

- DORKING (Dark), HEN.** 2 entries—
 1st prize: H. O. Davis, Finch-street, Beechworth.
 2nd do.: T. R. Pearce and Son, Excelsior Poultry Yards,
 42 Park-street, Moonee Ponds.
- DORKING (Dark), PULLET.** 1 entry—
 1st prize: H. O. Davis, Finch-street, Beechworth.
- DORKING (Silver Grey), COCK.** 6 entries—
 1st prize: L. Clarke, Chinie Poultry Farm, Newstead.
 2nd do.: N. Graham, Kingston-street, Cheltenham.
 3rd: E. W. Skilling, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.
- DORKING (Silver Grey), HEN.** 4 entries—
 1st prize: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
 Cheltenham.
 2nd do.: N. Graham, Kingston-street, Cheltenham.
 3rd do.: N. Graham, Kingston-street, Cheltenham.
- DORKING (Silver Grey), COCKEREL.** 4 entries—
 1st prize: H. Leversha, Harcourt, Vic.
 2nd do.: A. J. Maude, 55 Durham-street, Ballarat East.
 3rd do.: N. Graham, Kingston-street, Cheltenham.
- DORKING (Silver Grey), PULLET.** 4 entries—
 1st prize: A. J. Maude, 55 Durham-street, Ballarat East.
 2nd do.: N. Graham, Kingston-street, Cheltenham.
 3rd do.: N. Graham, Kingston-street, Cheltenham.
- CAMPINE, HEN or PULLET.** 1 entry—
 1st prize: T. R. Pearce and Son, Excelsior Poultry Yards,
 42 Park-street, Moonee Ponds.
- HOUDAN COCK.** 6 entries—
 1st prize: H. S. Trevena, Darriwell, Heidelberg-road,
 Fairfield Park.
 2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
 Cheltenham.
 3rd do.: S. E. Tame, Lower Plenty-road, Heidelberg.
- HOUDAN, HEN.** 8 entries—
 1st prize: H. S. Trevena, Darriwell, Heidelberg-road,
 Fairfield Park.
 2nd do.: H. S. Trevena, Darriwell, Heidelberg-road, Fair-
 field Park.
 3rd do.: Ernest E. Rouse, Boura Dilga, via Cunnock,
 N.S.W.

- FAVEROLLES, COCK.** 4 entries—
 1st prize: Francis Leslie Gray, c/o Farmers' Cash Stores, Bendigo.
 2nd do.: Kent Stud Poultry Farm, Dandenong.
- FAVEROLLES, HEN.** 4 entries—
 1st prize: Francis Leslie Gray, c/o Farmers' Cash Stores, Bendigo.
 2nd do.: Kent Stud Poultry Farm, Dandenong.
 3rd do.: Kent Stud Poultry Farm, Dandenong.
- BRAHMA (any colour), COCK or COCKEREL.** 2 entries—
 1st prize: H. O. Davis, Finch-street, Beechworth.
 2nd do.: G. Woodward, Kerferd-street, Hampton.
- BRAHMA (any colour), HEN or PULLET.** 2 entries—
 1st prize: H. O. Davis, Finch-street, Beechworth.
 2nd do.: G. Harvey, 70 Mitchell-street, Northcote.
- COCHIN (any colour), HEN or PULLET.** 2 entries—
 1st prize: G. Harvey, 70 Mitchell-street, Northcote.
 2nd do.: G. Harvey, 70 Mitchell-street, Northcote.
- LANGSHAN, COCK.** 3 entries—
 1st prize: John G. Bryant, Dean-street, Ararat.
 2nd do.: Mrs. P. Shirley, Barkly-street, Ararat.
- LANGSHAN, HEN.** 3 entries—
 1st prize: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-street, Mount Pleasant, Ballarat East.
 2nd do.: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-street, Mount Pleasant, Ballarat East.
 3rd do.: John G. Bryant, Dean-street, Ararat.
- LANGSHAN, COCKEREL.** 6 entries—
 1st prize: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-street, Mount Pleasant, Ballarat East.
 2nd do.: John G. Bryant, Dean-street, Ararat.
 3rd do.: Smith and Fisher, High-street, Ararat.
- LANGSHAN, PULLET.** 6 entries—
 1st prize: Dingley Dell Yards, Ararat.
 2nd do.: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-street, Mount Pleasant, Ballarat East.
 3rd do.: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-street, Mount Pleasant, Ballarat East.

RED SUSSEX, COCK or COCKEREL. 7 entries—
 1st prize: E. Ross and Sons, 276 Epsom-road, Ascot Vale.
 2nd do.: A. J. Maude, 55 Durham-street, Ballarat East.
 3rd do.: Mrs. A. Young, Tullamarine.

RED SUSSEX, HEN or PULLET. 9 entries—
 1st prize: H. A. Woolnough, Rusty Hill, N.S.W.
 2nd do.: E. Ross and Sons, 276 Epsom-road, Ascot Vale.
 3rd do.: Kent Stud Poultry Farm, Dandenong.

SPECKLED SUSSEX, HEN or PULLET. 1 entry—
 1st prize: Smith and Fisher, High-street, Ararat.

RHODE ISLAND RED, COCK (Single Comb). 5 entries—
 1st prize: H. S. Trevena, Darriwell, Heidelberg-road,
 Fairfield Park.
 2nd do.: Thomas Graham, Wangaratta.
 3rd do.: Hon. T. H. Payne, Woodburn, Kilmore.

RHODE ISLAND RED, HEN (Single Comb). 9 entries—
 1st prize: John Osborne, 56 Balwyn-road, Canterbury.
 2nd do.: Mrs. Tedstone, Whitehorse-road, Balwyn.
 3rd do.: E. W. Hippe, off Box Hill-road, Oakleigh.

RHODE ISLAND RED, COCKEREL (Single Comb). 17
 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. Tedstone, Whitehorse-road, Balwyn.
 2nd do.: W. Calder, "Te Marama," Denbigh-road, Arma-
 dale.
 3rd do.: W. E. Boyes, Kooramil, Pascoe-crescent, Essen-
 don.

RHODE ISLAND RED, PULLET (Single Comb). 16 en-
 tries—
 1st prize: W. E. Boyes, Kooramil, Pascoe-crescent, Es-
 sendon.
 2nd do.: Hon. T. H. Payne, Woodburn, Kilmore.
 3rd do.: A. Angus, 15 Browning-street, Moonee Ponds.

RHODE ISLAND RED, COCK (Rose Comb). 2 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. Tedstone, Whitehorse-road, Balwyn.
 2nd do.: E. W. Hippe, off Box Hill-road, Oakleigh.

RHODE ISLAND RED, HEN (Rose Comb). 1 entry—
 1st prize: E. W. Hippe, off Box Hill-road, Oakleigh.

RHODE ISLAND RED, COCKEREL (Rose Comb). 3 entries—

- 1st prize: Mrs. Tedstone, Whitehorse-road, Balwyn.
 2nd do.: E. W. Hippe, off Box Hill-road, Oakleigh.
 3rd do.: Albert Henry Hiscock, 16 Lennox-street, Moonee Ponds.

RHODE ISLAND RED, PULLET (Rose Comb). 4 entries—

- 1st prize: Miss C. A. Splatt, "Ivanhoe," Matlock-street, Canterbury.
 2nd do.: Mrs. Tedstone, Whitehorse-road, Balwyn.
 3rd do.: E. W. Hippe, off Box Hill-road, Oakleigh.

RHODE ISLAND RED, COCK or COCKEREL (any other colour). 3 entries—

- 1st prize: Mrs. A. E. Robb, Yarrabat-avenue, Balwyn.
 2nd do.: Mrs. E. Rohlk, "Kalgurli," Canterbury Park, Balwyn.
 3rd do.: R. Dalziel, "Montona Farm," Fehon-street, Yarraville.

RHODE ISLAND RED, HEN or PULLET (any other colour). 4 entries—

- 1st prize: Mrs. A. E. Robb, Yarrabat-avenue, Balwyn
 2nd do.: Mrs. E. Rohlk, "Kalgurli," Canterbury Park, Balwyn.
 3rd do.: R. Dalziel, "Montona Farm," Fehon-street, Yarraville.

HAMBURG (Black), COCK. 5 entries—

- 1st prize: W. H. Edgell, "Three Blacks Poultry Farm," Park-terrace, Kew.
 2nd do.: L. Clarke, Chinie Poultry Farm, Newstead.
 3rd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

HAMBURG (Black), HEN. 5 entries—

- 1st prize: Thomas Bowyer, 21 Cogarette-street, Geelong.
 2nd do.: W. H. Edgell, "Three Blacks Poultry Farm," Park-terrace, Kew.
 3rd do.: A. J. Maude, 55 Durham-street, Ballarat East.

HAMBURG (Black), COCKEREL. 5 entries—

- 1st prize: Thomas Bowyer, 21 Cogarette-street, Geelong.
 2nd do.: Thomas Bowyer, 21 Cogarette-street, Geelong.
 3rd do.: L. Clarke, Chinie Poultry Farm, Newstead.

HAMBURG (Black), PULLET. 7 entries—

- 1st prize: Thomas Bowyer, 21 Cogarette-street, Geelong.
 2nd do.: Thomas Bowyer, 21 Cogarette-street, Geelong.
 3rd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
 Cheltenham.

HAMBURG (any colour, Spangled), COCK or COCKEREL.

5 entries—

- 1st prize: G. Woodward, Kerferd-street, Hampton.
 2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
 Cheltenham.
 3rd do: L. Clarke, Chinie Poultry Farm, Newstead.

HAMBURG (any colour, Spangled), HEN or PULLET. 7 entries—

- 1st prize: G. Woodward, Kerferd-street, Hampton.
 2nd do.: T. R. Pearce and Son, Excelsior Poultry Yards,
 Park-street, Moonee Ponds.
 3rd do.: George Mock, East Burwood.

HAMBURG (any colour, Pencilled), COCK or COCKEREL.
6 entries—

- 1st prize: Sharpe Bros., 31 Garden-street, South Yarra.
 2nd do.: A. J. Maude, 55 Durham-street, Ballarat East.
 3rd do.: T. R. Pearce and Son, Excelsior Poultry Yards,
 Park-street, Moonee Ponds.

HAMBURG (any colour, Pencilled), HEN or PULLET. 5 entries—

- 1st prize: T. W. Bradley, 74 Waterloo-road, Northcote.
 2nd do.: T. R. Pearce and Son, Excelsior Poultry Yards,
 Park-street, Moonee Ponds.
 3rd do.: A. J. Maude, 55 Durham-street, Ballarat East.

SICILIAN BUTTERCUP, COCK or COCKEREL. 2 entries—

- 1st prize: A. R. Stanes, Hospital for Insane, Ararat.
 2nd do.: D. Stewart, Box 16, Trafalgar.

SICILIAN BUTTERCUP, HEN or PULLET. 2 entries—

- 1st prize: A. R. Stanes, Hospital for Insane, Ararat.
 2nd do.: D. Stewart, Box 16, Trafalgar.

ANY OTHER PURE BREED or VARIETY, COCK or COCKEREL. 5 entries—

- 1st prize: J. Burke, 22 Bloomfield-road, Ascot Vale.
 2nd do.: Alan Jaques, Balwyn-road, Balwyn.
 3rd do.: J. Burke, 22 Bloomfield-road, Ascot Vale.

ANY OTHER PURE BREED or VARIETY, HEN or PULLET. 6 entries—

- 1st prize: J. Burke, 22 Bloomfield-road, Ascot Vale.
 2nd do.: Alan Jaques, Balwyn-road, Balwyn.
 3rd do.: J. Burke, 22 Bloomfield-road, Ascot Vale.

Blue Breeds.

ANDALUSIAN, COCK. 5 entries—

- 1st prize: J. S. Clark, Hertford-street, Sebastopol.
 2nd do.: K. W. Quick, Snowden-avenue, Caulfield.
 3rd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

ANDALUSIAN, HEN. 3 entries—

- 1st prize: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.
 2nd do.: J. S. Clark, Hertford-street, Sebastopol.
 3rd do.: K. W. Quick, Snowden-avenue, Caulfield.

ANDALUSIAN, COCKEREL. 4 entries—

- 1st prize: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.
 2nd do.: K. W. Quick, Snowden-avenue, Caulfield.
 3rd do.: J. S. Clark, Hertford-street, Sebastopol.

