

**Awards.**—Ram, two shears and over—1st, W. Oliver; 2nd, W. Walker; 3rd, R. Shaw. Shearling ram—1st, W. Oliver; 2nd, W. Walker; 3rd, A. Easton. Ram lamb—1st and 3rd, W. Oliver; 2nd, W. Walker. Two ewes, two shears and over—1st, W. Oliver; 2nd, J. Wood & Sons; 3rd, W. Walker. Two shearling ewes—1st and 2nd, W. Oliver; 3rd, W. Walker. Two ewe lambs—1st, W. Walker; 2nd and 3rd, W. Oliver. Pen of Lincoln, one ram, four ewes, and three ewe lambs—1st and 3rd, W. Oliver; 2nd, W. Walker.

**Judges.**—J. C. Snell, Edmonton; Andrew Telfer, Paris; Alexander Jeffrey, Whitby.

**SHROPSHIRE.**—The exhibit of Shropshires never stood higher, either in regard to numbers or quality. Many animals of great excellence, imported and home-bred, entered the competing lists. The list of exhibitors includes John Campbell, Woodville; J. Miller & Son, Brougham; W. H. Beattie, Wilton Grove; J. & J. Smith, Brantford; R. Gibson, Delaware; W. G. Pettit, Free man; R. Davies, Toronto; D. G. Hanmer & Sons, Mount Vernon; and L. Skinner, Tyrone. Nearly every class in Shropshires were hotly contested, and so nearly balanced were the merits of many of the animals that, had the judges given the awards differently in some instances, they would not have laid themselves open to any charge of incompetency. Many of the animals left out altogether would have done honor to any showing. John Campbell, jr., of Woodville, came 1st and 3rd for the best pen of Shropshires, and also won the prize of the American Shropshire Society for the best flock of registered Shropshires. J. Miller & Sons won a good many important prizes, as did also W. H. Beattie, including the second prize for the best pen. The prize for the best flock of five lambs, bred by the exhibitor, went to J. J. Smith, along with other prizes. Richard Gibson and D. G. Hanmer & Sons also came in for a share of the prizes.

**Awards.**—Ram, two shears and over—1st, J. Miller & Sons; 2nd, J. Campbell, jr.; 3rd, Hanmer & Sons. Shearling ram—1st, W. H. Beattie; 2nd, J. Campbell, jr.; 3rd, Miller & Sons. Ram lamb—1st, J. Miller & Sons; 2nd, J. Campbell, jr.; 3rd, J. & J. Smith. Two ewes, two shears and over—1st and 2nd, J. Campbell, jr.; 3rd, W. H. Beattie. Two shearling ewes—1st and 2nd, J. Miller & Sons; 3rd, J. Campbell, jr. Two ewe lambs—1st, J. & J. Smith; 2nd, J. Campbell, jr.; 3rd, W. H. Beattie. Pen of Shropshires, one ram, four ewes, and two ewe lambs—1st and 2nd, J. Campbell, jr.; 3rd, W. H. Beattie. Special prize—Best flock of registered Shropshire sheep—1st, J. Campbell, jr.; 2nd, W. H. Beattie. Best flock of 5 lambs, bred and owned by exhibitor—1st, J. and J. Smith.

**Judges.**—Same as those for the Oxford.

**OXFORD DOWNS.**—With no class of sheep is there greater evidence of growing popularity than with the Oxford Downs. The exhibit was more than excellent. While Peter Arkell, Teeswater, the veteran exhibitor of Oxford Downs, held his own very well, James T. Tolton, Walkerton, came to the front, and J. Harcourt & Sons, St. Anne, also did honor to the exhibit. Smith Evans, Gourock, was also a powerful contestant. All of these exhibitors were prize winners. Mr. Tolton's shearling ram would be hard indeed to surpass, and his shearling ewes would be hard to equal. His importation throughout does honor to the judgment of Mr. Tolton, jr., who selected it. All of the parties named won prizes, including firsts. The pen prize was captured by James Tolton, and the gold medal offered by the American Oxford Down Society, by Peter Arkell.

**Awards.**—Ram, two shears and over—1st, Peter Arkell; 2nd, Smith Evans; 3rd, J. T. Harcourt & Sons. Shearling ram—1st, James Tolton; 2nd, J. T. Harcourt & Sons; 3rd, Smith Evans. Ram lamb—1st and 2nd, James Tolton; 3rd, Smith Evans. Two ewes, two shears and over—1st and 3rd, James Tolton; 2nd, Smith Evans. Two shearling ewes—1st and 3rd, James Tolton; 2nd, Peter Arkell. Two ewe lambs—1st, J. T. Harcourt & Sons; 2nd and 3rd, James Tolton. Pen of Oxford Downs, one ram, four ewes, and two ewe lambs—1st, James Tolton; 2nd, Peter Arkell; 3rd, Smith Evans. Special—Best flock of Oxford Downs, one ram, two ewes 2 years old or over, two ewes over 1 year old and under 2 years, and two ewe lambs—Gold medal, Peter Arkell.

