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Springfield Day At Fair Record Breaker

Premiums Awarded for Many Exhibits from This Section; Many Entertainment Features; Pioneers Elect.

Springfield business houses and the Booth-Kelly sawmill closed Wednesday in observance of Springfield day at the Lane County fair.

Besides the judging and regular exhibits, features of the fair include a good racing program, Kent's wild west rodeo, McCleave's troupe of trained horses, and Welsler's dog and pony show.

An informal meeting of the Lane County pioneers was held Wednesday morning at the pioneer pavilion, when stories of early days were exchanged.

The races Wednesday afternoon drew a big crowd. In the 2:20 trot Royanna Mac, owned by M. C. Keefe, came in first in the first two heats.

In the 2:13 pace Hal Paxton Jr. took all three heats, the time being 2:10 1/4, 2:09 1/4 and 2:09 1/4. Mary J. was second and Cyncofield third.

A feature of this afternoon was an address of Governor Walter Pierce, who will speak at 2:10.

A list of prizes which have already been awarded include the following: The prize winners in the various divisions were as follows: Sheep, ram, 2 years—William Downing, first; George Watson, second; C. P. Barnard, third.

Ramboulette—W. Downing won all first and second places except two, which were won by Mrs. Olive Keene.

Hampshires Shown. Hampshire—Aged ram, F. S. Jackson, first; Yearling ram, F. S. Jackson, first; Ewe, 2 years, Chas. Mickelbock, first.

Southdowns—Two-year ram and ram lamb, Wm. Downing, first. Oxford Downs—Two-year ram, E. C. Harwood, Yearling ram, I. M. Francis, first.

Guernsey—R. B. Thompson won first in the only entries on exhibit, Ayrshires—Echo Hollow Dairy won three firsts, only entries.

Horses Exhibited. Standard bred trotting—First, A. Svarverud. Clydesdale stallions—First, Wm. Lille.

Milk Goats Win Prizes. Milk Goats—buck, two years, Ida Walker, first; H. C. Cook, second.

Florida Ire



Mrs. Gertrude Seitz of La Belle, Fla., is a woman of action. When her husband took May Lawrence riding she followed them in another car.

Walker, first; H. C. Cook, second. Doe, two years, H. C. Cook, first; Ida Walker, second; Gilbert Stevens, third.

Swine—Spotted Poland China, H. A. Soultis took all prizes. Duroc Jersey, W. L. Ford all prizes except first in two-year class.

Cattle—Junior bull, Mrs. Scott, first; Olive Keene, second; H. L. Plank, third.

Holsteins Judged. Holsteins—Two-year-old bull, first, A. Benton and Son; second, senior yearling bull, first, A. Benton and Son.

Jersey—Senior yearling heifer, Mrs. S. Scott, first; J. H. Douglas, second; Cow, H. L. Plank, first; W. Godlove, second.

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Standard bred trotting—First, A. Svarverud. Clydesdale stallions—First, Wm. Lille.

Mare over four years—First, Marion Kelso; second, Warner Zumwalt; third, Marion Kelso.

Mare over three years—First, second and third, Wm. Lille.

Mare over one year—First, Wm. Lille; second and third, Warner Zumwalt.

Colt, either sex—First, Raymond Johnson; second and third, Wm. Lille.

J. W. MARKHAM PASSES AT HIS HOME IN SPRINGFIELD

J. W. Markham died Wednesday after an illness of three weeks, at his home on Main street.

Mr. Markham was born in Virginia in 1860. He moved to Missouri when a young man, where he married Miss Temora Carter.

Mrs. Markham and five children survive the deceased. Mrs. Frank L. Smith of Pleasant Hill, Mrs. Morton Bristow of Dexter, and Morton, Walton and Parmalee Markham of Springfield are the children.

MRS. LARSON DIES AT NELSON HOME

Mrs. Bessie May Larson, wife of Albert Larson, died Sunday at the Arnie Nelson home on 4th street.

Mrs. Larson has been ill here about four months, although her home is at Redmond. She is survived by her husband, her father, B. B. Jeans of Eugene; seven children, Ben, Doris, Opal, Elmer, Ruth, Conrad and Delvin; three sisters, Mrs. Frank Hanson and Mrs. Roy Deal, both of Eugene and Mrs. Charles Weyer of Halfway; and two brothers, Archie and Carson Jeans of Mapleton.

Baby Passes Away

Thelma Grace Gay, five months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gay of 959 Mill street, was found dead at the home of her parents Tuesday night.

24 MEN ANSWER H. S. FOOTBALL CALL

Twenty-four men turned out for the first football practice of the high school players Monday evening.

Pollard of last year's subs is out for center, and Joe Thompson will probably win a place on the line.

Only three games are now scheduled, and about three more will be dated soon. The first tilt will be with Junction City, there on October 24.

Legion Auxiliary to Meet

There will be a meeting of the American Legion auxiliary Thursday evening, September 24, at the home of Mrs. Jack Larson over the Bell theatre.

Program at Baptist Church

A special musical program will be given by the ladies of the Baptist church at the regular service hour Sunday evening.

Child Chops Finger

While playing with a hatchet which he had succeeded in pulling from a chopping block Monday, the three-year-old son of W. J. Culver of east Main street chopped his finger seriously.

Traffic Accident—The fender of the G. W. Lewis car was bent Wednesday when T. V. Rice of Eugene backed into the first car.

SPRINGFIELD FLOWERS FAIR PREMIUM WINNERS

Fred C. Montgomery Takes First Place with Gladiolus; Exhibit This Year Beautiful.

Fred C. Montgomery, of Springfield, won the first prize in his display of Gladiolus at the Lane County fair.

