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ABBOTSFORD MACHINE GUN SUBSCRIPTION LIST

The following is a list of the subscriptions handed in to date by the various working committees. Some of the committees have not yet handed in their lists. The full list will probably be completed about the end of the month, when the full report will appear in this paper. The following are the names handed in to this paper by Mr. J. A. McGowan:

J. A. McLean	$ 25.00
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H. Grimley	1.00
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A. Dolby	1.00
G. Blair	1.00
D. Blair	1.00
J. Duncan	1.00
E. Schluter	1.00
R. Duncan	1.00
Japs	49.00
Sikhs	14.00
Chinamen	13.00
Total	346.00

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P. R. Peele	20.00
S. A. Morley	10.00
J. Vanetta	5.00
J. G. Copping	25.00
A. Lee	5.00
F. Fooks	50.00
W. Fooks	5.00
W. Hill-tout	10.00
J. Higginson	5.00
S. Kravoski	5.00
B. B. Smith	20.00
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T. F. York, Snr.	5.00
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W. Roberts	2.50
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B. Nelson	5.00
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J. J. Bannerman	10.00
T. Waddell	5.00
G. T. Phalen	5.00
T. DeLair	1.00
R. Shortreed	5.00
S. J. Bates	5.00
Total	$ 774.25
R. A. Trethewey	$ 100.00
W. Ross	5.00
T. Tebbutt	3.00
G. Reith	2.50
J. Teng	2.00
	$ 886.75

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W. J. Liversage	$ 5.00
A. F. Brown	3.00
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William Elliott	5.00
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S. D. Trethewey	10.00
Clayburn	1.00
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Rev. J. L. Campbell	2.00
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C. Wooler	2.00
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H. Alanson	10.00
J. Gibson	1.00
R. Trethewey	1.00
G. Taylor	1.00
T. Caul	2.00
W. Higginson	3.00
J. Caldwell	5.00
Total	$ 119.00

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R. Keay	1.00
Merryfield Bros	15.00
Total	$ 100.50

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Peardonville

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Baines and Llewellyn	10.00
F. Wooler	5.00
D. Buchanan	5.00
J. Williams	5.00
J. Ball	5.00
S. Campbell	5.00
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R. Butler	2.00
G. Taylor	2.00
J. Campbell	2.00
H. L. Kipworth	1.00
A. P. Welch	1.00
L. Gephart	1.00
J. Gephart	1.00
J. Bryan	1.00
A. E. Roderick	.50
W. T. Roderick	.50
L. Evans	.50
R. Peardon	5.00
R. H. Williams	1.00
Total	$ 68.50

Collected by F. Wooler.

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Patriot	5.00
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Dr. and Mrs. Swift	25.00
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J. A. Hargitt	10.00
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D. Mathers	1.00
W. Richmond	2.00
Mrs. Richmond	2.00
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A. McKinnon	2.00
W. Harris	2.00
D. Stewart	5.00
Total	$ 56.00

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N. Auburn	1.00
G. F. Pratt, jnr.	1.50
Total	$ 25.00

Collected by Geo. F. Pratt.

Further subscriptions will be acknowledged in next week's issue.

(Any corrections to be made will be cheerfully made.—Ed.)

HOLDING CONFERENCE AT CHILLIWACK TO-DAY

The annual conference of the Lower Mainland Women's Institutes is being held in Chilliwack today and tomorrow, and delegates will be present from all parts of the Lower Fraser valley.

Interesting subjects in connection with institute work will be discussed.

The delegates form Hatzic are Mrs. W. J. Manson, Miss B. A. Richie, who will read a paper on "Suggestions for Winter Work for Institutes" and Mrs. Ferguson.

Mrom Mission City, Mrs. Deagle, who reads a paper on "Opportunities for Women in the Twentieth Century", Mrs. E. Osborne will talk on "Co-operation between Producer and Consumer", Mrs. Solloway, Mrs. Reid and Miss French.

Mrs. Fadden of Upper Sumas will give a paper on "How an Institute may start Classes in Domestic Science among the School Girls."

