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ORDER NOW.

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of Saskatoon, got the first in the two-year-old-stallion class. C. Head and W. Carruthers also showed some fine Percheron horses.

A strong class of Belgians was shown and the stock of L. and G. Hatchagale got most of the prizes.

The heavy draft teams had thirteen entries, and was one of the most evenly contested classes of the whole fair. After much deliberation the judges lined them up as follows: 1, Thorburn and Riddle; 2, Staples Bros.; 3 and 4, Thorburn and Riddle; 5, E. D. Swarder; 6, R. H. Brown.

The Cattle, Sheep and Swine Show

The cattle show was a very fair one. Some of the principal exhibitors were: D. Caswell; A. J. Watson and Sons, Oxbow, Sask.; P. Leach and Sons, Baring; J. A. Rae, Warman; J. D. McGregor, Brandon, Man.; S. Heal. McGregor had the best beef animal any age, steer or grade heifer, also best three steers calved since Jan. 1, 1915.

The sheep and swine exhibits were very much like those at Regina. Competition was keen and numbers and quality very fair.

The calf-feeding and pig-feeding competitions attracted a great deal of attention, and drew many complimentary remarks from the spectators. Although the classes were not exceptionally large, the quality and finish of the steers was far better than in previous years. In the calf-feeding competition the first prize in the class calved in 1916 was won by Sam Heal, of Brandon, Man., with an Aberdeen Angus calf. When asked how he reared the calves and what he considered to be the most important things to remember in feeding prize-winning stock, Sam said:—

"First, you must have a good dam and sire to get a good start from. Care and attention does the rest. Regularity of feeding is one of the most important things, and one must tend to his calves at the right time whether he feels like it or not. It is also important not to overfeed the calves, for if they start to scour they lose at least a week's growth. I wean the calves when they are about a week old and feed them all kinds of stuff, because they will eat more if the feed is not all of one kind. I feed my calves chops, mangels, turnips, oil-cake, calf-meat, hay, sheaves, green feed, rolled oats, whole oats, bran and boiled barley."

The second and third prizes were won by Clifford Watson and Wesley Watson, respectively, of Oxbow, Sask. They were sorry the red ribbon went out of the province and intend to bring in better stock next year. Their calves were grade Shorthorns, sired by a pure-bred Shorthorn bull. They fed their calves on flax-seed, chops and hay. The Watson boys are in grade six and eight in the Arthur School near Oxbow.

The fourth and fifth prizes went to the calves reared and fattened by Philip Leech, Jr., and his brother, Albert Leech, respectively, of Baring, near Grenfell, Sask. The Leech boys fed a lot of oil-cake, because, when compared as to its feeding value, it was as cheap as most of the common feeds. They also had grade steers sired by a Shorthorn bull.

The Boys' Pig-feeding Competition was very keen, and a great deal of popular interest was shown in the decision of the judges. The awards were made as follows: 1, P. Leech, Baring, Sask.; 2, H. S. Skinner, Indian Head; 3, Roberta E. Scott, Saskatoon; 4, Kenneth Burton, Viscount; 5, D. H. Welker, Sutherland; 6, F. C. Staples, Saskatoon; 7, D. R. Staples, Saskatoon; 8, Howard Hepburn, Cheviot; 9, Gordon McKay, Saskatoon; 10, Bob McKay, Saskatoon; 11, Harry Whitehead, Nutana.

Another of the strong features of the Winter Fair was the very large number of entries and the excellent quality of the exhibits in the poultry classes. In all there were 1,509 entries in the various classes of poultry. This number is much larger than last year, and would undoubtedly have been at least two thousand had it not been for the Edmonton and Calgary Winter Fairs, which were on at the same time. The accommodation for the birds was taxed to the utmost, and more entries would have necessitated additional accommodation facilities.

Are YOUR Plows Ready for the Spring Work?

Now is the time to make sure everything is in shape for a quick start after the spring thaw—this year particularly. Steel and iron are scarce, and rush shipments cannot be handled by the overcrowded railroads. So the best time to pick your plow for spring use is now.

Tests in the Field Prove the Quality of U.G.G. Plows

They turn a cleaner furrow and are lighter in draft than most other plows. This is because of their rigid construction and perfect design. To make sure of closed joints, each part of the share is first fitted to a model; and then the whole is welded together by a special process to make sure that all joints are tight-fitting and rigid.

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