

SHANNONVILLE FAIR DREW ENORMOUS CROWDS

"World's Fair" on Saturday the Mecca for Thousands of Visitors
—Exhibition Well Up to the Standard in Most Respects—
Passing of Boozie Did Not Occasion the Anticipated Display

Tyendinaga Agricultural Society has added another chapter to its record of successful exhibitions. The annual fair on Saturday probably surpassed all its predecessors in the essential matter of attendance and the quality and extent of the exhibits was well up to all past standards.

For several years past the association has been in the good graces of the weather clerk, and a fine day is a strong contributor towards success. On Saturday there was a brisk breeze out of the west that made one feel the comfort of a light overcoat, but there was no rain and the chill was not so great as to be disagreeable.

Many journeyed to Shannonville on Saturday to witness the dethronement of King Bacchus from the pedestal where he has been so patriotically honored and worshipped. Those who expected this historic event to take place amid scenes of true bacchanalian revelry were much disappointed. As a spectacle the performance was sadly tame and uninspiring. Few of the performers and boozie-artists were keyed up anywhere near to concert pitch. The star actor who used to go about with sleeves rolled up, ready to meet all comers, was nowhere in sight. A few—a very few indeed—were feeling just a little frisky as the closing hour drew near, but fireworks and lurid exhibitions of all kinds fell far below the records of all recent years. Shannonville could unfold many a tale from the annals of the past and her tortuous experiences with the devoted followers of the Merry Monarch, but their day and his day has passed, let us hope permanently, and a more profitable though less spectacular day has been ushered in.

Tyendinaga Agricultural Society should be proud of the all-round excellence of the exhibit of horses. Such a showing of carriage and roadster horses especially is seldom seen at fairs many times larger than that held at Shannonville. The expert judges had a difficult time deciding among the many beautiful, matched teams shown by Messrs. R. L. Sexsmith, Jno. Bush, Fred Denyes, E. Barber, J. E. Bateman and W. C. Ketcheson and Sons in the carriage and by Messrs. J. E. Bateman, W. C. Ketcheson, W. L. Ketcheson, and Murney Coulter in the roadster class.

The magnificent percheron stallion shown by C. W. Vermilyea was also the source of great admiration. Other exhibitors of heavy horses were: Jos Buckley, Jas. H. Toppings, S. G. Hogle, J. W. Walker, W. C. Ketcheson and Sons and Josiah Brant. The classes in agricultural horses were also well filled some meritorious animals were shown by Messrs. Samuel Hickerson, Jas. Toppings, Wm. Clazie, W. C. Ketcheson and Sons, G. F. Hamilton, Jno. M. Henry, F. C. Benedict, Fred Hodgins, B. Hinchey, C. Long and S. Dies.

In cattle the exhibits were mainly represented by Jerseys, Holsteins and Shorthorns. The Jersey herd of G. W. Collins, of Plainfield consisting of 15 pure-breds, all animals of exceptional merit, was much admired. Jacob S. Hill and F. Glover also showed one or two individuals in this class. Archie MacDonald showed a fine group of Holsteins as did also R. M. Mitchell. Other exhibitors were Geo. Greatrix, Wm. Clazie and S. Dies.

Mr. J. Goodfellow was the chief exhibitor in the Shorthorn class and his herd of thoroughbreds was in fine condition and excellent representatives of this popular breed. S. Dies and D. Carter also had an animal or two on exhibition.

Sheep classes were well filled and the individuals shown were in almost every instance animals of outstanding merit. W. A. Martin and Son, of Corbyville with their flock of eleven Shropshires carried off many of the red cardboards, though they had strong opposition from those shown by S. G. Hogle and Theodore Parks.

Wesley Dawson, the well known sheep specialist from Napanee was present with fine exhibits in Oxford and Southdowns. Elisha Maynes of Thomasburg had a dozen beautiful Leicester.

