

CARLETON COUNTY EXHIBITION.

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a grand colt one which should be a prize to the country.

The special prize for French Coach went to Lavater one of the to be noted sires of the province. I have seen his stock from native mares of Maine and they are remarkable for size, style and uniformity in conformation.

I wish most heartily to commend your general system of judging draft horses but would urge a well kept show ring where the crowd will not interfere with the horses. To do this arbitrary lines must be established and if the rule was fixed that the drag or sled must be started from the same spot it would put all conditions of hauling on an equal.

Throughout the general purpose class the average of the stock shown was high and herein your society is to be congratulated. While the class of mares without foal was good emphatically so, the three, two and especially one year olds were remarkably fine, so much so that those sent out would have won a place under fairly sharp competition. Your classes should be divided. No prize offered on brood mare unless she has foal on foot by her side, all fillies over three years to go in carriage class. Beyond this the general purpose class is a misnomer. To the road-horse man it is a class for good road and fairly good draft powers while to the draft man it is a good draft horse with fairly good driving qualities. As both divisions of this class should be encouraged, distinct classes ought in justice to the breeders and growers to be opened, one for road horses and the other geldings and fillies, grade draft stock, from four years down.

The great interest manifested in the examination of horses attests the growing interest in the industry and that it may be made of added interest it would be well to build raised seats about the show yard where all may see without obstruction or weariness. Doing this the judging becomes one of the chief sources of entertainment.

In the carriage classes I found some of the best horses on exhibition. Throughout the several classes the average grade was high and particularly so in three year olds. It will be well when the number of colts like these and the yearlings are multiplied.

The cream of the exhibit came in the ladies driving class and the six horses shown were handled with skill by the fair drivers. It is along the harness classes that the society can most rapidly advertise its stock and in no division can more be accomplished than in bringing out these light hitches with the ladies as drivers.

The great improvement made in your grounds and buildings and the energetic manner in which you have carried forward your programme must increase your exhibits next year and add to that enthusiasm which alone begets progress. I congratulate you on the advance made during past years and ask only to be allowed to suggest that "new occasions teach new duties" and that only through improvement can your society justify its existence or merit the support of your very liberal government. With best wishes for 1903.

Very truly,
G. M. TWITCHELL.

The first floor of the main building contained the heavier exhibits.

The Woodstock Wood-Working Company had a good display of the work from their factory consisting of newel posts in hard and soft wood, doors and windows. Beside these they exhibited a beautiful piece of panelling in bird's eye maple and white wood, a piece of wainscoting in spruce and butternut and a piece of flooring in white and red birch. The work on these was beautifully done and the combinations of different woods made pleasing contrasts.

The Woodstock Carriage Co. had six carriages. A Bangor with black body and lake gear which they had made for S. R. Boyer, a couple of double carriages and three other single carriages including a handsome and comfortable road wagon. This company received first prize on one of their double carriages and first on one of the single carriages.

H. E. Burt exhibited four stoves made by the McClary Manufacturing Co.

The Small & Fisher Co. showed eight stoves of their own make, among which was one of the celebrated Woodstock ranges.

The Baird Company occupied the same corner as last year which they filled with a well arranged pyramid of their own proprietary preparations, the names of which are becoming so well known through liberal advertising.

Herbert Harper had on exhibition a Sharples Tubular Cream Separator, of which he has the agency for this county. Mr. Harper explained that the chief advantages of his separator were the simplicity of its mechanism which rendered it so easy to clean, its close skimming qualities, and the ease with which milk could be fed into the low down supply can.

A. E. Plummer had a cream separator run by a dog power that attracted a great deal of attention.

Chesley Estey had one pung on exhibition, to which the judges awarded first prize.

W. F. Dibblee had an excellent exhibit of stoves and heaters and a few wringing machines.

Loane Bros. exhibited three light carriages on which they got first, second and third prizes.

J. J. McGaffigan, Ltd., of St. John, ran a very popular tea booth, under the auspices of John Connor of this town and under the management of C. T. Morton. Mr. McGaffigan has been in the tea business since 1878, and he puts a good thing on the market. A large number of people called at the booth to be refreshed with a drink of tea.

