

SILVER MAID OF HOWICK 7043.
First-prize cow and sweepstakes female in the Ayrshire class at the Winnipeg Industrial
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HORSES.

To be numbered with the events that are past, and yet remembered with pleasure by lovers of equine magnificence is the Toronto Industrial of 1902. "That horseless age we shall never see," said an enthusiastic visitor, as he spoke the mind of hundreds who daily encircled the busy little ring down by the beach. Never in the history of Canada's big show was there such an excellent exhibit of horses. Years there may have been when the quality was almost equal to that just closed, but at no time was the number so large nor the competition in many classes more keen. The strong demand which has existed during the last few years for good horses of all kinds has resulted in the importation of large numbers of excellent specimens. Some of the best blood of Great Britain has been purchased, regardless of price, and has found its way to this country, the outcome being the worthy spectacle presented at this show. No fewer than 1,192 entries were made, an advance over last year of nearly 300. The judging of the important classes began on Friday, Sept. 5th, and lasted for one week. To Chairman of Committee, W. E. Wellington, is due special credit for the manner in which the entire show was carried on. Telephone connection with the barns provided means of calling each class in good time, and when delay occurred it was oftener the fault of the exhibitors than anyone else. Occasionally the judges were not as prompt as such brainy officials should be, and their absence caused no end of annoyance to those in charge. The Superintendent was constantly in his stand by the ing-side, and throughout the show was untiring in his efforts to have all difficulties amicably adjusted.

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CLYDESDALES.—In Clydes, imported or Canadian-bred, the usual large entry was made, and the showing was indeed a most creditable one. A few animals, however, having landed but recently from the long sea voyage, did not come out in as good form as would be desired, and consequently went away without the honors which they otherwise might have won. In most classes two distinct types of the breed were to be seen; one somewhat bony, upstanding and rangy; the other short-legged and more compact. It was therefore not surprising that the decision of the judges, — E. W. Charlton, Duncrief, and Peter Christie, Manchester, was not at all times unanimously accepted by the onlookers. However, their work was, as a rule, satisfactory, and we believe at least conscientiously performed. In the section for aged stallions, eight horses entered the ring, and with one or two exceptions, a grand lot they were. The only previous inner to again appear in this class was Graham Bros.' Burnbrae, who secured the blue one year ago. This horse was thought by some to be a sure champion, but although an animal of excellent character, he was obliged to again take second place, being beaten by Young Macqucen [2290], bred by R. B. Ogilvie, Madison, Wis., and shown by Richmond Hill Horse Breeders' Association, a smooth-bodied, deep-chested, well-muscled son of that noted sire, Macqucen [462]. His feet and legs were of the finest quality, and he handled himself with good grace. He later won as sweepstakes male, Peerless (10832), recently imported by Wm. Colquhoun, a well-built, and well-balanced four-year-old horse, sired by the noted Mains of Airies, was greatly admired by breeders for his grand quality of bone and his true action. He

was, of course, not in condition to show to advantage so soon after landing, and had to take third, but with another year's growth and preparation he will make it interesting for all comers. Scottish Celt (imp.), the property of Geo. Clayton, Peepabun, was placed fourth. The three-year-olds were no less interesting than the former, eight of the twelve entries competing for the much-coveted honors, it being no easy task to choose the winners. After considerable deliberation, the red was given to Wm. Colquhoun's Imp. Prince Fragrance (11460), a big, strong colt, of capital conformation and with plenty of bone of good quality. Second prize went to Graham

Bros.' Bucephalus (imp.), and third to Canada's Pride (ipp.), a compact animal, of splendid Clyde type, owned by T. Rafter, Jr., Arthur. Robt. Ness, of Howich, Que., came in fourth place with Laurentian, bred by exhibitor, and sired by Laurence Again. In two-year-olds there was a battle royal. Here all the leading breeders met, and in this class, perhaps more than any other, were the two distinct types heretofore mentioned. The judges, realizing the responsibility of their position, deliberated at great length, until those interested were becoming impatient. Finally, however, they decided to give Dalgety Bros., London, first award, on Fidelity, a big, strong-boned colt of the upstanding conformation, recently imported, and second to the same exhibitors, on Mosstrooper Champion, another of their late importation, an enviable record in such company. Fidelity was subsequently sold to Capt. T. E. Robson and W. W. Robson, of Ilderton. Third went to Bawden & McDonnell, Exeter, for Golden Charm; while Robt. Ness' short-legged, heavy-bodied, well-built Imp. Cecil by Macara, the Ottawa champion, was turned down. It was evidently a matter of type, but the judges were open to criticism for having digressed in this class. Had the latter colt been placed high up in the prize list no mistake would have been made. The yearlings were scarcely so numerous as the previous sections, but a few magnificent specimens were forthcoming. John W. Cowie, Markham, was fortunate in securing first with a son of the great Macqueen, out of Nellie Rosewood. Second went to Robt. Davies' Brave Washop; and third to Royal Charger, by Royal Cairnton, owned by John Miller & Son, Brougham.