Mrs. Skinner will also attend the conference from Huntingdon.

MARRIED—At the manse on the 6th of August by Rev. J. L. Campbell Harry Francis Everall of Cloverdale and Miss Melissa Jean Douglas of the same place.

ACKNOWLEDGES MONEY FOR MACHINE GUN

Mr. Taylor informs us that he has received a letter from Mr. Lougheed, Acting Minister of Militia, acknowledging the receipt of the cheque for $1000.00 forwarded for the first gun and stating that this gun would be forwarded to the 7th Battalion at the front as soon as guns are received from manufacturer. He thanks district for their generosity.

It is understood the money fo the second gun has gone forward.

The sacrament of Baptism will be administered in the Presbyterian church on Sabbath the 29th and the Sacrament of the Supper on Sabbath September the 5th

The Abbotsford Quartette are gaining renown Their well known seats earning considerable local attention, although whether favorable or not it is somewhat hard to determine at this date.—Communicated.

Did you notice the earth quake on Wednesday? Yes, if not a night hawk the night before

NOTICE

The Red Coss Society has arranged to have the Musical Eckardts appear in Abbotsford under their auspices on Wednesday, August 25th at the Alexandria Hall

The Eckardts have added three new members to their company since playing here two years ago, and promise an entire change of programme.

A very substantial share of the gross proceeds goes to the Red Cross Society, and as the price of admission is reasonable(Adults 35¢ and Children under 12, 15¢) a large crowd is expected.

Don't miss this opportunity to do your little bit to help the Red Cross.

THE MATSQUI FLOWER SHOW

Wednesday, August 11 was the date of the Matsqui Women's Institute annual flower show which was held in Matsqui Hall there being a large number of exhibitors and visitors present from all parts of the district, including Mission City.

The flower show was opened by President Mrs. Beharrell, who in a brief spech introduced Rev. Mr. Hughes, the speaker of the day. Mr. Hughes spoke in the work of the women's institutes for home and country, and praised the work of the wofen who are maintaining the ideals of beauty in the nation.

In the evening the young people of men who are maintaining the ideals and the flowers were sold at auction.

No money prizes were given except to those who took the most prize cards in each class, and to the children who exhibited.

The following are the prize winners

Class A. Dahlias—1st, Miss Purver nd Mrs. Solloway 3rd Miss G. C. Cruickshank.

Class B. Sweet Peas—1st Mr. Dwyer; 2nd, Mrs. Millar; 3rd Mrs. Hargitt.

Class C. Display (this included prize cards for most of the common annuals and perennials)—1st Mrs. Solloway; 2nd Miss G. C. Cruickshank; 3rd, Mrs. L. Smith.

Class D. House Plants—1, Mrs. L. Smith; 2nd, Mrs. Hargitt.

Class E., Children—Display of flowers by boy under 10 years, Cyril Smith; display of flowers by girl under 10 years, Alice Wright and Eileen Sedon, dispay of flowers by boy under 16 years, Fred Baner; display of flowers by girl under 16, Alma Hayton.

Class F. Specials——

Pansies—A basket donated by Myhre & Gilbertson, won by Mrs. Millar; Gladioli bulbs donated by Mr. T. Lehman, won by Mrs. Smith.

Asters—Cut glass salad bowl donated by Cooper & Seldon, won by Miss Purver; Narcissi bulbs donated by Mr. Purver, won by Mrs. Wright.

Gladoli—Japanese panel from the Seldon store, won by Mrs. Hargitt; picture shingle by Miss Purver, won by Miss G. C. Cruickshank.

Display of Perennials—1st, Mrs. Millar; 2nd, Miss Wright.

Display of annuals—1st, Mrs. Hargitt; 2nd, Mrs. Cooper.

Bouquet in W. I. Colors—Dahlia roots, 1 doz. given by Mrs. Hayton and won by Mrs. Solloway: half doz. Dahlia roots, given by Mrs. Hayton and won by Mrs. Cooper.

