

Russell, on Royal Scot; 3, Douglas & Son, on Comet; 4, Campbell. Bull, senior yearling: 1, Amos, on Belmont Beau; 2, R. & S. Nicholson, on Corsican Boy; 3, Elliott, on Ringleader Champion. Bull, junior yearling: 1, Gardhouse, on Sultan's Choice; 2, Amos, on Newton Grand Champion; 3, Elliott, on Ringleader Choice; 4, Nicholson, on Avenir Count. Bull, senior calf: 1 and 5, Nicholson, on Gallant Boy and Gay Boy; 2, Gardhouse, on Sultan's Hero; 3, Watt, on Gainford Seal; 4, Amos, on Walnut Victor. Bull, junior calf: 1, Gardhouse, on Sultan's Royal; 2 and 3, Amos, on Imperial Scot and Escana Marksman; 4 and 5, Nicholson, on Diphthong and Scottish Boy. Senior and grand champion bull: Watt, on Gainford Marquis. Junior champion bull: Gardhouse, on Sultan's Royal. Cow, aged: 1, Watt, on Oak Bluff Melba 2nd; 2 and 5, Elliott, on Irvin's Emmeline and Victor C. 75th; 3, Gardhouse, on Broadhook's Rose 3rd; 4, Campbell. Cow in milk: 1, Amos, on Princess Mysie; 2, Gardhouse, on Broadhook's Jilt; 3, Nicholson, on Clementina. Heifer, two years: 1, Elliott, on Roan Lady; 2, Watt, on Thelma 3rd; 3, Gardhouse, on Silver Queen. Heifer, senior yearling: 1, Amos, on Roan Beauty 2nd; 2, Elliott, on Rosa Hope 21st; 3, Gardhouse, on Roan Lady 9th; 4, Watt, on Glenholm Lady. Heifer, junior yearling: 1, Amos, on Trout Creek Sea Weed; 2, Watt, on Lady Secret; 3, Gardhouse, on Roan Lady 10th; 4, Elliott, on Queen Emmeline. Heifer, senior calf: 1, Gardhouse, on Sultan's Lady; 2, Watt, on Gainford Belle; 3 and 5, Amos, on Laurel Blossom and Belmont Queen; 4, Elliott, on Graceful Lady. Junior calf: 1, Gardhouse, on Roan Lady 11th; 2, Watt, on Gainford Silver; 3, Elliott, on Cecilia Queen; 4, Amos, on Merry Lass 15th; 5, Campbell. Senior and grand champion female: Elliott, on Roan Lady. Junior champion female: Amos, on Roan Beauty. Graded herd: 1, Watt; 2, Elliott. Junior herd: 1, Amos; 2, Gardhouse; 3, Watt; 4, Elliott. Calf herd: 1, Gardhouse; 2, Watt; 3, Nicholson; 4, Elliott. Get of sire: 1, Watt, on get of Gainford Marquis 2 and 3, Gardhouse, on get of Lavender Sultan. Produce of dam: 1 and 2, Gardhouse; 3, Nicholson.

**Aberdeen-Angus.**—The Aberdeen-Angus classes were particularly well filled this year, and the entries were conspicuous by their uniformity and evidence of good fitting. Practically all the classes were strong and competition was keen. The judge, J. A. Watt, of Elora, Ontario, had his work cut out for him and in some of the classes made changes from the Toronto placings, as will be seen by the list of awards which follows.

Of two aged bulls, Young Leroy, a low-set, evenly-fleshed, smooth bull, was placed ahead of Bravo's Prince of Larkin Farm, as was the case in Toronto.

There were three two-year-old bulls, and Beauty's Leroy, the bull that went third at Toronto, went to the top over Elm Park Kelso and Brigadier of Larkin Farm. Beauty's Leroy was afterwards made senior champion of the show over Bowman's old bull, Young Leroy.

There was only one senior yearling forward, Elm Park Raregood, shown by Bowman.

In junior yearlings Larkin's Royalist of Larkin Farm went to the top, as he did at Toronto, over Elm Park Pluto.

Lowe won both of the calf classes with Middlebrook Prince 7th, and Middlebrook Jock 2nd. The latter finally winning the junior championship and beating Bowman's Beauty's Leroy for the grand championship honors.

Five aged cows answered the call of the judge and Pride of Glen Rose, last year's senior champion at Toronto and grand champion at Ottawa, went to the top for Larkin. This cow was placed fifth in her class at Toronto this year, Middlebrook Beauty 6th, the second-prize cow beating her there, as did also her stablemate, Primrose of Larkin Farm, which stood third here. They are a bunch of very good cows and different judges place them differently.

Two-year-old heifers were out to the number of six, Lowe winning on Middlebrook Pride 17th, a very smooth, even-fleshed heifer which stood first in her class at Toronto. Larkin was two and three on the same heifers as were out at Toronto.

