

Local and General.

Lots of Threshers Goggles at Burton's.

Just arrived a large shipment of preserving fruit at—Phipps.

The new elevator at Spring Coulee was opened Tuesday. The other two elevators are full.

Mr. Weir, staff reporter for the Lethbridge Herald, was in attendance at the fair.

Just arrived a large shipment of preserving grapes. Call and examine our fruit—Phipps.

The beautiful cement sidewalks were much admired by the visitors.

Sam Jessops, Magrath, was in town on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, Lethbridge were visitors at the fair on Wednesday.

The A. R. & I. granted the Magrath choir a fare of \$1 to Cardston and return.

Mrs. H. R. Sloan, left on Wednesday for Portland, Ore.

Prof. Geo. Harper, the judge of the Musical Contest, returned to Lethbridge on Thursday.

Many people are taking advantage of the Conference rates to Utah.

Lots of Grain Sacks at Burton's. Elder Chas. Burt returned on Tuesday from a two years mission to England.

J. W. Woolf, M. P. P., was in Edmonton this week, participating in the laying of the corner stone of the Parliament Buildings.

Several of the members of the McPhee Show Band attended the practice of the Military Band on Saturday evening.

Representatives of the Northwest Farmer, and Farmer's Advocate, Winnipeg, were in attendance at the Fair.

Don't forget the meeting of the Philharmonic Society, Saturday evening, Oct. 9th, in the Assembly Hall. Every body invited.

The McPhee show on Saturday night last was well attended. The play was poor, but the specialties between the acts were good.

Mr. Fred Turner, the editor of the Logan Republican, was in town for a few days this week. He returned to Magrath on Wednesday.

Milk River, Sept. 30—The traffic bridge is completed and is a great convenience to the people of the Milk River district. The people appreciate the efforts of John Woolf M. P. P. in securing the bridge.

The Ward Y. M. M. I. A. was reorganized last Sunday night. Mr. J. W. Low was installed as president, Messrs. F. Brown and F. May were sustained as councillors, with Mr. Leslie Coombs as Secretary-treasurer and Sylvester Low as musical director.

Magrath certainly did her share towards making the fair a success. She contributed six entries to the Musical Contest, and many exhibits in the Live Stock and Vegetable Departments came from the "Garden City."

The Board of Trade wishes the farmers to save their grain, grasses and vegetables until the 10th of this month, at which time they will make up an exhibit to represent the Cardston District at the Dry Farming Congress, Billings, Mont.

Mrs. H. S. Allen and Mrs. J. T. Smellie, Raymond, are in town today attending the Stake Primary Fair. Mrs. Allen is president of the Taylor Stake Primary Association.

Miss Blanch Olson has resigned her position with the C. E. Snow & Co. and has accepted the position of cashier at H. S. Allen & Co. Miss Louie Lee is taking her place at the bank.

Lang Wing (Tai Saag) accompanied by his youngest son, left this week on an extended visit to China. During his absence, Lang Get will have full charge of the business, and all accounts due should be paid to him. Lang expects to be absent six months or a year. He will bring back a large stock of Silks and Chinaware.

E. H. Chamberlain, Erie, Illinois, was in town for a few days this week. As will be remembered, Mr. Chamberlain in company with several others, last year purchased some 1500 acres of land, near Spring Coulee. They seeded 600 acres of it into fall wheat and the threshing returns this week show that it is yielding 30 bu. to the acre. That threshing is well under way at Spring Coulee is evidenced by the fact, that on Saturday last one elevator took in 6000 bu. of grain.

Fresh Baltimore Oysters at—Phipps.

Wool Blankets at \$2.25 pair at Burton's.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Layne, Saturday the 25th, a son. J. B. Ririe, Parley Carter and W. T. Passey were the chief exhibitors from Magrath.

The fair was a complete success this year—both financially and otherwise.

Bliss Native Herbs the great blood purifier—Sold at Phipps.