Table Bouquet of Nasturtium bulbs won by Mrs. Millar; Crocus bulbs, won by Mrs. Wright.

Table Bouquet of Nasturtiums, Mr. R. Crist, won by Miss L. E. Cruickshank.

Bouquet in National Colors—$2 given by Mrs. J. B. Millar, won by Mrs. Hougen; $1 given by Mr. J. A. Hargitt, won by Miss G. C. Cruickshank.

Hanging Basket—One dozen Daffodil bulbs, won by Mrs. L. Smith.

School Exhibit—Picture from Miss Shaw, won by Ridgedale.

Flowers grown and arranged by bachelor—Humphrey Benson.

Flowers grown by boy between 16 and 60—Home-made Kisses, given by Mrs. Ham, won by Mr. Alex. Purver.

Specimens of bark named)—$1 given by Miss Page, won by Miss I. Kelligher.

Collection of classified specimens of plants below the seed-bearing plants such as Fungi, Mosses and Ferns—$1 given by Mrs. Wright, won by Miss Esther Carlson, and Miss Rachel Lancaster.

Mrs. Stocker deserves credit for the arrangements, and was ably assisted by Mrs. Hayton, Mrs. Cooper Mrs. Wright, Miss Cruickshank and Miss Machel (secretary-treasurer).

Recent events demonstrates that there is more money around Abbotsthan many another town in the Fraser Valley, and the merchants of the town are missing an opportunity in not placing their goods before the readers of this paper.

THE ABBOTSFORD POST.

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Our Shibboleth—Neither for nor agin' the Government

J. A. BATES, - - Editor and Proprietor

FRIDAY. AUG. 20, 1915

The question of who should and who should not go to the front to help the Empire win its battles is at present an important one with us all. Some single men are given to understand by the coroporation that employs them that 'their country needs them' therefore the conclusion arrived at is that the corporation can get along without them. Why single out the single men? Why single out any man at all?

This is a free democratic country where we are all supposed to be free to think and act for ourselves and still be good patriotic citizens so long as we keep within the law of the land British subjects are taught to honor the king and the flag and to obey laws of the land, without having the matter pressed home to them forcibly We do not believe that any citizen or corporation has a right to say to another citizen that it is he who should go to the war and fight. Under British rule and British freedom no man has control over another man to such an extent that he should be told to go to the front and fight. We believe that any corporation or employer who does that is carrying on his business on a scale similar to that which the Britisr are now fighting to rid Germany and the word of—force.

The hint to a man that his country needs him from an employer is just as much out of place as telling a man to go that his country needs him.

During war times many things are of uourse excusable, but moment it is brought home forcibly to a man that he is not required at any particular job, but to go and fight his country's battle that man's freedom is taken away from him.

For the government to ask a man to go and fight for his country is an altogether different thing—then it is thoritative source, he state being first coming to the individual from an and the inlividual second.

Why should a corporation or an employer take the law in his or its own hands?

The home government has not decided upon conscription as yet and hardly will so long as the strong appeal will get the desired number of men.

Force has been the curse of Germany from the Emperor down to the smallest official with any power over another man—beginning with the moment a child enters school until he dies as a citizen of Germany—one vast machine, with one object in view vast machine.

The fruit season for this district is drawing to a close, all the small fruits having been marketed, there remaining only the tree fruits to market, and these being all that can be desired as regards the quality and the quantity. As to crop the season has been a successful one.

But the great and the main part of the business is how has the money come in for the fruit, and is the grower fully repaid for the season's work and planning? The answer is probably that under the present system of marketing the product the growers have had more this year than any year yet.

But is the present method of marketing the fruit of this rich district the very ideal of what a good fruit-growing district like Mission should have? If not where is the remedy? Can the present be improved upon? If so, how? These are questions it is about time that the growers should take up earnestly and attempt to have sovled for themselves to the very best advantage to the man who has decided to make fruit growing a business for a living.

