

# EXHIBITION AT HALIFAX

SEPTEMBER 9th to 17th.

In many, if not in all respects, The Nova Scotia Provincial Exhibition for 1903 will be Greater and Grander than any of its predecessors.

\$17,000 in cash prizes for Live Stock, Agricultural, Fine Arts and Domestic Departments.

\$4,500 in purses for six days' racing for trotters, pacers and runners, the biggest meet ever held in the Maritime Provinces.

Industrial exhibits on an unprecedented scale of excellence and numbers.

Aggregation of the products of the farm the field and the garden, and great display of the live stock of the Maritime Provinces.

Horse Show One day will be devoted to a repetition of and improvement on the successful event instituted last year.

Grand Stand by day and by night; programme of unprecedented splendor, beauty and skill. Two programmes daily.

Excursion Rates at very low figures on all lines of travel.

Write for prize lists and all information to J. E. WOOD, Manager and Sec'y, Halifax 7-22 W 19-17

## Prince Edward Island Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition, 1903.

To be held on the grounds of the Ch'town, Driving Park, and Provincial Exhibition Association at Ch'town on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 22nd, 23rd, 24th and 25th Sept. 1903.

The largest prize list yet. Over \$6,000.00 in Prizes.

Live stock, dairy products and poultry entries close 11th Sept., all other entries close on 18th Sept.

Two Days Horse Racing Wednesday and Thursday, 23rd and 24th Sept.

The fastest classes ever started on the Island.

\$1,350.00 IN PURSES

The very lowest rates for Exhibits and Passengers on Steamboat and Railways.

Special attractions in front of the Grand Stand.

For entry forms, prize lists, race programmes and all information address the secretary.

F. L. Haszard, C. R. Smallwood, President. Secretary.

### WRECK SALE

For the Benefit of Whom it may Concern.

Pursuant to recommendation of Surveyors to be sold on Saturday next (noon) 1st of August, 1903, where she now lies stranded about one mile east of Tracadie Harbor, the hull and materials of the schooner

"LAUREL" 76 TONS—COPPER FASTENED—Also the cargo of coal on board thereof—104 tons old Sydney mines.

Terms Cash. CHARLOTTETOWN, FRED. W. HYNDMAN, Lloyd's Agent. 29 July, 1903. 7-3021, Exam 11, Pat 11.

### Furniture Sale

We are authorized by Dr. Kennedy to sell by Public Auction, at his residence on Wednesday, August 5th, AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.

All his household furniture, comprising 1 Superior Piano, Grand upright, parlor, sitting room, drawing room, hall and kitchen Furniture. Carpets, Mats, Oilcloths, and all other fixings required to make a comfortable home.

Terms cash. BENJ. CARTER & Co., Auctioneers.

### EPITAPHS FROM THE CEMETERY OF FAILURE.

He lacked tact. Worry killed him. He was too sensitive. He could not say "No." He did not find his place. A little success paralyzed him. He did not care how he looked. He did not guard his weak point. He was too proud to take advice. He did not fall in love with his work. He got into a rut and couldn't get out. He did not learn to do things to a finish.

He loved ease; he didn't like to struggle. He was the victim of the last man's advice. He was loaded down with useless baggage. He lacked the faculty of getting along with others. He could not transmute his knowledge into power. He tried to pick the flowers out of his occupation. He knew a good deal, but could not make it practical.—Success.

### AFTER TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

Maxime Boucher's Kidney Disease was Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills. HUNTERSTOWN, Que., July 27.—(Special).—For a quarter of a century Maxime Boucher, of this place, suffered from Kidney Disease. To-day he is a well man and has no hesitation in saying Dodd's Kidney Pills did it. Here is Mr Boucher's statement regarding his cure: "For twenty-five years I suffered of the malady of the Kidneys. I felt always feeble. I tried many remedies but with no success till reading of cures by Dodd's Kidney Pills led me to give them a trial. I took in all twenty-five boxes and I am perfectly cured."

No case of Kidney Disease is too firmly planted for Dodd's Kidney Pills to root out. They always cure.

### MRS. GEO. BOND DEAD.

TORONTO, July 27.—Mrs. Geo. Bond, wife of Rev. George Bond, editor of the Christian Guardian, died on Saturday at St. Michael's Hospital, whither she had been taken for an operation which proved too much for her constitution, enfeebled by a long illness.

