# AT VERY BAD

Exhibition Visitors Hurried to the Buildings for Shelter, and the Shows on the Midway Did a Rushing Business — Umbrellas and Raincoats Were at a Premium.

Last night's double-barreled electric and rainstorm was the first to hit the big fair at a really bad time. The first and heaviest downpour came at 6.30. This lasted about half an hour, and the second followed at 7.30, and, tho less severe, lasted, in fitful gusts, considerably longer. As the first storm hecame imminent, that part of the fireworks which could not be removed, were set off before the grand stand, and Mount Vesuvius erupted in the Fifty Men Will Come From usual fiery fashion, while all the other di ... went off as usual.

When the storm hit, there was a big crowd in the Midway, and right away the two classes of persons took up two different lines of activity. The booth

of the Midway crowd was cleared into the space beneath the grand stand. The crowds in the grandstand were protected by the overhang of the roof, save at the west end, where the rain was driven in by the heavy wind.

fellows by those lucky enough to secure passage with him. Taxis came to the grounds in streams and were a of seeing for the first time what a fuss

and indoor attractions.
"Fair and Warm." It was a cruel and crafty storm, for the day had started with eyery prospect of sunny skies and a warm'day and evening. Even the weather man was in on the trick, for he had fair and warm billed in large black lefters.

tingents to get within the gates.

After the second storm had passed, there was still a threatening rumb'e kept up till the end of the show, and sullen flashes of lightning kept the hardy ones who had remained, with a want it to move? last seen it was not moving. Did they eye on the exit signs or at least the roads to the gates.

## Scotland's Best

Nowhere within or without the big fair grounds is there better Scotch which is recognized as the best there which is recognized as the best there is, even by the Scotch themselves, and that is the last word by way of credentials. The rules of the exhibition forbid the genial gentlemen in charge giving a sample of their wares, but they have several sorts of smiles, other than liquid, which are well nigh as heartening as their product, if not more so. The booth is attractively decorated and the many friends of Perfection Whiskey who have seen it declare that it is perfection in its line also. The booth is in charge of Mr. Percy Foy.

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The regular monthly meeting of the next Wednesday afternoon in the Ron-cesvalles Baptist Church, beginning at 8 p.m. All interested are cordially in-

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## Today's Program

STOCK REVIEW DAY. 8.00 a.m.—Gates open. 9.00 a.m.—Buildings open. 10.00 a.m.—Butter-making competition.

11.00 to 12.00 a.m.—Besses O' Th'
Barn Band.

11.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. — Scots
Guards' Band.

1.30 to 3.30 p.m.—Besses O' Th'
Barn Band.

2.00 p.m.—Whippet races.

2.00 p.m.—Grand stand perform-

ance.
3.00 p.m.—Japanese fireworks.
3.00 p.m.—Grand parade of prize stock.
4.00 to 6.00 p.m.—Scots Guards'
Band.
7.00 p.m.—Grand stand perform-7.00 p.m.—Grand stand performance.
8.00 to 10.00 p.m.—Besses O' Th'
Barn Band.
8.45 p.m.—Cadet Tattoo.
9.00 p.m.—Living Flag.
9.20 p.m.—Muscial Ride.
9.30 p.m.—Siege or Delhi.
9.45 p.m.—Eruption of Mount
Vesuvius. Vesuvius. 10.00 p.m.—Imperial Fireworks.

United States Cities to Compete at the Exhibition.

tractions stood unguarded even by has wired the entries of four particularly pneumatic actions and special machin- the gas building at the Exhibition.

of the Midway crowd was cleared into

Dufferin and King streets, about 6.30 more of the best biscuits at the fair.

A man is known by the company he keeps and the best tradesmen handle the grounds in streams and were a'lowed to meet their fares within the
grounds. But much of the crowd
braved out the first storm, and many
still hardier lingered thru the second
and even after this the streets of the
big fair presented a fairly well crowded appearance, but the attendance
suffered sorely, for many who had
intended coming to spend the evening,
remained at home or attended intown
and indoor attractions.

of seeing for the first time what a fuss
a woman and a automobile can make.

Two women were driving a handsome
black car east along King street. When
right on the centre of the car tracks
the machine stopped. The comely lady
driving sat with a helpless look on her
face. Motormen rang gongs; other
hooted. The lady's expression
changed to one of appeal. The gallant
officer on duty sprang to her assistance. She pointed to the crank. He ance. She pointed to the crank. He seized it. No spark. The lady glanced and warm billed in large black letters. In the late afternoon the crowds had reached mammoth proportions and when the first storm broke, well night the whole of the general admission crowd were in their places in the grand stand, and there were only the reserved, seaters and the standing room contingents to get within the gates.

