

BRING STOCK TO PORTLAND SHOW

State Fair Exhibitors and Racehorse Owners Leaving Capital City.

SURPLUS FOR FAIR FUND

Most Successful Session in State's History Closes Saturday Night. Hawley Has Good News for Valley Farmers.

SALEM, Or., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The Oregon State Fair this evening closed the most successful session in its history, and tonight "off for Portland" is the cry of exhibitors and owners of racehorses. Southern Pacific freight trains and crews are busy tonight loading and transporting exhibits, livestock and racehorses, which will be seen at the Pacific National show in the Portland Country Club grounds next week.

The State Fair of 1908 ended without a serious mishap having occurred during the week. Owing to the fact that the new electric turnstiles failed to operate, the exact attendance is not known, but it is certain that each day's crowd surpassed that of the corresponding day in any previous year's fair. The finances of the State Fair Board are therefore in excellent condition, leaving a surplus which can be expended for needed improvements. By reason of improvements that will be made next year it may be safely said, will surpass this.

Coming to Portland's show.

The 1908 State Fair maintained the reputation earned in recent years, that of being a state-wide and not a local institution. By remaining out of the county exhibit competition, Marion has declined any special or local interest and has shown a disposition to give every section of the state an equal chance to win prizes. The management is in no wise local, for only one Marion County man is a member of the Fair Board. The best of feeling has prevailed, and when the Pacific National Show opens at Portland next week it will receive the same liberal patronage from this section of the Valley that the State Fair has received, not only from Portland, but from other sections of the state.

Hawley Makes Announcements.

At the closing exercises in the Auditorium at the Pavilion this evening, two announcements were made by Congressman W. C. Hawley, which are of great interest to the Willamette Valley. One was that he has secured from the United States Secretary of Agriculture the promise that his department will conduct special and extensive experiments in the Willamette Valley for the purpose of discovering or originating a strain of corn that can be depended upon to produce large crops regularly. The other announcement was that the United States Department of Agriculture will make a special investigation of the subject of alfalfa growing in the Willamette Valley, with a view to determining the best kind of alfalfa to be grown here and the best manner of handling.

Awards in Milk Tests.

The most important award made today was that in the milk test for dairy cows. A. H. Heber, of the Hazelwood Company, took first place, with a Jersey, owned by Charles Cleveland, of Multnomah County. A very close second to him was the large quantity of skim milk that enabled the Holstein to win. In this contest the product of three milkings was weighed and tested for both skim milk and butter fat, and the value computed at the rate of 25 cents a pound for butter fat, and 20 cents a hundred for skim milk. These valuations are fixed by the rules of the competition. The results of the test have been awarded with interest by all dairymen.

The names of the animals in the contest, the rank they won and other statistics of the test are as follows:

First—Mercedes De Kol Aldin, Holstein, J. L. Smith, owner, fresh, September 7, pounds of milk, 112.125; test, 3.47; pounds butter fat, 3.896; value of skim milk, 21.8 cents; value of butter fat, 97.2 cents; total, \$138.8. Fourth—Chloe, Jersey, September 7, A. Prakes, owner, fresh, August 13, pounds of milk, 108.502; test, 3.105; pounds of butter fat, 3.475; value of skim milk, 21.8 cents; value of butter fat, 81.9 cents; total, \$112.2. Fifth—Clotilde of Rosemont, Arrshire, J. W. Allen, owner, fresh, September 2, pounds of milk, 88.875; test, 3.27; pounds butter fat, 2.927; value of skim milk, 17.2 cents; value of butter fat, 73.2 cents; total, \$89.9. Sixth—Nathaniel Doss, Arrshire, J. W. Allen, owner, fresh, August 14, pounds of milk, 84.125; test, 3.15; pounds butter fat, 2.891; value of skim milk, 15.8 cents; value of butter fat, 72.7 cents; total, \$88.5. Seventh—Beckie Claverton, Jersey, A. P. Downs, owner, fresh, August 5, pounds of milk, 81.875; test, 3.27; pounds butter fat, 2.927; value of skim milk, 15.7 cents; value of butter fat, 73.2 cents; total, \$88.9.

Results at Lexington.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 19.—With the track fast, perfect weather and a large attendance, the annual Fall meeting of the Kentucky Racing Association opened this afternoon. The public took kindly to the Fair Mutual machines in use today for the first time in 22 years. Summary: Six furlongs—Woodward won; Berwick, second; Hasket, third; time, 1:14 4-5. Five and a half furlongs—Jeff Bernstein won; Dr. Barkley, second; T. M. Green, third; time, 1:25. Six furlongs—Heine won; A. Muller, second; Gold Proof, third; time, 1:13 4-5. One mile—The Minks won; Old Honesty, second; Kings Daughter, third; time, 1:39 2-5. Five furlongs—Crystal Maid won; Franch, second; Willow Flame, third; time, 1:21. Mile and a sixteenth—Bonnie Bard won; Harting, second; Baarda, third; time, 1:47 2-5.

