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ing, had no opposition. This horse, for years a winner at Winnipeg Industrial and Brandon Western, is a first-rate specimen of the useful, deep-chested, strong-quartered and well-coupled sort. He was good enough to stand reserve for sweepstakes, won by Woodburn, by King Alphonso, and shown by Quinn Bros., Brampton, among stallions calculated to produce hunters and saddle horses. Against him was shown S. B. Fuller's Wyndham and W. Barber's Billette, two excellent sires and good individuals, of the heavier sort. Among the females the most noteworthy was a two-year-old bred by W. Hendrie, sired by Derwentwater, and shown by A. Reinhardt. The awards were placed by Messrs. R. Pringle, Cobourg, and G. Torrence, Toronto.

ROADSTERS.—There was the usual well-filled entry in this class, there being in all some 80 entries in the breeding and young-stock class, and 50 shown in harness. The aged stallion section had seven animals in competition, ranging from very good to rather mediocre. Last year's sweepstake winner, Graham, Paxton & Callcutt's (Port Perry) Pennville Boy, by Little Hamilton, was out in his first-rate form. He is a beautiful black, full of quality, and possesses no end of action, and has character and weight to make him useful as a roadster-horse sire. He was beaten, however, on this occasion by Joseph Chamberlain, by Joe Stanton, a more rangy horse, good in all his parts and gaits. The third-prize horse was Star Wilkes, a deep-chested, breezy son of Harry Wilkes. There were enough three-year-olds and no more to take the three awards. These were shown by Jno. Hill, Port Burwell; W. C. Brown, Meadowvale, and Jno. Dickie, Pickering. Hill's colt, a rangy roan, by Postmaster, won the best award; Brown coming 2nd, with a big, compact son of Charlie Ross; the 3rd entry, a plainer one, was sired by Frank Smith. A son of Altoner, owned by W. Doherty, Ellesmere, led in two-year-olds, of which there were only three; the 2nd falling to the get of the Thoroughbred Monotony, owned by W. G. Ellis, Toronto; and 3rd to Claughton Ward, for a get of the pacing Standard-bred Reflector. In yearlings, the tables turned, as Reflector's get won 1st, Altoner's 3rd, 2nd falling to Mr. R. Hemingway's Deacon J., by Deacon. The best stallion, any age, was found to be Joseph Chamberlain. When it came to fillies and geldings, there were larger classes, reaching as high as 13 entries in three-year-olds, and a good lot they were, requiring a long time to decide the winners. The first-prize winner was a fine, deep-chested chestnut, a good mover and looker, sired by Norwegian, and owned by J. W. Tooley. The 2nd fell to a breezy chestnut daughter of Manager, owned by A. Hutchinson, a filly well matured and full of promise. The third winner was of the more rangy type. In two-year-olds two fillies that will make a pair won 1st and 2nd in strong competition. They were s'sters, by Golden Jubilee, and owned by Boucher Bros., Huttonville. The 3rd fell to a bay son of Fakir, owned by I. L. Martin, Binbrook. The yearlings were a junior edition of the foregoing, as a get of Golden Jubilee led the string. He is a big chestnut, owned by Fuller Bros., Norval. A. P. Stewart was 2nd here on a daughter of Abdallah Stanton. A lot of good colts and fillies were much admired, and added to the beauty of the show, but could get no prizes, since there were none for them. It was gratifying, and also augurs well for this class of horses, that so many good brood mares as came out were not roaded out, but kept engaged in the stud. The fifteen brood mares with foals at foot were a really beautiful lot, and in much better show form than we usually see. They had character, breeding, and with it all, first-rate fitting in most instances. The 1st award was won by R. Watson, Don, on Dolly, a former victor at this show. Her foal by Halthoner won 3rd award. The 2nd-prize mare was shown by Dr. B. Gallop, and sired by Princeton. She is a particularly good one, and her foal by the Hackney Woodland's Performer won 1st. A Little Hamilton mare won 3rd for H. Mathews, and the 2nd-prize foal was a beauty, by the Standard-bred Golden Jubilee. There was abundance of material in the last two sections to provide a good show in years to come.

The harness roadsters contained some really good material. In pairs 15½ to 16 hands, the entry was small and some previously shown animals were there. Miss K. L. Wilkes won on a pair by Dashwood, well mated, of good form and rapid goers. P. S. Lawrison, with gets of King Bob, won 2nd; and J. C. Deitrich, Galt, came 3rd, on a breezy pair by Axland. In smaller pairs the champion mare of the Roadster class was found—Wilkey Belle, by Wildmont, mated with Altonette, by Altoner. They were beautifully mated and would attract attention in any company. They are owned by Dr. Gallanough and T. H. Richards, Thornhill. Miss Wilkes won 2nd on May and Mable, and John Watson 3rd, on a pair of smart blacks by Wedgeblock, in a right good company. The single sections were large and fine, there being many not only beautiful, well-bred horses shown, but speedy as well. In the larger lot, A. Yeager won 1st, W. T. Merry 2nd, and A. A. Hood 3rd; the awards in the smaller roadsters going to J. McFarren, J. A. Tovell, and J.

