

The Industrial Exhibition.

The Industrial and Provincial Exhibitions are now over and while the average country youth is lamenting that this holiday outing with his girl is past and the exhibitor is mourning or rejoicing over his success or non-success, as the case may be, the Directors are sitting down and counting the tens of thousands of dollars which were dropped in by quarters at the turnstiles. The success which attended the Industrial this year has been unprecedented, and the management has now settled down to the conclusion that Toronto has a permanent thing in Canada's Great Fair. The receipts this year exceed those of any previous year by nearly five thousand dollars. The large amount of extra business and ready cash which it brings to Toronto, apart from the receipts of the Association, is something enormous. Financially, therefore, Toronto is a great gainer by the Exhibition. But perhaps the really more important advantages are the impetus it gives to manufacturers in all its branches by competitors vying with each other for public favor and patronage and the competition in the excellence of stock, &c. The whole country reaps advantage from an Exhibition such as the Industrial, and the time is fast approaching when all the smaller and useless little township Fairs must disappear before the County and large Central Exhibitions. As much cannot be said of the Provincial Exhibition, as year by year its interest seems to be waning, though the exhibit in many departments at Guelph was very fine.

INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION NOTES.

One of the finest and largest exhibits in Agricultural Implement Hall was that of Paterson & Brother who occupied a position in the very centre of the building. Notwithstanding the very large display not only was the entire exhibit sold on the ground, but orders taken for many more, amounting to several thousand dollars. Their binders in two sizes were very popular and a large number of orders were taken for next year.

The Wilson Fanning Mill seemed to stand without a rival at the Exhibition. Grain of the dirtiest kind was put through and thoroughly cleaned, which the competitors declined to touch. The Wilson Mill is, without doubt, a superior machine.

Mr. Jonathan Brillinger exhibited his fine General Purpose Stallion, Young Scotland's Glory.

Messrs. W. & A. Wright made, as usual, a good display of poultry, and succeeded in carrying off a large number of prizes.

Miss Louisa Wright carried off second prize as lady rider, Miss Chaffor, of Woodbridge, having taken first. Opinion was very much divided as to the merits of the riders, many expressing themselves in favor of Miss Wright as the more elegant in style, but the Judges decided otherwise.

The Messrs. Russell's herd of Durhams was admired by all, and were without doubt the finest animals ever exhibited on the continent. Among them was the Gold Medalist of the Centennial. They carried off a number of prizes.

Mr. R. Marsh took first prize for best pen of sheep. Mr. Marsh's stock is very superior and many of them have been prize winners in England.

Messrs. James Cruickshank & Son, West- on, are prize winners for two horse spring market waggon.

Mr. Simon Beattie, Markham, showed nineteen fine Imported Clydesdale Stallions and brood mares; C. Stong, Woodbridge, exhibited a roadster stallion; W. & J. Nichol, Newton Brook, showed a handsome carriage stallion; Joseph Wiggins, Pine Grove, A. Burgess, Islington, and C. Ham- stock, Aurora, exhibited roadsters; Wm. McClare, Vaughan, took a prize for high bred boar.

Mr. John Palmer exhibited his fine young Imported Stallion.

West York Election Trial.

The petition against the return of Major Gray as member of the Local Legislature was heard in Toronto last week before Justices Burton and Ogler. There were in all some forty charges of bribery and corruption, personal and through agents. One after another of the charges were gone into, and one after another they were dismissed by the Judge, until the entire list was gone through with, and the petition was dismissed with costs. Notwithstanding this fact, however, all who had given the case any attention, and watched the course of the evidence felt satisfied that there was a vast amount of corruption carried on during the election contest, the presiding Justices not excepted. In several instances the respondent was proven to have treated all hands, but their honors thought corrupt intent could not be

imputed as "it was his custom" to treat. In delivering judgment they admitted that Major Gray had placed himself in a perilous position by treating, yet he is confirmed in his seat, while Mr. Phelps, of East Simcoe, is unseated because a hotel-keeper, who happened to be at the convention where Mr. Phelps was nominated, through ignorance violated the law. And wherefore the difference? Mr. Phelps was a Reformer while Major Gray was a Conservative. Two or three lessons may be learned by a comparison of these two cases: (1) That Justices on the bench are only human beings made up of flesh and blood and political inclinations. (2) That the law in its present state puts a premium on selecting candidates whose "custom" it is to treat. (3) That whiskey is at once a mighty power and a mighty curse, especially at election times. This latter fact was amply illustrated during the trial, when witnesses whose evidence would have been damaging the respondent's case were so stuffed with whiskey that they were unable to give evidence.

The decision of the Judges will be appealed against, the necessary deposit having already been made and the appeal entered with the Registrar of the Court of appeal. And there is abundant ground for an appeal.

