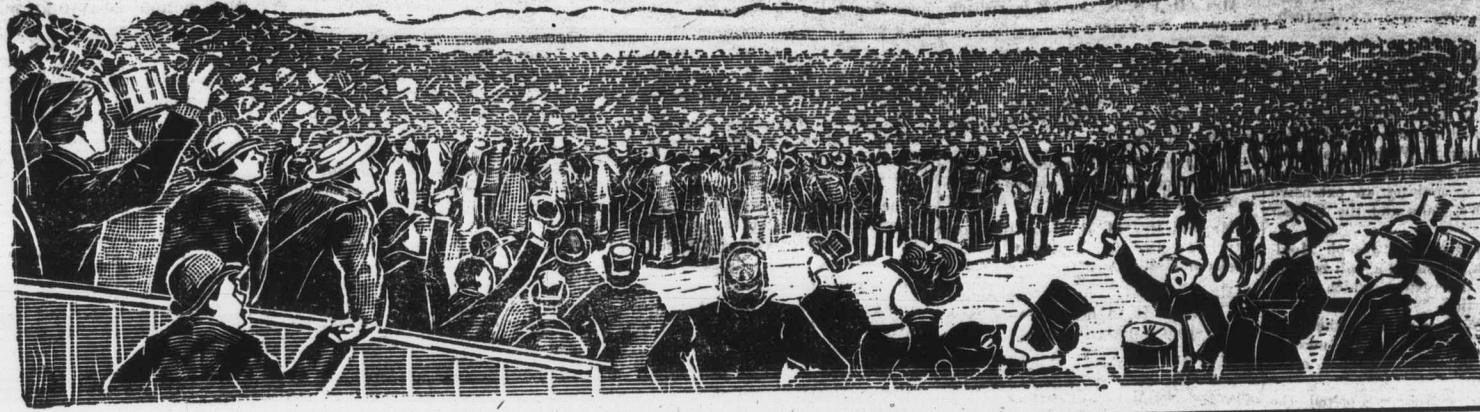


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We do All Kinds of

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Call and get estimates for anything in the above
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at the mill yard. Call and see me before buying
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Having moved to Athens and bought out the
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WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
September 15, 16, 17, 1897.

In presenting their annual programme and greeting to the patrons of Unionville Fair, the Directors have great pleasure in congratulating the farmers on the very prosperous season just closed. It is seldom that an abundant harvest, a good pasturage season, and good prices all round visit the farmer at the same time. It thus appears to be the conditions that have obtained throughout the whole Dominion, and there is general rejoicing in consequence. The Directors feel that owing to the high prices that have prevailed for cheese this season the farmers of Leeds County should feel especially thankful, and be in a mood to give their hearty support to that worthy and distinctly agricultural institution—the Unionville Fair. The great storm of last spring wrought considerable damage to the property of the Society at Unionville—leveling the fences and wrecking the cattle-stalls, sheep-pens, etc. But the officers of the Fair have risen equal to the occasion, and, relying upon the loyalty of the people to the Fair, have reconstructed on new and improved plans for two hundred head of cattle, and two hundred feet of sheep pens are now in readiness. The work of improvement has not been confined to the smaller buildings. A change has been wrought in the interior of the Main building that will meet with the favorable appreciation of all, especially the ladies. The north and south wings have been lined with inch planed lumber, and a broad table or shelf with railing in front encircles both these wings. Besides showing the exhibits to better advantage, this arrangement will enable the caretakers of the different classes to check the objectionable practice of handling goods, so prevalent at all fairs. These improvements have necessitated a large expenditure, which the Directors expect will be fully met by the ever increasing attendance. The benefits to be derived from attending Unionville Fair, from a social and business point of view, are being better understood each succeeding year. Here the best products of the agriculturalist and of the domestic animal, and the woman are brought together, all classes of society are thrown into communication, ideas are exchanged and with the exchange of ideas comes improvement in method. A friendly rivalry, too, to excel his neighbor induces the exhibitor to use the best means within his power to produce a fine article, and this means increased general excellence in all lines of production. This fair should receive more and more recognition from the general public for its stimulating and healthful character to the community on the path of progress. A growing feature of all fairs—township, county and provincial—has for several years been the entertainment department. Efforts along the line of rendering fairs more attractive by providing pure, wholesome entertainment for the whole have been very favorably received and have invariably resulted in greatly increasing the attendance. The managers of Unionville Fair have not been slow to recognize this fact and to take advantage of it; but while making generous provision for the amusement of the people, their efforts have been always devoted to securing pre-eminence for its purely agricultural features. This year the Directors have special pleasure in directing atten-

TRIALS OF SPEED

SECOND DAY, Sept. 16
Green Race - - - - - \$40.00
(Open to horses that never started for public money)
2:40 Class - - - - - \$70.00
THIRD DAY, Sept. 17
3:00 Class - - - - - \$55.00
Free-For-All - - - - - \$85.00
CONDITIONS.—Races in harness—best three in five. Four to enter three to start. Entrance fee, 10 per cent. Open to trotters and pacers, Horses eligible Sept. 1st. All purses divided into 50, 25, 15 and 10 per cent.
D. J. FORTH, Sec.-Treas.