After the second storm had passed. and warm billed in large black letters. The next man on the scene was a promachine and soon had it on the side of the road. The car was soon surrounded by more gallant young men, but the

## SPECIAL SERVICES

The usual monthly lecture service will be given in St. James' Square Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening, whiskey than that shown in the "Per-fection" booth, in the manufacturer's ter. Rev. Andrew Robertson, D.D. building. There is seen a display of There will be special music by the D. & J. McCallum's Perfection Scotch, gowned choir under the direction of Dr. T. Alexander Davies, who has just returned from a four months' European trip with the distinguished conductor of the Madelsohn Choir, and solos will be such by Miss Hicks-Lyne of London, Eng., Miss Belyea and Mr.

Dr. Davies will give a recital on the fine new electric organ, with selections from Wagner, Tschalkowsky and Widor at the close of the service.



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# Exhibition Notices.

The New Piano Player Actions

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tractions stood unguarded even by canvas roofs and walls, joined the great public and promptly ducked for cover.
You had to hand it to the spielers before the more solidly protected attractions, for altho the ticket selers left the stands and no admissions were being charged, said barkers worked at their highest velocity, crowding the rain driven folk into their hospitable shiller, and fit they all not give them as they were in the famous Chympic shows, they at least gave them the most acceptable, thing on the grounds at the moment, a show to get in out of the wet.

Buildings Crowded.

Great crowds gathered into all the buildings from adjacent parts of the Midway crowd was cleared into all the surface and many willing visitors, while most of the Midway crowd was cleared into all the best riders in the countris are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best of the Midway crowd was cleared into all the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the best riders in the country are entered, and ten of the protect at the factory and offices at the corner of King and Bathurst streets, where a large addition has been built to pro
Buildings Crowded.

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fit any make of player-plane. Christie's Biscuits Best

Yesterday Mr. Scully, in charge of the Christie, Brown exhibit at the Exhibition, bought up all the prize-win-ning butter and cheese at the fair, was driven in by the heavy wind.

An umbrella of raincoat was worth much fine gold, while the owner of a motor car was a king proportionately to the seating capacity of his car, and waiting to transfer at the corner of was proclaimed as a prince of good.

The Missing Spark of Humor which will be used in the manufacture of these tasty and wholesome biscuits. This means that all of the best No. 1 June and July cheese and the best or camery butter will go to make the fair. ristie's biscuits. Christie's biscuits. When you see know that you are in a good grocery where the other stock is likely to be Christie's biscuits are an advertisement for all the rest of the

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

See our electric display at the Exhibition Federal Government Building. The route of the Canadian Government Only two more days. See this at night on your way to the grand stand.

City Dairy. City Dairy is very sorry that its many friends will not be able to get City Dairy ice cream in the Exhibition grounds this year. The Exhibition committee on concessions decided this year to sell a monopoly of ice cream, and the City Dairy did not tender high

We are therefore confined to an educational exhibit which is located in he public health section in the new Dominion building. Any resident of Toronto who is interested in safe milk will be well repaid by a visit to our exhibit, which is in charge of our chemist and bacteriologist, Dr. E. W.

The Theosophical Society will receive visitors during the Exhibition in room 205, 22 College street, from 3 till 5 every oon. Address on Sunday even-

A Good Square Meal A good square meal is what you get at Bird's dining hall, opposite the west end of the grand stand, for the small sum of 35 cents. It is a light, airy, spacious dining hall, with accommodation and a full course meal for 750. 2345

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Good Meals. During the busiest part of the day Nasmith's are always able to avoid delay in the serving of their patrons. They are serving the best meals on the grounds in their restaurant under the west end of the grand stand, and here one can eat in comfort.

Visitors to the Exhibition are invit-ed to call at The World Office in the press bureau and see samples of the new illuminated Bibles that can be secured in connection with a subscription to The Daily World.

WHERE BIG GAME IS PLENTIFUL SOME FACTS FOR SPORTSMEN

Hunters of hig game may learn much that is of interest at the exhibit of the Canadian Government railways the federal government building. Part of the display is devoted to a very fine collection of mounted trophies, such as moose, deer and bear, and from the representatives in charge of the ex-hibit one may obtain information concerning the most likely localities, about the best guides and about the best methods of procedure. The big game season is now on in Quebec, and will open in New Brunswick September 15. Moose and deer are reported very plentiful in both provinces.