ANDALUSIAN, PULLET. 3 entries—

- 1st prize: A. Ahpee, High-street, Avoca.
 2nd do.: K. W. Quick, Snowden-avenue, Caulfield.
 3rd do.: J. S. Clark, Hertford-street, Sebastopol.

LEGHORN, COCK or COCKEREL. 2 entries—

- 1st prize: A. J. Glass, 9 Nightingale-street, Balaclava.
 2nd do.: J. W. Shopland, Boundary-road, North Melbourne.

LEGHORN, HEN or PULLET. 4 entries—

- 1st prize: J. W. Shopland, Boundary-road, North Melbourne.
 2nd do.: J. W. Shopland, Boundary-road, North Melbourne.
 3rd do.: A. Anstee, 19 Merton-street, Caulfield.

SPANISH, COCK or COCKEREL. 2 entries—

1st prize: A. E. Ringwood, 262 New-street, Brighton.

2nd do.: A. E. Ringwood, 262 New-street, Brighton.

SPANISH, HEN or PULLET. 1 entry—

2nd prize: A. E. Ringwood, 262 New-street, Brighton.

(No 1st prize awarded.)

ORPINGTON, COCK. 1 entry—

1st prize: T. Watson, Bell-street, Heidelberg.

ORPINGTON, HEN. 2 entries—

1st prize: T. Watson, Bell-street, Heidelberg.

2nd do.: T. Watson, Bell-street, Heidelberg.

ORPINGTON, COCKEREL. 1 entry—

1st prize: T. Watson, Bell-street, Heidelberg.

ORPINGTON, PULLET. 2 entries—

1st prize: T. Watson, Bell-street, Heidelberg.

2nd do.: T. Watson, Bell-street, Heidelberg.

WYANDOTTE, COCK or COCKEREL. 1 entry—

1st prize: T. Watson, Bell-street, Heidelberg.

WYANDOTTE, HEN or PULLET. 2 entries—

1st prize: T. Watson, Bell-street, Heidelberg.

2nd do.: T. Watson, Bell-street, Heidelberg.

Utility Classes.

LEGHORN (White), COCKEREL. 5 entries—

1st prize: A. H. Loomes, Grange, White Horse-road, Canterbury.

2nd do.: R. R. Christie, St. Elmo P.F., Bently.

LEGHORN (White), PULLET. 13 entries—

1st prize: A. Angus, 15 Browning-street, Moonee Ponds.

2nd do.: Fulham Park, 407 Post Office-place, Melbourne.

3rd do.: R. R. Nankervis, "Ethelville," Shaftesbury-par., Croxton.

ANY OTHER VARIETY (Light Breed), COCKEREL. 2 entries—

1st prize: Alfred Morgan, Allansford.

2nd do.: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-street, Mount Pleasant, Ballarat East.

ANY OTHER VARIETY (Light Breed), PULLET. 3 entries—

1st prize: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-street, Mount Pleasant, Ballarat East.

2nd do.: Alfred Morgan, Allansford.

3rd do.: Thomas Bowyer, 21 Cogarette-street, Geelong.

ORPINGTON (Black), COCKEREL. 10 entries—

1st prize: J. Keenan, The Noske, Brisbane-street, Ascot Vale.

2nd do.: J. Butterfield, 38 Mirams-street, Ascot Vale.

3rd do.: G. A. Murray, 83 Steele-street, Moonee Ponds.

ORPINGTON (Black), PULLET. 13 entries—

1st prize: Louis Currie, 11 Hoddle-street, Essendon.

2nd do.: James H. Vicary, "Glenview," Vanberg-road, Essendon.

3rd do.: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-street, Mount Pleasant, Ballarat East.

ANY OTHER VARIETY (Heavy Breed), COCKEREL. 3 entries—

1st prize: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-street, Mount Pleasant, Ballarat East.

2nd do.: H. D. Pursell, Ludbrook-avenue, Caulfield.

3rd do.: A. Angus, 15 Browning-street, Moonee Ponds.

ANY OTHER VARIETY (Heavy Breed), PULLET. 5 entries—

1st prize: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-street, Mount Pleasant, Ballarat East.

2nd do.: A. Angus, 15 Browning-street, Moonee Ponds.

3rd do.: Sergeant T. Leatch, Warragul-road, Oakleigh.

Farmer's Trios.

WYANDOTTE (Silver), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. E. Rohlk, "Kalgurli," Canterbury Park, Balwyn.

2nd do.: P. Briggs, Chesterville-road, Moorabbin.

3rd do.: S. C. Trewenack, 150 Weller-street, Geelong West.

WYANDOTTES (Golden), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR OF HENS or PULLETS. 3 entries—

- 1st prize: Ralph Mitchell, Cambria, Albion-st., St. Kilda.
 2nd do.: E. and L. Hutchesson, Horsham.
 3rd do.: John Hickey, 7 Osborne-st., South Yarra.

WYANDOTTES (White), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 5 entries—

- 1st prize: A. Evans, Heywood.
 2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-rd., Cheltenham.
 3rd do.: Peter Fitzpatrick, Nilma, Gippsland.

WYANDOTTES (any other colour), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 2 entries—

- 1st prize: R. M. Frederick, 6 South-st., Ascot Vale.
 2nd do.: Mrs. Tom Lugton, "Elphinstone," Blyth-st., East Brunswick.

ORPINGTONS (Single Comb, Black), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 9 entries—

- 1st prize: C. W. Dickens, "Clontymon," Latrobe-ter., Geelong West.
 2nd do.: T. Marriott, Mentone.
 3rd do.: S. C. Trewenack, 150 Weller-st., Geelong West.

ORPINGTONS (Single Comb, Buff), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 5 entries—

- 1st prize: Peter Fitzpatrick, Nilma, Gippsland.
 2nd do.: M. Robbins, Atherton-rd., Oakleigh.
 3rd do.: Mrs. E. Rohlk, "Kalgurli," Canterbury Park, Balwyn.

ORPINGTONS (White), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR OF HENS or PULLETS. 1 entry—

- 1st prize: Mrs. E. Rohlk, "Kalgurli," Canterbury Park, Balwyn.

LEGHORNS (Brown), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 3 entries—

- 1st prize: Alfred Morgan, Allansford.
 2nd do.: E. and L. Hutchesson, Horsham.
 3rd do.: James Shepherd, 48 Church-st., Geelong West.

LEGHORNS (White), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 4 entries—

1st prize: F. T. Denner, "Norleigh," 65 Albert-st., Geelong West.

2nd do.: F. A. Newnham, All Egg Poultry Farm, Monument Creek.

MINORCAS, COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 4 entries—

1st prize: G. Riddell, "Carn Brae," 17 Warrick-st., Ascot Vale.

2nd do.: G. Dodson, c/o. W. Frobel, Daniel-st., Preston.

3rd do.: A. J. Maude, 55 Durham-st., Ballarat East.

ANDALUSIANS, COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 3 entries—

1st prize: A. Ahpee, High-st., Avoca.

2nd do.: James Ely, "Elonara," Holywood-st., Hampton.

3rd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

GAME (Old English), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 4 entries—

1st prize: Alfred Morgan, Allansford.

2nd do.: J. A. Woods, 31 Robinson-st., Moonee Ponds.

3rd do.: J. N. Williams, "Linton," Burke-rd., East Malvern.

PLYMOUTH ROCK (Open), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 7 entries—

1st prize: A. Ahpee, High-st., Avoca.

2nd do.: Evans and Blake, Branxholme.

3rd do.: James Orr, Willow Bank, Broadmeadows.

RHODE ISLAND RED (any colour), COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 8 entries—

1st prize: G. Woodward, Kerferd-st., Hampton.

2nd do.: Capt. A. E. T. Payne, "Yarraview," Lilydale.

3rd do.: James Mulgrave, 20 Miller-st., North Fitzroy.

Any Other PURE BREED or VARIETY, COCK or COCKEREL, and PAIR of HENS or PULLETS. 2 entries—

1st prize: Alfred Morgan, Allansford.

2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

DRAKE and PAIR of DUCKS (White). 5 entries—

1st prize: G. Dodson, c/o W. Froebel, Daniel-st., Preston.

2nd do.: Mrs. T. Hogan, Hastings.

3rd do.: F. J. Fawcett, c/o. Messrs. Bamfield Bros., Preston.

DRAKE and PAIR of DUCKS (any other colour). 3 entries—

1st prize: W. J. Symonds, Bathwick Duck Farm, Dandenong.

2nd do.: W. Park, "Fairview," Lower Bethanga.

3rd do.: F. A. Newnham, All Egg Poultry Farm, Monument Creek.

TURKEY, GOBBLER. 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. James Beard, Beard's P.O., via Traralgon.

2nd do.: Mrs. James Beard, Beard's P.O., via Traralgon.

TURKEY, HEN. 2 entries—

1st prize: John Rumbold, Baringhup.

YOUNG TURKEY, GOBBLER (under 12 months old). 4 entries—

1st prize: Miss A. Craven, Merrigum.

2nd do.: John Rumbold, Baringhup.

YOUNG TURKEY, HEN (under 12 months old). 2 entries—

1st prize: John Rumbold, Baringhup.

GANDER (any variety). 2 entries—

1st prize: Dookie Agriculture College, Dookie.

2nd do.: Mrs. E. C. Lehmann, Tamleigh P.O., via Violet Town.

GOOSE (any variety). 2 entries—

1st prize: Dookie Agriculture College, Dookie.

2nd do.: Mrs. E. C. Lehmann, Tamleigh P.O., via Violet Town.

DRAKE (Aylesbury). 4 entries—

1st prize: P. Briggs, Chesterville-rd., Moorabbin.

2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

3rd do.: P. Briggs, Chesterville-rd., Moorabbin.

DUCK (Aylesbury). 5 entries—

1st prize: P. Briggs, Chesterville-rd., Moorabbin.

2nd do.: P. Briggs, Chesterville-rd., Moorabbin.

3rd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
Cheltenham.

YOUNG DRAKE (Aylesbury). 4 entries—

1st prize: C. H. Hawkins and Son, "The Pines," Sheppar-
ton.2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
Cheltenham.

3rd do.: A. Evans, Heywood.

YOUNG DUCK (Aylesbury). 3 entries—

1st prize: C. H. Hawkins and Son, "The Pines," Sheppar-
ton.2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
Cheltenham.3rd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
Cheltenham.

DRAKE (Rouen). 4 entries—

1st prize: P. Briggs, Chesterville-road, Moorabbin.

2nd do.: Mrs. T. Hogan, Hastings.

DUCK (Rouen). 5 entries—

1st prize: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
Cheltenham.

2nd do.: P. Briggs, Chesterville-rd., Moorabbin.

3rd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
Cheltenham.

YOUNG DRAKE (Rouen). 2 entries—

1st prize: W. J. Symonds, Bathwick Duck Farm, Dande-
nong.2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
Cheltenham.

YOUNG DUCK (Rouen). 2 entries—

1st prize: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
Cheltenham.2nd do.: W. J. Symonds, Bathwick Duck Farm, Dande-
nong.

DRAKE (Pekin). 4 entries—

1st prize: P. Briggs, Bathwick Duck Farm, Dandenong.

2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

3rd do.: G. O. Harris, 8 Napier-st., Essendon.

DUCK (Pekin). 7 entries—

1st prize: P. Briggs, Chesterville-road, Moorabbin.

2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

3rd do.: C. W. Dickens, "Clontymon," Latrobe-terrace, Geelong West.

YOUNG DRAKE (Pekin). 4 entries—

1st prize: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

3rd do.: P. Briggs, Chesterville-road, Moorabbin.

YOUNG DUCK (Pekin). 5 entries—

1st prize: P. Briggs, Chesterville-road, Moorabbin.

2nd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

3rd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

DRAKE (Buff Orpington). 3 entries—

1st prize: James Crozier, Numurkah.

2nd do.: W. Park, "Fairview," Lower Bethanga.

3rd do.: James Crozier, Numurkah.

DUCK (Buff Orpington). 3 entries—

1st prize: James Crozier, Numurkah.

2nd do.: W. Park, "Fairview," Lower Bethanga.

3rd do.: James Crozier, Numurkah.

DRAKE (Muscovy). 9 entries—

1st prize: Thomas Stephens, 15 Henderson-st., Northcote South.

2nd do.: W. S. Beever, 27 Eldridge-st., Footscray.

3rd do.: J. A. Woods, 31 Robinson-st., Moonee Ponds.

DUCK (Muscovy). 10 entries—

1st prize: William Wills, Derby-st., Northcote.