In organization there is strength, and a good organization is a very hard thing to butt up against,no matter who it is or when it is? During the winter months this paper will be pleased to have this matter of organization for marketing the fruit to the best advantage to the grower discussed, if the growers deem it advisable Perhaps there is some system that all the growers can come in under and perfect that system so that through time it would become the ideal system for marketing all the fruit that can be grown in this district.

FROM SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE

(From the Fraser Valley Record)

Dr. Liddle writes interestingly to a friend in Mission City as follows.

"I am getting a little more excitement being at the front than at the base, though occasionally one would think there was no war at all, for some days hardy a gun goes off. I understand now that there will be very little movement in this front for another two months as the understanding is to try and push the Dardanelles business to a finish if possible by that time. Under those circumstances we shall be here for another winter for sure.

I hardy think the poorer class of French people are very patriotic as there is a good deal of spying, some of them will do anything for money. Just near to us last billet there was a captive balloon used by the French as an observation station. It was only three miles from the German trenches and everyone wondered how it was they never shelled it as shells were falling on each side of it, the answer came one day that they had caught a French officer transmitting the British movements to the Germans by an ingeniously made telephone along the bottom of a canal. Of course he was promptly shot and when the balloon went up next day it was shelled but they could not hit it.

ur present billet is just over the border in Belgium and the other evening I went into a small town that has been periodically shelled every day for some months. What a desolation, with two or three exceptions every house had been shelled, the roofs off the majority of them. the fronts out of others, great holes in the streets and churchyard with the bones exposed. There was just one little store left and I obtained a little souvenir for you.

I have just been watching an aeroplane fight between a German and English machine. It was so close one could watch it without glasses. It was very exciting to see them get above each other and eventually the English machine got the upper hand and started firing and then the Germans commenced coming down, hit in some vital part I expect, but it was then too far away to ascertain the damage.

Your friend,
F. GEOFFREY LIDDLE.

HE WHO DID NOT GO— A TALE WITH A MORAL

Civil War Story That Has a Modern Application—"I Took No Part at All"

The following tale appeared in the Youth's Companion of Boston, Mass.

He had the bearing of a veteran and was of the proper age. Instinctively the younger man had thought of him as one who had fought on one side or the other in the Civil War. The younger man was a keen student of American history, and never neglected an opportunity to get first-hand information from a veteran.

Under his guidance, the conversation came round to the Peninsular campaign. The tactics of the generals and their personalities were discussed. At first the older man merely answered questions, but later he took the lead in the conversation himself. The knowledge of the history of the war that he showed was remarkable. He quoted from the memoirs of the commanders. He criticized the conclusions of historians. He could speak with knowledge of every campaign and almost every battle.

Finally he looked at his watch. "I can spare you only a few moments longer," he said. "I have an engagement, and I make it a rule not to be late."

The younger man expressed his gratitude for the brilliant talk he had listened to. Then he said:

"You have not told me of your own part in the war. What was your regiment. What rank did you hold? What battles did you see?

He regretted the questions the instant they were out of his mouth, for the older man's face grew suddenly sad. He answered almost in a whisper:

"I took no part in it at all. It has been my grief for fifty years. I ought to have gone. I was of an age to go Men about me went, but I—I stayed away. I was not a coward; it was because they said I was too rich to go I had money and have it still. I was an heir and I was told that it was my duty to stay and look after the property. Curse the property! It was an awful thing to waste my chance to be a man, for the sake of the property. I have had other chances that I hope I have not wasted, but that was the great chance of my youth, and I wasted that. You are young, and most of your chances are before you. I hope you will never see your country in real war. but there are wars of peace. Get into one of them. A man is most a man when he is fighting for what he believes. Find a war and fight in it."