The exhibits in swine were nearly all stock eligible to register, and also of high quality. R. J. Garbutt was the leading exhibitor in Yorkshires, while W. A. Martin and son led in Tamworths and Berks. Other exhibitors of swine were Ed. Carter, J. W. Walker, and Geo. Greatrix.

The "palace" exhibit was rather better than in former years. Women's fancy work was present in bewildering array, while the more useful bread, buns, pastry and canned fruits had fine displays.

The apple and other fruits this

year are somewhat below standard this year both in size and color, adverse conditions of weather and temperature having had their effect. The weather also showed results in the reduced size of field pumpkins, potatoes and field and garden roots and vegetables. The exceptions are melons and tomatoes both of which fruits never seemed larger and finer. Field grains have also suffered from unfavorable weather. The grain this year of most varieties is below standard in weight and faulty in color.

The "speeding events" were as usual the chief source of amusement during the afternoon.

The astonishing array of automobiles filled nearly all available space over the spacious grounds. The Ford however won the election by a big majority.

The judges in the Ladies' Department were especially severe on some of the semi-professional exhibitors, who continue to take to the fairs the same articles year after year, in fancy work until they become threadbare in the process. On one exhibit in this class one of the judges wrote these expressive words,—"Old enough to vote."

The machine gun detachment of the 155th battalion under command of Lieutenant McGie formed a most attractive feature during the afternoon. The exhibitions of physical drill, bayonet charges, operation of machine guns, etc., held the attention of many hundreds. Several of the officers attended the concert at night and addressed the audience in behalf of recruiting.

The attendance must have very nearly reached the 4,000 mark.

The following are the officers to whom credit is due for the success of the day's exhibition and for many courtesies to the visitors.—President, G. W. Taylor; First Vice President, G. Smith; Treasurer, J. S. Kerr; Secretary, T. A. Macfarlane; Directors, R. R. Tripp, R. J. Garbutt, A. McDonald, J. Barlow, J. Houston, T. Drumme, W. A. Martin, J. V. Walsh, R. G. Martin, T. C. Traverton, T. Vivian.

DR. CREWS AT TABERNACLE.

The Tabernacle Methodist church yesterday observed Rally Sunday. Rev. Dr. Crews of Toronto was the speaker of the day. The services were inspiring to the large congregations. In the evening Dr. Crews spoke on the seven encouraging signs of the times in relation to religion.—missions, growth of the English language which is closely connected with missions, the circulation of the Scriptures, the Adult Bible Class Movement, attention to the youth of the church, the great reform movements, particularly prohibition, the emphasis upon applied Christianity or social service. Referring to the war, he said Christianity instead of having failed had won some of its highest victories.

TODAY'S CASUALTIES.

Morley L. Ackerman, 88 Chatham Street, Belleville—Wounded.

Redfern Richardson, Belleville—Wounded.

Thos. Gannon, Maynooth—Wounded.

POLICE COURT.

Hary Barnum (Petey) was remanded for a week on a serious charge. Mr. W. D. M. Shorey is defending the accused.

A Brdson, a stranger, paid ten dollars and costs for being drunk.

William Maraskos is held on a charge of vagrancy. He is a Greek and is remanded for a week.

Two autoists were fined for speeding.

37,000-TON FRENCH LINER LAUNCHED.

Paris, Sept. 15.—The giant French liner Paris was launched at St. Nazier this afternoon. The liner is destined for New York service. She displaces 37,000 tons and is 233 metres long and 29 metres beam. Her horsepower is 45,000 and she can carry 3,000 passengers. The Paris is the biggest boat built in France.

St. Nazier is memorable in a local sense as it was here that the Belleville boys of the First Canadian contingent landed when they went from England to France.

CHESS WIZARD BEAT SEVENTEEN

Harold E. Jennings, Son of Mr. B. F. Jennings of this City Wins Great Praise at Troy, N.Y.

