

Gifford Feb^y 20-1862 a general meeting of the Society was held this day. President Mr Swinton Presiding, the income & expenditure for the last year were laid before the meeting examined & found correct. The Prizes were distributed - and a balance left of sixpence -

Office Bearers were elected for this year. President - Mr Murray, Longmester, vice President Mr P Logan Gifford. Committee - Dr Lethman R. Bottom, W. Gray, A. Hewitt, W. Oliver, J. Wilson, P B Swinton, Mr Ureghart, W Ogilvie, R. Marshall. Secretary and Treasurer - P Jeffrey. The summer competition was fixed to be on Tuesday the 29th July, the usual articles to be competed for - all articles to be in the room - before 1/2 past six o'clock.

The following special prizes for summer show were offered - Mr P Jeffrey will give 1/6 for first 1/6 for second - For Heaviest 30 Peas -

Mr P Black	Do	Do	Do	Do	Heaviest 8 Pods of Beans
Dr Lethman	Do	Do	Do	Do	Best 6 Kidney Potatoes
Mr Swinton	Do	Do	Do	Do	Best 24 Gooseberries
Mr McAdam	Do	Do	Do	Do	Best 2 Cauliflowers
Mr Marshall	Do	Do	Do	Do	Best 20 Black Currants
Mr Ogilvie	Do	Do	Do	Do	Best 3 Bouquets
Rev Mr Kerr	Do	Do	Do	Do	Best 4 Early horn carrots
Mr Hewitt	Do	Do	Do	Do	Best Cabbage & cos Lettuce
Mr Ogilvie	Do	Do	Do	Do	Best 12 bunches Red Currants
Mr Logan	Do	Do	Do	Do	Top Skep of flower Honey
Mr A Swinton	Do	Do	Do	Do	3 White & 3 Red Turnip Radish

Mr Murray will give a first prize of 5/- & Mr Berrie a second

of 2/6 - For best crop of Peas, Beans, Cabbage, Turnips, Cauliflower, and Lettuce - The Gardens to be examined by the Judges during the week preceding the summer show - Intending competitors to give in their names to the Secretary on or before Tuesday the 15th of July -

The winter competition to be on Tuesday the 4th November when in addition to the usual articles, Specials were offered for the following -

Mr Burns	will give a Prize of 1/6 for Best 12 French Beans
Mr Swinton	for first 1/6. second 1/-
Best 3 apples	
Mr Swinton	Do Do 2 Bouquets Sprouts
Dr Lethman	Do Do 2 Beet Root
Dr Lethman	Do Do 2 Turnips
Mr Wilson	Do Do Best Parsley Plant
Mr Allan	Do 3/- Do 2/- 5 Leeks
Mr McAdam	Do 1/6 Do 1/- 6 Don Potatoes
Mr Ogilvie	Do Do 1 Best Cabbage
Mr Thomson	Do Do 1 Heaviest Savoy
Mr Brownhill	Do Do 1 Heaviest Green
Mr Gray	Do Do 2 Heaviest Leeks

Mr Colledge will give a first prize of 3/- Mr Jeffrey for second 2/- For best 12 Boiled potatoes -

all articles to be in room - before 5 o'clock
The annual supper of the members & friends, will take place, as usual, on the evening of the winter show -
From a friend - Per Dr Lethman - for best Early Cabbage at winter show 1/6. Paid - July 23. Cash from Mr Murray £1 - 0 - 0 - at winter show, Mr Murray will

give a First prize of 5/- & a Second of 2/6. for best Basket of Vegetables.

Gifford July 8- 1862

a Meeting of the committee was held in Mr Colyer's Inn this evening. Vice President Mr Logan in the chair. Mr Colyer agreed to give his Ball Room as usual for the Summer competition, the Secretary was instructed to ask Messrs King of Eagle Cairnie. Duncan. Lennoxlove. Coalstone and Berrie of Hopes. to come & act as Judges on that occasion. Messrs Swinton. Wilson. and Ogilvie to be Judges of the best Cropped Gardens. Doorkeepers- Messrs Urquhart and Donaldson. Dr Lothian and Mr R. Bolton to assist the Judges & Secretary. Mr Fair to distribute the Boquets. the Articles exhibited are not to be removed out of the room till the expiry of an hour after the decision of the Judges. the Boquets are not to be distributed until the expiry of that hour. The committee also agreed not to allow more than one Person to compete out of the same Garden. Mr Jeffrey offers his usual Prize to the Boy or Girl for best Nosegay of Wild Flowers. Gathered by themselves.

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Gifford July 29- 1862. The Summer Competition was held this day in Mr Colyer's Ball Room, when the Judges. Messrs King of Eagle Cairnie. Duncan. Lennoxlove. Wilson, Coalstone, & Berrie of Hopes. awarded as follows.