### Piles

To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have guaranteed it. See testimonials in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if not cured. 60c a box, at all dealers of EDMANSON, BATES & Co., Toronto.

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## RUSSIA'S GRASP FIRM ON CHINA

### Must Not Arrange With Powers About Manchuria.

### Pouring in Troops, Despite Continued Assurances of Peace—Has no Fear of Japan in a Long Conflict at Arms.

PEKIN, July 29.—The most recent declaration of Russia to the foreign powers repeating the time-worn assurance that it was far from her intention to place any obstruction to the development of foreign commerce in Manchuria is regarded here by the powers interested as even more unsatisfactory than the previous assurance since it is hedged round with more conditions, while throughout it is noted that Russia speaks as if Manchuria was a Russian dependency. The declaration which China assures the foreign Ministers was not communicated to the Chinese is interpreted in Peking to mean that Russia won't permit China to make any engagement with the others powers as to Manchuria which may embarrass Russia in the future when the territory has finally become a Russian province. It is openly stated by Russians that Harbin, being purely a Russian city, although in the Kirin province, which Russia undertook to evacuate in April, the foreign Consul could only be appointed with Russia's consent, and the Exequatur would have to be applied for in St. Petersburg, not Peking. If the United States consider the declaration satisfactory that Russia will assist in the development of foreign trade in Manchuria they must be kept in surprising ignorance of the unhappy experiences of the American Trading Company at Vladivostok and Port Arthur. During the past three weeks there has been no material change, but the air is full of rumors, and the situation seems pregnant with possibilities.

### TROOPS POURING IN.

The attitude of the Russians since the Port Arthur conference is more confident than before. At present there is no pretence of the evacuation of Manchuria. On the contrary reinforcements of troops, field guns and ammunition are constantly arriving. As a result of General Kuropatkin's visit to Dalny it has been decided to station 12,000 to 15,000 troops there, to build two powerful forts, and to fortify the coast and railway from Port Arthur to a point two stations above Dalny. The supply of foodstuffs and coal to Port Arthur is continuous. Naval officers at Chefoo say they have never seen such activity. Russian ships are constantly drilling and manoeuvring in gann practice. This may not forebode war but accounts for the fear common in north China. War may be possible. The Russian garrison at Lianyung has been increased. From Tashichiao, on the railway near Niuchuang, to Port Arthur there are now more than 30,000 troops. At the mouth of the Yalu, on the Korean side, is a Russian settlement on an excellent site, with a frontage of one mile to the river. Permanent buildings are being erected. A British officer the other day saw 60 Cossack reserves encamped under a cavalry officer. On the Chinese side of the mouth of the Yalu is Tatundku, with 5,000 inhabitants, the head station for the collection of the likin duties. From the anchorage to the shore is a distance of four miles by a narrow channel, or rather a ditch, which is dry at low water. This is the port America desires to have opened. Thirty miles up stream there is the more important port of Antungshien, easily reinforceable as an important military station. The Manchurian railway is eight marches distant. Ten miles from Antungshien is Wijo, whose opening was requested by England, and refused out of deference to the Faroff incident. This is somewhat ominous, and suggests the possible extension of Russian intrusion to the Yalu. It is causing much misgiving. People ask why Russia enters on a provocative course unless she is conscious of superior power. Hitherto no policy could be calmer or more reasonable or more restrained than Japan's, but the uncertainty of the future causes some uneasiness.

### DEAF AS A DOOR NAIL.

Not an uncommon expression, but quite true of many people whose hearing can be perfectly restored by inhaling Catarrhose. It quickly relieves and cures all kinds of Catarrh. Catarrhal deafness, and disease of the respiratory organs, does not give up hope till you have tested Catarrhose. It has restored lost hearing to thousands, and can do the same for you. Catarrhose is a vegetable anti-septic, pleasant and convenient to use, absolutely certain to quickly benefit and cure. Two months' treatment, \$100. Small size 25c. at druggists or by mail from N O Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

### A BOUNCING BOY.

MEDFORD, Mass., July 25.—A boy weighing 20 pounds, was born to Mrs. Frank L. Bowers, of Lincoln street, West Medford, to-day. Doctors assert that this is a record on this side of the Atlantic. The child did not live, although in all respects normal.

