



Dale's Gift 2nd =92532=.

Shorthorn cow. First in class, senior and grand champion female, Toronto, 1912. Age, three years 11 months. Exhibited by R. W. Caswell, Saskatoon, Sask.

Park Beauty 3rd; 3, Broadfoot, on Balmedie Lady Violet 2nd. Heifer two years old—1 and 3, McGregor, on Queen Rosie of Cullen and Glencarnock Rubicon; 2, Bowman, on Elm Park Beauty 5th. Senior yearling heifer—1, McGregor, on Queen Mother of Glencarnock; 2 and 4, Broadfoot, on Balmedie Favorite 2nd and Balmedie Lady Evelyn 3rd; 3, Bowman, on Elm Park Witch 2nd. Heifer, junior yearling—1, 3 and 4, Bowman, on Elm Park Pride 12th, Elm Park Mayflower 15th, and Elm Park Beauty 6th; 2, McGregor, on Glencarnock's Pretty Rose. Heifer calf, senior—1, McGregor, on Black Rose of Glencarnock; 2 and 3, Broadfoot, on Balmedie May's Beauty and Balmedie Pride's Beauty. Heifer calf, junior—1, Bowman, on Elm Park Keepsake 13th. Senior and grand champion female—Violet 3rd of Congash. Junior champion female—Elm Park Pride 12th. Graded herd—1, McGregor; 2, Bowman. Junior herd—1, Bowman; 2, Broadfoot. Two, progeny of one cow—1 and 2, Bowman. Three, get of bull—1, Bowman; 2, McGregor.

GALLOWAYS.—In this breed, Col. McCrae, of Guelph, Ont., had no opposition, and took all the prizes awarded in classes in which he competed, viz.: First in aged bulls, bull two years old, bull calf, aged cow, two-year-old heifers, yearling heifers, and heifer calves; second in bull calves, aged cows, two-year-old heifers, yearling heifers, and heifer calves. Also first and reserve on graded herds, and all the championships. H. M. Brown, of Hillsboro, Ohio, judged.

GRADES AND FAT CATTLE.—Grade, female, 2 years and over—1, Kyle Bros., Ayr, Ont.; 2 and 3, Jas. Leask, Greenbank, Ont. Female, under 2 years—1, Pritchard Bros., Fergus, Ont.; 2 and 3, Jas. Leask, Greenbank, Ont. Fat steer, 2 years and under 3—1, Jas. Leask; 2, Pritchard Bros. Fat steer, 1 year and under 2—1, Jas. Leask; 2, Pritchard Bros. Fat calf, under 1 year—1, Jas. Leask; 2, F. C. Willmott & Son, Milton, Ont.; 3, A. F. & G. Auld, Eden Mills, Ont. Two export steers, under 3 years—1, Pritchard Bros.; 2, Robson & Freed, Washington, Ont.

Horses.

PERCHERONS.—Horse-breeders in Ontario and the Eastern Provinces have heard much of the advance of the Percheron horse in the West, and the great exhibits made at Western shows in past years, but this year the breed made a better showing at Toronto than at any of the Western fairs, and it is safe to say that some of the classes have never been equalled in Canada. Horses brim full of quality, with size and substance galore, formed the major part of each line-up, and some of the winners are among the best ever bred in France.

The aged stallion class brought out seven entries, the red going to Hogate, on Tetinus, a very strong-topped, short-coupled, deep-middled horse, with strong, clean bone, good feet, and a true mover. Next in line stood Islam, possessing a little less substance, an abundance of bone, but scarcely as much quality. Ildebert, in third place, is quality all over, clean of limb, and a strong, true mover, but has scarcely the bone and substance of the other two.

