

—1, Arkell; 2, W. & D. Johnson, Appin. Pen of lambs—1, P. Arkell & Son; 2, Johnson. Flock—1 and 2—Arkell. Pen Canadian-bred—1, Arkell; 2, Johnston. Judge—H. Noel Gibson, Delaware.

HAMPSHIRE.—Ram, 2 shears—1, Jno. Kelly, Shakespeare. Shearling ram—1 and 2, Kelly. Ram lamb—1 and 2, P. Arkell, Teeswater; 3, Kelly. Ewe, 2 shears—1 and 2, Kelly. Ewe shearling—1, 2 and 3, Kelly. Ewe lamb—1, 2 and 3, Kelly. Pen of five shearlings—1, Kelly. Pen of lambs—1, Kelly. Flock—1, Kelly. Pen, Canadian-bred—1, Kelly. Ram, any age, champion—Arkell & Sons. Ewe, any age, champion—Kelly. Judge, H. Noel Gibson.

LEICESTERS.—Ram, 2 shears and over—1, A. W. Smith, Maple Lodge; 2, Jas. Snell & Son, Clinton; 3, A. & W. Whitelaw, Guelph. Shearling ram—1 and 3, J. Snell & Son; 2, Smith. Ram lamb—1 and 3, Whitelaw; 2, John Kelly, Shakespeare. Ewe, 2 shears—1, J. Snell & Son; 2, Whitelaw; 3, Smith. Shearling ewe—1, Smith; 2, Snell & Son; 3, Whitelaw. Ewe lamb—1 and 3, Whitelaw; 2, A. W. Smith. Pen of five shearlings—1, Snell & Son; 2, Smith. Pen of lambs—1, Whitelaw; 2, Smith. Flock—1, Smith; 2, Whitelaw. Pen, Canadian-bred—1, Snell; 2, Smith. Ram, any age, champion—1, Smith. Ewe, any age, champion—Jas. Snell & Son. Judge—H. B. Jeffs, Bond Head.

COTSWOLDS.—Ram, 2 shears and over—1 and 3, Norman Park, Newark; 2, T. H. Shore & Son, Glanworth. Shearling ram—1, T. H. Shore & Son; 2, Park. Ram lamb—1 and 2, Park; 3, Shore. Ewe, 2 shears—1, Park; 2, Shore. Shearling ewe—1 and 3, Park; 2, Shore. Ewe lamb—1 and 2, Park; 3, Shore. Pen five shearlings—Park. Pen of lambs—1, Park; 2, Shore. Flock—1, Park; 2, Shore. Pen, Canadian-bred—1, Park; 2, Shore. Ram, any age, champion—1, Park. Ewe, any age, champion—1, Park. Pen 4 lambs—1, Park; 2, Shore. Judge—J. Ficht, Oriol.

LINCOLNS.—Ram, 2 shears or over—1 and 2, G. & H. Lee, Highgate; 3, Stevens, Mitchell & McLean, Lambeth. Shearling rams—1 and 3, Lee; 2, Stevens, Mitchell & McLean. Ram lamb—1 and 2, Lee; 3, Stevens. Ewe, 2 shears and over—1 and 2, Lee; 3, Stevens. Shearling ewe—1, 2 and 3, Lee. Ewe lamb—1, Stevens; 2 and 3, Lee. Pen, 5 shearlings—1, Lee; 2, Stevens. Pen, ram lamb—1, Lee; 2, Stevens. Flock—1, Lee; 2, Stevens. Pen, Canadian-bred—1, Lee; 2, Stevens. Ram, any age, champion—1, Lee. Ewe, any age, champion—1, Lee. Judge, J. Ficht, Oriol.

DORSETS.—Ram, 2 shears and over—1 and 3, R. H. Harding, Thorndale; 2, Jno. A. Orchard, Shedden. Shearling ram—1, W. E. Wright, Glanworth; 2, Harding; 3, Orchard. Ram lamb—1, Orchard; 2 and 3, Harding. Ewe, 2 shears—1, Orchard; 2, Harding; 3, Wright. Shearling ewe—1, Harding; 2, Wright; 3, Orchard. Ewe lamb—1, Wright; 2, Harding; 3, Orchard. Pen of 5 shearlings—1, Harding; 2, Orchard. Pen of lambs—1, Harding; 2, Orchard. Flock—1, Wright; 2, Harding. Pen, Canadian-bred—1, Harding; 2, Orchard. Ram, any age, champion—1, Harding. Ewe, any age, champion—1, Orchard. Judge—John Jackson, Abingdon.