2nd do.: F. J. Fawcett, c/o. Messrs. Bamfield Bros., Preston.

3rd do.: William Wills, Derby-st., Northcote.

DRAKE (Indian Runner). 7 entries—

1st prize: E. J. Fairfield, "Bothnia," Arncliffe-st., Arncliffe, N.S.W.

2nd do.: W. J. Symonds, Bathwick Duck Farm, Dandenong.

3rd do.: James Crozier, Numurkah.

DUCK (Indian Runner). 9 entries—

1st prize: James Crozier, Numurkah.

2nd do.: W. Burr, Fairview-av., Newtown, Geelong.

3rd do.: W. Burr, Fairview-av., Newtown, Geelong.

YOUNG DRAKE (Indian Runner). 7 entries—

1st prize: E. J. Fairfield, "Bothnia," Arncliffe-st., Arncliffe, N.S.W.

2nd do.: W. J. Symonds, Bathwick Duck Farm, Dandenong.

YOUNG DUCK (Indian Runner). 8 entries—

1st prize: W. Burr, Fairview-av., Newtown, Geelong.

2nd do.: James Crozier, Numurkah.

3rd do.: Samuel Beavis, Junr., Heywood.

DRAKE (White Runner). 3 entries—

1st prize: W. J. Symonds, Bathwick Duck Farm, Dandenong.

2nd do.: Mrs. H. Chipperfield, Studley-ter., Kew.

3rd do.: T. Marriott, Mentone.

DUCK (White Runner). 4 entries—

1st prize: T. Marriott, Mentone.

2nd do.: Mrs. H. Chipperfield, Studley-ter., Kew.

3rd do.: W. J. Symonds, Bathwick Duck Farm, Dandenong.

DRAKE (any other Variety). 1 entry—

1st prize: Wm. L. Hubbert, Field-st., Caulfield.

DUCK (any other Variety). 1 entry—

1st prize: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham.

Export Classes.

PAIR of COCKERELS (adapted for Export). 4 entries—
1st prize: L. Watson and R. Dodds, 605 Armstrong-st.,
N. Ballarat.

2nd do.: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-st., Mount Pleasant,
Ballarat East.

3rd do.: Capt. A. E. T. Payne, "Yarraview," Lilydale.

PAIR of PULLETS (adapted for Export). 8 entries—

1st prize: W. C. Fricker, 49 Couper-st., Footscray.

2nd do.: Mrs. D. Stewart, McDonald-st., Numurkah.

3rd do.: Mrs. A. Young, Tullamarine.

TWO DUCKS (under 12 months old, suitable for Export). 5
entries—

1st prize: W. J. Symonds, Bathwick Duck Farm, Dandenong.

2nd do.: Pearce Bros., Humphrey-st., Mount Pleasant,
Ballarat East.

3rd do.: Alex. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin-road,
Cheltenham.

TWO TURKEY GOBBLERS (under 12 months old, suitable for Export). 1 entry—

1st prize: Mrs. John Reddan, "Holden View," Bulla.

TWO TURKEY HENS (under 12 months old, suitable for Export). 2 entries—

1st prize: G. Woodward, Kerferd-st., Hampton.

2nd do.: Mrs. John Reddan, "Holden View," Hampton.

Government Grand Champion Certificate.

MEDITERRANEAN BREEDS (best Bird, any age or sex).
Rogen and Andrew, Ormond.

OTHER BREEDS, bantams excepted, (best Bird, any age
or sex)—

Pearce Bros., Humphrey-st., Mount Pleasant, Ballarat
East.

BEST DUCK or DRAKE—

P. Briggs, Chesterville-rd., Moorabbin.

BEST PAIR of BIRDS (pure bred or cross) Adapted for Export—

W. C. Fricker, 49 Couper-st., Footscray.

Section 45.—PIGEONS AND CAGE BIRDS.

POUTER, COCK. 7 entries—

1st prize: William Cartledge, 88 Peel-st. North, Ballarat East.

2nd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

3rd do.: George Heath, 9 South Audley-st., Abbotsford.

POUTER, HEN. 5 entries—

1st prize: William Cartledge, 88 Peel-st. North, Ballarat East.

2nd do.: William Cartledge, 88 Peel-st. North, Ballarat East.

3rd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

POUTER (Pigmy or Cropper), COCK. 2 entries—

1st prize: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

2nd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

POUTER (Pigmy or Cropper), HEN. 2 entries—

1st prize: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

2nd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

FANTAIL (White), COCK. 7 entries—

1st prize: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

2nd do.: C. Meaker, Royal Park, Parkville.

3rd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

FANTAIL (White), HEN. 6 entries—

1st prize: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

2nd do.: C. Meaker, Royal Park, Parkville.

3rd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

FANTAIL (any other colour), COCK or HEN. 3 entries—

1st prize: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

2nd do.: Miss Edna Newson, Harrison-st., Bendigo.

3rd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

FANTAIL (any colour), COCK or HEN, Young. 6 entries—

1st prize: C. Meaker, Royal Park, Parkville.

2nd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

3rd do.: C. Meaker, Royal Park, Parkville.

TURBIT, COCK. 3 entries.

1st prize: J. A. C. Von Einem, Harron-rd., St. Peters, S.A.

2nd do.: James Whitehill, Mont Albert-rd., Surrey Hills.

3rd do.: J. A. C. Von Einem, Harron-rd., St. Peters, S.A.

- TURBIT, HEN.** 1 entry—
1st prize: J. A. C. Von Einem, Harron-rd., St. Peters, S.A.
- TURBIT, COCK or HEN, Young.** 1 entry—
1st prize: J. A. C. Von Einem, Harron-rd., St. Peters, S.A.
- BLONDINETTE, COCK.** 4 entries—
1st prize: J. A. C. Von Einem, Harron-rd., St. Peters, S.A.
2nd do.: James Whitehill, Mont Albert-rd., Surrey Hills.
3rd do.: J. A. C. Von Einem, Harron-rd., St. Peters, S.A.
- BLONDINETTE, HEN.** 1 entry—
1st prize: James Whitehill, Mont Albert-rd., Surrey Hills.
- SATINETTE, COCK.** 2 entries—
1st prize: J. A. C. Von Einem, Harron-rd., St. Peters, S.A.
2nd do.: Claude Hall, Caulfield.
- SATINETTE, HEN.** 2 entries—
1st prize: J. A. C. Von Einem, Harron-rd., St. Peters, S.A.
2nd do.: Claude Hall, Caulfield.
- ORIENTAL FRILL, COCK or HEN, Young.** 5 entries—
1st prize: James Whitehill, Mont Albert-rd., Surrey Hills.
2nd do.: James Whitehill, Mont Albert-rd., Surrey Hills.
3rd do.: James Whitehill, Mont Albert-rd., Surrey Hills.
- NUN, COCK or HEN.** 3 entries—
1st prize: Mrs. J. N. Cleal, 85 Dandenong-rd., Malvern.
2nd do.: Claude Hall, Caulfield.
- ARCHANGEL, COCK or HEN.** 5 entries—
1st prize: Mrs. J. N. Cleal, 85 Dandenong-rd., Malvern.
2nd do.: Mrs. Hannah Young, 19 Nottingham-st., Prahran.
3rd do.: T. Oakley Clarke, Mountain-rd., Bayswater.
- DRAGON (any colour), COCK.** 5 entries—
1st prize: F. J. Ireland, 145 Arthurton-rd., Northcote.
2nd do.: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.
3rd do.: F. J. Ireland, 145 Arthurton-rd., Northcote.
- DRAGON (any colour), HEN.** 4 entries—
1st prize: F. J. Ireland, 145 Arthurton-rd., Northcote.
2nd do.: W. J. Symonds, Bathwick Duck Farm, Dandenong.
3rd do.: F. J. Ireland, 145 Arthurton-rd., Northcote.

DRAGON (any colour), **COCK** or **HEN**, Young. 4 entries—
 1st prize: F. J. Ireland, 145 Arthurton-rd., Northcote.
 2nd do.: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.
 3rd do.: F. J. Ireland, 145 Arthurton-rd., Northcote.

JACOBIN (Black), **COCK**. 2 entries—
 1st prize: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.
 2nd do.: Mrs. Hannah Young, 19 Nottingham-st., Prahran.

JACOBIN (Black), **HEN**. 3 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. Hannah Young, 19 Nottingham-st., Prahran.
 2nd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.
 3rd do.: C. C. Cousins, 270 Gertrude-st., Fitzroy.

JACOBIN (any other colour), **COCK** or **HEN**. 1 entry—
 1st prize: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

JACOBIN (any colour), **COCK** or **HEN**, Young—
 1st prize: Mrs. Hannah Young, 19 Nottingham-st., Prahran.
 2nd do.: Mrs. Hannah Young, 19 Nottingham-st., Prahran.
 3rd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

MAGPIE (Black), **COCK**. 3 entries—
 1st prize: C. Meaker, Royal Park, Parkville.
 2nd do.: Mrs. J. N. Cleal, 85 Dandenong-rd., Malvern.
 3rd do.: T. Oakley Clarke, Mountain-rd., Bayswater.

MAGPIE (Black) **HEN**. 5 entries—
 1st prize: C. Meaker, Royal Park, Parkville.
 2nd do.: C. Meaker, Royal Park, Parkville.
 3rd do.: Miss Edna Newson, Harrison-st., Bendigo.

MAGPIE (any other colour), **COCK**. 3 entries—
 1st prize: C. Meaker, Royal Park, Parkville.
 2nd do.: C. Meaker, Royal Park, Parkville.
 3rd do.: Mrs. J. N. Cleal, 85 Dandenong-rd., Malvern.

MAGPIE (any other colour), **HEN**. 2 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. J. N. Cleal, 85 Dandenong-rd., Malvern.
 2nd do.: T. Oakley Clarke, Mountain-rd., Bayswater.

SWALLOW (any variety), **COCK** or **HEN**. 2 entries—
 1st prize: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.
 2nd do.: A. E. Tame, Lower Plenty-rd., Heidelberg.

TUMBLER (Long-faced), COCK. 5 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Hannah Young, 19 Nottingham-st., Prahran.

2nd do.: C. Meaker, Royal Park, Parkville.

3rd do.: Mrs. Hannah Young, 19 Nottingham-st., Prahran.

TUMBLER (Long-faced), HEN. 2 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Hannah Young, 19 Nottingham-st., Prahran.

2nd do.: James Whitehill, Mont Albert-rd., Surrey Hills.

TUMBLER (Long-faced), MUFFLED, HEN or COCK. No entry.

SHORT-FACED TUMBLER (Almond), COCK. 2 entries—

1st prize: Claude Hall, Caulfield.

2nd do.: Mrs. F. J. Fergus, 148 Pilgrim-st., Footscray.

SHORT-FACED TUMBLER (Almond), HEN. 2 entries—

1st prize: Claude Hall, Caulfield.

2nd do.: F. J. Fergus, 148 Pilgrim-st., Footscray.

SHORT-FACED TUMBLER (any other colour), COCK.

2 entries—

1st prize: Claude Hall, Caulfield.

2nd do.: F. J. Fergus, 148 Pilgrim-st., Footscray.

SHORT-FACED TUMBLER (any other colour), HEN.

2 entries—

1st prize: Claude Hall, Caulfield.

2nd do.: F. J. Fergus, 148 Pilgrim-st., Footscray.

SHORT-FACED BEARD (any colour), COCK or HEN.

2 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

2nd do.: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

SHORT-FACED BALDHEAD, COCK or HEN. 1 entry—

No exhibit.

SHORT-FACED TUMBLER (any colour), COCK or HEN,

Young. No entry.

AFRICAN OWL, COCK. 5 entries—

1st prize: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

2nd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

3rd do.: J. A. C. Von Einem, Harron-rd., St. Peters, S.A.

AFRICAN OWL, HEN. 5 entries—

1st prize: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

2nd do.: Frank Crotty, 129 Glenferrie-rd., Glenferrie.

3rd do.: J. A. C. Von Einem, Harron-rd., St. Peters, S.A.

AFRICAN OWL, COCK or HEN, Young. 2 entries—

1st prize: J. A. C. Von Einem, Harron-rd., St. Peters, S.A.

2nd do.: T. Oakley Clarke, Mountain-rd., Bayswater.

ENGLISH OWL, COCK. 1 entry—

1st prize: T. Oakley Clarke, Mountain-rd., Bayswater.

ENGLISH OWL, HEN. 1 entry—

No award made.