The furnishings for the new Barber Shop have arrived and, the place will be open for business tomorrow.

Little Stanton Wixom was buried Monday at Cardston. Several from Spring Coulee attended the funeral.

Parley Carter, Magrath, had a fine showing of vegetables at the fair. He captured many prizes.

H. A. McQuarrie, representing the Garbutt Business College, Calgary and Lethbridge, was in town on Wednesday.

It is hard to decide which is best: The Agricultural or the Primary Fair. What the latter lacks in quantity it makes up in quality.

All accounts against the estate of the late Holland G. Birket must be rendered, duly certified to the undersigned on or before Oct. 10th.—Mrs. H. Birkett, Cardston.

A children's service will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning at 11 a. m. Parents are earnestly requested to bring their children to the service. Programmes and special music are prepared.

Among the excursionists to Utah this week were: Mrs. H. W. Brant, Mrs. P. G. Peterson, Miss Jennie Billingsley, Glenwood, Mrs. J. Wight and children, Miss Zina Woolf, Mrs. Lowry, Taylorville, Mrs. F. N. Morris, Mrs. James May and daughter Eunice, John, Frank and Miss Jane Smith, Mt. View, Bishop D. E. Harris, and Pres. Thos. Duce and Ed. J. Wood.

FAIR NOTES

The big fair is over.

One of the attractive exhibits of the fair, was the fine showing of fruits.

It was certainly a success and the officers and directors deserve much credit.

The government judges state that this fair was by far the best they have attended this year.

A school exhibit is always a centre of attraction for visitors and a great incentive to children.

Cardston had one of the best exhibits of vegetables that could be seen anywhere.

The Cardston Military Band is certainly to be complimented on its splendid music.

A local fair is a great publicity agent and also has educational value for visitors as well as residents.

The livery rigs were kept very busy, both days of the fair, conveying visitors to and from the grounds.

A fortune-tellers booth was in operation the last day of the fair. It was situated near the east entrance of the Assembly Hall.

The sheaves of wheat, oats and barley were good and a worthy advertisement of what the Cardston district can raise.

The sharpers who were conducting the "skin games" at the grounds must have found trade lacking, for they pulled out on the second day.

The Stock Parade, which took place Wednesday noon, was a magnificent sight. It extended over the length of three blocks and consisted of over 150 horses, all of them being winners.

The live stock exhibit was certainly a credit to the district. Over 150 entries in horses, 60 entries in cattle, while the showing of swine, sheep and poultry was exceptionally good.

A great interest was taken in the bread making contest this year. There were 10 entries in the "Home made white bread," and 12 entries for the Cardston Milling Co's. offer.

The outside judges were: E. N. Barker, Edmonton (Roots Vegetables and Poultry), Mrs. John Turner and Miss Letta Hall (Ladies Work) Magrath, and the Government Judges for the Live Stock.

The Cardston school certainly did its best to help along the exhibition. There were some splendid maps, drawings, good samples of writing and a large collection of Noxious Weeds and Tame Grasses. Credit is certainly due to both teachers and pupils.

33 Per Cent. Copper

A few weeks ago Mr. Wm. Pennoyer sent a few samples of ore, taken from the Van Pelt Copper Mine, to his son in the east to be tested. The following telegram was the result:

Montreal, Sept. 28th. 1909.
To Wm. Pennoyer,
Cardston.
Essay shows thirty three per cent copper.
Sgd. Chas. Pennoyer.

Archer Defeats Ellison

The wrestling match, between O. A. Archer and J. F. Ellison, on Tuesday evening, was very exciting. The Match took place in the O. K. Rick and was largely attended. R. Wm. Pilling acted as referee.

The first fall came to Archer in 22 minutes, the second one to Ellison in 2 minutes, while the third didn't materialize at all, but ended after 30 minutes of wrestling, in a free for all discussion.

As Ellison refused to finish the match, his side bet of \$25 was declared forfeited to Archer, while the gate receipts, after paying all expenses, were handed over to the Cardston Agricultural Society.

