

FINE EXHIBITS ON DISPLAY AT FAIR

THE STOCK BARN ARE FILLED TO OVERFLOWING... PAVILION IS A BOWER OF BEAUTY.

Livestock Exhibit.

Never before in the history of the fair association have so many fine horses and cattle been brought together for exhibit in the county. Every available stall was filled before the fair opened and more stalls were built after the opening day. Even then some stock had to be kept outside the grounds.

A. C. Ruby, the famous horse breeder of Portland, had a long string of prize animals. His string included "Lyman Victor" an English shire 4-year-old stallion weighing 2100 pounds. This famous horse has won gold medals in England and prizes at the Oregon state fair and at the Portland Livestock show. He also has a 7-year-old Belgian stallion which has won prizes in the old country. Two Percheron stallions were also good lookers. Besides the stallions there are four imported mares, two Percherons and two Belgians, which are on exhibition and also for sale. The horses are in charge of Mr. Watson of Portland.

Among the other fine horses are two Percheron mares owned by Henry Arrasmith; three or four young Percherons owned by W. J. Morrow. "Niaraga," the Percheron owned by Phil Cox & Son, was ranked as the second best stallion at the Chicago worlds fair, won first prize all over the northwest and is again at the Whitman county fair. Brown of Moscow has a fine string of stallions including English Shire, Belgian, Clydesdale and Hackney. Charles Losey is exhibiting "Ewart," a beautiful French coach stallion, considered to be the best ever brought to this country. William Mood of the Clear Creek Horse company is showing a German coach stallion that is a beauty. Feltz Wilhelm has a Percheron stallion. James Van Skye and Sanford Hickman are among the mule owners. J. C. Wicks has a Kentucky whip riding mare and a saddle colt. Several other horses and mules are also to be found in the stables.

In cattle J. C. Wicks leads with a fine herd of Herefords. One yearling bull in the herd weighs 1040 pounds. His best bull, "Duke," tips the scales at 2000 pounds. The Herefords are thoroughbreds and every one is marked identically the same. F. H. Porter of Halsey, Oregon, has a herd of Red Polled cattle headed by a bull weighing 2100 pounds. For the first time a herd of Galloways imported from Scotland, are on exhibit. L. G. Wesley of Toledo, Oregon, is the owner of the herd. He says while they are purely a beef breed they are fairly good milkers.

Hogs are in the lead in the livestock line. G. H. Boundy of Albion has a large drove of Duroc Jerseys. Roy Lamb is showing Tamworth hogs, a new breed recently brought to this country. The Tamworth is styled "the market raiser's hog." Some good Berkshires are also in the pens, shown by D. S. Bridgefarmer of Palouse. E. Raymond of Endicott has a fine pen of Hampshire hogs.

Oxford Downs are the only breed of sheep at the fair. R. Richardson is the owner of the pen.

A few straggling birds appeared in the poultry department but the exhibit was practically nothing.

In the Pavilion.

Such vegetables as are found in the farm products department will be hard to beat in any part of the world. P. R. Lair leads in this department with an exhibit which includes every known vegetable that can be grown in this part of the country. His fruit display consists of 34 varieties of apples, 12 kinds of pears, seven of peaches, four of plums, two of prunes, one of apricots and one of nectarines. Among his vegetables are eight varieties of potatoes, including a Maggy Murphy weighing 56 ounces, 13 varieties of squash, Golden Queen yellow tomatoes, a jar of beans of 12 distinct colors and all grown from one black seed of unknown origin. He has eight varieties of sheaf wheat and many other things to round out an exhibit which is truly wonderful.

Only a dozen sacks of wheat are to be found at the county fair held in the best wheat growing country in the world.

The Spaulding fruit ranch at Almoda is represented by a display of three varieties of grapes.

Forty plates of apples were brought in from Mrs. T. D. Ferguson's ranch by her father. This exhibit also included several varieties of peaches, pears, plums, prunes and crab apples. Numerous other exhibitors showed smaller quantities of fruit and vegetables.

Potted plants and cut flowers make an attractive showing from Scott Brothers green house at Garfield.

Something which receives more than passing attention in the pavilion is the domestic arts display made by the students in the Colfax high school under the direction of Miss McCann. Their fancy work consists of embroidery and needle work well done. In the culinary department of the school exhibit are canned fruits, and vegetables, biscuits, cheese straws, salads and Mayonnaise dressing. The manual training department of the high schools was well represented by work which has been completed since the beginning of the school year.

Fancy work with a history is the

center of much interest. A robe of state formerly worn by Prince Chwang, leader of the Boxer movement in China, was loaned to the fair association by Mrs. T. A. Ball of Pullman. At one time Dr. Ball refused an offer of \$500 for the fur which lines the beautiful robe of royal purple. Another article of special interest was a baby dress made by Mrs. Elizabeth Nessly, aged 82 years, and mother of J. E. Nessly, well known in the Palouse country. Every stitch of the dress was hand made. Even the buttons were made of wire and covered with needle work. The dress has been handed down through the generations and worn by every direct descendant of the original owner.

Another historical piece of work owned by the Nessly family is a coverlet woven by James Smith of Stubenville, Ohio, in 1839, for the late Rev. J. S. Nessly and in active use from the date it was made until 1903, when Rev. Mr. Nessly died at the age of 80 years.

BROTHERHOOD ORGANIZED.

Banquet at Methodist Church Attended by 45 Men.

The Methodist Brotherhood was successfully launched last Friday evening when 45 men met and enjoyed a banquet at the Methodist church. Rev. N. M. Jones, pastor of the church, worked out the plan of organization and the scope of the Brotherhood will probably be widened from time to time.