There were four senior yearlings, Larkin getting first and second on Pride of Larkin Farm 13th, and Her Majesty of Larkin Farm. Bowman's Elm Park Emmeline was third, and McEwen's Alloway Trojan came in for fourth money.

Junior yearlings were a good class, seven answering the call of the judge. Larkin again went to the top with Pride of Larkin Farm 14th. Lowe got in second with Middlebrook Pride 20th, which was fourth at Toronto; Bowman's Elm Park Rosebud, second at Toronto, going third.

Four good senior calves and the same number of junior calves made two interesting classes. The junior and grand champion female was found in the Larkin junior yearling, Pride of Larkin Farm 14th, a very smooth, sweet, evenly-fleshed, straight-lined, low-set individual.

Exhibitors.—John D. Larkin, Queenston; Jas. Bowman, Guelph; Jno. Lowe, Elora; Robt. McEwen, Byron.

**Awards.**—Bull, aged: 1, Bowman, on Young Leroy; 2, Larkin, on Bravo's Prince of Larkin Farm. Bull, two years: 1 and 2, Bowman, on Beauty's Leroy and Elm Park Kelso; 3, Lowe, on Brigadier of Larkin Farm. Bull, senior yearling: 1, Bowman, on Elm Park Raregood. Bull, junior yearling: 1, Larkin, on Loyalist of Larkin Farm; 2, Bowman, on Elm Park Pluto. Bull, senior calf: 1, Lowe, on Middlebrook Prince 7th; 2, Bowman, on Elm Park Buxom; 3, Larkin, on Sturdy of Larkin Farm; 4, Bowman, on Elm Park Partaker. Bull, junior calf: 1, Lowe, on Middlebrook Jock 2nd; 2, Bowman, on Elm Park Kenyon; 3, McEwen, on Trojan of Alloway; 4, Larkin, on Puritan 2nd of

Larkin Farm. Bull, senior champion: Bowman, on Beauty's Leroy. Bull, junior and grand champion: Lowe, on Middlebrook Jock 2nd. Cow, aged: 1 and 3, Larkin, on Pride of Glen Rose and Primrose of Larkin Farm; 2, Lowe, on Middlebrook Beauty 6th; 4, Bowman, on Elm Park Rosebud 16th. Heifer, two years: 1, Lowe, on Middlebrook Pride 17th; 2 and 3, Larkin, on Primrose 2nd of Larkin Farm and Primrose 3rd of Larkin Farm; 4, Bowman, on Elm Park Pride 15th. Heifer, senior yearling: 1 and 2, Larkin, on Pride of Larkin Farm 13th and Her Majesty of Larkin Farm; 3, Bowman, on Elm Park Emmeline; 4, McEwen, on Alloway Trojan. Heifer, junior yearling: 1 and 4, Larkin, on Pride 14th of Larkin Farm, and Elegance 2nd of Larkin Farm; 2, Bowman, on Elm Park Rosebud 26th; 3, Lowe, on Middlebrook Pride 21st; 5, Heifer, senior calf: 1, Lowe, on Middlebrook Pride 21st; 2, Bowman; 3 and 4, Larkin, on Pride of Larkin Farm 24th and Rosalind 4th of Larkin Farm. Heifer, junior calf: 1, Bowman; 2, McEwen; 3, Lowe; 4, Larkin. Senior champion female: Larkin, on Pride of Glen Rose. Junior and grand champion: Larkin, on Pride of Larkin Farm 14th. Graded herd: 1, Larkin; 2, Lowe; 3 and 4, Bowman. Junior herd: 1, Larkin; 2, Lowe; 3, Bowman. Calf herd: 1, Lowe; 2, Bowman; 3, Larkin; 4, McEwen.

**Herefords.**—Herefords have been steadily increasing at the Western Fair for the past two years and this year brought out the largest array of White Faces that have been seen in London. They are essentially a beef breed and the high prices paid for breeding animals, in the Western Provinces especially, have helped to bring them into prominence. They are excellent grazers and also put on flesh rapidly under proper care in the stable. Every class was filled this year, and in many there was keen rivalry for first place. The bulk of the honors went to herds which showed at Toronto. However, a couple of local herds got well up in the line on several occasions. O'Neil Bros. brought their herd direct from the pasture. Owing to shortage of help they spent no time in fitting their stock for the show. However, it appeared in good condition although not in high show form. They had some splendid individuals which, if fitted, would compete favorably in select company. In the senior-calf class O'Neil Bros. won first on a breezy, strong-topped calf. The bulk of the awards were placed in much the same order as at Toronto. Comment on the winners was made in the Toronto report.

