

VISITORS' DAY
AT FAIR TODAY
BIG PROGRAM

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FRIDAY IS SECOND CHILDREN'S DAY AT FAIR

NAB SCHOONER WITH CARGO OF LIQUOR, GOLD

Crew of U. S. Prohibition
Boat Seizes the "H. M.
Gardner."

THOUGHT CAPTOR PIRATE

Captain of Captive Ship Pre-
pared to Offer Battle.

New York, Sept. 14.—The two-
masted schooner H. M. Gardner, from
a Nova Scotia port, was brought in-
to the harbor today by the dry navy
boat Taylor, and 100 cases of liquor
with \$56,000 in gold, was taken to
the customs house.

The Gardner was seized last night
off Scotland Light.

Capt. M. C. Betts, who said he was
the Gardner's skipper, declared he
was going from Nova Scotia to Nas-
sau, when the Taylor's crew boarded
him. He said he had just delivered
4,000 cases of liquor, and was taking
the 100 seized cases back to Nassau
because it had not been accepted by
his purchasers.

Betts said that he first thought
the prohibition boat was filled with
pirates and cleared his ship intend-
ing to ram her. The revenue men
turned their searchlight on their own
ship, he said, and he allowed them to
come aboard.

WILLING TO TALK RAILWAY STRIKE

Companies Telegraph Inten-
tion to Shopmen's Union
Headquarters.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Leaders of the
Federated Railway Shopcrafts, who
today began negotiating separate set-
tlements of the United States shop-
men's strike, which began July 1, in
accordance with the agreement
adopted by the union's general policy
committee, announced that several
railroads had telegraphed union head-
quarters indicating willingness to
go into the negotiations. These, the
leaders said, were in addition to
about 50 roads which previously had
agreed to separate settlements.

Advices to the labor department
today from its representatives in
Chicago, said that railroads repre-
senting approximately 35 per cent of
the mileage in the United States had
signified their intention of ending
the shopmen's strike on the basis of
the agreement accepted yesterday by
the shopcrafts' general committee,
and that the roads representing an
additional 20 per cent were ready
to end the strike.

KIPLING'S DENIAL RILES N. Y. PAPER

New York, Sept. 14.—(Canadian
Press).—Denial by Rudyard Kipling
that he had expressed himself to-
wards the United States, as reported
in an interview in the New York
World by Clare Sheridan, has but
served to redouble the fury with
which that paper is attacking him.
Kipling was quoted as saying that
the United States entered the war
late and forced a premature peace.
He was also quoted as saying, with
reference to the United States: "They
have got the gold of the world, but
we have saved our souls."

OFFER PRIZE FOR FLIGHT.

Paris, Sept. 14.—M. Bleriot, famous
French aeronaut, has offered a
prize of 15,000 francs for an airplane
competition in which the object will
be to make a flight and return across
the English Channel with the use
of the smallest quantity of gasoline.

THE WEATHER

FORECASTS.
Moderate and cool today and Friday,
with showers in many places.
Pressure is high from the Great Lakes
to the Pacific, and relatively low over
the Southwest States.

The weather has been unsettled,
with showers from Alberta to the
Maritime Provinces.

Temperatures.
The highest and lowest temperatures
during the 24 hours
previous to 3 a.m.
today were:

	High	Low
Victoria	66	50
Winnipeg	58	42
Pt. Arthur	60	34
P. Sound	72	44
Toronto	72	55
Kingston	70	55
Ottawa	74	54
Montreal	68	56
Quebec	62	50
F. Point	54	38
St. John	48	30
Halifax	40	22

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures
recorded in London during the 24 hours
previous to 8 o'clock last night were:
Highest, 73; lowest, 51.

The official temperatures for the 12
hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:
Highest, 56; lowest, 51.
Barometric Readings.
Wednesday—3 p.m., 30.24.
Today—3 a.m., 30.23.

Police Capture Alleged Auto Bandits

ARMED POSSE FIND PRISONERS HIDING IN BUSH

Dresden Police Believe Men
Committed Robberies of
Past Few Days.

ADMIT STEALING CAR

Blown Safe Found on Road
Near Abandoned Motor
Car.

Dresden, Sept. 14.—Single-handed,
Chief of Police John A. Campbell,
of Dresden, captured Albert Casey,
colored, of Chatham, and Harry Wil-
son, of Wallaceburg, alleged auto
bandits, after a chase of three miles
in the pouring rain, through corn
fields and across country this morn-
ing. A posse of 200 residents of the
district had cornered the pair in a
thick bush, and had it surrounded,
when the arrest was made. The pris-
oners are now in police cells at
Dresden, and will be charged in court
late this afternoon with the theft of
an auto bearing license number
136-766, and said to be the property
of a Mr. Campbell of Chatham. After
the hearing the men will probably
be removed to Chatham jail.

