THE VALLEY FAIR

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BRATTLEBORO BOYS A SURPRISE.

Defeated Hinsdale and Shamrocks in the Hose Race and Were Close to the Alerts of Adams.

The hose race, which was a new feature at the fair, aroused some enthusiasm Tuesday afternoon, but there was a tedious wait on account of lack of hose before the teams started. The judges for this event were D. J. Shea of Turners Falls, Harvey Sanders and W. J. Pentland, jr., of Brattleboro; Fred Latham of Hinsdale, judge of coupling; Charles F. Mann, starter; Dr. F. R. Newell and H. C. Rice, timers. The distance to the hydrant was 153 yards. It was necessary to then lay 150 feet of hose and couple to nozzle.

The Hinsdale boys ran first, and Richard Howe, their captain, turned the trick neatly in coupling. The time was 29½ seconds, and many thought this was good enough to win. The Shamrocks of Turners Falls, once loudly proclaimed as world's champions, had only 12 men in their outfit and were somewhat handicapped on this account. They were slow in starting, but down the stretch sprinted prettily. Their coupling was very poorly handled, however, and their time was 34 seconds. The Alerts of Adams, Mass., were next called, and in the meantime their coupler had rubbed graphite into the coupling so that it would work easily. They made a good run, and James Lucy, a former champion light wrestler, did a lightning coupling act for them. Their time was 27 seconds, and the Alerts were so confident that they cheered themselves hoarse and carried the veteran Lucy around the track on their shoulders.

"Jack" Clune's Brattleboro team which had never competed in such an event before, ran last. The boys may have had confidence in themselves, but the majority of the crowd did not look upon them seriously as contenders. They were off quickly at the report of the gun and Raymond Bancroft, their leader, gave them a stiff pace. Thompson and Birch, their men to pull off at the hydrant, did the cleanest job of any of the performers in this line during the afternoon. Murphy of Turners Falls, star coupler for the Shamrock team when it was meeting all-comers, did the coupling. There was a little delay in getting the slack hose back to him and the coupling did not break for him so quickly as for Lucy of the Alerts, but he screwed on the nozzle in a flash. A cheer went up when it was announced that Brattleboro's time was 28½ seconds, good for the second prize and ahead of Hinsdale and the Shamrocks.

MACHINERY.

The Belcher & Taylor Agricultural Tool company of Chicopee Falls, Mass., the largest farming tool makers in New England, had a monopoly in the exhibition of farm implements and they sold all they had. The exhibit was in charge of E. G. Swift, the sales manager, and Charles D. Trumbull, salesman for Vermont. Besides their regular line of walking plows, harrows, etc., they exhibited a new tool, a two-lever disc harrow with scraping device operated by the foot instead of by hand. Another implement which is proving very popular with the farmers is the Stevens fertilizer sower, which distributes the fertilizer with evenness.

M. S. Leach of Hinsdale exhibited some of his durable farm wagons, which were admired. Gasoline engines were shown by S. B. Church of Boston. The Vermont Farm Machine company of Bellows Falls, for whom Warren Fessenden of this town is agent, made an exhibit of United States separators and the Williams evaporator. Mr. Fessenden has been an agent for the company many years and he never has missed a day at the Valley fair since it was started 25 years ago. A variety of maple sugar apparatus was shown by G. H. Grimm of Rutland.

George H. Thwing of Putney, general agent for Brackett, Shaw & Lunt Co., of Somersworth, N. H., had in operation in a special tent four gasoline engines of different types and an electric pump. Mr. Thwing, who is building up a large business in the sale of silos and gasoline engines, made several sales during the fair.

A large tent near agricultural hall included exhibits of Green Mountain silos by the Creamery Package Manufacturing company of Rutland, and separators by the DeLaval Separator company, the Empire Cream Separator company and the Sharples Separator company. An exhibit of ruberoid roffing was made by Robbins & Cowles and of flintkote roofing by the Mellen Hardware comany, local merchants.

PET STOCK.

Rabbits of every kind, color and size were the features of the pet stock exhibit but there were enough cats and pet dogs and guinea pigs to add variety. The white angora rabbits were numerous and some extra fine specimens were shown. One of the cages which attracted much attention was that containing the fine large white angora rabbit and the handsome angora kitten exhibited by Helen Hopkins. Ralph Newell also had a fine white angora rabbit and a pair of Belgian hares. A happy family of six little white English rabbits and a pair of old ones were shown by George L. Sexton of Brattleboro and Earl Carr had a fine pair of the same variety. Gladys Holden's angora rabbits and the Belgian hares shown by Edward Moran of Brattleboro and by Leslie and Clarina Wellman of Guilford attracted much attention, also the little Maltese rabbits shown by Harold Miner and the black English rabbits owned by William Welcome. One of the most interesting cages was that which contained Joseph Dewey's guinea pigs. He put three old ones in the cage Tuesday and Wednesday morning there were two lively little ones with them. R. B. Thomas of Guilford showed three handsome little Boston terriers, H. E. Akely of Vernon exhibited a fine English foxhound and C. E. Clough of Chesterfield had several hound puppies in the show.

