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LINCOLNS .- H. Lee. of Highgate, Ont., and J. G. Lethbridge, of Glencoe, were the exhibitors of Lincolns, and with these two flocks in competition decisions were often close.

Awards .- Ram, aged: 1, Lee; 2 and 3, Lethbridge. Ram, shearling: 1, 2 and 3, Lethbridge. Ram lamb : 1, and 3, Lethbridge; 2, Lee. Aged ewe: 1 and 3, Lethbridge; 2 Exe. Shearling ewe: 1, 2 and 3, Lethbridge. Ewe lamb: 1, Lee; 2 and 3, Lethbridge. Lethbridge won first, and Lee second on all the pen prizes. Lee had the champion ram and Lethbridge the champion ewe.

HAMPSHIRES AND SUFFOLKS.-These two breeds were exhibited by Jas. Bowman, Guelph; J. A. Wilson, of Hornby; J. Kelly, & Sons, Shakespeare, and Geo. Telfer, Paris.

Awards.—Aged ram: 1, Bowman; 2, Wilson. Shearling ram: 1 and 2, Kelly; 3, Telfer. Ram lamb : 1, Telfer; 2 and 3, Kelly. Aged ewe : 1 and 3, Kelly; 2, Wilson. Shearling ewe : 1, 2 and 3, Kelly. Ewe lamb : 1 and 2, Kelly ; 3, Wilson. Pen of five shearlings : 1, Kelly Bowman. Breeders' pen: 1, Telfer; 2, Kelly. Exhibitors' pen: 1, Kelly; 2, Wilson. Canadian-bred pen: 1, Kelly; 2, Telfer. Ram, any age, Kelly. Best ewe, Kelly.

FAT SHEEP.—Awards.—Yearling wether, long wool: 1, Kelly; 2 and 3, Lee. Wether lamb, long wool: 1 and 2, Kelly; 3, Shore; 4, White law. Yearling wether, short wool: 1 and 2, Baker; 3, Campbell; 4, Wright. Wether lamb, short wool: 1, Johnston Bros.; 2, Bowman; 3, Johnston Bros.; 4, Whitelaw. Judges.—Geo. Telfer, Paris, Ont., on Shrop-

shires, Southdowns, and Oxford Downs. W. A. Douglas, Caledonia, on Cotswolds, Leicesters, Hampshires, Suffolks and Dorset Horns.

Swine.

The exhibit of pigs was about the same as is usually the case at London. Some very good competition was put up in Berkshires where three Some very good herds made almost every class interesting. Only one herd of Yorkshires, every one a good pig, came out. Lack of competition decreases interest. In Tamworths also there was only one herd forward. There was keen competition in Chester Whites, Hampshires and the class for Duroc Jerseys and Poland Chinas.

BERKSHIRES-Exhibitors : A. Thomson, Shakespeare; W. W. Brownridge, Georgetown; F.

C. Stevenson, London Jct. Awards.—Aged boar: 1, Thomson; 2, Brown-ridge. Boar, yearling: 1, Brownridge; 2, Stevenson. Boar, six months and under one year : 1, Brownridge; 2, Thomson. Boar, under six months: 1, 2 and 3, Thomson. Sow, aged: 1, Brownridge; 2 and 3, Thomson; 4, Stevenson. Sow, yearling: 1 and 2, Brownridge; 3, Steven-son. Sow, six months: 1, Thomson; 2 and 3, Brownridge. Sow, under six months: 1, 2 and 3. Thomson. Four pigs, under six months get of sire: 1 and 2, Thomson; 3, Stevenson. pigs, offspring of sow: 1 and 2, Thomson; 3, Stevenson. Boar and three sows: 1 and 3, Brownridge; 2, Thomson. Champion boar: Thomson. Champion sow: Brownridge.

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progeny of sow : 1, Hastings. Hastings got both championships and the herd award.

POLAND CHINAS AND DUROCS. - Mac. Campbell & Son, of Northwood, had out their Durocs in competition with the good herd of Polands belonging to Geo. G. Gould, of Essex. These herds met at Toronto. Some changes were made in the placings here.

Awards.-Boar, aged: 1, 2 and 3, Campbell. Boar, yearling: 1, Campbell; 2, Gould. Boar, six months: 1, Gould; 2 and 3, Campbell. Boar under six months: 1, Campbell; 2 and 3, Gould. Sow, aged: 1 and 2, Gould; 3, Campbell. Sow, vearling: 1, Could: 2 and 3, Campbell. Sow. yearling: 1, Gould; 2 and 3, Campbell. six months : 1 and 3 Gould; 2, Campbell. Sow. Sow. under six months : 1, Gould; 2 and 3, Campbell. Campbell had the champion boar, and Gould took the championship for sow and the group prizes.

