

FAIR OFFICIALS ANNOUNCE PREMIUM LIST FOR BIG CLEVELAND COUNTY FAIR

TUESDAY OCTOBER 14th.

HOME COMING DAY School Day, all School Children Admitted Free.

Grand Parade, forming in Shelby at 10 O'clock, parading to the Fair Grounds where Judges will make the awards as to the best decorated float, the float illustrating best the object it represents, the best school float, the best church float.

Races—2:30 Trot, Purse
Races—2:42 Pace, Purse

The Guideless Wonders, four horses racing against each other without drivers.

The Horse Before the Cart, a race of daring and skill the horse pushing the cart while the driver faces the horse, riding backward.

Free Acts before the grandstand daily; no long tedious waits, something doing every minute.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15th.

RUTHERFORD AND GASTON DAY.

Races—2:18 Trot, Purse
Races—2:15 Pace, Purse

The Guideless Wonders, The Rube Race.

Exhibition of mounted drill, fancy riding, hurdling, high-jumping; Roman riding, and many other feats of daring and horsemanship will be presented by the Famous Lincoln Cavalry, under command of Captain Adrin Linerberger. The Lincoln boys will be with us for several days to entertain and amuse us as well as to instruct us in the use of the cavalry during war times, give them the glad hand, they are all good fellows, visit their camp on the grounds and see how they do things in true military style.

Also other free acts.

THURSDAY OCTOBER 16th.

KIWANIS AND LINCOLN DAY.

Races—2:20 Trot, Purse
RACES—2:18 Pace, Purse

Tournament riding, any one in Cleveland county eligible.

Running race, local horses, half mile Purse

Guideless Wonders.

Fancy drill and guard mount by our own crack Military Company, who will also camp on the grounds, this company will stage a sham battle and give other maneuvers too numerous to mention.

Numerous other Free Acts.

EXHIBITS.

1.—The same article or animal cannot compete for two or more premium numbers, except sweepstakes, or when otherwise stated in the head-notes in the department in which it is exhibited.

2.—All entries must be numbered and recorded in the books of the proper department and class, and corresponding tags will be issued, which must be attached to exhibit before such can be placed on exhibition.

3.—No person will be allowed to see the entries or have access to the entry book until after the awards have been made.

4.—Exhibitors must see to the delivery of any articles or livestock on the grounds, and to the proper care of the latter, as no charges for transportation or drayage will be paid by the Association.

5.—The grounds will be in readiness for the reception of exhibits Saturday October 11th.

6.—Special Notice—All exhibits must be in place and fully installed by Tuesday October 14th, 8 o'clock to receive attention from the awarding judges. Exhibitors can have the use of the halls and grounds for a reasonable number of days before the opening day proper, but the hanging and placing of their exhibits, hence there is no good reason for delay.

7.—Exhibitors should make themselves acquainted with the Premium List and Regulation, and be sure in what department and class their entries belong.

8.—Competition is open to the world, except where specifically noted.

9.—No entrance fee will be charged exhibitors except Poultry. This is necessary that poultry may be properly fed and cared for by the Association.

10.—The original entry card must in all cases be attached to the exhibit except in the case of animals, when the card may be placed conspicuously upon the stall or pen.

11.—All exhibits sent by freight or express must be prepaid and all plainly marked to "Secretary Fair, Shelby, N. C." must also have shipper name and address on them, and accompanied by bill of lading that they may be properly cared for.

12.—Complaints and protests must be made in writing to the Secretary, who will promptly bring them before the executive committee.

13.—Every exhibitor, concessionaire, employee or any other person having business on the grounds is required to abide by these or any other rules that may be formulated by the Fair Association, through its authorized officials, and the Fair Association reserves the right to construe its rules and regulations, and arbitrarily determine and settle all matters and differences in regard thereto.

14.—No person will be permitted to remain on the Fair Grounds over night excepting those holding permits, which can be secured from the Secretary.

PREMIUMS

1.—A premium ribbon or diploma is a badge of merit, and in no case should it be attached to an article or animal where meritorious qualities are lacking.

2.—The premiums are designated by ribbons: Blue meaning first; Red, second and White, third premium. These ribbons will be attached, by the director of each department after judges or committees have made their awards, and same have been approved.