FLORAL HALL.

Work by children was a feature of the exhibition in floral hall. Never before has there been a better showing of children's work and the crowd of visitors who thronged the hall throughout the last two days of the fair were enthusiastic in their praise. Embroidery work of a high order was shown by a number of young girls and some fine metal work and burnt wood were on exhibition by the young people. The display of embroidery and fancy work of all kinds was fully up to the average of any recent fair and it would be difficult to pick out any especial work which was more deserving of notice than any other. Perhaps the highest class of work from a woman's standpoint was the collection of Irish crochet work by Miss Carrie Newton of Hartford, this state. The brass work shown by Mrs. F. H. O'Connor was the centre of a constantly changing group of admirers and Miss Carlotta Hopkins's collection of burnt wood and the collection of crayon work by Miss Maude Brown were much admired also. The Enfield Shakers were present again this year with their assortment of fancy work and toothsome novelties.

FOOD.

All the available show cases for food were filled and the display was of a quality which hardly could be improved upon. There was close competition for the barrel of White Satin flour offered by E. Crosby & Co. for the best bread made from that brand of flour. The prize went to Miss Esther Barrett of Brattleboro, 17 years old. The barrel of Gold Medal flour offered by the DeWitt Grocery company went to Mrs. Frank Phelps of this town. The judges were Mrs. A. W. Roel, Mrs. F. A. Cook and Mrs. C. S. Hopkins.

VALLEY FAIR PREMIUM WINNERS

Full List of Awards in the Horse, Cattle, Sheep, Swine and Poultry Departments of the Fair Which Closed Yesterday Afternoon

HORSES.

Standard trotting bred horses—Connecticut River Stock farm, Hatfield, Mass., 1st each stallion 2 years old, yearling stallion, stallion and 4 of progeny, mare and 3 progeny, mare and colt, filly or gelding 2 years old, suckling filly or colt, 2d yearling filly or gelding, 3d stallion 4 years old or over, Charles Bosworth, Springfield, Mass., 1st stallion 4 years old or over, 2d stallion 2 years old, Louis D. Herrick, Chesterfield, N. H., 2d stallion 4 years old or over, M. E. Starkey & Son, Keene, N. H., 2d yearling stallion, 2d stallion and 4 progeny, Gertrude F. Nelson, Bernardston, 2d mare and colt, Starkey & Richards, Keene, N. H., 2d suckling filly or colt, M. R. Nelson, Bernardston, 1st yearling filly or gelding.

Registered Morgans—Joseph Battell, Middlebury, 1st stallion 3 years old, 1st stallion 2 years old, 2d stallion 4 years old, E. A. Darling, East Burke, 1st stallion 4 years old, 2d stallion 2 years old, 1st mare with colt, 1st and 2d filly 2 years old, 1st filly or colt, C. C. Barlow, Wilmington, 1st stallion and 4 progeny.

American Arabs—Five Maple farm, Marlboro, 1st stallion 4 years old and over.

Shetland Ponies—Bay Brothers, Wilmington, 1st and 2d stallion 4 years old and over, 1st stallion and 4 progeny, 1st mare and 3 progeny, 1st mare and colt, 1st 2-year-old filly or gelding, 1st yearling filly or gelding, 1st and 2d suckling filly or colt.

Gentlemen's single driving horses, trotters—E. A. Darling, East Burke, 1st; P. E. Griffin, North Walpole, 2d; Joseph Battell, Middlebury, 3d; L. J. Strong, Brattleboro, 4th.

Gentlemen's driving horses, pacers—A. W. Bliss, Hinsdale, 1st; W. D. Cushman, Brattleboro, 2d.

Ladies' driving horses—E. A. Darling, 1st; Joseph Battell, 2d; Mrs. L. D. Herrick, Chesterfield, 3d; Mrs. F. L. Proctor, Northfield, 4th.

Matched pairs—E. A. Darling, 1st; Charles W. Bosworth, Springfield, Mass., 2d; H. L. Clark, Guilford, 3d; Fred Holbrook, Brattleboro, 4th.

Draft Horses.

Pair weighing less than 2200—1st, A. S. Gallup & Son, Guilford, 5855; 2d, E. H. Akley, Vernon, 5740.

Pair weighing less than 2600—1st, Ernest Pike, Charlemont, Mass., 6905; 2d, A. S. Gallup & Son, 6290; 3d, O. G. Covey, West Brattleboro, 6190.

Open to all—1st, James D. Avery, Buckland, Mass., 7427; 2d, Ernest Pike, 7327; 3d, H. G. Clark, Brattleboro, 7002.

CATTLE.