**The Great
Balloon Race**

FROM EARTH TO CLOUDS

FROM CLOUDS TO EARTH
Prince Leo and La Strange in
their Race for the World's
Championship on the Second
Day of Unionville Fair.
A Jubilee Exposition
In this Jubilee Year, it is the worthy ambition of all identified with the prosperity of the Fair to make this exhibition eclipse all previous ones, and this they are determined to do. It is therefore hoped that the manufacturers, agriculturists, horticulturists, and all interested in the prosperity of this section of the county will make an extra effort to place before the people such a magnificent display of the products and resources of the district as will far surpass all former efforts. Entries and applications for special space must be made with the Secretaries on or before Sept. 13th.

SPECIAL PRIZE LIST
Something for Everybody—A Number of Valuable Articles Contributed by Friends of the Fair—Gravity and Galety Combined in the Competitions.
John Culbert
BROCKVILLE.
Groceries, Etc.
Five pounds Tea, value.....\$2.50
For best Crock Butter, 10 or 20 lbs.
Gilmour & Co
BROCKVILLE.
Wholesale Grocers.
Caddy choice Tea, value.....\$2.50
For 1st prize on hive working Bees.
A G McCrady Sons
BROCKVILLE.
Dealers in Hides, Felts and Skins.
Fair Driving Mitts, value.....\$2.00
For 2nd prize on Hive Working Bees.
D J Forth
UNIONVILLE.
Manager of German Coach Horse Association.
Cash towards Special Attractions.....\$10.00
B Loverin
ATHENS.
Prop. The Athens Reporter.
Copy of Reporter 1 year, value.....\$1.00
For 3rd prize on Hive Working Bees.
W J Cluff
BROCKVILLE.
Dealer in Cheese Factory Supplies, Etc.
Cash.....\$2.00
For 1st prize on Best Patched Quilt (best work and neatest design).
A H Swarts
BROCKVILLE.
Undertaker, Furniture Dealer, Etc.
Bamboo Easel, value.....\$1.50
For 2nd prize on Best Patch Quilt (Cluff's special).
H H Bryant
BROCKVILLE.
The Leading Photographer, next Revere House.
Life Size Portrait, value.....\$4.00
For Best 5 o'clock Table Cover and 3 Dollies.
J Curtin
BROCKVILLE.
Dealer in Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines.
A Fine Accordion, value.....\$3.00
For 2nd prize on Bryant's Special.
The Cossitt Bros, Ltd
BROCKVILLE.
Mans. of Mowers, Reapers, Binders, Etc.
Set Mowing Machine Knives, value.....\$4.00
For Best Farm Team.
Abbott, Grant & Co
BROCKVILLE.
Mans. of Choice Confectionery, Etc.
1 box Tea Biscuits, value.....\$2.50
For Best Fancy Cake made by farmer's wife or daughter.
The James Smart Man Co Ltd
BROCKVILLE.
Mans. of Ranges, Stoves, Etc., Etc.
1 Small Heating Stove, value.....\$5.00
For Best 2-year-old Jersey Heifer.
R H Smart
BROCKVILLE.
Dealer in Hardware, Metal Cornices, Etc., Etc.
1 Fancy Bird Cage, value.....\$2.00
For Choicest and Handsomest Potted Plant (separate entry from coll.)
The Central Canada Coal Co Ltd
BROCKVILLE.
Dealers in Hard and Soft Coal.
One-half Ton Coal, value.....\$2.75
For Best Pig of 1897, any breed.
Robt Craig
BROCKVILLE.
The Leader in Hats, Caps and Furs.
Gents' Hard Felt Hat, to fit, value.....\$2.50
For 1st prize on Bicycle Race, 3 times round horse ring at 2 p.m. third day.
Peter Poulin
BROCKVILLE.
Manufacturer of Choice Cigars.
One Box Purity Cigars, value.....\$2.00
For 2nd prize on Bicycle Race.
The Brockville Times
BROCKVILLE.
One Copy Weekly Times 1 year.....\$1.00
For 3rd prize on Bicycle Race.
Wm Coates & Son
BROCKVILLE.
Watchmakers, Etc.
One Silver Plated Clock, value.....\$3.75
For Best Single Turnout and Single Lady Driver, without attendant.
H H Cossitt
BROCKVILLE.
Dealer in Choice Fruits and Confectionery.
One Basket Selected Fruit, value.....\$2.00
For Best Looking Young Lady on Grounds 3rd day.
Wm Johnson & Son
BROCKVILLE.
Buyers of Butter, Cheese and Farm Produce.
One Bag Fine Dairy Salt, value.....\$1.60
For Best Roll of Farmers' Butter.