3.—The Fair Association deems its beautifully engraved diploma, of equal value of any first premium offered, winners of first premiums in either the livestock or poultry departments, will be at liberty to commute a money premium for a Diploma, we make this offer in view of the fact that often exhibitors of livestock and poultry are also breeders of fancy stock for sale, and therefore like to have something that will show the winning merits of their animals, our Diploma will do this as no other premium or award possibly could.

INSTRUCTIONS TO DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENTS AND DIRECTORS.

1.—No Director of any department will be permitted to employ help without written permission from the Secretary. An order for all supplies must be obtained from the Secretary.

2.—Directors will receive all property entered for exhibition, and see that tags are securely attached, and arrange such property in a suitable and attractive manner.

3.—They will also see that property is not removed before the appointed time, and that the checks are detached from property when removed as a means to prevent fraud and mistakes by such removal.

4.—They will see that their departments are kept clean and orderly at all times.

JUDGES

1.—The Judges of Awards when ready for duty shall be furnished by the Secretary with a list of all entries in their respective Departments, and books in which their awards are to be recorded.

2.—Judges are especially instructed not to award premiums to any animal or article because of its presence. It must be individually worthy. It is not the policy of this association to encourage indifferent production of any kind, or to distribute premiums equally among exhibitors, and no premiums should be awarded to any animal or article that does not possess high intrinsic merit.

3.—The Director in charge shall attend the Judges when making the examinations in their respective departments, and furnish them with any desired information. Premiums will not be paid partly having exhibits where it is proven that they accompanied the Judges when awarding the premiums. As the awards are made the Director will attach the ribbon indicating the award.

THIS HOUSE OPENED FOR BUSINESS SIX YEARS AGO

This last year, closing July 31st, 1924, has been one of our best years and we thank those who have given us business and spoken kind words in our behalf. We have tried to serve right. We have stuck to the Golden Rule, (live and let live.) We have improved our stocks day by day—and we promise Shelby and Cleveland County a better and bigger store in the future. It is our aim to continue to grow and to serve better.

KEEP YOUR EYES ON THIS HOUSE—

WE HAVE BIG IDEAS IN OUR HEADS—WATCH US.

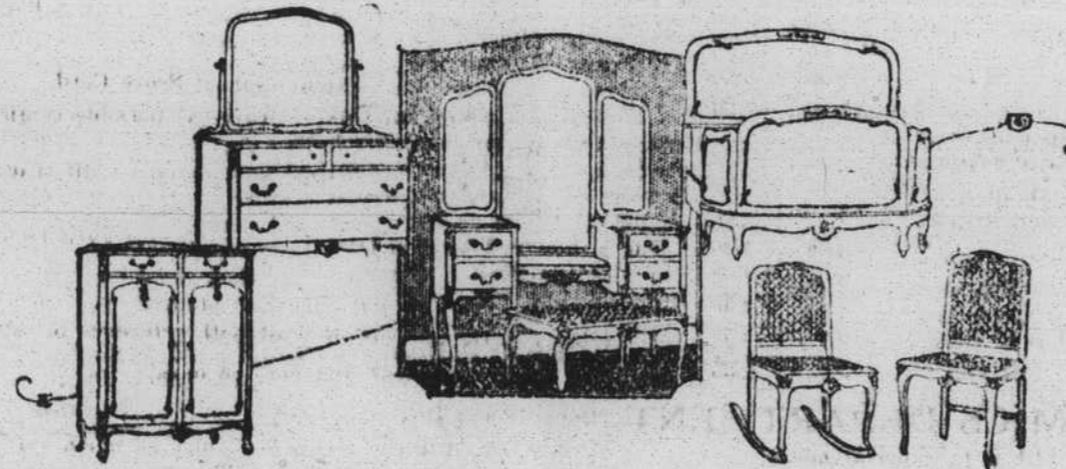
VISIT OUR HOUSE OFTEN—INSPECT OUR STOCKS.

