

ings were awful. I could not dress myself or comb my hair. My husband had to carry me up and down stairs. I was scarcely able to nurse my little one. Within two weeks after I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, I felt better. Shortly I was able to walk up and down stairs without help and finally I was cured. My

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The Aeronauts Land Safely from a Trip to the Clouds-Results of the Speeding Contests-Noteworthy Exhibits Described.

Yesterday was "Citizens' Day" at the fair city-the business center of Western Ontario-were "not in it" to the extent that might be expected, for the attendance was below the average. It may have reached 7,000, but did not exceed that number. In this connection it may be mentioned that the directors have left nothing undone in any line to make the Fair what it generally is-"the" exhibition of Canada, and citizens doubtless will redeem themselves by turning out in force during the remaining days of the week, dropping their good quarters on the counters of the ticket offices, running up the figures in the turnstiles, and making the hearts of the managers swell with joy. The weather yester-day was of the kind to prevent an attack of melancholia. The sun shone as brightly as he could, but on account of his desperate exertions during the summer was a little week. This made the weather all the more enjoyable, and if there had been a 35,000 or 40,000 crowd on the grounds nothing could have stopped the Fair people from exhibit-ing joy by dancing the Highland fling, Irish jig, or some equally lively step. the London B. C., was given third place in more especially will it pay visiting dealers "There are four days yet," said one of the this event in consequence of being fouled. Citizens have always treated us right loyally, and this year is going to be no exception. Germania Day is to come, and everybody likes it. The farmers have not by a collision. had their turn, and when those from the rural districts come to town those stands will be packed. See if what I say does not come true," and the director hurried off to see the finish of an exciting horse race. After dinner the east bound cars filled up, carrying visitors to the center of attraction, and for a couple of hours the gate keepers were busy. Every department was in operation, and the fall list of special attraction was carried out. Music was plentiful, and everything went off without

IN THE RING. feature on the programme.

2:45 PACING STAKE. Of the three races this was the most exciting. There were only three entries-Annie Rooney, Pay Rock and Dixie Van. thrilling. Up to the haif in the first heat Annie Rooney and Dixie Van had a close run, with Pay Rock away behind. It looked as The Roman standing team race by two of though the latter was out of it, but the Kemp brothers, the chariot, flat, Annie showed herself to be of a steeple chase, and hurdle races were pleasin past days. She broke, cutting up capers | races. They give some good exhibitions of just long enough to give Pay Rock a good | hurdle jumping, the little beasts on which lead and second place. Dixie Van proved the sisters are mounted clearing poles 42 himself a wonderful little pacer. His gait | inches from the ground. This part of the was steady, and it was only in the third performance attracts and amuses the chilheat that he lost his head. Pay Rock lagged behind in the third heat till after the first half, Annie Rooney broke badly, leaving Dixie and Pay Rock to fight for first place. The two horses came down the stretch together, their drivers using the balloon which carries Mile. Ruby De Vean, whip freely. As they passed under the wire they were neck and neck. It looked like a dead heat, but y Rock was given first place. Summary:

2:45 pacing stake, purse \$200: Dixie Van, b s, B. S. Vantuyle, Pe-Pay Rock, bg, E. H. Webling, Brant-

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Annie Rooney, br m, L. Kennedy, 3 3 2 Time-2:27, 9:241, 2:241, 2:261,

2:45 STALLION TROTTING. Prosperity and Allen Wilkes were very evenly matched, and it was only through breaking that Wilkes lost first place to Prosperity and vice versa. Nuteracker dropped out on account of lameness. He had a mortgage on fifth place in the three heats in which he ran, while Brinaros and Ruler Wilkes traded freely for third and fourth places. Summary:

2:45 stallion trotting; purse \$100: Allen Wilkes, rn s, R. J. Wilkes,

BREEDERS' RUNNING RACE, 14 MILES. Colonist, the big brown gelding, who has won more than one race on the Western Fair track, was to the front again in this race, and won without any great effort. Adam Beck's Meadow Brook was close on Meg Dinmont, with Longbend and Bonnie

Duke behind. Summary: Breeders' running race, 11 miles, purse \$100: Colonist, brg, W. Northgraves, Drayton.....1 Meg Dinmont, ch m., James Haywood, East-

THE BICYCLE RACES. The balance of the bicycle races, postponed from Saturday, went off very successfully. In the one mile, 2:50 class, Rowen, of Guelph, who finished second, was ruled out of the race by the referee,

The third man finishing getting second

prize and the fourth rider third prize. The boys' one half mile race was one of the most remarkable of the day, being new suits and headed by a redman in full won by Frank McCormick, a member of the London Bicycle Club, in the exceedingly short time of 1:12, Ferguson getting second and Brown being awarded Western Fair, but the inhabitants of this third on being fouled by another

rider. The team race was won by the L. B. C. team No. 2, captained by Frank White, with Radway and Reid as mates. The trophy was a very choice one, being valued at \$80. It will be quite an addition to the many team prizes won by the Londons this season. The London Club secured three firsts, three seconds, four thirds and the team prize. Summaries: Mile open-A. McLeod, Sarnia B. C.,

won; F. F. Radway, London B. C., second; C. H. White, London B. C., third. Time, 2:33 2-5. Half mile, boys under 15-F. A. Mc-Cormick, London B. C., won; J. Ferguson, London B. C., second; Ashton Brown, Lon-

don B. C., third. Time, 1:12. Two mile, handicap-A. McLeod, Sarnia B. C., won; F. Radway, London B. C., second; B. Devine, St. Tomas B. C., third.

