

Winners of Ribbons

List of Awards Made by Judges for Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Hogs at Sherman County Fair

The following is a partial list of exhibitors who were awarded ribbons in the several horse, cattle and livestock classes at the Sherman county fair last week. To eliminate needless repeating of names, the awards have been assembled for printing under the names of winners in the place of classes of exhibits.

J. N. Landry, Belgians: 1st, stallion under one year; 1st, mare four years and over; 2nd, mare, four years and over; 1st, mare two years and under three. Horses, grades or crossbreds: 2nd, gelding four years or over. Teams: 1st, 6-horse team; 1st, 4-horse team; 2nd, 2-horse team weight not less than 3000.

M. G. Meiser, Horses, grades or crossbreds: 1st, gelding four years or over; 1st, gelding three years and under four; 1st, sucking colt either sex; 3rd, mare four years or over. Teams: 2nd, 6-horse team; 2nd, 4-horse team; 2nd, 2-horse team weight not less than 2400; 3rd, 2-horse team weight not less than 2400; 3rd, 2-horse team weight not less than 3000.

Wm. Bruckert, English shires: 1st, stallion four years and over; 1st and 2nd, mare four years and over. Teams: 1st, 2-horse team weight not less than 3400.

C. J. Thompson, Percherons: 1st on stallion under one year, mare four

years and over, mare three years and under four, mare two years and under three; 2nd, mare one year and under two; 1st and 2nd on produce of mare.

T. M. Rolfe, Percherons: 1st on stallion four years and over, stallion one year and under two; 2nd and 3rd, mare four years and over; 1st on mare one year and under two, mare under one year, get of sire—four colts; 3rd, two animals either sex—produce of mare. Grades or crossbreds: 2nd, gelding two years and under three. Farm teams: 1st, pair weight not less than 2400; 3rd, 4-horse team. 1st on gentleman's saddle horse; 2nd on boy's saddle horse; Lincoln sheep: Five 1st and 2nd on ram one year and under two; 1st on ewe two years or over; 1st on ewe one year and under two; 1st on flock, pen and get of sire. Chester White hogs: Three 1st on sow over one year, sow under one year, boar and three sows under one year; two 2nd, boar one year and over, boar under six months; 1st, 2nd and 3rd on sow under six months.

W. E. Newton took 1st and 2nd on Belgian mare under one year and also 1st on Jack four years and over.

L. V. Moore 1st on standard bred horses.

McKean and McDonald 2nd on standard bred horses.

F. E. Cox, Grades and crossbreds: 1st and 4th on mare four years or over; 1st on gelding two years and under three.

F. D. Flatt, Grades or crossbred horses: 1st on pair weight not less than 3000; 4th, gelding four years

or over; 5th, mare four years or over. Truman Strong, 8rd on yearling either sex, grades or crossbred horses. Ray Hulst, 1st on senior yearling bull; 5th on gelding four years or over, grades or crossbred horses.

Victor Barr, Grades or crossbred horses: Two 2nd on gelding three years and under four, mare four years and over; 3rd, gelding four years and over.

Faye Thompson won 1st for lady's saddle horse and Dorris Payne 2nd. The awards for the gentleman's saddle horse class went to T. M. Rolfe, 1st; Verno Christman, 2nd; C. A. Everett, 3rd.

The awards for boy's or girl's saddle horse went to LeRoy Belshie, 1st; Bob Rolfe, 2nd; Norma Melzer, 3rd. Eugene Amidon, 1st on Shorthorn bull three years or over.

Mrs. J. C. Hockman, 1st on Holstein cow three years or over and 1st on Holstein bull junior calf. Theodore Johnston, 1st on Jersey cow two years and under three; 1st on Jersey heifer junior calf.

T. B. Searcy, Shropshire sheep: 1st, rams two years and over; 1st, fat class wether under one year; 1st, fat class pen of three under one year.

E. R. Barzee, Hampshire sheep: 1st on flock; 1st, ewe one year and under two; 2nd, ewe two years and over; 2nd, ram two years and over; 2nd, pen; 2nd, ram under one year; 1st, get of sire.

C. H. Larson, Hampshire sheep: 3rd, ewe under one year.

J. J. Decker, Hampshire sheep: 1st, on ram two years and over and on ram under one year. Duroc Jersey hogs: 1st on boar over one year and sow under six months; 1st and 2nd on boar under six months.

L. W. Amick, fat class sheep: 1st, pen of three over one year. Chester White hogs: 1st, boar one year and over; 3rd, sow under one year.

W. B. Wilcox, Polan China hogs: 1st on boar one year and over and on boar and three sows one year and over; 1st, 2nd and 3rd on sow over one year and on sow under six months.

Depends Upon Insurance

It is a common saying, yet a true one, that "money talks," yet in the market places there is one voice which speaks in a more commanding tone. It is the voice of credit. Ninety-seven per cent of the commerce of the world today is carried on on credit, and only three per cent on cash.

There are four elements to properly establish credit—Character, Capacity, Capital and Coverage. Individual and corporate characters are inherently good or bad and are not always to be depended upon. The capacity of men differs with their education, training and personal attainments. Capital or collateral is always subject to the changes of fortune.

For its integrity capital is dependent upon protection against disaster in any of its familiar forms; therefore, commercial credit never is wisely extended unless it is based upon its fourth essential, which is coverage of fire insurance.