ENGLISH OWL, COCK or HEN, Young. No entry.

SADDLEBACK (Red Stripe), COCK or HEN. 2 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

2nd do.: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

SADDLEBACK (Red Spot), COCK or HEN. 2 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

2nd do.: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

SADDLEBACK (Black Stripe), COCK or HEN. 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

2nd do.: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

SADDLEBACK (Black Spot), COCK or HEN. 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

2nd do.: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

SADDLEBACK (any other colour) COCK or HEN. No entry.

SADDLEBACK (any colour, Spot or Stripe), YOUNG COCK or YOUNG HEN. 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

2nd do.: Mrs. G. G. Ingram, 32 Dickens-st., St. Kilda.

CARNEAU (Red or Yellow), COCK. 4 entries—

1st prize: Leslie Gaze, Hampton-st., Middle Brighton.

2nd do.: Algernon Darge, 175 Collins-st., City.

3rd do.: Edward Bush, Margaret-st., Murrumbeena.

CARNEAU (Red or Yellow), HEN. 4 entries—

- 1st prize: Algernon Darge, 175 Collins-st., City.
- 2nd do.: Edward Bush, Margaret-st., Murrumbeena.
- 3rd do.: Leslie Gaze, Hampton-st., Middle Brighton.

CARNEAU (Red or Yellow Splash), COCK. 4 entries—

- 1st prize: Leslie Gaze, Hampton-st., Middle Brighton.
- 2nd do.: Algernon Darge, 175 Collins-st., City.
- 3rd do.: Edward Bush, Margaret-st., Murrumbeena.

CARNEAU (Red or Yellow Spash), HEN. 4 entries—

- 1st prize: Leslie Gaze, Hampton-st., Middle Brighton.
- 2nd do.: Algernon Darge, 175 Collins-st., City.
- 3rd do.: Edward Bush, Margaret-st., Murrumbeena.

RUNT, COCK or HEN. 3 entries—

- 1st prize: F. J. Fergus, 148 Pilgrim-st., Footscray.
- 2nd do.: F. J. Fergus, 148 Pilgrim-st., Footscray.
- 3rd do.: James King, Erica-av., East Malvern.

UTILITY CLASS (any variety), COCK. 6 entries—

- 1st prize: Leslie Gaze, Hampton-st., Middle Brighton.
- 2nd do.: Algernon Darge, 175 Collins-st., City.
- 3rd do.: Edward Bush, Margaret-st., Murrumbeena.

UTILITY CLASS (any variety), HEN. 5 entries—

- 1st prize: Leslie Gaze, Hampton-st., Middle Brighton.
- 2nd do.: Algernon Darge, 175 Collins-st., City.
- 3rd do.: F. J. Fergus, 148 Pilgrim-st., Footscray.

SHOW HOMER, COCK. 6 entries—

- 1st prize: A. Wurz, 175 Collins-st., City.
- 2nd do.: A. Wurz, 175 Collins-st., City.
- 3rd do.: F. J. Fergus, 148 Pilgrim-st., Footscray.

SHOW HOMER, HEN. 6 entries—

- 1st prize: A. Wurz, 175 Collins-st., City.
- 2nd do.: A. Wurz, 175 Collins-st., City.
- 3rd do.: W. J. Symonds, Bathwick Duck Farm, Dandenong.

BARRED WORKING HOMER (any colour), Cock. 7 entries—

- 1st prize: Herbert Ford, 1 Princess-st., Caulfield.
- 2nd do.: W. Staggard, 196a Burwood-rd., Hawthorn.
- 3rd do.: Herbert Ford, 1 Princess-st., Caulfield.

BARRED WORKING HOMER (any colour), HEN. 4 entries—

1st prize: T. Kirk, 211 Melbourne-rd., North Williamstown.

2nd do.: Herbert Ford, 1 Princess-st., Caulfield.

BLUE or BLACK CHEQUER WORKING HOMER, COCK. 9 entries—

1st prize: G. W. Walker, 12 Seacombe-grove, Glenferrie.

2nd do.: T. Kirk, 211 Melbourne-rd., North Williamstown.

3rd do.: G. W. Walker, 12 Seacomb-grove, Glenferrie.

Very Highly Commended: Arthur Collier, Doutta Galla Hotel, Newmarket.

BLUE or BLACK CHEQUER WORKING HOMER, HEN. 12 entries—

1st prize: T. Kirk, 211 Melbourne-rd., North Williamstown.

2nd do.: W. Staggard, 196a Burwood-rd., Hawthorn.

3rd do.: G. W. Walker, 12 Seacombe-grove, Glenferrie.

RED CHEQUER WORKING HOMER, COCK. 10 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Hannah Young, 19 Nottingham-st., Prahran.

2nd do.: John Allen, 68 Westbourne-st., West Brunswick.

3rd do.: G. W. Walker, 12 Seacomb-grove, Glenferrie.

RED CHEQUER WORKING HOMER, HEN. 9 entries.

1st prize: T. Kirk, 211 Melbourne-rd., North Williamstown.

2nd do.: W. Staggard, 196a Burwood-rd., Hawthorn.

3rd do.: T. R. Pearce and Son, 42 Park-st., Moonee Ponds

Any Other Variety WORKING HOMER, COCK. 11 entries—

1st prize: S. Hawkins, Shepparton.

2nd do.: C. A. Archer, 1 Meek-st., Brighton.

3rd do.: W. Staggard, 196a Burwood-rd., Hawthorn.

Any Other Variety WORKING HOMER, HEN. 7 entries—

1st prize: C. A. Archer, 1 Meek-st., Brighton.

2nd do.: John Allen, 68 Westbourne-st., West Brunswick.

3rd do.: A. Hensell, 46 Myross-ter., Ascot Vale.

WORKING HOMER, COCK or HEN, Rung 1916. 11 entries—

- 1st prize: W. Staggard, 196a Burwood-rd., Hawthorn.
 2nd do.: G. W. Walker, 12 Seacombe-grove, Glenferrie.
 3rd do.: G. W. Walker, 12 Seacombe-grove, Glenferrie.

WORKING HOMER (any colour), COCK or HEN. Bird must have flown 100 to 250 miles in a recognised Club Match. 3 entries—

- 1st prize: T. R. Pearce and Son, 42 Park-st., Moonee Ponds.
 2nd do.: G. Davidson, Harrison-st., Bendigo.

WORKING HOMER (any colour), COCK or HEN. Bird must have flown 250 miles or over in a recognised Club Match. 4 entries—

- 1st prize: W. Staggard, 196a Burwood-rd., Hawthorn.
 2nd do.: G. Davidson, Harrison-st., Bendigo.
 3rd do.: T. R. Pearce and Son, 42 Park-st., Moonee Ponds

Canaries and Cage Birds.

CRESTED NORWICH, COCK or HEN. 2 entries—

- 1st prize: R. Jordan, Beach-rd., Hampton.
 2nd do.: J. L. Ness, 39 Dickens-st., Moonee Ponds.

CRESTED-BRED NORWICH, COCK or HEN. 4 entries—
 1st prize: W. J. Myring, 149 Mt. Alexander-rd., Flemington.

- 2nd do.: R. Jordan, Beach-rd., Hampton.
 3rd do.: J. L. Ness, 39 Dickens-st., Moonee Ponds.

CLEAR PLAINHEAD NORWICH (Yellow), COCK or HEN. 3 entries—

- 1st prize: W. J. Myring, 149 Mt. Alexander-rd., Flemington.
 2nd do.: S. Drayton, 10 Pine-av., Elwood.
 3rd do.: J. L. Ness, 39 Dickens-st., Moonee Ponds.

CLEAR PLAINHEAD NORWICH (Buff), COCK or HEN. 4 entries—

- 1st prize: W. J. Myring, 149 Mt. Alexander-rd., Flemington.
 2nd do.: J. L. Ness, 39 Dickens-st., Moonee Ponds.
 3rd do.: S. Drayton, 10 Pine-av., Elwood.

VARIEGATED PLAINHEAD NORWICH (Yellow),
COCK or HEN. 2 entries—

1st prize: W. J. Myring, 149 Mt. Alexander-rd., Flemington.

VARIEGATED PLAINHEAD NORWICH (Buff), COCK
or HEN. 3 entries—

1st prize: W. J. Myring, 149 Mt. Alexander-rd., Flemington.

2nd do.: J. L. Ness, 39 Dickens-st., Moonee Ponds.

3rd do.: S. Drayton, 10 Pine-av., Elwood.

CINNAMON NORWICH (Buff), COCK or HEN. 1 entry—

1st prize: W. J. Myring, 149 Mt. Alexander-rd., Flemington.

YORKSHIRE CLEAR or VARIEGATED COCK. 3 entries—

1st prize: W. J. Myring, 149 Mt. Alexander-rd., Flemington.

2nd do.: H. S. Hunt, The Esplanade, Clifton Hill.

3rd do.: W. G. Hunt, 20 Butler-st., North Richmond.

YORKSHIRE CLEAR or VARIEGATED HEN. 3 entries—

1st prize: H. S. Hunt, The Esplanade, Clifton Hill.

2nd do.: W. J. Myring, 149 Mt. Alexander-rd., Flemington.

3rd do.: W. G. Hunt, 20 Butler-st., North Richmond.

Any variety AUSTRALIAN FINCH. 1 entry—

1st prize: A. Abbott, 31 Campbell-st., Collingwood.

Any variety AUSTRALIAN FINCH (in pairs). 3 entries—

1st prize: A. Abbott, 31 Campbell-st., Collingwood.

2nd do.: A. Abbott, 31 Campbell-st., Collingwood.

Any variety FOREIGN FINCH. 3 entries—

1st prize: Norman V. King, Kerferd-rd., Essendon.

2nd do.: Norman V. King, Kerferd-rd., Essendon.

3rd do.: J. A. Johns, 382 St. Kilda-rd., City.

COLLECTION of SIX FINCHES (any variety). 1 entry—

1st prize: Albert Abbott, 31 Campbell-st., Collingwood.

Any Variety PARROT, Small. 3 entries—
 1st prize: James H. Vicary, Vanberg-rd., Essendon.
 2nd do.: C. A. Boswell, 81 Lord-st., Richmond.
 3rd do.: J. A. Johns, 382 St. Kilda-rd., City.

Any Variety PARROT, Large. 1 entry—
 1st prize: Mrs. J. Lancaster, 419 Napier-st., Fitzroy.

Any Variety COCKATOO. 1 entry—
 1st prize: Mrs. L. Barlow, 342 Maribyrnong-road, Moonee Ponds.

Any Variety GALAH. No entry—

Section 46—DOGS.

NEWFOUNDLAND DOG. 1 entry—
 1st prize: Charles Taylor, 42 Southey-st., St. Kilda,
 "Toby."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, NEWFOUNDLAND DOG or
 BITCH—
 Charles Taylor, 42 Southy-st., St. Kilda, "Toby."

ST. BERNARD DOG. 2 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. R. E. Morse, 574 Lygon-st., Carlton,
 "Sydenham Leo."
 2nd do.: Mrs. R. E. Morse, 574 Lygon-st., Carlton.
 "Donald Leo."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, ST. BERNARD DOG or BITCH—
 Mrs. R. E. Morse, 574 Lygon-st., Carlton, "Sydenham
 Leo."

GREAT DANE, DOG. 4 entries—
 1st prize: D. B. McGregor, 685 Spencer-st., West Mel-
 bourne, "Binjie."
 2nd do.: E. N. Wheeler, 49 Brougham-st., North Mel-
 bourne, "Death."
 3rd do.: J. Waugh, 26 Villiers-st., North Melbourne,
 "Darkie."

GREAT DANE, BITCH. 2 entries—
 1st prize: M. McGregor Seach, North-road, Caulfield,
 "Lady Gwen."
 2nd do.: John Waugh, 26 Villiers-street, North Mel-
 bourne, "Lady."

CHALLENGE PRIZE GREAT DANE DOG or BITCH.
M. McGregor Seach, North-road, Caulfield, "Lady
Gwen."

BULLDOG, DOG (Open). 9 entries—

1st prize: E. Holmes Muir, 8 Collins-street, City, "Champion Young Australia."

2nd do.: Leslie McLaren, Temple Court Hotel, Queen-street, City, "His Majesty."

3rd do.: J. H. Lee, 50 Moreland-road, East Brunswick, "General Birdwood."

BULLDOG, DOG (Australian Bred) (Special). 8 entries—

1st prize: E. Holmes Muir, 8 Collins-street, City, "Champion Young Australia."

