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Dundalk Fair a Success

A last the round of fall fairs has come to an end in this district with a grand finale in the Dundalk exhibition. The day was all that could be desired—in fact a little more. Old sol beat down with surprising vigor after his long rest, and those who had the shade of an umbrella were fortunate indeed. It is the scorching sun that suggests the need of a few shade trees on the show grounds.

A good idea of the success of the exhibition will be given by the following figures. Secretary Nixon estimates that there were 3500 people on the grounds, the gate receipts amounting to $575, which is a record smasher. The receipts of the concert were $206, and the government and county grants swell this by $200. All this for a society, with a membership of about 225. The officials all have that happy look—the smile that won't come off.

The sports were very interesting—noticeably the 3-mile foot race. It was generally supposed that Ted Vickers of Durham would be the winner, but from the start McNulty of Swinton Park led the procession at a hot pace, closely followed by Black, also of Swinton Park. As the race progressed it was seen that Vickers had but little chance to win. Coming up the stretch on the last lap the "Park" boys got together and sprinted magnificently neck-and-neck till almost at the wire when Black, by a well-timed leap, won by a fraction of a foot. The time was given out as 16.45, which was very good, considering the heat.

There was no trotting race, but W. W. Trimble showed how it should be done. Right here is given a good answer to those who contend that a fair cannot be a success without horse races. Neither Dundalk nor Feversham shows had horse racing—yet they were both record breakers in the matter of attendance.

The spacious hall was well filled with a fine line of exhibits. Noticeable were the exhibits of several hardware men and jewellers, showing that they are awake to business possibilities of the annual fair, and are not content with only such business as rolls their way.

The exhibit of cattle and sheep was pronounced excellent, while the horses and swine were very fair. The grain and fruit in the hall were conspicuous by reason of their abundance. We noticed A. Muir on the grounds, busily winning prizes with his excellent Cotswold and Leicester sheep. Wm. Patton, Geo. Grummett and R. Arnott had their Oxford Downs in competition. Geo. Ross was there with his Tamworth and Berkshire swine. We also noticed J. A. Kernahan present with his fine horses.

The "ring you ring" man—or boy, was there with his elusive knives, and the "doll" man with his rank cigars, but appeared to receive a cool reception.

Among the poultry exhibit we noticed R. Allen's leghorns, which are winning a reputation in this section.

The concert at night was a success, but all those seeking admission could not gain an entrance, and many who did so were compelled to stand, every seat being taken long before the program began. This was in a degree satisfactory to the directors, who, however, regretted to see any turned away. Jimmy Fax, "The funniest man on earth," was heard, and his selections excelled even Jas. Fax himself, as formerly known. Owen A. Smiley was also heard with great interest in his readings. Miss Mabel Manley Pickard, soprano, charmed all by her excellent selections.

Feversham Fall Fair

The wonderfully fine autumn weather of last week made very successful fairs, and none were more succesful than that held at Feversham on Wednesday. There must have been nearly two thousand people on the ground. The horse show was probably the feature of the day, and we believe the number of entries was ahead of anything heretofore known in this part of the country, the number being 218, although all of these may not have been present. The judges certainly had a heavy afternoon's work

Cattle were rather light for Osprey, there only being about fifty head shown.

There was a large exhibit of sheep and pigs of a very superior class.

The hall was well filled, although a little short in a few lines. Roots and vegetables were good, but scarcely as large a quantity shown as in former years. Ladies' work was quite up to the mark, and fruit and flowers about medium although of fine quality.

The only special exhibits in the hall were a harness exhibit and Mr. Speers' National Cream Separator. Outside was a metallic shingle exhibit and some buggies. There were no side-shows, and no unpleasant episodes marred the pleasure of a most enjoyable afternoon.

The concert at night attracted a very large crowd of people, the admissions amounting to $131.10.

Mr. M. Leitch of the Temperance hotel, and the Salvation Army fed the big crowd with all it required in the line of choice eatables.

Dundalk band, some twenty members strong, under Bandmaster Colgan, supplied a choice variety of music that was much appreciated.

Twenty-two people from Flesherton attended the fair and enjoyed themselves n visiting their Osprey cousins.

