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The Western Fair. LONDON, ONT.

The management of the Western Fair, London, Ontario, have this year made a number of changes regarding their Attractions and Midway performance. They have entered into a contract with a reliable New York firm to fill up the entire Midway with good clean moral shows of different kinds, and the public rest assured of plenty of entertainment and amusement when visiting the Exhibition. The attractions in front of the Grand Stand will be of a high order and well worth travelling miles to see. There will be a number of military manoeuvres and the local Firemen will give a splendid exhibition of their work daily. Several bands have already been engaged, and a military tattoo will be held each evening. Fireworks of the highest order will be on the programme every night including a sample of "Modern Warfare" and a collision between a Street Car and an Automobile. The Speed programme this year is the best ever offered by the Exhibition. The dates are September 8th to 16th. All information given on application to the Secretary, A. M. Hunt, London, Ont.

A Rural Romance.

Misfortune seems to be pursuing Arthur Katis. Only a few weeks ago he suffered such ignominy from being tipped into the Walker House horse trough that he hid away to the tall timbers and has been spudding thistles, ploughing the land and putting in roots for a farmer in Brant ever since. The long green fields for his. But the evil hand of misfortune occasionally catches out over the farming community, and once more Arthur received a setback. It seems that the rural occupation didn't take all his time, that life on the farm isn't as it used to be, and in his spare time he fell a prey to the charms of a country lassie, who so charmed him that he spent his hard earned wages for presents to show his regard for his lady love. But anon another love sick swain appeared and Arthur got the go by. The rural telephone played a considerable part in this drama, and when Arthur found he was spurned he, being a

frugal soul, decided that the police should collect the presents he had given to the girl. Whether he sought to recover them because they had been obtained by false pretences, Arthur did not say. However, the police were slow in coming. So resorting to primitive tactics he chose the methods of stone age and betook himself to the home of his lady love, so report has it, and sought by force of his own brawny arms to carry off the maiden of his choice. Then there was trouble and Arthur was it. But things have calmed down again, though the parent was going to have Arthur arrested for house-breaking, no complaint has yet been laid. The course of true love never did run smooth.—Telescope.

Bitten By a Leopard.

Putting his hand in the leopard's cage at the circus here on Wednesday afternoon, a young lad connected with the show, endeavored to convince the gaping audience that the animal could be stroked like a cat. The leopard in the case submitted to the stroking operations for sometime and the lad was about to withdraw his hand triumphantly from the cage, when there was a scream and the onlookers were horror-stricken to find that the beast had seized the venturesome hand and had it gripped fast between its teeth. A flow of blood which commenced to run from the mouth of the animal showed that the hand was faring badly in its grasp. But the keeper of the brute was prepared for such an emergency and immediately the alarm was given he rushed towards the cage with a big pile pole attached to which were long sharp hooks. Jabbing these into the beast produced the desired results, as the cord with a howl opened its mouth, and loosened the imprisoned hand. The rescue was apparently none too soon, as the boy's hand was found to be terribly lacerated and mangled, with the flesh in parts torn clean from the bone. The wounded lad was placed under the care of the circus physician, and the hundreds of onlookers who witnessed the deed turned sickening away fully convinced that the leopard don't change his nature any more than his spots.—Bruce Tines

The Aviator.

I saw the aviator soar, far in the wind-swept void, and said: "He really ought to be more usefully employed. He's apt to fall a hundred miles should pinions break or bend, and while such things amuse the crowd, they're serving no good end. Some day he'll break his swanlike neck while painting cloudland red; and if he's useless when alive, he's more so when he's dead. I have no wish to soar aloft and ride the sweeping gale! I'll keep on raising prairie hay, and sell it, bale by bale. The man who makes two bales of hay come forth where one has grown, contributes to the public good, and earns half a bone." "The man who flies," my neighbor said, "will gather in more dough than you will get for all the hay from here to Jericho. And though his airship often sails above a field of wrecks, he entertains a jaded world—a world of rubber-necks. Some people think," my neighbor said, "that no one's doing good, unless he's growing bales of hay and other breakfast food; but any man who takes our thoughts away from toil and care, contributes to the public good a large and handsome share.—Walt Mason.

Case Dismissed.

The famous case of the township of Brant against Mr. Herman Gruetzner for damages in connection with the dam at Maple Hill which has been hanging fire for some years, came before Judge Barret at Walkerton on Wednesday afternoon of last week. The council asked for \$200 damages, which amount was entailed they claimed for fixing up the Durham Road near Hanover. These repairs the council claimed were made necessary through the flooding of the road by the water backed up from Mr. Gruetzner's dam. There was a large crowd in the court house to hear the case. A. G. McKay represented the township of Brant while D. Robertson looked after Mr. Gruetzner's interests. Several witnesses for the prosecution were heard, after which the Judge held that if the township of Brant was in a position to prove that those damages were the result of Mr. Gruetzner's dam they would be entitled to damages, but if not being able to prove that Gruetzner's dam was responsible, the case was dismissed without costs. No witnesses were heard for the defence.

Lobsinger—Voisin.

The marriage of Mr. Louis G. Lobsinger, youngest son of Mr. Geo. Lobsinger, turnkey at the Walkerton jail, to Miss Ottilia Voisin, youngest daughter of Mrs. Rosina Voisin, of Formosa, was solemnized in the Formosa R. C. Church on Tuesday morning last, Rev. Father Gehl officiating. The bride was prettily gowned in white satin, trimmed with all-over lace, supplemented by a long tulle veil crowned with orange blossoms, and carried a bridal bouquet of white carnations. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. J. J. Schmidt, who was becomingly attired in silver grey satin, with black picture hat, and carrying a bouquet of pink carnations. The groom was supported by Mr. Peter LaFrance of Walkerton. After the ceremony the happy couple and many invited guests repaired to the bride's home, where luncheon was served and a pleasant time spent. Mr. and Mrs. Lobsinger leave on Monday to take up their abode in Merritt, B. C. where the groom has an interest in the Herald Printing Co., of that town.

