

JUDGES AND CROWD DIFFER

Decision In Coos County Derby Race Caused Excitement On Last Day.

The Coos County Derby was the chief event of the last day of the Second Southern Oregon District Fair Saturday, and was also one of the most closely contested finishes ever seen here. In fact the finish was so close that a great many in the crowd declared the judge gave the decision to the wrong horse, King Kohr, owned by W. W. Cardwell of Roseburg. R. D. Hume of Wedderburn, owner of Aleda, who had won the crowd by her clean run throughout the mile and an eighth, also protested against the decision of the judges. For a time, it looked as though there might be a "rough house," the crowd swarming from the grandstand out onto the course and bitterly condemning the judges. R. D. Hume who had been acting as one of the official timers grew so angry that he left the judges' stand and after announcing to the crowd that he protested the decision, left the course and refused to sign the official returns of the race.

It was a pretty race, though. Aleda had been well in the lead from the start and was running well. On the final stretch, King Kohr took a spurt and rapidly gained on her. It was a nose and nose finish and as to which horse's nose was in the lead, a great many in the crowd differed from the judges.

Harness Race Tame.

The one harness event of the day, a trotting race, did not excite much interest. Belle N had Zamoak completely outclassed.

The three-eighths mile dash was a pretty race between R. D. Hume's Agnes and Dickinson's Lillian Adams. Lillian Adams made quite a spurt on the finish but Agnes' lead was too much for her to overcome.

In the Consolidation race, Creaserton had it comparatively easy. Headlight made a spurt on the three-eighths post and made a good gain but couldn't keep up the pace.

The mule race was an interesting farce although lacking many of the ludicrous circumstances that made the event a hit the previous day.

Saturday's Race Results.

Race No. 13, special mile trot for \$300 purse:

Belle N 1 1 1
Zamoak 2 2 2
Time 2:27, 2:33 and 2:28

Race No. 14, mile and one-eighth dash for Coos county derby purse of \$400:

King Kohr (Cardwell) 1
Aleda (Hume) 2
Greenlaw (Nay and Yoakam) 3
Lutitia S (Hume) 4
Adonda (Simpson) 5

Time 2:02 1/2

Race No. 15, three-eighths mile dash for \$100 purse:

Agnes (Hume) 1
Lilly Adams (Dickinson) 2
Charles Foster (Nay and Yoakam) 3
Time :38

Consolation race with non-winners entered for purse for \$150:

Creaserton (Herron) 1
Headlight (Norton) 2
Flavora (Simpson) 3
Time :51 1/4

Mule race, half-mile dash:

Babe (Elliott) 1
Little Min 2
Maud 3
Time 2:25

The judges Saturday were J. W. Flanagan and Chas. McKnight of Marshfield, and G. S. Clayton of Roseburg.

Racing Sunday.

An impromptu racing program was pulled off at the fair grounds track yesterday and was witnessed by quite a number.

Warrior Gordon took two straight heats in a half mile trot from Belle McKinney.

A three-eighths mile dash ended with Headlight in the lead, Flavora second and Baby Reed third.

O. J. Seeley drove F. P. Norton's mare, Nellie, to a victory in the carriage horse race, defeating Messrs. Travers and Marsden.

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FAIR PROVED BIG SUCCESS

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grounds and while there would be a deficit of \$1,200 or \$1,400 on this score, the improvements will be there for future expositions.

It is possible that Eugene may allow the fair to come here again next year but this will be determined later.

Messrs. Norton and Carleton wish to express for the fair management their appreciation of all the aid that was given them in making it the success that it was.

BABY SHOW WINNERS.

The baby show was a big feature of Saturday afternoon at the fair, the contest exceeding all expectations. The interest in it was such that the front of the grandstand would not accommodate the crowd and the pavilion was far too small for the event. Between fifty and sixty babies were entered and more would have been had, it not been for the rules being changed so as to only permit children of less than a year old to be entered.

Mrs. W. W. Cardwell and Mrs. Auentrieth of Roseburg were the judges and they awarded the \$5 prize for the prettiest girl baby to Mrs. Jas. Schillings daughter and the like prize for the prettiest boy to Mrs. Edgar Mauzey's seven months old son, the latter being a twin.

Next year, the baby show will undoubtedly be made a big feature and provisions made for the proper exhibition of the little tots.

SHIP APPLES TO AUSTRALIA

Over 5,000 boxes of Coos Bay's famous Gravenstein apples will be shipped to Australia this fall to supply the demand for the fancy fruit there. F. S. Dow has just concluded the contract for the delivery of the goods and has arranged with the Coquille Valley Fruit Growers Association to supply the quantity needed.

The growers will receive about sixty-five cents per box for the fruit and are to deliver them ready for shipment before September 10. The freight on the apples by the time they reach Sydney will be about \$1.80 per box and when the other costs are added it will boost the retail price to five and ten cents apiece. As no good apples are grown in Australia, they will probably find ready sale even at this high figure.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution duly issued out of the Circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Coos and to me directed on the 15th day of August, 1908, upon a judgment and decree duly rendered, entered of record and docketed in and by said court on the 6th day of May, 1908, in a certain suit then in said court pending, wherein M. C. Horton was plaintiff and L. D. KINNEY and M. G. KINNEY, his wife, and BELT LINE RAILWAY COMPANY, a corporation, were defendants, in favor of plaintiff and against said defendants, by which execution I am commanded to sell the property in said execution and hereinafter described to pay the sum due the plaintiff of Three Thousand Three Hundred Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 18th day of December, 1906, until paid together with the costs and disbursements of said suit taxed at \$20.20 and an attorney fee of \$300 and costs of said execution, less the sum of \$100 interest paid on the 20th day July, 1907.

I will on Tuesday, the 15th day of September, 1908, at the hour of Ten o'clock A. M. of said day at the front door of the County court House in the city of Coquille, Coos county, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand on the day of sale, all the right, title, and interest which said defendants L. D. Kinney and M. G. Kinney, his wife, and Belt Line Railway Company, a corporation, had on or after the 6th day of May, 1908, in or to the following described premises, to-wit:

Block numbered sixty-two in the townsite of Coos Bay, Plat 'B' in the county of Coos, state of Oregon, as per recorded Plat thereof.

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