From The Record, of Troy, N.Y., we clip the following report of the phenomenal chess-playing in that city by Mr. Harold E. Jennings, the boy wizard chess player of Rochester, N. Y., and son of Mr. B. F. Jennings, of Jennings & Sherry, of this city. The young champion, it will be recalled, visited at Belleville a few weeks ago and we reported at that time some of his marvellous accomplishments in the chess field. He is only 18 years old and already has won the championship of the State of New York. That he will soon win the world's championship is predicted by many.

The Record says.—

Harold E. Jennings, of Rochester, N. Y., the 18-year-old state chess champion, played eighteen matches simultaneously last night at the Chess Club of Troy, 10 First street, and only in one game did he bow to defeat. L. R. Burleigh of Troy, was the only man who could overcome the attacks of the schoolboy wonder. The champion was deliberate in all his matches, but often mowed down his opponents with successive rapid attacks. A number of the Troy High School players were on hand, and gained valuable experience.

Player is a Wizard.

The elderly members of the Chess Club marvelled at the science of the youngster. Never in all their experience had they encountered a youth so adept. The officials of the Club who have entertained other stars of the pawn were loud in their praise of the Rochester High School student.

Plays Blindfolded Tonight.

Champion Jennings will entertain as many high school boys of this district as who care to attend tonight. He will play blindfolded. Local boys should avail themselves of the opportunity.

Eighteen Who Played.

The eighteen players who opposed the champion: Thomas Powell, B. F. Leibenberger, William Van Schoonhoven, Warwick Tompkins, Donald Williams, Oliver Fisher, Harold Smith, Saul Gordon, L. R. Burleigh, C. H. Limerick, L. V. Hayes, Harold Curtis, George Barrett, I. H. Thompson, Turner Smith, Alexander Rankin, J. P. Sorenson and W. H. Purple.

A Power of its Own.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil has a subtle power of its own that other oils cannot pretend to. Though there are many pretenders, all who have used it know this and keep it by them as the most valuable liniment available. Its uses are innumerable and for many years it has been prized as the leading liniment for man and beast.

A.O.U.W. MAY BE WOUND UP.

It is the hope of many members of the A.O.U.W. that by some arrangement with the government they will be able to secure an order for winding up the affairs of the order. The members are said to be uniting with this view. Even those whose policies have not been rendered void are dissatisfied and are still paying in, but would be glad to have the government wind up the affairs so that they may know where they stand. One said: "Even though our policies are good now, how do we know we will not be treated just the same as the others whose policies are now void? Another man stated that he had paid in as much as \$108 a year, and has been forced up to this amount from a modest beginning of \$27. These men were told by the officials of the order that they have no kick coming as they have been protected all along. The men reply, "But at what a cost!"

ASSAULT CHARGE DISMISSED.

At Police Court before Magistrate Masson today a case of alleged assault was tried, the complainant being Mrs. Lucas and the accused being her sister-in-law, Mrs. Kellar. There has been a family feud for some time and it was alleged that the mother, Mrs. Kellar, intervened in a free-for-all fight between the children of the respective parties, all of whom reside in Thurlov, but attend Queen Victoria School. The complainant, Mrs. Lucas, failed to substantiate her case and the charge was dismissed, she having to pay the costs of the court and the constable.

W. N. Ponton, K.C., appeared for the accused, Mrs. Kellar.

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Bread Making Contests At Rural School Fairs

PRIZES—Free Courses at Macdonald Institute, Guelph
Free Poultry Raising Courses at Ontario Agricultural College
Free Cook Books and Magazines

Over 1,500 prizes in all will be offered in bread-making contests which will be held this fall at over 250 rural school fairs taking place in Ontario. It will be a great event at the fairs and will stimulate interest in bread-making among young girls between the ages of 12 and 17 years.

Here is a wonderful opportunity for your daughter to win for herself a Free Course in Domestic Science at the famous Macdonald Institute, Guelph. All she has to do is to bake one double loaf of bread and enter

it in the contest at the fair according to the conditions explained below and more fully told in the folder we will send you on request. The loaf must be baked

Cream of the West Flour

the hard wheat flour guaranteed for bread.