R. H. Harding judged the Durocs and Polands and J. D. Brien the other breeds for which a judge has not already been mentioned.

Dairy Products.

The show of dairy products was a surprise to good many who attended the exhibition. Never before has there been such a large entry in the cheese section, and butter was well up to the usual run of exhibits made at the Western Fair. Scores were close in nearly every class, and the judges had no small task to pick the winners be-ing called upon to decide almost every class on flavor. At Toronto in the butter classes Quebec and the West took all the money in the creamery section, at London the one exhibitor from Quebec and the one from the West were left out of the money. This is somewhat encouraging from the standpoint of Ontario makers.

CHEESE.—Factory colored, June: 1. D. Menzies, Listowel, 97.16; 2, Wm. Morse, Trow-bridge, 96.66; 3, B. F. Howes, Atwood, 96.16; 4, Peter Callan, Woodstock, 96; 5 and 6, C. J. Donnelly and H. E. Donnelly Straffordville 4, Peter Callan, Woodstock, 96; 5 and 6, C. J. Donnelly, and H. E. Donnelly, Straffordville, 95.83. Factory white, June: 1, Geo. Empey, Atwood, 96.32; 2, John Cuthbertson, Stratford, 96.16; 3, Peter Callan, 96.16; 4, Wm. Morse, 95.83; 5, B. F. Howes, 95.83; 6, Mrs. O. Cuckow, Mt. Elgin, 95.5. Factory colored, July: 1, Connelly Bros., Thamesford, 97; 2, John Cuthbertson, 96.98; 3, R. E. Hastings, Atwood, 96.82; 4, C. J. Donnelly, Scottsville, 96.66: 5. Peter Callan, 96.5: 6. Donald Menzies 96.66; 5, Peter Callan, 96.5; 6, Donald Menzies, 96.33. Factory white, July: 1. H. Hammond, Moorfield, 96.83; 2, Wm. Morse, 96.33; 3, H. G. Neeb, Tavistock. 96.16; 4, H. E. Donnelly, 96.15; 5, John Cuthbertson, 95.83; 6, Geo. Empey. 95.83. Factory colored, August : 1, J. Cuthbertson, 96.5; 2, Donald Menzies, 96.32; 3, J. W. Robinson, Sebringville, 96.15; 4, H. H. Purdy, Belleville, 96; 5, C. J. Donnelly, 96; 6, T. H. Benevine, so; 5, C. J. Donnelly, so; 5, 1. H. Bennett, and H. E. Donnelly, 96. Factory white, August: 1, B. F. Howes, 96.66; 2, H. Hammond, 96.5; 3, H. E. Donnelly, 96; 4, R. E. Hastings, 95.83; 5, H. Youn, 95.83; 6, C. J. Donnelly, and L. H. Schneider, Gadshill, 95.83. Twins: 1, J. B. Doan, Birnam, 96.16; 2, C. J. Donnelly, 96,16; 3, R. E. Hastings, 96; 4, Connelly Bros., 95.83; 5, Wm. Jamieson, Dorchester, 95.83. Stiltons: 1, C. J. Donnelly, 96.33; 2, H. E. Donnelly, 96.16; 3, J. B. Doan, 96; 4, Connelly Bros., 95.5; 5, Geo. Empey, 95.5. Instructor's groups: R. A. Thompson, Listowel group; 2, G. M. Mc-Kenzie, Stratford group; 3, T. H. Boyes, London group. Special, C. J. Donnelly. Silver cup, D. Silver cup, Geo. Empey. Menzies. BUTTER.—Creamery packages: 1, John Almont, Silverdale; 2, J. Anderson, Renfrew; 3, John J. C. Goodhand, Parkhill; 4, C. Klockman, Stratford; 5, L. Marshall, Port Dover. Creamery pound prints: 1, J. E. Wilson, Forest; 2, Wm. Webb, St. Thomas; 3, John Almont; 4, C. Klockman; 5, J. W. Clarridge, Cannington. Farm dairy package: 1, Miss L. B. Gregory, Ilderton; dairy package . 1, miss D. D. Gregory, Indition, 2, Mrs. J. B. King, Lambeth; 3, Geo. Laithwaite, Goderich; 4, Mrs. Wm. Taylor, Glanworth. Farm dairy prints : 1, Mrs. Wm. Taylor; 2, Woodview Farms, London; 3, Mrs. J. B. King; 4, S. H. Pugh, Milverton. Farm dairy special: 1, Miss Gregory; 2, Mrs. King; 3, S. H. Pugh; 4, Mrs. E. MacRobert, Denfield. Instructor's prize, D. Mc-MacRobert, Denfield. Instructor's prize, D. Mc-Millan, Stratford. Silver medal, Miss Gregory, Ilderton.