Looks Like An Election.

The Ottawa correspondent of the Globe says: Politics, like the weather, will be warm in Canada during the next two months. The word has gone out from the leaders of both parties for an active campaign in all the constituencies on the reciprocity issue, pending the reassembling of Parliament on July 18 for the final effort of the Government to secure the ratification of the agreement before prorogation. The Opposition members have left Ottawa with the declared intention of forcing the Government to go to the country on the issue in the autumn through the lever of obstructing the passage of supplies to carry on the Administration. Before adjournment they consented to grant an interim supply bill, just sufficient for the Government's needs up to September. On reassembling they will probably grant supply for another two months, long enough to permit of the passing of the promised bill redistributing the Parliamentary seats according to the figures of the June census. Then the Government, with an empty treasury and the public service thereby disorganized would have no recourse but to appeal to the electors to break the deadlock.

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The Fruit Prospects.

Contrary to somewhat general expectation, there will not be a heavy crop of apples next fall, so the orchardists say. The blight that affected the trees last fall has not yet expended its full effect, and the result is seen in some cases in an almost total absence of blossom, the Baldwins—one of the leading commercial varieties—make no show at all, while the Northern Spies have about one-third of the normal bloom. Some other varieties of winter apples make a better showing, especially the Greening and Kings, which show a full bloom. The fall apples as well as pears, plums and cherries have blossomed heavily and will likely be a good crop. The weather has been favorable for the pollenization of the blossoms and those useful little creatures the bees, have been working hard. While, therefore, the yield of 1911 will not be a phenomenal one, the prospects are that there will be a good many more apples in the country next fall than there were last year.

He is Sure a Good Scout.

The Harriston Review man thinks:—A good many of those so called boy scouts would be better employed scouting about the garden patch with a hoe or engaged in some useful and instructive occupation than slouching about with a cowboy hat and making nuisances and fools of themselves. Discipline nothing! It is simply an incentive against proper discipline in a great many cases. The best scoutmaster is old Dad with a Gad.

How to Kill a Church.

1. Don't come.
2. If you do come, come late.
3. If too wet or too dry, too hot or too cold, don't think of coming.
4. Don't imagine the front seats are for you. People might think you conceited.
5. Come bound to find fault.
6. Don't ever think of praying for your minister or your church.
7. Don't sing.
8. Don't attend week-day services.
9. Don't encourage the minister, but tell his faults to others. If his sermon helps you, don't let him know it, it might make him vain.
10. If you see a stranger in the audience don't offer to shake hands or ask him to come again, people might think you bold.
11. Never try to bring anyone to church with you.
12. Don't believe in missions.
13. Don't give much to benevolence.
14. Let the pastor do all the work.
15. See that his salary is always behind.
16. If he does not visit as often as you think he should, treat him very coolly; he has nothing particular to dread could come oftener.
17. Don't take your church paper.
18. Try to run the church.
19. If you see anyone willing to take hold and willing to carry on any of the church work, be sure to find fault, and accuse them of being bold and forward.
20. Never speak to anyone of Christ, your minister should do all that kind of work.
21. Don't go to Sunday School, it is childish.
22. Don't be particular how God's house looks inside or out, but keep your own home looking nice.
23. If you think everything is working harmoniously try to stir up something to engender strife.

Barrie Girl's Fortune.

According to the Barrie Examiner, Miss Eleanor Peregrine, a Barrie young lady, who took up the profession of nurse, has been left a fortune variously estimated at from \$200,000 to \$1,000,000 as a reward for faithful attention to duty. Entering Roosevelt Hospital, New York, it fell to her lot to wait upon Walter Duryea, son of a millionaire starch manufacturer, who has been rendered a helpless invalid through an accident. Twelve years ago, when diving into shallow water, he broke his neck and completely paralyzed his body. So well did Miss Peregrine discharge her duties that Mr. Duryea secured her as a permanent nurse as soon as she graduated. For four years she nursed him, and for the last seven years had been his private secretary and had charge of his business and his magnificent home at Montclair, New Jersey.

Will Appeal to King.

Goderich, June 12—Edward Jardine, with only four days to live, still holds to the hope that his sentence may yet be changed. When he heard the news last Wednesday that the department of justice had refused to grant mercy in his case he appeared to give up, but has now decided to make another appeal for his life. L. E. Dancy, the counsel of Jardine, has been asked by the prisoner to appeal for mercy to the King himself. The appeal will be made through His Excellency Earl Grey, with all speed. The prisoner has been told, however, to hope for nothing from this source and yesterday his mother and brothers paid a farewell visit to the doomed man. His mother has made the wish that she might be with her boy at the last. A jury of seven was empanelled this morning to serve on the inquest.

The good people who live near Rubble have started a school for people who are over 21 years of age, and cannot read or write. The class is composed of 18 people between the ages of 24 and 57. They have only been holding class for a few weeks each night, but already many of them can read short sentences.

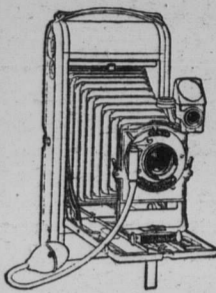


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