

ALL ATTENDANCE FIGURES DISTANCED

GREAT THRONG AT THE BLOOMSBURG FAIR.

It Was the Third Day and Between 25,000 and 30,000 Persons Attended—Afternoon Races Run off with Clock-like Regularity—Fine of Ten Dollars Imposed Upon One Driver for Lottering—Council Chimes of Pittston and George M. Won the Two Events Decided.

From a Staff Correspondent. Bloomsburg, Oct. 11.—A vast throng, variously estimated at between 25,000 and 30,000 persons, filled every foot of available space today of the grounds of the Columbia County Agricultural and Mechanical association. It was the third day of the fair held here and like yesterday broke all records in matter of attendance. The huge grandstand, with a seating capacity of 5,000, was crammed full, over a thousand persons standing about the trotting and pacing races were run off. On the midway the crowds that surged up and down the spacious grassy streets made travel slow and laborious.

Fines Imposed.

The three races scheduled for the afternoon were run off with clock-like regularity, and after a very short time the drivers of the fast steppers discovered that Starter Smith was not going to be played with nor allow any dilatory tactics. In the first race he imposed a fine of \$10 on one driver for lottering, and after that they were extremely anxious to please him. Between the races the 5,000 spectators in the grandstand had the tedium of waiting between heats allayed by a vaudeville performance on the platform opposite. Here there were given a couple of acrobatic stunts by clever specialists, a troupe of trick dogs, two of whom fight a good four-round bout, a boxing match between a woman slugger and a man, the latter having the worst of the engagement, and then there were dog races in single, double and four-in-hand heats.

The exhibit displayed in the mammoth main hall was all viewed by the judges yesterday and their decisions rendered. Over \$5,000 in premium money for this branch of the fair will be disbursed to fortunate winners. The cattle, poultry, swine and sheep have also been awarded their blue and red ribbons. The list of winning premiums would occupy more than a page of The Tribune, so I shall not send it. The first race of the day was called at 1 o'clock. The first race was won by Council Chimes of Pittston, the second by George M. of Girardville, and the third was unfinished, three horses dividing the four heats. Summary follows:

First Race. 2 1/4 class, trot or pace; mile heats, best three in five; purse, \$100. First heat—Miss Delmarch and Carl Brown had a struggle of it all the way around, but Delmarch took the lead at length, with Pizarro third. Time of heat, 2:15 1/2. Second heat—This proved to be a very exciting heat, charges and counter-charges being made by drivers against each other, the judges decided that Council Chimes was entitled to the heat, and Miss Delmarch, second. Time of heat, 2:14 1/2. Third heat—The field got the word after scoring three times, but Pizarro was behind the rest in the get-away. At the first half all were lunched, not a length separating first and fifth. The finish, however, all whipping, with Council Chimes first, Miss Delmarch second and May Wilkes third. Time of heat, 2:17. Fourth heat—The word was given at the first lineup. At the half Council was ahead, with May Wilkes a length behind and Carl Brown third. The finish was close, but in the same order the horses passed under the wire, with the Canadian horse fourth and Pizarro fifth. Summary: Council Chimes, M. S., M. L. Perrin. Pittston, Pa. 5 1 1 1 Miss Delmarch, M. S., M. L. Perrin. Ontario, Canada. 1 2 2 4 Carl Brown, Jr., G. Robert Grady. Philadelphia. 2 3 4 3 May Wilkes, M. S., J. G. Millhouse. Chester, Pa. 4 5 3 2 Pizarro, M. S., Withers & Gottschell. Reading, Pa. 3 4 5 5 Time—2:15 1/2, 2:14 1/2, 2:17, 2:17 1/2.

Second Race. 2 1/4 class, pace; mile heats; best three in five; purse, \$50. First heat—Seven starters out of fifteen entered. Luella McC. had the pole. After many attempts to get away Starter Smith called the driver of Ezra A. to the wire and cautioned him against further delay. The driver of Coastman, Jr., was fined \$10 on the next start for going ahead of the pole horse. The next time the horses got the word to a very ragged start. On the half George M. was ahead of the field, with Brownie B. next. The finish was very close, with George M. a length ahead of Director Wilkes, who beat Brownie B. for second by only a nose. The judges however gave Brownie B. the second place and Director third, while Coastman was fourth. Time of heat, 2:24. Luella McC. was distanced. Second heat—But six starters faced the judges, with George M. on the inside. Ezra A. gave a great deal of trouble to get going and was warned by the starter. They got the word with Ezra A. forty yards behind on the next lineup. At the half George M. was a length in front of Brownie B. At the finish George maintained his advantage over Brownie and Thecla Clark came in third. Time of heat, 2:22. Third heat—Coastman, Jr., was drawn, leaving but five to start out of the original field of seven. Again Ezra A. had to be warned. The field got the word behind three scores, with the field horse in the rear. At the half George M. was ahead, with Brownie second and Ezra A. third. They finished in this order, lengths apart, and Thecla Clark fourth. Summary: George M. B. G., A. H. Miller, Girardville, Pa. 1 1 1 Brownie B. B. G., M. L. Perrin, Pittston. 2 2 2 Director Wilkes, Jr., G. Weaver Brothers, Montoursville, Pa. 3 4 5 Thecla Clark, Jr., M., James G. Pratt, Towanda, Pa. 6 3 4 Ezra A. B. G., George A. Eglis, Tunkhannock. 5 6 3