Hooper. This class was judged by Dr. Elliott, V. S., St. Catharines, and G. A. Rutledge, M. P., Lambeth, and except for the lamentable, untimely, fatal accident to that highly-esteemed and judicious horseman, the late Mr. A. Choate, Port Hope, he would have assisted, as frequently before, in placing the awards.

STANDARD-BRED TROTTERS.—This class is select. There were nine stallions forward, four years old and upwards, and some of the recognized best horses of the breed had to leave the ring unmarked by ribbon honors, so that the prizewinners might be justly proud of their victories. The well-bred chestnut, Keswick, by Jay Gould, owned by G. W. Curtis, Lindsay, has the desirable characteristics of a road-horse or even a race-horse sire. He has beauty of form, also conformation to give strength and freedom of action, and a disposition and constitution to carry him through a heavy campaign. He won 1st, and was followed closely by the hardy, useful pride of his owner, Dashwood, by Sentinel Wilkes, owned by J. Wetherill, Galt. Dashwood is a deep-chested, powerful fellow, bay in color, rapid in action, and gets prizewinners. Again a chestnut comes in, N. A. Wilson's Bourbonnaise, by Bourbon Wilkes, a rapid-going horse that is popular about his home. Such good horses as Pavonia, Altoner, Hawley Chimes, Postmaster and others had to leave the ring unplaced. The younger stallion sections were light, never more than two competing. The three-year-old Lord Norfolk, by W. M. Hill, a sweet colt and a speedy one, defeated Jim Bryson, by Bryson, and the two-year-old Brian Boru, by Wildbrino, defeated Lionel, by Wiry Jim. The former, a good individual, spreads a bit at high speed, and the latter mixes his gaits. Ben Bolt, by Vrowsky, was the only yearling shown. Keswick is easily the best first-prize horse in this class.

The filly and gelding sections were light, as were also mares and foals, and single horse or mare in harness. In three-year-olds, a get of Almont Wilkes won 1st; of Axland, 2nd; and of Altoner, 3rd. In two-year-olds, an Altoner led, and a daughter of Sylvego came 2nd, there being no 3rd entry. Hickory Maid won 1st in yearlings, a get of Axland 2nd, and of Altoner 3rd. They were a breezy lot, and brought out in generally creditable condition. Woodstock Queen, by Keswick, won 1st, as did also her foal by Wildbrino. Miss Sterling, by Twilight, was next brood mare, and her foal, also by Wildbrino, was 2nd, the two 3rds going to Alma Snell and her foal by Golden Jubilee. Four entries competed in harness, and they were a credit to the breed, being good lookers, clever and speedy. Leora Wright, by Lorraine, won 1st; Jessie McLaughlin, by Customer, 2nd; and Donna Alto, by Sunny Alto, 3rd. Dr. M. H. Ten Eyck, Hamilton, and H. Scott, Caledonia, judged this class.

CARRIAGE AND COACH.—The increasing demand for high-class heavy harness horses is having an improving influence upon this class of horses. This year the entry was not large, and was mixed up considerably in breeding, as the blood of practically all the recognized light-legged breeds in this country was represented. In the four mature stallions shown, the trotting and coach bred Performer, by Phenomenon, owned by A. Little, Georgetown, won 1st, and later sweepstakes honors. He is an upstanding, powerful horse, prepossessing in appearance and dashing in action. The former winner, Prince George, by Prince Victor, and owned by W. C. Brown, Meadowvale, won 2nd. He is a fine specimen of the coach rather than carriage type. Harris & Grou, Schomberg, won 3rd on Candidate, a big, rather plain horse, and T. H. Hassard, Millbrook, got nothing on Mark d'Or, a nice-topped, plain-legged fellow, bred in France. A get of the Thoroughbred Wiley Buckles won 1st in three-year-olds, Lord Roberts by name, and shown by J. L. Reid, Derry West. A big, good-looking colt by Waterick 3rd, but lacking in dash and carriage action, won 2nd. Wiley Buckles' get again won for J. L. Reid in two-year-olds, followed by Banko and Prince Arthur. All the prizewinners in yearling colts were sired by Thoroughbred horses, and to our mind should be castrated, when they would become really useful horses.

The filly or gelding sections were interesting, inasmuch as they were large in numbers, well brought out, and contained first-rate individuals. The expert harness horsemen, Messrs. Crow & Murray, have a grand filly in Silverlocks, by Black Rock, and out of a Hackney dam, on which they won 1st in the three-year-old section. She is large enough, of grand type, and a beautiful actor. The 2nd and 3rd prize fillies were of the same fine pattern, upstanding and sweet, but scarce so good in action. They were shown by W. H. McDowell and Geo. Pepper. The two-year-old and yearling sections were both good, or, at least, contained more than enough good ones to carry off the respective ribbons worthily. Only three mares with foals contested, but they were creditable to their owners and worthy of Toronto Industrial prize money. W. C. Brown won 1st on the mare, Princess Royal, by Prince Alexander, her foal by Prince George standing 3rd. Wm. Scott, Milton, won 2nd on a mare and foal, the

former by Valentine and the latter by Picador. J. T. Reid's 3rd-prize mare, Fuchsia, by Shining Light, had the 1st-prize foal, by Prince Arthur, so that each of the three competitors won a fair share of the honors and money offered.