3, Palmer. Barley : 1, Brethow; 2, McCutcheon; 3, Palmer. Oats, white: 1, McCutcheon; Brethow; 3, Palmer. Oats, black : 1, Brethow; 2, McCutcheon. Field peas: 1, Brethow; 2, Palmer; 3, McCutcheon. Large peas: 1, Brethow. Palmer; 3, McCutcheon. Large peas: 1, Bretnow.
White Beans: 1, Wilson; 2, McCutcheon; 3, Palmer. Small beans: 1, Wilson; 2, Brethow.
Dent corn: 1, Gould; 2, Brethow; 3, Wright.
Flint corn: 1, McCutcheon; 2, Gould. Flint corn, yellow: 1, Gould; 2, Wright. Flint corn, red: 1, Wright; 2, Taylor; 3, McCutcheon. Millet: 1, Wilson: 2, Brethow: 3, Belmer. Humaging Grass: Wilson; 2, Brethow; 3, Palmer. Hungarian grass: 1, Wilson; 2, Brethow; 3, Palmer. Timothy seed: 1, Palmer; 2, Brethow; 3, Palmer. Thiothy sect. 1, Palmer; 2, Brethow; 3, McCutcheon, Red clover: 1, Brethow; 2, McCutcheon; 3, Palmer. A. O. V. clover seed: 1, Palmer; 2, Brethow; 3, McCutcheon. Flax: 1, Brethow; 2, Palmer. Sunflower : 1, R. H. Tuckey; 2, Palmer; 3, Heath. Sheaf of alfalfa : 1, Beattie. Three sheaves of wheat : 1, Brethow. Three sheaves of oats : 1, Brethow. Three sheaves of oats, white. Brethow; 2, Wright. Three sheaves of barley: 1, Brethow. Three sheaves of corn: 1, Gould;

Roots and Field Crops.

It is seldom indeed that fair goers are privileged to look upon as good a display of turnips, mangels, sugar beets, pumpkins, squashes and other roots and field crops as was made this year at the Western Fair. Large, symmetrical, smooth, solid roots were in evidence in each entry, and the judges had no easy task in placing the awards. Among the chief winners were Fred Bodkin, Wilton Grove; H. L. Nicol, Wilton Grove; W. E. Wright & Son, Glanworth; C. Tuckey, Hyde Park; H. Attridge, London, and W. L. Gibson, London.

Garden Vegetables.

The garden .vegetable exhibit was one of the best ever put up at London exhibition. Most of the classes were well filled, and the various varieties of vegetables commonly grown by market gardeners were on the tables in large quantities. The winnings, however, were confined to a few individuals, among which were W. R. Trott, London; H. Attridge, London; G. H. Poad, London; Thos. Hyslop, London; A. McInnes, London; C. Tuckey, Hyde Park; W. A. McCutcheon, Glencoe; G. W. Bycroft, London; Sanderson Bros., London; G. Cairneross, London; W. Steele, Hyde Park; J. J. Davis, London, and John Moulton, London. Trott got most of the first prizes.

Potatoes.

Potatoes were not as large an entry as is usually the case but the quality was all that could be desired, and on the whole the exhibit was a worthy one. The chief winners were W. R. Trott, J. Trott, J. W. Parkinson, and R. Dengate, all local exhibitors.

Poultry.

Like the rest of the show, the poultry exhibit was the best on record. There were those who pronounced it a better showing than was made at Toronto. London being the centre of a great poultry district and the home of many fanciers, it could not help being a great fight. The entry was larger than ever before, and the quality of the birds good throughout. The utility breeds were strong numerically and individually, and the ornamental classes were filled to overflowing. In Barred Plymouth Rocks, A. Hocken, London, and J. Nash, London, were the chief winners. Some of the other leading winners were : In White Rocks-F. C. Dulmage, Bert A. Andrews, and Geo. Burgess, all of London; in Single-combed Rhode Island Reds-T. A. Faulds, and R. B. Beamish, London; in R. C. Rhode Island Reds, Red Feather Yards, London: in Orpingtons, M. Henderson, Woodstock; in White Wyandottes, F. J. Hind, Toronto, and J. W. Nixon, London; in S. C. White Leghorns, T. Wardell, Woodstock, and Cottrelle & Boag, London; in S. C. Brown Leghorns, Wm. Moore, Lon-don, and J. C. Jones, St. Thomas; in R. C. Brown Leghorns, R. H. Pond, Woodstock, and Ratz Bros., Tavistock; in R. C. White Leghorns, H. Thorne, London; in Ornamentals, Richard Oke, London; in Waterfowl, M. Shantz, Ayr, and C. A. R. Tilt, Doon; in Turkeys, J. Telfer, Milton. Among the judges were such well-known poultry experts as Wm. McNeil, London; L. G. Jarvis, Grimsby; W. Butler, London, and Joe. Bennett, Toronto.