The splendid gate receipts this year ought to put the society on an excellent financial foundation with sinews of war to continue the policy of advancement that has always characterized this show; and right here we have a little suggestion to make, and it is that the society erect a poultry house. Poultry is coming to the fore now, and if proper accommodation were provided this could be made one of the most attractive features of the exhibition. A few more classes would need to be added and an expert judge provided. In cattle, horses and sheep Osprey already excels, and to these poultry can be added if the directorate so desires, but under present conditions fanciers will not exhibit and as a result the show of poultry has not kept pace with the other departments, and only maintains a sickly existence.

The total receipts amounted to $430.10 —$300 at the gate and $130.10 at the concert.

Following is the prize list:

Horses

Draught—Pair geldings or mares, J A Kernahan, Geo Hawton. Brood mare, John Miller, Wm. Brewster. Pair 3-yr-old colts, E Jamieson. 2-yr old colt, A Carefoot. 1-yr-old colt, W J Lougheed. Spring colt, John Miller, Wm Bowes, John Julian.

Agricultural—Team, C Thomson, John Miller. Pr 3-yr colts, R Stewart, R Adams. Brood mare, John Moffat, John Julian, C Thomson. 2-yr colt, F Spofford, W H Guy. 1-yr colt, John Moffat, E Jamieson, J McKinnon. Spring colt, Geo Whewell 1 and 2, Geo Lougheed.

General Purpose—Team, D Lougheed, S Park. Brood mare, R Ring, W Brewster, Geo Lougheed. 2-yr colt, T Beatty, John Haney, P Neff. 1-yr colt, W Saigeon, W H Guy. Spring colt, Wm Brewster, Mrs. Bowes, H McLean.

Roadsters—Team, T Oliver, M McQueen. Brood mare, W Adair, T Betts. 2-yr colt, E Jamieson, C Edwards, Geo Lawlor. 1-yr colt, A Reekie, W Lougheed, E Jamieson. Spring colt, A Cook, W Adair, T Betts. Single driver, John Finley, W Elliott, W J Lougheed. 3-yr driver, S Patterson, E Hawton, A Long. Driving pony, C Thomspon, J A Kernahan.

Carriage—Team, Mrs. Free, E Harris, T Betts. Brood mare, A Cook, Robt Stephenson, R Allen. 2-yr colt, R Stephenson, P Neff 2 and 3. 1-yr colt, H McLean, Geo Burk, E Davidson. Spring colt, R Stevenson, Geo Burk 2 and 3. Single driver, S Phillips, L Cameron, A Cook. 3-yr driver, R Henderson, A Cook. Best lady driver, Miss Corley, Mrs. Free.

Special by Barber Bros., best turn-out in carriage or roadster teams, Mrs Free, E Harris.

Special by A T Hutchinson, best turn-out in agriculture or general purpose teams, C Thomson, S Park.

Special by Long Bros., best turn-out in carriage or roadster single driver, John Finley, J Fletcher.

Special by J W Manarey, Geo Burk 1 and 2.

Special by Bank of Commerce, Collingwood, silver medal for draught mare and colt, John Miller.

Special by F C Chard for best lady driver, Miss Reilly, Mrs. Free.

Cattle

Shorthorn—Aged bull, C. J Hogg. 2-yr bull, John Moffat, W H Guy. Cow, W H Guy, Geo Burk 2 and 3. Bull one year old, Geo Burk. Heifer calf, Geo Burk, W H. Guy. Best herd, Geo Burk. Bull, any age, C J Hogg (diploma).

Hereford—James Elliott, all prizes and diploma.

Jersey—Cow, Mary Speers.

Grades—Cow, W Julian, W Conn, James Buckingham. 1-yr heifer, James Buckingham, F Spofford. 2-yr heifer, James Buckingham 1, 2 and 3. Heifer calf, J A Kernahan, F Spofford 2 and 3. 2-yr steer, F Spofford 1 and 2. 1-yr steer, Jas Buckingham, J A Kernahan. J Buckingham. Steer calf, J A Kernahan, Geo Burk. Best herd, Jas Buckingham. Special by E Robinson, James Buckingham, Geo Burk.