**Judges.**—W. J. Garlock, Howell, Mich.; Professor Shaw, Guelph; Walter Tucker, Toronto.

**HAMPSHIRE DOWNS.**—No animals of this breed were shown, nor indeed does there appear to be any of them in the country. This is all the more remarkable when we consider their great popularity as a mutton sheep in England.

**SOUTHDOWNS.**—The principal exhibitors of Southdowns were John Jackson & Sons, Abingdon; A. Telfer & Sons, Paris; R. Shaw, Glanford; and George Baker, Simcoe. J. Jackson & Sons, who captured all the prizes offered for this breed at Detroit, including two silver medals and a silver cup, won all the firsts except one. Several prizes, however, were captured by the other breeders. With such a list of achievements thus early in the show-ring season, further comment on the matchless exhibit of Messrs. Jackson would be superfluous.

**Awards.**—Ram, two shears and over—1st, J. Jackson & Sons; 2nd, A. Telfer & Sons; 3rd, R. Shaw. Shearling ram—1st and 3rd, J. Jackson & Sons; 2nd, G. Baker. Ram lamb—1st and 2nd, A. Telfer & Sons; 3rd, J. Jackson & Sons. Five ewes, two shears and over—1st, J. Jackson & Sons; 2nd, R. Shaw; 3rd, A. Telfer & Sons. Two shearling ewes—1st and 2nd, J. Jackson & Sons; 3rd, G. Baker. Two ewe lambs—1st and 2nd, J. Jackson & Sons; 3rd, A. Telfer & Sons. Pen of Southdowns, one ram, four ewes, and two ewe lambs—1st and 2nd, J. Jackson & Sons; 3rd, A. Telfer & Sons.

**Judges.**—James Smith, Mount Vernon; John Wilson, Green River; T. A. Douglas, Galt.

**MERINOS.**—The Merinos were out in good force. The exhibitors were Rock Bailey, Union, W. M. & J. C. Smith, Fairfield Plains; Robert Shaw, Glanford; W. G. Baldwin, Colchester. Rock Bailey won several firsts, including the pen prize. W. M. & J. C. Smith were also successful winners, carrying 2nd and 3rd on the pens. W. G. Baldwin was 1st and 2nd on shearling rams, and some prizes also fell to Mr. Shaw.

**Awards.**—Ram, two shears and over—1st, R. Bailey; 2nd, Messrs. Smith; 3rd, W. G. Baldwin. Shearling ram—1st and 2nd, W. G. Baldwin; 3rd, R. Bailey. Ram lamb—1st and 3rd, Messrs. Smith; 2nd, R. Bailey. Two ewes, two shears and over—1st, Messrs. Smith; 2nd, R. Bailey; 3rd, R. Shaw. Two shearling ewes—1st and 3rd, R. Bailey; 2nd, Messrs. Smith. Two ewe lambs—1st and 2nd, Messrs. Smith; 3rd, R. Bailey. Pen of Merinos—1st, R. Bailey; 2nd and 3rd, Messrs. Smith.

**DORSET HORNED SHEEP.**—Messrs. Tazewell & Hector, of Port Credit, and Wm. Rolph, of Markham, were the two exhibitors of this breed. The larger share of the prizes went to the Messrs. Tazewell & Hector. These gentlemen say they succeed in getting these sheep to produce two crops of lambs a year. They are a hardy and useful breed, and will certainly grow in favor with our farmers.

**Awards.**—Ram, two shears and over—1st, Tazewell and Hector; 2nd, W. Rolph. Shearling ram—1st, W. Rolph. Ram lamb—1st, Tazewell & Hector; 2nd and 3rd, W. Rolph. Two ewes—1st and 2nd, Tazewell & Hector; 3rd, W. Rolph. Two shearling ewes—1st, W. Rolph. Two ewe lambs—1st, Tazewell & Hector; 2nd and 3rd, W. Rolph. Pen—1st, Tazewell & Hector; 2nd, W. Rolph.

**EXMOORS.**—Several animals of this breed were on exhibition, and they drew a large share of attention. They seem to possess useful qualities, and should be more than usually hardy. They were shown by John Raymond, Southampton.

**FAT SHEEP.**—Two fat wethers, two shears and over, long-woolled breed—1st and 2nd, J. Rutherford. Two fat wethers, under two years, long-woolled breed—1st, Eliza A. Somers; 2nd, J. Rutherford. Two fat wethers, two shears and over, short-woolled breed—1st and 2nd, J. Campbell, jr. Two fat wethers, under two years, short-woolled breed—1st and 2nd, J. Rutherford.

