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Spring Fair a Success.

There was a very good attendance at the Annual Spring Fair of the Richmond Hill & Yonge Street Agricultural Society on Monday, but it is safe to say that had it not been for the rain in the morning, and the threatening appearance of the clouds the greater part of the day, the number of visitors would have been larger than on any former occasion. There was not much rain, however, in the forenoon and the sunny breezes soon dried the park making it very pleasant for those who were not afraid to risk a ducking. The football competition was to have commenced sharp at 10 o'clock, but as some of the teams were delayed by showers, play did not start until after 11 o'clock. After about two hours' play King City defeated Richmond Hill by 2 goals to 1, then Ellesmere won from Dairy Royals, and finally Ellesmere defeated King City, thus winning the $15 cash prize. In the junior competition the Richmond Hill light weights won the $5.50 from the York Mills team. Mr. A.E. Coombs refereed the matches giving good satisfaction and proving himself master of the situation. Besides the horse-racing in the afternoon there were foot races and bicycle races, and altogether there was a capital day's sport. Professors Karn and Bondo gave an exhibition of juggling, etc., on a raised platform, but the wind being against them some of the feats were not a complete success. The village band played a lengthy programme of fine selections, making it very pleasant for lovers of good music.

Among the exhibits was a fine display of rigs from Trench's Carriage Works, consisting of the following :—1 Stanhope Phaeton, 1 Buffalo Road Waggon, 1 Road Waggon, 3 Carts, 1 Wholesale Butcher's Waggon, 3 Platform Spring Farm Waggons, 1 Lumber Waggon. Mr. W. Mager showed a grain chopper, and a mill for taking wild oats out of grain attracted a good deal of attention. The inventor of this simple contrivance is Mr. James Coltham, of Aurora, and many of the farmers pronounced it a complete success.

Many good horses were on the grounds and among the cattle were three very fine herds of milch cows, shown respectively by Messrs L L. Hartman, W.H.Clubine, and T. Ludford. Mr. Hartman's herd consisted 10 cows all of which were dehorned.

Mr. Geo. McDonald's display of harness was very creditable, and Siver's boots and shoes were very attractive The exhibition of grain and roots was also very good.

Below we give the prize list :

HORSES.

IMPORTED DRAUGHT.

Stallion aged—F. J. Gallanough, D. C. Steele.

CAANADIAN DRAUGHT

Stallion aged—M Hemmingway. Stallion 1 year old– Colin Campbell, George Padget. Brood Mare—L L Hartman, F W Jackes. Filly or gelding, 2 years old —Colin Campbell. Filly or gelding, 1 year old—George Padget. Span of horses—Jas Wells, Wm. Omerod.

GENERAL PURPOSE.

Brood mare—Henry Line. Filly or gelding, 2 years old—Thos W Stephens. Filly or gelding, 1 year old—Wm Omerod. Span of horses—T. H. Legge.

JUDGES—Thos. Hood, Jas. Torrance, T S Cook.

CARRIAGE HORSES.

Filly or gelding 1 year old—A Marsh & Son, J. Kelly.

ROADSTER HORSES

Stallion aged—John McBride, Thos. Cannon. Stallion 1 year old—J Palmer. Brood Mare—J Palmer. Filly or gelding 2 years old—Harry Gamble, T W Stephens. Filly or gelding 1 year old—J Palmer J Clark.

BLOOD HORSES.

F J Gallanough, H F Hopper.

CLASS 7.

Single Carriage—A Wright, James McLean. Single Roadster—Jno Palmer, Jas Lawrie. Saddle Horse—T Hood, A Wright. Single Driving Pony—H F Hopper.

SPEEDING.

Lady's turnout—Jno Palmer, James Wells. Farmer's Driver—James Lawrie, John Sutherland. Open trot or pace, Ed Jackson, Richard Darling, John Kelly. 2 50 trot or pace—John Palmer, James Lawrie, Ed Jackson.

JUDGES—J. Harris, Geo. Kelly, V. S.

GAMES AND SPORTS.

Bicycle race, 2 miles—B Painter, F Powell. Bicycle race, mile heats—B Painter, F. Powell. Foot ball, open—Ellesmere. Foot-ball, juniors—Richmond Hill. Foot Race, ½ mile—C H Chamberlain, R. Cowan. Foot Race, 200 yards—V. Mortson, L. Morris. Foot Race, 100 yards—V. Mortson, F. Arnold.

