

## 80,000 CHILDREN INVADE FAIR GROUNDS

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animation. The sun took the raw edge off the wind that blew from the lake and shook, played with the long trees on many a youthful head, for, if anything, the girls were in the majority.

It was an audience worth performing for. The youngsters were little inclined to be critical and were lavish of applause. The actors on the broad concrete stage caught the inspiration and did their best for the pleasure of the hugely delighted kiddies, who cheered, whistled, clapped and expressed their pleasure with life in general and present-day circumstances in particular in a thousand ways peculiar to juvenile enthusiasm.

The children began to leave the grounds after the afternoon's vaudeville performance, but many were still wandering around when the sunset gun was fired. Meanwhile the evening crowd of adult sightseers had begun to filter in; at 5 o'clock, owing to a steady stream of new arrivals, the crowd in the park seemed entirely undiminished. After 6 o'clock the tide had very evidently turned almost entirely in the direction of the grounds, and it was a difficult proposition to steer against it to the cars.

**Besieged the Grand Stand.**

Folk were lined up the main entrance to the stand for an hour before the gates were opened and the waiting crowd rapidly grew and spread out fanwise to the roadway, forcing pedestrians to take a circuitous route to get by. When the vaudeville performance opened the grand stand was packed, and there was a fair sprinkling of spectators on the lawn in front. But sightseers continued to pour thru in thousands, and when the great festival of empire began so many people had taken up their stand on the broad strip of lawn between the foot of the grand stand and the wire retaining fence by the speed track that it was practically impossible to pass along the concrete walk from the western to the eastern entrance. It was a crowd such as one expects to see at a grand stand performance only on an exceptional day. The trouble this year is that the exhibition has started in with every day an exceptional one. The attendance on Tuesday was exceptional; yesterday it was even more so and, by incoherent accident, on into which affairs have settled the Canadian National Exhibition is scheduled to smash in unrecognizable bits everything that the record.

**Dr. Pyne the Speaker.**

Hon. Dr. R. A. Pyne, Ontario's minister of education, responded to "Education," the toast of the day, at the directors' luncheon. At the close of his remarks he intimated that the province was disposed to lend a friendly ear to any request for a permanent Ontario building to be erected on the grounds for the housing of a big and representative provincial exhibit.

"Coming down thru the grounds I was delighted to notice the great and patriotic motto displayed on the manufacturers' building," said Dr. Pyne. "One flag, one king, one empire," are surely the most glorious words that could be kept before the eyes of the thousands of young people who are thronging the grounds to-day. They are the keynote of a lesson on the subject that will impress itself firmly on the receptive minds of Ontario's school children."

Dr. Pyne expressed appreciation of Earl Grey's remarks on education at the official opening.

"His excellency struck the keynote of the educational policy of this province," declared the minister of education. "It is with a great deal of pride I call attention to the provision our administration has made for the training of teachers. Our normal schools are as thoroughly equipped as modern science makes possible. Special attention is being given to industrial education and a commission is now abroad investigating conditions on the continent of Europe. I am of opinion that this work should be assisted by a federal grant and not left entirely to the provinces to finance."

"The province of Ontario is especially desirous of putting a good course in agriculture at the service of the farmers and the children. To this end the department of education now has 25 instructors at work in addition to the staff at the Guelph Agricultural College, where arrangements have also been made for teachers to take a special course in agriculture. Before very long we hope to have instructors stationed in every county in the province."

Dr. Pyne advised all his hearers to visit the building devoted to art, applied art and education.

"The educational exhibit," he said, "is the finest, most comprehensive and most instructive we have ever had on these grounds. Now I hope that no words will not start deputations asking Mr. President, but see day may come when the province will decide to erect a permanent building on the grounds, wherein to house its own exhibits. They would be disposed to send a sympathetic ear to a request for a grant therefor."