H. D. Smith of Hamilton placed the awards.

Exhibitors.—G. E. Reynolds, Elora; L. O. Clifford, Oshawa; W. H. Hunter, Orangeville; McNeil & McNeil Dutton; O'Neil Bros., Denfield.

**Awards.**—Bull, three years and over: 1 and 2, Clifford, on Bonnie Brae 31st and Lord Fairfax; 3, Reynolds, on Brae Real 3rd. Bull, two years: 1, McNeil, on Albany Junior; 2, O'Neil, on Donald's Lad. Bull, one year: 1, Hunter, on High Ideal; 2, Clifford, on Brae Real 8th; 3, Hunter; 4, McNeil, on Beau Newton; 5, O'Neil. Bull, senior calf: 1, Clifford, on Lord Fairfax 5th; 2 and 4, Reynolds, on Reliance 3rd and Reliance 4th; 3, O'Neil, on Bonnie Lad; 5, McNeil, on Prince's Lad. Bull, junior calf: 1, Hunter, on St. Julien; 2, Reynolds, on Reliance 5th; 3, Clifford, on Lord Fairfax 16th; 4, O'Neil, on Beauty Boy; 5, McNeil, on Onward Doran. Cow, three years or over: 1 and 2, Clifford, on Miss Armour Fairfax and Della Fairfax; 3, Reynolds, on Miss Brae Real 3rd; 4 and 5, O'Neil, on Belle Donald and Lady Lala. Heifer, two years: 1, Clifford, on Miss Belle Fairfax; 2, Reynolds, on Dearie; 3, 4 and 5, O'Neil, on Angelica, April Rose and Star A. Heifer, senior yearling: 1 and 2, Reynolds, on Miss Reliance and Lady Bee; 3 and 4, O'Neil, on Zepher and Betsy R. Heifer, junior yearling: 1, 2 and 3, Clifford, on Perfection Lass 5th., Perfection Lass 3rd and Florina Fairfax; 4, Hunter, on Maid Marion 2nd; 5, Reynolds, on Miss Reliance 4th. Heifer, senior calf: 1, O'Neil, on Ulva 2nd; 2, Clifford, on Rosetta Fairfax; 3, McNeil, on Lady Anxiety 4, Reynolds, on Miss Reliance 5th. Heifer, junior calf: 1, Clifford, on Della; 2, Reynolds, on Miss Reliance 6th; 3, Hunter, on Miss Armour 2nd; 4, McNeil, on Lyn Princess; 5, O'Neil, on Donald's Lady. Senior and grand champion bull: Clifford, on Bonnie Brae 31st. Junior champion bull: Hunter, on High Ideal. Senior and grand champion female: Clifford, on Miss Armour Fairfax. Junior champion female: Clifford, on Perfection Lass 5th. Senior herd: 1, Clifford; 2, Reynolds; 3 and 4, O'Neil. Junior herd: 1, Clifford; 2, Reynolds; 3, McNeil; 4, O'Neil. Three, the get of one sire: 1 and 2, Clifford; 3, Hunter; 4, Reynolds. Two animals, progeny of one cow: 1, Clifford; 2, O'Neil; 3, Reynolds. Four calves bred by exhibitor: 1, Clifford; 2, Reynolds; 3, McNeil; 4, O'Neil. Hereford steer: O'Neil.

**Fat Cattle.**—A few choice steers were brought out in the fat-cattle classes, the awards being made as follows:

**Awards.**—Steer, two years: 1 and 2, T. A. Russell, Downsview. Steer, yearling: 1, 2 and 3, Russell. Pair of export steers: 1, 2 and 3, Russell.

### Dairy Cattle.

Situated in a district where dairying is specialized in, the entries of dairy cattle were brought from herds that have made a name not only in show-ring circles but also in production. No one breed had the monopoly. Holsteins and Ayrshires were about equal in numbers, with Jerseys following close. In all there were 211 animals brought out. It is doubtful if as high-class dairy animals have been brought together anywhere this year as were shown at the Western. The classes were filled, and in some eleven and twelve entries appeared to contest for placings. While uniformity of type and conformation was not so pronounced in the Black and White line-up as with Ayrshires and Jerseys, this did

not detract from the quality of individuals. Some real toppers were brought out. Showing was done under more favorable conditions this year than in the past. A large ring was roped off and the ground levelled, and this enabled the herds, as well as the single classes, to be shown without undue crowding. From morning until evening the dairy ring was surrounded with interested spectators intent on comparing the various entries and in studying type and quality. A catalogue with names of animals and of the exhibitors would have made the show of more value to onlookers, as it would have enabled them to identify the animals and note their breeding. The herd and group classes were particularly interesting from a breeder's viewpoint.

