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EXHIBITION PROGRAMME.

The Daily Events as Thus Far Arranged. The programme as arranged so far is as follows:-

SATURDAY. Opening day—Building will be open to exhibitors and officials from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m.—Opened to general public, when all departments will be in full running order. 8 p. m.—Opening exercises, addresses by public men, interspersed with instrumental music. The floral exhibits will be judged during the day and before the general public are admitted.

MONDAY. 8 a. m.—Buildings opened. 11 a. m.—Start of grand labor parade, which will terminate at the exhibition grounds about one o'clock. It is expected 2,500 men will be in line, with a number of floats. All the city bands will be in the parade. On reaching the grounds the parade will pass in review before the grand stand.

TUESDAY. 9.00 a. m.—Judging of medium draught horses commences in horse ring; and dairy cattle in the stock ring and of agricultural products in agricultural hall. 1.30 p. m.—Band concert in main building and Lukens before grand stand. 2.00 p. m.—Lukens before the grand stand. 2.30 p. m.—Performances in amusement halls. 3.00 p. m.—Judging of carriage horses in harness. 7.30 p. m.—Band concert in main building and Lukens before grand stand. 8.00 p. m.—Fireworks display, followed by amusement hall programmes.

WEDNESDAY. 9.00 a. m.—Judging of carriage horses and standard horses continues, as well as in other classes. 1.30 p. m.—Band concert in main building. 2.00 p. m.—Lukens before the grand stand. 2.30 p. m.—Amusement hall performances. Horse races at Moosepath Park, 2.25 class, trot and pace, purse \$250; free-for-all, trot and pace, purse \$500.

THURSDAY. 9.00 a. m.—Judging in various classes continues. Judging of thoroughbred horses commences before the grand stand. 10.00 a. m.—Meeting of executive committee of the Farmers' and Dairyman's Association in the live stock commissioner's office. 1.30 p. m.—Band concerts in main building. 2.00 p. m.—Lukens exhibition before the grand stand, followed by amusement hall performances. Horse races at Moosepath Park, 2.24 class, trot and pace, purse \$250; 2.24 class, trot and pace, purse \$250. A special race train will leave the foot of Sydney street at 2 o'clock. Wednesday evening's programme will be the same as Tuesday evening's.

FRIDAY. 9.00 a. m.—Draught competition, horses; horse shoeing competition. Completion of judging in other classes. 1.30 p. m.—Band concert in main building. Base ball match, Roses vs. Alerts. 2.00 p. m.—Lukens in front of grand stand. 2.30 p. m.—Amusement hall programmes. 3.00 p. m.—Parade and judging of matched pairs and carriage horses. 4.00 p. m.—Concert by Westminster Abbey Coronation Choir in the large amusement hall. 7.30 p. m.—Band concert in main building. Lukens before grand stand. 8.00 p. m.—Amusement hall performances. 9.00 p. m.—Second concert by Westminster Abbey choir in large amusement hall.

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Did Shark Eat Him? An Austrian Princeling Who Mysteriously Disappeared.

The imperial government of Austria-Hungary, which alone of all the powers of Europe hangs back in the matter of recognizing the new republic of Cuba, recently sought, through its consul general here, the assistance and friendly co-operation of the Cuban secret service to locate a Hapsburg princeling, who, under the name of Hans Wittgenstein, having suddenly become demented at Vienna, took flight from the empire through the country of Hamburg, Germany, whence he took passage for the West Indies. He reached Havana on April 8 and registered as a guest of the Hotel Pasaje. He wrote several letters to European points of designation the night of his arrival. Next morning he paid his bill, had his baggage sent over to the Southern Express Company's office, whence he had his trunks all expressed to friends in Vienna. Inquiry develops the fact that he had considerable money on him when he came to Cuba. He mailed his will home to Austria, under the postmark of the 8th of April upon which date he left the Pasaje Hotel here, and has not been heard of since, though the police are now making every effort to trace him. They are convinced that he did not leave Cuba. On April 15 some fisherman caught a shark at the entrance to Havana harbor in which were found among other things, the clothing and bones of a man. One of the shirts bore the initials 'H.W.' Could this shark have eaten the unfortunate Austrian nobleman? The police here believe that it did, and, I understand that the intialled shirt is not the only proof in their possession tending to confirm their worst fears as to the missing man. A valuable cameo ring, pawned by one of the fisherman who caught the "man-eater," since recovered, is said to prove beyond question the personal identity of the person devoured.

The young Austrian was but 23 years of age when he left home for the West Indies.

QUEBEC, Aug. 26.—The coroner's jury in the case of Alfred Beauchamp, recently found killed on Cove Fields, have returned a verdict holding Maxime Fortin, who is under arrest, criminally responsible.

St. John, August 27, 1902.

