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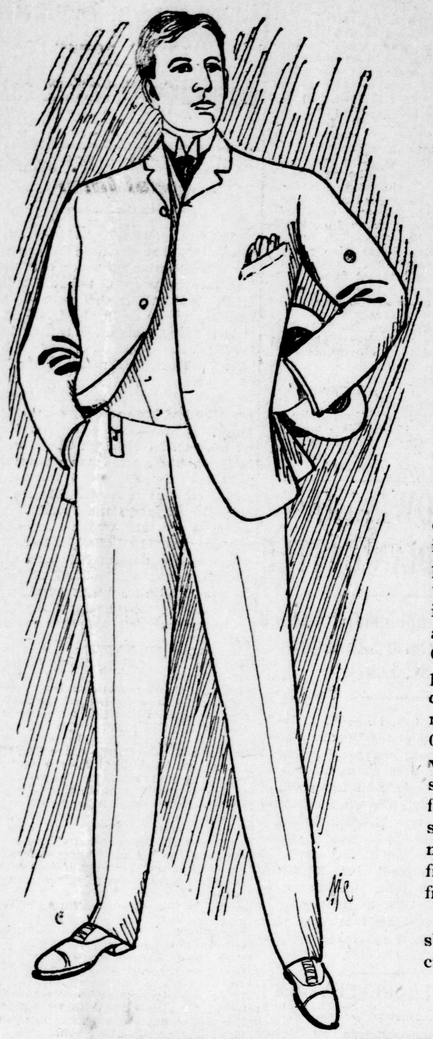

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POLITICAL NOTES.

Toronto, Oct. 13.—East Toronto Liberals tonight nominated Ex-Ald. J. Knox Leslie to contest the riding with S. E. Kemp. Ex-Ald. David Carlyle and Ex-Ald. John Preston also allowed their names to go to ballot, but Leslie was chosen on the first vote.

Stanstead Liberals.

Coaticooke, Que., Oct. 13. — The Liberal convention was held here yesterday and Henry Lovell was chosen as the candidate for the Dominion House. P. A. Bisonnette was nominated for the Quebec Legislature.

Thunder Bay Election.

Port Arthur, Ont., Oct. 13.—The election in Thunder Bay and Rainy River will take place on Nov. 3. The sheriff has been notified that an order-in-council has been passed, legalizing the new lists. James Conmee is not expected to resign until the last moment.

Borden at Montreal.

Montreal, Oct. 13.—Mr. R. L. Borden, accompanied by Mrs. Borden, reached Montreal this morning from Toronto. He was met by many of the leading Conservatives of the city, and will remain here over Sunday, speaking at Windsor Hall on Friday night, and at the Monument National on Saturday evening. The Friday meeting will be for the English electors, and the Saturday meeting for the French, when Mr. Borden will speak in French. Great preparations are being made by the French voters to make the Saturday demonstration a great success.

In East Huron.

Gorrie, Ont., Oct. 13. — A meeting in the interests of Dr. Chisholm, Wingham, Conservative candidate for East Huron, was held in the town hall, Gorrie, last night, and was listened to by a most appreciative audience. The chairman, W. G. Strong, of Gorrie, introduced the candidate, who spoke for an hour and a half in an able and convincing manner.

Premier at Toronto.

Toronto, Oct. 13.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Lady Laurier arrived here at noon today, and were met by a large reception committee. Sir Wilfrid will remain here till Saturday, speaking at Massey Hall tomorrow night. Hon. Geo. A. Cox gives a dinner this evening for the Premier, Lady Laurier is staying with Hon. J. K. and Mrs. Kerr

Tories Lack Candidates.

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—Sir Richard Cartwright returned to the capital last evening, and sets out tomorrow for Winnipeg, where he is to address a political meeting in behalf of the Government policy. This will be the Minister of Trade and Commerce's first appearance on the election platform in Western Canada for many years.

There are thirty costituencies of Quebec Province in which the Conservative party has not yet even brought out candidates. This gives some evidence of the hopeless condition in which the Opposition finds itself in that province. The Liberals have their men in the field in every electoral district, excepting Wright, Nicolet and Sherbrooke. The convention in Sherbrooke takes place today. In Nicolet, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux will probably meet the wishes of the Liberal workers, who are most anxious that he will run. In Wright a regularly constituted and representative Liberal convention will be held some day next week.

There was a meeting in Hull yesterday to select a nominee, but no choice was made.

Had a Poor Year.