"Gentlemen," said President Goodenham, joyfully, when Dr. Pyne sat down, "I am now going to take the minister of education thru the educational exhibit and the Ontario exhibit in the horticultural building, for the purpose of impressing more deeply on his mind the great need for a building such as he refers to."

Amongst the visitors to the grounds during the day was a fellow, as his mother left him yesterday afternoon near the plaza grand stand.

This was a typical incident and scores of similar cases were noticed all day long.

Nobody fully appreciates how much interest is being taken in the Japanese fireworks. Yesterday afternoon the big stretch of green sward east of the transportation building was a Mecca for thousands of men, women and children, who were afforded the

double pleasure of listening to the band music and seeing the fireworks at the same time. It is really remarkable to see how attractive these aerial missiles have been made. After the explosion takes place up in the air a beautiful balloon of many colors shakes itself out of the smoke and sails away majestically with a string attached carrying a row of fluttering pennants. In one case a huge Union Jack unfurled itself and floated in the air. With the blue sky as a background the spectacle was extremely attractive.

**Music Makes Appeal.**

Everybody likes the music. The outdoor band concerts are a rest and recreation to thousands who like nothing better than to sit on the seats all afternoon enjoying the fresh breeze from the lake and listening to the musical selections. The coming of the famous Coldstream Guards Band is eagerly looked forward to. The Grand-Admiral Guards created such a favorable impression last year that the Coldstream-amid all the attractions of the grounds will be in Toronto on Saturday, and, of course, would have been here for the opening of the "Ex."

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**Scouts Broke Camp.**

The boy scouts broke camp yesterday, most of the big contingent of 3,500 getting away for home. The tented city is now deserted except for about 25 scouts, and these will probably leave during the day. The boys have put in a splendid time and their movement has received a great boost from the camp life here and the evening of the marked by a single accident or case of sickness troubled the scout city.

**Not All Sunshine.**

There is a dark side to almost every picture and children's day at the exhibition was no exception to the rule. Amid all the safety, fun and excitement amid all the attractions of the Midway and the big pageant in front of the grand stand in the evening, there was a spot in the exhibition grounds where sorrow was rampant, and where misery was written largely on every face. This woful place was the police station, and in the afternoon and evening it was a most pitiful sight to see. There, seated on chairs in the office were rows of lost children, some very young and others apparently old enough to know better, looking the picture of black despair. Some were howling piteously, others were sitting there with their lower lips twitching and ready to burst into tears at a moment's notice. One little mite from the boy's home was in an awful fix. By incoherent accident between his sobs, he imparted the information that he had been deserted by a bigger boy during the afternoon. The combination is charming in the extreme and the attendant of the institution would never know where to find him.

**Police Station was Popular.**

Nobody can underestimate the value of the police station on children's day. It is a haven of refuge, a pleasant meeting place where happy reunions are being effected all afternoon and evening. Yesterday there was an unusually large number of lost kiddies, the sergeant in charge stating that not less than 100 of them found their way into the exhibition police station to try and find the whereabouts of their missing relatives and friends. One youngster was nearly in hysterics, wandering around the process building, and he refused to come to the police station until he was brought there forcibly by a boy scout. The police appreciated this action of the scout and remarked that the boy was a real find. The police station is a place where the police officers are the most popular of the police officers.

**Telephone Messages to the Police.**

Stations all over the city enquiring for lost children began to come in about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and from that hour up until a late hour the equities ran thick and fast. At eleven o'clock the police station had a dozen forlorn looking youngsters at the "X" police station all the others having been located by their friends earlier in the evening.

**Three Arrests Made.**

Three arrests were made at the exhibition grounds yesterday. Fred Young, of 1015 William-street, Hamilton, was gathered into custody at one of the buildings last night, on a charge of indecent assault on a young lady. Fred Frausert, 107 1/2 St. Nicholas, was arrested by Detective Guthrie, charged with disorderly conduct.