**Ayrshires.**—Five breeders brought out a total of eighty head, thus giving the Ayrshire breed the supremacy in entries by nine. There wasn't a poor individual brought into the ring. While several were not in as good bloom as they might have been, they possessed the true Ayrshire type and conformation. With but two or three exceptions the classes were well filled, and practically every placing was keenly contested. No one breeder had all the good ones, although the majority of firsts were divided between two herds. There was uniformity of conformation and of udder development in all the classes. Ayrshire breeders have a recognized type which all aim at. Substance, quality and production are combined in the one individual. W. W. Ballantyne, of Stratford, placed the awards.

In the aged-bull class Netherton King Theodore and Hillside Peter Pan were keen competitors for first place. The former was a straight, deep, thick bull with a wonderful front, but back of the hook bones he did not come up to the ideal. However, he possessed splendid character and quality, and would not have looked out of place ahead of Hillside Peter Pan. The high quality of his offspring in the younger classes was proof of his value as a herd header. There was no discount in Peter Pan; he is a show animal, and he too had sons and daughters which were well to the top in many classes. The junior and grand champion bull, Humeshaugh Invincible Peter, was a son of Peter Pan. He was a smooth, typey calf with a masculine bearing. His lines and quality could not be much improved. Eleven senior bull calves made a particularly strong class. They were strongly built and conformed to dairy type. The winners of the red and blue ribbons were sired by the winner of the aged class.

Six aged matrons in various stages of lactation and in different degrees of finish contested their class. The winner, and also senior and grand champion, was a beautiful cow. Not only did she have substance and quality, but she carried a big, well-balanced udder with prominent veins extending forward from it, which marked her as a producer. She might be a little deeper and thicker at the fore flank, but she was by no means weak at that point. Humeshaugh Kate was in splendid form. She, too, had substance, wedge-form, quality and carried the marks of a heavy milker. Lady Jane, a cow which has made high records, was fourth in the class. She appeared to be about dry. Shannon Bank Lucy stood third. She was a strongly-built cow with the earmarks of a producer. The appearance of this class proved that type and quality can be combined in one animal.

The class for three-year-olds in milk and the dry cows brought out splendid uniform line-ups. The ability for heavy production was in evidence in every entry; in some to a more marked degree than in others. The machinery was there, with the power of breeding, constitution and capacity behind it.

The nine senior yearlings were as much alike in type and conformation as could be. It was a strong line-up, and from top to bottom of the class there was no opportunity of picking flaws in the build of the entries. They all had that breezy appearance, were large enough for their age, had every indication of possessing strong constitutions and gave promise of well-attached udders, with teats correctly set. They would make a grand foundation on which to build a herd. Humeshaugh Helen 3rd was placed first, with Dewdrop of Menie second.

The senior heifer calf class was another particularly strong one. The red ribbon and junior championship went to Dainty Lass of Springbank, a sweet, typey calf with splendid conformation. The herd and group classes were uniformly good.

Exhibitors.—Alex. Hume & Co., Campbellford; Wm. Stewart & Son, Campbellford; Laurie Bros., Agincourt; J. L. Stansell, Stratfordville; A. S. Turner & Sons, Ryckman's Corners.

**Awards.**—Bull, aged, (4): 1, Hume, on Hillside Peter Pan; 2, Turner, on Netherton King Theodore; 3, Stansell, on Selwood Prince Ideal; 4, Laurie Bros., on Fairview Milkman. Bull, two years, (1): Stewart, on White Duke of Menie. Bull, one year, (2): 1, Turner, on Humeshaugh Invincible Peter; 2, Stewart, on Springbank Dairy Boy. Bull, senior calf, (11): 1 and 2, Hume, on Humeshaugh Perfect Peter and Humeshaugh Kate's Champion; 3, Laurie Bros., on Gladden Hill Free Trader; 4, Turner, on Marquis of Springbank. Bull, junior calf, (6): 1, Turner, on Springbank Major; 2, Stewart, on Sprightly Boy of Menie; 3, Stansell, on Selwood Armour Boy; 4, Hume, on Humeshaugh Sir Peter. Cow, aged, (6): 1 and 4, Turner, on Mountain Lass and Lady Jane; 2, Hume, on Humeshaugh Kate; 3, Laurie Bros., on Shannon Bank Lucy; 5, Stansell, on Selwood Pride. Cow, three years, (5): 1, Turner, on Briery of Springbank 3rd; 2, Hume, on Humeshaugh Snowball 2nd; 3, Laurie Bros., on Fannie of Gladden Hill. Cow, aged, dry, (7): 1, Laurie Bros., on Topsy of Gladden Hill; 2, Turner, on Snowdrop; 3, Stansell, on Humeshaugh Rose 2nd; 4, Stewart, on Mayflower. Cow, two years, in milk, (2): 1, Hume, on Humeshaugh Perfect Lady 2nd; 2, Turner, on Springbank Ruth. Cow, two