Devons—G. R. Armstrong, Center Harbor, N. H., 1st bull 3 years old and over, 1st bull calf, 2d cow 4 years old, 2d cow 3 years old, 2d cow 2 years old, 2d yearling heifer, 2d heifer calf, 2d exhibitor's herd, 2d breeder's young herd, 1st bull and 3 progeny, 2d cow and 2 progeny. W. H. Neal, Meredith, N. H., 1st bull 2 years old, 1st yearling bull, 2d bull calf, 1st cow 4 years old, 1st cow 3 years old, 1st cow 2 years old, 1st yearling heifer, 1st heifer calf, 1st exhibitor's herd, 1st breeder's young herd, 2d bull and 3 progeny, 1st cow and 2 progeny.

Holsteins—George F. Wood, Jamaica, 1st bull 3 years old and over, 2d heifer calf. M. H. Chickering, Chesterfield, N. H., 2d bull 3 years old and over, 2d bull calf, 1st cow 3 years old, 2d cow 2 years old, 2d yearling heifer, 1st heifer calf, 1st exhibitor's herd, 1st breeder's young herd, 1st bull and 3 of progeny. W. D. Newton, Brattleboro, 1st bull 2 years old, 2d cow 3 years old, 1st yearling heifer, 2d cow and 2 of progeny. Mt. Hermon school, 1st bull calf, 1st and 2d cow 4 years old, 1st cow 2 years old, 1st cow and 2 of progeny.

Ayrshires—Matthew Hannah, West Windsor, 1st and 2d bull 3 years old and over, 1st yearling bull, 2d bull calf, 1st cow 4 years old, 2d cow 3 years old, 2d cow 2 years old, 1st and second yearling heifer, 2d heifer calf, 1st exhibitor's herd, 1st breeder's young herd, 1st bull and 3 of progeny, 1st cow and 2 of progeny. Henry Dorrance, Plainfield, Conn., 1st bull calf, 2d cow 4 years old, 1st cow 3 years old, 1st cow 2 years old, 1st heifer calf, 2d exhibitor's herd, 2d breeder's young herd, 2d cow and 2 progeny.

Dairy Shorthorns—G. E. Taylor & Son, Shelburne, Mass., 1st bull 3 years old and over, 2d bull calf, 1st cow 3 years old, 1st cow 2 years old, 1st yearling heifer, 1st exhibitor's herd, 2d breeder's young herd. D. T. Barnard, Shelburne, Mass., 2d bull 3 years old and over, 2d cow 3 years old and over. W. W. Fisher, Bernardston, 1st bull 2 years old, 2d yearling heifer, 2d heifer calf, 2d cow and 2 of progeny. George C. Cary, St. Johnsbury, 1st bull calf, 1st and 2d cow 4 years old, 2d cow 2 years old, 1st heifer calf, 2d exhibitor's herd, 1st breeder's young herd, 1st bull and 3 of progeny, 1st cow and 2 of progeny.

Beef Shorthorns—George C. Cary, St. Johnsbury, 1st bull 3 years old and over. Carpenter & Ross, Mansfield, O., 1st each bull 2 years old, bull 1 year old, bull calf, cow 4 years old, cow 3 years old, cow 2 years old, yearling heifer, heifer calf, exhibitor's herd; 2d each bull 3 years old and over, bull calf, heifer calf. George E. Taylor, Shelburne, Mass., 2d cow 4 years old.

Jerseys—L. L. Doolittle, Bernardston, 1st bull 3 years old and over, 2d bull calf, 1st cow 4 years old, 2d cow 2 years old, 1st exhibitor's herd, 2d cow and 2 progeny. J. E. Dorsey, Greenfield, 2d bull 3 years old and over, 1st bull calf, 2d cow 4 years old, 1st cow 3 years old, 2d yearling heifer, 1st bull and 3 progeny, 1st cow and 2 progeny. A. A. E. Edson, Chester, 1st bull 2 years old, 1st yearling bull, 2d cow 2 years old, 2d heifer calf. S. C. Severance & Son, Leyden, 1st cow 2 years old, 1st yearling heifer, 1st heifer calf, 2d exhibitor's herd, 1st breeder's young herd.

Guernseys—R. H. Briggs, Brattleboro, 1st each bull 3 years old and over, bull 2 years old, bull calf, cow 4 years old, cow 2 years old, yearling heifer, heifer calf, exhibitor's herd, breeder's young herd, bull and 3 progeny, cow and 2 progeny, and 2d yearling bull, cow 3 years old. G. A. Collins, Brattleboro, 2d bull 3 years old, 1st yearling bull, 2d bull calf, 1st cow 3 years old, 2d cow 2 years old, 2d heifer calf, 2d yearling heifer, 2d exhibitor's herd, 2d bull and 3 progeny, 2d cow and 2 progeny.

Herefords—W. F. Richardson & Co., Brattleboro, 1st yearling bull.

Normandies—R. W. Blood, Dummerston, 1st each bull 3 years old and over, bull 2 years old, yearling bull, exhibitor's herd, breeder's young herd, bull and 3 progeny, cow and 2 progeny, 1st and 2d each bull calf, cow 4 years old, cow 3 years old, cow 2 years old, yearling heifer, heifer calf.

