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NEW SUMMARY.

The managers of the St. John Exhibition promise a very attractive bill of fare to visitors. Especial attention is called to the Daily Horse Show. Everything, it is said, is being done to render it the most brilliant and attractive occasion of the kind ever held in St. John. Excellent band music has been provided for and "the whole show has been most thoroughly organized."

Horse Exhibitors will be interested to know that in Pure Bred Classes, foals of 1904, yearling fillies and stallions; also two year old fillies will be admitted irrespective of the breeding of dams, provided sires are registered; and that post entries for the above will be received up till the 10th of September.

Two men, brothers named Burden, were drowned in Mayfield Lake while fishing.

Heavy snow has fallen on the Appenines in Italy, where it has already reached a depth of five inches.

King Edward has approved the appointment of Earl Grey as Governor General of Canada in succession to Earl of Minto.

Four men were accidentally drowned in Hayden Lake, near Skowhegan Lake, on Saturday. They had been fishing.

Forest fires have destroyed the hamlet of Little Bay, and three hundred families are homeless. Two men have been drowned. The government is providing food, shelter and other assistance to the fire victims.

The minister of inland revenue is notifying the American Tobacco Company and the Empire Tobacco Company that if they have not abandoned their exclusive contracts with their customers their licenses will be cancelled.

The British consulate in Boston has presented to Michael Cummins a medal awarded him by the Canadian government in recognition of his bravery in saving the crew of the British schooner Grialand, near the Bay of Fundy, Jan. 22, 1903.

C. P. R. traffic returns for July: Gross earnings, \$4,398,834; working expenses, \$2,949,182; net profits, \$1,449,652. In July, 1903, net profits were \$1,318,527. The increase in the net profits over the same time last year is therefore for July \$131,125.

Archbishop Davidson arrived at Montreal on Wednesday night and was given a cordial welcome by a delegation of representative citizens, including Archbishop Bond, Sir George Drummond, Mayor LaPorte, ex-Mayor Wilson Smith, President Prault, of Chambre de Commerce, and others. His Grace remains in Montreal until Friday night and will be the guest of Archbishop Bond.

The band of the "Black Watch," the 47th Highlanders, came across the ocean the other day to fulfil a two weeks' engagement at the Toronto Exhibition. They got a great reception, the streets being massed with people to welcome, and five local bands escorted them. It was Sunday, too.

American capitalists have been negotiating for some little time for the purchase of a phosphates property owned by G. R. Sangster in Florida, and the owner thinks the deal is now as good as closed. The price agreed upon is said to be between \$40,000 and \$50,000.

The excise duty on fusel oil has been reduced from \$1.50 per proof gallon to 50 cents per proof gallon. It is a raw material for the making of banana oil which is used for polishing radiants and a new industry, the first of the kind in Canada, is going to be established in Toronto. At present banana oil is all imported.

At Halifax, Thursday, after almost a year's discussion between the military authorities and the city school board, an agreement has been arrived at, and children of soldiers can attend the schools. The military will pay the fee: \$5 for grades 1 and 2, \$7.50 for grades 3 and 4, \$13 for grades 5 and 6, \$15 for 7 and 8, and \$12 for academy.

The Australian Minister of Defence charges General Hutton with gross insolence when interviewing a minister on official questions, refusing to take his word concerning the authorship of official minutes, endeavoring to spend three times the parliamentary amount sanctioned, and retaining in barracks documents required by the minister's office.

Relations between Moncton's police magistrate and chief of police have been somewhat strained in consequence of the remarks made by Stipendiary Kay in dismissing the information in the Seeley-Polleys case a few days ago. The chief of police has written Stipendiary Kay for explanations, but got no satisfaction, and it is now said that the Attorney-General is to be asked to take the matter up, as the chief does not purpose to rest under the rather serious charges made by the magistrate.

The railway commission for the construction of the Eastern division of the trans-continental expects to get to work early. Active operations in regard to surveys cannot be gone on with till the heads of the Grand Trunk return from the west. The work which G. T. R. has been doing will be handed over to the commission. The survey work will be carried on all winter. It will be several months before any building can be undertaken. It is said that the winter is the best time to make surveys in the northern part of Ontario and Quebec.

The British census returns show that women are continuing to encroach on the fields of industry formerly reserved for men. The returns by occupations show that there are 86 women auctioneers, 6 architects, 39 bailiffs, 316 blacksmiths, 3,071 brickmakers, 3,850 butchers, 54 chimneysweeps, 1 dock laborer, 5,179 goldsmiths, 9,693 printers, 745 railway porters, 217,640 tailors and 3 veterinary surgeons. That is all right for men are invading woman's domain, as shown by the milliners, dressmakers, tailors and other occupations which formerly belonged to women and are now entered by men. We need to go one step further and that is to give one wage for the work done.

* Bitter feeling has been aroused in Newfoundland over the action of Canada in deciding to establish a custom house in Hamilton Inlet, Labrador, which Newfoundland claims as her territory by reason of her occupation of it for the past hundred years, though Canada in recent years has advanced a claim to the region. The government is being urged to prevent the erection of the station and it will protest strongly to the British government against the alleged encroachment.

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