

Durham, Thur. Oct. 1, '96.

South Grey Show.

RAIN AND MUD. SPLENDID INSIDE EXHIBIT.

For once in many years the directors of South Grey Agricultural Exhibition have met with a dampener physically and figuratively, Tuesday, however was not so bad but that the best collection of inside matter ever seen in Durham was got together.

Certainly the fruit class was never better, and in this period of low prices for grain and stock, steps should be taken to plant out more orchards, and plan for shipping on a large scale.

The pies and pastry department showed the skill of our ladies in the culinary line, while the quilts and ladies' fancy work delighted the eyes of the judges as it did the many who so deeply take an interest in it.

The butter class was largely represented, and the judges speak in high terms of its excellence.

To do justice to the vegetables they should be described in Foster type, a globe of a squash weighed 192 lbs and it was brought from the tropics either.

Mr. Patterson Jr. takes the cake as an exhibitor of vegetables, he takes over 20 prizes, most of them firsts and carries the gore on the 19th and 20th Con. of Egmont, can't be beat for potatoes as five out of the six prizes go to the Patterson's, Jno. Allan and Jno. Acheson, all neighbors and relatives too.

The flowers are a continual delight, and notwithstanding late frosts a very fine collection has been entered and they had many admirers.

Brown's collection of Photos, without doubt surpassed anything ever seen in Durham. The arrangement of the exhibit showed artistic taste, and kept crowds always before it.

The lack of the ring events caused a general regret, the track however was safe to race upon owing to mud.

The directors must be gratified, and the Secretary, Mr. McKenzie especially, at the success of entries over past shows, every line was well filled out and the general excellence was freely remarked.

More light and more space are required for the poultry, which has a largely increased attention and drew crowds of admirers, Leavens and Holt our local fanciers were in their glory.

The Caldwell Bros., of Orchardville, are still at the front in Tamworth pigs and various other lines.

See McKenzie is most obliging to the press—and everyone else, and his long experience renders him a valuable servant.

Best Saddle Horse to show in walking and trotting style considered. R. McFarlane, T. G. Lauder, Jas. Watson.

Best Span Farm Horses attached to waggon. Jno. Picken, Wm. F. Pinder, C. Blythe.

Best Span Farm Horses walking once around the ring attached to empty lumber waggon. Jas. Hillis, Jno. Acheson, Syd Willis.

Class 16.—THOROUGHbred CATTLE. Durham.

Best Bull 3 year old and upwards. Matt Barber.

Best Bull 2 years old and upwards. T. Reiner, A. Fortney, H. Parker.

Best Bull 1 year old and upwards. Jos. Sharp, Wm. Mountain.

Bull Calf. T. Orchard, H. Parker. Best Cow. F. Reiner, F. Reiner, H. Parker.

Best 2 year old Heifer. F. Reiner, H. Parker.

Best 1 year old heifer. H. Parker. Best Heifer Calf. F. Reiner, H. Parker.

Class 17.—HEREFORD.

Bull any age. D. Jackson, D. H. & T. H. Reid.

Cow. D. Jackson, D. Jackson.

Class 19.—AYRESHIRE.

Bull any age. Caldwell Bros., Caldwell Bros.

Cow. Caldwell Bros., Caldwell Bros.

Class 20.—POLLED ANGUS.

Bull any age. H. Brigham, H. Brigham.

Cow. H. Brigham.

Class 22.—JERSEYS.

Bull any age. P. Dickson.

Cow. P. Dickson.

Class 23.—GRADE CATTLE.

Best Cow A. W. Hunter, R. Edge.

Best 2 year old heifer T. G. Lauder Dan Edge.

Best one year old Heifer A. W. Hunter, Wm. Herd.

Best Grade Heifer calf, calved in present year Thos. Orchard, Wm. Scarf.

Best Yoke working Oxen Thomas Cook.

Best Pair 3 year old steers, Wm. Scarf, Wm. Scarf.

Best 2 year old steers, Dan Edge.

Fat Ox, Steer, Cow, or Heifer, any age or breed, And. Magwood, David Jackson.

Class 29.—POULTRY.

Pair Silver Laced Wyandottes. C. Lang, N. Harvey.

Pair Plymouth Rocks. T. G. Holt, Chas. Lang, Pr. Browns Leghorns, T. H. O. Leavens, S. Patterson Jr.

Pair Hamburgs. N. Harvey, C. Leavens, W. T. Funder.

Pair Dorkings. Caldwell Bros., Caldwell Bros.

Pair Game Fowl any kind. N. Harvey, Chas. Lang, Brashmas. T. H. O'Neill, Chas. Leavens, Bk. Spanish. Chas. Leavens, N. Harvey, Fowl any other kind. Chas. Leavens, W. T. Funder.

Turkeys. C. Blyth, Thos. Smith, George. Jno. Acheson, Wm. Willis, Ducks. Chas. Lang, I. and 2. Spring Chickens. Chas. Leavens. Collection of Poultry. Chas. Lang, Caldwell Bros.

LIST OF JUDGES.

POULTRY C. Firth, John Firth, SWINE R. Brunt, T. Milligan, HORSES Rumstedler, A. C. Wolfe, Wm. McLahan.

