

The Rampton Floral and Horticultural Society was recorded in 1878 -

RAMPTON HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The annual exhibition of fruit, flowers, and vegetables in connection with the Rampton Floral and Horticultural Society was held in a tent erected in a meadow near the School on Wednesday, under the patronage of Lieut.-Colonel Eyre, the Rev. A. Hardy, the Rev. H. T. Daniels, and by the exertions of the following officers - the Society has been placed in a very satisfactory position:— President, the Rev. A. Hardy; treasurer, Mr. Joseph Hart; secretary, Mr. C. Hinde; committee, Messrs. Wiswold, Peart, jun., Olivant, Chambers, Rose, Quickfall, Richmond, Baxter, J. Hart, Gunthorpe, G. Baker, and W. Elsom. The judges of the exhibits were Mr. Welch, gardener at Grove Hall, and Mr. Wynch, gardener to Mr. Birks, of Welham.

was this the same society as the 38th. annual Horse, Foal and Flower Society recorded in 1913?

In 1919 The Rampton and District Horse, Foal and Flower show was held. The first since the first world war. 1920 saw the 4th Rampton Horse,

Cattle and Flower show. 1923 was the 44th. Annual Exhibition of the Rampton Horse and Cattle Show

Once again another Society - 1936. Rampton Flower Show.

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RAMPTON FLOWER SHOW

The annual Rampton Flower Show took place yesterday in the schoolroom. The entries were not very numerous, as it is strictly confined to the inhabitants of the parish, but the show must, nevertheless, be regarded as a great success, the quality of vegetables and fruit being particularly good, and the flowers well up to average. The judges were Mr. Welch (gardener to Mr. E. E. Harcourt Vernon, of Grove Hall) and Mr. Winch (gardener to Mr. W. Birks, of Welham).

These societies must be the same - who changed the names? Families - old Rampton families keep appearing every year. People like W. Baker didn't give many 1st away for flowers vegetables and fruit. A pity his grandson and great grandson didn't take after him!

Exhibits for the horses and cattle seem to have come from surrounding villages.