Following are the winners: Collective group, Begonia, fibrous roots—first, Mrs. George D. Heitzman; second, Mrs. J. A. Banfield; third, Mrs. J. Lockerbie.

Fuchsias—First, Mrs. J. A. Banfield; second, Margaret Davidson. Fern—First, Mrs. George Heitzman.

Single specimen, Asparagus plumosus—First, Margaret Davidson. Asparagus sprengeri—First, Margaret Davidson; second, Mrs. Fred Jacobson.

Begonia, fibrous rooted—First, Mrs. George Heitzman; second, Mrs. Fred Jacobson; third, Mrs. D. A. Haggart.

Begonia, tuberous rooted—First, Geo. D. Heitzman. Rex Begonia—First, Mrs. James Lockerbie; second, Margaret Davidson.

Plant from amateurs, General assortment of potted house plants—First, Mrs. J. A. Banfield; second, Margaret Davidson.

Cut flowers, Display of Asters—First, Mrs. Jas. Hayo; second, Mrs. J. A. Banfield; third, Mrs. K. M. Luper.

Zinnias—First, D. F. Shepard; second, Mrs. G. B. Quaff; third, Mrs. G. W. McLain.

Gladioli—First, Fred C. Montgomery; second, Alfred Bayne. Larkspur—Second, Mrs. K. M. Luper.

Phlox—First, Mrs. K. M. Luper. Pansies—First, Mrs. K. M. Luper; second, Mrs. Fred Jacobson.

Roses—First, Mrs. Henrietta S. John; second, Agnes Lockerbie; third, Mrs. K. M. Luper.

Peony varieties—First, Alfred Bayne; second, Mrs. Ralph Stone; third, Mrs. W. P. Haas.

Chamber to Meet Friday—Members of the Chamber of Commerce will meet Friday evening for the regular session.

Air Defense



Maj. Gen. James C. Harbord, U. S. A., retired, who is to head Fred Coolidge's new committee, named to study our aviation defense needs.

CIVIC CLUB TO ENTERTAIN CITY SCHOOLS TEACHER

The Springfield Civic club invited the Parent Teachers' association to join with it October 13 in a reception for the teachers in the city schools.

The club heard as part of its industrial program a report of the Springfield bakery. It was reported that the bakery products had increased 100 per cent since the beginning of the "Try Springfield Merchants First" campaign.

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The three medals will be of gold, silver and bronze and are made by the American Legion for this purpose.

CITY MAIL DELIVERY WILL START TOMORROW

Beginning tomorrow, Springfield will have a new city delivery mail system. Elmer G. Sankey has been appointed by Postmaster F. B. Hamlin as temporary carrier.

Go to California—Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Myers and Mrs. I. D. Myers of Salem, who have been visiting at the Henry Adrian home for the last 10 days, left for California where they will stay for Mr. Myers' health.

Here from Marshfield—Mrs. Al Perkins of Marshfield, has arrived in Springfield for a stay.

Return from Round-up—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wing and Mrs. Stella O'Brien of Vida returned Monday from the Pendleton round-up.

Will Present Play—The library board will present the play "Down East" at the Bell theater October 3 in order to raise funds for purchasing new books.

MAIN ST. BUILDING SOLD TO EUGENEAN

East Half of Stevens-Perkins Building Bought by M. W. Mikesell, of Eugene, for Investment Purposes; Tenants to Move.

The east half of the Stevens-Perkins two-story building on Main street has been sold to W. B. Mikesell, of Eugene. The consideration is not announced.

Mr. Mikesell, who is connected with the Sam Rugh Realty company, states the purchase was made for investment purposes, and that the building will be rented in the future to the same tenants.

After the Springfield News occupies its new home, Halls Cash store expects to move into the Odd Fellows building in the room vacated.

MANY DIVORCES GRANTED BY CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE

A dozen divorces were granted this week by Judge G. F. Skipworth in circuit court. Those to whom decrees were granted included the following:

Pearl M. Williams against Barrent Williams, cruel and inhuman treatment. Charles A. Crandall against M. I. Crandall, desertion.

Anna Fonda against Earl Fonda, cruel and inhuman treatment. She was given \$50 a month alimony. Grace Peterson against Joseph E. Peterson, cruel and inhuman treatment.

Alice M. Rix against Gus John Rix, cruel and inhuman treatment. The mother was given the care and custody of the children.

Dena Archambeau against Archie L. Archambeau, cruel and inhuman treatment. The wife was given \$25 a month alimony.

Stella V. Fouts against Charles C. Fouts, cruel and inhuman treatment. The wife was given her former name, Stella Davidson.

News Stand to Open

A shoe shining parlor and magazine stand will be open next week at the Fry building, between the Pastime pool hall and the Spong and Thomas restaurant.

A stand with four shoe-shining chairs will occupy the front part of the shop, which will be separated from the rear by a glass partition.

Work on the partition was started today, and the shop will be open for business in about a week.

Marriage Licenses Issued

During the past week marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk to the following: Farmer C. Hale, Noti, and Edith Brabham, Eugene; Audrey C. Joslyn and Cecel'a M. Bertelsen, both of Eugene; LeRoy Smith, Dexter, and Loleta Purcell, Springfield; Herbert Smith, Lorane and Ann Mitchell, Eugene; John J. Gregory and Dorothea Hewitt, both of Cushman; Roy S. Davis and Alvina Bowers, both of Wendling; Fred C. Harris, Vida, and Ida Richardson, Leaburg; Frederick Hurd and Iola D. Fisher, both of Eugene; and Walter William Latin, Cottage Grove, and Ethel M. Florer, Eugene.

Goes to Oakridge—Eugene Wing drove to Oakridge this morning on business.