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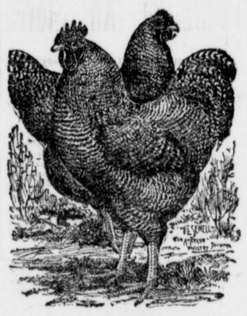
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THE FAIR CLOSED.

TOLCHESTER'S GREAT EXHIBITION AND ITS VARIED ATTRACTIONS.

Displays of the Handiwork of the Housewife, and the Cattle and Poultry of the Farmyard—Political Leaders of Kent County Lend Their Presence and Edge Their Way Among the Thousands—Some Excellent Sport on the Racetrack.

The great Kent and Queen Anne county fair of 1897 is a thing of the past, the exhibits have been removed and Supt. Noland and his corps of efficient and courteous assistants have had time to catch their breath and make up, to some extent, for lost rest and an overtaxing of their physical forces.

The splendid success of the enterprise this year, it is hoped insures the permanency of the Kent and Queen Anne fair for the future upon a more elaborate scale. The farmers and their wives have certainly become acquainted with the advantages offered by a local fair and will doubtless accord it an enthusiastic endorsement in the future.

Supt. Noland was the busiest man in Kent on Tuesday. The complicated machinery of the big undertaking had not become limbered up and adjusted properly and the responsibility resting upon the man whose energy and care manipulated the whole was very great.

About 5,000 people came from Baltimore and from Kent and Queen Anne to see the fair given its formal opening, to look at the exhibits and to witness as fine sport on the race course as usually falls to the lot of the Eastern Shoreman to see on any track. Thomas F. Graecen, of Baltimore was chief judge of the races with Mr. John E. George and W. B. Stephens, timers and associates. The racing events are all given below in tabulated form.

All day Wednesday Judge R. V. Ohl, of New Jersey, was the busiest man on the grounds. He examined all of the cattle, hogs, sheep and poultry, and there were just eight hundred different animate beings to undergo his criticism. Mr. Ohl was also starter in the running races. The track was the Mecca of nearly every visitor, and the sport justified the attendance. The races were all interesting. Kent came in liberally for the money which was distributed. All roads, not to mention the bay routes, lead to Tolchester Beach.

Prize Winners.

Horses.—Dr. J. F. Martinet, first prize on stallion; Dr. G. A. Jarman, second; W. B. Ashley, first prize, stallion; G. P. Hendrickson, second; W. T. Nicholson, first prize on saddle horse; S. G. Maslin, second.

Holsteins—Bull, first prize, and heifer, second, to Harry Todd, of Kent county; cows, first and second prises, and heifer first prize, T. E. W. Crew, Kent county.

Alderneys—Cow, first prize and heifer first prze, to J. H. Gale, of Kent county; cow, second prize, and heifer second prize, to S. G. Maslin, of Kent county, bull calf.

Guernseys—Registered heifers, first and second prizes, and grade heifers, first and second prizes, and registered bull, first prize, all to W. T. Morris, of Kent county.

Herefords—Bulls, first and second prizes; yearling bull, first and second prizes, and heifer calf, first prize, all to Victor Hendrickson, of Kent county.

Sheep.—T. E. W. Crew, first prize, Shropshire ram and ewe; W. R Gale, first and second prizes for Southdowns; I. R. Leaverton, first prize for lambs; J. E. Morris, first prize for ram; John Gale, first, Southdown buck.

Hogs.—S. G. Maslin, first prize for sow and pigs; T. E. W. Crew, first prize for hogs; James Bramble, first prize for Poland China boar.

In the Feathered Kingdom.

In the poultry department the chief exhibitors and prize-winners were Albert L. Gardner, of Springfield, Prince Georges county, Md., and C. Darling, of Allamance Farm, North Carolina. Mr. R. Pitcher, of Arlington, Md., and Dr. G. A. Jarman, of Kent county, were also largely represented. Some of the wonders of the coops were Egyptian geese, Japanese ducks. whose plumage was like silk: German call ducks, red pyle game bantams, black Cayuga ducks, Cornish Indian games, beautiful archangel and pouter pigeons, and the largest turkey gobbler in the land, so they say. It weighs forty-two pounds, and his mate, a turkey hen weighs thirty-two pounds.

