

# BIG FAIRBURY FAIR

SEPTEMBER 3, 4, 5, 6 AND 7, 19

THE GREATEST FAIR IN CENTRAL ILL

\$5,000--PAID IN CASH PREMIUMS--\$5

\$1,800 FOR SPEED  FOR SPEED

Already more horses have been entered for the races this year than ever before and the racing is one of the greatest features of the Fairbury Fair.



THE MASSACRE.

## BRONCO JOHN

AND HIS WONDERFUL

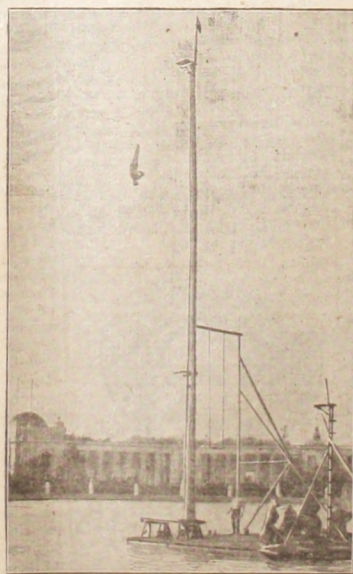
## WILD WEST SHOW

This is one of the great special features that will be seen free each day of the fair RAIN OR SHINE.



PROGRAM—1st, Pony express showing how dispatches were carried across the continent before the telegraph was used. Quick changes. Also the burlesque with Mexican burros. 2d, Cowboy race very exciting. 3d, Picking up objects from the ground while at full racing speed. Large half-breed horses are used in this act and done with life and vim. Also funny cowboy and burro. 4th, Roping, a horse by the neck, catching a rider, catching a horse by the leg while at full speed, throwing the rope 30 or 40 feet away, using the rope in many different styles. 5th, Riding wild and bucking bronchos. 6th, A sham battle between the Lone Scout and a band of Indians. The Scout's pony is very vicious and are kept in good condition for that purpose. Cowboy's fun on the plains. 7th, Revolver handling, showing many remarkable business points, in handling the large close quarters and danger. The quickest in the world. 8th, Showing what is done with a horse thief. Capture, dragging and hanging to a tree. 9th, All aboard for Deadwood. The old overland coach, pulled by the Mayor or other prominent people) four half-breed horses with life and speed, the old-time driver with his four-in-hand—whop goes the whip and they are off—Road Agents demand "hold up," a runaway. Stand. Cowboys to the Rescue. A running fight and capture. The most exciting scene ever witnessed.

**MATTHEW GAY,**  
World's Champion High Diver  
Will Give Free Exhibitions  
Each Day.



The wonderful daring of Matthew Gay, the world's champion high diver, will be given free exhibitions daily. His great water trapeze acts never been attempted by any former and his thrilling backwalk on a platform 85 feet high into a tank six feet deep. This exhibition is worth coming miles to see.

### Stock and Farm Products.

The exhibit of stock and farm products will undoubtedly exceed that of any previous fair held in Central Illinois.

Mr. Hardinger, of Gays, is visiting here this week.  
Miss Blanche McDougall is visiting a few days in Chenoa.  
Mr. Clinton, our teacher for the coming year, moved here last week.  
Mr. Chapman is in Chicago this week attending the G. A. R. encampment.

### Exhibition in Floral Hall.

Available space in the Floral Hall and this building will furnish hours of amusement.

### Burch's Great Migration

Has been secured to furnish amusement for the week. This famous migration has no equal.

**COME**

## THE FAIRBURY FAIR.

part of the premiums. Take the week off and come and enjoy yourself and amusement as well as sight-seeing for all.

ON TRAINS DAILY.

R. C. STRAIGHT

Bring your family. Bring your stock and only big and always the best fair in Central Illinois.