Police believe the prisoners to be
the men who committed a number of
robberies in this vicinity during the
past few days.

Early this morning Chief Campbell
was informed that an auto stolen
from Dr. Clapp of Dresden had been
abandoned in Camden Township, on
concession 10. He found the car and
was told that two strangers were
hiding in the bush near where the
car was found. Farmers of the vic-
inity and villagers organized an
armed posse and surrounded the
woods.

Chief Campbell was alone when he
met Wilson and Casey on the farm of
Walter Pegg, concession 1, Camden
Township. After a chase he forced
them to surrender, and handcuffed
them. They were unarmed.

The Chatham car, which the men
are charged with stealing, was also
found, having broken down. Accord-
ing to the police, the prisoners admit
the theft of Dr. Clapp's car, but claim
that the Chatham car is their property.

On the night Dr. Clapp's car was
stolen, it was found at Pepperville was
broken into, and the safe taken away
and blown open, \$42 being obtained
from it. The safe was found near
Dr. Clapp's car.

Among the officers working on the
case this morning were: Constables
Zeal, and Constable Low, of New-
market, who found the car at Chatham, C. A.
Gonzou, Pere Marquette Railway de-
tective, of Chatham; High Constable
George Peters, County Constable
Wilfred Peters and County Constable
A. Wood, all of Kent County; Chief
John A. Campbell of Dresden and C.
P. R. Detective Graham of London.

BELIEVE B. C. FISHERMAN KILLED WIFE AND SELF

Neighbors Find Green Shot
With Body of Spouse Beside
Him.

Prince Rupert, B. C., Sept. 14.—What
is believed to have been a case of
murder and suicide was discovered here
yesterday when neighbors found George
Green, a fisherman, lying in front of
his home with two bullet wounds in
his breast and the dead body of his
wife beside him. Green died a few
hours later.

Alongside the victim lay a gun. A
5-months-old child was crawling over
the corpse of his mother, who had been
shot through the heart. The child was
unhurt.

"Don't bother me," said Green, when
relatives tried to get an explanation
from him. Nothing is known of the
circumstances or the motive for the
shooting.

Green came here ten years ago from
Nova Scotia.

PLAN MEMORIAL TO AUSTRALIANS

Ottawa, Sept. 14.—A memorial to
the soldiers of Australia and New
Zealand forces who laid down their
lives in Egypt, Palestine and Syria,
will be erected at Port Said, the
northern entry to the Suez Canal.
The Prime minister of Australia is
desirous that Australian and New
Zealand sculptors in Canada be in-
formed of the fact that they are en-
gaged to submit designs for this me-
morial, should they desire to do so.

PREMIER MAKES TOUR OF FORMER CONSTITUENCY

Kitchener, Sept. 14.—Today Pre-
mier King is renewing old acquaint-
ances throughout his former con-
stituency of North Waterloo. The trip
is being made by automobile, the
party leaving here early this morning,
intending to return late this after-
noon. Mr. King will leave Kitchener
tomorrow evening for Toronto on his
way to Newmarket. He will return to
Ottawa Sunday morning.

Winners in Boys' and Girls' Calf Feeding Competition Pose For Camera



HAPPY youngsters greeted the camera man when he called to snap them
and their winning animals in the calf-feeding contest at the Western
Fair. Number one shows "Village Maid," the winner of the first prize, and
his young exhibitor, Hector Kyle of Drumbo. Number two shows "Colonel,"
with his proud mistress, Evelyn Jones of Southwold. Number three is
"Steve," whose master is Jim Turnbull of Brussels. Number four is a
general picture of the prize-winning animals and their exhibitors. A
few of the winners in Class 24, boys' and girls' calf-feeding competition, as
follows: 1. Village Maid 49th, Hector Kyle, Drumbo; 2. Colonel, Evelyn Jones,
Southwold; 3. Steve, Jim Turnbull, Brussels; 4. Spring Valley Eliza 5th,
Kingsburgh Kyle, Drumbo; 5. Rustic Maid, Frank Shore,
Glanworth; 6. Royal Comedy, Maurice Shore, Glanworth; 7.
Joe, Belle Currah, Bright; 8. Billy, Belle Currah, Bright; 9. Sunny Jim,
Wm. S. Pelton, Paris; 10. Peter McDonald, Ernest R. O'Neil, Denfield;
11. White Beauty, Emerson Wallis, Granton; 12. Bud Fairfax 2nd, Clifford
Perry, Appin; 13. Sadie, Harold Wallis, Granton; 14. Rachel, Frederic B.
Muma, Ayr; 15. Jiggs, Dick Martin, Sheffield; 16. Brownie, McKenzie
Hall, Ayr; 17. Stanley H. Edwards, Watford; 18. Topsy, Andrew H.
McKague, Junior, Teeswater.