Detective Twigg took Tod Wagne, a farm hand from Aurora, into custody, on a charge of vagrancy.

The excitement of the coronation procession in front of the grand stand last night was too much for Miss Field, 105 Jersey-avenue, who collapsed. She was taken in the police ambulance to the emergency hospital and attended to by Dr. W. H. Nelson.

While standing on a ladder down the Midway yesterday at noon, Alfred Barber, 145 Walnut-avenue, an employee of the hydro-electric, fell a distance of 15 feet and dislocated his right shoulder. Dr. W. H. Nelson attended and reduced the dislocation at the emergency hospital, after which he was able to go home.

Cattle and sheep judging started this morning and the award of the 1909 prize for Holstein cattle is to be made.

**Sheep Exhibits.**

The prize winners in the sheep exhibit are:

OATS—Division 1—Wm. Worwood, Emsdale, 1. Banner: Dennis Shea, Warren, 2. Banner: Jas. Fields, Earlton, 3. Banner.

Division 2—Thos. Cosh, Bobcaygeon, 1. Yellow Russian; C. H. Thurston, Bobcaygeon, 2. Yellow Russian; John Gibbons, Renfrew, 3. Banner.

Division 3—R. H. Mortimer and Son, Honeywood, 1. Reg. Abundance; Alex. McKague, Teeswater, 2. Bumper King; Vernon Farrow, Avon, 3. Garton's Abundance.

**PAIL WHEAT—Division 2—Thos. C. Barrie, Canton, 1. Dawson's Golden Chaff.**

Division 3—W. C. Shaw, Hespeler, 1. Golden Jewel; Jesse Bechtel, Hespeler, 2.

**SPRING WHEAT—Division 1—A. McChesney, New Liskeard, 1. Red Fire; Andrew A. Chester, New Lis-**

heard, 2. Red Fire; John R. Philip, Milberta, 3. Red Fire.

Division 2—J. J. Connelly, Cobden, 1. White Fire; Sam. McMillan, Cobden, 2. White Fire; Sam. McLaren, Cobden, 3. White Fire.

**BARLEY—Division 2—D. I. Ross, Frankford, 1. O. A. C. 21.**

Division 3—Chas. Edwards, Onondaga, 1. O. A. C. 21; Jas. T. Walker, Tuscarora, 2. O. A. C. 21; W. Stephens, Aurora, 3. O. A. C. 21.

**PRIZE WINNERS IN GRAIN EXHIBIT.**

OATS—Division 1—Robert Ferguson, Powassan, 1. Bumper King; Jas. Fields, Earlton, 2. Senation.

Division 2—D. Sutton, Millbrook, 1. White Giant; Geo. Brown, Millbrook, 2. Dew Drop; C. H. Thurston, Bobcaygeon, 3. Yellow Russian.

Division 3—J. A. Cockburn, Aberfoyle, 1. Linbain; Fred A. Clarke, Headford, 2. 10000; Forrester Bros., Mississauga, 3. 10000.

**FALL WHEAT—Division 2—Jesse Bechtel, Hespeler, 1; Wilbert F. Sparling, Anderson, 2. Dawson's Golden Chaff; W. C. Shaw, Hespeler, 3. Golden Jewel.**

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**Exhibition Notes**

**Fairweather's Fine Exhibit.**

In many minds throughout Canada the name of Fairweather is associated with the expression, "The House of Quality," and that title seems more appropriate than ever after viewing their display this season at the Toronto Exhibition. Exquisite taste seems to characterize everything on view there, and the most up-to-date ideas in hats, fur coats and furs are shown in all their beauty.

One is first attracted by a brown velvet dress which is a masterpiece of the latest style with a bodice of white chiffon embroidered in brown. To be worn with this gown is a fascinating cap-like chapeau in black, which has the modish tiny white fringe inside the crown.

An exquisite evening wrap is of mink satin, with puffing and other front and on the sleeves, which are finished off with magnificent lace. Peeping out from this wrap is a white lace evening gown, which certainly must be a charming creation.

