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Net Gain Is \$905 For CLE

Despite a loss of \$9,567.53 on the Water Follies presentation, the Canadian Lakehead Exhibition showed a net profit of \$905.65 for the year ending Nov. 30, 1953, according to an auditor's report presented by Wilf Walker, exhibition secretary-manager, at Friday's annual meeting.

Admissions and grandstand attendance at the exhibition accounted for the largest single revenue. These revenues totalled \$79,850.60. The midway carnival rendered revenue totalling \$13,700.63 and rent of grounds and concessions adding \$6,703.50.

Other exhibition revenue included: federal and provincial government grants, \$950 and \$1,140 respectively; space rental, inside commercial exhibits, \$1,647.50; auditorium earnings, \$7,685.35; coliseum rentals, \$1,095.75, miscellaneous, \$49.04 and membership fees \$693.

Total expenditures, not including administrative expenses were:

OPERATING EXPENSES

Advertising, \$3,652.06; attendance contest, \$12,810.00; attractions,—grandstand, \$14,369.61; carnival expense, \$2,257.14; cartage and maintenance, \$2,987.39; Composers, authors, publishers, \$25.74; general expense, \$1,245.99; fuel, \$1,168.18; judges, \$195; licence fees — Port Arthur and Fort William \$525; loud speaker service, \$61.50; meals \$18.

Prize list printing \$889.74; printing and stationery \$460.94; power water and phone \$1,638.03; prize awards \$4,472.75; postage and telegrams \$166.83; repairs and renewals \$5,357.29; supplies \$2,464.46; scholarship — Junior farmers \$200; taxes, \$1,493.08; travelling and promotions \$1,014.25; tickets \$1,020.22; trophies, \$74.05; wages \$18,493.99;

DONATIONS

Thunder Bay Junior Fr \$75; Port Arthur Horticultural Society, \$50; Fort William Horticultural Society, \$50; District Veterinary Service, \$200; Thunder Bay Crop Improvement Association, \$50; District Junior Farmers Association, \$100; Thunder Bay Gladiaola Society \$50; Lakehead Kennel Club, \$250; total \$77,886.24.

Administrative expenses were: Audit Fee, \$375; Insurance \$2,259.44; interest and exchange, \$3,317.93; salaries, secretary manager, \$6,000; office assistants \$4,100; unemployment insurance, \$110.50;



THREE - AWARD WINNER

A THREE-AWARD winner at the 1953 Canadian Lakehead Exhibition, Mrs. Jean Gillespie, of 338 Catherine street, Fort William is shown with three trophies which she was awarded

for best ladies' saddle horse, saddle mare or gelding. The picture was taken at Friday's 64th annual meeting of the Canadian Lakehead Exhibition. (More pictures on Page 9). —Staff Photos

PROBE FATAL DIVE

Father Will Tell Of Dead 'Aquatot'

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Russell Tongay, husky father-teacher of the famed "aquatots," Kathy and Bubba Tongay, may take the stand Monday in his own defence against charges that he caused Kathy's death by forcing her to dive from dangerous heights. Tongay's manslaughter trial was recessed Friday until Monday after

he was not qualified to teach high diving.

SPECTATORS APPLAUD

Applause broke out in the courtroom when Desjardins said if Tongay had been qualified "he would not have let that child go up on that tower."

Judge Ben C. Willard reprimanded the audience for the out-

Eastern Papers Rapped

Defence counsel for three of five men charged with fraud and conspiracy at the Fort William office of the Ontario department of highways told a Magistrate's Court hearing at Fort William this morning that an Eastern Ontario newspaper was "in flagrant contempt of court" in publishing some material on the highways case.

T. P. Callon of Port Arthur, acting for A. M. Mills, Thomas Ayres and Watson Turner, was supported by Magistrate C. D. LeMay, who told three Toronto reporters present that "the press has been cautioned now, and it will be for the reporters to bear that in mind in their future reports."

THE HIGHLIGHT

The defence objection was the highlight of an otherwise routine remand of Mills, Ayres, Turner, Donald Gandier of Fort William and Douglas Cutting of Fort William on the charges.

At the request of the defence, the five men were remanded until Feb. 6, when they will elect trial by a magistrate or higher court.

W. A. Maloney of Fort William, counsel for Gandier, also told the court that his client would not be prepared to proceed with a preliminary hearing Feb. 6, and Crown Attorney P. V. Ibbetson, QC, said he would confer on this point with C. L. Dubin, QC, Toronto, who was appointed special prosecutor.

A packed courtroom of about 60 people, including a dozen-odd press and radio representatives, a dozen police officers, and several lawyers, watched the hearing. Albert Wren, MLA of Kenora, was in the police station for the hearing, but could not find a seat and was asked to leave a few minutes before the highways case came up.

Several other minor charges, including drunkenness, theft and dangerous driving, were disposed of before the highways suspects

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PRINCE ALBERT LIKE NORTH POLE

How's the weather at the North Pole? Similar to Prince Albert, Sask., said the weatherman.