Domestic Manufactures.—Sofa pillow cover, second premium, Mrs. J. B. Hurtt; centre piece, embroidered in silk, first prize, Mrs. Lizzie Clark; flannel skirt, second prize, Mrs. W. B. Wilmer; doilie, second prize, Mrs. Bertie Whaland; knit skirt, second prize, Mrs. J. B. Hurtt, piece knit lace, first prize Mrs. J. B. Hurtt; knit quilt, second prize, Miss Sadie Morris; wrapper, embroidered in cotton, first prize, Mrs. George Beck; darned hose, first prize, same; gingham apron (by child of ten years) hand made, first prize, Louise Heuisler; table cover, embroidered in silk second prize, Mrs. W. G. Sullivan; knit quilt, first prize, Mrs. R. J. Trew; cotton quilt, first prize, same; embroidery in silk, first prize, same; hemstitched handkerchief (child) first prize, Mary Nicholson; knitting in worsted, first prize, Mrs. R. J. Trew, tatting, first prize, Mrs. W. R. Gale; tatting, second prize, Mrs. John Gale; crocheted lace in cotton, second prize, Mary Bramble; sofa cushion, first prize, Mrs. A. M. Twilley; crocheted mats, first prize, Miss Cora Hynson; towel in cross-stitch, second prize, Mrs. Lizzie Clark; knit rug, first prize, Mrs. J. W. Corey; cotton crocheted mats, second prize Mrs. T. D. France; hand sewed underwaist, second prize, Mattie Gale. darned hose, second prize, Mrs. A. Gamble; machine made dresses, first prize, same; collar in linen thread, first prize, Miss Janet Boyer; balloon crocheted in silk, first prize, Mrs. Mollie Farringer; woven quilt (special) Mrs. J. H. Simpers; crocheted shawl in worsted, first prize, Mrs. Wm. Trew; handkerchief in drawn work, second prize, same; patchwork quilt, second prize, Miss Lizzie Trew; button holes, first prize, same; rug in worsted, second prize, Miss Katie McKee; embroidered shams in cotton second prize, Miss Elma Gale; pillow shams in drawn work, first prize, Mrs. John D. Welch.

Flowers—Cut roses, first prize, Mrs. Fannie Davis; cut dahlias, second prize, same; cut roses, second prizes, Mrs. A. M. Twilley; cut dahlias, first prize, same; cut asters, first prize, same; cut nasturtiums, first prize, same; display of cut flowers, first prize, same; second best display, Mrs. L. James Beck.

Fruit—Watermelons, first prize, B. H. Coburn; best basket peaches, S. G. Maslin; best watermelons, James H. Gale; best basket apples, B. H. Coburn; second best peaches, Bart Hatcherson; best pears, Howard Reese; second best, Walter Stokes; best cantaloupes, W. B. Ashley.

Flour.—Patent roller, first prize, Wilson, Palmer & Co.; patent straight, second prize, J. P. Price.

Dairy.—Butter, second prize, I. R. Leaverton; best honey, Dr. J. T. Twilley.

Farm Products.—Red Wheat, first, ("Kent News" prize) I. R. Leaverton; same, ("Transcript" prize) John E. Morris; white ear corn, first prize, I. R. Leaverton; white old corn, first prize, James H. Gale; Oats, first prize, same; yellow ear corn, I. R. Leaverton; stalks of corn 13 feet high, first prize, B. A. Bryan; second prize, James Bramble; white ear corn, second prize, W. T. Nicholson; red wheat, second prize, R. M. Bryan.

Garden Products.—Second best sweet potatoes, J. H. Gale; best Irish potatoes, same; best yellow sweet potatoes, B. H. Coburn; best hops, same; best onions, Clifton Rasin; best tomatoes, B. H. Coburn; best beets, Wm. T. Nicholson; second best lima beans, same; best parsnips, same; second best pumpkins, same; pumpkins, ("Enterprise" premium) same; best peppers, W. J. Hudson; second best onions, same; second best beets, same; best carrots, same; second best potatoes, V. Hendrickson; best lima beans, A. B. Gale; best cantaloupes, same; best orange tomatoes, same.

Culinary, Bread, Cakes, etc.—Second best walnut cake, Mrs. John M. Hudson; best pound cake, Mrs. Addie Casey; best sponge cake; Mrs. A. M. Wagner; best fancy cake, Miss Nellie Vansant; best loaf rusk cake, Mrs. James Crouch; second best doughnuts, same; second best pound cake, same; best bread, same; best cocoanut cake, Miss May Reese; best nut cake, same; best chocolate cake, Mrs. J. F. Wheatley; best Minnehaha cake, Mrs. A. M. Twilley; best rolls, Mrs. Elma Gale; best doughnuts, Mrs. J. L. Beck; best crackers, Miss Sophia Beck; second best cocoanut cake, Mrs. R. Cooper; second best chocolate cake, same; second best bread, same; second best rolls, Miss Ida C. Bramble; best teacakes, same; best Maryland biscuit, Mrs. Wash. Skirven; second best sponge cake, Miss Ida C. Bramble; second best Maryland biscuit, Mrs. Wm. Vansant. best loaf bread made from Price & Topping's flour, Mrs. J. W. Crouch.