CATTLE.

DURHAM

Bull, any age—Jonathan Brillinger.

GRADES

Cow or heifer—1 and 2, Jas McLean.

JERSEY

Bull, any age—Percy Quantz. Cow or heifer—Geo Padget, Thos Ludford.

HOLSTEIN

Cow or heifer—Thos Ludford, L L Hartman.

Herd of milch cows—L L Hartman.

Fat ox, steer, cow, or heifer—H F Hopper.

JUDGES—Wm Shunk, E Sanderson, Chas J Brodie.

SHEEP

COTSWOLD

Ram—Peter Boynton. Ewe—Peter Boynton.

Pen of long woolled sheep—Peter Boynton.

SWINE

SUFFOLK

Sow, 1 year and over—Robt Elliott. Sow, 4 months and under 1 year—Robt Elliott.

BERKSHIRE

Boar 1 year and over—Peter Boynton. Boar 4 months and under 1 year—Geo Padget, Peter Boynton. Sow 1 year and over—Peter Boynton. Sow 4 months and under 1 year—1 and 2, Peter Boynton

JUDGES—Thomas Teasdale, Albert Bostwick.

POULTRY

Brahma—Harry Gamble, Jas Gould. Dorkings—Geo Padget. White Leghorns—H F Hopper. Brown Leghorns —Walter Eyer, H F Hopper. Plymouth Rocks—Harry Gamble, Jas Gould. Hamburgs—Bert Hopper. Black Minorcas—W R Proctor, Jas Gould. Bantams—Bert Hopper, E Mortson. Game—Bert Hopper. Duck and drake—1 and 2, E Mortson. Pigeons—Jas Gould.

JUDGES—J C Jenkins, R Phillips.

DAIRY

Best 10 lbs butter in lb rolls—Percy Quantz Best 10 lbs butter in crock—Wm Jones. Best 10 lbs butter in 5 lb rolls—Moses Hemingway. Best 10 lbs butter in 2 lb rolls—George Harding. Best 5 lbs butter in roll—Thomas W Stephens. Best 12 lbs butter in 6 lb rolls—George Padget. Best 5 lbs butter in lb rolls—Miss F Brown. Best 4 lb loaf home made bread—Miss E Mortson.

Best batch biscuits—Geo Padget.

JUDGES—R E Law, C. Norman.

MECHANICS' MANUFACTURES

Display of harness—Geo McDonald. Display of boots and shoes—Robt Sivers. Display of furniture—P G Savage.

JUDGES—Leeds Richardson, Jas Bliss, John Morgan.

WRITING

Copy book by boy under 15—Dana Glover, Rolph Vanderburgh. Copy book by boy under 12—Frank Storey; Douglas Derry. Copy book by girl under 15—Violet Storey, Lulu Wiley. Copy book by girl under 12—Emma Peterman, Mabel Smith.

DRAWING

Drawing book by pupil under 15—Velma Brydon, Violet Storey. Drawing book by pupil under 12—Emma Peterman, Clara Langstaff.

JUDGES—J E Clubine, J C Rutherford.

GRAIN, FRUIT, &c.

Dozen eating apples—James Gould, Mrs C. Wismer. Dozen cooking apples —James Gould, Mrs C Wismer. Bush. fall wheat—1 and 2, Thos W Stephens. Bush. spring wheat—Thos W Stephens, Geo Padget. Bush. six rowed barley—Thos W Stephens, Geo Padget. Bush. white oats—Geo Padget, Thomas W Stephens. Bush. black oats—George Padget, Mrs C Wismer. Bush. small peas—1 and 2, Thos W Stephens. Bush. large peas—1 and 2, Thos W Stephens. Collection of potatoes—Wm Jones. Bush early potatoes—Robt Elliott. Bush. late potatoes—Geo Padget. Half dozen turnips—Robt Elliott. Half dozen carrots—Geo Padget. Canned fruit—Bert Hopper. Pickles—Mrs C Wismer. Catsup—David Lynett. Home made wine—Mrs C Wismer.

JUDGES—G F Morgan, Geo Keith, J R Campbell.