Montreal, Oct. 13.—At a meeting of the directors of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company this morning it was decided not to pass the half-yearly payment of 3 per cent. The company has been paying at the rate of 6 per cent per annum for a good many years. The company, besides having an unusually poor year's business as the result of the falling off in tourist travelling, on account of the competition of the World's Fair at St. Louis, was unfortunate is the number of accidents occurring to its vessels during the season.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

"A CHINESE HONEYMOON."

"A Chinese Honeymoon," which comes to the Grand on Monday next, is a musical comedy that has never yet failed to intensely please. Its combinations of wit and humor, harmony and song, and the clever situations which the action of the opera bring about, always puts an audience in the best of humor and sends it away in the happiest frame of mind. "A Chinese Honeymoon" is full of comical situations, and with clever music, pretty girls in beautiful costumes, and with its wealth of scenery and accessories, a more beautiful, intensely interesting picture could harly be imagined.

"THE LITTLE PRINCESS.

An attractive announcement in a theatrical way is the engagement at the Grand tomorrow (matinee and night) of Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett's beautiful story of child life, "The Little Princess." The play is the dramatization of her most popular book, published under the name of "Sara Crewe, or What Happened at Miss Michin's," and it is said to be better than her former famous success, "Little Lord Fauntleroy." It will be presented here exactly as produced at the Madison Square Theater, New York, and with very few changes in the cast. "The Little Princess" is a dramatic offering that appeals not only to the grownups, but to young hearts as well. It is a play of wonderful fascination and sustained interest.

STELLA MAYHEW TONIGHT.

Stella Mayhew, who appears at the Grand tonight in her new musical comedy in two acts, entitled "Flo Flo," is supported by one of the strongest companies of vocalists and comedians that has been sent en tour this season. The female portion of Miss Mayhew's big chorus is a genuine beauty show, while every member thereof had to come up to a certain standard physically before being engaged—that standard, beauty and form.

October "Four-Track News.

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THE FALL FAIR AT THAMESFORD

East Nissouri's Annual Show Was Up to Expectations.

ENTRIES LIGHTER THAN USUAL

Quality of Stock, However, Showed Improvement—The Horse Races —Judges and Exhibitors.

Another of the fall shows for which Western Ontario particularly, and Canada generally, is famous, was held yesterday at Thamesford. The show spoke well for East Nissouri Township, for it was a splendid one. A dark and gloomy morning was the harbinger of a bright, crisp October afternoon, and everything tended towards success. While the number of entries was perhaps not as large as it has been, the judges—all men of tried experience—stated that the quality was better, and perhaps this has compelled the poorer exhibitors to creep out, fearful of the men with the better class of exhibits. At any rate, the fair was gratifying to the directors, for the attendance was up to, if not in excess of, the standard, and the coffers of the society were comfortably lined. Vehicles of almost every description crowded the hotel-yards and overflowed to the fences and barns of the hospitable residents, who seemed to look upon each visitor to the fair as a personal guest. The races were one of the most interesting features. They were under the direct supervision of Mr. Byron McCarty, and he was able to secure some of the best horses in the district for the trotting events.

The town hall was taken advantage of by the directors for the purpose of exhibiting the ladies' work, and the effect was pleasing. The hall was tastefully decorated. In addition to the ladies' work, there were several exhibits of pianos and sewing machines.

The export trade in horses has, no doubt, done a great deal toward advancing the quality of the country's nags. East Nissouri has come in for a revolution in horse breeding, and the excellent showings at the fair have every evidence of it. The majority of the animals showed excellent breeding.

The cattle made a large entry, and they were of good limb and weight. Most of those exhibited were grade cattle, bred for butchering, and they were fine specimens.

The sheep and swine were numerous. The judges had a hard task judging in these classes, and it was only after the most minute examinations that they were able to hand out the different prize tickets.

While there were a number of interesting games in progress on the grounds during the day, the crowd took the greatest interest in the horse races, and rightly, too, for the reason that they were the best speed trials seen at a country exhibition in some time. The committee seemed to have the faculty of securing some fast animals, and each of the races saw clean contests, the horses being well classified. Most of the horses were known to the spectators, which made the events doubly interesting. Good prizes were offered. Two of the races were longer than was expected, and the last heat was contested in the light of a silvery moon. The horses could not be seen at the back of the stretch, but the judges were able to catch the time and decide the winner.