DUTY AND DESIRE ARE ONE

What a Great American Weekly Thinks of Canadian Government's War Measures and Methods

The Canadian Governmen't war policy appears to have found appreciation from Collelr's Weekly, which has never been very friendly towards Canada but it now is forced to pay tribute to the excellent work of the Conservative leader and his government. In a recent issue it makes the following comment regarding Canada's wonderful part in the world's great struggle:

"So Canada has more than 100,000 men under arms. Whatever else this war brings to England, one gain is sure. It means a tightening of the bonds uniting her dominions. That bloody day on which 6,000 Canadians gave up their lives, outnumbered but standing off the Germans at a crucial point near Ypres brought daughter and mother country closer together for all time. Perhaps what counts most is not the fact that the Canadians are marching con tingent after contingent of fresh troops abroad the transports, but the spirit which prompts this sacrifice. Canada is not, as a nation, ardently impulsive. This very fact may make her all the more consequential factor in a long-fought war. One evidence of this is the deadly seriousness with which she is living down the public scandal that attended the spending of her first war appropriation of $50,000,000. Neither sellers, middlemen nor Government could boast of entirely clean hands in this transaction—but what war in what country was ever fought without commercial smirch? Graft, then, is not the issue only the spirit in which the would-be grafters are put down. In Canada, Premier Borden himself, on the last day of the late session of the Parliament, rose from his seat in the House of Commons and read out of his party without sparing names, two fellow Conservatives. Mr. Borden's action is typical of Canada's whole attitude toward this great war. It is a safe guess that the commission delepated to expend the new appropriation of $100,000,000 will live up to Canada's best ideals. To-day our neighbor is not contributing mere rhetoric to her Mother Country; she is giving her own money and her own blood; she is doing her duty, and duty and desire are, with Canada, one.,

"Never in the history of Canada has another Prime Minister taken so vigorous a stand for the maintenance of public morality. His reading two of his own supporters out of his party, merely because suspicious of wrong-doing were justly attached to them, will go further towards elevating the tone of Canadian politics than anything that has heretofore been done by a Canadian political leader. So wholesome, in fact, has been Sir Robert's example that English newspapers have urged Premier Asquith to follow it. Thus Canada instead of being looked upon as a nation afflicted with political bandits and highwaymen, has been started on a fair road to the goal where it will be regarded by other nations as a modle of political decency."

THE NON-ADVERTISER

A hen is not supposed to have
  Much common sense or tact,
Yet every time she lays an egg
  She cackles forth the fact.
The busy little uees they buzz;
  Bulls bellow, and cows moo;
And watch-dogs bark, and ganders quack,
  And pouter pigeons coo.
The peacock spreads his tail and squaks;
  Pigs squeal and robins sing;
And even serpents know enough
  To hiss before they sting.
Yet man, the greatest masterpiece
  That Nature could devise,
Will often stop and hesitate
  Before he'll Advertise.
—From Galloway Gazette.

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FOREST FIRES

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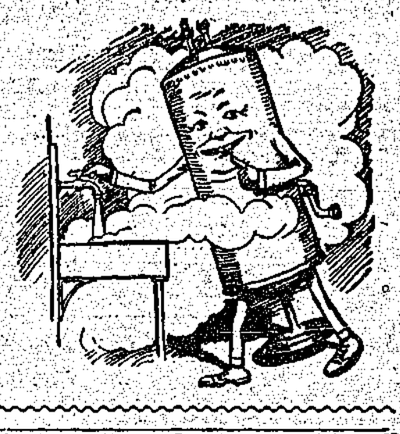

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Mr. Baines was the first subscriber at the patriotic meeting at Peardonville some weeks ago.

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It is understood the Eckardts will furnish music for a dance after the concert on Wednesday, Aug 25, if desired to do so.

One of our strongest critics in this pretty little burg is a man who does not pay his dollar for a subscription to the paper.

The Pine Gove picnic was held on Wednesday of this week and was well attended. The children had a pleasant time.

A special sermon to men next Sunday evening in the Presbyterian church on: "Why not believe the Bible?"

Immigration Officer C. A. Christie, who has been on the sick list for the past month, is now able to be around again, not quite his own self, but he is rapidly becoming fit andready for active duties.

"Pastor" Russell lost his suit against the Brooklyn Eagle. The court held that the Journal was telling the truth when it advertised him as a "fraud".

The anniversary services of St. Paul's church, Huntingdon will be held on Sunday, September theh 1.th When Rev. I. W. Williamson of Vancouver will preach at 3 and 7:30 p. m. There will be an entertainment on Monday evening following.

