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PROGRAMME OF HORSE SHOW:

ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1st.

All the Labor Union of St. John and other centres will parade the City and proceed to the Exhibition Grounds where they will pass in review before the Grand Stand. In this procession will be 200 mounted men, 200 footmen, 200 horses, and 200 carriages. The parade will start at 10 o'clock and will last for one hour. The Grand Stand will be open to the public from 10 o'clock to 6 o'clock. The following is the programme of the show:

TUESDAY, 9 A. M.
Judging of Medium Draughts (Class 8) Heavy Draughts (9), Clydesdales (10), Shires (11), Percherons (12), and Suffolk Punches (13).

TUESDAY, 3 P. M.
Judging of Carriage Horses in harness (Class 6) open to all Carriage Horses on the grounds.

WEDNESDAY, 9 A. M.
Judging of Carriage Horses (on the trot) (Class 4) and Standard Bred Horses (Class 5).

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.
At Moosepath Park—2.40 Class, trot and pace, purse \$250; 2.25 Class, trot and pace, purse \$250.

THURSDAY, 9 A. M.
Before the Grand Stand, judging of Thoroughbreds (Class 5), Hackneys (Class 6), French Coaches (Class 15), and Ponies (Class 16).

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.
Moosepath Park—2.40 Class, trot and pace, purse \$250; Free-for-all, trot and pace, purse \$250.

FRIDAY, 9 A. M.
Drafting Competition (Class 14) Horse-shoeing Competition.

FRIDAY, 3 P. M.
Parade and judging of matched pairs and single carriage horses, owned in the City or County of St. John (Class 15 a), followed by a general parade of all prize-winning entries of ordinary fees close August 18th.

R. B. EMERSON, Acting President.

W. W. HUBBARD, Mgr and Secty.

SOCIETY OF SACRED STUDIES.

It will be remembered that, at the synod held at Fredericton in the year 1901, the work of the English Society of Sacred Studies was explained, and its objects commended to the synod. These objects comprise the delivery of theological lectures, the encouragement of study among the clergy by the means of monthly leaflets issued by the Central Board, in which books are recommended, and the questions of members answered by experts of the highest distinction. As the Central Society is exceedingly broad in its constitution, including representatives of all schools of thought, from Dr. Brightman of Liverpool and Durham, it will be seen how great is the opportunity for theological students. The claims of the society were brought before the Provincial Synod last year by Rev. J. de Soyres, whose resolution advocating affiliation was unanimously accepted by the lower house, after speeches of endorsement by Canon Welch of Toronto and others, and was also accepted by the House of Bishops.

The rector of St. John's church brought the matter before the Diocesan Synod of Fredericton at its last meeting, when it was unanimously decided to secure affiliation with the central society, and the mover was instructed to take the necessary steps for that object. Letters were received recently from Dr. Swete, Regius Professor of theology at Cambridge, the Warden of the central society, announcing that our diocese has been affiliated. The leaflets for last month have been forwarded to the Rural Deans for distribution among the clergy, so that they may obtain a clearer knowledge of the work. The leaflet in question deals (in answer to some enquiries) with the tenets of the Christadelphians, also furnishes valuable hints for study of the pre-Reformation period, an outline for Bible study in the synoptic books. The subscription to the society is only 25 cents, each subscriber receiving the monthly leaflets, and the privilege of having questions answered.

The annual conference of the Society will be held at the Church House, Westminster, on Thursday, October 2.

St. John, August 12, 1902.

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THE MURDER CASE.
Further Legal Action Has Been Postponed Till Friday.

Every Effort Made to Find the Revolver Used by Higgins.

The preliminary examination of Higgins and Goodspeed, charged with being implicated in the murder of Wm. Doherty, will not be commenced until Friday, when they will be brought before Judge Ritchie. Monday morning they were remanded for three days, and that time will not be up until Friday. Despite the serious charge that is against them and the sensational statement made by Goodspeed, the boys are apparently unconcerned and eat heartily and sleep soundly. What is the reason the boys' nerve and coolness have not deserted them and they appear almost as unconcerned as before the time of arrest.

Although Goodspeed's testimony at the inquest, threw a great deal of light on the matter and was of inestimable value to the officers, yet they are still working on the case, looking for corroborative testimony and that with considerable success. The officers are confident of the final success of their efforts.