School Boys' Clothing.

Have you been paying too much money for the wear your boy has been getting out of his school suits? If so, they were not bought here. Our suits wear, fit and look well, and all this combined with a low price. Bring your boy here to be fitted out for school.

BOYS' 2-PIECE SUITS: 75c., \$1.10, 1.85, 2.00, 2.35, 2.50, 3.00, 3.25, 3.50 and up.

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BOYS' SHORT PANTS: 25c., 30c., 35c., 40c., 50c. and \$1 and up.

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TRUST PROBLEM.

President Roosevelt Wants Federal Control of Corporations.

Comments of Berlin Papers and of the London Times on the Subject.

BERLIN, Aug. 26.—President Roosevelt's advocating government supervision of trusts has caused the Post of this city to discuss anew the "American trust danger." It says: "Germany, indeed all Europe, must be on its guard."

The Kreuz Zeitung, in a leader on "American Imperialism," says: "American arrogance is directed not only against Germany but against all Europe. This arrogance is the outgrowth of the Puritanical belief in the United States' God-given mission and its own invulnerable position."

LONDON, Aug. 27.—The Times this morning publishes an editorial article discussing President Roosevelt's decision to appeal from party wire pullers to the people on the trust question. "This is a bold decision if President Roosevelt is ambitious of a second term, but he is shrewd as well as courageous. We cannot, however, venture to form a judgment of his chances of success against the strong forces arrayed on the opposite side. The American people themselves have no very clear ideas on this subject, and their political prophets are all at sea in their speculations."

WHAT ROOSEVELT SAID. "We are not going to get any complete or perfect solution for all of the evils which come to our minds when we think of the trusts by any single action on our part. A good many actions in a good many different ways will be required before we get many of those evils even partially remedied. It is a little difficult to set clearly before us all of the evils, but I think that those gentlemen, and especially those gentlemen of large means who deny that the evils exist or are acting with great force. I am far from being against property when I ask that the action of the trusts be taken up. I am in favor of the most conservative sense in property is sure for becoming the anti-trust law it is not a move against property; it is a move in favor of property. I am inclined to think that the greatest trouble in any of the trusts comes from our system of government. Being so, I am not saying that even if we had the power, we could completely solve the trust question. Gentlemen, if what we read in the papers is true, they are speaking of a number of international trusts any set of laws on our part to deal completely with a problem which becomes international in its bearings, but a great deal can be done in various ways now. Now, when this government was founded there were no great individual or corporate fortunes, and there was no particular thing at that time to worry us as to whether the nation or the state had control of the corporations. They were easy to control. Now, however, the exact reverse is the case.

For instance, some time ago the attorney general took action against a certain trust. There has been considerable discussion as to whether the trust aimed at would not seek to get out from under the law by becoming a single corporation. Now I want laws to enable us to deal with it, no matter what shape it takes. At present we have really no efficient control over more than one state. Frequently the corporation has nothing whatever to do with the state in which it is incorporated.

"Of course it is a mere truism that the corporation is the creature of the state; that the state is sovereign. Now I want to make a real and not a nominal sovereign to which the corporation shall be really and not nominally responsible. At present if we pass laws nobody can tell whether they will amount to anything. Now, what I hope to see is power given to the national legislature which shall make the control real.

"Here in Massachusetts you have what I regard as, on the whole, excellent corporation laws. I think that most of our difficulties would be in a fair way of solution if we had the power to put upon the national statute books, and did put on them, laws for the nation much like those you have here on the subject of corporations in Massachusetts.

"Now if we can get adequate control by the nation of these great corporations then we can pass legislation which will give us the power of regulation and supervision over them. The first thing we want is the publicity. If the mere fact of being able to put out nakedly statements which would show the condition of things to be wrong, it would go a long distance toward curing that wrong. As far as the anti-trust laws go they will be enforced. Now no suit will be undertaken for the sake of seeming to undertake it. Every suit that is undertaken will be begun because the great lawyer and upright man whom we are so fortunate as to have as attorney general, Mr. Knox, believes that there is a violation of the law which we can get at and when the suit is undertaken it won't be compromised excepting on the basis that the government wins.

"Then I believe, I am not going to say I am sure of it, but I believe it is possible to frame national legislation which shall give us more power than we now have, at any rate over corporations doing an inter-state business. I think we have got to make up our minds to the fact that if it proves on effort that we cannot under the constitution as it is give the national administration sufficient power in dealing with these great corporations then no matter what our reverence to the past may be, our duty to the present and to the future will force us to see that more power is conferred upon the national administration."

A SECOND TRACY.

Tom O'Brien, Chased By Men and Bloodhounds, Writes a Letter.