MISSION CITY MAN AHEAD ONCE MORE

The monthly report of the Fourth the next, Mr. Adams of Victoria, has a total of 1038. Mr. Gibbard's pen of six dandies, laid 111 for the month, while that of Mr. Adams 102.

During the month Mr. E. D. Read has to his credit 125 eggs, Mr. Jones Rant 112; Mr. A. E. Smith of Luxton 124, all in the same class. But Mr. Gibbard still leads.

International Egg-Laying Contest for the month ending August 9th has again demonstrated that the hens of Mr. D. Gibbard have outdistanced the hens in 'Weight and Non-Weight' varieties, the total number of eggs amounting now to 1129. and hte highest in the 'Non-Weight' varieties is 1122.

Mr. Gibbard's hens head the list in 'Weight varieties' with 1129, while

MISSION ANNUAL FLOWER SHOW

(From the Fraser Valley Record)

The flower show held at the Agricultural Hall yesterday demonstrates more than ever the fact that Mission City and district is the flower garden of the Fraser Valley.

Two entries contained in the two buildings and tastily displayed marked the flower show this year and the Mission City Women's Institute can well feel proud of the splendid exhibit.

The children's exhibits in which there were thirteen entries were far superior this year and at last year's show and while the number of entries in all classes were slightly less than last year, this was more than made up by the improved quality of the various exhibits.

Mr. Thornber of the Department of Agriculture and Mr. Brown of Brown Bros Nurseries had their work cut out in judging the many exhibits in many cases the merits of first and second prize being hard to distinguish.

In the evening a patriotic concert was held at which Professor Hill-Tout of Abbotsford delivered an appropriate address on the present European war, which was highly appreciated by an extremely patriotic audience.

An ezcellent vocal and instrumental programme which preceded the dance was well received and highly enjoyed.

The money collected at the flower show and at the concert will be turned over to the Mission-Hatzic Machine Gun Fund.

The following is the prize list winners:

Class A. Collection of Cut Flowers Dahlias—1st, Mrs. Solloway; 2nd, Mrs. Middleton.

Dahlias, cactus—1st Mrs. Solloway 2nd Mrs. Middleton.

Dahlias, any other variety—1st Mrs. Sollway; 2nd, Mrs. E. Abbott.

Sweet Peas, ten stems each, white—1st Mr. W. Dwyer; 2nd, Mrs. Middleton.

Sweet Peas, blue—1st Mr. W. Dwyer; 2nd, Mrs. Portsmouth.

Sweet Peas, pink—1st Mr. W. Dwyer; 2nd, G. O. Buchanan.

Sweet Peas, red—1st, W. Dwyer; 2nd Mrs. Millar.

Collection of Pansies—7st, Mrs. Paton; 2nd, Mrs. Middleton.

Collection of Zinnnias—1st, Mrs. W. Abbott; 2nl, Mrs. A. E. Dann.

Collection of Carnations—1st, Mr. Couper; 2nd, Mrs. W. Abbott.

Asters, three blooms, four varieties—1st, Mrs. Middleton; 2nd, Mr. W. Dwyer.

Roses—1st, Mrs. Solloway; 2nd Mr W. Dwyer.

Gladioli, six varieties, one stem each—1st Mr. Couper; 2nd, Mr. Galliford.

Collection of cut flowers—1st, Mrs. Solloway; 2nd Mrs. Shea.

Class B. Display; Sweet Peas—1st Mr. W. Dwyer; 2nd, Mrs. Solloway.

Nasturtiums—1st, Mrs. Dann; 2nd Mrs. Paton.

Asters—1st Mr. W. Dwyer; 2nd, Mrs. Millar.

Roses—No first; 2nd Mrs. Abercrombie.

Marigolds—1st Mrs. Ed. Osborne; 2nd, Mrs. Middleton.

Coreopsis—1st, Mrs. Solloway; 2, Mrs. Paton.

Poppies—1st, Mrs. Middleton; 2nd Mrs. Solloway.