Mrs. Doherty, mother of the murdered boy is half frantic with grief. The strain of the last few days, especially that of Monday night have proved almost too much for her nerves. She speaks plainly and freely concerning the whole matter. She said that she was unable to forgive those who murdered her boy. He was willing to say it was an accident, but she expressed a wish to tear the walls of the jail down and get at the supposed murderer.

Concerning money the members of the family say that William never had any save a few dollars he earned himself and was always giving things to his mother for money to buy cigarettes and other like. Whenever she had his requests were granted.

The main evidence to be presented is that already heard at the inquest, but in addition there will be produced a score or so of witnesses whose testimony, representing days of hard and clever work by the detectives in the case, will weave a web of evidence around the prisoners, proving their connection with the crime even without the confession of Goodspeed so dramatically given at the inquest Monday night. Among other things it will be proved that Higgins carried a revolver; that he has been often seen practising at a mark, and that not long before the day of the murder he purchased a number of

38 CALIBRE CARTRIDGES.

Should either or both be committed for trial, the case will come up at the September sitting of the supreme court and will be tried by Judge Landry. It is probable that the attorney general will personally conduct the case for the crown.

The revolver, which, according to Goodspeed's story, was thrown into Marsh Creek by Higgins after it had been used to commit the murder, has not yet been found. Following the directions given by Goodspeed, Chief Clarke, Deputy Chief Jenkins and Detective Killen went down to the place at low water yesterday about eleven o'clock and with the aid of several small, but expert swimmers and divers, searched unavailingly until the tide began to rise about two.

The water at that place was about three or four feet deep and it is so muddy that vision is almost impossible over a few inches beneath the surface. There is in one place a hole ten or fifteen feet deep. The bottom is rough and muddy, and as the area to be searched is large the difficulties can be imagined. Yesterday the police with long rubber boots and various improvised implements worked diligently and were assisted by small boys, who gave an exhibition of swimming and diving that astonished the police. One youngster would dive in about four feet of water and scratch along the bottom with his hands for a minute at a time while his protruding feet waved frantically above the surface. But though a large portion of the bottom was gone over

NO REVOLVER WAS FOUND.

Today a more systematic effort will be made. Chief Clarke has procured a couple of peculiar rakes with long curved iron teeth, some large magnets and other instruments. He has arranged with Manager Nielson and Engineer Brown of the street railway—who professed willingness to do all in their power to assist the police—that a wire should be run from the main line so that strong incandescent lights will be used for the search through the muddy water. The lights will be fastened to the ends of the steel rakes and as much as possible of the bottom will be gone over at low tide. Should this attempt also be unsuccessful a diver will be procured.

That part of the creek under investigation is by the old shipyard, where a long gravelly point puts out into the water. It is just about the place where the boy Cameron was drowned last summer. Ever since the police have been aware that the revolver was thrown in here the place has been watched night and day.

TARTE IN FREDERICTON.

(Special to the Star.)

FREDERICTON, Aug. 13.—Hon. Mr. Tarte, Mayor White and Colonel Tucker arrived here at 10.30 on the train, accompanied by H. D. Troop. The minister was met by J. A. Edwards, with a barouche, and the party, accompanied by the police, went to the old government house, the parliament buildings, post office and other points, and were pleasantly entertained at the officers' mess by Col. Wadmore. The party left at 12.30 for St. John.

G. R. PARKIN
Will Organize the Rhodes' Scholarship Scheme—Sails For Canada.

(Special to the Star.)

TORONTO, Aug. 13.—A London cable to the Globe says:—The trustees of the Rhodes scholarships have honored Canada by selecting G. R. Parkin, C. M. G., head master of Upper Canada College, to organize the scheme and to visit the countries to be benefited by this educational bequest, under which two hundred picked men annually are to receive a British education.

Dr. Parkin has made it a condition of his acceptance that he shall be given time in which to put Upper Canada College on the best working basis before undertaking his new work. He believes he will be able to benefit the college greatly in his new sphere. Dr. Parkin will sail tomorrow for Canada.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The trustees of the will of Cecil Rhodes have appointed George Robert Parkin, principal of Upper Canada College, Toronto, to prepare a plan for the allotment of scholarships provided for in the will.