FAT SHEEP.—One year, long-wool—1 and 4, A. & W. Whitelaw, Guelph; 2, G. & H. Lee; 3, A. W. Smith. Wether under 1 year, long-wool—1 and 2, Whitelaw. Judges—J. P. Ficht and H. B. Jeffs.

Wether, one year and over, medium wool—1, 3 and 4, J. Lloyd-Jones; 2, W. E. Wright. Wether under one year—1 and 2, J. Lloyd-Jones; 3, W. E. Wright; 4, R. H. Harding. Judges—Jno. Jackson, and H. Noel Gibson.

Swine.

The exhibits of swine of all the breeds brought out were excellent in type and quality, the only cause for regret being that so few breeders enter the field as exhibitors, the competition in nearly all classes being between two or three herds, while in Yorkshires only one herd, that of D. G. Flatt & Son, was represented, as was also the case here last year. This is a regrettable condition of things, for, though the herd shown is high-class in every respect, it must be unsatisfactory, not only to the Fair Board and to visitors, but also to the one exhibitor, to have prizes awarded without competition. The award list follows:

YORKSHIRES.—All prizes entered for in this class were awarded to D. G. Flatt & Son, Millgrove, Ont. Judge—G. B. Hood, Guelph.

BERKSHIRES.—Boar, 2 years and over—1, S. Dolson & Son, Norval Station; 2, Adam Thompson, Shakespeare. Boar, one year—1, W. J. Gilliland, Jericho; 2, Dolson & Son. Boar, 6 months—1 and 3, Dolson & Son; 2, Thompson. Boar, under 6 months—1 and 2, Dolson & Son; 3, Thompson. Sow, 2 years—1, Thompson; 2, Gilliland; 3, Dolson & Son. Sow, 1 year—1, Gilliland; 2, Thompson; 3, Dolson. Sow, 6 months—1 and 3, Gilliland; 2, Thompson. Sow under 6 months—1, Gilliland; 2 and 3, Dolson & Son. Four pigs, offspring of one sow—1, Dolson & Son;

2, Gilliland; 3, Thompson. Boar and three sows, any age—1, Gilliland; 2, Thompson; 3, Dolson & Son. Four pigs—1, Dolson & Son; 2, Gilliland; 3, Thompson. Judge—J. D. Brien, Ridgetown.

TAMWORTHS.—Boar, 2 years—1 and 2, D. Douglas & Son, Mitchell. Boar, 1 year—1, D. Douglas; 2, J. C. Nichol, Hubrey. Boar, 6 months—1, 2 and 3, Douglas. Sow, 2 years—1 and 2, Douglas. Sow, 1 year—1 and 2, Douglas; 3, Nichol. Sow, 6 months—1, Douglas; 2, Nichol. Sow under 6 months—1 and 2, Douglas; 3, Nichol. Four pigs, offspring of one sow—1 and 3, Douglas; 2, Nichol. Boar and 3 sows—1 and 2, Douglas; 3, Nichol. Judge—G. B. Hood, Guelph.

CHESTER WHITES.—Boar, 2 years and over—1, D. DeCourcy, Bornholm; 2, W. E. Wright, Glanworth. Boar, 1 year—1, DeCourcy; 2, Wright. Boar, 6 months and under—1, Jas. Page, Tyrconnell; 2, Wright; 3, DeCourcy. Boar under 6 months—1 and 2, Wright; 3, DeCourcy. Sow, 2 years—1 and 2, Wright; 3, DeCourcy. Sow, 1 year—1, Wright; 2 and 3, DeCourcy. Sow, 6 months—1, DeCourcy; 2 and 3, Wright. Sow under 6 months—1 and 3, Wright; 2, DeCourcy. Four pigs—1, Wright; 2, DeCourcy. Boar and three sows—1, Wright; 2, DeCourcy. Judge—J. C. Nichol, Hubrey.

