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In teams there were only two entries but they were a credit to any show-ring, both being extra good quality, draft animals. The winning team, a massive pair of black geldings was pronounced by the judge the best he had seen in any show-ring for some years.

Exhibitors.—W. F. Batty, Brooklin; A. Watson & Sons, Forest; Webster Bros., Glencoe; Thos. McMichael, Seaforth; J. C. Henderson, Lakeside; Robt. Duff & Son, Myrtle; J. McIntosh, Embro; W. Kent, Embro; Alex. Currie, Denfield; Jas. Gilbert, Glencoe; Graham Bros., Claremont.

Awards.—Stallion, aged: 1, McMichael, on Lord Ronald; 2, Currie, on Bright Star; 3, Gilbert, on Golden Glow. Stallion, two years: 1, Graham Bros., on Sir Leonard 2nd; 2, Watson; 3, Webster Bros. Stallion, one year: 1, Batty, on Prince Ascot. Champion stallion: Graham, on Sir Leonard 2nd. Brood mare with foal: 1, Watson, on Trim of Oro; 2, Webster Bros. on Walnut Hill Victoria; 3, Batty, on Newbigging Beauty. Mare, three years: 1, McMichael, on Floradora 2, Watson, on Hazel; 3, Henderson, on Net. Mare, two years: 1, Duff, on Sadie Roxborough; 2, Batty, on Molly May. Filly, yearling: 1 and 3, Batty, on Halma and Ascot Lady; 2, Henderson. Champion mare: Batty, on Halma. Team in harness: 1, McIntosh; 2, Kent.

Shires.—The Shire horse exhibit was not strong numerically, but a few good individuals, no strangers to the London show-ring, were brought out by Johnston Bros., of Croton. This exhibit came direct from Toronto where they had no competition. King Junior, the aged horse, a big black with considerable quality was made champion stallion, and Dewstow Fuchsia, one of the brood mares, was made champion female. Besides the aged horse one three-year-old, Prince Charles of Lambton, and a yearling, Lester Crown, were shown in the stallion classes, and Grey Fuchsia was placed second to Dewstow Fuchsia in the brood mares. A yearling filly, May Queen, and two foals completed the exhibit, which was worthy of competition.

Percherons.—The Percheron exhibit at the Western Fair was not large but some choice animals came forward, particularly in the aged-stallion class and in the three-year-old filly class.

The keenest competition in the breed was seen in the aged stallions where Elliott's Irade, the big, thick, high-quality, good-going, champion last year and at Toronto this year, went to the top over his two stablemates, Isly and Leicester, two good-quality horses with scarcely the scale and substance of the winner. In fourth place stood Toupet, a massive gray of not quite as high quality and not in as high fit.

There was only one three-year-old horse to answer the call and this good colt, Black Prince, carried away the red for McFarlane.

In two-year-olds only one came forward, and when it came to the line-up for championship Elliott's Irade was an easy winner.

There were five brood mares shown, none of which were in high condition, all coming straight from everyday work, and sucking foals had pulled them down in flesh. Bien A Moi, a big gray with considerable quality was placed over Kalmouck, the winner of this class last year.

The champion mare of the breed was found in Mayflower, a three-year-old of extra good quality with a nice top and full middle.

There was only one two-year-old and no yearlings. Exhibitors.—T. D. Elliott, Bolton; Robt. McFarlane, Thamesford; G. D. Hutchinson, Ingersoll; J. H. Thompson, Mt. Brydges; E. Hanmer, Norwich; A. W. Dobson, Weston.

Awards.—Stallion, aged: 1, 2 and 3, Elliott, on Irade, Isly and Leicester; 4, Thompson, on Toupet; 5, Hutchinson. Stallion, three years: 1, McFarlane, on Black Prince. Stallion, two years: 1, Hanmer, on Petrograd. Champion stallion, Elliott, on Irade. Brood mare and foal: 1 and 3, Hanmer, on Bien A Moi and Chindralelia; 2 and 4, Dobson, on Kalmouck, and Karavane; 5, Hutchinson. Mare, three years: 1, Dobson, on Mayflower. Filly, yearling: 1, Dobson, on Queen Victoria. Foal: 1 and 3, Hanmer; 2, Hutchinson; 4 and 5, Dobson. Champion mare: Dobson, on Mayflower.

Agricultural Horses.—We have seen better classes of agricultural horses than those which answered the call of the judge. The agricultural section is generally one of the most interesting of the show. The competition was not particularly keen this year.