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Coastman, Jr., blk. g., John E. DuBois, Dulobis, Pa. 4 5 2 Luella McC., br. m., Irvin G. Gray, Scranton, Pa. 3 4 5 1 Time—2:24, 2:22, 2:22

Third Race (Unfinished).

2 1/4 class, trot or pace, for horses owned in Columbia county; mile heats, best three in five; purse \$50. First heat—There were five starters, two of them from Bloomsburg. In the drawing for positions Dock had the pole, Tommy II second, Pecono third, Valley Boy fourth and Carl Van fifth. A great deal of trouble was experienced in getting the local horses off, some having to be warned by the starter, especially Scriver of Valley Boy, who lottered several times behind the field. After five times they got the word, with Valley Boy behind several lengths. At the half Dock and Pecono were first and second, five lengths apart with Valley Boy third. They finished this way, with Carl Van fourth and Tommy II fifth. Time of heat, 2:30 1/2.

Second heat—After scoring four times they were sent off to a poor start, with Tommy II way behind. At the half Dock, Pecono and Carl Van led in the order named, all five being well sitting out. Dock led all the way around up to 100 feet of the wire, then broke and Pecono passed him just at the stand. Carl Van was third. Time, 2:35 1/2.

Fourth heat—It was long after sunset when this heat was called, and the small knot of spectators in the grand stand looked astirled with races, it being the eleventh heat raced during the afternoon. It required two trips up to get away. Dock, br. h., G. H. Welliver, Bloomsburg, Pa. 1 2 5 5 Valley Boy, br. g., James Finley, Williamsport, Pa. 4 3 2 1 Tommy II, blk. g., O. H. Henry, Berwick, Pa. 5 4 4 4 Time—2:30 1/2, 2:35 1/2, 2:35. Tomorrow there will be three more races and other attractions. E. L. Hatfield.

WAYMART.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Waymart, Oct. 11.—During the absence of Rev. James P. Ware, rector of Grace Episcopal church, Homestead, will conduct service at 7 p. m. Sunday in the Presbyterian church. Ed Stephens attended the funeral of G. W. Lane at Homestead Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Deck and daughter, Merle, are visiting the latter's brother, Charles Pearce, at Port Jervis, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Wagner, of Peckville, Pa., Susan Glenn, of Carbondale, and Mrs. Emma Thorpe, of West Pittston, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Robert Batten. Mrs. and Mrs. Hoyt Case, of Carbondale, were visiting relatives last Sunday. A large number of the town people are gathering their winter supply of coal from the abandoned planes of the Delaware and Hudson. Charles Moilan has his new blacksmith shop nearly ready for occupancy. Miss Nell Case, of St. Louis, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Wunnacott for the past week. Morton Turhill entertained a party of friends at his country residence Tuesday evening. Dr. F. W. Corbin was a Scranton caller Monday.

The remains of Robert Wright, who died Friday night in the Emergency hospital, Carbondale, were interred Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in Cuman cemetery. The deceased had been sick since last March. He was about 64 years old and leaves no relatives. Fred Hendricks and Howard Geiz, of Port Jervis, were visitors here Saturday. Willis Hartan and friends were callers at the Platt homestead in South Canaan Sunday last.

NICHOLSON.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Nicholson, Oct. 11.—Mrs. William Jeffries, of Montrose, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. D. Bell. Mr. M. Crook has returned home from an extended trip through the Southern states. A number of Nicholson people are in attendance at the Lackawanna and Wyoming Musical Alliance, which is being held at Factoryville. Mrs. Laura Walker is ill at her home on Main street. C. Driggs and C. H. MacConnell, after spending some time in New York city, have returned home.