The exhibit of vegetables sent from Northumberland County by Governor Snowball, which was made up of the products of his own farm and that of George E. Fisher, was an excellent exhibit, one squash weighing over 100 pounds called forth a good deal of comment. The governor's exhibit of wheat, to the growth of which he devotes a good deal of energy, was specially fine.

Balmain Bros. had a show of Ferrin riding plows, including a single sulky and a gang sulky. These sulky plows are rapidly taking the place of the old plows behind which a man walks his life away. They also showed

the Page wire fence. Their plow exhibit was in charge of Mr. Percival of the Perrin Plow Company.

Small & Fisher Co.—This firm showed very extensively its manufactures. There were: Little Giant Threshers, Sawing and Shingle Machines, Rotary Mills, Horse Hoes, Plows, Stoves, Hot Air Furnaces, Farmers' Boilers, etc. A fine show, testifying to the ability of our local manufacturers to compete with the imported work.

Massey-Harris Co.—Wm McDonald, the agent, showed the Bain Wagon, with hay and stock rack attached; Grain Grinder, Wheel Barrows, Side Hill Plows, Two Furrow Gang Plows and Sulky Riding Plows, Turnip Pulper, Straw and Hay Cutters, Mowing Machine; Grain Drill, broadcast and grill combined, Riding Cultivators.

CConnell Bros.—One of the best displays the firm has ever shown, was on exhibit, in care of Harry McKinley. It included a Threshing Machine, Cider Mill, Pulper, Spring Tooth Harrow, New Land Harrow, Lever Tooth Harrow, Drag Sawing Machine, Circular Sawing Machine, long and short; Farmers' Hog Boilers, Wooden Beam and Nos. 31, 32 and 33 Plows.

Several heavy team waggons were exhibited first prize for which was given to Mr. Hall of Muniac.

Atherton Bros. the well-known harness makers, occupied their old corner of last year. They carpeted the floor, draped the walls and covered the ceiling with carriage robes, blankets and mats, giving the place a clean, bright appearance. Beside these things a large variety of which they keep in stock they showed, as the main feature of their exhibit, four sets of harness made in their own shop. A double work harness trimmed in brass; a double light harness trimmed in oroid; a single harness trimmed in solid nickel and a light single harness trimmed in genuine rubber. The designs and execution showed excellent taste and skill. A scrub horse decked out in such harness as this would make a first prize trotter in meaner garb look like a cheap criminal.

The A. Henderson furniture company was at the old stand, occupying a strip of nine feet along the whole length of the east side of the main building. The floor, walls and ceiling of this space were covered with carpets and rugs of endless variety. The display of carpets included seventy-five different patterns of velvet pile, axminster, brussels, tapestry and wool, besides some choice rugs and mats. These formed the background for a most excellent display of furniture, the most interesting part of which was three bedroom suites made by the company at its factory here; one was of birds eye maple, another of beautifully grained ash finished in golden oak, and the other of birch finished in the natural wood. In design these suites display that simplicity and grace to which the best manufacturers of the best furniture are returning. It is gratifying to know that such things are made in our own county, by our own workmen, and it is unfortunate that Mr. Henderson, the creator of the company, did not confine the exhibit entirely to the output of the Woodstock factory, in order to show what can be done with our own wood, and by our own workmen on the Upper St. John.

Beside these, however, this company displayed a number of other comfortable articles of furniture, among which were a big easy chair of leather, a morris chair, a graceful rattan chair, and a sideboard, a ladies dressing table and a hat tree.

The exhibit of Hugh Hay & Son was chief of furs, and consisted of articles ranging in price from a point within the reach of a very small income to a ladies Persian lamb jacket at \$125.00. Here was an interesting display of raw skins of all kinds, from the despised skunk, or peppermint cat, to the Alaska seal. This collection included such skins as the Newfoundland Seal, Alaska Seal, Otter, Blue Lynx, Fox, Stone Martin, Brown Martin, Black Fox, Mink, White Persian Lamb, Black Persian Lamb, Astrachan, Boharah, Coon, Black Bear, Thibet and Squirrel. To demonstrate the difference between the two kinds of seal Mr. Hay showed a Newfoundland Seal skin at six dollars, and an Alaskan Seal at fifty dollars. Beside this exhibition of furs not made up this firm showed a large quantity of fur coats, capes, collars, coat linings and other things in fur, among which was a musk ox robe at \$95.00. At one end of the space occupied was a fine display of lace curtains, shown by means of a mechanical device lately invented and patented by Mr. Hugh Hay, which enables him to quickly show a large number of sample curtains and as quickly return them to a dust proof case without soiling or creasing them. The front of the whole exhibit was decorated with mounted deer, caribou and sheep's heads, among which was a sheep's head with four horns from India.

