

FARMERS' DAY.

- 8.00 a.m.—Gates Open.
9.00 a.m.—Dog Show Open.
9.00 a.m.—Machinery Hall, Art Gallery and All Buildings Open.
10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon—Processes of Manufacture.
10.00 a.m.—Sheep Dog Trial.
10.00 a.m.—Judging Lincolns, Hampshires and Suffolk Sheep.
10.30 a.m.—Butter-Making Competition.
11.00 a.m.—Judging Southdown and Dorset Horn Sheep.
11.00 a.m.—Judging Grade and Fat Cattle.
11.00 a.m.—Parade of Horses.
11.00 a.m.—Duss' Band on Grand Plaza.
1.00 p.m.—Agriculturalists' Luncheon.
1.00 p.m.—29th Battalion Band, Berlin, on the Grounds.
1.00 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.—Judging Horses, both Breeding and Harness Classes, in Front of the Grand Stand.
2.00 p.m.—Butter-Making Competition.
2.00 p.m.—Judging Bacon Hogs.
2.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.—Manual Labor Demonstration in Women's Building.
2.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m.—Processes of Manufacture.
2.00 p.m.—2.30 trot, first heat.
2.30 p.m.—Grand Stand Performance.
2.40 p.m.—2.30 trot, second heat.
3.20 p.m.—2.30 trot, third heat.
4.00 p.m.—Sheep Shearing Competition.
6.15 p.m.—Duss Band in Front of the Grand Stand.
7.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m.—Processes of Manufacture.
7.15 p.m.—Grand Stand Performance.
8.45 p.m.—Siege of Badajos.
9.00 p.m.—Grand Military Tattoo; the Duss Band, 48th Highlanders, 19th Regiment (St. Catharines), 29th Regiment (Berlin), Royal Grenadiers, Queen's Own, 48th Pipers and Queen's Own Bugle Band taking part.
9.30 p.m.—Night Attack and Battle.
9.45 p.m.—March Past by Ali Troops Engaged in the Siege.
10.00 p.m.—Fireworks.
10.00 p.m.—Buildings Closed.
10.20 p.m.—"God Save the King."
11.00 p.m.—Lights Out.

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INQUEST INTO BRIDGE WRECK

Theodore Cooper Interview Denied—Engineer Hoare Submits a Report.

QUEBEC, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The coroner's inquest has not so far thrown any new light on the cause of the bridge collapse. The investigation by the government commission of experts will commence to-morrow. Many railway and bridge engineers are here to inspect the ruins.

Mr. Deans, chief engineer of the Phoenix Bridge Company, told the jury to-day that the company's engineers were doing their utmost to ascertain the cause of the disaster, and he thought they would be able in a few days to satisfy legitimate anxiety on the subject. He had never heard of any apprehensions of the safety of the structure, and if he had to erect another bridge would not hesitate to build of the same plans.

The International Bridge Workers' Union is represented by counsel. Hon. S. N. Parent, in the course of his examination, said he had written Theodore Cooper concerning his alleged interview in New York, and Mr. Cooper had replied that he had misinterpreted and had never either sent a message to cease operations on the bridge or had stated that he had done so.

The Bridge Company held its annual meeting to-day, when the retiring directors were all re-elected, and Mr. Parent re-elected president. Senator Choquette was present and seized the opportunity on a motion being made for a bonus of \$3000 to Mr. Parent for his services to the company during the struggle with the ex-premier. He said the president of such a company should give all his time to it and receive a salary of say \$7000. He did not think the position of chairman of the trans-continental railway commission was compatible with that of president of the Bridge Company. Senator Choquette was alone when the vote was taken.

It is well understood that the Bridge Company will be shortly dissolved and the work taken over by the federal government. The government can buy the shares at par value by paying a 10 per cent. advance on their cost.