Grade Holsteins—M. H. Chickering, Chesterfield, 1st and 2d each cow 3 years old, heifer 2 years old, yearling heifer, heifer calf.

Grade Jerseys—G. H. Butterfield, Vernon, 1st and 2d cow 3 years old and over. John E. Dorsey, Greenfield, Mass., 1st heifer calf.

Grade Guernseys—G. A. Collins, 1st each cow 2 years old, and heifer calf.

Grade Herefords—W. F. Richardson & Co., 1st and 2d each cow 3 years old, yearling heifer, 1st heifer calf.

Oxen—James D. Avery, Buckland, Mass., 1st pair. B. C. Clemons, Putney, 2d pair. Ansel Dickinson's Sons, Ashuelot, N. H., 1st and 2d five yoke.

Trained steers—George R. Armstrong, Center Harbor, N. H., 1st.

Steers and calves—Perley Plant, Marlboro, 1st pair 2 years old. George C. Cary, St. Johnsbury, 1st pair yearlings, George F. Wood, Jamaica, 2d pair yearlings. George R. Armstrong, 1st pair calves.

Working cattle—Ansel Dickinson's Sons, 1st.

Fair fat oxen—James D. Avery, 1st. Ansel Dickinson's Sons, 2d.

Fair fat steers—George C. Cary, 1st 3 years old and under.

Draft Oxen.

3000 Class—1st, J. D. Avery, Buckland, Mass., 7445; 2d and 3d, Ansel Dickinson's Sons, Ashuelot.

3500 Class—1st, B. C. Clemons, Putney, 7585; 2d, J. D. Avery; 3d, Ansel Dickinson's Sons.

4000 Class—1st and 2d, Ansel Dickinson's Sons, 8157; B. C. Clemons, 3d.

Free-for-All—1st and 3d, Ansel Dickinson's Sons, 9315; 2d, J. D. Avery.

SHEEP.

Shropshire—Matthew Hannah, West Windsor, 1st each buck 2 years old and over, buck 1 year old, buck lamb, pen of two ewes 2 years old and over, pen two ewes 1 year old and under, pen two ewe lambs, flock, buck of any age with 4 progeny; 2d buck 2 years old and over, buck 1 year old, buck lamb, pen two ewes 1 year old and under, pen two ewe lambs. C. H. Marshall & Son, Vergennes, 2d each pen two ewes 2 years old and over, flock, buck of any age with 4 progeny.

Lincoln—C. H. Marshall & Son, 1st each buck 2 years old and over, buck 1 year old, buck lamb, pen two ewes 2 years old and over, pen two ewes 1 year old and under, pen two ewe lambs, flock, buck of any age with 4 progeny. H. F. Goff, Cookshire, P. Q., 2d buck lamb.

Leicester—H. F. Goff, 1st each buck 2 years old and over, buck 1 year old, buck lamb, pen two ewes 2 years old and over, pen two ewes 1 year old and under, pen two ewe lambs, flock, buck of any age with 4 progeny. C. H. Marshall & Son, 2d each buck 2 years old and over, buck 1 year old, buck lamb, pen two ewes 2 years old and over, pen, two ewes 1 year old and under, pen two ewe lambs, flock, buck of any age with 4 progeny.

Oxford—C. H. Marshall & Son, Vergennes, 1st each buck 2 years old and over, buck 1 year old, buck lamb, pen two ewes 2 years old and over, pen two ewes 1 year old and under, pen two ewe lambs, flock, buck of any age with 4 progeny. H. F. Goff, 2d each buck 1 year old, buck lamb.

Cheviot—H. F. Goff, 1st each buck lamb, pen two ewes 1 year old and under, buck of any age with 4 progeny, 2d each buck 2 years old and over, buck 1 year old, pen two ewes 2 years old and over, pen two ewe lambs, flock. C. H. Marshall & Son, 1st each buck 2 years old and over, buck 1 year old, pen two ewes 2 years old and over, pen two ewe lambs, flock; 2d each buck lamb, pen two ewes 1 year old and under, buck of any age with 4 progeny.

Hampshire—C. H. Marshall & Son, 1st each buck 2 years old and over, buck 1 year old. H. F. Goff, 1st buck lamb; 2d buck 1 year old.

Cotswold—H. F. Goff, 1st buck 2 years old and over. C. H. Marshall & Son, 2d buck 2 years old and over.

Horned Dorset—Fillmore Farm, Bennington, 1st and 2d buck 2 years old and over, 1st and 2d buck 1 year old, 1st and 2d buck lamb, 1st pen two ewes 2 years old and over, 1st pen two ewes 1 year old and under, 1st and 2d pen two ewe lambs, 1st flock, 1st and 2d buck of any age with 4 progeny.

Grades—H. F. Goff, 1st each pen two ewes 2 years old and over, pen two ewes 1 year old and under 2, pen two ewe lambs.