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 27.—With officers of the state penitentiary upon his trail, assisted by bloodhounds, Tom O'Brien, a convict who made a daring escape from the state prison last Friday, has sent a communication to the Miner, pleading for a public statement of the death of Under Sheriff Dave Morgan, whose alleged crime and wounding the convict declares sent him to prison and wrecked his home. The document received by the Miner, bears the post mark of Anaconda. The writer dates his communication for a mountain in the hills surrounding Anaconda, and says that he wrote his story behind a rock, dividing his time between his Winchester and his pen. The communication is a literary treat, and there is no question as to its authenticity, because the handwriting has been identified by the warden of the penitentiary and others acquainted with his sole object in escaping from prison is to kill Morgan. O'Brien was sent up for robbery in 1901.

THE COAL STRIKE.

Washery Destroyed By Fire After Strikers Had Closed It.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—"A little tighter every day" summarizes the anthracite coal situation in Chicago. A few local dealers are parting with a few tons at \$9 and \$10, one dealer being reported yesterday as demanding \$11 and not wanting to sell at that. Many persons who have been using hard coal in furnaces are now putting in natural gas.

HAZELTON, Pa., Aug. 27.—The Klondike washery at Trescow, owned and operated by Joseph Seager of this place, was destroyed by fire of unknown origin today, causing a loss of \$7,000, partly covered by insurance. The washery suspended operations when the strike began, but resumed two weeks ago. Strikers raided the washery and closed it on Tuesday of last week, and two attempts to resume this week were frustrated by the men.

THE GRAND TRUNK.

Will Do an Enormous Business Through Portland, Me.

MONTREAL, August 26.—The officials of the Dominion Steamship company, after conferring with the freight and traffic manager of the Grand Trunk railway today, definitely decided to establish a semi-weekly service from Portland. This decision was arrived at owing to the large amount of freight that would be handled over the Grand Trunk by the subsidiary lines at Midland and especially at Chicago. An official of the Dominion line speaking to your correspondent today, stated that they were now assured that they would be able to secure full cargoes from Portland during the fall and winter season. A regular semi-weekly service would be established in October and the best boats now running to Montreal would be used. The Grand Trunk, he added, expected to do the biggest year's business in the history at Portland and the Dominion line expects to get its share of what is going.

SHE IS AFLOAT.

(Special to the Star.) RIVER DU LOUP WHARF, Que., Aug. 27.—The steamer Manchester, importer was floated last night and is proceeding to Quebec this morning in tow of the Lord Strathcona, with barges and schooner. The weather is fine and a strong breeze from the north blowing.

MONT PEELE AGAIN.

ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., Aug. 27.—A despatch received here from the Island of Dominica, dated yesterday, Aug. 26, at 6 p. m., says: "Since 2 p. m. today (Tuesday) prolonged rumbling noises in quick succession have been heard from the southward. There is every indication that Mont Pelee (Island of Martinique) is violently erupting."

ROOSEVELT IN MAINE.

AUGUSTA, Me., Aug. 27.—Perfect weather continued today favoring President Roosevelt on his tour through New England. Early in the forenoon he was taken for a drive about the city and shown the beauties of the scenery along the Kennebec River. He left here at 9.30 for Bangor.

MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION.

(Special to the Star.) TORONTO, Aug. 27.—The first meeting of the newly elected executive committee of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association has been called for tomorrow afternoon. President Cyrus A. Birge, Hamilton, will preside, and resolutions passed at the recent convention of the association in Halifax will be dealt with.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Eastern states and northern New York—Fair tonight and Thursday; tonight variable winds.

BROOM TRUST PLANNED.

William A. Shepard, head of the Onondaga Broom Works, with offices at 150 Nassau street, Manhattan, N. Y., is the authority for the statement that several men with large, unemployed capital had suggested to him recently the plan of forming a combination of the broom manufacturers of the country. In pursuance of this plan, letters have been written to some fifty or sixty manufacturers of brooms in various parts of the United States asking for opinions on their several plants and property. About forty replies have been received to these letters, but so far no options have been obtained.

The negotiations were still proceeding, but the matter was, as Mr. Shepard expressed it, "all up in the air." He said further that no meeting of broom manufacturers had been held in this city, as has been reported. The only meetings were those between himself and the capitalists interested in financing the proposed combination. According to report the combination is proposed to be capitalized at \$5,000,000.

FREDERICTON.

The Deaf and Dumb Enquiry Open to the Press Today.

Evidence Submitted Touching the Provincial and Municipal Grants to the Institution.

(Special to the Star.)

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 27.—The deaf and dumb inquiry was thrown open to the press this morning. Deputy Receiver General Babbitt gave evidence re provincial payments to the institution on both building and maintenance accounts; \$18,000 had been paid on maintenance; and \$13,000 on building; \$11,000 of the latter in yearly instalments, which were capitalized by the institution and reached \$7,440. All monies were paid to trustees and not a dollar to Woodbridge.

