rev. P. W. Dixon was in Chatham on Wednesday.

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Mrs. C. C. Crocker, of Millerton is spending a few days with Mrs. F. H. Moore, Moncton.

Messrs. John Morrissey, Jr., Fred Dalton and Bryan Hennessy were in Bathurst Tuesday.

Miss Mae McEachern, who has been spending the winter in New Glasgow returned home last week.

Sister St. Mary Patricia, of St. Louis de Kent convent was a visitor at St. Mary's Academy last week.

Raymond Wright of Boston is home on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wright.

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Miss Marguerite McGrath spent Sunday in Chatham.

Mrs. Dr. Cousins went to St. John last week to visit her son.

Miss Annie Copp spent Sunday in Millerton the guest of Mrs. Wm. Bell.

Bert Miller returned Saturday night from a six months stay in Boston.

Gordon Turner of Moncton spent yesterday here with his friend, H. H. Ingram.

Mrs. Allan A. Russell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hiram Walker, in Brunswick, Me.

H. H. Ingram spent Saturday in St. John with his uncles Charles and Rev. W. R. Robinson.

Miss Melissa MacKintley of Nelson spent last week with her sister, Mrs. John Smallwood.

Mr. Chas. Woods, representing Manchester, Robertson & Allison, is at the Miramichi.

A. E. Shaw has returned from a four weeks visit to his sister, Miss Mary Shaw in St. John.

Mrs. W. R. Payne left on Maritime on Wednesday morning for Kentville to visit her son C. F. Payne.

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