GRAND CONCERT AT FACTORYVILLE

Closing of the Third Day's Session of the Musical Alliance—Talented Singers Take Part.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Factoryville, Oct. 11.—Yesterday marked one of the big days of the Lackawanna and Wyoming Musical Alliance, and closed with a grand concert in the evening. One of the pleasant parts of Wednesday evening's programme was an informal entertainment arranged by the president of the alliance, Mr. A. L. Thayer, and took place immediately after the closing of the class drill. The programme as arranged for that occasion brought out some very good talent, both literary and musical.

Mrs. Cora Genung Chamot, of Ithaca, N. Y., the leading soprano, arrived yesterday and took part in last night's programme. Mrs. Chamot has a very strong, sweet voice, under perfect control, and captivates her audience at once. She will also take a prominent part in this evening's grand concert. Professor Bowman pays his class a very high tribute, and that they have shown a remarkable amount of interest and enthusiasm in the work that he has placed before them. That they have mastered it was shown in the chorus work in last night's concert. Many words of praise have been expressed by members of the alliance in regard to Prof. Bowman as an instructor, and this is generally conceded to be one of the most successful alliances that has been held in many years. The officers of the alliance were all re-elected at the annual election held yesterday. The new members of the executive committee are: Rev. Abel Wrigley, of Newton, and Rev. D. D. Harman, of Laceyville.

The next intermediate session will be held here some time next winter, and Mr. W. M. Manchester, of this place, will be the soloist. The following programme will be rendered at this evening's grand concert: Anthem, "Before the Heavens Were Spread Abroad"; "The Kalendar"; Parker Solo in unison, "Angel Hosts Descending" (From Mors et Vita); Gounod Ladies of the Alliance. Organ solo, "Toccata in D minor".....Bach E. M. Bowman. Solo and Chorus, "Jerusalem".....Parker Mr. Lewellyn Shields and Musical Alliance. Cavatina from Roberto il Diavolo, Roberto, c to the address.....Meyerbeer Mrs. Cora Genung Chamot, Part Song, "Lullaby".....Corbin The Musical Alliance. Ballad, "Cradle Lovers".....Buck Mr. W. N. Manchester. Choral Concert, "Waltz, 'Spring'".....Wilde Pearce, at Port Jervis, N. Y. Ballad, "Spring Song".....Well Susan Glenn, of Carbondale, and Mrs. Emma Thorpe, of West Pittston, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Robert Batten.

HOW HE KEPT HIS CROWD.

Amusing Incident Which Happened to a Bryan Spell-binder. From the Saturday Evening Post. In the campaign of 1896 it came to the attention of leading Democrats that an unknown orator in a certain western state was making a mighty stir among the people, winning from the Republicans the expressive title of "The Singed Cat." Several letters from Democrats in adjoining counties were soon received, asking that this orator be sent to them, and testifying to the convincing power of his arguments. But, according to the story as it is frequently related in Democratic headquarters, the supreme test of this spell-binder's power over an audience came when he was addressing a mass meeting in a densely packed skating rink. Mischievous young men got out the village fire engine, hauled it in front of the rink, and pounded its gong with a violence that, for a moment, completely drowned the voice of the orator inside the building. His audience started to stampede, but he checked the movement by a commanding gesture. Then, placing his left hand upon the top of his head, he shouted: "Right here is where the fire is! And it will not be put out until it has helped to light bonfires that celebrate Mr. Bryan's election."

REV. S. A. DOVAHOE

Testifies to the Good Qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. On the 10th of December, 1897, Rev. S. A. Dovaehoe, pastor of M. E. church, South Pt. Pleasant, W. Va., contracted a severe cold which was attended from the beginning by violent coughing. He says: "After resorting to a number of so-called 'specifics' usually kept in the house, to no purpose, I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which acted like a charm. I most cheerfully recommend it to the public. For sale by all druggists. Matthew Bros., wholesale and retail agents."

SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Susquehanna, Oct. 11.—Susquehanna is much in evidence in Binghamton today. The funeral of the late Mrs. Cornelia Allen, of Prospect street, took place this morning from St. John's Catholic church, where requiem high mass was celebrated. The remains were interred in Laurel Hill cemetery. District Deputy O. P. Walker last evening

installed officers-elect of Starucca lodge, No. 425, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, of this place. Former Mayor Phelps, of Brooklyn, O., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. C. E. Van Horn, Jackson street.

The next meeting of the Susquehanna County Teachers' association will be held in Susquehanna. The remains of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Louglin, formerly of Susquehanna, were brought from Jersey City this afternoon and interred in Laurel Hill cemetery.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret A. Findon was held and largely attended this afternoon from Christ Episcopal church in Oakland, the rector, Rev. B. H. Abbott, of Carbondale, officiating. Muddy Relief corps, No. 117, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, attended the body. The remains were interred in the Grand street cemetery in Susquehanna. Rev. P. R. Fowler, of Thompson, will deliver a temperance lecture at North Jackson on Thursday evening next. Thomas King still languishes in the borough jail. On Tuesday night, Thomas, while laboring under an epidemic hallucination, forced an entrance into the Main street house of Edward P. Maroney, and, after drinking his fill, allowed two barrels of whiskey and one barrel of gin to run rampant over the floor, he leaped down to pleasant dreams. Orlow Smith gathered him in on Wednesday morning—and there he is.

