

CHILDRENS' FAIR EXHIBITS TELL OF ACHIEVEMENTS

Every exhibit in the children's department has a history of achievement attached to it that, if it were known, would make interesting reading.

The first prize corn was grown by Claus Charley of Brownboro, who also won second in the adult class.

Verne Owens, 11 years old, son of James Owens of Wellen, won second and is exhibiting some Reid's Yellow Dent that is very mature for the variety and the season.

The story of Verne's success in spite of dry weather, cutworms, squirrels and everything else that can bother corn, shows what a boy can accomplish by pluck and perseverance.

Vida Bradshaw, 11 years old, of Antelope district, is one of the few girls in the county taking up corn-growing, and although her corn is too immature to take a prize, it demonstrates that the girls, too, can raise corn.

Audley Meyers of Lake Creek has some fine scab-proof potatoes exhibited which he estimates will yield fifty-five or sixty bushels on his one-eighth-acre plot.

Boys and girls of Medford show up well in the chicken department.

Nana Seely won first on her Buff Orpingtons and they are fine, too. Freddie Hubbard won first on his Barred Plymouth Rocks and William James won second.

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Harry Helms will return tomorrow from a month's fishing and hunting trip in northern California.

Lot 1—Corn growing; First, Claude C. Charley; second, Verne Owens.

Lot 2—Potato growing; First, Audley Meyer.

Lot 3—Girls' canning and preserving; First, Gertrude Butler; second, Elva Caster.

Lot 5—Girls' sewing; First, Beulah Wright; second, Amy Koster.

Lot 7—Pig feeding; First, Wilbur Godlove; second, Willie Wass.

Children's Department.

Needlework.

One-piece wash dress, class A—First, Beatrice Henry.

Embroidered corset cover, class A—First, Delilah Stevens.

Sofa pillow, cross stitch, class A—First, Edith Johnson; second, Beatrice Henry.

Fancy gown, class A—First, Harriett Howell; second, Delilah Stevens.

Embroidered centerpiece, class A—First, Vera Jernsta; second, Mabel Hearn.

One yard crocheted lace, class A—First, Vivian Stewart.

One yard tatting, class A—First, Lela McDougall.

One-piece wash dress, class B—First, Marie Boyd.

Sofa pillow, cross stitch, class B—First, Lillian Robertson; second, Ellen Johnson.

Fancy apron, class B—First, Fern Wing; second, Rose Billings.

Lunch cloths, embroidered, class B—First, Doris Runney; second, Marian Morton.

Two towels, class B—First, Isabella Sievertsen.

Patchwork, class B—Second, Arthur Dressler.

Fancy handbag, class B—First, Florence Manke; second, Echo Alford.

Machine made apron, class B—First, Isabella Sievertsen.

Manual Training.

Mission chair—First, Paul Young.

Book and magazine rack—First, Arthur McDougall.

Bird house—First, Orville Van Drophy; second, —Pearl.

Cooking.

Loaf bread, class A—First, Rosa Lehner; second, Chloe Roberts.

Collection canned fruit, ten varieties, class A—First, Leta Stevens; second, Rosa Lehners.

Collection jellies, six varieties.

MOTHER AND SON STRUCK BY ENGINE AT GRADE CROSSING

A kindly Providence saved Mrs. B. F. Van Dyke of Phoenix and her 7-year-old son Frank from death at the dangerous Southern Pacific crossing near the gas plant Friday afternoon.

The son gives the following version of the accident, according to Dr. Conroy. His mother drove on the track without seeing the approaching train.

The engineer of the freight, when he realized an accident could not be averted closed his eyes to shut out the picture.

The crossing is a private one and used by the public only during the construction of the Pacific highway.

MEDFORD WILL HAVE NEW JEWELRY STORE

J. W. Johnson has leased space in the Medford Book store and will open a jewelry store there on September 15, carrying a modern stock of watches, diamonds, jewelry and silverware.

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class A—First, Mabel Hearn; second, Chloe Roberts.

Collection canned vegetables, class A—First, Leta Stevens.

Jelly, two glasses, class B—Alma Norman.

Jelly, one glass, class B—Lucy Carle.

Flowers.

Best bouquet, except roses—May Meadows.

Best bouquet roses—Doris Brophy.

Garden.

Three best squashes—First, Andrew Stevens.

Best peck onions—First, Andrew Stevens.

Best two watermelons—First, Minnie Hanson; second, Andrew Stevens.

Agricultural sweepstakes—First, Sylvester Stevens; second, Bolton Meadows.

Miscellaneous dolls—Second, Bernice Dressler.

Miscellaneous dolls' garments—First, Fern Wing.

Poultry.

White Plymouth Rocks—First, Ferdie Hubbard; second, William James.

Orpingtons—First, Nana Seely.

White Leghorns—First, Winifred Ford.

Bantams—First, Chester Brown; second, Edmund Stillwell.

Drawing, Etc.

Drawing, eighth grade—First, Allison O'Brien.

Best water color landscape—First, Herbert Grey.

Best water color flower piece—First, Herbert Grey.