Articles	First	Second	Third
12 Pods of Peas	P. Jeffrey	John Trotter	R. Hewitt
1 Stalk of Rhubarb	W. Ogilvie	P. Jeffrey	J. Herriot
12 Pods of Beans	J. Young	R. McAdam	W. Ogilvie
3 Carrots	W. Ogilvie	J. Trotter	P. Black
3 Turnips	W. Ogilvie	Dr Lothian	R. Hewitt
1 Cauliflower	Dr Lothian	P. Black	A. Huish
1 Cabbage	J. Wilson	J. Young	J. Trotter
6 Potatoes	R. Bolton	R. McAdam	A. Swinton

Mr Ogilvie obtains the Silver Medal

Special Prizes			
Heaviest 30 Peas.	Mr P. Jeffrey		
Dr 8 Pods of Beans.	J. Young	R. Hewitt,	
6 Kidney Potatoes.	R. Bolton,	R. McAdam.	
24 Gooseberries	P. Jeffrey	J. Wilson,	
2 Cauliflowers	Dr Lothian	P. Black	
20 Black Currants	J. Wilson	J. Trotter	
3 Boquets	Miss Ogilvie		
Cabbages & 1 Cos Lettuce	P. Black	P. Baillie	
2 Bunches Red Currants,	P. Black	P. Jeffrey	
3 White & 3 Red Turnip Radish.	W. Gray	R. Hewitt	
Best Cropped Garden,	P. Black	J. Young	
4 Early Horn Carrots	W. Ogilvie	J. Trotter	
Girls Wild Flowers.	Miss Isabella	Lothian Boys	Dr Master Bolton

Top Shop of Flower Money
No Competition

36 Competitors
145 articles.

Gifford, October 21- 1862

This evening a meeting of
Committee was held in Mr Coley's Inn.
vice President Mr Logan Presiding—

Mr. Coley agreed to provide the Supper at
the winter show- at the usual charge of 1/6 each.
The Secretary was instructed to ask Messrs
King of Eagle Cairnie - Duncan Lennox Love-
P. Allan - Maddington - & Mitchell - Annisfield.
to come to act as Judges at the Winter
Competition— Also Mr. Watson, Maddington
to assist in Judging the Harey—

All articles exhibited not to be removed from
the show room before 1/2 past 7 o'clock—

The boiled Potatoes to be on the Supper Room
table at a 1/4 Past 7 o'clock. Messrs John Young - &
David Donaldson to be Door Keepers - and
D^r Lotheran - Messrs Hewitt - & Mr. Adam - to
assist the Judges - & ticket the Articles—

1862, Winter Competition, November 4th
 The winter competition was held this day, when
 the Judges, Messrs King, of Eagle Cairnie, Duncan, Lennox Love
 Allan, Waddington, Mitchell, Amisfield, and Watson
 Waddington awarded the following prizes —

articles	First	Second	Third
3 Leeks	Wm Gray	J. Young	D ^r Lothian
6 Onions	R. Black.	Mr. Oliver	W. Urquhart
1 Savoy	W. Ogilvie	W. Bald	R. McAdam
1 Green	R. McAdam	R. Baillie	J. Herriot
1 Brussels Sprout	W. Ogilvie	R. Bolton	J. Young
3 Carrots	R. Marshall	W. Ogilvie	P. Logan
1 Early Cabbage	A. Swinton	W. Bald	D. Donaldson
1 Heaviest Cabbage	G. Tait	W. Bald	R. Baillie
6 Potatoes	R. Bolton	J. Peddie	J. Young
3 Turnips	D ^r Lothian	W. Ogilvie	R. Hewitt
1 Cauliflower	J. Young	A. Swinton	G. Tait

W. Ogilvie, having the highest no of Prizes. Gets the Medal.

Special Prizes.

12 French Beans	No competitors appeared.
3 Apples	P. Jeffrey.
2 Brussels Sprouts	W. Ogilvie
2 Beet Roots	W. Ogilvie
2 Turnips	R. Bolton
1 Parsley Plant	P. Jeffrey
5 Leeks	J. Young
6 Don Potatoes	R. Bolton

J. Wilson
 R. Bolton
 W. Gray
 D^r Lothian
 R. Baillie
 W. Gray

Forward

1 Red cabbage	J. Wilson	96 Second
1 Heaviest Savoy	R. Bolton	D ^r Lothian
1 Green	W. Bald	R. Marshall
2 Heaviest Leeks	D ^r Lothian	P. Henderson
Basket of Vegetables	D ^r Lothian	J. Young
Top Step of Flower Money	M ^r Michie	R. Hewitt
1 Early Cabbage	D. Donaldson	one prize
12 Boiled Potatoes	M ^r Lothian	M ^r Logan
35 competitors. 166 articles		

1862 Marquis & Marchioness of Tweeddale's Gift	£ 10 "
M ^r Dudgeons	" 5 "
In Treasurers Hand	" 3 6
at Door - at Summer Show	" 7 1
Do Do - Winter Do	4 2
47 Members at 6 each	1 3 6
From M ^r Murray's Balance	" 2 "
	£ 3 15 3

1862 Expense M ^r Croal. Printing Bills & Cards	" 11 6
Judges at both shows	" 13 10
Room light Paper Stamps & "	2 5
14 First Prizes at 10	11 8
17 Second Do 8	11 4
18 Third Do 6	" 9 "
Two Silver Medals 7/6 each	15 "

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