Fat Sheep—Matthew Hannah, 1st pen of three. C. H. Marshall & Son, 2d pen of three.

SWINE.

Chester White—R. H. Briggs, Brattleboro, 1st sow and pigs, not less than six.

Poland China—C. H. Marshall & Son, Vergennes, 1st each boar 2 years old and over, boar 1 year old, sow 2 years old and over, progeny of 1 boar, not less than 4, under 1 year old; sow and pigs, not less than six; pen of shoats, three or more; herd, boar and three sows not less than eight months old.

Berkshire—R. H. Briggs, 1st each boar 2 years old and over, sow 2 years old and over, progeny of one boar, not less than four, under 1 year old; sow and pigs, not less than six; pen of shoats, three or more; herd, boar and three sows, not less than eight months old; second sow 2 years old or over.

Grade Swine—W. F. Richardson Co., Brattleboro, 1st each boar 1 year old, sow 2 years old or over, pen of shoats, three or more; fat hog. G. H. Butterfield, Vernon, 2d sow 2 years old or over, pen of shoats, three or more. C. H. Marshall & Son, 2d fat hog.

POULTRY.

Light Brahmas—Ames Hill Poultry Yards, Brattleboro, pen chicks 1st and 2d, cockerel 1st, 2d and 3d, pullet 2d and 3d. Frank F. Hockherinn, Greenfield, cock 1st, hen 1st and 2d, pullet 1st.

Black Langshans—Munson Water Fowl farm, Greenfield, cock 1st, hen 1st and 2d, cockerel 1st, pullet 1st. Fred F. Zaill, Springfield, Vt., cock 2d.

Barred Plymouth Rocks—A. E. Davis, Athol, Mass., pen fowls 1st and 2d, pen chicks 1st and 2d, cock 1st and 2d, hen 1st, 2d and 3d, cockerel 1st, 2d and 3d, pullet 1st and 2d. F. A. Richardson, Athol, pen fowls 3d, pen chicks 3d, cock 3d, cockerel 3d, pullet 3d.

Buff Plymouth Rocks—J. F. Weatherway, Greenfield, pen fowls 1st, hen 2d. M. J. Corey, Springfield, Mass., pen chicks 1st, 2d and 3d, cock 1st, hen 1st, cockerel 1st and 2d, pullet 1st, 2d and 3d.

White Plymouth Rocks—J. J. Connor, Springfield, Mass., pen chicks 1st, pullet 3d. J. C. Holden, North Clarendon, pen chicks 1st, cock 1st, hen 1st, cockerel 2d, pullet 1st. F. E. Atwood, Athol, cockerel 1st, pullet 2d. Albert Bingham, Springfield, Vt., cockerel 3d.

White Wyandottes—A. E. Davis, pen fowls 1st and 2d, pen chicks 1st and 2d, cock 1st, hen 1st and 2d, cockerel 1st, 2d and 3d, pullet 1st and 2d. A. M. Ross, Keene, N. H., pen chicks 3d. H. S. Brackett, Athol, cock 3d, hen 3d. F. E. Fisher, Williamsville, pullet 3d.

Buff Wyandottes—J. E. Burt, Athol, 1st, 2d and 3d each pen fowls, pen chicks, cock, hen, cockerel and pullet.

Silver Laced Wyandottes—Mrs. Clarence Hale, Bernardston, Mass., 1st each pen fowls, pen chicks, cock, cockerel, and 1st and 2d each hen and pullet.

Columbian Wyandottes—F. H. Blanchard, Pentucook, N. H., 1st each pen chicks, cock, hen, cockerel and pullet; and 1st and 2d pullet. A. M. Ross, 2d pen chicks.

Partridge Wyandottes—F. E. Atwood, 1st, 2d and 3d each pen fowls, pen chicks, cock, hen, cockerel and pullet.

R. C. Rhode Island Reds—Valley Farm, Amherst, pen fowls 1st, pen chicks 3d, cock 1st, hen 1st, 2d. Pleasant Hill Poultry Farm, Athol, pen fowls 2d, pen chicks 2d, cock 2d, hen 2d, cockerel 3d, pullet 1st. E. P. Tilton, Springfield, Mass., pen chicks 1st, cock 3d, hen 1st, cockerel 2d, Red Star Poultry Farm, Keene, N. H., cockerel 1st.

S. C. Rhode Island Reds—G. D. Clark, Bellows Falls, pen fowls 1st, pen chicks 1st, cock 1st and 3d, hen 1st, cockerel 2d, pullet 3d. S. H. Stone, Greenfield, pen fowls 2d. E. P. Tilton, pen chicks 2d and 3d, cock 2d, hen 2d and 3d, cockerel 1st and 3d, pullet 2d. Whetstone Brook Yards, Brattleboro, pullet 1st.