Balmain Bros. had at the head of the front stairs a fine exhibit of men's fur coats in Raccoon, Australian Coon, Wombat, Russia Calf, Brown bear and imitation Buffalo with rubber interlining. They also exhibited ladies jackets in almost all these furs and a large assortment of fur robes including one made from a magnificent grizzly bear hide.

The exhibit of the Carleton Woollen Mills Co. was a revelation as to what was being done in Woodstock in the manufacture of woollen fabrics. It consisted of yarns of various colours, heavy and light blankets of different colours for different uses, and a large assortment of suitings. Beside these they had a number of ladies suits and mens reefer's made up from the product of their looms.

In the exhibit of fancy work special mention should be made of a corner devoted to the work of Mrs. J. S. Gray, who exhibited a fine display of needle work and painting on satin and canvas. She received first prize for oil painting and first for painting on satin.

A. E. Plummer exhibited 8 varieties of potatoes, receiving 7 first prizes and one second. He got first prize for dairy butter in print and second for dairy tub butter. He exhibited a herd of eleven pure bred Hols tein cattle, headed by a finely bred three years old bull bought from Bollart & Son, Quebec. The predominating colour of the bull is white. His progeny, though young, give promise of being good producers. The cows were aged, 13, 8, 6, two 2 years old, two yearlings and two calves under six months. The oldest cow is the one that made a record for herself two years ago by

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making 11,000 lbs of milk in a season of ten months. On this herd Mr. Plummer got seven first prizes, four second, and first prize for the herd. One of the two years old heifers has a calf twelve months old.

Judson Briggs had 40 entries at the exhibition and won \$58.00 in prizes. For ten exhibits of potatoes he received 8 first prizes and two seconds. He got first prize for a driving team and for saddle horse. He exhibited 4 hogs and got 2 first prizes, one second and one third. For Ayrshire cattle he got 2 firsts, 3 seconds and one third.

Ben Chase exhibited a herd of pure bred Ayrshire cattle, winning one first prize and three seconds in a keen competition, and second prize for the herd, Robert Gidney carrying off first herd prize.

The exhibition of dairy products was excellent. Only one lot of the butter fell below 90 points, and the rest ran from 93 to 98. The best dairy butter tested exceptionally high at 97 1/2 points.

The judges say the exhibit of fruit was the best ever seen in the province outside the St. John exhibition and it excelled even anything seen in St. John in the last three years. The apples were of good size, well coloured, uniform and the flavour well developed. H. F. Grosvenor's exhibit of grapes of two varieties and of pears was much admired. He received first prizes on both these.

The show of cattle was simply immense and except in beef cattle beat anything seen in the Maritime Provinces last season.

The swine were excellent and did credit to the farmers who owned them.

The only class that fell below the high standard of Carleton County exhibitions was the sheep. These were rough and poorly fitted for an exhibition.

The Exhibition Committee are already working out the details of next year's exhibition which they intend shall be a buster. They will construct a one eighth mile track inside the half mile track at the park, for the purpose of showing and judging the horses. They will erect a stand for the judges and a grand stand for the visitors that they may see the exhibit without the fatigue of standing up three or four hours.

Summary of races.

2.21 CLASS.	
Gertie Glen,.....	4 1 3 5 3
Anna T,.....	5 3 4 3 4
Joe Hal,.....	1 4 5 2 2
Barbadoes,.....	2 2 1 1
George S,.....	2 2 4 5
Souml Prince,.....	3 5 dr
Time, 2.22, 2.24, 2.26, 2.27, 2.27 1/2.	