YORKSHIRES.-J. Featherston & Son, Streetsville, had the only herd forward. Always a good herd, it is this year better than ever. Prizes were awarded in the preceding classes by R. H. Harding, Thorndale.

TAMWORTHS .- J. D. Brien, of Ridgetown, Ont., placed the awards on Tamworths, but as there was no completition it was not a hard task. D. Douglas & Sons, of Mitchell, Ont., had the only entries. They were a first-class lot and worthy of keener competition.

CHESTER WHITES.-The herds of D. De Coursey, Mitchell, and W. E. Wright & Son, Glanworth, fought it out again in this breed, with a single entry from Geo. Gould, of Essex.

Awards.—Aged boar: 1, De Coursey; 2, Wright. Boar, yearling: 1 and 3, De Coursey; 2, Wright. Boar, six months: 1, De Coursey; 2 and 3, Wright. Boar, under six months: 1 and 3, Wright; 2, De Coursey. Sow, aged: 1 and 3, Wright; 2, De Coursey. Sow, yearling: 1 and 2, Wright; 3, De Coursey. Sow, six months: 1, Wright; 2, De Coursey; 3, Gould. Sow, under six months: 1 and 3, De Coursey' 2, Wright. Four pigs, get of sire: 1. De Coursey; 2, Wright. Four pigs, progeny of sow: 1, Wright; 2, De Coursey. Boar and three sows: 1, Wright; 2, De Coursey. Champion Boar: De Coursey. Champion sow : Wright.

HAMPSHIRES.-Some of the best individuals of this breed ever seen at London were in the pens this year. The three aged sows were particularly strong.

Exhibitors.-Hastings Bros., Crosshill; A. O'Neil, Birr.

Awards.-In aged boars, yearling boars, six months' old boars, and in aged sows, Hastings Bros. had no competition. Boar, under six months : 1 and 3, Hastings; 2, O'Neil. Sow, yearling : 1 and 2, Hastings; 3, O'Neil. Sow, six under six months: 1, O'Neil; 2 and 3, Hastings. Sow, under six months: 1, 2 and 3, Hastings. Four pigs, not of circles 1, 2 and 3, Hastings. Four pigs, get of sire : 1, Hastings; 2, O'Neil. Four pigs,

Grain.

The show of seed grain was all that any one could desire, but the principal winners were few in number, the same men getting nearly all the money offered in the different classes. The entry was fairly large and competition keen throughout. The chief exhibitors were R. P. Wilson, Sheridan; Michael Brethow, St. Marys; D. R. Palmer & Son, Thorndale; Wm. McCutcheon, Glencoe; W. E. Wright & Son, Glanworth; Wm. Gould, Glencoe; Wm. Taylor, Glanworth; R. H. Tuckey, Hyde Park; W. H. Beattie, Wilton Grove; Oliver Heatherington, London, and J. W. Parkinson, London.

Awards.-Wheat, red winter: 1, Wilson; 2, Brethow; 3, Palmer. Wheat, white winter: 1, McCutcheon; 2, Brethow; 3, Wilson. Wheat, spring: 1, Wilson; 2, Brethow; 3, Palmer. Wheat, any new variety: 1, Wilson; 2, Brethow;

Buttermaking Competition.

Much interest was taken in the buttermaking as usual, and a good product was turned out and scores were close.

Awards.-Amateur class : 1, Mrs. Walter Hill, Parkhill; 2, Miss M. Bryden, Puslinch; 3, R. C. Young, Tambling's Corners; 4, Miss M. Warner, Young, Tambling's Corners; 4, Miss M. Warner, Tambling's Corners. Free for all: 1, Miss L. B. Gregory, Ilderton; 2, Miss M. Bryden, Pus-linch; 3, Isabel Cole, Tavistock; 4, Mrs. Walter Hill, Parkhill; 5, R. C. Young, Tambling's Corn-ers; 6, Miss M. Warner, Tambling's Corners. Sweepstakes class: 1, Miss Isabel Cole; 2, Miss M. Warner; 3, R. C. Young; fourth, fifth and sixth prizes divided between Miss L. B. Gregory, Mrs. Walter Hill. and Miss M. Bryden. Mrs. Walter Hill, and Miss M. Bryden.