Only two brood mares came forward, and the gelding and filly classes were not as well filled as they sometimes are, although some good individuals were scattered throughout.

The best pair of the exhibit was found in two fillies in the three-year-old section, they were both good quality and there was little to choose between them. Two very useful teams in harness also lined up.

Exhibitors.—McLean & Stonehouse, Wyoming; J. C. Henderson, Lakeside; F. E. Baker, Tambling's Corners; Chas. C. Day, Thamesford; Clinton Woodhall, Byron; Jas. McCartney, London.

Awards.—Brood mare with foal: 1, McLean & Stonehouse; 2, Henderson. Gelding or filly, three years old: 1, Day; 2, Henderson; 3, Woodhall. Gelding or filly, two years: 1, McLean & Stonehouse; 2, Henderson. Gelding or filly, one year: 1, McLean & Stonehouse; 2, Henderson; 3, Baker. Foal: 1, McLean & Stonehouse; 2, Henderson; 3, Baker. Pair in harness: 1, Henderson; 2, McCartney.

Farmer's Special Classes.—The classes listed as "Farmer's Special" were not as strong as they sometimes are and the regulations permit of a good deal of difference in type which makes it a difficult class for the judge.

In the class for two-year-old gelding or filly on the line, Robert Duff, Myrtle, Ontario, took first and second, with W. F. Batty, of Brooklin, third, and McLean & Stonehouse, of Wyoming, fourth.

In the class for filly or gelding in single harness and to weigh 1,400 pounds or under, W. W. Hogg, of Thamesford, was first, and L. Fried, of Roseville, second.

Two teams came out in competition for the money in the class for the most serviceable farm team weighing 1,400 pounds or under. First went to Henderson—the other team being overweight.

Light Horses.

The light horses were judged in front of the grandstand, and their splendid quality and action was much admired by a large crowd of spectators. While the entries were not particularly large in any of the light horse breeds, they were up to the average and the quality was of the best. Many of them came direct from the Canadian National and found in the local entries strong competition.

Hackneys.—Judge, E. B. Clancey, Guelph. Exhibitors.—J. F. Husband, Eden Mills; A. Watson & Sons, Forest; Graham Bros., Claremont; G. M. Anderson, Guelph; W. W. Taylor, Alvinston; L. Osier, Walkers; C. A. Munroe, Alvinston; D. A. Graham, Parkhill; G. H. Smith, Delhi.

Awards.—Stallion, aged: 1, Graham Bros.; 2, Watson; 3, Husband. Filly or gelding, three years: 1, Husband; 2, Anderson; 3, Munroe. Filly or gelding, two years: 1 and 2, Husband; 3, Osier. Filly or gelding, one year: 1, Husband; 2, Osier. Foal: Husband. Best stallion: Graham Bros., on Colorito. Best mare, any age: Smith.

Thoroughbreds.—Judge, W. H. Millman, Toronto. Exhibitors.—F. A. Mabee, Aylmer; Jas. McFarlane, Ailsa Craig; D. J. McKay, London; D. H. Siddall, Denfield.

Awards.—Stallion, aged: 1, Mabee; 2, McFarlane. Brood mare: McFarlane. Filly or gelding, three years: 1 and 2, McFarlane; 3, McKay. Filly or gelding, two years: 1, McFarlane. Foal: McFarlane. Stallion and three of his get: McFarlane. Best stallion: Mabee. Best mare: McFarlane.

Carriage.—Judge, W. H. Millman, Toronto.

Under this classification spectators expect to see high stepping, and they were not disappointed. In some of the classes there were a large number of entries, while in others the entries were small. However, practically all the animals were of splendid type and quality.

Exhibitors.—F. N. Case, Burgessville; F. A. Smith, Pt. Burwell; D. A. Graham, Parkhill; W. W. Taylor, Alvinston; T. Hardy Shore & Son, Glanworth; W. Munroe, Embro; D. N. Munroe, Glencoe; Jas. McFarlane, Ailsa Craig; J. F. Husband, Eden Mills; J. Tilt, Brampton; G. McElroy, West Monkton; G. M. Anderson, Guelph; J. W. Pinkney, Stratford; W. H. Shore, Glanworth; G. M. Smith, Delhi.