"The Youngest Mother in the World."

The star attraction of this Eastern Shore menagerie says the American was a cow, only eleven months old, with a a calf by her side. She was tagged "the youngest mother in the world."

The places of exhibition was crowded, making it necessary for one to elbow his way from side to side. It was necessary for Captain Eliason and Superintendent George E. Noland to go through the grounds and call the people to the boat.

Dr. J. F. Martinet, of Baltimore sold to Mr. James Merrick, of Sudlersville, his Stallion Advance, with a record of 2.22¼. The price was not stated.

Pride of the Housewives.

In the industrial department, separated from the live stock and poultry, there was unusual interest shown.

There was a woven quilt made in 1839 by Mrs. Henry G. Simpers, which attracted hundreds of eyes. A unique cushion of old gold was made of the ribbons in which the cigars had been wrapped in bundles. Even the sewing of the blind old lady, and the knitting of an octogenarian, were shown in the well-made muslin garments and a pair of stockings. The needlework extended in its character from the heavy blankets for sleeping comforts in winter, to the daintiest designs of doilies for afternoon tea tables.

To the average citizen—if he be not a woman—the scene on the outside of the hall was perhaps more fascinating, for here are the freaks of nature. At least, they are the abnormal growths of vegetables and fruits, to get which both counties have been zealously searched. The irrepressible pumpkin comes up larger than ever, weighing fifty pounds, and the largest beet is twenty inches in circumference. The prize melon is just forty-two and a-half pounds, and there are others almost as large. With the peaches it is more a matter of appearance than size, the specimens being of unusually good color and firmness.

The Big Day of All.

Thursday was the big day of the fair and by five o'clok teams commenced to pass over Chester bridge on their way to the Beach. Nothing like it was ever before seen, not even on the "Glorious Fourth." At times teams completely blocked three-fourths of the entire length of the long bridge.

By seven o'clock or before many city fold were astir Tolchester's trantient population commenced to grow. The morning boat brought 2,000 persons, the afternoon steamer about 3,000, he Emma Giles, of Port Deposit, 1,000; the Sassafras, from Betterton, 500, and in vehicles came 5,000 more, making about 12,000 or 15,000 people at the big fair.

This was the biggest crowd at Tolchester ever seen and the conduct was almost perfect, not a single disturbance of importance being reported. The awarding of premiums was watched with great interest.

Children's department.—Best pie, Bertie Beck; best biscuit, Linda Morris; second best, Bertie Beck; best bread, same; best Irish Potatoes, Hynson Beck; best hops, same; best tomatoes, same.

Preserves, Canned Fruits, Etc.—Best preserved peaches, Mrs. G. E. Noland; best pears, Mrs. A. M. Twilley; best plums, Mrs. J. E. Morris; second best, Mrs. A. M. Twilley. Canned Fruit—Best apples, Mrs. Willie Wilkins; second best, Mrs. G. E. Noland; best blackberries, same; second best, Mrs. John E. Morris; best cherries, Mrs. G. E. Noland; second best, Mrs. Willie Wilkins; best peaches, Mrs. G. E. Noland; best pears, same; second best, Mrs. Willie Wilkins; best currants, Mrs. John E. Morris; best plums, same; second do, Mrs. G. E. Noland; best quinces, same; second best, Mrs. John E. Morris; best tomatoes, Mrs. A. M. Twilley; largest and best collection of canned fruit, 42 jars, Mrs. J. E. Morris; best raspberries, same. Jellies—best blackberry, Mrs. A. M. Twilley; second best, Mrs. John E. Morris; best apple, Mrs. W. J. Hudson; second best, Mrs. J. E. Morris; best currant, Mrs. A. M. Twilley; second best Mrs. J. E. Morris; best grape, same; second best, Mrs. W. J. Hudson; best raspberry, Mr. J. E. Morris; best peach, Mrs. W. J. Hudson; second best, Mrs. A. M. Twilley; best plum, same; second best, Mr. J. E. Morris; best quince, same; second best, Mrs. A. M. Twilley; best strawberry, same; second best, Mrs. J. E. Morris; best crab apple, Miss Etta Vansant; second best, Mrs. A. M. Twilley; best and largest collection of jellies, 28 jars, Mrs. J. E. Morris.