Manufacturing.

Best brick, cement—Medford Cement Brick & Block Co.

Best signs—B. Klum.

Best metal workers' display—C. L. Foley.

Best exhibit of candy—Palace of Sweets.

Best cannery exhibit—Rogue River Cannery.

Best rubber stamps—Geo. J. Kunzmann.

Honey.

Case honey in comb—James Stewart.

Quart jar strained honey—James Stewart.

POULTRY AWARDS AT COUNTY FAIR WELL DISTRIBUTED

Awards in the poultry department of the Jackson county fair were made this morning by the judges, and show the growth of interest in chicken raising in Jackson county the last year.

The prizewinners were: Barred Plymouth Rocks—Mrs. E. S. Hitzler, Medford, all awards.

White Wyandottes—W. C. Fritsche, Medford, all awards, including special for best male in American class, best female in American class, best male in whole exhibit, best female in whole exhibit.

Columbian Wyandottes—R. H. Paxson, Central Point, all awards.

Partridge Wyandottes—Harris & Crandall, Eagle Point, all awards.

S. C. Rhode Island Reds—C. E. B. Webb, Central Point, first hen, second cockerel, second pullet, second trio young; Edward Hall, Central Point, second cock, second hen, second trio old; Mrs. E. S. Hitzler, Medford, first cock, first cockerel, first pullet, first trio old, first trio young.

White Leghorns—Brommer Bros., Medford, all awards.

Buff Leghorns—P. H. Waddle, Central Point, all awards.

Silver Campines—R. H. Paxson, Central Point, all awards.

Aneonas—Mrs. E. S. Hitzler, Medford, all awards.

Sicilian Buttercups—Elizabeth D. Boyer, Medford, all awards, including special for best male in Mediterranean class, best female in Mediterranean class.

Buff Orpingtons—H. Lay, Jacksonville, second cock first hen, second hen, first cockerel, first pullet, second pullet, first trio old, first trio young; B. L. Dodge, Medford, first cock, second trio old; special, best male in English class.

White Orpingtons—R. H. Paxson, Central Point, first cockerel, first hen, second hen, second trio young; J. F. Norman, Talent, second cockerel, first pullet, second pullet, first trio young; special, best female in English class.

Black Orpingtons—C. C. Hoover, Medford, all awards.

Silver Spangled Hamburgs—James Murray, Talent, all awards, including special for best male in Dutch class, best female in Dutch class.

Houdans—William Charley, Medford, all awards, including special for best male in French class, best female in French class.

Black-Breasted Red Games—Dr. J. L. Helms, Medford, all awards, including best male in standard game class, best female in standard game class.

Rose Comb Black Fantams—T. F. Smith, Talent, all awards.

Pekin ducks—J. H. Patterson, Medford, second young drake; W. C. Fritsche, Medford, first young duck, second young duck, first young drake including special for best male in the duck class, best female in duck class.

White Indian Runned ducks—P. H. Waddle, Central Point, all awards.

Fawn Indian Runner ducks—J. H. Patterson, Medford, first young drake, first young duck, second young duck; W. C. Fritsche, Medford, first old drake, first old duck, second old duck; T. C. Smith, Talent, second old drake.

Toulouse geese—C. W. Isaacs, Medford, first old goose, first old gander, including special for best male in geese class, best female in geese class.

Red Belgian hares—T. F. Smith, Talent, all awards, including special for best male in show, best female in show.

Steel Gray Flemish hares—T. F. Smith, Talent, all awards.

White rabbits—John Stine, Medford, all awards.

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LOWE EXHIBITS 641 PRODUCTS OF VALLEY AT FAIR

D. R. Lowe of Ashland, whose exhibit of 641 products of the valley was shown at the county fair, will gather a carload of vegetables, grains, etc., which he will take to the state fair at Salem.

Vegetables, Grains and Grasses. Best bushel potatoes, first and second, D. Schnack.

Best plate five onions, first, J. L. Demmer; second, D. H. Hanson.

Best bunch five beets, first, H. E. Boyden.

Best five carrots, first, H. E. Boyden.

Best six plants celery, first, G. W. Sanders.

Best plate five tomatoes, first, J. L. Demmer; second, Wm. Elcher.

Best display three pumpkins, first, W. E. Whitehead.

Best Hubbard squash, first, Brommer Bros.

Best plate five peppers, first, J. L. Demmer; second, S. S. Stevens.

Best five ears of field corn, first Brommer Bros.; second, Mrs. C. Charley.

Best five ears popcorn, first, W. E. Whitehead; second, J. L. Demmer.

Best plate five Rocky Fords, first, P. H. Waddell; second, Marshall Bros.

Best caaba, first, Marshall Bros.; second, J. L. Demmer.

Best muskmelons, first, Marshall Bros.

Best netted cantoupe, first, S. S. Stevens; second, Geo. Gilman.

Best watermelon, first, Marshall Bros.; second, A. R. Hanson.

Best sweet potato squash, first, Geo. Pankey.

Best three egg plants, first, M. L. Meadows; second, Jas. Stewart.