R. B. Wallace, chief clerk of the education office, was called to testify re amounts of county grants, total \$15,600. Reports of the institution show grants received by the Grand Trunk \$716.1, paid since December 31st, 1901. Mr. Woodbridge stated some warrants issued by the department were not paid by the municipalities. Attention was called to the fact that allowance were made by the department for pupils over 13 years of age, the limit prescribed by law. Mr. Woodbridge stated it was at the discretion of the department.

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A NEW TERROR.

Philadelphia People Suffering From the "Soft Coal Eye."

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 27.—With the advent of soft coal in this city has come an epidemic of what is termed "Soft Coal Eye." Two hospital surgeons discovered the disease and gave it a name. One of them had his suspicions about the foreign substances he had been removing, so he took a black speck from a patient's eye and then analyzed it. "Just what I thought," he said; "soft coal. All these people we have been treating have had the soft coal eye." The name spread. Now it is a familiar phrase in the hospitals, and the existence of a "soft coal eye" epidemic is acknowledged.

LAND OF THE FREE.

Its Officials Refuse to Let Chinamen Land.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 27.—The 250 Chinese intended for the crew of Pacific mail steamer Korea arrived here in the steamer Gaelic. Collector of Customs Stratton has again notified the steamship company that the Chinese must be detained on the Gaelic and not even be allowed to enter the detention shed pending a decision by the treasury department and the commissioner general of immigration. The Sailors' Union of the Pacific has entered a strong protest against the transfer of these Chinese to the Korea. The union contends that the Chinese cannot be transferred to the Korea without bringing them ashore to be signed before the United States shipping commissioner, and that the act of bringing ashore would constitute a violation of the Chinese exclusion act.

LABOR TROUBLES.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 27.—As a result of differences which have existed between the Cumberland Telephone Co. and dissatisfied employees considerable difficulty has been experienced by the company in operating its service here. Striking employees of the company are injuring the company's wires at many vantage points and have appealed to the General Trade and Labor Council to inaugurate a general boycott by all labor unions.

BORIS DEPARTS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—With fervid expressions of appreciation of Chicago's hospitality, the Grand Duke Boris of Russia and his suite left the city last night for Niagara Falls over the Michigan Central railway. The Chevalier Deschack, personal attache of the duke, had to be carried to the train in an ambulance. He is suffering severely with rheumatism.



OUR FALL BLOKS this year are all that is to be desired, in both DERBYS and SLK HATS. Our own make of Derby prices \$2, \$2.50 and \$3. Our own make of Slk Hat, \$4, \$5 and \$6. Furs made to order and repaired.

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NERVOUSNESS.

"I was in a terrible condition and suffered more than I can describe from nervousness, fainting spells, etc. I recommend your wonderful preparation ('Short's Dyspepticure'). Mrs. James Gray, St. John.

LARGE FAT NEWFOUNDLAND HERRING. BARRELS ONLY. JAMES PATTERSON, 18 and 20 South Market Wharf, 8 City Market.

To the Electors of St. John: LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: I beg leave to announce I will be a Candidate for the office of ALDERMAN AT LARGE, made vacant by the resignation of Aid. Sinton. Yours respectfully, W. C. RUDMAN ALLAN.

A GOOD INVESTMENT. It will pay you to have your work done at DUNHAM'S Upholstering, Carpet Laying, Furniture Polishing and Packing, Repairing, etc. First Class work at moderate prices. FRED H. DUNHAM, 405 Main Street, N. E.

A CHURCH IN WALES. Wrexham parish church is known as one of the seven wonders of Wales. It dates as a structure from the fifteenth century and is cathedral-like in its proportions. A "chained" Bible, now kept under lock and key, is among the curious relics, and beside it is a handsomely bound "visitors' book," sent by the students of Yale university, United States, for the use of Yale students visiting the church. In the churchyard is the tombstone of Eilihu Yale, with its quaint epitaph. The soldiers' chapel, which is entered through an exquisite arch, has a beautiful memorial window to the Welsh fusiliers who have fallen in battle.

COUNSELLING DAUGHTERS. (Pittsburg Press.) Teach her that 100 cents make a dollar. Teach her how to wear a simple linen dress, and to wear it like a queen. Teach her how to sew on buttons, to mend stockings and mend gloves. Teach her to dress for health and comfort, as well as for her appearance. Teach her to arrange the parlor and library. Teach her to love and to cultivate lovers. Teach her to say no and mean it, to say yes, and stick to it.

THE DEATH ROLL. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 26.—A special to the Democrat and Chronicle from Watkins says that ex-Governor Hoadly, of Ohio, died at that place this evening, aged 76.