2nd do.: Leslie McLaren, Temple Court Hotel, Queen-street, City, "His Majesty."

3rd do.: J. H. Lee, 50 Moreland-road, East Brunswick, "General Birdwood."

BULLDOG PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Open) (Special). 4 entries—

1st prize: A. H. Bendall, 75 Market-street, Kensington, "Pride of Australia."

2nd do.: Mrs. C. Foster Browne, 95 Barker's-road, Kew, "Valmar Teddy."

CHALLENGE PRIZE BULLDOG, DOG:

E. Holmes Muir, 8 Collins-street, City, "Champion Young Australia."

BULLDOG, BITCH (Open). 2 entries—

1st prize: A. Langley, 20 Bowen-crescent, North Carlton, "Princess Patricia."

2nd do.: A. H. Bendall, 75 Market-street, Kensington, "Bonnie Australia."

BULLDOG, BITCH (Australian Bred) (Special). 2 entries—

1st prize: A. Langley, 20 Bowen-crescent, North Carlton, "Princess Patricia."

2nd do.: A. H. Bendall, 75 Market-street, Kensington, "Bonnie Australia."

CHALLENGE PRIZE BULLDOG, BITCH

A. Langley, 20 Bowen-crescent, North Carlton, "Princess Patricia."

COLLIE (Rough), DOG (Open). 8 entries—

1st prize: W. Cockbill, 407 P.O.-place, City, "Amietta Specialist."

2nd do.: Gleniffer Kennels, 90 Richardson-street, Albert Park, "Gleniffer Observe."

COLLIE (Rough) DOG (Australian Bred (Special). 6 entries—

1st prize: W. Cockbill, 407 P.O.-place, City, "Amietta Specialist."

2nd do.: Gleniffer Kennels, 90 Richardson-street, Albert Park, "Gleniffer Observe."

COLLIE (Rough) PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Open) (Special). 6 entries—

1st prize: Master J. D. C. Robertson, 26 Mayston-street, Upper Hawthorn, "Argyle Dinnie."

2nd do.: Tamworth Kennels, 46 Glenferrie-road, Kew, "Tamworth Mena Chief."

COLLIE (Rough), BITCH (Open). 3 entries—

1st prize: W. Cockbill, 407 P.O.-place, City, "Amietta Important."

2nd do.: Frank F. Taylor, "Bracken Brae," Cranbourne, "Bracken Brae Una."

COLLIE (Rough), BITCH (Australian Bred) (Special). 3 entries—

1st prize: W. Cockbill, 407 P.O.-place, City, "Amietta Important."

2nd do.: Frank F. Taylor, "Bracken Brae," Cranbourne, "Bracken Brae Una."

COLLIE (Smooth), DOG. 3 entries—

1st prize: J. H. W. Brayn, 1 Labenia-street, Essendon—"Sharp."

2nd do.: James Smith, Ancona, via Melton, "Dash."

COLLIE (Smooth) PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 1 entry—

No award.

COLLIE (Smooth), BITCH. 1 entry—

1st prize: Hugh Thompson, c/o J. Kitchen and Sons, Port Melbourne, "Mollie."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, COLLIE (Rough or Smooth),
DOG—

W. Cockbill, 407 P.O.-place, City, "Amietta Specialist."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, COLLIE (Rough or Smooth),
BITCH—

W. Cockbill, 407 P.O.-place, City, "Amietta Important."

KELPIE, DOG. 8 entries—

1st prize: C. L. Montgomery, 55 Manningtree-road, Hawthorn, "Needle."

2nd do.: E. and L. Hutchesson, Horsham, "Belgium Laddie."

KELPIE PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 4 entries—

1st prize: Henry Brown, 48 Wolsey-parade, Kensington, "Flossie."

2nd do.: W. H. Montgomery, Hiawatha, Alberton West, "Fly."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, KELPIE, DOG—

No award.

KELPIE, BITCH. 7 entries—

1st prize: Henry Brown, 48 Wolsey-parade, Kensington, "Flossie."

2nd do.: W. H. Montgomery, Hiawatha, Alberton West, "Fly."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, KELPIE, BITCH—

No award.

OLD ENGLISH SHEEP DOG, DOG. 2 entries—

1st prize: Leonard Eason, Kyabram, "Scotty."

2nd do.: A. L. Nichol, "Moorabbin-road, Cheltenham, "Glen Craik Boss."

OLD ENGLISH SHEEP DOG, BITCH. No entry.

CHALLENGE PRIZE, OLD ENGLISH SHEEP DOG,
DOG or BITCH—

Leonard Eason, Kyabram, "Scotty."

CATTLE DOG, DOG. 7 entries—

1st prize: Ernest D. Armstrong, Quarantine Station, Point Nepean, "Barney."

2nd do.: J. C. Chisler, Werribee, "Jack."

CATTLE DOG, BITCH. 2 entries—

2nd prize: J. C. Chisler, Werribee, "Nettle."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, CATTLE DOG, DOG or BITCH—

No award.

DANDY DINMONT, DOG. No entry.

DANDY DINMONT, BITCH. No entry.

DACHSHUND, DOG. 1 entry—

1st prize: Mrs. C. R. Smee, "Danbury," 14 King-street, Elsternwick, "Peter."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, DACHSHUND, DOG—

Mrs. C. R. Smee, 14 King-street, Elsternwick, "Peter."

DACHSHUND, BITCH. 1 entry—

1st prize: Mrs. C. R. Smee, 14 King-street, Elsternwick, "Queenie."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, DACHSHUND, BITCH—

Mrs. C. R. Smee, 14 King-street, Elsternwick, "Queenie."

POODLE, DOG. 1 entry—

1st prize: James R. Nicholls, 409 Rathdown-street, Carlton, "Rathdown Peter."

POODLE, BITCH. No entry.

CHALLENGE PRIZE, POODLE, DOG or BITCH—

James R. Nicholls, 409 Rathdown-street, Carlton, "Rathdown Peter."

TOY POODLE, DOG. 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. R. Harkom, 312 Swan-street, Richmond, "Merrie Bonnie."

2nd do.: A. Evans, Poath-road, Murrumbeena, "Calderwood Peter."

TOY POODLE, BITCH. 6 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Kate McGregor, 72 Mary-street, Richmond, "Richmond Midget."

2nd do.: Mrs. R. Harkom, 312 Swan-street, Richmond, "White Beauty."

TOY POODLE PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 6 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. R. Harkom, 312 Swan-street, Richmond,
"Baby Belgium."

2nd do.: Mrs. Kate McGregor, 72 Mary-street, Richmond,
"Richmond Dandy."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, TOY POODLE, DOG or BITCH—

Mrs. R. Harkom, 312 Swan-street, Richmond, "Merrie Bonnie."

PEKINESE, DOG. 1 entry—

1st prize: Mrs. R. Dalziel, 15 Fehon-street, Yarraville,
"Chang Yu Kee."

PEKINESE, BITCH. No entry.

CHALLENGE PRIZE, PEKINESE, DOG or BITCH—

Mrs. R. Dalziel, 15 Fehon-street, Yarraville, "Chang Yu Kee."

POMERANIAN (Chocolate or Brown), DOG. No entry.

POMERANIAN (Chocolate or Brown) PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 2 entries—

1st prize: J. W. Israel, Sackville-street, East Kew, "Pomland Ulverstone Cadbury."

POMERANIAN (Chocolate or Brown), BITCH. 1 entry—
No award.

POMERANIAN (any other colour), DOG. 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. W. H. Waters, "Vici," Emo-road, East Malvern, "Redhill Sunset."

2nd do.: Mrs. A. Cross, Fire Station, Garden-street, South Yarra, "Jim."

POMERANIAN (any other colour) PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 10 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. W. H. Waters, Emo-road, East Malvern, "Wavenor Wondrous."

2nd do.: I. Bundara, Prospect-street, Pascoe Vale, "Lady Gesto."

POMERANIAN (any other colour), BITCH. 7 entries—

1st prize: Frank Comer, Horace-street, Malvern, "Erinvil Peggie."

2nd do.: Mrs. W. H. Waters, Emo-road, East Malvern, "Wavenor Wondrous."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, POMERANIAN, DOG—

Mrs. W. H. Waters, Emo-road, East Malvern, "Redhill
Sunset."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, POMERANIAN, BITCH—

Frank Comer, Horace-street, Malvern, "Erinvil Peggie."

PUG, DOG. 1 entry—

1st prize: R. Dalziel, 15 Fehon-street, Yarraville, Grand
Champion, "Zulu Chief."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, PUG, DOG—

R. Dalziel, Fehon-street, Yarraville, Grand Champ., "Zulu
Chief."

PUG, BITCH. 1 entry—

1st prize: R. Dalziel, Fehon-street, Yarraville, "Zenda."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, PUG, BITCH—

R. Dalziel, Fehon-street, Yarraville, "Zenda."

DEERHOUND, DOG. 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss V. Pearson, 37 Chessell-street, South Mel-
bourne, "Dart."

2nd do.: J. R. Fiske, 241 Queen-street, City, "Sandy Strath-
doon."

DEERHOUND, BITCH. 1 entry—

1st prize: J. M. Watt, "Gowrie," Hastings, "Kelvin Belle."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, DEERHOUND, DOG or BITCH—

Miss Vera Pearson, 37 Chessell-street, South Melbourne,
"Dart."

BORZOIS, DOG. 1 entry—

1st prize: P. F. Daly, 24 Parkville-street, Burnley, "Prince
Eric."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, BORZOIS, DOG—

P. F. Daly, 24 Parkville-street, Burnley, "Prince Eric."

BORZOIS, BITCH. 2 entries—

1st prize: A. J. Marshall, Lands Department, Melbourne,
"Olga."

2nd do.: P. F. Daly, 24 Parkville-street, Burnley, "Lady
Duma."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, BORZOIS, BITCH—

A. J. Marshall, Lands Department, Melbourne, "Olga."

GREYHOUND, DOG. 4 entries—

1st prize: P. J. Devlin, North Geelong, "Missa Johnston."

2nd do.: Miss I. Paulin, 20 Stead-street, South Melbourne, "Lazy."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, GREYHOUND, DOG—

P. J. Devlin, North Geelong, "Missa Johnston."

GREYHOUND, BITCH. 1 entry—

1st prize: S. Campbell, Kilmore, "Dolly Mac."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, GREYHOUND, BITCH—

S. Campbell, Kilmore, "Dolly Mac."

POINTER, DOG. 8 entries—

1st prize: J. H. Pascoe, 90 Hope-street, South Yarra, "Lord Gwynne."

2nd do.: W. E. Collier, 65 Melrose-street, North Melbourne, "Prince Bardolph."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, POINTER, DOG—

J. H. Pascoe, 90 Hope-street, South Yarra, "Lord Gwynne."

POINTER PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 1 entry—

1st prize: L. Husband, 2 Dudley-street, West Footscray, "Moscow."

POINTER, BITCH. 12 entries—

1st prize: T. Wallis, Thomastown, "Yaheen Lady."

2nd do.: J. H. Pascoe, 90 Hope-street, South Yarra, "Nell Gwynne."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, POINTER, BITCH—

T. Wallis, Thomastown, "Yaheen Lady."

ENGLISH SETTER, DOG. 8 entries—

1st prize: A. E. Newman, 123 Barkly-street, West Footscray, "Banker."

2nd do.: J. Nosedá, 194 Page-street, Middle Park, "Lord Mack."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, ENGLISH SETTER, DOG—

A. E. Newman, 123 Barkly-street, West Footscray, "Banker."

ENGLISH SETTER PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 2 entries—

1st prize: W. V. Eden, Heatherton, "Lady Edna."

2nd do.: Mrs. Herbert Cousens, 56 Ardmillan-road, Moonee Ponds, "Nancy Stair."

ENGLISH SETTER, BITCH. 8 entries—

1st prize: C. Waddell, 158 Kerferd-road, Albert Park, "Champion Kerferd Belle."

2nd do.: R. B. Finch, 5 Byron-street, East Caulfield, "Lemon."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, ENGLISH SETTER, BITCH—

C. Waddell, 158 Kerferd-road, Albert Park, "Champion Kerferd Belle."

GORDON SETTER, DOG. 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss L. Pinschof, 29 Lewisham-road, Windsor "Grand Com. Champion Studley Heather Bounce."

2nd do.: R. Leverett, 19 Grosvenor-street, Moonee Ponds, "Studley Heather Bob."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, GORDON SETTER, DOG—

1st prize: Miss L. Pinschof, 29 Lewisham-road, Windsor "Grand Com. Champion Studley Heather Bounce."