HAMPSHIRE.—Boar, 2 years—1, O'Neil & Son, Birr. Boar, 1 year and under 2—1, O'Neil & Son; 2 and 3, Hastings Bros. Cross Hill. Boar 6 months—1 and 3, Hastings Bros.; 2, O'Neil & Son. Boar under 6 months—1, O'Neil & Son; 2, Hastings Bros. Sow, 2 years and over—1 and 3, Hastings Bros.; 2, O'Neil & Son. Sow, 1 year—1 and 2, Hastings; 3, O'Neil. Sow, 6 months—1 and 2, O'Neil & Son; 3, Hastings Bros. Sow

Armstrong, 95.75; 3, Mrs. Cyrus Sutton, Scottsville, 95; 4, Mrs. J. B. King, 94.5.

Section 5.—1, Mrs. William Armstrong, 96.25; 2, Mrs. J. B. King, 94.75; 3, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Springfield, 93.5; 4, Mrs. G. A. Hogg, Thamesford, 93.25.

CHEESE.

Section 1.—C. A. Barber, Woodstock, Ont., score, 96.49; 2, John Cuthbertson, Sebringville, 96.33, won on flavor; 3, L. E. Snyder, Rostock, Ont., 96.33; 4, R. A. Thompson, Atwood, 96.16.

Section 2.—1, George Empey, Newry, 96.66; 2, R. A. Thompson, 96.49; 3, John Cuthbertson, 96.32; 4, H. Donnelly, Staffordville, 96.16.

Section 3.—R. A. Thompson, Atwood, 95.99; 2, C. J. Donnelly, Scottsville, 95.83; 3, Peter Callan, Woodstock, 95.49; 4, B. F. Howes, Atwood, 95.33.

Section 4.—1, J. Cuthbertson, 96.16, won on flavor; 2, C. J. Donnelly, 96.16; 3, D. Menzies, Molesworth, 95.76; 4, R. A. Treleven, Rothsay, 95.5.

Section 5, Collection.—1, C. J. Donnelly; 2, R. A. Thompson; 3, E. S. Phelps, Birnam.

Section 6, Dairy Instructors.—1, James Burgess, Listowel, points, 18; 2, A. E. Gracey, Woodstock, 12; 3, George M. McKenzie, Ingersoll, 9.

Field Crops of Canada.

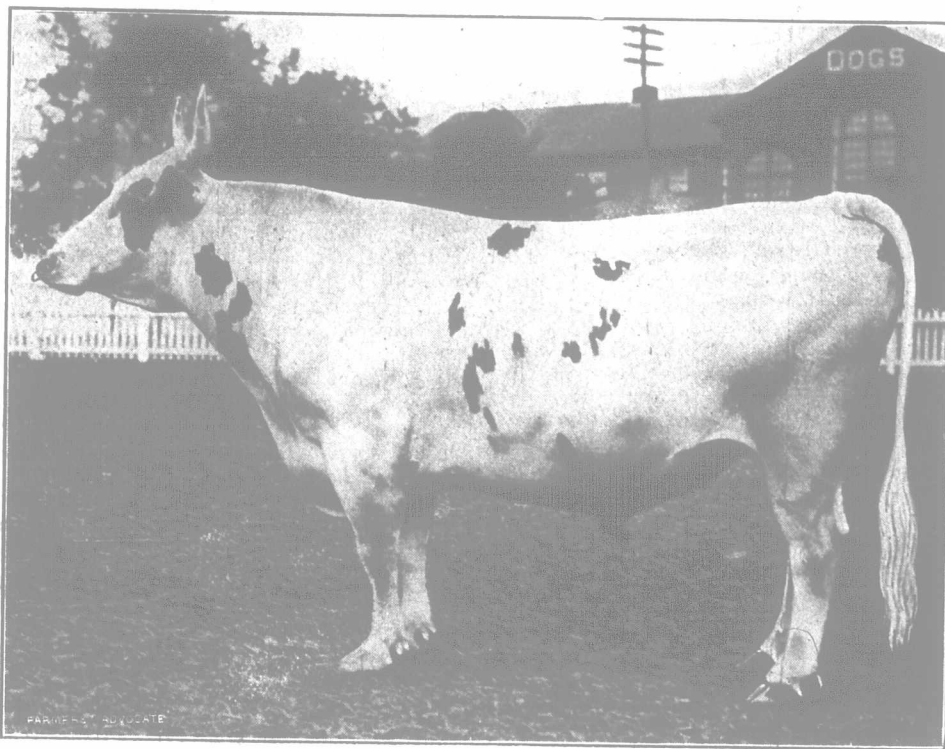
A bulletin on the field crops of Canada, issued September 14th, gives their average condition by Provinces at the end of August, together with estimates of the production of spring wheat, oats and barley, at that time. The per cent. condition of wheat is given as 86.80, of oats 84.44, and of barley 84.73, which is about five to seven