S. C. Buff Orpingtons—C. C. Winchester, Brattleboro, pen chicks 1st. Hickory Farm, Ludlow, Mass., pen chicks 2d, cock 3d, pullet 1st and 2d. Albert Ellsworth, Athol, pen chicks 3d, hen 3d. Fayette Miller, Brattleboro, cock 1st and 2d, hen 1st and 2d, cockerel 1st, 2d and 3d, pullet 2d.

S. C. White Orpingtons—J. E. Barnes, Athol, 1st each pen fowls, pen chicks, cock, hen, cockerel, 2d pullet. Rev. A. C. Wilson, Bellows Falls, pen chicks 2d, pullet 1st. Albert Ellsworth, pen fowls 2d.

S. C. Black Orpingtons—Albert Ellsworth, pen fowls 1st, pen chicks 2d and 3d, hen 1st, cockerel 3d, pullet 3d. Hickory Farm, pen chicks 1st, cock 1st, hen 2d and 3d, cockerel 1st, pullet 1st and 2d. John Wright, Brattleboro, cock 2d, cockerel 2d.

S. C. White Leghorns—Albert Bingham, pen chicks 1st. William E. Blood, Townshend, pen chicks 2d. C. A. Gustavson, Orange, cockerel 1st and 2d, pullet 1st and 2d.

R. C. White Leghorns—W. F. Ranney, Westminster, 1st and 2d each pen fowls, pen chicks, cock 1st, 2d and 3d each, hen, cockerel and pullet.

S. C. Brown Leghorns—A. O. Preston, Concord, N. H., 1st cock, 1st and 2d hen, 1st, 2d and 3d each cockerel and pullet.

R. C. Brown Leghorns—W. E. Blood, pen fowls 1st and 2d, pen chicks 2d, cock 1st, hen 2d and 3d, cockerel 1st, pullet 1st.

S. C. Buff Leghorns—J. E. Weatherway, pen fowls 1st, pen chicks 1st. A. C. Franklin, Townshend, pen chicks 2d, cockerel 1st and 2d. M. H. Willis, Jamaica, cockerel 3d, pullet 1st and 2d.

R. C. Buff Leghorns—M. H. Willis, pen chicks 1st, cock 2d, cockerel 1st, 2d and 3d, pullet 2d.

S. C. Black Leghorns—Sunnyside Farm, Hawley, Mass., cock 1st, hen 1st. Dr. W. S. Novak, Rutland, cockerel and pullet 1st each.

S. C. Black Minorcas—Mrs. Francis Hosley, Gill, cock 1st, 1st and 2d each hen, cockerel and pullet.

R. C. White Minorcas—R. J. Daggett, Jamaica, cockerel 1st, 2d and 3d, pullet 1st.

Anconas—Albert Ellsworth, pen fowls 1st, pen chicks 1st and 2d.

Houdans—L. F. Walker, Brattleboro, pen chicks 1st. Whetstone Brook Yards, cock 2d, hen 2d, cockerel 3d. Dr. Novak, hen 1st, cockerel 2d, pullet 2d.

Black Turkeys—W. A. Harris, West Brattleboro, 1st each cock and hen.

Buff Turkeys—W. A. Harris, 1st cock, 2d hen.

Bronze Turkeys—W. A. Harris, first each cock and hen, 2d each cockerel and pullet.

Light Brahma Bantams—L. T. C. Loring, Shrewsbury, Mass., 1st cock, 2d hen, 1st, 2d and 3d cockerel, 1st and 2d pullet.

Buff Cochin Bantams—Hillside Bantam Yards, Shirley, Mass., 1st, 2d and 3d each, cock, hen, cockerel and pullet.

White Cochin Bantams—Hillside Poultry Yards, 1st and 2d cock, 1st hen, 1st, 2d and 3d cockerel, 1st pullet.

Partridge Cochin Bantams—Hillside Bantam Yards, cock 1st, hen 1st, 2d and 3d, pullet 1st and 2d.

Black Cochin Bantams—Hillside Bantam Yards—Cock 1st, hen 1st, 2d and 3d, cockerel and pullet 1st and 2d each.

White Game Bantams—Whetstone Brook Yards, 1st each cock, hen, cockerel and pullet.

B. C. White Bantams—Hillside Bantam Yards—Cock and hen 1st each, cockerel and pullet 1st, 2d and 3d each.

B. B. R. Game Bantams—Whetstone Brook Yards, 1st and 2d each, cockerel and pullet.

Brown Red Bantams—Whetstone Brook Yards, 1st each hen and cockerel, 1st and 2d pullet.

Birchen Game Bantams—Whetstone Brook Yards, 1st each cock, hen, cockerel and pullet.

Golden Duckwing Bantams—Whetstone Brook Yards, 1st each cock, hen, cockerel and pullet.

Silver Duckwing Bantams—E. B. Barrows, Brattleboro, 1st each cockerel and pullet. Whetstone Brook Yards, 2d cockerel.

Toulouse Geese—W. F. Ranney, old gander 1st and 2d, old goose 1st and 2d. Munson Water Fowl Farm, old gander 3d, old goose 3d, young gander 3d, young goose 3d. H. M. Ward, Halifax, young gander 2d, young goose 2d.

