

Sir Pieter Burk De Kol is of fine type, but young for the class. In the bull calves, Glennie won over Potter with a calf imported from M. H. Gardiner, of Wisconsin. This youngster, Chief Mercedes De Kol, is by Paul De Kol 2nd, out of Daisy Mercedes, who has a record of 15,540 lbs. of milk in a year, giving an average test of 3.6, and traces closely to the famous Pauline Paul. He is a typical dairy calf of open form, wide, strong hind quarters, but a trifle harsh in hair and skin. The class for calves of a calendar year was made up of three entries: Glennie's 1st, Baldwin & Sons 2nd, Oughton 3rd. Glennie's three-year-old Tempest 3rd's Clothilde was awarded sweepstakes. The aged cow class contained a number of excellent entries. Glennie's famous Daisy Teake's Queen (now nearly 10 years old) again won 1st and female sweepstakes; the same exhibitor's Sadie Teake's Beauty, a typical

boro; W. Hardy, Pomeroy, and Edward T. Petar, Souris. In the class for aged bulls there were three entries, 1st going to the Prairie Home entry, Surprise of Burnside, a bull of good size and of typical Ayrshire form, a winner for the past several years at this show. Second went to Cock o' Walk, shown by R. A. Lister & Co., bred by Steel Bros., and sired by What-Care-I, a bull of the real Scotch type. The 3rd went to Hardy's Craigielea of Auchinbrain, imported by W. W. Ballantyne, and recently purchased from him. In two-year-old bulls, Steel Bros. Royal Chief, of Dymont's breeding, was placed 1st. He is a bit strong in the shoulders, but with good skin and dairy indications. W. M. & J. C. Smith, Fairfield Plains, Ont., who have for years been coming up from Ontario to capture some of the prize money offered at the Industrial, got a 2nd place on Commodore, a son of Surprise of Burnside, out of Gerta. In the yearling class, Steel Bros. had two entries, winning 1st on Surprise of Fairfield, by Surprise of Burnside, with a beautiful, rich, mellow skin, good, open dairy form and smooth shoulders. Greenway's entry, a son of Surprise of Burnside, was shown in high fit, is of good dairy type, and was placed 2nd. Hardy's St. Lawrence, an animal of good type, handling a bit thick and harsh in the skin for this breed, was 3rd. Petar showed the winning bull calf, that was bred by W. W. Ballantyne, and sired by

and 2nd on cows; D. Fraser & Sons, Emerson, 3rd. H. L. McDermott, of Headingly, won 1st and 2nd in two-year-old heifers. Allison won on the female herd, D. Fraser & Sons 2nd.

The class for fat cattle is becoming less and less patronized. The day for massive, fat carcasses seems to have passed away, and with it the ton-weight steers and old cows. D. Fraser & Sons, Benallack & Lafrance, Winnipeg, were the principal exhibitors, honors being about even. Greenway and R. H. Shore, of Manitou, also had entries in this class.

SHEEP.

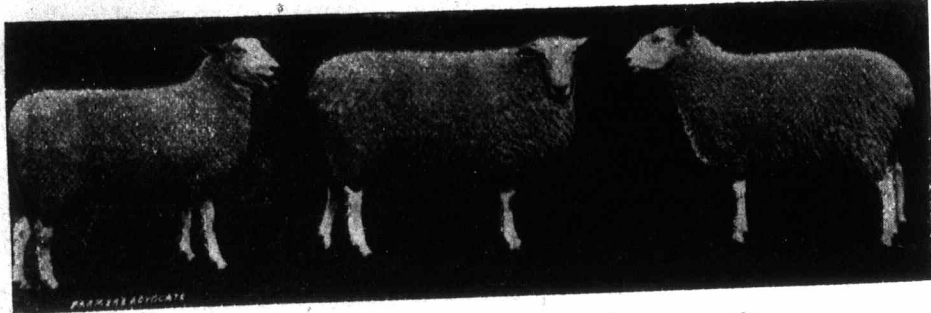
The number and quality of entries in this class indicate a decided revival in the sheep industry, there being a larger company, with a greater percentage of fitted animals, than in recent former years. As we have repeatedly pointed out, exhibitors do not all realize the importance of presenting their animals in a becoming and reasonable length of wool. On this, as on former occasions, flocks appeared carrying the fleeces of the former season, which, needless to say, detracts from their appearance, and also mitigates against favor from the judge. Some men, too, bring in animals of inferior type right off the prairie, but these latter are learning by experience that such stock cannot win, so that a few more seasons will correct this objectionable feature as well as that of excessive fleeces. Manitoba is undoubtedly a suitable sheep country, as many of the exhibits indicate, and as more mixed farming is introduced, sheep will take their places as they have done in the older provinces of the Dominion. As in the other classes of livestock, the single-judge system was adopted, the work being done by Mr. Thos. Teasdale, Concord, Ont., who did his work with dispatch and satisfaction.