per cent. higher than last year, and nearly the same as two years ago. The other crops range in condition from 80 to 86 per cent., and are generally somewhat lower than in 1909 and 1910. The rains of August hindered the ripening of grain, and some injury was caused by hail storms, low temperature and rust. Towards the end of the month, frosts prevailed in many sections of the Northwest Provinces, the full extent of which could not be determined at the date of the reports; but in the case of wheat, oats and barley, production was lowered by probably 12 per cent., which has been followed in the table. In the older Provinces the grains ripened earlier, and little damage was sustained, excepting from drought in some localities, and the reported condition was 75 or over.

The average yield of spring wheat is estimated at 19.14 bushels per acre for the Dominion, which is seven bushels more than last year, and the total yield at 186,928,000 bushels. The fall wheat was reported last month at 17,706,000 bushels, being grown almost wholly in Ontario and Alberta. The total wheat yield of the country is, therefore, estimated to be 204,634,000 bushels, or 81,849,000 bushels more than last year, at the same date. The average per acre is 19.50 bushels, or 6.30 bushels per acre more than last year.

For the Dominion, the yield of oats is given as 368,153,000 bushels, which is 84,906,000 bushels more than last year's estimate at the same date, and the average at 35.81 bushels, being more than last year by 7.10 bushels. The average for barley is also higher than last year by 7.31 bushels, and the total yield is estimated at 51,559,000 bushels, as against 39,388,000 bushels for last year.

The estimated yield of spring wheat for Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta this year is 181,535,000 bushels; of fall wheat, 3,193,000 bushels; of oats, 204,758,000 bushels, and of barley, 30,205,000 bushels, as compared with 98,808,000 bushels spring wheat, 1,082,000 bushels fall wheat, 92,201,000 bushels oats, and 14,723,000 bushels barley in the previous year.



Netherhall Milkman (imp.) —25775—

Grand champion Ayrshire bull, Canadian National Exhibition, 1911. Owned by P. D. McArthur, North Georgetown, Que.

under 6 months—1 and 3, O'Neil & Son; 2, Hastings Bros. Four pigs under 6 months—Hastings Bros. Boar and 3 sows—Hastings Bros. Judge—J. C. Nichol, Hubrey.

POLAND-CHINA hogs of good type and quality were shown by Geo. G. Gould, Edgar Mills, and MacCampbell & Son, Northwood, the prizes being fairly divided between these exhibitors by the judge, J. C. Nichol, Hubrey.

Dairy Products.

Following are the awards in butter and cheese at the Western Fair, 1911. The butter scored high in flavor, and was of high quality throughout. The cheese exhibit was exceptionally large, and also of fine quality, particularly as to flavor, which the judges specially remarked. Awards in butter were made by J. B. Muir, and in cheese by W. W. Gray, Jas. Bristow, and Robt. Johnson.

PRIZES FOR BUTTER.

Section 1.—1, J. H. LaClerc, Foster, Que., score, 97; 2, J. A. Logie, Paisely, Ont., 96.25; 3, R. M. Player, Walkerton, 95.5; 4, J. H. Martin, St. Valentine, Que., 94.5; 5, J. R. Almonte, Silverdale, 95.

Section 2.—1, J. H. Martin, 98; 2, J. H. LaClerc, 96.5; 3, John Anderson, Renfrew, Ont., 96; 4, R. M. Player, 95.5; 5, J. R. Almonte, 95.25.

Section 3.—1, Mrs. W. Armstrong, Brussels, 96.5; 2, Mrs. R. Wilson, Lobo, 96; 3, Mrs. J. B. King, Lambeth, 95.5; 4, S. J. Pugh, Milverton, 94.5.

Section 4.—1, S. J. Pugh, 96; 2, Mrs. W.