Another wrap is of rose velvet, trimmed with sable fur and wide bands of oriental embroidery and is worn over a white chiffon gown, which is trimmed on waist and skirt with glittering glass. The combination is charming in the extreme and the attendant of the institution would never know where to find him.

**Fairweather's** are noted for their stylish millinery, and the hats on exhibition are very lovely. One is of white felt, the rolling brim finished with black and a modish high feather stands up at the side. An odd design is of gray with a royal blue band and a high gray plume for trimming. The much-discussed Aspiration hat is shown in black and white, the wings giving the necessary support to the crown.

In furs the most striking ideas are carried out, one muff being composed of white satin, seal bands, and the fashionable fringe. A carriage muff is of unique design, and is also adorned with heavy cream fringe. Road muffs of sable seal and chinchilla are of the latest style. The work is of extremely long-haired monkey skin, which is usually the centre of an interested group.

Then there are long coats of seal, ermine, caracul and Persian lamb, all of which show distinctive and attractive ideas of style which make the garments stand out by themselves.

**Maltese Cross Rubbers.**

An exhibit of exceptional interest is that of the Malta Percha Rubber Manufacturing Co. of Toronto, Limited, in the manufacturers' building. The finished article is of the crude state, and the unworked rubber is graded in all kinds of work, as to be seen in this unique display. Rubbers for men, women and children; rubbers for rough work, gum boots for humbermen; rubber in every shape and form, with the Maltese Cross as the sign of quality.

The wet season is coming on, when rubbers are necessary. September 21 marks the equinox, and from that time the weather cannot be depended upon. See the Maltese Cross exhibit. Call and then order your rubbers. You can make no mistake in buying "Maltese Cross," as only the best quality and most durable rubber is used in the manufacture at the large factories on O'Hara-ave. Special attention is being given this year the rubber heels. For an easy heel cushion the Maltese Cross has established a reputation that ranks it as the best.

The display in the manufacturers' building amply demonstrates the superior qualities of these goods. Call and see the exhibit when you are passing. It is the only display of its kind on the grounds.

**"Pure Fruit" Jams.**

A unique method is used by Wagstaffs, Limited, in their effort to produce a pure fruit jam. They are the only manufacturers of jams and jellies who have a chemist of their own to test every fruit that is preserved by them for its acidulous properties. They are the only instance of the scientific methods taken by this enterprising Canadian firm in their large sanitary factory at Hamilton.

When you visit the exhibition call at the stand in the manufacturers' building and try a sample of the jams and marmalades. Attendees are continually demonstrating the excellent quality of their many products.

**General Supply Company Exhibit.**

Chief among the exhibits in machinery hall is that of the General Supply Co. of Canada, Limited, of Ottawa, Toronto and Winnipeg. T. C. McDonald and A. E. Yuhler are in charge of the display.

The "London" 25-inch engine lathe and the domestic gas engine and pump.

**Sunnyside Canoes.**

Chief among the canoe exhibits in the machinery hall is that of Walter Dean's famous Sunnyside canoes. These canoes are every year meeting with greater favor, and the makers are manufacturing them in various styles of wood, to suit the pocket of every purchaser.

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## EATON'S FRIDAY BARGAIN NEWS

### Emphatic Bargains in Men's Waterproof Coats and Fall Overcoats

Paramatta Waterproof Coats, most handsome attire in shades of dark fawn and reseda, single-breasted, full length coats of smooth surface. English cloths, with "Presto" convertible collar and easy loose-fitting back, all seams sewn and cemented, 34 to 46 inch chest. Regularly \$10.50 and \$11.50. Friday bargain ..... 6.95

Fall-Weight Overcoats, single-breasted chesterfields, of latest fashion, with a splendid choice of neat striped designs and fancy weaves, several shades of grey and a few dark grey chevrons, good linings; sizes 36 to 44. Friday bargain ..... 5.95