The Times referring editorially to the appointment of Mr. Parkin, says the trustees of the will are to be warmly congratulated upon this important step and that they could hardly have found an interpreter of Mr. Rhodes' intentions better qualified than is Mr. Parkin to put them into practical shape.

FRUITS OF PEACE
That Follow Roosevelt's Proclamation to the People.

MANILA, Aug. 12.—A small party of Moros surprised an outpost of the 27th Infantry at Camp Vicals yesterday. Sgt. Foley and Private Carey were killed, and private Vandoren was severely wounded. The Moros, who numbered only a dozen, were armed with spears and swords. They were crawling to within a few feet of the sentinels and then sprang upon them suddenly. The entire outpost rushed to the relief of the sentinels, but they were too late and the Moros escaped, although possibly a few of them were wounded. The American sentinels were terribly cut by the swords and spears. The attacking Moros were all from Basilod, and the occurrence probably will result in a move against that town, which has a strong fort and other defences.

FATAL ACCIDENTS.
Boiler Explosion Kills Four and a Fire Two.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The boiler of the tug Jacob Kupper blew up today near St. George's Staten Island. Four of the crew were killed or drowned. Two men were picked up alive by the Staten Island ferry boat and brought to this city.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—One woman and a man were probably fatally burned and one man slightly injured early today by a fire which broke out in an upper flat of the apartment building No. 1 Park Ave. H. G. Miller was taken to the county hospital, and the woman, Grace Barnett, was removed to the Presbyterian Hospital. It is said both will die. Henry Moore, who was scorched while trying to save the others, was taken to the county hospital.

ORANGEMEN
Thanked By King Edward For Their Congratulations.

(Special to the Star.)

TORONTO, Aug. 13.—Grand Master Sproule, of the Orange order, sent the following cable to King Edward on Coronation day:

"Congratulations of the Loyal Orange Association of British America on recovery and coronation. Long may you reign."

The following reply has been received:

King thanks you sincerely for your kind telegram of congratulations.

(Signed) KNOLLYS."

COMING HOME.
Premiers Tweedie and Murray, and Others Sailed Yesterday.

(Special to the Star.)

TORONTO, Aug. 13.—A Globe special cable from Liverpool, dated yesterday, says that among the passengers sailing for Canada on board the Beaver line, Lake Simcoe, are Hon. G. H. Murray, premier of Nova Scotia; Hon. L. J. Tweedie, premier of New Brunswick; Hon. E. Blake, M. P., Col. J. M. Gibson, M. P., W. Scalvert, M. P., and A. Johnson, M. P.

The British rifle team to compete at Ottawa for the Palma trophy are on board.

HANG THE WRETCH.
A Man Who Would Rob Us of Our Joys.

LACROSSE, Wis., Aug. 13.—W. T. Woodward, a Lacrosse attorney has drafted a bill which he will present to the legislature this winter, the purpose of which is to prevent the telling of "fish stories." The bill provides that every fisherman must under penalty of fine, register the weight of every fish taken exceeding one pound in weight. It provides for the appointment of a state officer with county deputies, with whom register shall be made and whose duty it shall be to see that the law is enforced.

LONDON.
Sir Wilfrid Fears the Vortex of European Armaments.

Premier Seddon Will Not Come to Canada—Associated Press Comments.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Discussing the breaking up of the colonial assemblage, the London correspondent of the Tribune cables that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will start with Sir Gilbert Parker today for the Channel Islands and Paris and will visit Rome before returning to London in September. He will not discuss the work of the imperial conference, but it is an open secret that he has exerted a decisive influence in keeping the colonies out of what he calls the "vortex of European armaments."

There was, without doubt, a vigorous effort on the part of Mr. Chamberlain to concentrate attention of this subject as the most available ground for common action, but there had been a complete failure to commit the colonies to the costly policy of military and naval defence of the empire. This question, apart from the increase in the Australian naval contribution, remains where it was and the question of steamship subsidies has not been taken out of the hands of the colonial ministers interested in working out plans for a fast mail service on the Atlantic and Pacific. Preferential trade is virtually remanded to the serious consideration of the British and colonial governments and tax-payers. It has been recommended cautiously and tentatively within the bounds of existing tariff arrangements.

Mr. Seddon will not accompany Premier Barton to Canada, having changed his plans. Mr. Fielding will remain a week longer in London, but Mr. Paterson, Mr. Mulock and the other Canadian ministers are preparing to return.