Embden Geese—Munson Water Fowl Farm, old gander and old goose 1st each, young gander and young goose 1st and 3d each. W. F. Ranney, 2d each old gander, old goose, young gander and young goose.

Brown China Geese—Munson Water Fowl Farm, 1st each old gander and old goose, 1st and 2d each young gander and young goose.

White China Geese—W. F. Ranney, 1st each old gander and old goose. Munson Water Fowl Farm, old gander and old goose 2d each, young gander and young goose 1st each.

Canada Geese—Munson Water Fowl Farm, 1st and 2d each old gander, old goose, young gander and young goose.

Pekin Ducks—Munson Water Fowl Farm, old drake 1st, old duck 2d, young drake 2d, young duck 1st. W. F. Ranney, old drake 2d, old duck and young drake 1st each, young duck 2d.

Rouen Ducks—Munson, old drake 1st, old duck 1st and 2d.

Crested Ducks—Munson, old drake 1st, 2d and 3d, old duck 1st and 2d, young drake and young duck 1st and 2d each.

Indian Runner Ducks—Munson, old drake 1st, old duck 2d.

Cayuga Ducks—Munson, 1st and 2d each, old drake, old duck, young drake and 1st young duck.

Blue Swedish Ducks—Munson, old drake 2d, 1st each old duck and young drake, 1st and 2d young duck.

White Call Ducks—Munson, 1st and 2d each old drake and old duck.

Gray Call Ducks—Munson, 1st and 2d each old drake, old duck, young drake and young duck.

Colored Muscovy Ducks—Munson, 1st and 2d each old drake, old duck, young drake and 1st, 2d and 3d young duck.

White Muscovy Ducks—Munson, old drake 1st and 2d, old duck 1st, 2d and 3d, young drake 1st, young duck 1st, 2d and 3d.

Mallard Ducks—Munson, 1st each old drake, old duck, young duck, 1st and 2d young drake.

Aleshury Ducks—Munson, 1st and 2d each old drake, young drake, young duck, 1st old duck.

Special prizes, best displays Asiatics, Ames Hill Poultry Yard. Wyandottes, J. E. Burt. Plymouth Rocks, A. E. Davis. Leghorns, W. F. Ranney. Rhode Island Reds, E. P. Tilton.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Dairy Butter—Best 10-lb. tub, H. B. Chamberlain, Irasburg, score 95; 2d, Mrs. E. V. Winn, West Chesterfield, N. H., 94½. Best 5-lb. box, C. H. Leonard, North Pomfret, 95½; 2d, A. R. Roberts, North Pomfret, 95. Prints, Edward R. Andrews, Putney, 97; 2d, W. B. Houghton, West Brattleboro, 96½. Sweepstakes, Edward R. Andrews.

Creamery Butter—Best 20-lb. tub, A. E. Kendrick, Groton, Vt., score 98; 2d, Charles E. McLam, Topsham, 97. Prints, H. L. Lyster, Wells River, 96½; 2d, A. E. Sherburne, North Pomfret, 96. Sweepstakes, A. E. Kendrick.

Cheese—Dairy, plain, George E. Pulsifer, Plymouth, N. H., score 98; 2d, Henry C. Smith, Holderness, N. H., 97½. Dairy, sage, Henry C. Smith, 97; 2d, Joseph W. Pulsifer, Plymouth, N. H., 96½. Factory, plain, Mt. Holly Cheese Co., Mt. Holly, 97; 2d, W. E. Aldrich, North Shrewsbury, 96. Factory, sage, L. A. Woodbury, Middlebury, 96; 2d, R. Cramer, Pawlet, 95. Sweepstakes, George E. Pulsifer.

Cottage Cheese—Plain, Mrs. George Butterfield, Vernon, 2d, Mrs. C. H. Chickering, West Chesterfield, N. H. Sage, Mrs. C. H. Chickering.

Worcester Salt Prizes—$10 to butter scoring the highest if called with Worcester salt, A. E. Kendrick, Groton, Vt., 2d, $5, divided between Edward R. Andrews, Putney, and Charles E. McLam, Topsham.

Vermont Farm Machine Company Prizes—$5 to each exhibitor of butter scoring 98 points or over, made from cream separated by the Improved W. S. separator, A. E. Kendrick. For the highest score of all entries $5; A. E. Kendrick. $2 to each butter entry scoring 96 points or under, Edward R. Andrews, W. B. Houghton, T. F. Betterley, West Brattleboro, 96, Charles E. McLam, Jersey Star Creamery, Irasburg, 96. A. E. Sherburne, H. L. Lyster.

LOCAL OVERFLOW.

F. L. Davis, secretary of the Vermont state fair, was an interested observer of everything on the grounds Wednesday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Davis.

About 100 tickets were sold in Keene Wednesday for the special Valley fair train, while others came from that city on regular trains and by automobiles.