### Save Dollars on 3-Piece Suits

Clearance of broken lines of cassimere finished tweeds and fancy worsteds, in good patterns and colors, medium grey, dark fawn, stone drab, brown and olive, single-breasted, 3 button sack styles, with good durable linings; 36 to 44. Regularly \$9.95, \$11.50 and \$12.50. Friday bargain ..... 6.45

Men's English Worsteds, in medium and dark grey, good solid fabric of desirable weight that will wear well and keep their appearance well tailored and trimmed; 32 to 42 waist. Friday bargain ..... 1.95

### Bargains in Boys' School Suits

New Norfolk Style, single-breasted, of handsome medium grey English tweed, pleats down back and front, belt at waist, good body lining, correctly fitting bloomers, with belt loops, strap and buckle; sizes 24 to 28. Regularly \$4.75. Friday bargain ..... 2.85

### Cover Furniture at Half Price

A splendid opportunity to cover the odd pieces in any room in the house. Full range of manufacturer's samples of tapestries, 1, 1 1/2 and 2 yds. long, only about 500 yds. in lot. Regularly 50c to \$3.00. Friday bargain, per yd. .... .25 to 1.50

Colored Madras, in red, green, yellow, etc., in selfs, and many color combinations. Regularly 25c, 30c and 35c. Friday bargain ..... .10

Art Satens, down proof and silk finished, 30 inches wide, good floral designs, in a fine assortment of colors, use them for covering chairs, cushions and comforters, for curtains, valances and light drapery. Regularly 25c to 30c. Friday bargain ..... .10

Roman Striped Tapestry Curtains, reversible, 50 in. wide, 2 1/2 yds. long, in combinations of green, red, blue and gold, fringed at top and bottom. Regularly \$1.50. Friday bargain, per pair ..... 1.00

and can also be used as couch cover. Friday bargain, per pair ..... 1.00

Snap in Nottingham Fish Net and Novelty Curtains, Many Half Price

Left-overs clearing at an immense reduction, 50 and 60 inches wide, 3 and 3 1/2 yds. long, in white, ivory and ecru. In the lot are good styles, just new, suitable for any room, all faces of good grade, and nets with well-finished, rich appearance, as well as durability, only small quantities in some designs. Regularly \$3.50 to \$5.00. Friday bargain, per pair 2.45

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which they are exhibiting, are attracting a great deal of attention from the trade.

The "London" lathe is the product of the London Machine Tool Co., Limited, of Hamilton, Ont., and has achieved a reputation since its introduction, as a heavy duty lathe. It is fitted with Le Blond patent double-friction back gears, giving instantaneous changes of speed without shifting a belt. All the parts are made of the best material and all the latest improvements are attached.

The company are also exhibiting Smart-Turner pumps, manufactured by the Smart-Turner Co. of Hamilton. This is one of the best known pumps on the market and needs no recommendation.

The gas engine and pump is manufactured by the Domestic Gas Engine and Pump Co. of Shippenburg, Pa. The General Supply Co. are the sole Canadian agents. It is a contractors' pump, connected with a gas engine of 10-horse power.

Call at the exhibit in machinery hall, or at the showrooms at 115 West Adelaide-street, and have the pump explained to you by the salesman.

**Beautiful Carriage Finish.**

The exhibit of carriage and carriage makers' annex, under the grand stand, attracts a great amount of attention because of the fine workmanship of the carriages. The bodies, on which so much work is necessary, are especially well done, and the "Seal of Quality" is stamped on every carriage. The very best materials are used in the make-up of these carriages, and they are admirably suited for every kind of work. The proof of the quality is in the wearing, and the Barber will wear with any make. Call at the display in the annex building and see for yourself the workmanship in these carriages.