The match all through was a poor imitation of wrestling, as the contestants spent most of the time, rag-chewing, scratching, etc. The sympathy of the crowd was with Archer, as he showed himself to be a true sport. He was at all times willing to give and take, and to abide by the decisions of the referee.

Ellison states that he is prepared to wrestle Archer any time after 10 days notice, for a purse of \$100 or upwards, provided flying falls count.

Cordial Invitation To All

Mr. S. S. Newton, on behalf of the Philharmonic Society, extends an invitation to all singers in the Cardston Ward to join the musical organization.

Branches of the Society are being organized at Magrath, Raymond and Stirling, and it is proposed, if 200 singers can be obtained from the different towns, to send a choir of 150 voices to Edmonton, to attend the Musical Festival which is to be held there next May.

To bring this about, the assistance of every singer in each ward is required, and it is to be hoped that every one will take an interest and do their share towards making the project a success. We see no reason why it cannot be accomplished, for we have the singers and it will be the best advertisement that Southern Alberta could have.

Practices will be held alternately once a month, at each town. Arrangements have been made with Manager Naismith of the A. R. & I. for a special railway rate. The first practice will be held in the Assembly Hall, Cardston, a week from Saturday night Oct. 9. Don't forget the date.

Notice

We the undersigned wish to hereby notify our customers and the public in general that on and after Oct. 1st. The Peoples Meat Market will conduct a strictly cash business; We feel that it will be appreciated by all who find it hard to pay long standing accounts. The people in and around this vicinity have little if any trouble to get cash for all their produce. Then why not pay down for what they purchase? We intend to carry Hotels, Restaurants, and any good reliable Co for 30 days only. We intend selling meats of all kinds at cash prices. So we are satisfied that this kind of business will be a benefit to our community, and will aid our people to keep out of debt.

We take this opportunity of thanking our customers for their patronage during the past, and sincerely trust that no offence will be taken because of our change.

We solicit the public to come and try doing business on cash basis and there by get perfect satisfaction. Wm. Wood & Son, Per B. J. Wood.

A full report of the Primary Fair will be given next week. Lack of space prevents it being published in this issue.

Mr. Robert Reeder left for Utah on Tuesday. It is rumored that a Mrs. Reeder will accompany him on his return.



LADIES

Before buying your Mantle or Coat come and examine our new stock. They are perfect in STYLE, FIT and FINISH.

Fall and Winter Underwear, Hosiery, Cloves, etc.

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Prize Winners

Hem stitching. 1st Mrs. Laurie, 2nd Mrs. Spencer.

Pin cushion. 1st Mrs. Laurie, Photo Frame. 1st Tena Anderson.

Counter pane croch. 1st Mrs. A. Cazier.

Log cabin Quilt. 3 entries 1st Mary Layton, 2nd Mrs. Stoddard.

Crazy work quilt, silk. 1st Mrs. Wolsey.

Baby jacket, croch. Mrs. Austin.

Babys hood. 1st O. E. Bates, 2nd O. E. Bates.

Darning on sock. 1st Mrs. A. Holland.

Knitted socks. 1st Mrs. O. E. Bates.

Knitted Mitts. Mrs. A. Holland.

Rag Carpet. 1st Mrs. Gus. Nielson.

Work by children under 16 Dressed dolls. 1st June Homes.

Paper flowers. 1st Zina Wilson 2nd A. Gedleman.

Hem stitching. 1st Ethel Brown.

Centrepiece. 1st Tena Anderson.

Specials, Knitting in wool. 1st Mrs. S. A. Wolsey.

Globe Wax Fruit. 1st Mrs. Hurd, 2nd C. T. Marsden.

Bishop V. I. Stewart, of the Glenwood Ward, was in town today. He reports everything in a flourishing condition at the new Ward.

While crossing the railroad track on Wednesday, "Bish" Folsom was thrown out of his buggy and received a severe bruise on the head.

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