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Editorial Notes.

In accordance with our announcement in last week's issue, the present number of GRIP appears in double size. We trust our patrons will not object, seeing that there is no corresponding enlargement in the price per copy.

NEXT week GRIP will again appear in its present form to celebrate the success of the great show. It will be our effort to have its pages brimming over with good things—literary and pictorial. Another double-page cartoon will, of course, be one of the features.

A WALK through the numerous departments and over the extensive grounds of the exhibition, although very pleasing, is a dreadfully tiresome thing, unless the inner man has been kindly attended to beforehand. Now there is no wiser plan for the intending sightseer than first of all to drop into the St. Charles' Restaurant, Yongo street, and get a good plate of oysters, or a square meal of any other sort, before "going west."

THE attractive things are not all to be found on the Garrison square just now. There are sights worthy of the attention of visitors in town as well, and prominent amongst these may be mentioned the beautiful new china store just opened by Messrs. EDGAR & SON, in Lawson's block, 97 King street East.

ALDERMAN HARRY PIPER wishes it to be distinctly understood that it is not his intention to take his Zoo up to the Fair Ground, as the lion is not in good temper at present, and cannot be safely led with a logging chain. Visitors who wish to see the animals are re-

quested to call at the Menagerie, where the worthy Alderman will show 'em round for a small consideration.

THE *Canada School Journal* earnestly advocates the more general study of Canadian History in our educational institutions. Hear, hear! And Mr. CROOKS ought to lose no time in authorizing GRIP as a text book thereof. There is no more accurate and, at the same time, diverting record of Canadian history extant than that to be found in his pages. Back numbers supplied.

We understand that at an emergency meeting of the Toronto Lacrosse Club it was unanimously decided that, in its next championship match with the Shamrocks, the Toronto players are to win by three straight games.

We note, as a remarkable instance of journalistic enterprise, that the *Telegram's* City News Jottings, "fresh crisp and interesting," consists largely of items about the circulation of the *Telegram*. Well, there's nothing like blowing your own tin-whistle after all. The *Telegram*, by the way, does not give its readers any "news of the World." Why is this? The heading would be a good one.

ALL honour to Detective Hodgins for the plucky rescue of Morgan on Monday night. If the Humane society gives medals to those who rescue men from drowning, surely such an act as that of the detective should not go unacknowledged. GRIP would like to see him well rewarded and made—well, let us say, a railway director. Some abuses would, no doubt, then be reformed.



Rather Equivocal.

SWELL: I suppose you don't charge anything for a puppy? I'm going to exhibit him in the dog show, don't you know.

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