Phlox—Perennial—1st, Mrs Middleton; 2nd Mrs. Solloway.

Petunias—1st Mrs. Middleton; 2nd Mrs. A. E. Dann.

Stocks—1st Mrs. Middleton; 2nd, Mrs. Shea.

Tiger Lilies—Mrs. F. Tunbridge; 2nd, Mrs. A. E. Dann.

Auratium Lilies—1st, Mrs. Solloway; 2nd, Mrs. Middleton.

Lackspur—1st Mrs. Middleton.

Verbena—1st, Mrs. Paton; 2nd, Mr. Couper.

Pansies—1st, Mrs. W. Abbott; 2nd Mrs. Paton.

Phlox, Annual—Mrs. Paton; 2nd, Mrs. Soloway.

Class C. House Plants, Best Geranium Plant—1st Mrs. Shea.

Best display of Geranium Plants—1st, Mrs. Middleton; 2nd Mrs. Paton

Best Fuchsia Plant—1st Mrs. Shea 2nd, Mrs. Portsmouth.

Best Begonia—1st, Mrs. Shea; 2nd Mrs. Middleton.

Best Hydrangea—1st, Mrs. Portsmouth; 2nd, Mrs. Middleton.

Best display of House Plants—1st Mrs. Shea; 2nd, Mrs. Middleton.

Any other House Plant not mentioned—1st Mrs. Shea; 2nd, Mrs. H. Abercrombie.

Class D., Children, Display of flowers by child under 10—Victor Osborne.

Display of flowers by child under 16—1st, Miss Etta Abbott; 2nd, Miss Connellan.

Display of wild flowers, pressed or mounted—1st, Miss Ursula Winch; 2nd, Victor Osborne.

Bouquet of wild flowers—1st F. Tunbridge; 2nd, Miss Ursula Winch.

Display of native grasses—1st, Victor Osborne.

Class E. Specials. Best decorated table—1st Mrs. Portsmouth; 2nd, Portsmouth; 2nd Mrs. F. Tunbridge

Table Bouquet—1st. Mrs. Apps; 2nd, Mrs. W. Abbott.

Display of native ferns—Mrs. F. Tunbridge;

Best Hanging Basket—1st. Mrs. Middleton; 2nd, Mrs. Portsmouth.

Best bouquet arranged and grown in show room by Bachelor—Mr. W. Couper; 2nd, Mr. E. Osborne.

Best Bouquet by Benedict to be arranged in showroom—1st Mr. Ed. Osborne.

Best Bouquet by Bachelor Lady—Miss Mitchell; 2nd Miss Tunbridge.

Best collection of Annuals—Mrs. Middleton.

Best Wreath—1st, Mrs. Solloway; 2nd, Mrs. Parton.

Best Shower Bouquet—1st. Mrs. Millar; 2nd, Mrs. A. E. Dann.

Best collection of Hollyhocks—1st Mrs. W. Abbott; 2nd, Mrs. Middleton

Best collection of Canterbury Bells—Mrs. Reid; 2nd, Mrs. Osborne.

Best collection of Dahlias—1st, Mrs. Middleton; 2nd Mrs. Solloway.

Person taking most prizes—Mrs. Middleton; 2nd, Mrs. Solloway.

Best collection of Dianthus—Mrs. Middleton; 2nd, Mrs. Osborne.

Best collection of Snapdragons—1st, Mrs. Portsmouth; 2nd, Mrs. Millar.

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POULTRY NOT PLENTIFUL

An unusually slim supply of whole sale meats and a falling off in the supply of live poultry were the noticeable features of the market on Friday last and regular visitors to the square could not fail to notice the long rows of empty hooks where the meat carcases are wont to hang. In other lines the market was distinctly up to standard and trading was unusually brisk, considering the time of year.

The failure of the Valley stockmen to ship meat this week is ascribed partially to the harvesting operations on the farms and also to the warm weather. These are the dog days when butchers are averse to hanging fresh meat in the open for any length of time and what little meat is coming in from up-river points just now is hustlel to the refrigerators at once.

