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## LAST DAY OF THE FAIR

### The Rain Spoiled the Exhibition—Merchants Who Exhibited Were Rewarded.

The fair grounds were too wet to carry out the programme set for Friday but there was a fairly good attendance of visitors. When asked for a statement showing the approximate attendance since the first day, Manager R. J. Bushell stated that it was in the neighborhood of 10,000. The chief attractions on Friday were the palace, poultry show, vegetable exhibits, school fair, horses, cattle, hogs and sheep. It was a matter for regret that the parade of pure bred, prize winning live stock could not take place Friday as announced, owing to the muddy condition of the track. Some of the cattle exhibitors began during the afternoon, when the rain stopped, to take their cattle home. Among them was W. A. Martin & Sons, Corbyville, who won first prizes for Shropshire and Oxford sheep, and Berkshire hogs. They sold on the ground, two Oxford shearlings, one lamb and a Berkshire hog. Baker Bros', pure bred Holstein bull, that won the ribbon, was an object of very great interest among cattle men.

Prof. Farley the balloonist is mourning the loss of the parachute with which his lady companion made her descent on Wednesday, landing in the water near Belle Island. Some parties got possession of it, and Prof. Farley will reward the person who delivers it to him at the grounds.

The unfinished races on Wednesday will not be raced again, the decision going according to the position of the horses on Wednesday, but Saturday's races will be held in the afternoon together with the other events, including the balloon ascent and the high wire performance by James Hardy, weather permitting. F. M. Bradford's aeroplane will perform also.

The wet weather certainly spoiled Kingston's exhibition. The management will have to pull through the best way they can and Saturday's programme, beginning at 10 a.m., will wind up the proceedings.

During Friday afternoon large numbers of visitors poured into the grounds despite the mud and found the palace attractive to a never-ending source of interest. The merchants had a splendid opportunity to explain the many superior advantages of their exhibits, by which the visitor profited and will remember when he needs to purchase an article that he can do better in Kingston than anywhere else. Much favorable comment was heard upon the superior quality of the goods displayed and of the attention shown by those in charge of them. The natural result will be a great stimulation to business, in which event the efforts of those who contributed to the success of the fair will be rewarded.

Directors Not Down-hearted. "It has rained two days this week, but don't think we are down-hearted for we are going to have a bigger and better fair next year," was the remark of one of the directors of the Kingston industrial exhibition, who is a Whig representative reporter on Friday afternoon.

During the rain on Friday afternoon, the Whig man dropped in to the secretary-treasurer's office, where he found the manager and a number of the directors present. There was not one director who showed any sign of discouragement, as all realized that the rain must come, and if Kingston fair didn't get it some other fair would. "Bob" Bushell remarked, "Say, do you know men, if it had rained on Thursday, we would have had the largest crowd ever known in the history of Kingston, at the fair." He believed there was a larger crowd in the city yesterday than any time during his experience with fairs, but unfortunately the rain started and many "beat it" for home, while hundreds went to the picture shows and the opera house.

Many of the directors of the fair do not feel, that as far as the side shows were concerned, any harm would have been done if certain stands which were ordered to be closed had been allowed to remain open. They feel that an injustice has been done to Kingston industrial exhibition in view of the fact that Toronto and Ottawa exhibitions were permitted to have these attractions. Manager Bushell has in his possession a document which has been forwarded to J. L. Whiting, crown attorney, by the Attorney-General's department advising him what kind of shows would be permitted. He, Mr. Bushell thought that certain civic authorities had been in protest in the closing up and prohibiting of shows which were claimed to be contrary to the Act. Certain directors suggested that if the government was desirous that the law in this respect should be lived up to, it was not up to any of the local authorities to move, until such time as the government detectives were on the job.

Some time before the Kingston exhibition opened, Manager Bushell,

when in Toronto, took up the matter with the provincial authorities, and was given to understand that anything that was permitted at the Toronto exhibition would be O. K. for Kingston. What he learned in Toronto has proven not to be the case. He is convinced that the majority of the people who attend the fairs enjoyed hearing the noise of the men who run the wheels of fortune, etc., and if any of them lost money they would not go home bewailing the fact. Many people came to Kingston solely for the purpose of visiting the side shows where they could have a good time playing at the games of chance. One director remarked that during the summer months visiting companies were permitted to come to Kingston and locate at the fair grounds, where they put on shows which were prohibited during the Kingston industrial exhibition. They believe that what was right for one party should be right for the other; in other words, if one show company was allowed to have a certain class of amusements why should an exception be made of the fall fairs?