Mrs. Lynd Secures Divorce.

OREGONIAN, Or., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Mrs. Nettie C. Lynd was this afternoon given a decree of divorce in her suit against W. A. Lynd, a well-known citizen of Willamette. They were married January 7, 1886, and have



A WINNING HERO OF GUERNSEYS BELONGING TO D.H. LOONEY



GRAND CHAMPION HOLSTEIN BULL JOHN J. SMITH SPOKANE WY



LOOKING TOWARD ENTRANCE, AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT BUILDING AT LEFT

BRITISH LOSE AT TENNIS

AMERICANS ARE VICTORS IN SINGLES AT BOSTON.

Wright and Alexander Win Right to Challenge for Davis International Cup.

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—The right to challenge for the Davis International lawn tennis cup was won today by the United States in two hard-fought contests in singles with the British team, and on Wednesday the United States will play the Australians in Melbourne. The home team won this afternoon the matches in singles; William A. Larned defeating H. J. G. Ritchie, three sets to one, by scores of 4-6, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3, and Beals C. Wright disposed of John G. Parke, three sets to two, by scores of 6-3, 2-6, 6-4, 7-5, 6-2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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New York	47	33	.589
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NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Today's game at the Polo Grounds lasted through ten innings, Pittsburg winning out by 6 to 2, scoring four runs in the tenth. Leftfield pitched splendidly when the locals had men on bases, and Donlin was unable to get a safety off him.

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St. Louis 6-1; Brooklyn 1-6.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 19.—McCloskey's tallenters beat the local club at Washington Park today, taking both games, the first 6 to 1 and the second 1 to 0.

Chicago 7; Washington 2.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Witherup was hit opportunistly and Chicago won the final game of the series here today, 7 to 2, from Washington.

Philadelphia 2; St. Louis 0.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—Philadelphia won the third game of the series with St. Louis today by the score of 2 to 0. Philadelphia's runs came in the first and sixth innings through timely hitting by Coombs and Murphy.

Chicago 4-0; Philadelphia 2-0.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 19.—Chicago won the first game from Philadelphia here today and played a ten-inning tie in the second. In the opening contest Corridon weakened in the last two innings and Chicago took the lead and won.

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SOCCER AND OTHER SPORTS AT MONTAVILLA.

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COLLEGE MAID FOR SALE

Colonel R. L. Harriman, Auctioneer.

GUIDELSS PACER, WORLD'S CHAMPION, ONE OF THE OFFERINGS AT THE BIG COMBINATION BREEDERS' AUCTION

THURSDAY, SEPT. 24. HORSE SALE FRIDAY, SEPT. 25. CATTLE SALE

With her gross a galaxy of high bred harness horses from Kuster, Erwin, Horse Co. (E. H. Wells), Johnny K., 2:16 1/2, etc.; also from L. D. Chappello his Bramford Boy, 2:22 1/2, gentleman's roadster, Kitty Grace, etc.; also from Dr. A. de Foe, Pleasanton, Cal., a three stallion, trotter; also W. T. McBride's trotter; E. C. Key's consignments and other splendid consignments too numerous to name.

GORDON CLYDESDALES

Glen Gordon Farm—"Home of the Clydesdales"—Offers a consignment of Pure Bred Stallions and Mares—Big Topnotchers.

WITHOUT RESERVE FAMOUS HERDS OF PURE BRED CATTLE

MINOR'S SHORTHORNS, ASHBURNER SHORTHORNS, GEER'S HEREFORDS, ABERDEEN ANGUS-GALLOWS, All Placed On Sale After They Are Judged.

SALE THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

PACIFIC NATIONAL SHOW AT PORTLAND COUNTRY CLUB

Catalogue of combination auction sale may be obtained upon request at Pavilion.

decrease while he put liniment on the bruise. Corri's record is over 15 minutes slower than the record made by Bennett in 1894. Eighty-six runners, representing athletic clubs in various parts of the country, entered.

PORTLAND'S CHANCE COMING

Annual Meeting of Pacific Northwest Amateur Association.

E. E. Morgan, T. Morris Dunne and Edgar E. Frank, of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club, leave tonight for Seattle, where they are to represent the local institution at the annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Amateur Athletic Association, which convenes there tomorrow. Considerable interest is manifested in the meeting this year for, if precedent is followed, it is Portland's turn to have the offices of president and secretary. In addition

M'VEY DEFEATS SHEARING

Californian Wins Championship of Europe at Paris.

PARIS, Sept. 19.—Sam McVey, of California, knocked out Harry Shearing, of England, by a stiff right to the

JUDGING HORSES

It is quite probable that the association will vote to ask for the National Championships of the Amateur Athletic Union for Seattle next year.

FAIR PLAY WINS IN HANDICAP

Breaks Track Record for Mile and Quarter at Gravesend.