Sheep

Shropshire, J A Kernahan all prizes. Cotswold, Alex Muir all prizes. Leicesters, Alex. Muir all prizes. Oxford Downs—Aged ram, R Arnott, Geo. Grummett. Shearling ram, Geo Grummett. Ram lamb, R Arnott, Geo Grummett, R Arnott. Aged ewe, Geo. Grummett, R Arnott 2 and 3. Shearling ewe, R Arnott, Geo. Grummett. Ewe lamb, R Arnott, Geo. Grummett. Best pen, R Arnott.

Swine

Berkshire—Aged boar, Geo Ross. Sow 1-yr, Geo Ross. Sow pig, Geo Ross, Geo Burk, Geo Ross. Best pen, George Ross.

Yorkshire—Aged boar, D Armour & Son. Boar 1-yr, Geo Burk. Sow pig, D Armour & Son. Best pen, D Armour & Son.

Tamworth—Aged Boar, George Ross. Boar pig, R Allen. Sow 1-yr, R Allen, Geo Ross. Sow pig 1909, R Allen, G Ross. Best pen, R Allen.

Poultry

Black Minorca, male, Geo Grummett 1 and 2. Black Minorca female, George Grummett 1 and 2. Houdan female, R Allen. Brown Leghorn male, R Allen 1 and 2. Brown Leghorn, female, R Allen 1 and 2. White Wyandotte, male, W Hodgson 1 and 2; female, W Hodgson 1 and 2 Buff Wyandotte, male, J A Kernahan; female, J A Kernahan. White Plymouth Rock, male, W Guy; female, W Guy 1 and 2. Barred Plymouth Rock male, H Fenwick, James Clark; female, H Fenwick, James Clark. Pair Pekin Ducks, James Clark, R Allen. Toulouse Geese, W Hodgson, H Fenwick. Geese any other kind, Geo Burk, J A Kernahan. Bronze Turkeys, W Hodgson, R Allen.

Grain

Fall wheat, white, F Spofford, J A Kernahan. Fall wheat, red, W Rolling, R Allen. Spring wheat, R Plummer, R Adams. White oats, A Muir, George Burk. Black oats, A Muir. Peas, large white, A Muir. Peas, small white, R Allen, Geo Burk. Timothy seed, A Muir, R Adams. Sheaf exhibit, J A Kernahan.

Roots and Vegetables

Potatoes, rose type, R Plummer, Mrs Plummer. Hebron potatoes, R Plummer, Mrs Plummer. Long-white potatoes, H McLean, W H Conn. Coll potatoes, Geo Hogg. Long mangolds, A Muir, R Adams. Globe mangolds, A Muir. Sugar mangold, A Muir, John McKinnon. Swede turnips, C J Hogg, Mrs Plummer. Aberdeen turnips, John McKinnon, G Hogg. Long blood beets, T Cooper, J A Kernahan. Blood beets, any other, W H Conn, Jas Elliott. Carrots, long table, W Conn, T Cooper. Early horn carrots, R Adams, A J Conron. Field carrots, R Plummer, A J Conron. Parsnips, Wm Elliott, Jas Elliott. Potato onions, A J Conron, W Adair. Top onions, W Julian. White beans, A Conron, T Cooper. Butter beans, A Couron, T Cooper. Table corn, R Adams, W Julian. Ensilage corn, W Adair, R Adams. Cabbage, winningstadt, W H Conn, Mrs Plummer. Red cabbage, Geo Hogg, A Muir. Cabbage, any other, W Elliott, W H Conn. Cauliflowers, R Adams, James Elliott. Tomatoes, W Elliott, W Julian. Squash, Jas Elliott, Mary Speer. Pumpkin, A Conron, Geo Hogg. Vegetable marrow, J Elliott, A Conron. Watermelons, A Conron. Citrons, W Elliott, J Elliott. Cucumbers, W Elliott, R Plummer. Muskmelons, W Hodgson, A Conron. Vegetable oysters, J McKinnon, I H Perigoe. White celery, W Elliott, A Conron. Red celery, W Elliott, I H Perigoe.