A Possible Cause. In the engineer's report, submitted by Messrs. Farrell and Stratton to-day, Mr. Boare stated that on Aug. 27, the resident inspecting engineer reported that the ribs in one of the lower chords of the west truss of the anchor arm showed an inward side deflection. The matter was reported the same day to the consulting engineer, and the Phoenix Bridge Co., and Mr. McClure left the next day for New York and Phoenixville to discuss the question. Soon after these interviews the cause of the accident suddenly collapsed, but it is at present undetermined whether the chord in question was the cause of the accident.

Mr. Boare's report created a mild sensation, and it is believed that the cause of the disaster will now shortly be fixed.

First Damage Suit. The first of the damage suits to follow the Quebec bridge disaster was launched this morning, when Zephire La France issued a writ for \$25,000 for the cost of his services. The damage claims on a similar basis would amount to \$1,025,000.

ARRESTED FOR FRAUD. Waterloo Citizen and Toronto Man Taken in the Toils. William Schmitt, Waterloo, Ont., and William Webster, Victoria-street, Toronto, were arrested last night by Detective "Dick" Tipton, charged with fraud.

Webster presented and cashed a cheque at the Montreal Bank in this city, purporting to be drawn by the Schmidt, Proom & Whisk Co. of Waterloo, per W. A. Schmidt. It was for \$60. The bank phoned Waterloo and found that there were no funds to cover the cheque and the arrest followed.

Most of the money had been spent. Other cheques, one for \$500, on the Home Bank, and two for similar amounts on the Bank of Montreal, were found on Webster. They admit the fraud.

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MACKENZIE LEADER OF ONTARIO LIBERALS?

May Enter Legislature and Succeed Graham as Head of the Opposition.

The annual meeting of the Ontario General Reform Association will be held at this city to-day. H. M. Mowat, K.C., is president, and F. G. Inwood, secretary. Representatives of the Toronto Reform Association will be present, and will explain what success they have had in nominating candidates both for the provincial and the federal houses.

No action will be taken at this meeting with reference to the leadership of the Liberals in provincial affairs, though it would not be surprising if Sir Wilfrid Laurier appeared to the country in September, 1908.

WOMAN'S AWFUL SUICIDE BUILDS A FUNERAL PYRE

Crazed With Grief Over Husband's Death, Ends Her Own Life.

MONTREAL, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Mrs. Joseph Lalonde ended her life in a tragic manner in the Village of St. Lazaire, a few miles from Verdun last Sunday.

She had been acting strangely since the death of her husband, six months ago, and spent several hours gathering fence rails on her farm. When the funeral pyre was ready, she wrote several letters, stating she had received the call of the Lord, and the letters were found afterwards in an old hat, suspended from the limb of a tree. Then Mrs. Lalonde removed the window sash and set fire to the logs and wood, perishing in the flames.

This affair took place just when high mass was being said in the village church and the call of the Lord was not made until after the congregation had been dismissed. During the service the flames were reflected thru the windows of the little church, but it was thought to be nothing more than rubbish burning.

The charred remains of Mrs. Lalonde were exhibited a few yards from the burning remains. She was apparently unable to stand the frightful ordeal and had jumped out of the window after she had been fatally burned. She after she had been fatally burned. She after she had been fatally burned.

Several small children are left orphans.

HARVEST ABOUT IN.

Fine Weather Has Helped Cutting in Southern Manitoba.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—The weather is fine through the whole of the west and the crop outlook is very bright.

Cutting in Southern Manitoba is progressing rapidly and the harvest will be over by the end of the week.

Excellent taste has been shown in the arrangement of the exhibit, and of the decorations. The jewelry is beautifully decorated with bronze and marble at- tues, and in great profusion are ferns and palms, numerous fancy electric light sets, and a great wall at the back of rich green velvet forms the completing touch to what is probably the finest exhibit ever shown in America.

Meet me at Newcombe's Rest Room. Settlers' Low Rates West. The Chicago and Northwestern Railway will sell low one-way second-class tickets daily from Sept. 1 to Oct. 31 to many points in Western States and British Columbia.

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Meet me at Newcombe's Rest Room. Rev. Dr. Chambers, governor of the jail will likely attend the National Prison Congress, to be held in Chicago on Sept. 11, at the city's expense.