Best sample oats, first, C. E. Terrill; second, P. E. Upton.

NEW ZELANDERS GRAB ISLAND OF SAMOA

HONOLULU, T. H., Sept. 12.—The South Sea island of Upolu, on which is situated Apia, capital of German Samoa, was occupied August 29 without the firing of a shot by 1500 New Zealand troops, carried thither on board the Union Steamship company's liners Tahiti and Willochre.

German Consul Schulz and 100 other German governmental officers were taken prisoners of war. Gus Heintz, the wireless operator, refused an offer of \$10,000 to tell where he had hidden the powerful wireless apparatus which he had stripped from the station.

NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS. The current in all lines in Medford will be cut off Sunday afternoon from 2:00 p. m. to 2:30 p. m., on account of necessary repairs to the line. CALIFORNIA-OREGON POWER CO. 149*

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PORK MOUNTAIN FEATURES LIVE STOCK FAIR DISPLAY

The feature of the livestock department of the county fair was the 800-pound Duroc Jersey boar exhibited by L. H. Houston, and awarded second prize.

Livestock—Horses. Draft stallions, first, C. E. Terrill; second, Chas. Anderson.

Trotting bred stallions, first, T. L. Taylor; second, R. C. Staats.

Trotting bred mare, first, T. L. Taylor; second, W. W. Weiser.

Coach mare, first, C. C. Hoover.

Trotting bred mare and colt, first, John W. Opp.

Best draft colt, one year old, first, W. S. Stancilffe.

Best draft colt, two years old, first, Chas. Anderson.

Best draft colt, three years old, first, C. C. Hoover.

Best bred trotting colt, one year old, first, W. G. Kalps.

Best trotting colt, three years old, first, W. W. Weiser; second, J. L. Helms.

Best bred coach colt, three years old, first, C. C. Hoover.

Gentleman's saddle horse, first, D. T. Lawton; second, J. L. Helms.

Ladies' saddle horse, first, Mrs. J. F. Cook.

Jack, first, J. L. Helms.

Span of mules, first, Jas. Briscoe; second, Joe Daniels.

Span draft horses, first, J. H. Bowman.

Span driving horses, first, D. T. Lawton.

Single driver, first, Ray Gaunyaw; second, J. Bostwick.

Cattle.

Jersey bull, first, L. H. Houston.

Hereford, first and second, Hanley Bros.

Sweepstakes, first, L. H. Houston; second, Hanley Bros.

Jersey cow, first, L. H. Houston; second, C. C. Hoover.

Hereford cow, first and second, Hanley Bros.

Holstein cow, first, C. C. Hoover; second, L. H. Houston.

Durham cow, first, C. C. Hoover.

Sweepstakes, first, L. H. Houston; second, Hanley Bros.

Jersey calf, first, J. R. Haynes; second, C. C. Hoover.

Hereford calf, first, Hanley Bros.

Durham calf, first, C. C. Hoover.

Goats.

Nannie goats, first and second, J. K. Eicher.

Swine.

Poland China Boar, first and second, S. D. Steffy.

Poland China sow, first and second, S. D. Steffy.

Duroc Jersey boar, first, Leo Phipps; second, L. H. Houston.

Duroc Jersey sow, first, L. H. Houston; second, A. E. Dennis.

Duroc Jersey litter, first, L. H. Houston; second, A. E. Dennis.

Berkshire boar, first, D. H. Rosenberg; second, B. L. Dodge, Jr.

Berkshire sow, first and second, B.

MEDFORD SOON TO HAVE A BRASS BAND

Prof. R. M. Curns, formerly of Chicago Heights, Ill., and Portland, Oregon, is here in Medford, intending to make this valley his future home.

For the present he and family are located at the Hotel Holland.

The Christian church has organized a nursery in charge of the ladies of the church and all parents desiring to attend services who have been detained at home on account of their small children may take them to the church and they will be cared for during the services.

L. Dodge, Jr.

Berkshire litter, first, D. H. Rosenberg.

CHIEF FORESTER GRAVES TO VISIT CRATER LAKE

Senator George E. Chamberlain wires that Chief Forester H. S. Graves of Washington, D. C., will be in Medford in twelve days on a visit of inspection of local forestry conditions.

NOW IS TIME TO VISIT CRATER LAKE

"The road to Crater Lake is perfect," says Emil Mohr of the Hotel Medford, who has recently returned from the lake. "The recent snow has melted, leaving the air as clear as possible. The lake was never more beautiful. The smoke from the forest fires has gone. Now is the time for everyone who can visit the lake. The season closes October 1 but until then the roads will be free of dust and the crowd being gone, the rush is avoided."

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Announcement. I wish to announce to the people of Medford and vicinity that I have secured space in the Medford Book Store and on September 15 I will open with a new and modern stock of Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry and Silverware. It will be the policy of this store to carry in stock only merchandise of standard quality and merit and to maintain as low prices as goods of such quality will permit. It shall always be my earnest endeavor to render to my patrons efficient service and courtesy. Respectfully, JNO. W. JOHNSON Watchmaker and Jeweler.