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ward with last year's champion, Lady third and fourth to Douglas, the latter Frost, a 1,000-lb. wonder, reckoned pair having a bit more size and slightly to be the most perfect Yorkshire sow alive, less quality. Best boar and two sows.she, of course, again winning first and Douglas, first, third and fourth, and championship. Second was also won by Morrow, second. Four pigs under six the same firm; while third went to months, the get of one boar.-German, Featherstone, and fourth to Wilson. Sow first; Douglas, second. Four pigs under over eighteen months and under two six months, the produce of one sow.years .- First and second, Flatt; third and German, first; Douglas, second. Judgefourth, Featherstone. Sow over twelve J. C. Nicoll, Hubrey. and under eighteen months.-First, Flatt; second, Wilson; third and fourth, Featherstone. Sow over six and under twelve months .-- First, second and third, Flatt; each quite distinct from the other, which fourth, Wilson. Sow under six months. -First, second and third, Flatt; fourth, Featherstone. Best boar and two sows any age.— Flatt. Four pigs under six months, the get of one boar.— Flatt. The same, the produce of one sow .--Flatt. Judges-W. Jones, Zenda, and R. J. Garbut, Belleville.

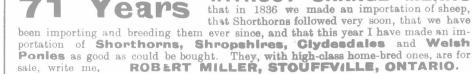
TAMWORTHS .- Like the Yorkshires, the Tamworths were never out so strong as this year. This is partly due to several importations made this year, notably that of Mr. A. C. Hallman, of Breslau, and R. O. Morrow, of Hilton. The interest manifested by the onlookers as the various sections came out for inspection shows that the Tamworths are still the prime favorites with a large percentage of farmers generally; and the class of hogs on exhibition this year were such as to very materially increase their popularity. Boar two years and over brought out a massive lot of deep, lengthy hogs. First prize went to 900-pounder, the property of R. O. Morrow, Hilton, a new exhibitor, but, judging from the class of stuff brought out at this, his maiden effort, he will prove a formidable opposition to the older and more experienced exhibitors. Second went to an 800-pounder, the > property of Herbert German, St. George; while third was placed on one equally as large, belonging to Charles Currie, Morriston, and fourth to the noted Tamworth breeders, D. Douglas & Sons, Mitchell. This is the first time for some years that the Messrs. Douglas have lost the aged-boar class, and was probably due to over-confidence and not enough attention to fitting. Boar over eighteen months and under two years .- This class brought out an exceptionally strong showing, Douglas winning first and second, afterwards winning championship with the first-prize boar; R. O. Morrow, third, and Herbert German, fourth. Boar over twelve and under eighteen months .--Douglas again brought out the winner, with A. C. Hallman a very close second, on a newly-imported arrival; while third went to Morrow, and fourth to Currie. Boar over six and under twelve months. -In this section, Morrow again came to the front with a rare nice, smooth young hog; Douglas, second; Hallman, third, Currie, fourth. Boar under six and months.-Here was one of the strongest sections of the breed, and certainly anyone at all prejudiced against the bacon reds must undergo a change of mind after looking over this lot. Douglas landed first and third; German, second, and Hallman, fourth. Sow two years and over.-In this class, massiveness and buth wore the predominating features. an exceedingly high-class lot; but the fitting showed the two extremes. Some showed the result of previous overfitting, and others would have stood considerable more. Douglas landed first and second, and, afterwards, sweepstakes, on the first-prize sow: Morrow, third, and Currie, fourth. Sow over eighteen months and under two years .- This, too, was a very strong lot, among which was this year's Royal winner, but lately landed, and necessarily out of show condition, but a rare good one she is, and should have gone higher, being placed third, the property of R. O. Morrow, Douglas winning first and second, the first being an exceedingly choice sow. Fourth went to Charles Currie. Sow over twelve and under eighteen months .--Here, again, was a very choice lot, first prize going to Hallman, on a newly-imported sow that had a litter at foot, imported in dam; second and third to Douglas, and fourth to Currie, any of which are show sows of a high order. Sow over six and under twelve months .--This section. by some of the ring-side talent, was pronounced the strongest of any of the various sections, and certainly carried a heap of honor to C. Currie, who won first, second and third, and Douglas, fourth. Sow under six months. -First and second went to German, and came up to pray.-[Cleveland Leader.

OTHER DISTINCT BREEDS .- This heading is certainly comprehensive in its scope, as there are several breeds of hogs, it includes, and each one having their full quota of admirers, prominent among which might be mentioned the Chester Whites, a breed almost exclusively raised in a great many sections of country, and a breed that certainly has a great many qualities to recommend them, one of the greatest being, if we are to judge by the representatives at this year's show, is the almost phenomenal growth some of them presented, particularly in the under-six-months and under-twelvemonths classes; but, then, as someone remarked, it is probably only due to the time when some breeders start to reckon the age of their pigs from, generally some easily-remembered day, as Christmas or Thanksgiving day, for the six-months ones; but here in competition were the Chester Whites, Essex and Hampshire Belted, the latter being entirely new to most of the spectators, but if those present are a fair sample of the breed, they cannot fail to grow in favor with a great many people. The exhibitors were: W. E. Wright, Glanworth, and D. DeCourcey, Barnholm, with Chester Whites; J. Featherstone & Son, Streetsville, with Black English Essex, and Hastings Bros., Crosshill, with the Hampshire Belted. Boar two years and over .- De-Courcey, first; Featherstone, second. Boar over one year and under two .--Wright, first; Hastings Bros., second; Featherstone, third. Boar over six months and under twelve. --DeCourcey, first; Featherstone, second, and Hastings Bros., third. Boar under six months.-DeCourcey, first and second; Wright, third. Sow two years and over. -Wright, first; DeCourcey, second and third. Sow eighteen months and under two years .- Decourcey, first and third; Featherstone, second. Sow one year and under eighteen months.-DeCourcey, first and second; Featherstone, third. Sow over six months and under twelve.-De-Courcey, first and second; Featherstone, third. Sow under six months .--Hastings, first; Wright, second; De-Courcey, third. Best boar and two sows, same breed.—DeCourcey, first;

Wright, second; Featherstone, third. EXPORT BACON HOGS. - Sweepstakes, first, third and fifth, D. C. Flatt & Son, on Yorkshires; second, D. Douglas & Sons, on Tamworths; fourth, J. Featherstone & Son, on Yorkshires. Judges-W. Jones and R. J. Garbut.

## TRADE TOPIC.

THE SEPARATOR NEWS for autumn will be ready for distribution September 15th, and tells about farm separating, especially the Tubular separator; illustrated in colors; offers catalogues, 'Business Dairying," match-holders, mirrors, pictures, also tells about the piano competition open to buyers of Tubulars during 1907. It is free to those asking for Three illuminated post cards will be it. sent to those who send the names of two other persons, interested in dairying, who do not own Tubular separators. Write The Sharples Separator Company, West Chester, Pa.





WITHOUT CHANGE MEANS

A revival meeting was in progress, and Sister Jones was called upon for testimony. Being meek and humble, she said: ' I do not feel as though I should stand here and give testimony. I have been a transgressor for a good many years, and have only recently seen the light. I believe that my place is in a dark corner behind the door."

Brother Smith was next called upon for his testimony, and, following the example set by Sister Jones, said: "I, too, have been a sinner for more than forty years, and I do not think it would be fitting for me to stand before this assembly as a model. I think my place is behind the door, in a dark corner, with Sister Jones."

And he wondered why the meeting was convulsed with the laughter of those who