COTSWOLDS.

The exhibitors of this breed were the following: Messrs. F. W. & J. W. Brown, Portage la Prairie; M. Oughton, Middlechurch; A. B. Smith, Moosomin, and Ernest F. W. Hysop, Killarney. The breed was well represented by sheep of good type, but motley in appearance because of a lack of uniformity in fleece in fitting. In rams, Messrs. Brown presented a strong lot, winning 1st on aged ram and 1st and 2nd on shearlings. These were all strong sheep, nicely covered and in fine vigor. A. B. Smith presented a useful aged ram, on which he won 2nd, Oughton coming third in the aged section, and Hysop on his shearling. Mr. Oughton came to the top with a well-developed ram, followed by Messrs. Brown for 2nd and 3rd. Honors were well divided in females, as Messrs. Brown won 1st and 2nd in the aged section, and 1st and 3rd on ewe lambs, while Hysop won 1st and 2nd in shearling ewes, 1st for best female and 3rd on aged ewes, Smith coming 2nd on ewe lambs and Oughton 3rd on shearlings. Messrs. Brown captured 1st on pen and on pair any age, Hysop coming 2nd on pen.

LEICESTERS.

Three flocks contested in this breed, shown by Messrs. Duncan Sinclair, Oakville; Alex. D. Gamley, Brandon, and D. F. Preston, Glen Ewen. The former two were well fitted, and shown in seasonable, well-trimmed fleeces, while the third flock had apparently been given no special preparation. Four aged and six shearlings made a strong showing of rams. Mr. Sinclair's champion male is a very fine animal, having a smooth, firm, grandly fleshed back, and bold, vigorous carriage. He won over Gamley's two good specimens, also in prime, lusty form. In shearlings the tables turned, giving 1st and 2nd to Gamley, Sinclair winning 3rd. These animals all had nice pink skins, and presented a generally vigorous appearance. Mr. Preston evidently succeeded in getting early lambs, on which he was able to land 2nd on a lusty ram and 2nd on a pair of ewes, the 1st and 3rd in rams going



First-prize 2-year-old ram and pair of ewes, and diploma ram and ewe. Bred by J. M. Gardhouse, Highfield, Ont.

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Holstein, 2nd; and Oughton's Nymph Lively 3rd. Daisy Teake's Queen seems to be a better producer of females than males, judging from the showyard records. Her three-year-old daughter, Flosseta Teake, headed the three-year-old class; with Oughton's entries, May of Echo Valley and Catrina Aggie, 2nd and 3rd. The Manitou herd came to the top on two-year-old heifers with a very typical entry in Prairie Queen of Manitou, Glennie 2nd and Oughton 3rd. Another daughter of Daisy Teake's Queen won in the yearling class, with Potter's Lady Aberkirk 2nd and Oughton's Primrose 3rd. Potter won with May Akum in heifer calves, Oughton following with Modest May. Glennie won both the open and the young herd awards, with Oughton following, and Potter in 3rd place. Glennie also won in three animals the get of one bull, and two calves under a year, with Oughton 2nd in either case.

JERSEYS AND GUERNSEYS.

The entries in this class were not very numerous, but many of the individuals were of great excellence, and the general character of the entries seems to steadily improve year by year. W. V. Edwards, Souris, the most extensive and successful exhibitor, won the following premiums: 1st on bull calf, with Artisan of Brampton, bred by B. H. Bull & Sons, Brampton, sired by Monarch (imported from the Island), winner of sweepstakes at Toronto in 1898, and is out of Jetsam's Molina, a first-prize winner at Toronto. This bull has beautiful skin and quality and lots of style and breed character throughout, fine shoulders, thick through the heart, deep in the rib and flanks, wide and long in the hind quarters, with good rudimentaries and veins. He afterwards won the sweepstakes award as the best bull, any age. To this herd also went 1st prize for bull calf of calendar year on a promising son of the 1st prize cow, Yankee Rosebud, a cow of deep-milking qualities, rich skin and typical breed form. This cow won female sweepstakes. Baby Malone, with large, well-formed udder, prominent milk veins and deep body, headed the three-year-olds, and her daughter, Elsie Malone, by Dean of Highfield, was 1st prize yearling. Edwards' 1st-prize herd was made up of the sweepstakes bull and sweepstakes female, 1st prize three-year-old, and Brampton Rose and Duchess Malone. H. Byres, McGregor, exhibited some good entries in this class, winning as follows: 2nd on aged bull (Rover Pogis), 1st on young bull, 2nd on aged cow with Phillipa Hugo, 2nd on a typical three-year-old, Pet of Portage Beauty; 2nd on Lillian in the yearling class, 1st on Gladys Abbott, one of his best entries, with well-developed dairy points and a wonderfully developed udder, the making of something extra; 2nd on the open herd with Rover Pogis, Celeste, Phillipa Hugo, Fawn Hugo, and Pet of Portage Beauty. C. H. Wilson, of Winnipeg, exhibited in this class for the first time, winning first on yearling bull with Royal Kildonan, 2nd on bull calf with Joe Brock, and on calf of calendar year with King Brock; 1st and 2nd on two-year-old heifer with a pair of typical Jerseys with very nice, well-formed udders. In the aged bull class, P. D. McArthur, Winnipeg, won on a very handsome, rich-skinned three-year-old, Klondyke of Grand View. W. J. Edwards, Burnside, came in 3rd with a Guernsey bred by Hon. Sydney Fisher, a big, strong bull, but out of his element with Jerseys. John Webster, of Portage la Prairie, got 2nd on a bull calf; Munroe Creamery Co. 3rd on heifer calf, a well-grown and well-developed calf with a nice udder. To this exhibitor also went 2nd prize in the heifer calf class.

