

ber of very choice animals appeared before the critical eye of the judge, Dr. Quinn, of Brampton, Ont. Bryson, a seal brown, with a 2.15 record, stood first, while Sharper, last year's winner, a well-known, much-thought-of animal, came second, with College Chum, a pacer, third, and Damo, a horse with Hackney action, fourth. In the three-year-old class, Judge Geers, who won last year, again got the award. In brood mares, last year's winners were reversed, Fifa being first, with Stonewall Maid second, and Casey third. In yearling fillies, Robt. Park's chestnut got first, and Thos. Scott's Atwell Ladybird second. The foals were very good and received the same awards as their dams. C. W. Speers' Bryson captured prizes in the stallion any age class, and also two sucking colts and a four-year-old, the latter coming in first for stallion and his get. The special prize given by the Horse Breeders' Association of Manitoba was won by Fifa.

In most of the ROADSTER classes there were numerous entries, but the brood mare and foal sections were only singly represented, Wm. Shaw being owner of both. In two-year-olds, the R. I. M. Power entry, the get of Hard Lines, came first, and A. D. Gamley second and third. Nesta, a very sweet, clean-cut yearling, led, followed by Miss Reta, of pacing blood; the third going to L. Nelles' entry, an animal of good action but slightly heavy in the neck.

In pairs to harness there were seven entries, many of them good movers, well gotten up and showing considerable action, T. B. MacDonald's well-matched black team leading, closely followed by Thos. Scott's bays of good type. Henry Boyle's four-year colts came third. The latter possess good quality, but require more handling.

The singles, as usual, were a strong class, size, speed, style and shape being well represented. Dr. Hinman's Barker, a speedy mover, of good action, ranked first, with Ethel Kirk, a fine chestnut, second, and Greg Barrett's entry third.

The CARRIAGE class, with the exception of the two harness sections, was not very largely represented. The Thornhill Horse Co. took first in the stallion class with a very good German Coacher. In brood mares, Geo. Moffat, with an individual of good type and splendid carriage, came first, second going to Aaron McLean's entry, a rather coarsely-bred general-purpose animal. B. Hill's black filly, sired by a French Coacher, topped the three-year class; D. Hamilton's entry second, and J. Wishart's third. L. Nelles' chestnut, a smooth animal of good quality, was the only entry in the two-year-olds. Nelles also took first in yearlings, and Aaron McLean in the foal class.

In the double harness class there were five entries, the first place being given to J. A. Mitchell's well-matched chestnuts, a team of good action and good parts. W. Wilton's bays, a well-matched, showy team with very good action, came second, and D. Fraser & Sons' iron grays, a fine team, but not equal to the others in action, came third.

In single drivers, the honors were awarded to Wilton, Fraser & Sons, and Moorhead, in the order named.

The showing of HACKNEYS was very light; scarcely any competition, except in the four-year-old stallion class, where there were four entries of good quality and varied conformation, making it a difficult matter for the judge to so award the prizes that the approval of good horsemen would be commanded. Blackfoot, by Robin Adair 2nd, an individual of good type, grand limbs and fair action, but a shade light in the body, came first; Carbine II., a horse of good substance and action, came second, and False Heir, last year's winner, a horse with plenty of quality, good action and a getter of high-class stock, well up in years, with abundance of life, came third. Stewart & McLean's Confident Squire, a dark brown of grand body, good limbs and plenty of action, who took sweepstakes last year, was unplaced, causing considerable comment. More such horses would be a credit to this country. A. J. Moore got almost all the balance of Hackney prizes with his grand collection of principally young stock, six firsts being awarded him. J. Wishart got second in yearling filly class, and J. R. Thompson's Blackfoot won the diploma for best stallion any age.

THOROUGHBREDS.—In stallion class, four years or over, there were but three shown, and Dermod, last year's winner, a horse of almost perfect form, again came to the front, closely followed by Hard Lines, a splendid fellow, of serviceable type and favorably known; third place going to King Kalmar.

In three-year-old stallions there was but one entry, King of the West, and not being of choice quality he was awarded second prize.

Brood mares being called, two were brought out, Penza Marie, a very neat bay, claiming first, while The Witch, from Speculator (imp.), got second.

J. A. Mitchell's yearling filly, a well-grown, clean-limbed, likely-looking animal, with plenty of substance, was the only entry in this class. She was awarded first, which she richly deserved.

The sweepstakes and progeny prizes both went to Hard Lines.

SADDLE HORSES.—This class was very well represented. In stallion class best calculated to produce saddle horses and army remounts, Golden Lake (imp.), a strong, active fellow of right type, came first, closely followed by C. Tudge's entry. D. Fraser & Sons got the three-year-old prize, and J. Hunter the two-year-old.

There were six entries in the section 15½ hands, G. H. V. Pickering, D. Campbell and R. G. Watson winning in order named. Under 15½ hands went to T. Scott, J. W. McLaughlin and G. Barrett. The saddle and harness section was keenly contested by six able-looking, muscular animals, first going to H. Kealey, and second and third to J. A. Mitchell.

PONIES.—This class was well represented, Chas. Cuthbert, Mrs. F. J. Thompson, W. L. Puxley, O. W. Bailey and Garry Peebles contributing the winners.

#### SWINE.

Although it has been amply proved that pork of good quality can be profitably produced on the by-products of the wheat farm, this industry grows but slowly in Manitoba, and it will probably be years yet before we produce sufficient pork for home consumption. While the number of entries in the swine class have not shown any material increase for the past few years, there is a marked increase in the number of bacon-type hogs this year, the Yorkshires and Tamworths exceeding all other breeds combined, the Tamworths being slightly in the lead. The comparative strength of the breeds numerically was: Tamworths, 53 entries; Yorkshires, 49; Berkshires, 38; all other breeds, 36. The exhibit of bacon hogs was disappointingly small, there being no entries in the grade class and only three in the pure-bred class.