BARE IRISH PLOT TO SCUTTLE SHIP

Ulster Government Discovery
Saves Lives of 300
Sinn Feiners.

Rebels Recapture Ballina,
Many Casualties Being
Suffered by Nationals.

Belfast, Sept. 14.—The Ulster gov-
ernment, it was announced today,
has discovered a plot to blow up or
scuttle the steamer *Argenta*, on
which 300 Sinn Feiners were in-
terned at Larne Harbor, County
Antrim.

Ballina, in Northern County Mayo,
has been recaptured by the rebels,
who swooped down upon the town
several hundred strong, and captured
the garrison of Free State govern-
ment troops. The Nationals fought
stubbornly, and suffered casualties
before they were dispersed. Several
buildings, including the bank, are re-
ported to have been burned.

Large forces of troops from all
parts of the county are concentrating
upon the town.

Another account from Ballina says
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FALLING ROCKS BURY TWO ALIVE

Merritt, B.C., Sept. 14.—Two men
were buried alive in the Middleboro
collieries yesterday, when a mass of
rock fell on them while at work. The
men are Sam Crawford and Lewis
Shearer, both experienced miners.
Their bodies were recovered within
an hour, but all attempts to resuscitate
failed.

Near East Is New Storm Center

THE Near Eastern situation is causing alarm in Britain. Reports
from British India represent Moslems there as greatly excited
over Turkish victories. The Turks, operating from their base at
Angora (2), have launched cavalry attacks at Smyrna, Brusa and
Ismid, occupied by the Greeks. The two armies are contending on a
front represented by the heavy dotted line. Allied commissioners at
Constantinople (3) may take action to bring about an armistice.



Eleven-Year-Old Ingersoll Lad Is Lost At Fair

SPENDS NIGHT AT SHELTER.

SEPARATED from his parents in the crowd attending the Western Fair
Wednesday, Stanley Thompson, 11-year-old Ingersoll boy, was forced
to spend the night in London as the guest of the Children's Aid Society at
the shelter on Wharfedale road. He was returned to Ingersoll by Inspector
W. E. Kelly Thursday morning.

The young boy's parents lost him
Wednesday afternoon, and thinking
that he would return to Ingersoll on
the regular 7 p.m. train, took the
special 6:30 p.m. train for Ingersoll.
However, sights at the fair grounds
claimed Stanley's attention for too
long, and he arrived at the London
East station of the G. T. R. just as
his train was pulling out.

Stanley, who is described as a very
bright boy for his age, by Inspector
Kelly, who acted as his temporary
guardian during his stay here, stated
that he could have caught the train,
but he believed in employing safety
first tactics.

"I could have caught that train,"
said Stanley, "and swung on, but I
would rather be here with all my
legs than stay in the hospital for a
long time."

Officials of the Grand Trunk looked
after the boy until Mr. Kelly took
him over late Wednesday night. Ac-
cording to the inspector, Stanley
evinced great interest in all things
pertaining to Mr. Kelly's work. His
parents were notified by telephone
Wednesday night that the boy was
in good care.

"He was a very bright boy," said
Mr. Kelly Thursday. "He was in-
terested in the Shelter and every-
thing else here. There was no sign of
worry about sleeping in a strange
bed Wednesday night. He told me
his phone number, and I called up
his parents, telling them I would put
him on the train Thursday morning."

FIND MACAROW NOT IMPLICATED

Chief Justice Reports on Case
of Merchants Bank
Official.

Sir Montagu Allan, President
of Bank, Elects Summary
Trial.

Montreal, Sept. 14.—D. C. Macarow,
general manager of the defunct Mer-
chants Bank, was this morning found
not guilty of making wilfully false
or deceptive statements in return on
the bank's financial condition in a
return made to the federal govern-
ment for October, 1921, in the court
of special sessions by Chief Justice
Decarie.

The decision of Chief Justice De-
carie this morning in the case of
Mr. Macarow brings to a close one
phase of the Merchants Bank case
in the local courts.

The case against Sir Montagu
Allan, president of the bank, charged
with negligently signing the false
report, is now to be heard.

Yesterday the grand jury brought
in a true bill against Sir Montagu,
who elected a summary trial in the
court of special sessions.

The cases arose out of the threat-
ened collapse of the Merchants Bank
when its reserve was reduced from
\$5,000,000 to \$1,500,000 by disastrous
losses to the now bankrupt stock
brokerage firm of Thornton, David-
son & Co., and other concerns. The
government's case was that those
losses should have been shown in the
October, 1921, return to the govern-
ment. They did not appear until
negotiations had practically been
completed to sell the Merchants Bank
to the Bank of Montreal.

Chief Justice Decarie, in his judg-
ment, in part says:

"The questions in dispute may be
resumed in the following questions:
"1. Has the crown established that
the report was false?
"2. Has it been made wilfully false
or deceptive?
"3. Did the accused make it?"