AYRSHIRES.

The principal exhibitors in this class were: Hon. Thomas Greenway, Crystal City; Steel Bros., Glen-

Hardy's new stock bull. In calves of calendar year, Greenway showed the winning number in Hugh John Mac, a son of Surprise of Burnside, very big and growthy for his age. Second went to Steel Bros. Rob Roy, 3rd to Petar's Stately Prince. Greenway's Surprise of Burnside was given the sweepstakes over all ages, closely followed by his yearling son, Surprise of Fairfield, from Steel Bros.' herd. The cow class contained three good entries. First went to Silver Maid, a deep, smooth, handsome cow, with nice udder, prominent milk veins, and well-placed teats. She is from Greenway's string; the 2nd going to Hardy's Jessie, a useful cow, with deep, smooth quarters, and a large, nicely-shaped vessel, but not possessing the quality of her successful rival. The 3rd went to Greenway's Queen of Elm Shade 6th. Three-year-old cows made up one of the strongest strings of the class. Four of them were from the Prairie Home stalls, and from these the winners were selected, Ayrshire Maggie 2nd being placed 1st, a big, handsome cow with beautiful neck, and swinging a large, well-placed vessel; 2nd going to Mattie Meadowside, a cow of extra fine quality and particularly characteristic hind quarters. In two-year-olds, Greenway again won out with Beauty of St. Anne, with beautiful head and neck, deep, open quarters and nicely-shaped udder. Second went to Steel Bros.' Spunky, with nice head and neck, straight, strong back, deep body and good dairy form; 3rd to Clara Belle, from Greenway's exhibit. Hardy had a big, well-developed heifer in this string, showing a very handsome udder. She was a bit strong in the head and neck, and thus got turned down. In yearling heifers, the 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes went to Greenway: 1st to Stately Queen, by Surprise, a heifer of extra quality, perhaps a little beefy about the jaws, but with extra quarters, depth of middle, and showing a nice udder; Prairie Flower, also by Surprise, with a beautiful skin and good dairy form; and Spotty of St. Anne. The heifer calf class brought out one of the most perfect Ayrshire types, in Greenway's Queen of Prairie Home, bred by J. Yuill & Sons, Carleton Place, Ont. This heifer possesses in a marked degree the perfection of dairy form, with beautiful head and neck. Second went to the same exhibitor's Heather Honey, an extra nice thing; and third to Princess of Prairie Home. Hardy had a nice calf in Daisy of Fairview. In heifer calves of calendar year, 1st went to Greenway's Bonnie Doon of Prairie Home, 2nd to Hardy's Pride of Fairview, 3rd to Nancy Belle. For female any age in milk, Greenway won 1st on Ayrshire Maggie and 2nd on Silver Maid. In the open herd, Greenway won 1st and Steel Bros. 2nd, and their young herds were placed in the same order. On three animals, the get of one sire, bred in Manitoba, 1st went to Greenway's Prairie King, Prairie Flower and Stately Queen; 2nd to Steel Bros. Bella, Spunky and Nancy, the get of What-Care-I.

In the dairy grades, the Munroe Creamery Co. won 1st, 2nd and 3rd in aged cows.

BEEF GRADES.

In this class, George Allison, Burnbank, won 1st



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to Gamley, as well as 1st in ewes, Sinclair coming 3rd on a rather late but very meritorious pair of females. The aged and shearling ewe sections presented five lots, Sinclair winning on a magnificent pair of matrons, on one of which he won the female championship award. Gamley won 2nd and 3rd here, and 1st and 2nd on choice shearlings, Preston coming 3rd on a big, useful pair, with too much wool. Sinclair won 1st on pens and diploma on pair, Gamley coming 2nd and 3rd on pens.

LINCOLNS.

were represented by a well-filled class, presented by W. T. Lytle, Beaconsfield. His aged ram, a very fine sheep, was bred by Messrs. Gibson