Bartlett pears from Chilliwalk were the new features in the fruit line and the twenty-five boxes which adorned the fruit section at nine o'clock had practically disappeared inside of an hour at prices ranging from 60¢ to 75¢. There was a plentiful supply of apples and plums and in addition to the wholesale lots presided over by the market clerk, nearly every individual vendor on the market had a few boxes of plums or apples to dispose of.

Chickens were not as plentiful as usual and the price stiffened in consequence. Hens sold at 12 to 13¢ although for the past few weeks there was practically no demand for them Roosters and broilers were somewhat scarce.

Eggs brought 35¢ retail and butter remainel at the usual price of 35¢. There was a keen demand for butter in prints and crocks.

The following were the prices.

Poultry	
Ducks old ,live weight	13¢ to 14¢
Ducks, young live weight	15¢ to 16¢
Chickens	11¢ to 14¢
Broilers	15¢ to 18¢
Fruit	
Blackberries 2-5 crate	$1.50
Blackberries 4-5 crate	$2.00
Apples per box	65¢ to 95¢
Plums, per 20lb crate	50¢ to 65¢
Red Currants, per quart	15¢
White Currants, per quart	15¢
Logan berries, per crate	$1.35
Vegetables	
New Potatoes, per sack	90¢
New Potatoes per ton	$15.00
Green Peas, 8 lbs for	25¢
Celery, per bunch	5¢
Lettuce, 2 bunches for	5¢
Onions, 3 bunches for	5¢
Radishes, 3 buches for	5¢
Cabbage, head	5¢
Spinach, per h	4¢
New Beets, 3 bunches	5¢
Cucumbers	5¢
Eggs nad Butter	
Eggs retail	35¢
Eggs, wholesale	30¢
Butter, per lb	35¢
Butter, wholesale per lb	35¢
Wholesale Meat	
Steer Beef, in carcass 11 1-2¢ to	12¢
Beef hindquarters	13¢ to 13½¢
Beef, forequarters	9½¢
Pork, per lb	10¢ to 11¢
Veal, No. 1, per lb	13¢ to 14½¢
Veal, large, per lb	10¢ to 12¢
Mutton	12¢ to 14¢
Spring Lamb	15¢ to 16¢
Young Pigs, each	$3 to $5
Fish	
Sockeye salmon, per lb	12½¢
Spring Salmon, 3 lbs	25¢
Herring, 3 lbs	25¢
Steelhead, per	15¢
Smelts, per lb	10¢
Whiting, per lb	10¢
Halibut, per lb	15¢
Codfish, per lb	12½¢
Sturgeon, per lb	15¢
Crabs, 2 for	25¢

The St. Paul's Ladies Aid met in the church on Wednesday afternoon

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Week Days	
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7:40 a. m.	8.00 a. m.
8:20 a. m.	8:40 a. m.
9:00 a. m.	9:20 a. m.
9:40 a. m.	10:00 a m.
10:20 a. m.	10.40 a. m.
11:00 a. m.	11:20 a. m.
11:40 a. m.	11.45 a. m.
1:00 p. m.	1:20 p. m.
1:40 p m.	2:00 p. m.
2:20 p. m.	2:40 p. m.
3:00 p. m.	3:20 p. m.
3:40 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
4:20 p. m.	4:40 p. m.
5:00 p. m.	5:20 p. m.
5:40 p. m.	5.45 p. m.
6:50 p. m.	7:00 p. m.
Sundays	
8:00 a. m.	8:30 a. m.
9:00 a. m.	9:30 a. m.
10:30 a. m.	10.30 a. m.
11:00 a. m.	11:20 a. m.
11:40 a. m.	11:45 a. m.
1:00 p. m.	1:30 p. m.
2:00 p. m.	2:30 p. m.
3:00 p. m.	3:30 p. m.
4:00 p. m.	4:30 p. m.
5:00 p. m.	5:20 p. m.
5:40 p. m.	5.45 p. m.
6:50 p. m.	7:00 p. m.

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