In the public school department Miss Clara Staats won first prize on excellent mads of the United States, Africa, North America and Australia.

Miscellaneous.—Best sweet pickle, Mrs. J. E. Morris; best sour do, same; best vinegar, B. H. Coburn; best hard soap, Mrs. Geo. Bramble; second best, same; best molasses, Wilson, Palmer & Co.

SUMMARY OF THE RACES.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1897.

No 1—Road Cart Race, to Horses of Kent and Queen Anne Counties. Purse $60 in four monies.

Romulus, b. g.	J. B. Pennington, Crumpton, Md.	2	1	1	1
Robert M., brown horse	L. Morris, Worton, Md.	1	2	3	2
Nettie Dudley, bay m.	Wm. T. Lane, Kennedyville, Md.	3	3	2	3
Rob Roy, black h.	Frank E. Stevens, Rock Hall, Md.	dist.			
Flash, bay m.	J. B. Hossinger, Lynchs, Md.	dist.			

Time, 2.39¼, 2.40¼, 2.40¾, 2 40.

No. 2.—Trotting—2.29 Class.—Purse $100 in four monies.

Victor B., b. m.	George Stevens, Worton, Md.	3	1	1	1
Sprinter, b. s.	J. D. Hughes, Baltimore, Md.	7	7	dist.	
Sailor Girl, bay m.	A. J. Hynson, Chestertown, Md.	6	8	4	5
Hazel, black m.	Sired by Cabosh, W. P. Biggs, Arlington	1	6	7	2
Antella, W., b. m	W. E. Bramble, Baltimore, Md.	2	2	2	3
Lucy A., b. m.	Wm. Anderson, Sudlersville, Md.	4	3	5	7
Annelies Pedlar, bay m.	Frank B. Shreeve, Middletown, Del.	5	4	3	4
Winon, bay g	Christian Dietrich, Baltimore, Md.	8	5	6	6

Time, 2.30, 2.29¼, 2.25¼, 2.29¼.

No. 3.—Running Race—Half Mile, 2 in 3—Purse $75.

Florence Hubbard	1
Maid of Screen	2
Birt	3

Hemgaric, Kinnie T., Charity, Maybrillo, also ran.
Time, 51¼, 52¼, 51.

No. 4—Bicycle Race.—Half Mile heats—Purse $10.

Wm. K. Weber, Baltimore, Md	1	1
John G. Kauffman, Baltimore, Md	2	3
E. T. Lewis, Baltimore, Md	2	0
Willard Pindell, Baltimore, Md	3	4

Time, 1.25, 1.28.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25, 1897.

No. 1.—Trotting—Class 2.50.—Purse, $75 in four monies.

Sailor Girl, bay mare	A. J. Hynson, Chestertown, Md.	1	1	1
Beltonia, bay mare	James W. Walls, Crumpton, Md.	5	2	2
Billie Bowlegs, bay horse	Joseph Smith, Baltimore, Md.	2	4	5
John b. g.	F. S. Shreeve	4	3	3
Cadet, gr. s.	Dr. Tubbs, Baltimore, Md.	3	5	4

Time, 2.31¼, 2.35, 2.32¾.

No. 2.—Trotting and Pacing—Class 2.22.—Purse $150 in 4 monies (Unfinished).

Bernice Medium	W. E. Bramble	1	1	2	3
Nina Noble, bay mare	Clayton Fahrney, Washington, D. C.	2	2	1	1
Happy George, bay stallion	E. B. Emory, Centreville, Md	3	3	3	2
Partiality, bay mare	Dr. Shelly, Baltimore, Md.	5	4	4	4
Allie Crisp, bay mare	F. F. Graham, Centreville, Md.	4	5	dist.	
Prince Albert, sorrel gelding	W. P. Biggs, Arlington, Md.	dist.			

Time, 2.22¾, 2.21¼, 2.21¼, 2.25.

No. 3.—Running Race (unfinished).—Purse $75 in 4 monies.

Maybrillo, B. M	Wm. T. Harriott, Chesapeake City, Md.	2	1	1
Bert		1	3	2
Kinnie, T.	John W. Ball, Govanstown, Md.	3	2	3
Charity		4	4	bkd

Time, .52, .52¼.

No. 4.—Foot Race—One-Hale Mile—Purse $15 in two Monies—2 best in 3.

Willard Pindell, Baltimore, Md	1
H. F. Eldridge, Baltimore, Md	2
Alexander McClean	3
Fausett	4
Harry K. Auburg, Baltimore, Md	5

Time, 2.22¼.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 26, 1897.