[As some of the judges in the ladies' department did not mark the entry book we are unable to give the prize winners until next week.—ED.]

Vaughan Council

The Municipal Council of the township of Vaughan met at the Town Hall, on Tuesday, the 26th of May, as a Court of Revision.

The reeve in the chair. Members present : Messrs. G. W. High, S. J. Arnold, A. Bryson, J. H. Kirby, and W. Watson.

The following appeals were then taken up :—

James Cherry, to have changed 9 acres of lot 31, in the 9th con., from school section 18 to school section 20, and assessed too high for lots 31 and 32.

Assessment to be reduced $100, and 9 acres of lot 31, con. 9, to be changed from school section 18 to school section 20.

Confederation Life, assessed too high for lot 30 in the 8th con., and west half lot 30, in the 7th con.

Assessment sustained.

John A. Daniel and John M. McCallum, wrongly assessed for 2 acres on the south west quarter of lot 16, in the 6th con.

Appeal allowed, and Charles McLean to be assessed for 2 acres of the south west quarter of lot 16, con. 6, valued at $200, said amount to be deducted from J. M. and Daniel A. McCallum's assessment.

Wm. Watson, to be changed from lot 5 to lot 8 in the 6th con for ¼ acre.

Appeal granted, and to be assessed for 2 acres of the south west quarter of lot 16 in the 6th con., for $200, said amount to be deducted from Wm. Watson's assessment.

Henry Willis, assessed for a dog the dog having left the township.

Appeal allowed, dog to be struck off.

Samuel McDonald, to be assessed for the store and ¼ acre of land on the south east quarter of lot 18, in the 6th con.

Appeal allowed.

Robt. Hollingshead, tenant to be changed, James Durants, the tenant assessed, having left the premises and wishes Thos. Readman to be entered for the same.

Appeal allowed.

Chas. C. Nassmore, should be Chas. C. Passmore.

Appeal allowed.

Thos. Jackson, to be changed and assessed to John McBride.

Appeal allowed.

McDonald Estate to assessed to John and Frank McDonald as owners.

Appeal allowed.

James A. Stevenson, wrongfully assessed for a dog.

Dog struck off.

Harvey Kaiser, wrongfully assessed for a dog.

Dog struck off.

W. Phillips, wrongfully assessed for a bitch.

Bitch struck off.

Moved by Mr. Bryson, seconded by Mr. Arnold, that the court of revision do now adjourn until June 16th next, to meet at 10 a. m.—Carried.

The council then met for general business, members all present.

Moved by Mr. Watson, seconded by Mr. Arnold, that the treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay the following road accounts:

District No. 1—

John Charles, work on road, 2 days at 80c	$ 1 60
District No. 2—	
Wm Waldron, building culvert on gravel road, lot 9, $4, and filling in washout at Pine Grove bridge, $2	6 00
F. J. Bunt, drawing gravel on gravel road, lot 9, at 18c. per yard, $13.32; drawing timber and posts for culvert, $2, and cleaning gravel out of ditches on gravel road, $1.50	16 82
Harry Kaiser, 74 loads of gravel at 10c	7 40
District No. 3—	
J. L. Card, 88 ft. cedar at 11½c.; 23 cedar posts at 14c ; 20 lbs. of spikes at 4c ; work putting in 2 culverts between lots 24 and 25, con. 9	17 14
J. L. Card, for 164 ft. plank at $14 per M., between Vaughan and Albion, being one half	2 29
To J. L. Card, 112 ft. cedar at 12 cts.; 39 posts at 14 cts.; and 24 lbs. swikes at 4 cts ; and putting in two culverts on Gravel Road between lots 35, 9th con.	$24 86
To J. L. Card, 120 ft. cedar 6x8 at 7 cts.; 55 lbs. spikes at 4 cts., and work fixing Lawrie's bridge and breakwater, 8th line	84 60
To King township, for repairs on town line, being one half	5 25
To David Green, for breaking stone 5 days on gravel road	4 00

—Carried

By-Law No. 662 was then passed setting apart the village of Maple, composed of the west half of lots 21 and 21 in the 3rd con. and the easterly boundary of Mark Robinson's lands and the west half of lot 21 in the 4th con. for the purposes performing statute labor, as road beat No. 26.

The Council then adjourned until June 9th.

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