The three-year-olds were the best bunch of Perch-

eron stallions ever seen in Canada, and many real toppers were left outside the money. The judge, D. M. Fife, of Ohio, after considerable deliberation, selected a short leet of five horses, including Hassard's Jonas, Hodgkinson & Tisdale's Jovial, Porter & Eaid's entry, Hamilton & Son's Janassa, and Hogate's Jack. Any one of them was good enough to deserve a red ribbon in most company. Jovial finally worked his way to the top. He is a massive gray of great substance. He was the thickest horse in the ring, is well muscled, and has very heavy bone. Especially strong on top, and a fair mover, he won over Porter & Eaid's entry, a little more stylish horse of extra good quality, plenty of substance, and the best-going horse in the string. Hogate got third on Jack, a colt with great substance, and a strong, true mover. Hassard's big black Jonas did not get in the money, but he is one of the biggest and strongest three-year-olds ever seen here. He was nervous, owing to the noise and bustle in front of the grand stand, and did not show to the best advantage.

Ten two-year-olds answered the call, and from this closely-contested ring the champion stallion came. Hassard's Kartomier is about as nice a piece of Percheron horseflesh as one could wish to see. He was a winner at some of the largest shows in France, and on the form shown at Toronto, should lead in most company. A gray of great size, deep and thick, short-coupled and heavily-muscled, with clean limbs and good feet and quality all over, a good mover, and a nice-tempered horse, with almost ideal Percheron type, what more could one want? Second to him stood Kaboulot, a horse of much the same pattern, with plenty of middle, and an abundance of quality, not quite as good a goer, but a good second. Kossuth was third. He is a horse of a little more outstanding type, but had as good legs and feet as any in the ring, and was a fair mover. Klepper, a big black colt, owned by Hassard, which has beaten the winner in France, was unplaced. He did not appear to best advantage under the excitement. Elliott's Karton, and Hodgkinson & Tisdale's Kamaval, two first-class colts, formed the remainder of the contenders in the short leet.

Only one yearling stallion was out, and nothing very substantial came forward in the filly classes. Wm. Pears' three-year-old, Julia, is a very big one, rangy, yet strong on top, has good, flat, clean bone, and goes well at the walk and trot.

Two-year-old fillies were the strongest of the female classes, twelve facing the judge. The fight simmered down to Hassard's Kokatte, Hodgkinson & Tisdale's Krapulette, and the same breeder's Kanaille. They were finally placed in the order named. Three sweeter Percheron fillies have perhaps never been seen in this country. The winner is a short-backed, strong-middled mare, full of substance and quality, and was afterwards made reserve for championship honors, and would not have looked bad in the latter position.

The second- and third-prize winners are a smashing pair of big, high-quality mares, which helped the owner to win on the best string of five animals, over Hassard's fine quintette. It was a great show throughout, and a credit to the breed, as well as the breeders and importers.

Exhibitors.—Dr. T. H. Hassard, Markham, Ont.; T. D. Elliott, Bolton, Ont.; Hodgkinson & Tisdale, Beaverton, Ont.; Wm. Pears, West Toronto, Ont.; J. B. Hogate, Weston, Ont.; R. Hamilton & Son, Simcoe, Ont.; Eaid & Porter, Simcoe, Ont.; J. Haines, Midland, Ont., and Ernest E. Hanmer, Norwich, Ont.

Awards.—Aged stallions: 1, Hogate, on Tetinus, by Agricole; 2, Hamilton & Son, on Islam, by Conserit; 3, Hamilton & Son, on Ildebert, by Oliver. Stallions three years old—1, Hodgkinson & Tisdale, on Jovial, by Etudiant; 2, Eaid & Porter; 3, J. B. Hogate, on Jack, by Anticosto. Stallion two years old—1, Hassard, on Kartomier, by Lafayette; 2, Hogate, on Kaboulot, by Gallichon; 3, Hodgkinson & Tisdale, on Kossuth, by Gumand. Stallion one year old—1, J. Haines, on Loustic, by Hachoir. Filly three years old—1, Wm. Pears, on Julia, by Agattine; 2, Hogate, on Jainvillote, by Laricot; 3, Hassard, on Jeane, by Campigny. Filly two years old—1, Hassard, on Kokatte, by Fernand; 2, Hodgkinson & Tisdale, on Krapulette, by Fernand; 3, Hodgkinson & Tisdale, on Kanaille, by Fernand. Filly one year old—1, Elliott, on Latine, by Hanneton; 2, Hodgkinson & Tisdale, on Lame, by Heureux; 3, Hogate, on Laretiviere, by Golta. Brood mare and foal—1, Hanmer, on Bien-a-Moi, by Casino; 2 and 3, Pears, on Impresse, by Sahara, and Leonia Maid, by Hercules. Foal of 1912—1 and 3, Pears, on Lady Gay and Lady Leonia, by Cormier; 2, Hanmer, on Chundra Lela, by Kosta Crusader. Mare with two of her progeny—1, Pears, on Leonia Maid. Best stallion, any age—Hassard, on Kartomier. Best mare, any age—Pears, on Julia. Best string of five—Hodgkinson & Tisdale.