This is a splendid flour which makes the biggest, bulging loaves—whitest, lightest and most wholesome bread you ever baked. Is this not a splendid opportunity to interest your daughters in breadmaking?

Here are the Splendid Prizes offered for the best loaf of bread baked with Cream of the West Flour. The following are offered at each local fair:

1st Prize—1 paid-up subscription to "My Magazine" for 1 year. This magazine is full from cover to cover every month with articles suitable for young people of all ages. It is published in English. Value \$2.50 per year.
2nd Prize—4 months paid-up subscription to "My Magazine" Value \$1.25.
Extra Prizes—When entries exceed ten a 3rd prize will be awarded of 6 mos. paid-up subscription to "My Magazine." When the number of entries exceeds twenty the judges at the fair will award 4th, 5th, and 6th prizes of one year's paid-up subscription to "The Little Paper." This is a wonderful little publication issued every month in England. Its story pages are packed with highly engaging information and stories relating to history, nature-study, animals, bird-life, etc.

Important.—The winners of 1st prizes at the fairs automatically become competitors for the Provincial Prizes. The second half of the double loaf is sent to Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, by the district representative in special container provided. The judging is done by Mrs. M. A. Parry of the Department of Breadmaking and Flour Testing at the College.

Conditions of the Contest

Every girl may compete at the rural school fair in her district, whether or not she attends school, providing that her 12th birthday occurs before November 1st, 1916, or her 17th birthday does not occur before Nov. 1, 1916. One loaf of bread must be submitted baked in pan about 7 x 5 inches and 3 inches deep, and divided into two loaves so that they may be separated at the fair. The loaf must be baked with Cream of the West Flour. One-half will be judged at the fair. The other half first prize loaf will be sent to Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, to compete in the Provincial Contest. The local contest at the fair will be conducted under the same rules as all the other regular contests at your fair.

The standard by which bread will be judged will be as follows:

1. Appearance of Loaf.....	15 marks
(a) Color.....	5 marks
(b) Texture of crust.....	5 marks
(c) Shape of loaf.....	5 marks
2. Texture of Crumb.....	15 marks
(a) Evenness.....	15 marks
(b) Softness.....	20 marks
(c) Color.....	5 marks
3. Flavor of Bread.....	45 marks
(a) Taste.....	25 marks
(b) Odor.....	20 marks

Each loaf must be accompanied by the part of the flour bag containing the face of the Old Miller (important) and an entry form must be signed by the girl and parents or guardians stating date of birth, P.O. address, and giving name of dealer from whom Cream of the West Flour was purchased. The form will state:

Write for free folder giving full and complete information about every feature of this great contest.

Address Campbell Flour Mills Co., Limited, (West) Toronto

"Cream of the West Flour is sold by Wallbridge & Clarke, Belle Gay, Foxboro; I. F. Eggleton, Foxboro; H. J. Hodgson, Trenton; John E. Campbell, Foxboro; Coulter & Co., Striling; S. B. Rollins, Tweed; J. E. Wilson, Marlbank; Thos. Fleming, Ivanhoe; Henry Harriett, Fort Stewart; Dan Smith, Maynooth; P. Eldorado."

NEW GENERAL SECRETARY

Mr. W. W. Allison Returns to Belleville to Take Position With Y. M. C. A.

The board of directors of the Belleville Y.M.C.A. have been fortunate in securing the services of Mr. W. W. Allison as general secretary. Since the resignation of Mr. J. L. Hess some months ago the position has been temporarily filled by Mr. E. P. Frederick.

Mr. Allison is no stranger to Belleville. Less than two years ago he resigned the boys' secretaryship here and went to Chatham, N.B., where he has since been engaged in institutional work in connection with St. Luke's Methodist church.

During his year's work with the boys in Belleville, he won great popularity and the host of friends he made then will welcome him back to his new and more responsible sphere of duties.