ROYAL DUKE 75509.

Shorthorn bull. First and champion, Royal Show, Carlisle.  
THE PROPERTY OF HIS MAJESTY THE KING, ROYAL FARMS, WINDSOR.

Prof. J. J. Ferguson, of the Michigan Agricultural College, judged all classes of hogs, in most cases sticking pretty close to breed type, and giving general satisfaction.

BERKSHIRES.—A very good representation of this standard breed was made from the herds of Hon. Thos. Greenway, Crystal City; J. A. McGill, Neepawa; H. L. McDiarmid, Jas. M. Ewens, Minnedosa; and A. B. Potter, Montgomery. The general character and quality of the animals shown was commendable. In the section for boars two years and over, Greenway's Victor, a lengthy, deep-sided, smooth-shouldered hog, standing well on good limbs and of excellent type and quality, was a clear winner of first position, and was later declared the male champion of the class. McGill's Lord Eden, a boar of good form and quality, was awarded second prize. In the section for yearling boars, the first and third prizes went to the entries of F. W. Brown, the second to Ewen's Emperor, and fourth to McDiarmid's Headingly Bill. Boars over six and under twelve months were led by Greenway's Willow Lodge Model, a smooth, lengthy, but somewhat light-boned pig; second place being given to Ewen's King Edward, third to his Prince of Wales, and fourth to Potter's entry. In boars of the calendar year, McGill came to the top with Perfection, a capital pig, of first-rate type and quality. The same exhibitor had the second winner, and Potter the third. In an excellent class of breeding sows two years or over, Greenway's old-time winner, Daisy, by King Highclere, came to the front again, looking fresh and smooth, though a regular breeder, and was also awarded the sweepstakes as best sow any

age in the class. Ewen's Jubilee Belle, a good, useful sort of sow, shown in breeding condition, having just weaned a litter, came into second place; third prize went to Greenway's Brant Queen, and fourth to McGill's Lady Gertrude. In a very good class of yearling sows, the Greenway herd supplied the first-prize winner in Countess of Prairie Home, by Victor, a sow of excellent type, with a capital back, and full of good flesh and quality. Second award was given to McGill's Highclere Sisson, a decision not easily followed, this entry being short in her quarters and not too good on her legs, the third-prize sow, Greenway's Prairie Flower, by Gen. White, being generally considered of better type and quality. In sows six months and under a year, the same discrepancy puzzled the onlookers, the first-prize pig, shown by Ewen, being of the short, wide type, while the other three, from the Greenway pens, were lengthy and conformed fairly well to the bacon type. For the best sow of the calendar year, McGill won first with a very good one, and F. W. Brown got second and third for young things of good stamp. For sow and litter under four months, Brown won first and McGill second award. For the herd prize for boar and three females, the latter bred in Manitoba, the first prize went to Greenway, second to McGill, third to Ewens. For herd of four sows, any age, Greenway scored first, McGill second, Ewens third.

YORKSHIRES.—For the first time in the history of the Industrial, the swine pens were invaded by an exhibitor from south of the international boundary. Mr. Thos. H. Canfield, Lake Park, Minn., brought in a magnificent exhibit and had the satisfaction of capturing the majority of the red tickets. In the aged-boar class, his famous \$700 boar, Summer Hill Victor 6th, was

an easy first. He was bred by D. C. Flatt, sired by Look-Me-Over, out of a Josephine sow, a hog of immense scale, weighing in the neighborhood of 900 lbs. He stands well on his feet, and, although perhaps not quite as fresh-looking as when shown at the Pan-American last September, he is certainly a wonderful specimen of the breed. The "Advocate" representative, reporting the Yorkshire class at the Buffalo fair, thus referred to Victor 6th: "This hog was the center of admiration for swine breeders, and is admittedly the best of the breed ever seen on this continent, being straight and smooth in all lines, standing well on the best of timber, showing indications of strong constitution, having great length and depth of body and the finest quality

of flesh and hair. He is, indeed, a credit to the breed and breeder, and should add greatly to the character of the herd in which he was produced and in which he is to be one of the leading sires." Andrew Graham, Pomeroy, had in this class a good second in the imported boar, Summer Hill Premier; while A. B. Potter, of Montgomery, Assa., was third on a hog of his own breeding. In the yearling class, Mr. Greenway's (Crystal City) Summer Hill Monarch, a half-brother to the Canfield sweepstakes boar, being by Flatt's Look-Me-Over, was first. Graham's North Bruce Justice, a much younger hog, and not brought out in good condition, was second. One of the strongest classes was that for boars under a year. Canfield's imported Dalmeny King, bred by the Earl of Roseberry, by Borrowfield Wantell King, out of a Sunbeam sow, was given the pride of place. He is pretty near a model hog, having good depth of side, well-turned hams, stands well on capital legs, with light head and jowl, a well-placed ear, and, withal, possesses wonderful quality. His skin is fine, and not, as with many of this breed, inclined to thickness. Greenway's Defender, by Summer Hill Dreyfus, made a good second; H. L. McDiarmid, Headingly, stood third, with a boar of Jas. Bray's breeding, and Graham fourth on a son of his imported stock hog. The calendar year boar class was an uneven one. Potter had forward a couple of good pigs, but had to content himself with second and third places, first going to Canfield, on a pig with a long, coarse head and badly gone at the knees. Six aged sows of remarkable excellence made a most interesting ring. An imported sow of Earl of Roseberry's breeding, from the Canfield pens,