Mr. and Mrs. William Crozier, of Jackson street, are in Thompson today, attending the funeral of Mr. Crozier's mother, the late Mrs. Phila Crozier.

BRADFORD COUNTY.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. Towanda, Oct. 11.—Lovers of music, pantomime and scenic effects will have a treat in the production of "Next Door" by the company under the management of the famous Brothers Royer at Hale's opera house next Monday evening. The trick property is among the specialties of the entertainment and has an artistic hold upon the imaginations of high and low degree. The play is a comedy inclusive enough in the variety of amusement, as it contains a farce comedy, burlesque, musical features, a pantomime and a spectacular production. Many new novelties are also introduced, including the acrobats, the trick bathing house, funny mule and champion high kickers. The Royers carry one of the best shows that visit Towanda and are always greeted with a warm welcome. S. W. Little is now a partner in the firm of the Susquehanna Valley Hay company. James Lane, of Jacksonville, Fla., is visiting relatives and friends in this county. Many Bradford county ladies are attending a meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society at Honesdale. Word has been received that William Bolan, a soldier of the Philippines, had escaped from enemies and was found dead, having, it is supposed, starved to death. His parents are endeavoring to investigate the rumor.

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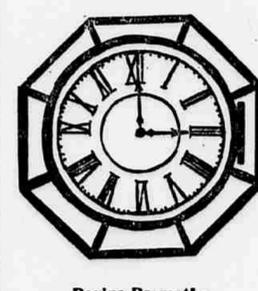
Are as supreme in importance as any trading event can be. They separate you from your money, it is true. But you get more change back than in any other store occasions hereabouts. And you get better goods for the money you do spend than you get elsewhere even at regular prices. Today's sale is wonderfully important. We have gathered the very best bargains possible for the hourly sales. Read them. If you're a judge of merchandise values (and most of you are) you can tell at a glance the money-saving possibilities. First Sale at Two O'clock—lasts just one hour to the second. Other Sales at Three and at Four O'clock. Come and stay all the afternoon.

AT 2 O'CLOCK SHARP. THE GREAT BASEMENT SALE.



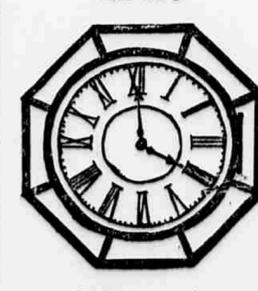
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NO. 6 BROOMS FOR 19c: A rare chance to buy a good broom. These are size No. 6 and easily worth 30c One to a buyer at 2 o'clock for..... 19c
BROWN STONE BEAN POTS, 5c: Complete with covers, quart size; just the thing to bake beans in, and cheap at 10c. Friday at 2 o'clock for..... 5c
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TIN WATER PAILS, 8c: Five quart and six quart size, best tin with baled handles. Considered very cheap at 15c. Friday at 2 o'clock..... 8c
PRETTY CUSPIDORS, 12c: Of finest Porcelain, handsomely decorated in blue and white, and a great bargain while they last at 2 o'clock for..... 12c
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SKIRT PATTERNS FOR 21c: A little bit of sewing and you've as dainty and comfortable a Skirt as one could wish for. These are handsome patterns of flannel, with embroidered edges. Patterns are striking and pretty. Ready promptly at three o'clock on Friday, MAIN FLOOR, for..... 21c
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CHILDREN'S HOSIERY, 10c: Almost a hundred dozen in this lot of children's fine cotton ribbed fleeced stockings, superior quality and very elastic. A regular fall weight and considered good value at 15c. Friday at three o'clock, MAIN FLOOR, for..... 10c
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AT 4 O'CLOCK SHARP,



- BIG COTTON BATTS, 3 1/2c: Just when you need them most we are to give you a chance at a splendid lot. Fine clear white, clean picked and a big bargain, at 4 o'clock on Main Floor, for..... 3 1/2c
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BOYS' KNEE PANTS, 23c: Five hundred pairs of Knee Pants for school and dress wear. Of heavy wool grey materials, made with all taped seams, serviceable waist bands. Full cut sizes. All dark colors; all sizes, 3 to 14. At 4 o'clock, Second Floor..... 23c
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