#### Swine.

The exhibit of swine was much larger than ever before. The increase was most marked in Improved Yorkshires and Chester Whites. On the whole, the quality was good; but there were some pigs on exhibition which would have been better at home. Some breeds, as the Essex, were out in not very large numbers; but those on hand were good.

**BERKSHIRES.**—The chief exhibitors in Berkshires were J. G. Snell & Bro., Edmonton; George Green, Fairview; S. Coxworth, Claremont; Thomas Teasdale, Concord. J. G. Snell & Bro. and George Green won all the prizes. Mr. Coxworth, however, had a good lot of pigs, but those of the Messrs. Snell Bros. and George Green were of such excellence that it was difficult for pigs that were very good even to get a place. Some of the pigs of the former were simply perfect. Those of Mr. Green, a large proportion of which were home-bred, were also of rare excellence. The Berkshires will not be easily dislodged from the high place they occupy in the public mind so long as such excellent specimens are on hand.

**Awards.**—Boar, over two years—1st and 2nd, Snell Bros.; 3rd, G. Green. Boar, over one and under two years—1st, G. Green; 2nd and 3rd, Snell Bros. Boar, over six and under twelve months—1st and 2nd, Snell Bros.; 3rd, G. Green. Boar, under six months—1st and 2nd, G. Green; 3rd, Snell Bros. Sow, over two years—1st, Snell Bros.; 2nd and 3rd, G. Green. Sow, over one and under two years—1st and 2nd, Snell Bros.; 3rd, G. Green. Sow, over six and under twelve months—1st and 2nd, Snell Bros.; 3rd, G. Green. Sow, under six months—1st and 2nd, G. Green; 3rd, Snell Bros. Best Improved Berkshire boar and two sows, any age—1st and 2nd, G. Green.

**SUFFOLKS.**—The Suffolks were represented by selections from the herds of J. Featherstone, Springfield-on-the-Credit; R. Dorsey, Burnhamthorpe; T. George, Putnam; W. H. Reid, Lockton; H. George & Sons, Crampton. R. Dorsey won the pen prize, and was rather the strongest in the prize-ring; but J. Featherstone was well forward, and the other exhibitors got a share of the prizes.

**Awards.**—Boar, over two years—1st, J. Featherstone; 2nd, R. Dorsey; 3rd, W. H. Reid. Boar, over one and under two years—1st and 2nd, R. Dorsey; 3rd, J. Featherstone. Boar, over six and under twelve months—1st and 2nd, J. Featherstone; 3rd, R. Dorsey. Boar, under six months—1st and 2nd, R. Dorsey; 3rd, W. H. Reid. Sow, over two years—1st, R. Dorsey; 2nd, J. Featherstone; 3rd, E. D. George. Sow, under two years—1st, W. H. Reid; 2nd and 3rd, J. Featherstone. Sow, under twelve months—1st, R. Dorsey; 2nd and 3rd, J. Featherstone. Sow, under six months—1st and 2nd, R. Dorsey; 3rd, W. H. Reid. Best Improved Suffolk boar and two sows, any age—1st, R. Dorsey; 2nd, J. Featherstone.

**ESSEX.**—During this, as in former years, nearly all the animals shown, came from the herd of J. Featherstone, Credit. Some entries were made by James Main, Poynce. Mr. Featherstone captured every prize with the exception of 2nd in the class for sows under one year.

**POLAND CHINAS.**—The Poland Chinas were not so largely represented as some of the breeds. Judging by the prize-list,

those of Messrs. W. M. & J. C. Smith, Fairfield Plains, stand first. Next in order come those of W. G. Baldwin, Colchester. R. Dorsey, Burnhamthorpe, was also a prize winner.

**Awards.**—Boar, over two years—1st, W. G. Baldwin; 2nd and 3rd, Messrs. Smith. Boar, over one and under two years—1st and 3rd, Messrs. Smith; 2nd, W. G. Baldwin. Boar, over six and under twelve months—1st and 2nd, Messrs. Smith; 3rd, W. G. Baldwin. Boar, under six months—1st, W. G. Baldwin; 2nd and 3rd, Messrs. Smith. Sow, over two years—1st, Messrs. Smith; 2nd and 3rd, R. Dorsey. Sow, over one and under two years—1st and 3rd, Messrs. Smith; 2nd, D. DeCourcy. Sow, over six and under twelve months—1st, H. George & Sons; 2nd and 3rd, Messrs. Smith. Sow, under six months—1st and 3rd, Messrs. Smith; 2nd, R. Dorsey. Best improved Poland China boar and two sows of any age—1st and 2nd, Messrs. Smith.