Fruits and Flowers

Ben Davis apples, W Smith, R Adams. Duchess, Mrs White, Mrs Plummer. Alexanders, A J Conron, Geo Ross. Wolf River, R Adams, Geo Huff. Snow, R Adams, Geo Huff. Russetts, R Adams, Mrs White. Northern Spies, W Smith, R. Adams. Pewaukee, R Adams, R Allen. Collection Plums, R Adams W Smith. Collection Pears, W Smith, W Elliott. Collection Fruit, R Adams, W Smith.

Begonia, Flowers, J. Kernahan, I H Perigoe. Begonia, Rex, Mrs Field. Cacti, I H Perigoe, Jas Speers. Fuschia, Jas Speers. Geraniums, double, Jas Speers, I H Perigoe. Geraniums, single, T Cooper. Hydrangea, Mrs Wilson, I H Perigoe. Pelargonium, I H Perigoe. Any other decorative plant, J Speers, J Kernahan. Collection of plants, Jas. Speers. Table Boquet, R Fenwick, A Conron.

Dairy

Extracted honey, A Conron, Jas. Elliott. Tub butter, Mrs White, J A Kernahan, W Hodgson. Roll butter, T Cooper, J Moffat, Mr White. Crock butter, Mrs White, R Plummer, Rolling. Fruit Cake, T Cooper, I H Perigoe. Jelly Cake, I H Perigoe, W Saigeon. Lemon Pie, John Moffat, I Perigoe. Home made bread, Mrs White, John McKinnon. Maple Sugar, R Plummer, John McKinnon. Maple Syrup, Mrs. White, W Hudson. Jar Peaches, Mrs Wilson, John Moffat. Jar Plums, T Cooper, W Adair. Jar Pears, T Cooper, W Adair. Jar Grapes, I H Perigoe. W Hodgson. Jar Strawberries, A Conron, H Fenwick. Collection Jellies and preserves, T Cooper, W. Hodgson. Special by Women's Institute, loaf of bread, Bessie Wright, Layer Cake, Lena, Moffat. Special by Fletcher & Morgan on best Tub of Butter, J A Kernahan. Special by A S Webb on best Crock of Butter, R Plummer. Special by Osprey Farmers' Milling Co., John McKinnon.

Home Manufactures and Ladies' Work

Berlin wool work, F Spofford, J Seeley. Crochet in wool, E Thompson, Mrs White. Crochet in cotton, E Thompson, Mrs Boyd. Crochet in silk, E Thompson, Mrs White. Embroidery in linen floss, Mrs Boyd Embroidery in cotton, Mrs Boyd, Mrs Wilson. Embroidery in silk, Mrs Wilson, Mrs Boyd. Embroidery, any other kind, Wm Moore, Mrs Boyd. Plain netting, E Thompson, Mrs Boyd. Tatting, Mrs Boyd. Table centerpiece, embroidery, Mrs Boyd, Mrs Wilson. Any other table centrepiece, E Thompson, Mrs Boyd. Tea cosey, Mrs Boyd, Mrs White. Coll doylies, Mrs Boyd. Ornamental needlework, I H Perigoe, E Thompson. Sofa cushion, E Thompson, Mrs Boyd. Pin cushion, Wm Moore, Mrs White. Table drape, E Thompson. Toilett sett of matts, E Thompson, Mrs Wilson. Whisk holder, Mrs Boyd. Sett table matts, F Spofford, John Seeley. Fancy foot stool, I H Perigoe. Knitting in cotton, Mrs White. Pair woollen stockings, R Plummer, Mrs Plummer. Pr woollen socks, T Cooper, Wm Hodgson. Gent's woollen mitts, Mrs Plummer, R Plummer. Lady's woollen mitts, T Cooper, R Plummer. Patching, Mrs White, I H Perigoe. Pillow shams, R Fenwick. Darning, Mrs. White, T Cooper. Machine sewing, Mrs White, I H Perigoe. Hooked matts, R Plummer, W Adair. Rag carpet, W Julian, Mrs Pummer. Patch quilt, silk, Mrs Wilson, Mrs White. Patch quilt, wool, Mrs White Mrs Boyd, W Hodgson. Patch quilt, cotton, Mrs White, W Rolling. Knitted quilt or counterpane, Mrs White, R Plummer, John Seeley. Any other kind quilt, Mrs White, T Cooper, Mrs Boyd. Drawn work, Mrs Boyd, I H Perigoe. Painting on satin, E Thompson, Mrs Boyd. Painting velvet, R Fenwick. Photo frames, embroidery, I H Perigoe, Mrs Boyd. Photo frames, any other kind, John Moffatt. Initial embroidery, Mrs Boyd. Coll fancy work, Mrs Boyd.