SEVEN PER CENT
Advance in Wages of Skilled Workers in Glass.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 13.—It was reported last night that the American Flint Glass workers' union has gained a decided victory in securing from the MacBeth Evans Glass Co., the only producers of machine made chimneys, a compromise advance for skilled men of the factories of seven per cent. in wages. This compromise is expected to put five thousand workers back to work. President Volte, of the Glass Workers said he could not disclose the exact terms of the adjustment until it had been submitted to his people. The agreement reached by the committee will have to be ratified by a referendum vote.

DEADLY CHOLERA
Has Renewed Its Grip on the Philippines.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 13.—The reason given by army officers, who have arrived on the transport Lawton, for the renewed outbreak of cholera in the Philippines is the premature withdrawal of precautionary measures by the American officials at Manila, under the impression that the disease had been fought to a standstill. The scourge had only been scorched, however, and with the relaxation of the controlling grip it resumed its work of devastation with renewed vigor.

"We will not get rid of the cholera in the Philippines," said Lieut. Asst. Surgeon Rhodes, "until the heavy rains come. That will be in October. In the meanwhile our people are doing everything possible to keep the disease within bounds."

DADDY OF THE BEARS.
His Remains Found in a Shasta County Limestone Cave.

BERKELEY, Calif., Aug. 13.—Eustace L. Furlong, student assistant in the geological department of the University of California, has discovered embedded in the floor of one of the famous limestone caves of Shasta County, almost the entire remains of an Arctotherium Simum, the gigantic primeval bear that was the first of his kind to roam the two American continents. Because only fragments of the skeleton, until now incomplete, have hitherto been discovered by geologists, the work of Furlong ranks as one of the most notable achievements of the University of California explorers in recent years.

GENEROUS SPRINGHILL.
(Special to the Star.)

SPRINGHILL MINES, N. S., Aug. 13.—For the benefit of the sufferers by the late colliery explosion at Furlong, B. C., the Cumberland Railway and Coal Co. has subscribed \$500, and the employees of the same company have generously donated \$559.50. This with a subscription from the merchants of Springhill of \$61.50, makes a total of \$1,121 subscribed in Springhill for this worthy object.

BURNED TO DEATH.

PARIS, Aug. 13.—An official telegram from Cape Haytien says that very many persons were incinerated during the burning of Petit Goaver Saturday last. The telegram adds that the blockade of Cape Haytien by the Firminist gunboat Crete-a-Pierrot has not been recognized by the American government.



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EEL IN A TROUT.

A noted fisherman writes to a friend describing the following strange incident: "While on fishing matters allow me to tell you of a rather strange experience I had a fortnight ago. I was round at the N. Esk, and landed a well conditioned yellow trout, which, on being laid along my rule, covered 23 1/4 inches and weighed three pounds. On splitting him up out tumbled the remains of a good sized eel. It had been taken head foremost and been swallowed bit by bit. The head had entirely disappeared and the half of the body was reduced to pulp; only the backbone was in fact. The other half was perfectly fresh and the fins as it. What there was of backbone and eel measured over 18 inches, and the head would be nearly 2 inches more. Query: What did he want with my fly with such a skilful already? Has a fish killed with a fly ever been found with so much undigestible food in it?"—London Field.

ENGLISH HOUSEBOATING.

The pleasure which Americans miss by not adopting the English fashion of houseboating in summer is deplored by a traveler recently returned from England. This enthusiast declares that there is no structure that is more perfectly planned for dolce far niente than the English houseboat, which may be of any size, from the one that is just big enough for the newly married couple to entertain an army of guests. The life on board the houseboat is an ideal one, according to this authority. The regular programme of the houseboat is to rise at 8 a. m. and take a plunge and a long swim. After this comes the walk in the woods or some quiet country road. After lunch there is a long, easy pull to some quiet and retired spot under the trees that line the bank, and an afternoon spent in dozing away the time or else reading the latest novel, while a companion tinkles on a mandolin or twangs a guitar. The evening is spent in visiting each other's boats until about 10 p. m., when every one turns in for the night.

AN EARLY FROST.

BALLSTON, N. Y., Aug. 13.—A slight frost was observed at sunrise today in the low lands near this village.