Time, 5:03. One mile, 2:50 class-J. B. Shillington, Sarnia B. C., won; L. E. Rowen, Guelph B. C., second; J. W. Livingstone, Seaforth B. C., 2. Time, 2:41 2.5. F. Morehead, of

directors, "and if the entire population of London does not pass through the gates in F. White and C. Reid, of the London B. C., and they cannot fail to receive pointers that time it will be a big surprise to me. won. C. H. White, F. Sweeney and F. that will be of practical value to them in Morehead, also of the London B. C., were the competing team, but only Morchead | weeks the firm has received 600 packages finished, the other two being thrown out

THE ATTRACTIONS. These are important features of the Fair. and during the afternoon they are sandwiched in between the heats in each race. They are good in every respect, and were secured only at great expense by the man-

The hero of the high wire, Clifford M. Calverlay, who has won fame in every part of America and England as well, received a great welcome as, attired in a suit of pink tights, pale green trunks and white blouse, he climbed the big pole to his mid-air wire. Clif. is as daring as over. His ter-The events in the ring were of a satis- rible accident has not decreased his courage factory character and were carried out one iosa. He prances out on the wire and without any tedious waits. The audience performs many new feats. Calverley is in the stands numbered about 2,000. They really a marvel. He can dance, hang by were enthusiastic and applauded every good one foot, walk blindfolded, with his feet in a sack and baskets, balance a chair, read the newspaper and smoke a cigarette with only the wire for his pathway, while his somersaults-in fact all his acts, are

The Kemp Sisters' combination, in its many acts, attracts a great deal of interest. very different disposition to the Annie ing. The two sisters, who are only 7 and Rooney, of whom so much has been sung | 9 | years old, ride ponies in some of the dren immensely. In the first part of the afternoon what

looked like a large piece of gray cotton lay on the ground near the south end of the ring inclosure. It proved to be the "The Queen of the Clouds," and Ed R. Hutchinson, "The King of the Air," high above the earth. It took a roaring fire about one hour to fill the balloon, and when ready to ascend the top was high above the trees. The balloon was held down by many willing hands, and the two daring aeronauts soon put in an appearance. They took their places on the bars attached to the parachutes, and at a given word the airship was freed, and in a second was speeding skyward at a rapid rate. Higher and higher it went, until at an altitude of several thousand feet, Mile. De Vean cut herself loose, and was soon descending to terra firma with her parachute wide open. Prof. Hutchinson continued on his journey for some time afterwards. The fear was expressed that an accident had befallen him or that he was unable to break away, but the minds of the spectators were set at ease when the big umbrella was seen to open and start downward. There was very little wind, and both Mile. De Vean and Hutchinson landed safely a short distance south of the

Fair grounds near the G. T. R. property. Mons. and Mile. De Coma performed a clever bicycle feat in mid-air. Mons. De Coma navigated the wheel on a wire about 50 feet from the ground, while Mile. De Coma, on a trapeze pendant from the

wheel, executed many perilous feats. Acrobats who had displayed themselves in London before were outclassed by Rajan. His many acts are, to say the least, clever and exciting.
Siegrist and Lee, in the laughable acro-

batic pantomime, "The Clown and His Sagacious Monkey," furnished plenty of amusement. The present Mr. Seigrist has

a capable partner in Mr. Lee.
Major Hendershott, "the boy drummer of the Rappahannock," who served in the American civil war, is very clever in handling the sticks. He carries with him the drum presented to him by Horace Greeley after the battle of Fredericksburg, and also the drum sticks presented to him by Presidents Garfield and Arthur. Hendershott | well to give Mr. Fewings a call. is accompanied in his selections by his son, who plays the flute.

NOTES. About 200 patients, male and temale.

3 grounds and buildings yesterday morning by Keeper Angus and a number of attendants. They enjoyed the visit immensely and went through all the buildings. The side shows were a great attraction to them and the manager of the menagerie admitted them to a performance free of charge. They were generally very orderly, and as the crowd on the grounds was not very great the sharp-eyed attendants had little trouble in keeping track of them. A demented woman lost her head when she saw the animals and commenced to rup. Two attendants had a sharp chase after her. One of the men fell in love with a cheap jewelry

race course. The Northwest exhibition car has made its appearance. It stands on an impromptu switch next to the Centennial dining hall. The management can well afford to pro-

hibit the firing of guns on the grounds to attract a crowd. It is a dangerous backwoods custom. The Tecumseh brass band of Muncey played some of their choice selections at the Fair grounds and were well applauded by the public. This band consists of the direct descendants of the late great chief

and warrior, Tecumseh, who fell in the defense of Canada. P. C. Rowell is doing mounted police duty inside the ring.
Mr. James Jackson, a member of the Windsor police force, is in attendance at