Dealing with the first point, he
finds:

"It has been established that local
managers, about three hundred and
fifty in number, make a monthly re-
port on the same form as schedule
"D" and those are certified by each
of these managers according to the
formulae in this schedule.

"These reports or returns are sent
to, and received by the department
of the chief accountant of the bank.
He himself looks through all the re-
ports, sees if they are correct, has
them checked over by his assistant,
and when this is done and when the
return is found correct he signs it.
It is presented then for the signature
of the president and the general
manager."

"It has been established that the
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OFFICIALS LOOK FOR KIDDIES TO BREAK ALL ATTENDANCE RECORDS

Granting of Holiday, and Special Rates, Expected to Please
Youngsters—Wet Weather Mars Enjoyment of Visi-
tors' Day at Grounds.

Drizzling rain, merging into a steady downpour, formed an
effective barrier to the establishment of a record in the number
attending Western Fair Thursday morning.

However, Fair attractions sufficiently surmounted poor wea-
ther conditions to bring out a crowd which insured fairly heavy
business in the various buildings.

Fair Program

THURSDAY EVENING.
COMPLETE grand stand pro-
gram with fireworks display.
C. W. Wortham Midway at-
tractions. Special band con-
certs.

FRIDAY.
Second Children's Day at the
Fair.

Third parade of prize animals
on the track, including calves
and yearlings.

Midway shows in full swing.
Speed events—2:30 trot and
half mile free-for-all. Purse
\$200 each.

DEFER ACTION ON PART-TIMERS

Board Will Know Monday If
Classes Are Necessary.

Miss Radcliffe Will Have At-
tendance Statistics Early
in Week.

While part-time courses have been
organized at the Technical and Art
School for the adolescent children,
and are stated to be already in op-
eration, it will not be definitely known
until Monday whether it will be ne-
cessary to institute similar classes
at any of the public schools.

Miss D. Radcliffe, in charge of the
attendance department of the board
of education, an innovation in local
educational circles since September
1, explained Thursday that while re-
ports are being prepared on the at-
tendance at the various institutions,
she will have no definite statistics
for the consideration of the authori-
ties until the first of next week at
the earliest.

Four schools have yet to make
their reports, while information and
data from certain schools has not to
be revised, as the returns have not been
submitted in accordance with the
plan outlined.

Miss Radcliffe reports that in her
new capacity she is encountering
remarkable success, and in the ma-
jority of instances gaining the
hearty co-operation of the industrial
concerns that hire adolescent chil-
dren.

There are many difficulties to be
overcome, she admits, but trusts that
events will proceed smoothly, obvi-
ating the necessity of bringing any
person into court, as may be done
under the provisions of the adoles-
cent school attendance act.

She stressed her contention that
employers and parents of children
who are experiencing any difficulty
respecting the enforcement of the
act, should confer with her depart-
ment, when everything possible will
be attempted to facilitate matters.

FIND WESTERN BANKER GUILTY OF THEFT CHARGE

Yorkton, Sask., Sept. 14.—Found
guilty by a jury yesterday of uttering,
and seven charges of theft, M. Duncan,
formerly manager of the Bank of
Toronto here, will be sentenced on
Friday morning.

His delinquencies totaled \$22,000, of
which restitution to the extent of \$20,-
000 was made. The money, it is claim-
ed, was used for speculation in grain
on the Winnipeg market.

POPULATION INCREASES.

HAMILTON, Sept. 13.—Hamilton's
population is now 120,235, an in-
crease of 1,992 over last year, and
the assessment \$140,854,349, an in-
crease of \$4,939,700.

LATE SPORTING NEWS

THORNCLEIFF RACE RESULTS.
Thorncleiff, Sept. 14.—First race, 1,000, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—
Neapolitan, \$5.85, \$3.40, \$2.40, won; Plutree, \$4.90, \$3.45, second; Tricks, \$2.50,
third. Time, 1:14 3-5. Playwright, Bloor, Beth Hodder, Sarivan, Roy C.
Gipsy Joe and Spinaway also ran.

Second race, 2-year-olds, 5 1/2 furlongs—Tycoon, \$3.50, \$2.40, \$2.30, won;
aOld Top, \$2.25, \$2.40, second; aVennie, \$2.12, third. Time, 1:08. Flying
Jacques, Shue, First Ward, Van Patrick, Bluestone also ran. (a)—Kirk-
field stable entry.

SKOOTER WINS AT MONTREAL.

Dorval Race Track, Montreal, Sept. 14.—First race, 5 1/2 furlongs—Skooter,
\$12.60, \$5.10, \$3.95, won; Meuse, \$4.35, \$3, second; Silk Sox, \$3.30, third. Time,
1:12 3-5. Little Patsy, Horinga and Dolly Varden also ran.