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### EXHIBITION SUCCESSFUL; DECIDE ON ANNUAL FAIR

Encouraging Report Showing Surplus of \$12,000 Submitted at Annual Meeting of Association Yesterday Afternoon—Recommendation to Hold Exhibition Each Year Unanimously Adopted.

It was decided at the annual meeting of the shareholders of the exhibition association held yesterday afternoon to hold annual exhibitions in future and the first one will be held next autumn at dates to be arranged later.

The report of the Dominion fair as presented by the directors showed a splendid surplus of more than \$12,000 which with a cash balance on hand and receipts from the sale of property places the association with a cash balance on hand of \$15,858.47.

The recommendation to hold annual fairs was contained in the report of the directors and was adopted without any dissent.

A. O. Skinner presided and the members present were S. S. Hall, R. O'Brien, C. B. Allan, Geo. A. Kimball, T. H. Estabrooks, R. R. Patchell, F. A. Dykeman, W. W. Hubbard, E. A. Schofield, W. F. Burditt and Dr. Geo. A. Hetherington.

The report of the directors was submitted as follows:

To the Stockholders and Members of the Exhibition Association of the City and County of St. John, N. B.

The board of directors respectfully present their annual report:

Upon receiving assurances from Ottawa that the Dominion grant of \$50,000 would this year be at our disposal we applied to the Province and City for additional grants and received \$5,000 from the former and \$3,000 from the latter, with guarantees from each for a further amount of \$2,000, which guarantees, however, we are glad to say, were not called for. Then we set out to make the improvements and enlargements to our plant necessary to conduct an exhibition of the enlarged scope called for by the Dominion grant. These improvements have resulted in our today owning greatly improved cattle sheds, with a capacity of about 500; a new sheep barn with 52 pens, and a new pigery of 48 pens; a new grand stand with a seating capacity of 1,800, and with the rear finished and equipped in an up-to-date manner as a poultry house; and finally we erected a wing to the main buildings running eastward and equipped with executive offices, a proper dairy department, an art room and accommodations for the women's department.

Co-operation of City.

The usual application was made to the militia department for the use of the Drill Shed and the Military Grounds, also for permission to level the old Dorchester Battery, all of which was granted. Permission was also requested of the city to enclose the continuation of Wentworth street from near Sheffield round to Sydney. The inclusion of this street with its bordering boulevard added largely to the ground at our disposal and formed an excellent site for the location of the "Pike".

Your directors wish to express their sense of gratitude to the Militia Department and to the City for the cooperation so ably accorded. It should also be mentioned that the City co-operated further to the extent of some much needed repairs in the main building, and also indirectly by providing a splendid scheme of additional lighting through the main thoroughfares of the city during the show.

The exhibition dates were from Sept. 23rd to the 14th inclusive, and it is safe to say that the resulting exhibition was the best ever held in this city both from the standpoint of exhibits and attendance. The industrial, cattle and poultry departments were exceedingly good as was also the agricultural hall when the season of the year is taken into consideration.

Special Features.

Educational features of special moment were much in evidence, among which might be mentioned exhibits by the province of natural resources, minerals, fish and game, etc., an exhibit made of woods under the direction of R. B. Miller, professor of forestry at the University of New Brunswick and a "Made in St. John" exhibit conducted by the board of trade. The art exhibit also was of greater proportion than in former years and was under the direct supervision of the St. John Art Club. Of the Women's Department nothing further need be said than that it was under the same skillful management as in years past and assumed even larger proportions than ever.

In addition there were the special attractions consisting of wire walking, an automobile thriller and during the latter week the musical ride of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, as well as splendid entertainment features in the amusement hall proper, and along the Midway.

The opening ceremonies were held at 3 o'clock on the 3rd of September, and the exhibition was formally opened by the Lieutenant Governor. Speeches were also made by his worship the mayor, the premier of New Brunswick, Hon. W. C. Hazen Grimwood, surveyor general, the Hon. William Pugsley, representing the Federal government, and Sir Robert Perks, Bart., of London, Eng.

The attendance this year was extremely good and the general interest displayed and the satisfaction evinced were a source of gratification and encouragement to your directors as well as the cause of lifting a weight of anxiety from their shoulders relative to the financial outcome of the exhibition.

Prizes.

Diplomas and gold medal awards were offered by the Industrial, Apartment and cash prizes given in the other departments, which prizes, owing to the Dominion grant, totaled a much larger amount than our ordinary exhibitions. Your directors also wish to acknowledge their indebtedness for special prizes donated by the following institutions: Canadian Hackney Horse Society, Hackney Horse Society of Great Britain, Clydesdale Horse Association of Canada, Clydesdale Horse Society of Great Britain and Ireland, Shire Horse Society of London, Dominion Short-horn Breeders' Association, Holstein-Friesian Association of Canada, American Leicester Breeders' Association, Toronto Open Air Horse Parade Association, Bank of New Brunswick, Canadian Bank of Commerce, Petrie Manufacturing Company, Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Company, W. A. Lee Burpee and Co., Philadelphia; the Bowker Fertilizer Co., Boston, and George McAvity.