Mr. Wm. D. Watson, of the Watson Manufacturing Company, Ayr, and Mr. D. J. Waterous, of the Waterous engine works, Brantford, are attending the Fair. The Seventh and Oneida Indian Bands played out to the Fair grounds this afternoon. The Oneidas were resplendent in

the Western Fair. He weighs 257 pounds.

warrior's costume. The officials in the horse races were: Starters, Ald. Dreaney and J. R. Minhinnick; judges, J. D. Brown and D. Ferguson; timers, J. W. Hyman and Dr. O'Neill. Wednesday morning the city band will travel to London in full force to fill their day's engagement at the Western Fair. The Planet congratulates the band boys on their appointment, and trusts that every citizen who can possibly do so will take advantage of the special rates and accompany them, making a worthy showing from our progressive and pushing young city .-[Chatham Planet.

SOME OF THE BEST EXHIBITS. Reid's Crystal Hall. After 50 years of successful business in the wholesale trade the firm of W. J. Reid & Co. are still leading. That it is the premier china and glassware establishment in Canada is exemplified by their large four-story establishment-197 and 199 Dundas street-by their large staff of hands, and by their over increasing trade, reaching from the Atlantic and Maritime Provinces in the east, to the Northwest Provinces, British Columbia and the Pacific on the west. The show rooms of this mammoth establishment are well worth a visit from any point of view, but to call auring Fair week. Here they will their own business. During the last six of ware, and the output has been correspondingly large. In fact, notwithstanding the cry of "hard times," the business has been steadily increasing. The reasons for this are manifold. One of the most patent of them is the fact that the firm does all its own decorating, and by that means it is possible to match goods purchased from them at any time. The building contains four flats, each 50 by 250 feet. The ground floor is devoted to the showing of china and porcelain and novelties and specialties imported from the British and European markets, new white granite ware, semi-porcelain ware, new printed ware and tea, toilet and dinner sets. Here the newest china can be seen and lamps of all kinds-hanging lamps, parlor lamps, vase lamps-and all the latest patterns in glassware. The firm have an immense new stock of fancy goods of all kinds to select from. They are made 147, 149 and 151 DUNDAS especially for the holiday trade in French. German, Austrian and Bohemian glass. The very latest thing in dolls, toys and knicknacks are also shown. The second flat is reserved for the wholesale show rooms, and in the flats above, tastefully arranged in immense bins are "C. C.," and sponged and majolica ware. white granite, white semi-porcelain and printed ware, and products of the British and European markets. The firm does all its own decorating, and has over 100 patterns to select from in tea sets alone, besides 50 or 60 patterns in toilet and dinner sets. They have all the facilities with which to handle their large wholesale trade, elevators, shipping cranes, etc., and one of their immense kilns will hold 3,500 pieces of ware at one firing. The exhibit to inspect these celebrated pianos and be what this enterprising firm can do in the superiority. They are indorsed by the

way of decorations, Their full staff of travelers will be on hand all this week to wait upon their numerous customers; the sample room will be open each evening during the Fair until 10 o'clock, p. m. The firm bespeaks a continuance of the generous patronage already only perfect piano." Mr. W. McPhillips. extended to them in the past. In their advertisement in this issue they call the attention of the trade to new goods. Everything new; new patterns, new designs, new shapes, and new colors. They wish to say in parting that their prices are new alsomade to suit the times, and are-as they have hitherto always proved to be-in a position to meet all competition from whatever source it may come.

Ferguson's Ginger Beer. If you get "that tired feeling" after walking around all day just stop at the exhibit of D. Ferguson on the south side of the main building, downstairs, and ask for ents, cool, sparkling and clear. Mr. Ferguson's exhibit is tastefully arrayed, tier above tier, and those in the trade will find it to their advantage to leave an order with him before leaving the city.

E. B. Fewings, Electrician. Electricity has solved the problem of unsatisfactory door bells, and today no cottage, however humble, need be without its bell. All the latest ideas appertaining to electricity, whether in the shape of incandescent light fixtures and furnishings, electric bells and indicators, batteries, wires, etc., are to be found in the exhibit of Mr. E. B. Fewings, electrician, at the south side of the main building down stairs. Mr. Fewings is an up-to-date and modern electrician, and his work is highly commended by all his patrons. He was for a number of years with the Bell Telephone Company, and while there received a practical education in electrical matters. An electrical fan forms part of the exhibit. Visitors intending to purchase would do

Gerhard Heintzman Pianes. Once more the Gerhard Heintzman Comfrom the asylum were shown over the don's Fair should not fail to see this ex-

THE WEATHER TO-DAY-Fair: possibly

stand and tried to walk off with it. Failing in this he gave his keepers a sharp run to the south. He was recaptured near the

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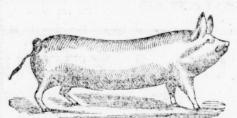
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