Mr. Allison is a native of Port Hope and has spent six or seven years in Y.M.C.A. work. Before coming to Belleville he spent a year at the Central Y.M.C.A. at Toronto. Mr. Allison is still young and has a great force of enthusiasm for the work. This with his capacity for making friends should make his engagement here a most popular and profitable one for the Association.

James E. Ketcheson.

The funeral took place on Friday morning of the late James E. Ketcheson, the Rev. A. S. Kerr, M.A., conducting the last sad rites in the presence of a large gathering of friends. After the service at the family residence, Warham street, the remains were taken to Belleville Cemetery for interment. The bearers were Messrs. James A. Roy, Alfred Delaney, D. E. Grass, Malcolm Wright, John Weiss and Frank White. Many

beautiful flowers had been contributed.

MRS. ABRAHAM WOOD.

The obsequies of the late Mrs. Abraham Wood took place on Friday from the family residence, 4041 concession of Ameliasburg, Rev. Mr. Webber officiating. Evidence of the high esteem in which the departed was held was shown by the attendance and gifts of flowers. Burial was in Robin's Mills cemetery, the pall bearers being Messrs. J. W. Gibson, George Cunningham, S. A. Vancott, H. M. Delong, Wm. Redick and Wm. Cave.

Internal parasites in the shape of worms in the stomach and bowels of children sap their vitality and retard physical development. They keep the child in a constant state of unrest and, if not attended to, endanger life. The child can be spared much suffering and the mother much anxiety by the best worm remedy that can be got, Miller's Worm Powders, which are sure death to worms in any shape.

SHANNONVILLE CASE.

A case was up before Magistrate Myhel of Shannonville on Friday and excited considerable interest owing to the prominence of the parties. Mrs. Emily Leverton was charged with threatening to kill her brother-in-law, John Leverton, with a gun. The trouble arose over a dispute about the right of John Leverton to go on his brother's farm and gather apples. It appears that Mrs. Leverton, under authority of her husband, warned John Leverton not to come on the farm or take the apples but he persisted. Mrs. Leverton got a gun this was not loaded and told him she would keep off the farm or he would make him. He left the place but laid information against Mrs. Leverton.

The case was settled by each party paying one-half the costs and John Leverton releasing all interest in his brother's farm. W. C. Mikel, K.C., acted for Mrs. Leverton.

SHANNONVILLE FAIR.

Many farmers and citizens wended their way to Shannonville on Saturday to attend Tyendinaga's annual show.

ANOTHER HERO HAS RETURNED

Sergt. Walter Hutcheson Arrived Home This Afternoon.

Sergeant Walter Hutchinson another member of the First Canadian Contingent and of the famous Second Battalion, arrived home this afternoon. He was wounded in the action at Zillebeke, early in June and has come home on furlough.

Owing to the fact that the 15th band was engaged at the fair grounds this afternoon there was no formal reception at the station. But tonight at 7.30 a parade will be formed, in which every citizen is invited to take part, and will proceed to Sergt. Hutchinson's home on Foster Ave. The parade will then come down Victoria Ave. to Front St. and then return to Foster Ave. via Bridge St. Be sure to give this gallant soldier a reception worthy of the great service he has performed.

MRS. ELIZA FREDERICK.

Eliza Frederick, wife of Mr. Gilbert Frederick died at her home, 62 South George Street, at an early hour this morning, after two months' illness. She was sixty-one years of age, having been born in Sidney township in 1855. Her father was the late James White. For many years she resided in Thurlov until coming to Belleville three years ago. Surviving besides the husband are three sons, Harry of Belleville, John of Sidney, Ashley of Toronto, and one daughter Mrs. Eber Johnson, Belleville.

DIED.

BOGERT—At 83 Commercial St. on Sunday, Sept. 17th, Elizabeth Susan, relict of the late Rev. Canon David Ford Bogert.

Suddenly in Toronto, September 13th, 1916, Fiorella Agnes Pyne, daughter of Mr. Robert Burrows, and wife of John Abraham Emery. Pictorial papers please copy.

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