MAKE THIS HOUSE YOUR HEADQUARTERS—AND REMEMBER—

When Better Furniture Is Sold In Shelby, Better Values Are Given

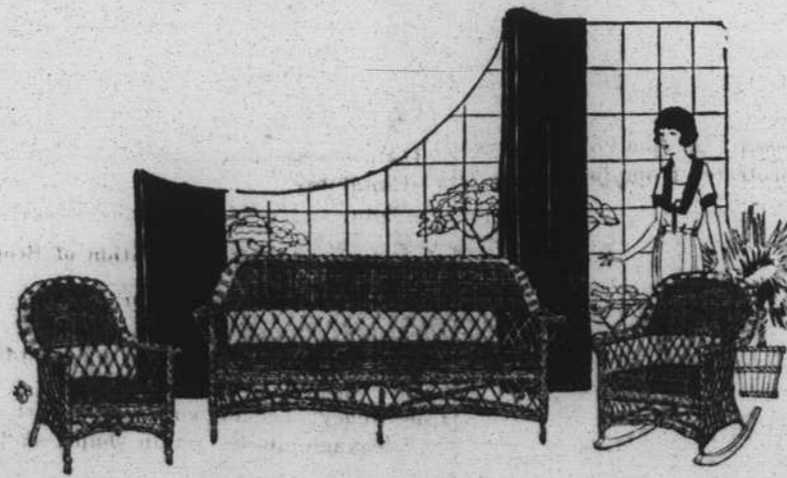
THE PARAGON will do it.

THIS HOUSE LEADS



OUR EASY PAYMENT PLAN has enabled hundreds of people to furnish their homes who otherwise could not have done it.

It costs no more here to buy now and pay later than to wait now and buy later. Drop in. Let us explain our Easy Payment Plan further. We are willing to wait for the money—so there is no need for you to wait for the furniture.



Our Fall and Winter stocks are now on display. We invite you to visit this house now and make your selections.

THANK YOU.

THE PARAGON FURNITURE CO.

"ON THE SQUARE."

Shelby's Leading Furniture Dealers and Undertakers.

THE HOUSE THAT MAKES HOMES HAPPY.

It will pay you to come miles and miles to buy at this House. We deliver in town, country and towns in distance. Our service unexcelled. Call upon us.

4.—Decisions of Judges will be considered as final, and no appeal will be considered except in cases of protests in writing, with strong evidence of fraud or violation of the rules of the Association, which may be filed with the Secretary before the premiums have been presented.

5.—Reports must be signed by each Judge in his own handwriting.

6.—Judges cannot award premiums to articles not in the regular Premium List.

7.—The exhibition of articles or animals not mentioned in the regular premium list is solicited, these will be properly judged and reported on by the Judges, and where possible will be awarded premiums.

Registration papers covering all cattle entered in registered classes must accompany application for entry.

DAIRY CATTLE DEPARTMENT

JERSEYS—(Registered)

1.—Best bull three years old and over	\$5.00	\$2.50	\$1.25
2.—Best bull two years old and under 3	5.00	2.50	1.25
3.—Best bull 1-2 years and under 2	5.00	2.50	1.25
4.—Best bull 1 year old and under 1-2	5.00	2.50	1.25
5.—Best bull calf under one year	5.00	2.50	1.25
6.—Best cow three years old and over	5.00	2.50	1.25
7.—Best heifer 1-2 and under two years	5.00	2.50	1.25
8.—Best heifer 1 year and under 1-2 yrs.	5.00	2.50	1.25
9.—Best heifer calf under one year	5.00	2.50	1.25
10.—Best herd, consisting of three or more cows over 3 years, and one bull over 2 yrs.	5.00		

GUERNSEYS—(Registered)

11.—Best bull over one year and under 3	5.00	2.50	1.25
12.—Best bull calf under one year	5.00	2.50	1.25
13.—Best bull over three years	5.00	2.50	1.25
14.—Best cow three years old and over	5.00	2.50	1.25
15.—Best heifer two years and under 3	5.00	2.50	1.25
16.—Best heifer calf under one year	5.00	2.50	1.25
17.—Best herd consisting of 3 or more cows over 3 yrs. & 1 bull over 2-2 yrs.	5.00	2.50	1.25

HOLSTEINS—(Registered)

18.—Best bull three years old and over	5.00	2.50	1.25
19.—Best bull 2 years and under 3	5.00	2.50	1.25
20.—Best bull calf under 2	5.00	2.50	1.25
21.—Best bull calf under 1 year	5.00	2.50	1.25
22.—Best mature cow, 3 and over	5.00	2.50	1.25
23.—Best heifer 1 to 2 year old	5.00	2.50	1.25

PROGRAM

Shown in glasses of uniform shape and size.			
24.—Best cow or heifer two to three years	5.00	2.50	1.25
25.—Best heifer under one year	5.00	2.50	1.25
26.—Best herd consisting of 3 or more cows 3 yrs. and 1 bull over 2 yrs.	5.00		

GRADES (Any Breed)