American Percheron Society Specials.—Best stallion—1 and 2, Pears, on Cormier and Incivil. Best mare—1, 2 and 3, Pears, on Julia, Impresse, and Lady Grey. Three mares, any age—1 and 2, Pears. Two progeny of one mare—1, Pears. Stallion, and four mares—Pears. [Note.—These animals must be recorded in the books of the Percheron Society of America, and their owner must be a member. Entries other than this of Pears' were not eligible.]

ROADSTER AND CARRIAGE.—Some very fine roadster and carriage horses were shown in the breeding classes. Lulu Mograzia, a sensational daughter of Mograzia, won the championship in the roadster classes for Miss Wilks, who secured the best prize in nearly all the classes in which she had entries.

Awards.—Roadsters: Mare four years and over—1 and 2, Miss Wilks, Galt, on Lulu Mograzia and Maize; 3, Robt. Preston, Simcoe, on Golden Glow. Filly or gelding three years old—1, Miss Wilks, on Oro Mograzia; 2, J. D. McGibbon, Milton, on Moko Bay; 3, G. H. Smith, Delhi, on Glory. Filly or gelding two years old—1, Miss Wilks, on Mary Abdella; 2, Jas. Bovaird, Brampton, on Mary S.; 3, W. T. Brydon, Toronto, on Benny. Yearling filly or gelding—1, Miss Wilks, on Mary Regina; 2, Ira Mabee, Aylmer, on Nettie Carter; 3 R. M. Dale, Toronto, on Golden Gleam. Brood mare and foal—1 and 2, Miss Wilks, on Sister Sadie and Jew Belle; 3, A. Cunningham, Toronto, on Lady Bingen. Foal of 1912—1, Hodgkinson & Tisdale, on Billy Burke; 2, Cunningham, on Lady Parker; 3, Miss Wilks. Champion roadster mare—Miss Wilks, on Lulu Mograzia. Carriage mare four years and over—1, Robert McMane, Milverton, on Lottie; 2, J. B. Moore, Waterford, on Maud Langs; 3, P. J. Dolan, Toronto, on Dixie Queen. Filly or gelding three years old—1, A. Yeager, Simcoe, on Princess; 2, Joseph Kirby, Armstrong's Mills, on Warwick Model; 3, J. T. Brownridge, Brampton, on Doctor Bob. Filly or gelding two years old—3, John Clarkson & Son, Summerville, on Nell. Filly or gelding one year old—W. K. Westlake, Macville, on Macville Boy. Brood mare and foal—John Craigie, Port Credit, on Lady Woodland. Foal—John Craigie. Best mare, any age—Yeager, on Princess.

CLYDESDALES.—Larger classes of Clydesdales have been seen at Toronto. A slight falling off in numbers does not mean that competition was not keen, for there was a close fight for each and every award in each class. Many of the animals had just landed from Scotland and were seen at some disadvantage. There was a marked scarcity of home-bred stock in the open classes, which as usual were an importers' contest almost entirely. While some of the stallion classes were not out in as great numbers as were the Percherons, the filly classes were all much stronger than in the latter breed, and Clydesdales still stood at the top in numbers at the show, even if they were not out as strong as usual.

Eight aged stallions were forward and very good horses they were. After much deliberation on the part of the judge, Mr. Copland, Lord