CATTLE Jos. Tack, Jno. Ward, Jno. Brown.

FINE ARTS N. W. Campbell, Thos. Brown.

ROOTS & GARDEN VEGETABLES. J. H. Davidson, Thos. Brown.

FRUIT & PLANTS C. Firth, L. H. Yeomans, Wm. Lewis.

LADIES WORK Mrs. Wm. Scarf, Mrs. Yeomans, Mrs. W. F. McAllister, Miss Le Riche, Mrs. Wm. Edge.

MISCELLANEOUS Adam Robertson, W. K. Hewson.

GRAIN Adam Robertson, W. K. Hewson.

SHEEP Jas. Swanston, Henry Adams.

DAIRY PRODUCTS Gilbert McKeechie, C. L. Grant, Geo. Spurling.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Miss S. McKinnon returned Tuesday evening from a month's trip to Mt. Forest and other points South. Her cousin Miss Brown of Harrison, accompanies her.

Wilkinson Ploughs always on hand at away down prices at C. McKinnon's.

Mr. Jas. Park leaves to-day on a western trip to friends in Detroit, and may possibly visit his son Archy in S. Dakota.

Mr. Chas. Grey Jr. arrived from Hamilton in time for his cousin's wedding, and will stay a while.

Miss Mary Watson came from Rochester on Monday for her sister's marriage, and after her brief stay will proceed to Rainy River on a visit.

PROMOTED.—In the Grand Trunk changes the best men are supposed to be coming to the top. They are all right at Stuart St. Station, Hamilton, anyway, where Mr. Robt. Grey has been promoted to the position of Station Master, a responsible position, with a good salary. Congratulations to Robt.

A Large Stock of Stoves will be sold at a bare advance on cost at C. McKinnon's.

You need Hood's Sarsaparilla to enrich and purify your blood, create an appetite and give sweet, refreshing sleep.

A special Cabinet photo at \$2.00 a doz. at the Lower Town Studio, J. L. Browne, Photo Artist.

Mr. Chas. Snyder, of Mt. Forest, was visiting his uncle, Mr. Henry Snyder, at Rocky Saugeen this week.

Miss Ada Middleton, of Rocky Saugeen left this week for Albany, New York, her many friends here wish her every success in her new sphere of labor.

Miss Minnie McAul, of Mt. Forest, was spending a few days this week with her friend Miss Turnbull at Rocky Saugeen.

COMPETITION IN Bargains.

Nowhere else can you find Better Goods, Better Qualities, AND LOWER PRICES than await the Shrewd Customer at

McArthur's Store UPPER TOWN, DURHAM.

All Customers are Welcome whether YOUNG or OLD, LADY or GENTLEMEN, and will be waited on by one of the most POPULAR CLERKS that ever stood behind a Counter in THIS TOWN. MR. A. DAVIDSON. Who is Welcomed home by a host of Friends and Acquaintances.

Come One Come ALL And Prove that THIS is NO HUMBBUG. We mean to Challenge Competition in bargains: We fill our different Departments with the most Fashionable Styles and Up to Date Goods, which are carefully selected and Bought to assure our Customers of Satisfaction in Choice and full Value for their Money.

OUR PRICES ARE EVERYDAY ALIKE. We throw out no Baits to Blind, and no Bombast to deceive and Victimise the Unwary. But throw OUR GOODS OPEN TO PUBLIC INSPECTION. We mean Business and are Determined to do it. ON THE FAIREST TERMS WITH OUR CUSTOMERS.

We pay the highest price for Produce: Butter 12cts. per lb. Eggs 12cts. per doz. Which prices are liable to change.

CRANT'S AD. Latest Cheapest Newest AND A GREAT VARIETY OF TAM O'SHANTERS JUST ARRIVED. C. L. CRANT.

THE Latest In Ladies Jackets. THE Cheapest In Ladies Golf Jerseys. THE Newest IN DRESS GOODS. AND A GREAT VARIETY OF TAM O'SHANTERS JUST ARRIVED. C. L. CRANT. NOTICE. ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO ME will please take notice that a full settlement must be made before the 1st of October.

Lamp Goods, Banquet, hanging and STAND LAMPS AND FITTINGS OF ALL KINDS at lowest prices.

AMERICAN AND Canadian COAL OIL. Have you tried the AMERICAN? If not do so and we feel confident you will be perfectly satisfied. MacFARLANE & Co. LOWER TOWN, DURHAM

NOTICE. As I am leaving Durham, all parties indebted to me are requested to call and settle accounts before 1st October as after that date they will be put in other hands for collection. No further notice will be given. E. KILMER. PARK LOT For Sale or to Rent. The undersigned offered for sale or rent that desirable park lot, No. 3 in the village of Priceville. On the lot are a good house, frame barn, good well and orchard. The lot is all under cultivation.

TEACHER WANTED. Wanted for S. S. No. 8, Normandy, a 2nd class teacher, experienced. Apply to the undersigned, stating qualifications, &c., before Oct. 17th, 1896. THOS. BYRES, WALTER GEDDES, LUDWIG BRUSSO, Hampden, Sep. 16th, 1896.