GORDON SETTER PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 1 entry—

No exhibit.

GORDON SETTER, BITCH. 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss L. Pinschof, 29 Lewisham-road, Windsor, "Grand Com. Champion Studley Beauty Girl."

2nd do.: P. Fleming, 25 Stawell-street, Coburg, "Juno."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, GORDON SETTER, BITCH—

Miss L. Pinschof, 29 Lewisham-road, Windsor, "Grand Commonwealth Champion Studley Beauty Girl."

IRISH SETTER, DOG. 7 entries—

1st prize: S. C. Stephens, 6 Moodie-street, East Caulfield, "Union John."

2nd do.: J. H. Toy, Sunbury, "Advance Australia."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, IRISH SETTER, DOG—

S. C. Stephens, 6 Moodie-street, East Caulfield, "Union John."

IRISH SETTER PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 6 entries—

1st prize: H. C. Shields, Heatherton, "Edward Carson."
2nd do.: T. C. Shields, Heatherton, "Nance."

IRISH SETTER, BITCH. 7 entries—

1st prize: J. H. Toy, Sunbury, "Champion Betty."
2nd do.: J. D. Shawcross, 320 Brunswick-street, Fitzroy.
"Grand Champion Sassafras Halo."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, IRISH SETTER, BITCH—

J. H. Toy, Sunbury, "Champion Betty."

RETRIEVER, DOG. 3 entries—

1st prize: Clements Langford, 23 Clifton-street, Richmond, "Wallace."
2nd do.: Clements Langford, 23 Clifton-street, Richmond, "Netty Monarch."

RETRIEVER, BITCH. 4 entries—

1st prize: Clements Langford, 23 Clifton-street, Richmond, "Penwortham Sly Girl."
2nd do.: Ernest S. West, Wawn-street, Caulfield, "Westies' Bess."

FLAT-COATED RETRIEVER, DOG. No entry.

FLAT-COATED RETRIEVER, BITCH. No entry.

SPANIEL (Field), DOG. 1 entry—

No award.

SPANIEL (Field), PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). No entry.

SPANIEL (Field), BITCH. No entry.

SPANIEL (Cocker), DOG. 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. J. Kirwan Green, 22 Robinson's-road, Hawthorn, "Grand Com. Cham. Connosieur of Ware."
2nd do.: Mrs. J. Elliott, 62 Mason-street, Hawthorn, "Bonny Bangson."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, SPANIEL (Cocker), DOG—

Mrs. J. Kirwan Green, 22 Robinson's-road, Hawthorn, "Grand Com. Cham. Connosieur of Ware."

SPANIEL (Cocker) PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. J. Elliott, 62 Mason-street, Hawthorn, "Bonny Bustle."

2nd do.: Mrs. J. Elliott, 62 Mason-street, Hawthorn, "Bonny Blue."

SPANIEL (Cocker), BITCH. 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. J. Elliott, 62 Mason-street, Hawthorn, Champion, "Bonny Brattle."

2nd do.: Mrs. J. Kirwan Green, 22 Robinson's-road, Hawthorn, "Hopetoun Hope."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, SPANIEL (Cocker), BITCH—

Mrs. James Elliott, 62 Mason-street, Hawthorn, Champ., "Bonny Brattle."

FOX TERRIER (Smooth), DOG (Open). 11 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. G. Gidney, 175 Somerset-street, Richmond, Champ. "Riverton Bouncer."

2nd do.: Truman and Shiels, 109 Park-street, North Carlton, "Paringa Dashaway."

3rd do.: R. H. Church, 146 Roseneath-street, Clifton Hill, "Derwent Dauntless."

Very Highly Commended: R. S. Nott, River-street, South Yarra, "Milo School Boy."

FOX TERRIER (Smooth), DOG (Australian Bred) (Special). 12 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. G. Gidney, 175 Somerset-street, Richmond, "Riverton Bouncer."

2nd do.: Truman and Shiels, 109 Park-street, North Carlton, "Paringa Dashaway."

3rd do.: R. H. Church, 146 Roseneath-street, Clifton Hill, "Derwent Dauntless."

Very Highly Commended: R. S. Nott, River-street, South Yarra, "Milo School Boy."

FOX TERRIER (Smooth) PUPPY, DOG (Open) (Special)—

1st prize: Truman and Shiels, 109 Park-street, North Carlton, "Paringa Dashaway."

2nd do.: R. S. Nott, River-street, South Yarra, "Milo School Boy."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, FOX TERRIER (Smooth), DOG—
Mrs. G. Gidney, 175 Somerset-street, Richmond, Champ.
"Riverton Bouncer."

FOX TERRIER (Smooth), BITCH (Open). 7 entries—
1st prize: Watson and Dodds, 175 Somerset-street, Richmond, "Riverton Bassinette."
2nd do.: Watson and Dodds, 175 Somerset-street, Richmond, "Riverton Baroness."

FOX TERRIER (Smooth), BITCH (Australian Bred) (Special). 8 entries—
1st prize: Watson and Dodds, 175 Somerset-street, Richmond, "Riverton Bassinette."
2nd do.: Watson and Dodds, 175 Somerset-street, Richmond, "Riverton Baroness."

FOX TERRIER (Smooth) PUPPY, BITCH (Open) (Special). 3 entries—
1st prize: R. H. Church, 146 Roseneath-street, Clifton Hill, "Roseneath Delight."
2nd do.: W. H. Breakspear, Carlton and United Breweries, Carlton, "Perambulator."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, FOX TERRIER, BITCH—
Watson and Dodds, 175 Somerset-street, Richmond, "Riverton Bassinette."

THE HEATH-QUIGLEY CHALLENGE CUP, for best Australian FOX TERRIER. To be won twice by same exhibitor before being finally won.

Winners: 1911: Mr. A. J. Martin, Footscray.
1912: Messrs. Watson and Dodds, Richmond.
1913: Miss Grace E. Rodgers, 7 Ovens-street, Yarraville.
1914: R. S. Nott, "Wakefield," River-street, South Yarra.
1915: No Show held.
1916: B. A. Anderson, Sullivan-street, Inglewood.
1917: Won finally by Watson and Dodds, Richmond.

WIREHAISED FOX TERRIER, DOG (Open). 2 entries—
1st prize: C. H. Griffin, 127 Sydney-road, Brunswick, "Royal Sovereign."
2nd do.: R. Turnbull Oliver, Taradale, "Bonza Boy."

WIREHAISED FOX TERRIER, DOG (Australian Bred) (Special). 2 entries—

1st prize: C. H. Griffin, 127 Sydney-road, Brunswick, "Royal Sovereign."

2nd do.: R. Turnbull Oliver, Taradale, "Bonza Boy."

WIREHAISED FOX TERRIER PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Open) (Special). 1 entry—

2nd prize: F. G. Johnston, 32 Glover-street, South Melbourne, "Eileen Venus."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, WIREHAISED FOX TERRIER, DOG—

C. H. Griffin, 127 Sydney-road, Brunswick, "Royal Sovereign."

WIREHAISED FOX TERRIER, BITCH (Open). 4 entries—

1st prize: E. F. Head, 208 Albion-street, Brunswick, "Devon Belle."

2nd do.: A. G. Langridge, 2 River-street, South Yarra, "Golden Bell."

WIREHAISED FOX TERRIER, BITCH (Australian Bred) (Special). 4 entries—

1st prize: E. F. Head, 208 Albion-street, Brunswick, "Devon Belle."

2nd do.: A. G. Langridge, 2 River-street, South Yarra, "Golden Bell."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, WIREHAISED FOX TERRIER, BITCH—

E. F. Head, 208 Albion-street, Brunswick, "Devon Belle."

SKYE TERRIER, DOG. 2 entries—

1st prize: L. A. Harper, High-street, Rutherglen, "Little Boy."

2nd do.: L. A. Harper, High-street, Rutherglen, "Joffre."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, SKYE TERRIER, DOG—

L. A. Harper, High-street, Rutherglen, "Little Boy."

SKYE TERRIER, BITCH. 2 entries—

1st prize: L. A. Harper, High-street, Rutherglen, "Fairy."

2nd do.: L. A. Harper, High-street, Rutherglen, "Fluff."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, SKYE TERRIER, BITCH—

L. A. Harper, High-street, Rutherglen, "Fairy."

SCOTCH TERRIER, DOG. 4 entries—

1st prize: L. Husband, 2 Dudley-street, West Footscray,
"Spider."

2nd do.: L. Husband, 2 Dudley-street, West Footscray,
"Cobweb."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, SCOTCH TERRIER, DOG—

L. Husband, 2 Dudley-street, West Footscray, "Spider."

SCOTCH TERRIER, BITCH. 3 entries—

1st prize: J. W. Stephens, 484 City-road, South Melbourne,
"Wee Lassie."

2nd do.: R. C. Thorn, 441 Napier-street, Fitzroy, "Hems-
by Mona."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, SCOTCH TERRIER, BITCH—

J. W. Stephens, 484 City-road, South Melbourne, "Wee
Lassie."

IRISH TERRIER, DOG (Open). 5 entries—

1st prize: Hewitt and Dash, 361 Johnston-street, Abbots-
ford, Com. Grand Champ., "Musbury Diable."

2nd do.: Mrs. Mary Kienast, 140 Park-street, Parkville,
Grand Com. Champ., "Crow Gill Muddler" (imp.).

3rd do.: Mrs. Mary Kienast, 140 Park-street, Parkville,
"Garry O'Rafferty."

IRISH TERRIER, DOG (Australian Bred) (Special). 5
entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Mary Kienast, 140 Park-street, Parkville,
"Garry O'Rafferty."

2nd do.: L. G. H. Lupton, 19 Oak-street, Hawthorn,
"Streak-o'-Light."

IRISH TERRIER PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Open)
(Special). 5 entries—

1st prize: L. G. H. Lupton, 19 Oak-street, Hawthorn,
"Streak-o'-Light."

2nd do.: W. S. Dagg, Southey-street, St. Kilda, "Daving-
ton Ranger."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, IRISH TERRIER, DOG—

Hewitt and Dash, 361 Johnston-street, Abbotsford, Com.
Grand Champ., "Musbury Diable."

IRISH TERRIER, BITCH. 5 entries—

- 1st prize: J. George, Beaufort, "Kenmare Shylie."
 2nd do.: Hewitt and Dash, 361 Johnston-street, Abbotsford, "Eldner Kate."
 3rd do.: Mrs. Mary Kienast, 140 Park-street, Parkville, "Garry Sadie."

IRISH TERRIER, BITCH (Australian Bred) (Special). 6 entries—

- 1st prize: J. George, Beaufort, "Kenmare Shylie."
 2nd do.: Hewitt and Dash, 361 Johnston-street, Abbotsford, "Eldner Kate."
 3rd do.: Mrs. Mary Kienast, 140 Park-street, Parkville, "Garry Sadie."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, IRISH TERRIER, BITCH—

J. George, Beaufort, "Kenmare Shylie."

YORKSHIRE TERRIER, DOG. 2 entries—

- 1st prize: Mrs. S. A. Hilton, 110 Clark-street, Port Melbourne, Com. Ch., "Young Fred" (imp.).
 2nd do.: A. Steele, Rothchild-street, Glenhuntly, "Nicholson Toff."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, YORKSHIRE TERRIER, DOG—

Mrs. S. A. Hilton, 110 Clark-street, Port Melbourne, Com. Champ., "Young Fred" (imp.).

YORKSHIRE TERRIER, BITCH. No entry.

SILKY TERRIER, DOG. No entry.

SILKY TERRIER, BITCH. 2 entries—

- 2nd prize: Mrs. C. Pearce, 4 Duke-street, Richmond, "Silver."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, SILKY TERRIER, BITCH—

No award.

AIREDALE TERRIER, DOG. 4 entries—

- 1st prize: Miss A. Macgregor, Peterleigh, Essendon "Aerial Ensign."
 2nd do.: W. Pitcher, 93 Gillies-street, Fairfield, "The Masher."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, AIREDALE TERRIER, DOG—

Miss A. Macgregor, Peterleigh, Essendon, "Aerial Ensign."

AIREDALE TERRIER PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special).
3 entries—

1st prize: Miss A. Macgregor, Peterleigh, Essendon
"Aerial Ensign."

2nd do.: H. J. Bradshaw, Main-street, Northcote, "Countess Trixie."