MATRIMONIAL PREMIUMS
"Why don't the men propose?" This question has been often asked, but never satisfactorily answered. Many reasons have been assigned but none generally accepted. It is not the intention of the Directors of this Fair to attempt a solution of the problem, but they recognize that the increasing number of celibate citizens is a menace to the well-being of the state, and have decided to attempt the creation of a boom in the matrimonial market by offering the following valuable prizes and inducements to the bride and groom who will be married publicly on the fair grounds at 2 p.m. on the last day of the fair, viz.:
\$15.00 in cash by the Society.
A handsome Lounge or Easy Chair, valued at \$7.50, by A. H. Swarts, Brockville.
A registered Berkshire pig, valued at \$10.00, by C. J. Gilroy & Son, Glen Buell.
A \$5.00 bill by A. A. Davis, Brockville.
A copy of the Daily Times and Athens Reporter one year. The ceremony to be performed by Rev. L. A. Betts, of Brockville, free of charge.
A platform will be erected on the fair grounds especially for the performance of the ceremony, and all the amenities and decorum usually attendant upon the tying of the nuptial knot will be observed and strictly enforced by the officers of the Society.
Those willing to comply with the conditions upon which these prizes are offered must notify the Secretary (B. Loverin, Athens) on or before Sept. 11th. The couple selected will be promptly notified of the fact, and the strictest secrecy will be observed respecting all names submitted.
Special Prizes continued
Chas C Lyman & Co
BROCKVILLE.
Dealers in Fancy and Staple Dry Goods, Carpets, Etc.
Fancy Oil Cloth Floor Mat, value.....\$2.00
For Best Looking Widow Lady on Grounds on 3rd day.
A S Ault & Co
BROCKVILLE.
Dealers in Stove and Blacksmith's Coal.
Half Ton Coal, value.....\$2.75
For Best Lamb any breed (separate entry).
W H Jones
BROCKVILLE.
Collector of Customs.
Cash.....\$3.00
For Best Driving Horse, to be shown last day.
Lewis & Patterson
BROCKVILLE.
Dealers in Dry Goods, Mantles, Gents' Furnishings, Etc.
One Ladies' Parasol, value.....\$1.75
For Best and Tastiest Dressed Unmarried Lady on the Grounds 2nd day.
John F Wood M P P
BROCKVILLE.
Cash towards Special Attractions.....\$5.00
D Derbyshire
BROCKVILLE.
Canadian Agent for Russian Separator, Seamless Bandage, Hanson's Rennett and Cheese Cloth.
Cash—\$5.00 to 1st; \$2.00 to 2nd; Copy of Weekly Recorder to 3rd.
For Best Dressed and Most Graceful Lady Bicyclist, 2 times around the ring, on 3rd day (after men's bicycle race).
Geo A Dana M P P
BROCKVILLE.
Cash towards Special Attractions.....\$10.00
B Loverin
ATHENS.
Proprietor of the Athens Reporter—Leeds County's leading local paper. This office leads in fine commercial and letter-press printing. Rates always reasonable and satisfaction invariably given.
One copy of Reporter 1 year.....\$1.00
For Largest and Heaviest Six Potatoes.
James Cummings, Esq
LYN.
Proprietor of the Lyn Roller Mills.
50 lb. Sack B. Flour for First Prize, 50 lb. Sack C. Flour for Second Prize, and 50 lb. Sack D. Flour for Third Prize.
For Best Pan of Bread (4 loaves), made by Farmer's Wife.
Agricultural Society
Cash—\$10.00 to 1st; \$7.00 to 2nd; \$5.00 to 3rd.
For the Best Collection of House Plants and Flowers, consisting of 50 pots or more, grown by amateur.

THE BROCKVILLE & WESTPORT RY.
—WILL RUN—
SPECIAL EXCURSION TRAINS
On the Last Two Days of the Fair
TIME TABLE
Special Trains will, on Sept. Fare, including admission to 16th and 17th. the Fair Grounds:—
Leave Brockville. 11 00 A.M. From Brockville,.....\$ 50
Lyn.....11 15 " Lyn and Seeley's..... 40
Arrive Forthton. 11 40 " Lees..... 40
Leave Delta.....12 30 P.M. Lyndhurst..... 50
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Athens.....1 00 " Delta..... 60
Arrive Forthton.....1 10 " Crosby, Forfar..... 75
Elgin..... 75
Newboro..... 1.00
Westport..... 1.00
Returning trains will leave Forthton for Athens only at 5 p.m.
For Westport and intermediate stations at 5.20 p.m. For Forthton and intermediate stations at 5.15 p.m. if ownership has not changed