The Hamilton Tribune would like to know if a deputy returning officer can be mulcted in \$200, as was the case in Northumberland, for depriving an elector of his vote, how much the returning officer in Bothwell should be assessed for disfranchising a whole constituency? Our contemporary's conundrum will be authoritatively answered before the Bothwell case is finally settled.

A new paper, *The Economist*, has just been started at Shelburne, County of Dufferin, by Mr. W. L. Smith, late foreman of the *Economist* office, Markham, the initial copy of which is before us. In make-up and appearance it is both neat and tasty, and in contents, interesting. We hope it may prove as remunerative as it is creditable to its proprietor, and as to its advantage to the community there can be no doubt.

The *Bystander* for October, now out, is the last of the series, giving place to a weekly journal, *The Week*, the first number of which will appear on Dec. 6. It is understood that Mr. Goldwin Smith will be chief contributor, and that its editor, Mr. Roberts, a well-known *litterateur* of New Brunswick will be assisted by other able pens. The announcement says the new journal will be devoted to "Politics, News, Literature and Amusement—independent in its principles and popular in its character."

In a letter to the *Ottawa Free Press*, Mr. James Cotton, one of the parties together with the *Globe Printing Co.*, against whom Shields had a writ for libel issued in June last, says he has been waiting patiently to see what Shields meant, and thinks the latter has found that he was barking up the wrong sapling. He says, "I can only apply to the court to have the writ dismissed, to assess the costs, leaving John Shields to public disgrace, and denounce him as a braggart, a coward, a paltrone and a liar."

Last week was a glorious week for the Canadian Methodists. It will as richly deserve commemoration in the future as any event in their history. They have agreed to sink their differences for their common good and the advancement of the cause of Christ. Four branches are now joined in one strong organization, rivalries are of the past, economy in administration and united effort are assured and Canadian Methodism is fitted for higher usefulness. The Presbyterians are a few years in advance of the Methodists in this union movement. They coalesced most heartily, and have yet to express their first regret for their action. Canadian Christians are running far ahead of their brethren in this country in this respect. How long, Christians of the United States, will ye continue to divide the body of Christ?—*New York Independent*.

Mr. Lyon, the Reform candidate in Algoma has been elected by a handsome majority.

WESTON.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The late severe frosts did a great deal of damage in this neighborhood to late crops and vegetables, market gardeners suffering most. Messrs. Burton & Sons estimate their loss at upwards of \$600.

ACCIDENT.—Mrs. Simpson, an old lady, while pulling fruit, fell from a ladder and broke her arm near the shoulder. Dr. Aiken was quickly in attendance and reduced the fracture. She is now doing as well as can be expected, though very weak.

KILLED ON THE CARS.—John Moran, brakeman on the G. T. Railway, came to his death on the night of the 14th ult., near Grafton, by his head striking against an overhead bridge. He had only been about four weeks on the road, and it is supposed he had been standing with his back to the engine and did not know of being so near the bridge. He was found by a companion a few moments after passing the bridge lying on the top of the car quite dead, the back of his head being mangled in a shocking manner. The funeral on Sunday, 16th ult., his remains being followed to the family burying place here by a great number of sorrowing and sympathizing friends.

AYER'S Cherry Pectoral.

No other complaints are so insidious in their attack as those affecting the throat and lungs: none so trifled with by the majority of sufferers. The ordinary cough or cold, resulting perhaps from a trifling or unconscious exposure, is often but the beginning of a fatal sickness. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL has well proven its efficacy in a forty years' fight with throat and lung diseases, and should be taken in all cases without delay.

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HORACE FAIRBROTHER,
Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

Croup.—A Mother's Tribute.

"While in the country last winter my little boy, three years old, was taken ill with croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. One of the family suggested the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, a bottle of which was always kept in the house. This was tried in small and frequent doses, and to our delight in less than half an hour the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the CHERRY PECTORAL had saved my darling's life. Can you wonder at our gratitude? Sincerely yours,
MRS. EMMA GEDNEY,
159 West 128th St., New York, May 16, 1882.

"I have used AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL in my family for several years, and do not hesitate to pronounce it the most effectual remedy for coughs and colds we have ever tried."
A. J. CRANE,
Lake Crystal, Minn., March 13, 1882.

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JOSEPH WALDEN,
Byhalia, Miss., April 6, 1882.

"I cannot say enough in praise of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, as I do that but for its use I should long since have died from lung troubles."
E. BRADGON,
Palestine, Texas, April 22, 1882.

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Yours respectfully, MRS. ANN O'BRIAN,
148 Sullivan St., New York, June 24, 1882.

All persons interested are invited to call on Mrs. O'Brian; also upon the Rev. Z. P. Wilds of 78 East 54th Street, New York City, who will take pleasure in testifying to the wonderful efficacy of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, not only in the cure of this lady, but in his own case and many others within his knowledge.

The well-known writer on the *Boston Herald*, B. W. BALL, of Rochester, N.H., writes, June 7, 1882:

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