GRAVESEND, N. Y., Sept. 19.—In a terrific drive, Fair Play won the first special handicap at 1 1/4 miles from Gravesend. In doing so he clipped one second off the track record for the distance by stepping it in 2:02 2-5. King James went to the front and led by head at the first quarter. He continued to show to the second, where Fair Play moved up and joined him.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

COTTAGE 6 rooms, 139 15th st., North Portland, 1117 Board of Trade bid, Main 3631.

COTTAGE 7 rooms, Columbia Heights, Woodlawn; rent \$12. Dooly & Co., 11 Board of Trade bid, Main 1027.

HEIRY GRAY FIRST

Plucky Horse Wins 2:19 Trot, but by Only Half Length.

CROWD CHEERS AT FINISH

In Mile Run, All Five Starters Finish in Bunch, Race Being Won Only by Three or Four Inches by Yank.

SALEM, Or., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—

Henry Gray today won the final heat and race in the 2:19 trot, which was left unfinished at sundown last evening. The winner had but half a length to spare, however, for Zombrot had spurred close to victory before the wire was crossed. Doc Munday was third, Monicraft fourth and Patsy Rice fifth; time, 2:15.

In the five heats, four of which were run yesterday, Henry Gray took first money, Monicraft second money, Zombrot third money and Patsy Rice fourth money. This was the most interesting and exciting race of the day, and at the finish prolonged cheers were given for Henry Gray, the horse which fell yesterday, but succeeded in winning the last three heats of the race.

The other races were without particular incident, except that several of the finishes were close, particularly the mile run, in which the five starters came all the way around in a bunch, the race being won by only three or four inches, by Yank.

The summary of today's events follows:

Rural Spirit purse, 2:09 trot, purse \$1000.—First heat, John Caldwell won, 2:11. Ash-bush second, Athasham third; time, 2:11. Second heat, John Caldwell first, Athasham second, R. Ambush, distance; time, 2:11. Third heat, Caldwell first, Athasham second; time, 2:11.

Consolation trot, 2:15 class, \$1000.—First heat, Vallejo girl, Della Derby, Richie Baron, Lady W., Helen Dare, Easter Bella, Cris Jones, Sain Roy, time, 2:14. Second heat, Della Derby, Easter Bella, Helen Dare, Richie Baron, Sain Roy, Cris Jones, Vallejo Girl, Cris Jones; time, 2:13 1/2.

Third heat, Della Derby, Lady W., Sain Roy, Helen Dare, Cris Jones, Richie Baron, Easter Bella, Vallejo Girl; time, 2:14. Fourth heat, Della Derby, Lady W., Helen Dare, Richie Baron, Sain Roy, Cris Jones, Easter Bella, Vallejo Girl; time, 2:15. Second money, Lady W. Third money, Helen Dare fourth money.

Running mile handicap purse \$100.—Yank won, 1:42 1/2. The Consoler third; time, 1:42 1/2. Ham Sack and Mary Dunn also ran.

Running, half mile, purse \$100.—Cazara first, St. Salvana second, May Pink third; time, 0:49 3/4.

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The first event of the afternoon was a football game between the Portland Association Football Club team and that of the Portland Cricket Association. The score was 5 to 2 in favor of the Cricket Club players. The game played was that known as five-on-a-side soccer, which was played in Portland for the first time yesterday. It possesses many features of Rugby football and enables finished players opportunities for brilliant work. Considering the fact that yesterday's game was their first, and also that they were not thoroughly seasoned, the performance of the players was entirely creditable.

The tug-of-war between Churchill's and Fenwick's teams was won by Churchill's men. Other events given during the afternoon were a mile walk, high jump, broad jump, 100-yard dash, throwing the cricket ball, kicking the football, men's race, ladies' race, three-legged race, sack race.

Following is a list of the events, with names of winners: Broad jump—McCarthy, 15 feet 11 inches; A. Mills, 15 feet 9 inches; J. D. Mackie, 15 feet 6 inches.

Throwing the cricket ball—Gregg, 101 yards; mile walk—Clark, first; Hooper, second; Burns, third.

Quarter mile run—Bennett. High jump—Dick, 4 feet 8 inches. Three-legged race—Mackie and Burns. Sack race—Harry Matthews first, Gail second. Judges—Smith, Geary, Henderson and Soley.

CORRI WINS MARATHON RACE

Makes Slow Time in Illinois Athletic Club Event.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—The fourth annual Marathon race today was won by A. L. Corri, of Chicago, unattached, in an official time of 2 hours and 57 minutes and 30 seconds. One minute behind him came Sydney Hatch, of Illinois Athletic Club, while the third man was J. A. Feltes, of Chicago, unattached. Feltes' time was 3 hours and 12 minutes.

Corri, his friends say, might have equalled or lowered the record for the course, 2:41:45, had he not been troubled with a pebble which got into his shoe a few miles north of the city. He maintained his lead for some time, even with the handicap, but finally had to stop and remove the annoyance. Thereafter his foot seemed sore, and several times he allowed his lead to