The electric map showing the territory served by the Canadian Govern-

aux Basques, are demonstrated by a also a Nordheimer Grand in circas-handsome model of the steamship slan walnut, which is a picture in it-When people hear with raptured

has been eliminated by the wonderful device the Nordheimer Company are using in their instrument. The words "Human Tourch," which is the name the Nordheimer player is known by fittingly describe that caressing affect of the hand which is so noticeably lacking in other players. When such an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action is found in a piano of the where they will receive a royal well-an action in their instrument. The words with more determination than the work with more determination than the booth its both interesting and instruction.

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ment railways continues to be a great attraction. At night, when the illumination shows to advantage, large plano have no need to look further, crowds gather and the representatives Besides the regular lines of Nordhelmare kept busy answering the numerous er planos on view at the company's questions of those interested. The advantages of the route to Newfoundland via North Sydney, N.S., and Port aux Basques, are demonstrated by a line of Nordhelm and Veretgrande, which are always so much admired; aux Basques, are demonstrated by a line of Nordhelmar Grand and Veretgrande, Bruce, which makes daily trips of self, a facsimile of which was sold to tween these ports, linking the Reid Newfoundiand Radiway with the Intercolonial, and making a fast thru conpany have an exhibit of which they may nection to Quebec and Montreal.

HORTICULTURAL BUILDING

employes jumped to tent and awning ropes and supports to meet the heavy wind which blew from the west with the rain. Some of those whose attractions stood unguarded even by ing the supreme secretary-treasurer. It was most gratifying to note how familiar he was with the many members by being able to call them by their names. He also expressed to the members who called his hearty approclation of the loyalty and co-operation tendered the supreme chief ranger and the executive in assisting them to make their proud record for 1911, and he might well call it a proud record for the year, they having paid during the year 1911 to beneficiaries \$2,316,740.74; in disability benefits, to members who were pronounced permanently and tetally disabled, \$114,971,31; to their eld members who had reached their sev-entieth birthday, \$244,209.06; and in sick and funeral benefits to members who were laid aside with various illnesses, The player-plano is, as a rule, looked upon unfavorably by all musicians on account of the mechanical effect which is so pronounced in the average player. After hearing the Nordhelmer "Human Touch" player, they all agree that every mechanical effect whatever has been eliminated by the wonderful device the Nordhelmer Company are not less than \$277,504.54, and after pay-

recognized standard and grade of the come and one of these souvenir flags. Nordhelmer, those desiring a player, which will remind them of the visit plane have no need to look further, they made to the I, O. F. tent during Besides the regular lines of Nordhelm the fair of 1912.

No More of Those Broken Legs. which a horse's broken leg might set the same as a human being's. D ing the last decade the legs of many animals have been mended at a great cost to the owners. This has only been done in cases where the break was not very bad. Many cures have been attempted, but in the end the horse has

When the directorate of the Exhibition secured the services of R. N. Sutherland, the champion Roman chariot driver of the world, they assured their patrons of the best that the world can show in this spectacular line of entertainment. It is interesting and inspiring also to know that Mr. Sutherland, the daring driver, is a Canadian and maintains a stable of 25 thorobreds at Grimsby, Ont.

This event never fails to bring the crowd to its feet and the excitement is intense until the last lap is run. An

intense until the last lap is run. An element of danger always adds interest to any spectacle and it is present in the chariot races. One night this week one of the horses in Mr. Suther-land's stable became well-nigh unmanageable and only the most skilful handling averted a spill directly before row lead at the time and had his char iot been overset, a serious accident was almost inevitable, as he must have fallen directly under the trampling hoofs of the team following, and the pace was so fast that it would have

champion charioteer of the world at Brockton, Mass. on October 4, 1911, receiving a purse of \$8000 at the same

Canadian Foresters' Tent at Exhibition Grounds a Scene

perience of the first seven months of 1912 indicates that this year will be very much better than last, not only

but in every other respect.

The amount to the credit of the insurance fund at the present time
\$3,844,608.63. The sick and funeral benefit fund shows a credit balance of \$267.195.68, and there is to the credit of the general fund over \$25,000.00. The large number of members who have visited the tent during the Ex hibition shows that the membership of the Canadian Order of Foresters are satisfied with the management and enthusiastic about the prospects of the

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Telephone Exhibit.

Every well informed business man understands the value of private telephone systems in commercial use. In the Stromberg-Carlson Telephone Manhoofs of the team following, and the pace was so fast that it would have been impossible to have appreciably slackened it before they had come upon the overturned chariot and its occupant.

This fact gives an idea of the skill of Mr. Sutherland. He won his title as champion charioteer of the world at Brockton, Mass. on October 4, 1911, Brockton, Mass. on October 4, 1911, phone for service in mines. A visit to phone for service in mines. A visit to the Stromberg-Carlson Company's booth is both interesting and instruc-

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