

Prize Winning Ayrshire herd, 1 bull and 4 females. Shown by Robert Reford, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Que.

calving. Second went to D. McCrae for Polly of Durhamhill, bred by the Earl of Galloway, Gartleston, Scotland, and third to Semiamis 36th; bred by exhibitor. For three-year-olds Shaw & Marston had a good thick heifer first and she was awarded the medal for best female. She is Belle B. 2nd 16890, by College Gambler. For two-year-olds D. McCrae had first for Lismore Lady 18491, a well-haired and well-shaped heifer which has already raised a good calf, and second for the imported heifer "Molly of Kilquhanity," a winner in Scotland. There were four good yearlings out. D. McCrae had the larger animals, while Shaw & Marston had first and third for smaller, fatter animals of good shape. There was a good class of heifer calves. The contest for silver medal for best female was between the three-year-old Belle B. 2nd, and Lismore Lady, the former the larger and the latter the neater of the pair. The medal went to Shaw & Marston for the former. Altogether the show of Galloways was a good one and creditable to the exhibitors.

Dairy Cattle.

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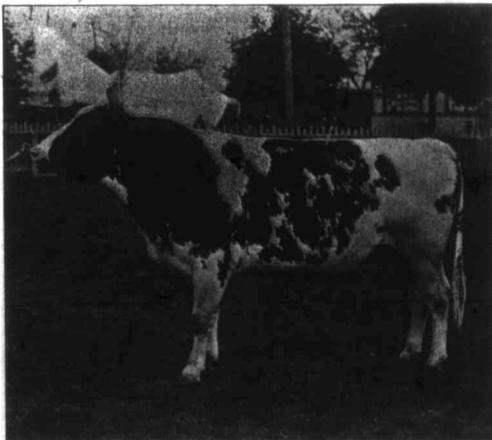
Strong in number, and unexcelled in quality was the exhibit of dairy cattle, and at five o'clock on Friday morning the ring was filled with the well groomed competitors from the different herds of the various dairy breeds. The Ayrshires led in numbers, being 125 strong, and characterized by such a uniform excellence of quality, as to call for the keenest discrimination in the awarding of honors. The herd of Robt. Reford, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, P.Q., carried off the largest number of trophies, winning seventeen prizes, among them being five firsts. The herd of A. Hume & Co., Menie, Ont., took second place, winning nine, and Messrs. Wm. Stewart & Sons and Robt. Hunter & Sons dividing with eight prizes each. Five trophies were won by Mr. J. G. Clark, of Ottawa, and the herd from the Dentonia Park Farm brought up the rear with only three, but they were three good ones, and one

of them was the sweepstake, triumphantly carried off by the splendid dairy cow, "The Lost Chord of Dentonia."

In the class for bulls the prize was awarded to a representative of the herd of W. W. Ogilvie, Lachine Rapids, Que., exhibited by Mr. R. Hunter. This animal, "Black Prince of Whitehill," was bred on the farm of Robt. Woodburn, Whitehill, Scotland, and is of the finest type and quality, a splendid show ring animal, dark brown and white in color. Stewart & Sons' "Hover a' Bling" was a close competitor, a nice pleasing active fellow, white and red in color and a very good handler. Third place was given to Comrade's Heir of Glenora, from the herd of Mr. J. G. Clark, of Ottawa, and it is saving a good deal for the winners in this class to remark that after careful deliberation on the part of the judges they were given the precedence of the choice herd bull A1 of Dentonia, from the Dentonia Park Farm. Keener and closer, if possible, was the competition in

the two-year-old class, when Howie's Fizzaway from the Reford herd was led in beside Lessnessock's King of Beauty and Polar Star, from the herds of Messrs. Hunter & Smith. Of equally good appearance was another bull from the Reford herd and Dairyman of Glenora, exhibited by N. Dymont, and it was anybody's prize from the onlooker's point of view until the final award was made, giving first place to King of Beauty, second to Howie's Fizzaway, third to Polar Star and fourth to White Baron, the second from the Reford herd.

Honors for year olds went to Lessnessock Royal Star, from the Hume herd, second to R. Hunter's First Choice of Glenora, third to Reford's Glenclair of Ste. Anne, and fourth to W. Stewart's Rob Roy, an animal of quality as good as the best, though somewhat smaller. In bull calves under one year honors again went to the Ogilvie herd, which will be remembered as the winners of the highest honors here last year, the splendid little fellow Sensation of Glenora easily taking first place. He has great size for his age. The second winner Lord Lionel from the herd of A. Hume being of good quality, but smaller. W. Stewart's Heather Lee ranked third, the fourth place being taken by Sir Oliver of Woodroof, from the herd of J. Clark of Ottawa. There were 22 competitors in this class and a more creditable company of representatives seldom do more credit to any breed or exhibit than the goodly company of young Ayrshires which entered in this class at the show ring this year. In the class of later than June 1st first place was given to Reford's Right Away of Ste. Anne, a fine white calf with red cheeks, with Lord Eamey from the Hume herd



Prize Winning Ayrshire bull, Royal Star. Shown by A. Hume & Co., Menie, Ont.