No. 1.—Trotting and Pacing—Class 2.19.—Purse $150 in 4 monies.

The 2.22 class which was unfinished Wednesday was trotted off, and the summary follows:

Nina Noble	2	2	1	1	2
Happy George	3	3	3	2	1
Partiality	5	4	4	4	3
Bernice Medium	1	1	2	3	4
Allie Crisp	4	5	5	dis.	
Prince Albert	6	dr.			

Time, 2.22¾, 2.21¼, 2.21¼, 2.25, 2.23, 2.21¼.

Albert C., bay g.	W. C. Bryan, Baltimore, Md.	3	3	1	1
Happy George, b. s	E. B. Emory, Centreville, Md.	1	1	2	2
"Partiality," bay mare	Dr. Wm. K. Shelly, Baltimore, Md.	2	2	4	5
Grover, grey gelding	Frank B. Shreeve, Middletown, Del.	4	4	3	3
Peaches, gr. m.	John E. George, Sudlersville, Md.	5	5	5	4

Time, 2.21¼, 2.21¼, 2.25, 2.23¾, 2.27.

No. 2.—Open to Kent and Queen Anne Horses, 3 years old and under.

"West," br. s.	George Rash, Still Pond, Md.	1	1	1
"Edgar C.," b. g.	J. B. Pennington, Crumpton, Md.	2	3	2
Jos. Merrick, Jr., gr. g.	John E. George, Sudlersville, Md.	4	2	3
Water Lilly, b. f.	Geo. A. Hazel, Sudlersville, Md.	3	4	4

Time, 2.44¼, 2.45¼, 2.45¼.

No. 3 (Unfinished).—Trotting and Pacing—Class 2.34.—Purse $120.

"Jack Rabbit," bay g.	C. H. Golt, Carmichael, Md	1	7	3
Ireland Boy, b. s	J. F. Ruth. Queenstown, Md	6	6	1
Allice Crisp, or Frank G., b. m.	F. F. Graham, Centreville, Md.	3	5	2
"Oakley R." sorrel	John L. Rhrodes, Queenstown, Md	7	2	4
"Happy John," s. g.	Wm. Anderson, Sudlersville, Md.	9	8	5
Russell B., b s	E. B. Emory, Centreville, Md.	5	1	*
"Happy Etta," brown m.	R. Lee Hardesty, West River, Md.	3	4	*
"Bob," br. g	Al. Johnson, Chestertown, Md.	8	dis.	
William C.		2	3	*
Effice G., b. m., J. Hardwig		10	dis.	
"Breeze," s. m.	John E. George, Sudlersville, Md.	11	dis.	

Time, 2.28, 2.22¼, 2.30.

The horses marked* in third heat were in a mix-up. No one was hurt, but several sulkies were demolished,

FRIDAY, AUGUST 27, 1897.

A feature of the sport was the performance of Russell B., four years old next June, who paced a mile in 2.20 and won with ease. The summaries:

First Race—(Unfinished from Thursday, after three heats). Trotting or Pacing, 2.34 class; purse $120.

Russell B., b. s., (E. B. Emory)	1	1	
Jack Rabbit, b. g., (C. H. Golt)	4	4	
William C.	3	5	
Ireland Boy, b. s., (J. F. Ruth)	6	6	
Allie Crisp, b. m., (F. F. Graham)	5	3	

Time, 2.20, 2.23¼.

No. 1.—Trotting—Class 2.24.—Purse $150.

"Victor B.," bay mare, Geo. Stevens, Worton, Md	1	1	1
Dukes, b. g., A. Fennemore	2	2	2
John, b. g., B. S. Shreeve	3	3	3

Time, 2.29¼, 2.25¼, 2.27¼.

No. 2.—Trotting—Class 2.45.—Purse $100.

"Sailor Girl," bay m	A. J. Hynson, Chestertown, Md	2	1	1	1
"Orange Blossom," bay g.	Wm. S. Delaney, Queenstown, Md	3	2	4	2
Lucy A., b. m.	Wm. Anderson, Sudlersville, Md	4	3	2	3
"Romulus," b. g.	J. B. Pennington, Crumpton, Md	5	5	3	4
"Billie Bowlegs," bay h	Joseph Smith, Baltimore, Md.	1	4	6	dis
Happy Jack, b. s.	F. F. Graham, Centreville, Md.	6	6	5	dis

Time, 2.36¼, 2.31¼, 2.33, 2.53.

No. 3.—Running—One-Half Mile, Two in Three.—Purse $75.

Panway