Awards.—Stallion, aged: 1, F. A. Smith; 2, Case; 3, Graham. Brood mare with foal: 1, W. H. Shore; 2, Husband; 3, McFarlane; 4, Tilt. Filly or gelding, three years: 1, Munroe; 2, W. Munroe; 3, Taylor; 4, Shore & Son. Filly or gelding, two years: 1, Shore & Son; 2, McElroy; 3, Anderson; 4, Pinkney. Filly or gelding, one year: 1, W. H. Shore; 2, Shore & Son; 3, Pinkney; 4, Case. Foal: 1, McFarlane; 2 and 3, W. H. Shore; 4, Tilt. Champion stallion: Smith. Champion mare: (first in harness class): G. M. Smith. Stallion and three of his get: F. A. Smith. Farmer's section single in harness: 1, W. O. Howard, Rockwood; 2, D. Mitchell, Glencoe; 3, Morton & Co., Galt. Double in harness: 1, Howard; 2, F. A. Smith; 3, Morton & Co.; 4, D. N. Munroe.

Roadsters.—Judge, E. B. Clancey. Exhibitors.—F. E. Baker, Tambling's Corners; F. M. Case, Burgessville; Jas. Tilt, Brampton; W. H. Shore, Glanworth; J. W. Pinkney, Stratford; L. Fried, Roseville; Thos. McMichael & Son, Seaforth; Geo. McElroy, West Monkton; N. Hamilton, Brussels; H. Cunningham, Chatham; Webster Bros., Glencoe; J. D. McVicar, Belmont.

Awards.—Brood mare: 1, Shore; 2, Pinkney; 3, Case; 4, Tilt. Filly or gelding: 1, Fried; 2, McMichael. Filly or gelding, two years: 1, Shore; 2, McElroy; 3, Tilt. Filly or gelding, one year: 1, Pinkney. Foal: 1, Case; 2, Tilt; 3, Shore. Champion mare: Fried. Farmer's section, single in harness: 1, Hamilton; 2, Fried; 3, Cunningham; 4, McMichael. Pair in harness: 1, Fried; 2, McVicar.

Standardbreds.—Judge, E. B. Clancey.

Exhibitors.—H. W. Lumby, Ridgetown; F. A. Mabee, Aylmer; T. D. Elliott, Bolton; C. M. McCall, Thamesville; D. J. Wood, Dorchester; J. A. McKay, Harrington; C. J. Weisbrick, Aylmer; A. Watson & Sons, Forest; J. W. Pinkney, Stratford; J. A. Swartz, St. Catharines; W. M. Oddy, St. Mary's; H. C. Kreh, New Hamburg; Dr. J. F. Wood, London; R. Douglas & Sons, Mitchell.

Awards.—Stallion, aged: 1, Elliott; 2, McCall; 3, Mabee. Stallion, three years: 1, Swartz; 2, Pinkney. Stallion, two years: 1, Oddy; 2, Kreh. Stallion, one year: 1 and 2, Douglas. Brood mare: 1, Douglas. Gelding or filly, two years: Pinkney. Foal: Douglas. Mare and foal: Douglas. Champion stallion any age and winner of Standardbred Horse Society special: Elliott. Reserve: Lumby.

Ponies.—Judge, E. B. Clancey.

Exhibitors.—Hastings Bros., Crosshill; J. D. Lang, Lambeth; Wm. Parker & Son, St. Thomas; J. Lloyd-Jones, Burford; Wm. McLeod, London; G. Wray, London; J. F. Husband, Eden Mills.

Awards.—Shetland stallion: 1, Lang; 2, Hastings Bros. Shetland mare: 1, Parker; 2, Hastings Bros. Welsh pony stallion: 1 and 2, Jones. Welsh pony mare: 1 Hastings Bros.; 2, Jones. Open class, mare: Lang.

Gelding or filly, two years: McLeod. Foal: Lang. Pony under saddle: 1, 2 and 3, Jones; 4, Lang. Single in harness, 12 hands and under: 1, Jones; 2 and 3, Parker; 4, Lang. Single, in harness 12 to 13½ hands: 1, McLeod; 2, Wray. Single in harness, over 13½ hands: 1, Lang; 2, Jones. Champion stallion, open to ponies not exceeding 14 hands: Husband. Champion mare, open to ponies not exceeding 14 hands, Hastings Bros.

Beef Cattle.

The beef cattle classes at the Western Fair never were stronger than was the case this year. Competition was keen in almost every class, and the breeders and feeders were to be complimented on the quality and fitting exhibited in a year when feed was somewhat of a problem. Aberdeen-Angus, Shorthorns, and Herefords were all out in goodly numbers, as the comment on the various classes will show.