**IMPROVED YORKSHIRES.**—This breed was out in strong array. The list of contestants includes the names of E. M. Jarvis, Clarkson; Ormsby & Chapman, Springfield-on-the-Credit; J. Featherstone, Springfield-on-the-Credit; R. Dorsey, Burnhamthorpe. The sweepstakes went to J. Featherstone; the other exhibitors also dividing the prizes, each of them winning a number. This breed has made rapid progress during recent years, but unless more care is exercised in bringing out only choice selections to the shows, its progress will be interfered with.

**Awards.**—Boar, over two years—1st, Ormsby & Chapman. Boar, over one and under two years—1st, E. M. Jarvis; 2nd, J. Featherstone; 3rd, Ormsby & Chapman. Boar, over six and under twelve months—1st, J. Featherstone; 2nd, E. M. Jarvis; 3rd, Ormsby & Chapman. Boar, under six months—1st, E. M. Jarvis; 2nd and 3rd, R. Dorsey. Sow, over two years—1st, J. Featherstone; 2nd, Ormsby & Chapman; 3rd, E. M. Jarvis. Sow, over one and under two years—1st and 3rd, Ormsby & Chapman; 2nd, E. M. Jarvis. Sow, over six and under twelve months—1st, J. Featherstone; 2nd, Ormsby & Chapman; 3rd, E. M. Jarvis. Sow, under six months—1st, R. Dorsey; 2nd, J. Featherstone; 3rd, E. M. Jarvis. Best improved Yorkshire boar and two sows of any age—1st, J. Featherstone; 2nd, Ormsby & Chapman.

**YORKSHIRES, CHESTER WHITES, AND OTHER LARGE BREEDS.**—The interested parties here were H. George & Sons, Crampton; D. DeCourcy, Burnhamthorpe; J. Featherstone, Credit; R. Dorsey, Burnhamthorpe; A. D. Chisholm, Oakville; and J. Frank & Son, Cedar Grove. Prominent in this large exhibit were the Chester Whites. They are evidently growing in favor. The prizes here were divided, H. George & Sons taking the pen prize, and J. Featherstone coming second.

**Awards.**—Boar, over two years—1st, H. George & Sons; 2nd, D. DeCourcy; 3rd, E. D. George. Boar, over one and under two years—1st, D. DeCourcy; 2nd, A. D. Chisholm; 3rd, E. D. George. Boar, over six and under twelve months—1st and 2nd, J. Featherstone; 3rd, T. George. Boar, under six months—1st, D. DeCourcy; 2nd, R. Dorsey; 3rd, H. George & Sons. Sow, over two years—1st and 2nd, R. Dorsey; 3rd, J. Featherstone. Sow, over one and under two years—1st, E. D. George; 2nd, J. Frank & Son; 3rd, J. Featherstone. Sow, under six months—1st, D. DeCourcy; 2nd, H. George & Sons; 3rd, J. Frank & Son. Best boar and two sows of the same breed at any age—1st, H. George & Sons; 2nd, J. Featherstone.

#### Poultry.

The poultry show was opened to the public on Monday afternoon, and thousands of visitors crowded in to see the birds. The display was large, and in most classes, creditable. The building and the coops had been renovated, and everything presented a clean and bright appearance, much to the credit of Mr. Daniels, the superintendent, to whom many thanks are due for his willingness to lend an assisting hand. All the leading varieties were well represented, in fact, so well that the judges had no easy task in making the equitable distributions of prizes. In Plymouth Rocks and Leghorns there was very keen competition, and it is a good thing to see such competition in breeds that have so many points of merit to recommend them.

**BRAHMAS.**—(Light). These made an average showing; old birds in bad moult—1st cock well placed, not large, but nice even bird. Hens made a finer class; 1st one a beauty, large and in good shape. The pullets made a grand showing, the winners being exceedingly fine, though many good birds did not get a place; nothing else in this class of special note. Darks are ahead of the Lights in quality. This variety is certainly coming to the front again; 1st cock in splendid feather, a grand bird; 2nd not far behind; others well forward. Hens, some really good birds. Chicks, 1st cockerel and pullet well advanced and rightly judged; other pullets close.

**COCHINS.**—Showed up well in all classes. 1st and 2nd cocks might have changed places in the Buffs, and cock was off on back, but had been in condition would be an easy first. Pullets, 1st and 2nd birds of special note, large and well advanced, beauties.

**LANGSHANS.**—Were a small class of good quality, cards well placed; 1st cockerel and pullet, very fine, large, well developed; nothing more in this class of special note.

**DORKINGS.**—Were a big class, old birds in very bad condition with not being through moult. Chicks, a better class; winners well advanced.