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300 CENTS ON THE S. ALL PRIZE WINNERS HAVE BEEN PAID IN FULL BY CHEQUE.

Notwithstanding the fact that for the whole three days of the East Elgin Fair, held bere on Thursday, Friday and Saturd y last, the sun did not shine for a minute, cheques for the amount in full have already been

sent to each prize winner. On Thursday the rain did not cease for a minute, and while many exhibitors would not venture out to bring their exhibits, there were enough who braved the elements to fill most of the departments up to the average, and some of them above Friday and Saturday the weather was showery and bad, and thousands who intended to be present did not turn out. There were however about 2,000 people on the grounds on Fri day, and 5,000 on Saturday, a remarkable crowd considering the weather. Friday night was also bad with showers all the evening, but the crowd was also good for the night. The entertainment in front of the grand stand was far ahead of anything ever seen at any fair in Ontario outside of Toronto and London, and everyone was more than delighted. Marians, in their daring and comical trapeze and ladder act and slack wire performance, were "out of sight" and could not have been exselled. J. C. Graham showed himself an expert on the high wire, and while light horses he rode a bicycle across the wire at night, the rain prevented the electrical arrangements from being carried out. W. Scott performed some very difficult acts of balancing on his head on a trapeze, and also gave a fine exhibition of slack wire work. Robin son & Marsales caught the crowd in eir tumbling and knock-about act, Thile little Yeuenay and Preepa Armstrong, of St. Thomas, gave a number of Scotch and Irish dances in first-class, up to-date style, to the accompaniment of bagpipe music by Mr. James Munro. Fred Love's baton exercises were fine, as they always

are, and Jimmie Lees dressed in th tume of a Scotch gentleman of the

Aplmer Express work was displayed. To sum it all up, the fair was a great success. notwithstanding the and the officers and directors have everything to feel satisfied over, weather considered. There is no doubt about the success of the fair in the future.

> NOTES. No accidents, no rows, no trouble,

100 cents on the \$. paid to all prize winners. Three days rain don't knock out the Avlmer fair.

Yarmouth Malahide and Aylmer. Great trio, and sure winners every

You can always bank on the carry ing out of the full programme at the Aylmer fair, rain or shine.

Alva St. Clair had a tandem turnout that would have done credit to Toron-to, and Fred Ashton had Mayor Nairn's turnout in the best of shape.

Mr. O. S. James, of St. Thomas, had a very catchy turnout, everything about it being white, horses, harness buggy, whip and driver's suit.

Messrs, John King, of St. Thomas, R. Scott, of Tilsonburg, and F. W. Smith, of Aylmer, were judges in the speed contests, and gave the best of satisfaction. There were some fine pens of bacon

hogs shown for the \$30 special prize given by McCausland & Ogilvie. Chas. Brown won 1st, M.D. Carter 2nd and B E Bates 3rd. There were only two entries for

the special for 2-year old Grandeur colts, but both were good ones. 1st money went to Mr F Tucker and Mr A V VanVelzer got 2nd. There was never a finer, or better

natched span of horses on the Aylmer fair grounds, than the pair of roadsters shown by Mr. Malcolm Scott, of St. Thomas, and we doubt if their equal can be found in Canada. Messrs. W.H. Weir, of St. Williams,

and L. Wilson, of Delhi, were new faces from a distance on the list of judges this year, and with Jas Mc-Kenzie, of Union, gave the very of satisfaction in their department,

inte trot or pace, mile heats, Inferminates:
in five Summaries:
Katie Medium, Thos. Cross, St. Thomas...
Maxie Queen, B. F. Queen, St. Thomas...
Hattle W., Ed. White, Orwell.
Storm, C. Drake, Norwich
Noasuch, L. McKinney, Aylmer
Time—2.594, 2.594, 3.63.
FIREE-FOR-ALL STALLION RACE.

Half-mile heats best two in three; purse Summary:
Jassemine Porter, John Dyment, Orkney.
Orkney, Jonathan Ohswehen, Orkney.
Vickstone, F. Terry, London
E. S. M., E. S. Martin, Brantford.
Nonsuch, L. McKenney, Aylmer.
Time—57½ sec., 56 sec.

Prichard 2. Three year old cow, Prichard 1, Woolley 2. Two yr old heifer, Woolley. Yearling heifer, Prichard 1. Woolley 2. Best herd, Woolley.