27.—Best cow three years old and over	3.00	2.00	
28.—Best heifer or cow over 2 and under 3	3.00	2.00	
29.—Best heifer one year old and under two	3.00	2.00	
30.—Best heifer calf	3.00	2.00	

Cleveland Bank and Trust Co. Pure Bred Dairy Cattle Club
3rd prize for best composition on "How I Raised my calf or Heifer" \$5.00
2nd prize to member whose calf or heifer showing best care and treatment \$8.00
1st Prize for best calf or heifer (according to judges decision) \$10.00

BEEF CATTLE DEPARTMENT

W. C. EDWARDS and ERNEST B. HERNDON in Charge.

HERFORDS

31.—Best bull three years old and over	5.00	2.50	1.25
32.—Best bull under three and over one	5.00	2.50	1.25
33.—Best bull calf	5.00	2.50	1.25
34.—Best cow three years old and over	5.00	2.50	1.25
35.—Best cow or heifer under 3 and over 1	5.00	2.50	1.25
36.—Best heifer calf	5.00	2.50	1.25
37.—Best herd consisting of three or more cows over 2 yrs., and 1 bull over 2 yrs.	5.00		

ANGUS

38.—Best bull three years old and over	5.00	2.50	1.25
39.—Best bull under three and over one	5.00	2.50	1.25
40.—Best bull calf	5.00	2.50	1.25
41.—Best cow three years old and over	5.00	2.50	1.25
42.—Best cow or heifer under 3 and over 1	5.00	2.50	1.25
43.—Best heifer calf	5.00	2.50	1.25
44.—Best herd, consisting of 3 or more cows over 2 years and 1 bull over 2 yrs.	5.00		

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS

45.—Best Dairy Cow, three years old or over	5.00		
47.—Highest testing cow, any age, any breed	10.00		

SHEEP DEPARTMENT

M. SHUFORD BEAM, In Charge

HAMPSHIRE

48.—Best Ram, one year and over	3.00	2.00	1.00
49.—Best Ram lamb	3.00	2.00	1.00
50.—Best Ewe, two years and over	3.00	2.00	1.00
51.—Best Ewe, one year and under two	3.00	2.00	1.00
52.—Best Ewe lamb	3.00	2.00	1.00
53.—Best Flock, one Ram and three Ewes	3.00	2.00	1.00

SHROPSHIRE

54.—Best Ram, one year and over	3.00	2.00	1.00
55.—Best Ram lamb	3.00	2.00	1.00
56.—Best Ewe, two years and over	3.00	2.00	1.00
57.—Best Ewe, one year and under two	3.00	2.00	1.00
58.—Best Ewe lamb	3.00	2.00	1.00
59.—Best Flock, one Ram and three Ewes	3.00	2.00	1.00

GOATS

59.—Best Ewe	3.00	2.00	1.00
60.—Best Ram	3.00	2.00	1.00

SWINE DEPARTMENT

JOE E. BLANTON, In Charge

Registration papers covering all swine in registered class must accompany application for entry.

BERKSHIRES

61.—Best boar, one year and over	4.00	2.50	1.25
62.—Best boar, six to twelve months	4.00	2.50	1.25
63.—Best boar pig under six months	4.00	2.50	1.25
64.—Best sow, one year and over	4.00	2.50	1.25
65.—Best sow, six to twelve months	4.00	2.50	1.25
66.—Best sow pig under six months	4.00	2.50	1.25
67.—Best sow and litter	4.00	2.50	1.25

POLAND CHINA

68.—Best boar, one year and over	4.00	2.50	1.25
69.—Best boar, six to twelve months	4.00	2.50	1.25
70.—Best boar pig, under six months	4.00	2.50	1.25
71.—Best sow, one year and over	4.00	2.50	1.25
72.—Best sow, six to twelve months	4.00	2.50	1.25
73.—Best sow pig, under six months	4.00	2.50	1.25
74.—Best sow and litter	4.00	2.50	1.25

DUROC JERSEYS

75.—Best boar, one year and over	4.00	2.50	1.25
76.—Best boar, six to twelve months	4.00	2.50	1.25
77.—Best boar pig, under six months	4.00	2.50	1.25
78.—Best sow, one year and over	4.00	2.50	1.25
79.—Best sow, six to twelve months	4.00	2.50	1.25
80.—Best sow pig, under six months	4.00	2.50	1.25
81.—Best sow and litter	4.00	2.50	1.25

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