**See the Glass Blowers.**

The wonderful dexterity with which the most beautiful objects of art are made from tube glass by O. H. Archib, of Delevan, Wis., against the Wright Co. for injuries sustained Sept. 18, 1910, when she was hit, she says, by an aeroplane driven by the late Archie Hoxsey, a Milwaukee. She claims to have been injured, and asserts that the accident could have been foreseen and provided against.

**Good Meals at Bird's.**

When at the exhibition eat at Bird's dining hall, directly behind the grand stand. There is no waiting. Seven hundred can be easily accommodated in the cool, spacious dining hall. "All you can eat" is the motto, and a quarter pays the bill. Take your friends to Bird's and enjoy a full course meal at a popular price.

**See Christie's Exhibit.**

Don't fail to see the beautiful exhibit of "Christie's" biscuits in the manufacturers' building. Over five hundred varieties of delicious biscuits are manufactured by this well-known firm, and "Christie" is the stamp of quality on every biscuit. Do not let your dealer pass a substitute on you. When you buy Christie's you buy the best.

**Darling's Dining Hall.**

Somewhat outside of the ordinary in the way of meals is obtainable at Darling's at the extreme east end of the grand stand. The food is of the best, and is hot and palatable. For 50 cents nothing is quite as good as Darling's.

**See Princess Victoria.**

Thousands visited Princess Victoria on the Midway yesterday and were delighted. Princess Victoria is 22 years of age, stands 35 1/2 inches in height and weighs only 13 3/4 pounds. She sang "Killarney" for the children and also rendered several selections on the piano. Her hands are no larger than the average child of six months. Princess Victoria is a marvel. No visit to the exhibition is complete without a call at the Princess Victoria tent on the Midway.

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## CANADA GAS RANGES

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These wonderful Ranges are designed and completed at their own works, and an inspection will convince you of their excellence and superiority.

### SAVED CHILD FROM FALL

Policeman Hobson's Sharp Flinging Prevented Serious Accident.

Policeman Hobson jumped into the ranks of the life and limb saviors again yesterday afternoon when he drew a 10-year-old girl from probable death or injury at Queen and York-streets at 5 o'clock. The child had boarded a northbound College car which stopped for a moment at the southeast corner, which is not a regular stop. The child got into the car, an open one, but the mother was left behind.

When the little one found herself alone, her only thought seemed to be to get back to her mother and she deliberately jumped from the floor of the car, which was moving across the intersection. She would have struck hard upon the stone and tracks of the crossing but for Hobson's promptness. He executed a trick which should have saved her from a nasty fall.

Truistees Call to Work.

The management committee of the board of education will meet this afternoon, when a number of transfers and appointments to the teaching staff will be dealt with.

**Old Resident Dead.**

KINGSTON, Aug. 30.—(Special.)—Stephen R. Young, a resident for 40 years, is deceased, aged 70. He was an old war veteran.

### —And that's how the sale was lost

vacant nook in the parlor; could imagine with what pride she would receive the approving comments of her family and friends. The salesman was filling out the order blank, ready for her signature, when suddenly her eyes espied—

**A Scratch**

Chagrined and bitterly disappointed her enthusiasm and pleasure over the piano's fine qualities faded quickly away, leaving in their place a magnified impression of an ugly-looking scratch. Nor could she be induced to accept any other style. Her rapid recollection of feeling had left her decidedly angry, and she quitted the store determined that she or none of her friends would patronize a place that had so sorely disappointed her. And all because the instrument had been slightly marred in being transferred via makeshift and cumbersome stairway instead of by the safe and convenient elevator. The importance of

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to the piano dealer cannot be overestimated. Piano, more than any other article, requires careful handling. To shift them from one floor to another by any other method than that provided by a smooth-running elevator is sure to be more or less injurious to their delicate mechanism, because scratching or marring the highly polished cases. When it is found necessary to replace instruments from the stock upstairs after a sale expedition, come lined with safety can be secured by means of a freight elevator.

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