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a School Fair in the fall. The follow ing is one of the letters sent us from the Riverside school, near Galt, Ont., last autumn. It may be interesting to you now if you are planning for an exhibit of your own flowers and vegetables :

Dear Beaver Readers,-I am going to try to give you an account of a fall fair which was held at Riverside school last

In the fall of nineteen hundred and all. eight, Mr. Hart, a man who was sent out by the Agricultural College to help others on with agriculture, came down to our school to find out if we would agree to having a fall fair, and to compete with two nearby schools. The trustees thought this would be a good education for the pupils, and so it was carried on. We were given this list, of which we could not take more than three things Oats, Barley, Alfalfa, Rape, Turnips. Sugar Beets, Sweet Corn, Potatoes, Tomatoes, Watermelons, Pansies, Nasturtiums and Gladiolus. Prizes were also given for Best Collection of Weeds, pressed and mounted, with common names; Best Collection of Weed Seeds correctly named, with common names Best Collection of Insects correctly named; Best Collection of the Work of Insects, or Plant Diseases; and the Best Collection of Wild Flowers, pressed and mounted, and correctly named, with common names; and for the Best Essay written on any one of the crops - except flowers.

The next spring the seeds were distributed to every pupil, and each one took them to their homes and planted them. Each pupil was supposed to plant their seeds in plots a certain size.

The crops were carefully watched all summer by the owners-hoed and weeded. In the fall the pupils reaped the fruits of their labors, for then they collected their crops and carried them to Riverside school, where they were placed on exhibition. The crops were neatly arranged on the three tables ready for she judges to judge them.

There was luncheon given at noon, and after that all the excitement began. All the pupils were standing by the tables when the judges came. A number of the pupils thought the judges took a long ime to get to their crops.

When the judges did arrive at their crops, more excitement was expressed by the onlookers. When it was decided which crop was best, a shout was sent forth from the winner.

After they had finished judging each table, the judges decided which school had the best exhibition, and as there was a sweepstake prize, it was given to the best exhibition, which was shown by the Stone School; the school is not far from ours. Three schools competed.

The children began playing a few games after that, as they knew how many prizes they got. The pupils were all called into the school to receive their prize money, and it was not hard

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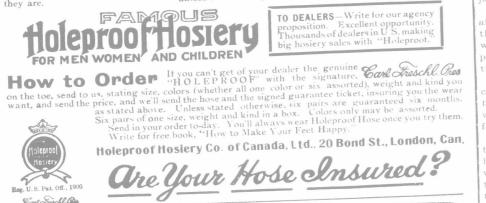
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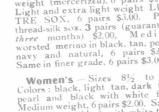
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to take them from the games they were playing, as they were eager to get the After they had received their money and were out in the open again, some winners were calling out, "Hurrah ! Hurrah !"

Races then took the time for a little while; all the racers were rolling up their sleeves and getting ready to run. About half-past four the ones who were there showing things were each carrving their crops, and the ones who wor prizes were carrying a purse holding their prize money. Some went home happy that afternoon, and some sorry though they did not much mind not win-

This was the first fair held in Waterloo County. I will close my letter now hoping that others will be benefited by LILLIAN GILLESPIE

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Broadview Boys' Fair.

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