AIREDALE TERRIER, BITCH. 2 entries—

1st prize: H. J. Bradshaw, Main-street, Northcote, "Lady Magnetic."

2nd do.: F. G. D'Ombraïn, 37 Tennyson-street, St. Kilda, "Actress."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, AIREDALE TERRIER, BITCH—
H. J. Bradshaw, Main-street, Northcote, "Lady Magnetic."

BULL TERRIER, DOG. 4 entries—

1st prize: D. Newman, 105 Bennett-street, North Fitzroy,
"Rawden Crawley."

2nd do.: D. Newman, 105 Bennett-street, North Fitzroy,
"Holden Diamond Dangler."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, BULL TERRIER, DOG—

D. Newman, 105 Bennett-street, North Fitzroy, "Rawden Crawley."

BULL TERRIER PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 1
entry—

1st prize: D. Newman, 105 Bennett-street, North Fitzroy,
"Holden Diamond Duel."

BULL TERRIER, BITCH. 3 entries—

1st prize: D. Newman, 105 Bennett-street, North Fitzroy,
Champ., "Holden Diamond Dot."

2nd do.: W. B. Watson, Coombe Wood, Vermont, "Holden Diamond Dell."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, BULL TERRIER, BITCH—

David Newman, 105 Bennett-street, North Fitzroy,
Champ., "Holden Diamond Dot."

BLUE and TAN AUSTRALIAN TERRIER, DOG. 4
entries—

1st prize: E. Sandbach, 3 Coronet-street, Flemington,
"Ormond Laddie."

2nd do.: A. Wilmot, 108 Falconer-street, North Fitzroy,
"Fernleigh Monara Lorraine."

BLUE and TAN AUSTRALIAN TERRIER PUPPY, DOG or BITCH (Special). 4 entries—

1st prize: H. Riddell, 176 Elizabeth-street, North Richmond, "Graham Princess Ena."

BLUE and TAN AUSTRALIAN TERRIER, BITCH. 6 entries—

1st prize: A. Wilmot, 108 Falconer-street, North Fitzroy, "Fernleigh Monara Mons."

2nd do.: H. Riddell, 176 Elizabeth-street, North Richmond, "Graham Princess Ena."

SANDY ROUGH-COATED TERRIER, DOG. 1 entry—

1st prize: W. Summerton, 84 Vere-street, Collingwood, "Wally."

SANDY ROUGH-COATED TERRIER, BITCH. 3 entries—

1st prize: W. T. Trott, 8 Dow-street, Port Melbourne, "Baynard Maud."

2nd do.: A. Wilmot, 108 Falconer-street, North Fitzroy, Champ., "Fernleigh Lena."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, BLUE and TAN or SANDY ROUGH-COATED AUSTRALIAN TERRIER, DOG—

E. Sandbach, 3 Coronet-street, Flemington, "Ormond Laddie."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, BLUE and TAN or SANDY ROUGH-COATED AUSTRALIAN TERRIER, BITCH—

W. T. Trott, 8 Dow-street, Port Melbourne, "Baynard Maud."

BLACK and TAN TERRIER (over 7 lbs.), DOG. 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. E. J. Shattock, 61 Pascoe-crescent, Essendon, "Westgate Lord Roberts."

2nd do.: Mrs. E. J. Shattock, 61 Pascoe-crescent, Essendon, "Westgate Master Dick."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, BLACK and TAN TERRIER, DOG (over 7 lbs.)—

Mrs. E. J. Shattock, 61 Pascoe-crescent, Essendon, "Westgate Lord Roberts."

BLACK and TAN TERRIER (over 7 lbs.), BITCH. No entry.

BLACK and TAN TERRIER (under 7 lbs.), DOG. 3 entries.
1st prize: A. Barr, 186 Church-street, Richmond, "Typo."
2nd do.: Miss D. Marshall, "Kyora," Bulleen-road, Kew,
"Prince Charlie."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, BLACK and TAN TERRIER
(under 7 lbs.), DOG—
A. Barr, 186 Church-street, Richmond, "Typo."

BLACK and TAN TERRIER (under 7 lbs.), BITCH. 3 entries—
1st prize: A. Barr, 186 Church-street, Richmond, "Pin Mossa."
2nd do.: Miss D. Marshall, "Kyora," Bulleen-road, Kew,
Com. Champ., "Calivil Bessie."

CHALLENGE PRIZE, BLACK and TAN TERRIER,
BITCH (under 7 lbs.)—
A. Barr, 186 Church-street, Richmond, "Pin Mossa."

SEALYHAM TERRIER, DOG. No entry.

SEALYHAM TERRIER, BITCH. No entry.

ANY OTHER VARIETY, DOG (Breed to be stated). 1 entry—
1st prize: H. S. Trevena, Heidelberg-road, Fairfield Park, "Bruno" (Samoyede).

ANY OTHER VARIETY, BITCH (Breed to be stated). 1 entry—
1st prize: M. C. Harrold, 31 Chatham-street, Canterbury, "Nigger."

Section 49.—FARM PRODUCE.

COLLECTION of FARM PRODUCE, Grown and Exhibited by a bona fide farmer resident in Victoria. No entry.

WHEAT, MACARONI. 2 entries —
1st prize: W. Clark, Angle Vale, South Australia.
2nd do.: M. J. D'Arcy, Box 33, Dandaraga, Berrigan, N.S.W.

WHEAT, HIGH STRENGTH, RED. 3 entries—

1st prize: E. and L. Hutchesson, Horsham.

2nd do.: M. J. D'Arcy, Box 33, Dandaraga, Berrigan,
N.S.W.3rd do.: M. J. D'Arcy, Box 33, Dandaraga, Berrigan,
N.S.W.

WHEAT, HIGH STRENGTH, WHITE. 2 entries—

1st prize: E. and L. Hutchesson, Horsham.

2nd do.: M. J. D'Arcy, Box 33, Dandaraga, Berrigan,
N.S.W.

WHEAT, LOW STRENGTH, RED or WHITE. 10 entries—

1st prize: E. and L. Hutchesson, Horsham.

2nd do.: W. Clark, Angle Vale, South Australia.

3rd do.: C. Maskell, Parkside, Tatura.

WHEAT (Champion Prize of Australia)—

E. and L. Hutchesson, Horsham.

OATS, ALGERIAN. 8 entries—

1st prize: Arthur Land, Cudgewa, Upper Murray.

2nd do.: John Rumbold, Baringhup.

3rd do.: William Kaye, Baringhup.

OATS, TARTARIAN. 1 entry—

1st prize: George Topper, Beaufort.

OATS, STOUT, WHITE. 2 entries—

1st prize: George Topper, Beaufort.

2nd do.: W. Clark, Angle Vale, South Australia.

OATS (Champion Prize of Australia)—

Arthur Land, Cudgewa, Upper Murray.

BARLEY, ENGLISH. 3 entries—

1st prize: D. Rumbold, Baringhup.

2nd do.: W. Clark, Angle Vale, South Australia.

3rd do.: A. McDonald, Darraweit Guim.

BARLEY, ENGLISH (Champion Prize of Australia)—

D. Rumbold, Baringhup.

BARLEY, CAPE. 3 entries—

1st prize: William Kaye, Baringhup.

2nd do.: W. Clark, Angle Vale, South Australia.

3rd do.: D. Rumbold, Baringhup.

BARLEY, CAPE (Champion Prize of Australia)—
William Kaye, Baringhup.

MAIZE, YELLOW (Dent varieties). 7 entries—
1st prize: Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works,
Werribee.
2nd do.: James Clyne, Maffra.
Highly Commended: Philip Sullivan, Maffra, Upper
West.

MAIZE, YELLOW (Flint varieties). 2 entries—
1st prize: Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works,
Werribee.

MAIZE, WHITE (Dent varieties). 1 entry.
No exhibit.

MAIZE, YELLOW (Dent varieties) (12 cobs). 5 entries—
1st prize: Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works,
Werribee.
2nd do.: Philip Sullivan, Maffra Upper.

MAIZE, YELLOW (Flint varieties) (12 cobs). 2 entries—
1st prize: Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works,
Werribee.

MAIZE, WHITE (Dent varieties) (12 cobs). No entry.

MAIZE (any other variety) (12 cobs). No entry.

MAIZE (Champion Prize of Australia)—
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, Werribee

PEAS, FIELD, WHITE. No entry.

PEAS, FIELD, DUN. No entry.

PEAS, YORKSHIRE HERO. 2 entries—
1st prize: J. Stewart, "Karowai," Trafalgar.
2nd do.: G. Sutherland, "Richlands," Whittlesea.

PEAS, FIELD (other variety). No entry.

OATEN CHAFF (2 bags). 7 entries—
1st prize: John Mason, "Alton Vale," Whittlesea.
2nd prize: J. Siebel, Thomastown.
3rd do.: Wright Bros., Tullamarine.

- WHEATEN CHAFF (2 bags). 8 entries—
 1st prize: Walter Mansfield, Tullamarine.
 2nd do.: Ernest Mansfield, Oaklands Junction.
 3rd do.: John Mason, "Alton Vale," Whittlesea.
- LUCERNE CHAFF (2 bags). 2 entries—
 3rd prize: J. Lodge, Bacchus Marsh.
- TRUSSED MANGER OATEN HAY (1 cwt.). 2 entries—
 1st prize: Peter Anderson, St. Albans.
 2nd do.: Michael Reddan, Tullamarine.
- CHAFFING OATEN SHEAVES (1 cwt.). 2 entries—
 1st prize: J. Siebel, Thomastown.
- WHEATEN HAY (1 cwt.). 3 entries—
 1st prize: Walter Mansfield, Tullamarine.
 2nd do.: Ernest Mansfield, Oaklands Junction.
- LUCERNE HAY (1 cwt.). 2 entries—
 2nd prize: Robert H. Dugdale, Bacchus Marsh.
- RYE GRASS (Perennial). 2 entries—
 1st prize: George Topper, Beaufort.
 2nd do.: Trustees G. Topper, Beaufort.
- LINSEED (1 cwt. with sample of Fibre, 14 lbs.). 1 entry—
 1st prize: G. and E. Wolff, Drouin.
- HEMPSEED (56 lbs. with sample of Fibre, 10 lbs). No entry.
- COLLECTION of FLAX FIBRE, Grown in Australia. 1
 entry—
 1st prize: G. and E. Wolff, Drouin.
- COLLECTION of FLAX STRAW, Grown in Australia.
 entry—
 1st prize: G. and E. Wolff, Drouin.
- TOBACCO LEAF, Bright Lemon type (25 lbs.). No entry.
- TOBACCO LEAF, Dark Plug (25 lbs.). No entry.
- COLLECTION of GRASS SEEDS. 2 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. A. French, 8 Dudley-parade, Canterbury.
- SUNFLOWER SEED (56 lbs.). 1 entry—
 1st prize: J. Stewart, "Karowai," Trafalgar.
- MANGELS (Long, 12 roots). 1 entry—
 2nd prize: J. Siebel, Thomastown.

- MANGELS (Globe, 12 roots). 1 entry—
2nd prize: R. C. Kermode, Mona Vale, Ross, Tasmania.
- PUMPKIN. 2 entries—
No exhibit.
- SUGAR BEET (12 roots, subject to analysis). 5 entries—
1st prize: C. Amey, Maffra.
2nd do.: H. H. Hussey, Maffra.
3rd do.: F. W. Bladen, 9 Kinion's-avenue, Caulfield.
- CARROTS, FIELD, WHITE BELGIAN. 3 entries—
1st prize: R. C. Kermode, Mona Vale, Ross, Tasmania.
2nd do.: J. T. Morey, Weatheral-road, Cheltenham.
- CARROTS, FIELD (Coloured varieties). 5 entries—
1st prize: T. Marriott, Mentone.
2nd do.: Jonas Hawkes, Warren-road, Mordialloc.
3rd do.: J. T. Morey, Weatheral-road, Cheltenham.
- ONIONS (1 bag). 4 entries—
1st prize: Dwyer Bros., Weering, via Beeac.
2nd do.: A. McDonald, Darraweit Guim.
3rd do.: John McKinnon, Kongwak.
- TURNIPS, SWEDE (12 roots). 3 entries—
1st prize: A. G. Allnut, Centre Dandenong-road, Cheltenham.
2nd do.: R. H. Marriott, Point Nepean-road, Mentone.
3rd do.: William Kirkham, "Woodside," Lyndhurst.
- CABBAGES, any variety (6). 6 entries—
1st prize: Jonathan C. J. Marriott, Point Nepean-road, Mentone.
2nd do.: R. H. Marriott, Point Nepean-road, Mentone.
- COLLECTION of VEGETABLES (12 distinct varieties). 2 entries—
1st prize: Jonathan C. J. Marriott, Point Nepean-road, Mentone.
2nd do.: R. H. Marriott, Point Nepean-road, Mentone.
- COLLECTION of GRASSES. 2 entries—
1st prize: Mrs. A. French, 8 Dudley-parade, Canterbury.
- NEW FARM PRODUCT (worthy of cultivation). No entry.