### SALMON RUN SHORT.

VICTORIA, July 27.—A despatch to the Colonist from the Aberdeen Skena River states that the salmon run has been a failure there. Humpbacks are now coming to the river and the canner will suspend operations in a few days.

### AN OPEN LETTER TO THE PUBLIC

The Young Men's Christian Association of this city has been prospering during the past few years, and a marked improvement is seen in every department. The Association has proved its right to exist, and the public are asked to support it as largely as possible.

The thanks of the Association are tendered to those who have given so willingly and liberally in the past. During the next ten days members of the Board of Directors will call for renewal of subscriptions, also on those who have not previously given. It will not be possible to see everyone, and if these who feel kindly disposed toward this movement will hand their subscriptions to the General Secretary or any member of the Board of Directors it will be much appreciated.

Sincerely yours, JOHN T. MCKENZIE, President.

### WHEN THE CROPS ARE IN.

"There's a kind of happy feelin' creeps down in a feller when He's got his punkins gathered and the hay-mow's full aen; There's hope in all the breezes that come blowin' from the hill, And you git to kind of thinkin' God is up there somewhere still; What a purty sight the wheat is as it's piled up in the bin! Oh, it's good to be a farmer when the crops are in.

"It's lively in the city and it's very quiet here; There the hurry and the racket keeps a-goin' all the year; There most every day's excitin' and they keep it up at night, Every way a person gazes there is some on-common sight. An I s'pose it's never lonesome livin' round the haunts of sin— But the city people never have their crops in.

"There's many a day of tollin' and there's many an ache and pain, And there's lots and lots of frettin' at the dryness or the rain, There's the weeds and worms and insects that the farmer has to fight, But the good Lord doesn't often fail to pull 'im through all right, And the sweetest satisfaction that a mortal man can win Sort of hovers round the farmer when the crops are in."

### No More Pains in the Stomach

Because the Greatest of Stomach Remedies Was Used

### Ferrozone

Mr. R. Harris of Rockwood, Ont., writes: "In regard to Ferrozone, I am glad to say it is the most excellent remedy for stomach trouble. Before using Ferrozone I was in a poor state of health, but after taking a few boxes I was cured of pains in the stomach and a soreness in the back. I am enjoying the best of health today, thanks to Ferrozone." Mr. Ernest V. Jordan of Trenton, writes: "I had a severe attack of stomach trouble and indigestion, which completely upset me. I was advised to try Ferrozone, and did so. Since using Ferrozone I have had no further trouble, and can recommend it as a positive cure. My wife also found Ferrozone a good tonic and nerve strengthener." Everybody that ever used Ferrozone speaks just as highly of it. It strengthens the stomach and digestive organs and assists them in carrying on their work. Ferrozone purifies the blood and gives new energy to the nerves. It is the best tonic and builder and good for young and old alike. Just try Ferrozone; results will astonish you. Price 50c per box, or six boxes for \$2.50, at druggists, or The Ferrozone Company, Kingston, Ont. Don't delay. Get Ferrozone today.

### THE STRIKE IN SLATER SHOE FACTORY PRACTICALLY OVER.

The strike in the Slater Shoe factory is practically over. Mr. Charles E. Slater, when seen to-day by a representative of the Star, said that everything was progressing favorably. Men are being put to work and the company is now in a position to cope with any emergency. All the departments are being operated to-day, and the work in the factory will be in full swing on Monday. Mr. Slater estimates that by Monday evening the company will have all the men they want. Yesterday afternoon eight or ten of the oldest employes walked up to the office and reported for work. To-day several men who have been out of employment in the city made application. They were requested to call at the factory on Monday morning.

Mr. Slater said that it might as well be understood now that the firm will not re-engage one from the position they have taken. Mr. Ed. O'Dell, of Hamilton, Ont., Canadian representative of the International Brotherhood of Boot and Shoe Workers, arrived in the city to-day. When seen by the Star, Mr. O'Dell said that he understood the strike was about at an end. He was here for the purpose of arranging all the details in connection with the change in the Slater factory. He said that the factory would be operated in future without any interruption in any of the departments, and there was no reason for anticipating any further trouble.—Montreal Star.

### IT CURES CORNS QUICKLY.

Putnam's Corn Extractor is warranted to cure Corns without pain, in a few hours. Give Putnam's a trial and you will be satisfied. It is sure, safe and painless.

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