BORDEN AT MONTREAL 3000 HEAR ADDRESS

Raps Government for Scarcity of Cabinet Material in Liberal Ranks.

MONTREAL, Sept. 3.—Fully 3000 people assembled to-night in the Monument Nationale to hear R. L. Borden and his colleagues discuss the political questions of the day. The reception was an enthusiastic one, in fact one of the best ever held by the Conservatives in this city.

Mr. Borden went over his program and gave it an interpretation that found favor. As for what was considered extreme, it was to be remembered, said Mr. Borden, that the Conservatives would not act rashly, but only after careful investigation.

Mr. Borden began to speak in French, which drew loud applause. He then broke into English and discussed for nearly an hour the platform laid down in the Halifax program. Incidentally Mr. Borden answered some criticisms. It had been said that the Conservatives with their 75 members in the house did not possess the required talent for the formation of a government in which the people would have full confidence. But that was a question of opinion, and most likely the 75 members at the next election would soon be increased to 135 members.

Besides, did the Liberals always choose from their ranks in the house? Recent events rather proved that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had, like Diogenes of old, been forced to start on a hunt to find honest men to fill the vacancies in his government.

Mr. Borden then discussed the reforms he had mentioned in his Halifax address. F. D. Monk and L. T. Marechal also spoke.

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POSTMASTERS' ASSN MEET RECOGNIZED BY GOVT.

Satisfactory Reports Given of Year's Work—New Ideas in Banquet Speeches.

The postmasters held their fourth annual banquet last night at McConkey's Restaurant. The banquet was given to the officers of the postal service in Canada. Many toasts were made and replies given by officials and postmasters. After "The King," "Our Association" was the first toast, and was slightly better, while the last was splendid, owing to the joining of the London, Toronto, Kingston and Ottawa inspectors. The postmasters do more for the less pay than any other class of men. Out of the 11,000 offices in the Dominion, Ontario has 5000; 150,000 letters and cards passed thru the mails last year, which entails an enormous amount of work.

Mr. Sifton spoke along the line of the association. "Prominent officials of the service are in attendance at this meeting to-night, which in itself is a great step, as this recognition on the part of the officials means that the Postmasters' Association is recognized as an association." The condition he wants to see is that the government be justified in granting the demands of the postmasters.

George Ross, the postmaster substitute, answering to the toast "The Postmaster-General," said that if the postmasters would only put their shoulders to the wheel they would finally get what they wanted, and be better remunerated for their services.

Mr. Campbell, the London district inspector, remarked that the postal service was conducted fully as well as any other service. When one takes into consideration the vast amount of mail that goes daily thru the postoffice, it was a wonder that there were not more mistakes made than there were.

The Ontario postmasters are not satisfied with the salaries and allowances announced by the department at Ottawa, and the Dominion Government were severely criticized at the Postmasters' association meeting held yesterday. The speakers stated that the raise was one of 1-2 per cent, not 5 per cent, as had been stated.

The following officers were elected: President, G. H. Burgar, Welland; first vice-president, Jas. Scott, Clinton; second vice-president, W. S. Newman, Castleton; third vice-president, W. Forbes, Grimsby; secretary-treasurer, H. E. Proctor, Ajax; auditors, Vance, Millbrook; Howden, Whitby. Executive committee: R. Paxton, Oshawa; A. F. Moran, Winona; J. A. Cockburn, Cayuga; Thos. Gibson, Fortwiche; W. R. Cumming, Cumming's Bridge; W. F. Hamilton, Uxbridge; J. H. Shaver, Cooksville. Meet me at Newcombe's Rest Room.

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DUES EXCEED \$700,000. Monopoly Charges "Scandalous" PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 3.—The answer of the Temple Iron Co. in the suit of the federal government against the railroads and coal companies refers to the government's charges as "vague, indefinite, impertinent and scandalous."

Call to Pastor. BROCKVILLE, Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Rev. Wm. Crawford, B.A., of Chester-ville, has declined the call extended to him from the Cardinal and Mainville Presbyterian congregations.

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