Among the most interesting harness sections at the show were those in the Carriage class. It was here that the finished product of this class of stock was presented in most attractive form. In double harness, Crow & Murray won 1st in either section, the larger pair being beautiful, dashing blacks, and the smaller equally as attractive bays, hitched and driven to please the most exacting horseman. While the breeding of some of them could not be learned, it may be safely stated that they contain Hackney blood, since their action was trappy as well as forceful and rapid. There was a big entry in both single and double harness, and the champion mare was found in the single class from 15½ to 16 hands, in the chestnut, Winnie Auber, by J. I. Case, and owned by J. Ross Robertson. The class was judged by F. Ashenden, New York, and Robt. Graham, Ringwood, Ont.

HACKNEYS.—There is no more attractive class of horses shown at Toronto than the Hackneys, as nearly every section contains beauty of form, style and gracefulness of action and intelligence that all horsemen admire. The entry was not a large one, but the animals were select, fitted and schooled. For the first time in years that strong supporter of the Hackney and good horseman, H. N. Crossley, was absent from the competitive ring, but animals of his breeding were there and won honors. In the aged stallion section chestnut was the prevailing color, as each of the five entries shown was of that particular hue. The newcomer in 1900, Bell Boy, owned by D. J. Watson, Howick, Que., has improved since last year, and on this occasion went to the top, defeating the frequent victor, Squire Rickell, owned by R. Beith, Bowmanville, who, while in good flesh and finish, lacked sadly on this occasion in the first-rate action he has shown in former conflicts. No doubt heavy stud duties have engaged him this year; at any rate, he lacked fire and dash, and did not get above third place. The best actor of the lot, and a right good horse, was Woodland's Performer, by Barthorpe Performer, and out of Mr. O. Sorby's Miss Baker. Graham Bros.' Stampede, by Wildfire, and E. C. Attrill's Langlois Danegelt, by Langton Performer, were the remaining entries, and good ones in any country. It was sad to see a lonely entry in each of the three colt and three filly sections, but there was not a weak one amongst them. Bawden & McDonell's three-year-old Connaught's Heir made his first appearance in a Canadian show-ring last spring at Toronto, and he made a good impression. Mr. O. Sorby's two-year-old brown Guelph Performer, by Square Shot, is a credit to the stud; while Graham Bros.' yearling Lord Brilliant is a promising colt. Bell Boy proved himself the champion stallion, to the satisfaction of the judges, R. P. Sterriker, East Orange, N. J., and R. Gibson, Delaware, Ont.

The three fillies shown were R. Beith's Hermia, by Royal Standard; Titania, and Princess Feodora, each by Squire Rickell. They are each well-nigh typical Hackneys, and deserved greater honor than to win by default. The brood mares and foals did not allow of such a walk-over, as the awards were keenly contested. Mr. Beith showed Mona's Queen, Wild Mint, and Lady Brookfield; O. Sorby showed Miss Baker, and Graham Bros. had out Trinket. They are all English-bred but Lady Brookfield, by Cadet, who commenced her career at Landsdale, Pa. The mares each had a nice foal at foot. Miss Baker has seldom if ever been defeated, and she again laid claim to first honors, also sweepstakes, her foal by Jubilee Chief standing second. That great matron, Mona's Queen, the dam of Banquo, Jessica, Hermia and other good ones, stood 2nd, her foal by Squire Rickell defeating all her rivals. Beith's Wild Mint won 3rd, and Graham Bros.' Storm King, by Lord Roseberry, won 2nd as a foal. The 1st award for single mare or gelding in harness was won by G. A. Stinson, on the Rosseau-bred Rosseau Jewel, by Rosseau Performer. The English Hackney medal for female was won by Mona's Queen, and for stallion, by Guelph Performer. High-steppers, dog-cart and cob horses in harness put up brilliant performances and displays, there being some 50 entries in all in the various harness sections.

CLYDESDALES.—A good show of Clydesdales was expected this year, and the exhibit left no room for disappointment, as there were some eighty entries made and most of them were present. John Boag (Ravenshoe) and Peter Christie placed the awards, except in the section for three-year-old stallion, where Mr. Boag's brother was showing, and there Mr. R. P. Sterriker took judge Boag's place. The class was a difficult one to decide upon in the different sections, and when the awards were all made there was as little dissatisfaction expressed as has ever occurred at this show in our recollection. The first class called was for stallion and four of his progeny, the latter not to be over two years old. Here two notable sires met with their families