Maplewood, owned by Mr. Robert Reid, of this city, took the best race of the day, when he won the free-for-all. The local horse's closest competitor was Gay Rex, a horse of many good points. Between these two the result lay. Both had won two heats, but Maplewood had taken three seconds, and Rex, but two, and so, when the darkness come on the first money went to the London horse. The race was a remarkably close one, and the spectators cheered lustily at the conclusion of each heat, for it was an event in which the skill of the drivers showed up effectively. The summary:

Free-for-all—

Maplewood, R. H. Reid, London	2 1 1 2 2
Gay Rex, H. H. Palmer, Norwich	1 2 2 3 1
Lythopolis, W. Kerwood, Ingersoll	4 4 4 1 3
Tom Appleby, G. Porter, Stratford	3 3 3 4 dr

Time 2:26¼, 2:24¼, 2:24¼, 2:24¼, 2:24¼.

The other three races, while interesting were won with ease in each case, and the results were as follows:

2:50 trot or pace—

Young Corn, R. Banks, Dorchester	1 1 1
Edward the King, H. H. Palmer, Norwich	2 2 2
Billy Mac, M. McMurray, Ingersoll	3 3 4
Uncle Tom, E. Karn, Beachville	4 4 3

Time, 2:49¼, 2:49¼, 2:49¼.

Running race, ⅝ mile—

Donnybrook, J. Kilbourne, Dorchester	1 1
Miss Canada, J. Kilbourne, Dorchester	2 3
Australia, J. Kilbourne, Dorchester	3 2

Time, 1:18, 1:14.

Gentleman's road race (half-mile heats)—

Alladis, R. Lackey, Thamesford	2 1 1 1
Queen C., W. Chambers, Salford	1 2 2 2
Madge F., F. Folden, Beachville	3 3 3 dr
Doc, J. Leonard, Thamesford	4 dr

Time, 1:19¼, 1:17, 1:18, 1:14.

A partial list of the exhibitors is given below most of whom had a number of entries. The list:

D. Baigent, Mrs. G. Harris, R. Jenvey, A. Montague, D. Tueron, John Patience, D. R. Palmer & Son, John Calvert, W. and C. Freel, W. B. McFarlane, W. T. Hogg, C. Robertson, W. F. Johnston, R. Skinner, A. W. Bartlett, James Forden, George Prouse, R. McFarlane, John Knox, Wm. Moore, John B. Woods, James A. Scott John Smith, J. W. Grigg, E. Webb, Wm. Henderson, Henry Hanlon, Humphrey & Spice, James McCorquodale, Ed Bartlett, Archie McMillan, M. Bain, Simms Bros., Thomas Hogg Mercer Bros., Wm. Empey, Wm. Hogg & Sons, Manley Meadows, Robert Hogg, Alex. Schram, H. Kennedy, George Patterson, M. Cowper, J. H. Hewer, D. McMillan, Charles Minnock, Henry Day, Connolly Bros., Matheson Bros., John Calder, W. W. Day.

The judges in the classes were as follows:

Heavy horses, P. Farrell, Woodstock; light horses, W. Collins, London. Cattle—R. Sutherland, Dorchester; J. Odell, Belmont. Sheep — J. C. Henderson, Paris; Henry Golding, Ingersoll. Swine—D. McIntyre, Nilestown. Provisions, roots, etc.—Thomas Prouse, Mount Elgin; Foster Wilson, Ingersoll. Ladies' work—Mrs. (Dr.) McWilliams, Thamesford. Speed events—R. Skinner, Ingersoll; W. F. Johnston, Ingersoll; Byron McCarty, Thamesford (starter).

The officers of the association are as follows: Robert McFarlan, president; W. I. Hogg, first vice-president; Alex. Hossack, second vice-president; B. B. McCarty, secretary-treasurer. Directors—Wm. Hogg, jun.; B. B. McCarty, M. Cowper, James Hennesy, Robert Hogg, H. F. Day, Hugh Mitchell, John Freel, Thos. Hogg. Honorary directors—Frank Patterson, Ed McLeod, James Patterson, N. E. McCarty.

In the evening an excellent concert was given in the town hall, in which the following took part: Misses McWilliams, Schlimme, J. R. Hewer and V. L. Hewer, Mrs. M. Cowper and Mr. Albert Greenlaw.

BURGLARY AT THE PORT

Thieves Make Big Haul From a General Store.

Port Stanley, Ont., Oct. 13. — W. A. Day's general store was entered by burglars last night and about 30 pounds of butter, one pair of rubber boots, some mitts, tobacco and other things stolen. They also cleaned out the cash register for about $6. The wheel-house on the tug Gordon Brown was also broken into, and the binnacle lamp stolen, and it is supposed the same parties committed both burglaries, as the lamp could be used nicely as a dark lantern. Entrance was effected through the shed window and back door, the casing of which was destroyed in cutting their way into the store.

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