Ayrshires.—Two year old bull, Woolley.
Yearling bull, Wooley 2. Bull calf,
Woolley. Cow, Woolley 1, Prichard 2 and
3. Two year old heifer, Woolley 2. Yearling heifer, Woolley 1, Prichard 2. Heifer
calf, Woolley. Best herd, Woolley.

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Grades.—Milch cow, P Abbott 1, Elgin Clark 2, F Leeson 3. Three year old cow, O L Westover 1, O McKenney 2. Two year old heifer, O McKenney 1 and 2, M Ashton 3. Yearling heifer, F Leeson 1, M Ash on 2, O McKenney 3. Heifer calf, M Ashton 1 and 2. Pair two year old steers, M Ashton 1 and 2, Elgin Clark 3. Fat ox or steer, M Ashton 1, 2, 3. Fat cow or heifer, O McKenney 1 and 3. Best herd, Elgin Clark 1, F Leeson 2.

Light brahmas, Harris & Son 1 and 2.
Dark brahmas, C May 1. Buff cochins,
Harris 1, Jas Sheppard 2 White cochins,
Harris 1. Partridge cochins, Harris 1. C
May 2. Langshans, D. Robins 1, Wm.
Collius 1, Harris 2. White dorkings,
Harris 1. Silver grey dorkings, Harris 1,
Sheppard 2. Barred plymouth rocks, N
Ellsworth 1 and 2. White plymouth rocks,
E Caverly 1, W E Wright 2. Buff
plymouth rocks, Ena Price 1. White
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spanish, Harris 1 and 2. Black minorcas,
Harris 1. Single comb white leghorns,
Harris 1. Ellsworth 2. Single comb brown
leghorns, Ellsworth 1, George Newell 2.
Rose comb brown leghorns, Ellsworth 1,
May 2. Golden bearded polands, Harris 1.
Silver bearded polands, Harris . Silver
spangled hamburgs, Ellsworth 1, Harris 2.
Black hamburgs, Geo. Newell. Houdans,
Harris 1, Ellsworth 2. Indian game, D
Robins 1 C May 2. R R red game Black hamburgs, Geo. Newell. Houdans, Harris 1, Ellsworth 2. Indian game, D Robins 1, C May 2. B. B. red game, Harris 1 and 2. Pyle game, Harris. Golden sebright bantams, Harris. Silver sebright bantams, Harris. Black African bantams, Harris. B. B. red bantams, W Collins 2. White bantams, Ellsworth. Bronze turkeys, Collins 1, Caverly 2. Black turkeys, Ellsworth. White turkeys, Wright 1, Caverly 2. Pekin ducks, Caverly 1, Collins & Son 2. Bremen geese, A Whitesell. Common geese, D Caughell 1, W. Collins 1 and 2.

Edgar Thayer 2, J P Smith 2. White field carrots, long, Wright. White field carrots, half long, Wright 1, Miles Charlton 2. Yellow mangle wurtzel, Miles Charlton 1, Wright 1, Elgin Clark 2, John Fulton sr. 2. Red mangle wurtzel, M Charlton 1, Wright 2.

FRUITS.

Apples.—Snow, W Z Hawley 1, I Atkin 2.

Notherous 1, Malling 1, A Halling 1, B Halling 1, A Halling 1, A Halling 1, A

DOMESTIC PRODUCTS.

Butter, 15lbs—M McConnell 1, H Smith 2; 5 lb roll—A Ellsworth 1, A McConnell 2, A Vanvelzor 3; 1 lb roll—E Caveriy 1, factory cheese—H J Tucker 1, W Bothwell 2; home made bread, hop yeast—Jno Caron 1, R O'Brien 2, G Vanvelzor 3; sait yeast—M McConnell 1, J Caron 2, Nellie Farthings 3; home made buns—M T Pierce 1, J A Burdick 2, Mrs W E Murray 3; sponge cake—Mrs S Pierce 1, G Vanvelzor 2; fried cakes—Etta Price 1, Mr Murray 2; baker's bread—Florence Heriot 1; maple sugar—J Prichard 1, Jos Sanders 2; molasses—S W Trim 1, G Vanvelzor 2; honey in comb—John Yoder 1, D J Teeple 2, I R Butter, 15lbs-M McConnell 1, H Smith lasses—S W Trim 1, G Vanvelzor 2; honey in comb—John Yoder 1, D J Teeple 2, I R Prichard 3; honey extracted—J Yoder 1, D J Teeple 2; cucumber pickles—Mrs W Haley 1, E Caverly 2; mused pickles—Mrs Haley 1, E Caverly 2; mused pickles—E Caverly 1, Mrs W E Murray 2; Chilli sauce—Mrs W E Murray 1, A Vanvelzor 2; tomato catsup—J Caron 1, Nellie Farthings 2; currant jelly—Mrs L A Brown 1, Mrs W V Nigh 2; grape jelly—Mrs W V Nigh 1, Mrs S Pierce 2; raspberry jelly—Mrs. W E Murray 1, J Timmons 2; gooseberry jelly—Mrs L A Brown 1, Mrs W E Murray 2; plum jelly—Mrs W Hakey 1, Mrs Murray 2; apple jelly—W H Baxter 1, J Caron 2; collection of home canned fruits—Mrs L A Brown 1, Mrs Murray 2; Mrs M F Turril 3; pickled fruit—J Caron 1, M F Turril 2, Mrs Murray 3.