George L. Corner acted as toastmaster at the banquet and toasts were responded to as follows: "Our Young Men," S. M. McCroskey; "Men and the Sunday School," Charles Chamberlain; "Y. M. C. A. Experiences," R. J. Pearce. Rev. Dr. C. O. Kimball, pastor of the First Methodist church of Walla Walla and formerly pastor of the Vincent church in Spokane, gave the address of the evening on the subject, "The Growing Church."

Officers of the Brotherhood were elected as follows: President, S. M. McCroskey; secretary, A. W. Phillips; treasurer, Dr. H. W. Pugh.

Many Hear "Gipsy" at Pullman.

Colfax was well represented at Pullman Saturday afternoon when "Gipsy" Smith talked to about 2500 people in the State college new auditorium. The large building was packed to the limit and it is estimated that 400 people were standing in the aisles. The noted evangelist with his wonderful personality held complete sway over his audience and his address which lasted for nearly an hour seemed like but a few minutes to his hearers. Dr. E. A. Evans of Pullman, presided at the pipe organ in his usual pleasing manner.

Colfax School Enrollment Nearly 700.

When the reports were turned in to Superintendent Moses at the end of the first month of school it was found that 677 children were attending the public schools in Colfax. Since that time several new students have been enrolled bringing the number up to 700. The pupils are divided among the different schools as follows: High school, 159; Departmental school, 223; Third ward, 125; Main street, 179.

Better Place for Poultry Show.

Whitman County's Poultry show will be housed this year in the Armory which has been remodelled, enlarged and equipped with a new lighting system. The hall will be a much better place for the accommodation of birds than formerly. The association will also give more cups and a better grade of ribbons than heretofore. The show will be held from December 18 to 23.

With a view of closing out what nursery stock I have yet on hand, I have made the proper arrangements with the Rosalia Nursery, and as a duly authorized agent of that nursery, I solicit orders for all kinds of fruit, shade and ornamental trees and shrubbery.

Because I know from 33 years experience here that home grown stock is best, I expect a large number of orders.

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Is the World Growing Better?

Many things go to prove that it is. The way thousands are trying to help others is proof. Among them is Mrs. W. W. Bould, of Pittsfield, N. H. Finding good health by taking Electric Bitters, she now advises other sufferers, everywhere, to take them. "For years I suffered with stomach and kidney trouble," she writes. "Every medicine I used failed till I took Electric Bitters. But this great remedy helped me wonderfully." They'll help any woman. They're the best tonic and finest liver and kidney remedy that's made. Try them. You'll see. 50c at all druggists.

The beer that made Milwaukee famous on tap at Monahan's.

ODD FELLOWS PRESENT SIX VETERAN JEWELS

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs Bestow Honors on Old Members.

More than 200 Odd Fellows and Rebekahs with their friends enjoyed the banquet and program at Odd Fellows hall last Friday evening. The principal feature of the evening was the presentation of veteran jewels to E. K. Hanna, E. H. Kirkland and E. L. Young, who have been faithful members of the lodge for more than 25 years. Veteran jewels were also presented to Mrs. J. A. Perkins, Mrs. W. A. Inman and Mrs. F. A. Metz for 15 years membership in the Rebekah lodge.

Noble Grand W. M. Mackey came down from his new home at Garfield to act as master of ceremonies. The evening's festivities started off with a banquet which was served in the Masonic hall on the other side of the building. Tables were spread for 90, reset for 90 and still others were left to eat at the third table. Cigars were enjoyed by the men before returning to the Odd Fellows hall where the following program was carried out:

Words of welcome by W. M. Mackey, N. G.

Recitation by Lena Baker.

Recitation by Florida Hill.

Piano solo, Vera Palmer.

History of the Lodge by J. A. Perkins, who has been a member for more than 33 years.

Song by Mrs. Amos Von Soehnen.

Recitation by Harry Sanders.

Recitation by Mary Plummer.

Presentation of veteran jewels by W. M. Mackey.

Mandolin solo by Walter Arrasmith.

Recitation by Mrs. Williams.

Song, Gladys Sanders.

Presentation of Rebekah jewels by W. A. Inman.

Song, Harry Sanders.

Captain James Ewart, the only charter member of Colfax Lodge No. 14 I. O. O. F. living in Colfax and one of the six living charter members, was called on and responded with an interesting description of early lodge days. Colfax lodge received its charter in 1878.

"The Third Degree" Makes Good.

"The Third Degree" presented at the New Ridgeway Monday and Tuesday evenings was deserving of a larger house than it received. Miss Franklyn Gale, as Annie Jeffries, and Raymond Whittaker, as Attorney Brewster, carried their parts very successfully. Neil Barrett, as Captain Clinton, also was good.

Dreifus Builds Warehouse.

On Main street just below the Inland depot Dreifus & Co., are building a warehouse 25x80 feet for holding the extra stock called for by their increasing business. The railroad company has laid a new side track in to the warehouse. The new building will be complete within a week or ten days.

Automobile Crank Breaks Arm.

Bernard D. Baber, the popular secretary of the races at the Whitman county fair is wearing his right arm in a sling while attending to his duties at the race track this week. Mr. Baber was cranking John Bloom's machine Monday night when the crank kicked back and shattered a bone in his wrist.

A GOOD POSITION

Can be had by ambitious young men and women in the field of "Wireless" or Railway Telegraphy. Since the 8-hour law become effective, and since the wireless companies are establishing stations throughout the country there is a great shortage of telegraphers.

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