Joining in the good roads movement, the Bellows Falls and Brattleboro boards of trade will unite in taking the recently-elected Windham county members of the legislature into Massachusetts and possibly New Hampshire next week Saturday in order that they may inspect state roads properly constructed. The start will be made from Brattleboro Saturday morning and the party will go in automobiles.

Mrs. Elmira Susannah Metcalf, 50, widow of Thomas Metcalf of Northfield, Mass., died Sunday morning in the Home for the Aged, death resulting from general debility owing to her advanced age. Mrs. Metcalf was a daughter of John and Hannah (Ball) Hilliard and was born in Lowell, Mass., Feb. 10, 1820. She came from Northfield to the home about a year ago. The funeral was held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. Dr. John R. Gow officiating, and the burial was in Northfield. Mrs. Metcalf leaves grandchildren.

EXECUTION SALE

Taken by virtue of an execution issued by F. D. E. Stowe, Esq., a justice of the peace in and for the county of Windham, in favor of A. W. Gibson and against H. Hautvegore, for the sum of seventy-three dollars and fifty cents, and I will sell the following described property which I have levied upon said execution to satisfy the same by public auction in the highway in front of the hotel in the Village of Algiers in said town of Guilford, in the county of Windham, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1910, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, unless said property is sooner redeemed by payment of the amount of said execution, to wit:—

One set platform scales, one sled.

C. E. MANN, Deputy Sheriff.

Dated at Guilford, this 22d day of September, A. D. 1910. 39-40

Mrs. Gertrude Barker Spaulding
Teacher of the
PIANO AND THEORY.
Special attention given to beginners.
67 FROST ST.

Harvey Ginseng Garden
CLARK AVENUE
Having formerly explained in a measure the culture of Ginseng, will suffice to say, I have seed mixed with moist soil, in boxes, with from 1000 to 10,000 seeds in each box, which can be obtained any time this fall, or held till spring for small deposit.

6% MORTGAGES 6%
THAYER & GALE,
Minneapolis, Minn.

MORRIS GASS
is paying the highest cash market prices for rags, rubbers, scrap iron and metals, newspapers and magazines. Drop a postal, or telephone and I will call. Corner South Main and Hudson streets, near Brattleboro House. Tel. 365-M. Shop always open.

Wanted!
Cider Apples delivered at the Brattleboro depot, beginning loading Monday, October 3. Highest market prices paid.
F. L. WELLMAN, Guilford, Vt.

FOR SALE
Two Pairs Working Oxen
F. B. KIDDER,
South Wardsboro, Vermont.

Wanted.

WANTED—Maple sugar and syrup. E. M. HOWARD, East Jamaica, Vt.

WANTED. Live poultry and strictly fresh eggs. EVANS BROS, Townshend, Vt.

WANTED—First class blacksmith, no liquor. H. G. SMITH, Brattleboro.

WANTED—A Keyes genealogy. F. E. KEYES, 598 Dwight St., Holyoke, Mass. 38-39

WANTED—History of the Town of Concord, Mass., by Lemuel Shattuck, 1835. Address Box 147, Windsor, Vt. 39-40

WANTED—We will cut and carry away sweet corn stalks free of charge. Notify Maple Row farm, R. F. D. No. 3, Brattleboro. 38-tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general work in boarding house. Steady work, good pay. H. B. HOWE, The Elm House, Eels Court, South Main Street, Brattleboro, Vt. 39

WANTED—at the Proctor hospital, Proctor, Vt., a competent cook, a good place for the right party. Applicants should address MRS. M. E. GREEN, Matron, Proctor, Vt. 36-tf

WANTED—At the Cheshire county farm a good, steady man for herdsman, must be a good milker and understand care of stock; $25 per month and board. Apply to A. A. WHITMAN, Westmoreland Depot, N. H. 38-tf

To Rent.

TO RENT—TENEMENT, 9 Flat Street. 35-tf

TO RENT—Furnished room with bath 49 Main Street. 29-tf

TO RENT—Six room tenement at 36 WESTERN AVENUE. 16-tf

TO RENT—Furnished rooms with bath. Apply at 13 South Main street. 35-tf

TO RENT—Furnished front room, furnace heat and bath; 23 Washington St.

TO RENT—Seven room tenement on Birge street. HOLDEN & MARTIN.

TO RENT—Nice 5-room tenement for quiet people; 9 Harris place. C. S. CHASE. 38-tf

TO RENT—Together or separately, two furnished rooms with furnace heat, 4 Horton Place. 39-41

TO RENT—6 room tenement, furnace heat and electric lights. Inquire at 6 Prospect St. 36-tf

TO RENT—A pleasant front room with privilege of doing light housekeeping, at 1 Spruce St. 38-39

TO RENT—Large farm in Bellows Falls, Vt. Possession immediately. GEO. J. McMASTER, Rutland, Vt. 37-40

TO RENT—Downstairs flat at 8 Clark street, all modern conveniences, including furnace. Apply to F. E. BAKHIRK, Crosby block. 38-tf