Fire insurance, therefore, is supplying the bulwark of our great credit and commercial system, and upon it depends the permanence of our modern material civilization.

Whose Sons Are What?

"Whose sons are what?" would be a good title for a study that has been made among Yale university students by the bureau of education of the Department of the Interior. The first result of the named examination has shown that ministers' sons long have labored under undeserved ill-repute, says the Houston Post-Dispatch. The fact is that ministers' sons have had the highest class rating as well as the highest general mental rating among all the sons of professional fathers at the famous school. Below them stand, in class record in the order named, sons of lawyers, teachers, doctors, business men, engineers, scientists and the progeny of writers and artists, the latter grouped together in seventh position. When pure mental tests are considered, as above stated, the parson's kid still stands first, but there is a shake-up in the subsequent sequences. Sons of writers and artists jump from seventh to second place, law and teachers come third and fourth, combined professions—what ever that may be—fifth, doctors' sons sixth, and the sciences bring up the rear in seventh place. Lawyers' sons put in the most hours of study, and the art and literary offspring the least—smart but lazy!

The staple jokes about the miscellaneous contents of a lady's handbag have always pleased us, because they were founded on reality, says the Philadelphia Record. A new and slightly divergent form is now current, in a news story instead of the joke columns, and it relates with gusto the assorted articles which were found in the stomach of London's pet ostrich after she died of too metallic a diet. Yet how true to form runs the list: Two handkerchiefs, three gloves, string, a film spool, nails, pencils, a comb, beads, a collar button, tire valve, key, wire, rivets, a glove fastener and a four-inch piece of wood. Perhaps some double-strength amalgamated joke could be achieved by joining the two ideas and propounding the query: What would not be found in a woman's handbag, made of ostrich leather?

Educational Fair

Only a fair showing was made at the county fair last week in the county school educational department owing to the fact that there was not sufficient room to exhibit properly. Some of the teachers and patrons came in to exhibit and upon finding all the space taken were unable to be represented at the fair. Wasco took first prize on the school booth, with Kent second and Rufus third. The prize was \$25 for first.

It is planned to have an entirely different arrangement for the fair in 1928. There will be three classes: The high school will exhibit to compete with the different high schools; the town schools will compete with each other, and the one-room schools will compete against each other. It is planned to give five prizes in the rural schools since there are more competing. The prizes will be large enough to make it worth the while. A different method of grading will be made also. It might be well to state at this time that instead of the previous arrangement of having a paper per pupil per subject per month, one neatly kept notebook on a subject will be required of each pupil in each subject in the grades and a term paper per subject in high school. The quality of this work, instead of quantity, will be emphasized. If the pupils do more than is required and keeps the quality up he should have more credit.

I believe that this plan will cause more exhibits, which means that more space will be demanded. Heretofore one-room schools felt that they had no chance to win over a school which had twenty times as many pupils, but at this fair the number of students were taken into consideration and some of the one room schools scored almost enough to take third. Those winning a free trip to the state fair as a result of their club work are:

Jean Powell, Moro; sewing.

Flora Williams, Moro; sewing.

Melvin Hansen, Moro; bees, calf.

John Decker, Kent; sheep.

Mildred Hansen, Moro; canning, sewing, cooking.

Viola Hansen, Moro; canning, cooking.

The two last named go as a canning team.

Those winning prizes in the club work at the fair are:

Cookery first division: Flora Williams first; Alta Norton, second; Mildred Hansen, third; Matilda Holt, fourth.

Cookery, second division: Laura Ruggles, first; Viola Hansen, second; Dorothy Foss, third.

Handwork: Anita Kenny, first; Katherine Burton, second; Lucile McLachlin, third; Margaret Ragsdale, fourth; Norma Melzer, fifth.

Sewing 1: Jean Powell, first; La Von Sayre, second; Mignon Wall, third; Jeanette Sargent, fourth; Marjorie Nahouse, fifth.

Sewing 11: Viola Hansen, first; Elmo Kee, second; Patricia Powell, third; Hope Hall, fourth; Georgia Harper, fifth.

Sewing 111: Jeanette McQuillen, first; Evelyn Spencer, second; Abbie James, third; Mabel Thomas, fourth.

Canning 1: Mildred Hansen, first; Doris Fortner, second; Maxine Henrichs, third; Doris Davis, fourth; Marjorie Byers, fifth.

Canning 11: Viola Hansen, first.

Bachelor Sewing: Marvin Thomas, first.

Sheep 1: John J. Decker, first.

Sheep 11: Hazel Decker, first.

Pigs 1: Donald Cox, first.

Bees: Melvin Hansen, first.

Calf 1: Melvin Hansen, first; Des-ton Russell, second; Donald Davis, third; Donald Cox, fourth.

Garden 11: Marie Reckman, first.

The prize for first place is \$5.00; second \$4; third \$3, fourth \$2, and fifth \$1.

Lawrence W. Rakes, County Superintendent.

It now appears that the railways of the United States have been extravagant in the use of whistles. Statisticians have figured out—you'll be surprised—that a locomotive whistle, if blown for an hour, would use up four tons of water and 1,200 pounds of coal; enough to heat an eight-room house a week in weather far below freezing. How long have railway officials known this fact? queries the Detroit News. And why haven't they done something to the driver of the switch engine in our suburbs at midnight?

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Further information may be obtained from banks or trust companies, or from any Federal Reserve Bank.

A. W. MELLON, Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D. C., September 6, 1927.

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