Educational

Hand writing, Mary Sayers, Eva Spencer. Free Hand drawing, Rose Sayers, Mary Sayers.

Art

Collection of Crayons, Mrs Boyd. Collection of oil paintings, E Harris, Mrs Boyd. Collection water-color paintings, Mary Sayers, W Wright.

Special by Dr Ryckman, footrace, F Brackenbury, John Bell.

Vandeleur.

Mrs. Jos. Buchanan and Miss Tillie Buchanan returned last Thursday after spending a month with friends at Lindsay.

A number from here took in the Rocklyn fair last week.

Mrs. W. Alcox and Mrs. S. Gilbert left on Saturday for a week's visit with friends at Nobleton.

Roy Richardson of Chatsworth visited with friends here recently.

Mrs. Carson of Priceville is visiting at S. Gilbert's.

Miss M. Verney returns to-day, Monday, to resume her school duties, after attending the funeral of her father at Tottenham. Much sympathy is felt for Miss Verney in her sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Genoe visited over Sunday at R. Genoes.

Collingwood Gravel

Mrs. John Radley, who has been visiting friends in Toronto, is home again.

R. Akitt visited friends in Collingwood.

Clifford Gamey is attending the O.S. Collegiate.

Mrs. McDowell of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her father, Tucker Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson of Collingwood vissted their daughter, Mrs. Ab. Blackburn.

Messrs. Tucker and Sam Phillips, and Allie McDowell attended the Dundalk fair last week.

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Hatherton

Farmers have been busily engaged in raising their potatoes during the past week of beautiful weather, and they have turned out to be an excellent crop.

A number from here attended the fairs held in Feversham and Dundalk last week, both of which were decided successes.

Sadie Seeley, who has been very ill the past month, is gaining nicely and able to be out again.

Johnny Wiseman of Collingwood visited at his uncle's, J. Lougheed's.

Bertha Winters is learning the dressmaking in Dundalk.

Bertha Smith, who was taken ill with pneumonia at the home of D. Gordon, sufficiently recovered to be taken home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Holman, 4th line, Artemesia, spent a day at H. Down's.

Mr. and Mrs. Karstedt, Flesherton, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Down, Cleveland, Mrs. T. Chislett, Ceylon, and Mrs. (Dr.) Holmes of Owen Sound spent a Sunday with H. Down recently.

H. Irwin, Markdale, spent Sunday in our burg.

John Winters was offered $200 for one of his handsome horses on Dundalk fair day.

Susie Parker visited at her parental home last Sunday.

Bertha and Mary Winters visited at T. Henry's, near Flesherton, recently.

Robert Arnott, our popular stock man, has been successful in carrying off a number of first prizes at Flesherton, Feversham and Dundalk fairs. G. Grummitt also did well in sheep and poultry at Feversham and Dundalk.

Mrs. E. Harrison of Dromore visited with her cousin, H. Down, recently.

S. Grummitt has purchased a handsome two year-old driver which took first prize at Dundalk.

Miss Dale and H. Down attended the S. S. convention at Heathcote on Sept. 20th, and report a good time.

Mrs. Parker, who has been ill, is able to be around again.

About five o'clock on Tuesday morning of last week a fire broke out in the barn on James Dand's farm, east of the railway and about half a mile south of Pretty River, Nottawasaga, and before it was extinguished the building and an adjoining stable, with most of the contents were totally destroyed. Fortunately, the fire was noticed in time to save one horse which was in the stable. The origin of the blaze is very mysterious. It is supposed that the fire was the work of tramps who had spent the night in the barn. The loss at this time of the year is very heavy, the buildings containing Mr. Dand's entire crop of grain, hay and other produce of the farm. There was no insurance.

Half a dozen Shelburne young men who went fishing in forbidden waters—Horning's Mills lake, in other words—one Sunday night about the end of August, got something they didn't figure on at the time, an appearance in Shelburne police court last Monday and a fine of $5 and costs each.—Economist.

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