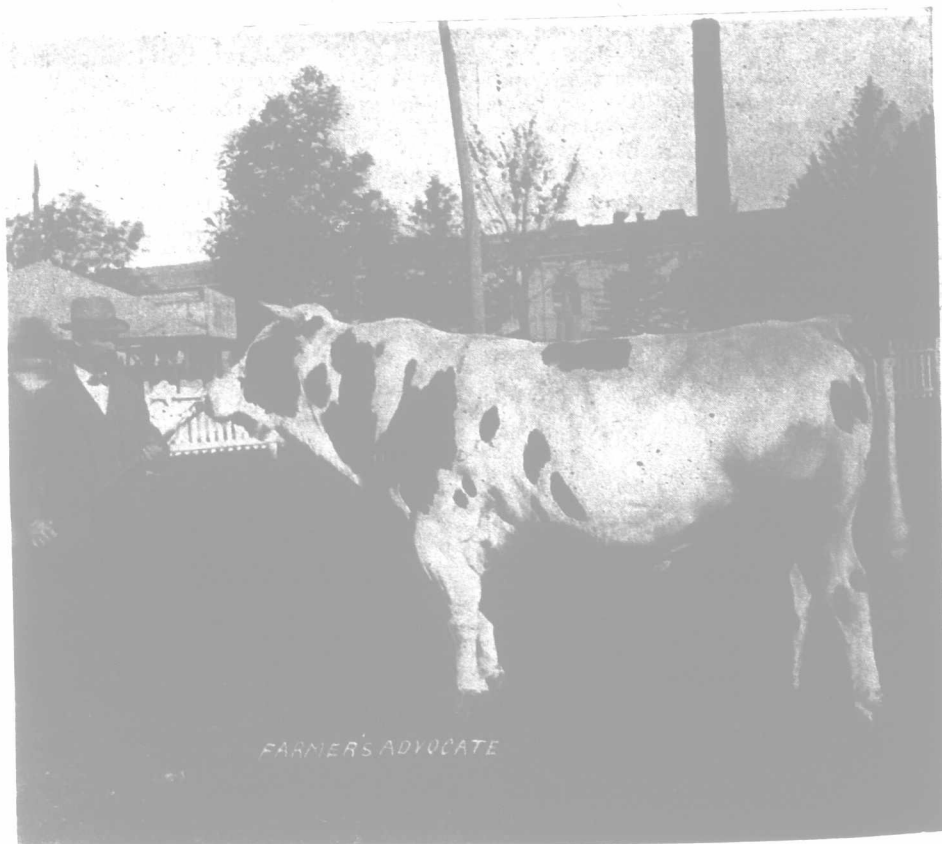
In mares, fillies and foals, the entries were not particularly numerous, but considerable quality was to be seen. Mares with foal of same breed by side brought out four. Hodgkinson & Tisdale, Beaverton, being the lucky winners, with Royal Princess, by Royal Standard. Her foal by Old Macqueen also captured the red. Second prize went to Queen Bell, owned by Robt. Davies; and third to John W. Cowie's first-prize winner of last year, Nellie Rosewood, by Lord Wellington. The latter mare was accompanied by the second-prize foal, Scotland's Glory, sired by Burnbrae. Robt. Davies' colt by Lyon Macgregor and out of Queen Bell got third place. The two-year-old fillies were shown by Hodgkinson & Tisdale, Bawden & McDonnell, and Robt. Davies, the prizes being awarded in the

order named. Robt. Davies captured first on fillies one year old, Hodgkinson & Tisdale second, and Wm. Rae, St. Paul's Station, third. For mare with two of her progeny, Hodgkinson & Tisdale, with Royal Princess and her offspring, were the only exhibitors, but the quality of these individuals was sufficient to win in strong company. In the section for best gelding or mare hitched to cart or wagon, Graham Bros. brought out King Rose and Moss Rose 2nd, a grand pair, having great depth and breadth of body and heavy bone of fair quality, and although winning in the order named, they were closely followed by Lucknow, owned by D. A. Murray, Bennington. Moss Rose also won the sweepstakes for best Clyde mare.

Clyde mare.

SHIRES.—This grand old class of English draft horses came out this year stronger than ever. Bowden & McDonnell, Exeter, and Morris & Wellington, Fonthill, were the largest exhibitors, the latter having recently made large importations of high-priced stock, and the showing made by this enterprising firm would do credit to any exhibition either on this continent or elsewhere. The task of placing the ribbons was given to Jno. Bright, Myrtle, and Jno. T. Gibson, Denfield, both men of considerable experience in the show-ring.

men of considerable experience in the show ring. In aged stallions, Bawden & McDonnell's famous imported Belshazzar was alone, and although the hero of many contests, is still in good form. The section for three-year-old stallions had two entries, J. M. Gardhouse's Newnham Duke, imported last year by Bawden & McDonnell, and Milo 2nd (imp.), owned by A. E. King, Crediton. These were placed in the order named. Newnham Duke was afterwards awarded the sweepstakes and also the gold medal granted by the English Shire Association. This stylish young horse when imported, less than one year ago, by Bawden & McDonnell, was scarcely expected to become such a strong figure in the ring of 1902. His recent victory was consequently a sensational feature of the show. The section for two-year-old stallions had four entries, Morris & Wellington having the winner in Bank Statesman, a recent importation and a royal good one, well quartered, with a smooth body and splendid quality throughout. Second prize went to Baron Kitchener, an evenly-balanced, Indiana-bred colt of good pattern, shown by J. & E. Chinnick, Chatham; and third to Bawden & McDonnell's April Fool, of their recent importation, a big fellow, of massive bone and possessing good Shire character. It was in the yearlings that Morris & Wellington came out strongest, having two entries, both exceedingly good ones. First went to General Favorite, a beautiful black, with fine head and neck, strong back and a splendid set of legs of grand quality, probably the best Shire colt seen in this country for some time. He was winner in his class and reserve for sweepstakes at the Royal Show at Carlisle this year, a record which speaks volumes for his excellence. Although a yearling, his chances were thought by some to be strong for sweepstakes, and had he been somewhat older, Newnham Duke would have had a still closer call for that honor. Second prize went to his stable mate, Coronation, also a good one, but somewhat excelled by the former in style and general breed character. H. A. Gardhouse, Highfield, came third with a nice breedy colt, fit to win in ordinarily good company.



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First prize and champion Holstein bull, Toronto Industrial Exhibition, 1902.
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