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S Vanwagner 3, Five yds woollen fisnnel, home made—D K Huffman 1, I R Prichard 2, Five yds woollen and cotton fisnnel—D K Huffman 1, A Nevills 2, I R Prichard 3, Five yds factory made cloth, wool—S S Clutton & Son 1, Woollen yarn factory made—S S Clutton & Son, woollen yarn, home made—Hattie Chute 1, I R Prichard 2, D K Huffman 3, Rag carpet, woollen warp—D K Huffman 1, Cotton warp—A Nevills 1, M Turrill 2, J Timmons 3, Rag mat—D K Huffman 1, H Chute 2, V Nigh 3, Yarn, I R Prichard 1, Socks, woollen, knit by hand—W E Murray 1, J Sheppard 2, D K Huffman 3, Cotton—D K Huffman 1, J Timmons 2, I R Prichard 3, Stockings, woollen, hand knit—J Timmons 1, A Nevills 2, D K Huffman 3, Cotton—D K Huffman 1, J Timmons 2, L McKenney 3, Woollen mittens, hand meu's—S Charlton 1, R Koyle 2, J Baird 3, Women's—J Baird 1, M Turrill 2, M Beemer 3, Woollen gloves, men's—D K Huffman 1, J Baird 2, I R Prichard 3, Pair home made blankets—D K Huffman 1, Paind 2, I R Prichard 3, Pair home made blankets—D

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Potatoes, per bushel.
Hay, per ton
Straw, per load.
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Chickens, per lb.
Turkeys, per lb.
Ducks, per lb.
Live Hogs.
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Dressed Hogs.

LONDON MARI	CETS	3.	
Wednesd	ay, Se	pt.	28. 1
Wheat	66	to	6
Oats	24	to	2
Peas	48	to	5
Barley,	38	to	4
Rye	39	to	3
Corn	44	to	4
Live Hogs	4 25	to	4 3
Dressed Hogs	5 50	to	6 0
Butter, roll, per lb	17	to	1
Butter, rock, per lb	15	to	1
Eggs per doz	12	to	1
Potatoes per bag	65	to	. 1
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Chickens, per pair	40	to	:
Ducks	70	to	
Geese, each	1.1	to	
Turkeys	8	to	1

TORONTO MARKETS.

Wednesda	y, Sej	pt.2	8, 18
Wheatfall	67	to	7
Wheat spring		to	
Barley	42	to	4
Oats	27	to	2
Rye	40	to	4
Peas	55	to	5
Hay per ton	7 00	to	8 0
Dressed Hogs	5 25	to	5 5
Jave Hogs	4 25	to	4 5
Potatoes per bush	75	to	9
Butter, rolls, per lb	16	to	1
Butter, crock	13	to	1
Eggs per doz	14	to	1
Chickens,	40	to	6
Ducks	50	to	6
Geese, per lb	6	to	
Turkeys	10	to	1

ST. THOMAS MARKETS.

Wheat, per bushei	65	to	65
Oats, per bushel	25	to	25
Barley, per bushel	38	to	40
Corn, per bushel	40	to	45
Peas, per oushel	50	to	50
Butter, per lb., rolls	23	to	25
Eggs, per dozen	14	to	15
Chickens, per pair	45	to	50
Ducks per pair	60	to	80
Turkeys per lb	10	to	11
Geese, each	50	to	70
Potatoes per bag	65	to	7
Onions, per bunch	3	to	
Cabbage per head	5	to	
Cauliflower per head	8	to	10
Celery per doz	35	to	4
Hay per ton	5 00	to	6 5
Wood, short, per cord	2 00	to	2 2
Wood, long, per cord	3 75	to	4 0
Live Hogs	4 25	to	4 5
Dressed Hogs	6 00	to	6 5

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