Transportation.

The thanks of the association are also due to the various transportation companies, both railway and steamboat, who furnished special rates during the exhibition and gave customary freight privileges.

Financial Statement.

The year's accounts have been duly audited and found correct. They show:

Receipts from exhibition proper	\$25,658.70
Receipts from Grants	\$8,000.00
Receipts from sale of property	2,750.00
Cash balance brought forward	1,055.42
Total	\$37,464.12
Total expenditures	\$1,585.65
Balance carried forward	\$15,858.47

Condition of Plant.

Some extensive improvements and repairs made this year the association's plant is in thorough repair with the possible exception of the northern horse stalls. Provision has been made for caretaking pending another exhibition, and \$20,000 insurance is being carried on the various buildings with appropriate amounts on the various fittings, gear, engine, etc.

The executive deem that the time is now opportune for the association to carry out the stated purposes of its incorporation, viz., to hold annual exhibitions.

Respectfully submitted by the directors,

A. O. SKINNER, President.

There was some discussion over the final section of the report advocating an annual exhibition.

F. A. Dykeman said he had always been in favor of annual exhibitions but doubted whether this was a good time to start it. The past exhibition had been a phenomenally successful one, but he thought the leading men of the city would be fairly well occupied during the summer along with their lines and if there was a noticeable falling off in the attendance it would be more noted if it came so soon after the Dominion exhibition. He favored the Dominion exhibition. He favored waiting until 1912.

Dr. Geo. A. Hetherington said he was in favor of an annual exhibition and would urge that one be held next year.

E. A. Schofield agreed with the line of argument of Mr. Dykeman.

A. O. Skinner said in the past the only reason the exhibition had not been held annually was that a grant could not be procured. He thought St. John should hold an exhibition every year and should get an annual grant for it.

T. H. Estabrooks said St. John was the only city of any size in Canada which did not hold annual exhibitions. There could be no two opinions as to the value of an annual exhibition, both to the city and province. He thought the progress and advancement of the province was now such that an annual exhibition would be evident to the government and city council as a good thing. It might be necessary to spend more money next year in order to have an exhibition, but he felt it would be a great benefit to the city and province.

The report was adopted, and the meeting proceeded to the election of twenty-one directors with the following results:

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The directors will meet on Thursday afternoon to choose ten additional directors.

Mechanical Drawing.

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Several Sheep Killed While Deer and Partridge are Being Slaughtered—Game Warden on the Watch.

Waterborough, Q. C., Nov. 7.—Moses Brown, of Coal Mines, Q. C., has lost several sheep this fall by some vandals shooting them in the pasture field at night, and as a consequence detectives are working on the case in an endeavor to bring the culprits to justice.

Game Warden James B. Wiggins is on watch for hunters who are shooting deer without license, also for the parties who are shooting partridge in great numbers and shipping them to the St. John market.

Victor V. Wiggins spent a few days at the coal mines on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Beck.

L. D. Ferris with his large threshing outfit is doing a rushing business this fall.

Montreal: A. G. Moulton, Boston: H. J. Finch, T. J. Roney, Toronto: S. T. Wood, Globe Toronto, L. T. Richards, N. Y.: H. D. Hoffman, Toronto, Mrs. A. M. Borden, Port William, Mrs. F. L. Aior, Boston; C. N. Bowers, Pawtucket; A. C. Quebec, Dorchester, Mrs. J. O. Thompson, Montreal; J. E. Bell, Bridge town; H. A. Marshall, C. J. Durende, Havana; E. Simond, Owen Sound; C. Thompson, Amherst.

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Board of Health.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Health was held yesterday afternoon in the board rooms. The annual report of the secretary as already published in these columns was submitted. It presented statistics dealing with the health of the city and the deaths in the city during the year. The consideration of the report occupied most of the time at the meeting. The monthly report of the inspectors was also received. The St. John Sanitary Company appeared before the board and the board approved of their system of garbage collection in the city. The company proposes to supply householders with steel barrels for the removal of garbage, ashes, etc., and to collect these and dispose of the contents.

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### TOO MUCH SHOOTING IN QUEENS COUNTY

Several Sheep Killed While Deer and Partridge are Being Slaughtered—Game Warden on the Watch.

Waterborough, Q. C., Nov. 7.—Moses Brown, of Coal Mines, Q. C., has lost several sheep this fall by some vandals shooting them in the pasture field at night, and as a consequence detectives are working on the case in an endeavor to bring the culprits to justice.

Game Warden James B. Wiggins is on watch for hunters who are shooting deer without license, also for the parties who are shooting partridge in great numbers and shipping them to the St. John market.

Victor V. Wiggins spent a few days at the coal mines on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Beck.

L. D. Ferris with his large threshing outfit is doing a rushing business this fall.

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