Successful Breeders. Among the successful breeders of pure bred Holstein cattle with valuable entries is R. E. Harpell, Cataquet. He secured second prize for aged bull, first on two-year-old bull, and third on two-year-old heifer, which was beaten by a sister raised by Mr. Harpell and sold to her present owner. He was also successful with agricultural horses, winning first prize for two-year-old, first on 1920 colt and third on mare.

Mr. Knight, Elginburg, carried off the honors with his fine Ayrshires, securing first prizes for bull, cow, heifers, and calves. The Whig congratulates the exhibitors of live stock upon their fine showing, and only regrets that mention of some might have been omitted owing to the failure of owners to place a large card on their stock name of which would attract attention. The name of all, however will be published when the official list is received.

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## ARE BACK AT QUEENS.

Napanee Students Have Returned to Their Studies. (From Our Own Correspondent)

Napanee, Oct. 2.—Miss Edith Milling has returned to Queen's to resume her studies, after spending the summer with her father, Mr. Milling. Mrs. Acheson and little son left for her home in Winnipeg after spending a couple of weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller, Dundas street. Louis Meng and Ernest Waggar returned to Queen's this week. Mrs. Webster left this week to visit her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Robert Foster, in Renfrew. Miss Marjorie Trampour left on Monday for Toronto where she will attend University College. Maurice Madden, North Bay, is spending a few days with his father, Judge Madden, Earl street. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Acheson and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dolter motored to Ottawa this week.

Mrs. E. J. McLennan and baby, North Bay, are the guests of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meagher. Mrs. Morden and Miss Daly returned from England and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Daley, Piety Hill. Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Leonard are spending a few days in Toronto. Miss Jessie Henderson and Miss Wilhelmina Johnson are attending Peterboro Normal School.

Mrs. J. Rudd Perry returned on Saturday after spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. E. Barr Hall, Princeton, B. C.

## ARLIE MARKS PLAYERS

Give A Fine Performance at the Grand.

The Arlie Marks Associated Players filled the Grand for the third time on Friday evening, their well balanced company meeting with approval from Kingston theatre goers. The play presented was "The Girl From Out Yonder," a pretty tale of the love and devotion of a walt from the sea. Flotsam, a role taken by Miss Arlie Marks, who is a very clever little actress, richly deserved the applause which greeted her. Dan Fendell, as Captain Barton, her foster-father, filled his pathetic role admirably, and his farewell to his little Flotsam when awaiting the coming of police brought tears to many eyes. Miss Jane Lambie, in exceedingly pretty frock, played the part of the lover's aunt most gracefully, and Miss Lenna Fendell, as the happy widow, and Marshal Hale, as her would-be-lover, provided much clean fun.

Madame Salome, "the woman who knows," answered questions with the aid of her crystal bowl in truly marvellous fashion. Altogether the Marks company is to be congratulated on providing their large audience with a thoroughly enjoyable evening. It will appear at the Grand again this evening.

An Ottawa restaurant announces drastic cuts in business men's lunches.

## TWICE TOLD TALES

### News of Kingston

#### TEN YEARS AGO.

An address on "The Mechanical in Education" was delivered at the Ottawa Normal school last night by Professor John Matheson, of Queen's.

Speaking of the world's baseball series, McGraw, of New York, says: "There is nothing to it but Chicago." This is funny when compared with Cobb's assertion that Philadelphia would take the pennant.

The College Rugby Union will likely appoint home referees this year. It is also rumored that the right to protest will be done away with.

Regina temperance workers have taken over the million-dollar King Edward hotel and will run it without a bar.

Several barns and dwellings in the district were destroyed by a terrific electric storm which ushered in October.

Messrs. Cook and Simpson, well-known gardeners, had a large load of strawberries on the market this morning.

#### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

A man who was found guilty of robbery was caught and sent to the Kingston "pen." Yesterday the authorities at Bowmanville sent a man here under arrest whom they had taken for the man who is now in prison.

The poet longed for things beyond the common, vulgar sort. If poet did less longing, he Would not be quiet so short.

J. Gunn will referee the rugby match this afternoon in place of A. S. Cunningham, who wishes to play.

Local Conservatives nominated Dr. Smythe to contest the parliamentary seat against Mr. Hartly, but Dr. Smythe refused the nomination. The Tories are having quite a time finding a man who has the courage to oppose Mr. Hartly.

The new pump for the waterworks may be built here. Many citizens object to the plan of giving the job to an outside firm, when we have machine shops and foundries in the city.

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