2.29 CLASS.	
Montrose,.....	3 2 4 4 3
Golden Prince,.....	5 5 5 5
Zeta M,.....	1 2 5 1
Lady Lumps,.....	4 3 1 1 3
Tutrix,.....	2 3 1 2 2
Time 2.25, 2.24, 2.26, 2.28, 2.27, 2.25.	

2.25 CLASS.	
Montrose, br. s, Harvey McCoy, Frederic- ton,.....	2 2 2
Golden Prince, g. g., J. H. Gammond, Van Buren,.....	4 5 6
Rainbow Blend, b. g., Geo. L. Foss, Fort Fairfield,.....	1 1 1
Lady Lumps, blk. m., D. Will McKay, St. Stephen,.....	3 4 5
Utatlan, b. s., J. E. Burnham, Houlton,.....	5 6 3
Tutrix, b. m., E. H. Barter, St. Stephen,.....	6 3 4
Time, 2.24, 2.25, 2.27.	

FREE-FOR-ALL.

Kingfisher, ro., T. H. Phair, Presque Isle,.....	1 1 1
Walter K., Fred Duncanson, St. John,.....	2 2 2
Gertie Glen, br. m., John Tribe, Woodstock,.....	3 3 3
Anna T, br. m., Harvey McCoy, Fredericton,.....	4 4 4
Time, 2.18, 2.20, 2.21.	

BORN.

ARSCOTT.—At London, Ont., on Sept. 23rd, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Arscott, a daughter.

MARRIED.

VANDINE-McBRIDE.—On Sept. 24th, at St. John's church, by the Rev. A. W. Teed, rector of Richmond, Loretta Edith McBride to John Wil-mot Vandine, both of Bellville, Car. Co.

O'NEIL-BRIGGS.—At the residence of Robert Briggs, sr., on the 24th. inst. by the Rev. J. A. Ives, Rachel Estella O'Neil to Frank E. Briggs, all of Lindsay, Car. Co.

MURCHIE-McKEEN.—At Woodstock, on the 25th. inst., by the Rev. F. A. Currier, M. A. Mr. Preston McKeen of Linneus, Me. to Miss Deys Murchie of the same place.

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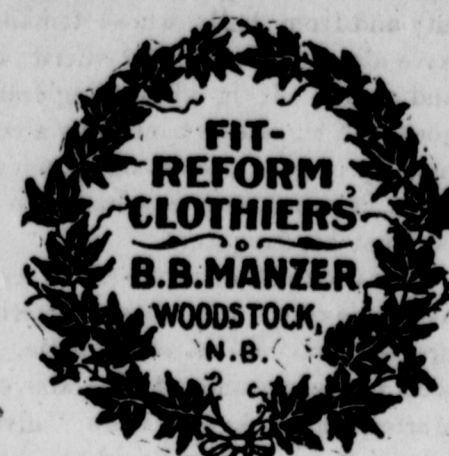
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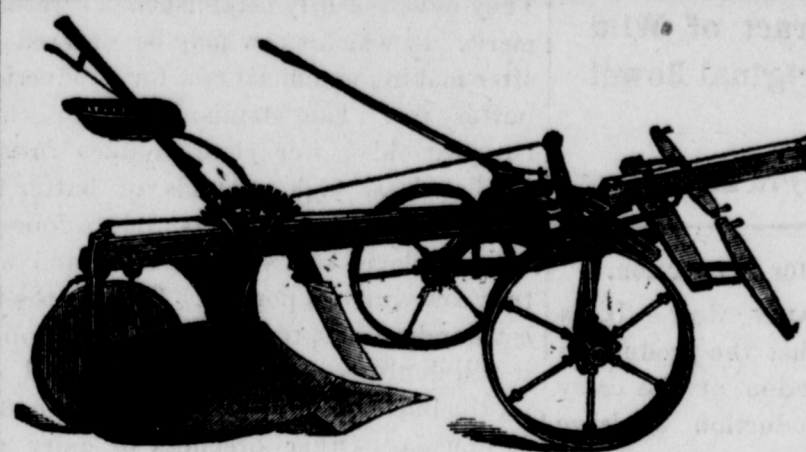


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