Shorthorns.—It was a choice lot of well-fitted Shorthorns that faced Judge W. A. Dryden, of Brooklin, Ontario, in the various classes for this breed at the half-century Western Fair. Probably never in the history of the show have Shorthorn cattle put up a better exhibit, and competition was keen in almost every class.

Only one aged bull came forward, but he made up in quality for what was lacking in numbers, for it was none other than Gainford Marquis, the many-times champion, showing in his usual good bloom which sent him to the grand championship again this year.

Of the four-year-olds, Newton Loyalist, a light roan bull, straight in his lines, smooth and a youngster which is likely to be heard from again, went to the top rather handsily over Royal Scot, a more upstanding, thick bull, which does not finish off behind quite so well. Comet, a strong-topped bull was in third place.

Three senior yearlings were headed by Belmont Beau, the bull which won at Toronto and was runner-up for junior championship honors at this show. He is a very smooth, deep-fleshed, thick, dark roan, with few faults back of his head. Corsican Boy, a low-set, smooth and very thick bull, stood second for Nicholson, with Ringleader Champion, a little more upstanding, in third place.

Four junior yearlings were headed by Sultan's Choice, a very large, growthy youngster for his age, and he has smoothness with his size. He won at Toronto. Newton Grand Champion, a bull with a very good hind end and showing uniformity throughout, went second.

One of the strongest classes of the show came out in the senior calf section, and after a hard fight Nicholson's twin calf, Gallant Boy, a very low-set, straight-lined, thick youngster was placed ahead of Gardhouse's Sultan's Hero, another good one of the right type. Gainford Seal, Walnut Victor and Gay Boy, the twin of Gallant Boy, were placed in the order named.

The junior calf class of five furnished the junior champion of the show in Sultan's Royal, a white calf which beat out Belmont Beau for junior honors. He is a smooth, thick youngster in nice fit. Another white calf, Imperial Scot, and one of the right kind, stood second, with Escana Marksman third and Diphthong, a young calf for its section, in fourth place.

Oak Bluff Melba 2nd, the second-prize winner at Toronto, won the aged-cow class of five over Irvin's Emmeline. The winner was a younger cow in higher fit, and consequently showed to better advantage. She was a very smooth, even-fleshed heifer. Broadhook's Rose, a big, useful cow, was in third place.

The class for cow in milk brought out three, the best of which according to indications for milk was Mysie, a cow well on in her lactation period and not showing as much udder as Gardhouse's Broadhook's Jilt.

The best of three two-year-old heifers was found in Roan Lady, the big, thick, deep-fleshed individual which was so full of substance that she won at Toronto as well as here. She was finally made senior and grand champion, beating Roan Beauty for the grand award. Thelma 3rd, a smooth heifer of not quite the scale, went second.

The senior yearling section of five furnished some changes from Toronto awards. James Bowman, of Guelph, was called in to judge this section owing to the fact that Mr. Dryden was the breeder of one of the entries, Rosa Hope 21st, the heifer which was grand champion at the recent Canadian National. Mr. Bowman placed her second in her class to Roan Beauty 2nd, a very smooth, deep-fleshed, nice-handling roan of the right type but scarcely showing the character of the second-prize heifer. Good judges would not agree on which of the two should go to the top. Roan Beauty 2nd, after winning in this class, was made junior champion and reserve for grand champion. Roan Lady 9th, a strong heifer, went third for Gardhouse.

Of six junior yearlings, Trout Creek Sea Weed, the heifer which stood fourth at Toronto, a big, growthy, smooth roan, was placed first over Lady Secret, a high-quality, smooth, red heifer, which won at Toronto. This was a good class.

Seven senior heifer calves came forward and Gardhouse's roan heifer, Sultan's Lady, in the eyes of the judge, a little evenner and deeper fleshed and possibly thicker, finally went to the top over Gainford Belle, the straight-lined white heifer which won at Toronto and throughout the Western show circuit, this being her first defeat this year.

Gardhouse won again in junior calves with Roan Lady 11th, the calf which headed the class at Toronto.

Exhibitors.—J. A. Watt, Elora; J. J. Elliott, Guelph; John Gardhouse & Sons, Weston; R. & S. Nicholson, Parkhill; Geo. Amos & Sons, Moffat; G. Campbell, Lambeth; T. A. Russell, Downsview; D. Douglas & Sons, Mitchell.

Awards.—Bull, aged: 1, Watt, on Gainford Marquis. Bull, two years: 1, Elliott, on Newton Loyalist; 2,