SILAGE, SWEET (1 cwt.). 2 entries—

1st prize: George Topper, Beaufort.

2nd prize: Thomas Bros., Ascot, via Creswick.

SILAGE, SOUR (1 cwt.). 2 entries—

1st prize: R. Blair, Mooroolbark.

2nd do.: Thomas Bros., Ascot, via Creswick.

POTATOES (6), WHITE SKIN. 15 entries—

1st prize: C. Exton and Sons, "Wentwood," Kinglake.

2nd do.: Morrison Bros., Spring Mount, Creswick.

POTATOES (6), coloured varieties. 11 entries—

1st prize: Morrison Bros., Spring Mount, Creswick.

2nd do.: J. Stewart, "Karowai," Trafalgar.

POTATOES (6) (Kidney varieties). 6 entries—

1st prize: Jonathan C. J. Marriott, Point Nepean-road, Mentone.

2nd do.: R. H. Marriott, Point Nepean-road, Mentone.

COLLECTION of POTATOES (6 varieties). 7 entries—

1st prize: C. Exton and Sons, "Wentwood," Kinglake.

2nd do.: J. Stewart, "Karowai," Trafalgar.

3rd do.: C. Exton and Sons, "Wentwood," Kinglake.

TRAY of SPROUTED SEED POTATOES ready for planting. 11 entries—

1st prize: R. H. Marriott, Point Nepean-road, Mentone.

2nd do.: Mark Ellwood, Wallace.

POTATOES (1 sack) (Carmens). 8 entries—

1st prize: Evelyn Sturrock, "Pastoria Estate," Kyneton.

2nd do.: Mark Ellwood, Wallace.

3rd do.: C. Exton and Sons, "Wentwood," Kinglake.

POTATOES (1 sack), WHITE, other than Carmen. 13 entries—

1st prize: Morrison Bros., Spring Mount, Creswick.

2nd do.: Jonathan C. J. Marriott, Point Nepean-road, Mentone.

3rd do.: J. Stewart, "Karowai," Trafalgar.

POTATOES (1 sack), any other colour. 8 entries—

1st prize: Morrison Bros., Spring Mount, Creswick.

2nd do.: J. Stewart, "Karowai," Trafalgar.

3rd do.: Neil McA. Drysdale, Callignee P.O.

Section 50.—AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES' COMPETITION.

COLLECTION of EXHIBITS from AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES. 2 entries—

- 1st prize: Bacchus Marsh A. and P. Society, Bacchus Marsh. 778 points.
2nd do.: Whittlesea Agricultural Society, Whittlesea. 762 points.

Section 51.—SCHOOL COMPETITION.

Forestry

THREE TREES (Eucalypts). 7 entries—

- 1st prize: Epping S.S.
2nd do.: Yapeen S.S.
3rd do.: Henty S.S.

THREE TREES (Acacias). 5 entries—

- 1st do.: Yapeen S.S.
2nd do.: Epping S.S.
3rd do.: Jindivick S.S.

THREE TREES (Native to Australia, exclusive of Eucalypts or Acacias). 2 entries—

- Equal 1st: Yapeen S.S. and Epping S.S.

THREE TREES (Conifers). 4 entries—

- 1st prize: Yapeen S.S.
2nd do.: Winslow S.S.
3rd do.: Henty S.S.

THREE TREES (Not Native to Australia, exclusive of Conifers). 4 entries—

- 1st prize: Epping S.S.
2nd do.: Epping S.S.
3rd do.: Yapeen S.S.

DISTRICT PRIZE—

Metropolitan No. 4 District.

Fruits.

COLLECTION of FRUITS, Grown in Schoolground. 1 entry—

- 1st prize: Staghorn Flat S.S.

COLLECTION of PRESERVED FRUITS. 1 entry—
1st prize: Mildura, The Lake, S.S.

COLLECTION of DRIED FRUITS. 1 entry—
1st prize: Mildura, The Lake, S.S.

DISTRICT PRIZE.
Birchip District.

Fodder Crops

WHEAT. 13 entries—
1st prize: Epping S.S.
2nd do.: Epping S.S.
3rd do.: Yapeen S.S.

OATS. 11 entries—
1st prize: Drummond North S.S.
2nd do.: Yapeen S.S.
3rd do.: Franklinford S.S.

MAIZE. 2 entries—
1st prize: Darraweit Guim S.S.
2nd do.: Harcourt S.S.

MILLET. 2 entries—
1st prize: Irrewillipe S.S.
2nd do.: Darraweit Guim S.S.

RYE. 7 entries—
No award made.

AMBER CANE. 3 entries—
1st prize: Darraweit Guim S.S.
2nd do.: Irrewillipe S.S.

SORGHUM. 2 entries—
1st prize: Darraweit Guim S.S.

IMPHEE. 1 entry—
No award.

PEAS. 5 entries—
1st prize: Epping S.S.
2nd do.: Epping S.S.
3rd do.: Yapeen S.S.

DISTRICT PRIZE.
Metropolitan No. 5 District.

Grain

WHEAT (Macaroni). 1 entry—
2nd prize: Derby S.S.

WHEAT, HIGH STRENGTH (White). 3 entries—
1st prize: Franklinford S.S.
2nd do.: Irrewillipe S.S.

WHEAT, HIGH STRENGTH (Red). No entry.

WHEAT, LOW STRENGTH (Red or White). 11 entries—
1st prize: Yapeen S.S.
2nd do.: Irrewillipe S.S.
3rd do.: Irrewillipe S.S.

OATS (Tartarian). 4 entries—
No award.

OATS (Algerian). 3 entries—
1st prize: Evansford S.S.
2nd do.: Irrewillipe S.S.

OATS (Stout White). 1 entry—
No exhibit.

BARLEY (English). 2 entries—
1st prize: Irrewillipe S.S.
2nd do.: Derby S.S.

BARLEY (Cape). 3 entries—
No award made.

MAIZE (White, Dent varieties). 3 entries—
1st prize: Derby S.S.
2nd do.: Harcourt S.S.

MAIZE (Yellow, Dent varieties). 2 entries—
1st prize: Derby S.S.
2nd do.: Harcourt S.S.

MAIZE (Yellow, Flint varieties). 1 entry—
No award made.

MILLET. No entry.

RYE. 1 entry—
1st prize: Derby S.S.

FIELD PEAS. 7 entries—
 1st prize: Winslow S.S.
 2nd do.: Irrewillipe S.S.
 3rd do.: Irrewillipe S.S.

BEANS. 3 entries—
 1st prize: Derby S.S.
 2nd do.: Winslow S.S.
 3rd do.: Harcourt S.S.

DISTRICT PRIZE.

Bendigo No. 2 District.

MANGEL (Long). 3 entries—
 1st prize: Drummond North S.S.
 2nd do.: Darraweit Guim S.S.
 3rd do.: Drummond North S.S.

MANGEL (Globe). 2 entries—
 1st prize: Drummond North S.S.
 2nd do.: Darraweit Guim S.S.

CARROTS. 5 entries—
 1st prize: Darraweit Guim S.S.
 2nd do.: Drummond North S.S.
 3rd do.: Derby S.S.

TURNIPS. No entry.

SUGAR BEET. 3 entries—
 1st prize: Drummond North S.S.
 2nd do.: Darraweit Guim S.S.
 3rd do.: Drummond North S.S.

DISTRICT PRIZE.

Castlemaine District.

Grasses, Clovers, etc.

GRASSES (Not Native to Australia). 9 entries—
 1st prize: Evansford S.S.
 2nd do.: Irrewillipe S.S.
 3rd do.: Buln Buln S.S.

GRASSES (Native to Australia). 4 entries—
 1st prize: Evansford S.S.
 2nd do.: Irrewillipe S.S.

CLOWERS (*Trifolium*). 3 entries—
2nd prize: Darraweit Guim S.S.

LUCERNE (*Medicago*). 5 entries—
1st prize: Yapeen S.S.
2nd do.: Darraweit Guim S.S.

DISTRICT PRIZE,
Maryborough District.

Potatoes

POTATOES (6), RED SKIN. 3 entries—
1st prize: Darraweit Guim S.S.
2nd do.: Darraweit Guim S.S.

POTATOES (6), WHITE SKIN. 4 entries—
1st prize: Darraweit Guim S.S.
2nd do.: Darraweit Guim S.S.

POTATOES (6), BLUE SKIN. 1 entry—
1st prize: Darraweit Guim S.S.

POTATOES (6), KIDNEY VARIETY. No entry—

COLLECTION of POTATOES. 1 entry—
No award.

DISTRICT PRIZE,
Metropolitan No. 5 District.

Flax

FLAX. 5 entries—
1st prize: Buln Buln S.S.
2nd do.: Irrewillipe S.S.
3rd do.: Lamplough S.S.

Honey

HONEY (in comb). No entry.

HONEY, LIGHT (extracted). No entry.

HONEY, DARK (extracted). 1 entry—
Winslow S.S.

BEESWAX (White). No entry.

BEESWAX (Yellow). 1 entry—
Winslow S.S.

DISTRICT PRIZE.

Warrnambool District.

Vegetables

PUMPKIN. No entry.

MELON. No entry.

MARROW. 2 entries—
1st prize: Jindivick S.S.
2nd do.: Derby S.S.

CARROTS. 6 entries—
1st prize: Jindivick S.S.
2nd do.: Drummond North S.S.
3rd do.: Darraweit Guim S.S.

PARSNIPS. 3 entries—
1st prize: Drummond North S.S.
2nd do.: Darraweit Guim S.S.
3rd do.: Derby S.S.

ONIONS. 2 entries—
1st prize: Jindivick S.S.
2nd do.: Derby S.S.

TURNIPS. 1 entry—
1st prize: Warburton S.S.

RED BEET. 1 entry.
1st prize: Darraweit Guim S.S.

RHUBARB. 1 entry—
2nd prize: Darraweit Guim S.S.

LEEK. No entry—

GREEN PEAS (in pod). 2 entries—
1st prize: Warburton S.S.

BROAD BEANS (in pod). No entry.

DISTRICT PRIZE.

Warragul District.

COLLECTION of EXHIBITS from AGRICULTURAL
HIGH SCHOOLS. No entry.

Section 52.—DAIRY PRODUCE.

CHEESE (over 6 months old). 4 entries—

- 1st prize: Iona Cheese and Butter Factory, Drouin.
- 2nd do.: Charles Tucker, Model Farm, Trafalgar.
- 3rd do.: Cora Lynn Cheese Factory, Drouin.

CHEESE (under 4 months old). 5 entries—

- 1st prize: Tandarook Co-operative Cheese Factory, Cobden.
- 2nd do.: Iona Cheese Factory, Drouin.
- 3rd do.: The Colac Dairying Co. Ltd., Colac.

CHEESE (suitable for export, not over 3 months old). 6 entries—

- 1st prize: Tandarook Co-operative Cheese Factory, Cobden.
- 2nd do.: Iona Cheese Factory, Drouin.
- 3rd do.: The Colac Dairying Co. Ltd., Colac.

CHEESE (loaf, over 4 months old). 5 entries—

- 1st prize: Tandarook Co-operative Cheese Factory, Cobden.
- 2nd do.: The Colac Dairying Co. Ltd., Colac.
- 3rd do.: Cora Lynn Cheese Factory, Drouin.

CHEESE (loaf, not over 4 months old). 5 entries—

- 1st prize: Tandarook Co-operative Cheese Factory, Cobden.
- 2nd do.: Iona Cheese Factory, Drouin.
- 3rd do.: The Colac Dairying Co. Ltd., Colac.

CHAMPION PRIZE OF AUSTRALIA.

CHEESE (any age)—

- Iona Cheese Factory, Drouin.

SALT BUTTER (suitable for export). 16 entries—

1st prize: Cowwarr Cheese and Butter Factory, Cowwarr.
2nd do.: Warrnambool Cheese and Butter Factory Co. Ltd., Warrnambool.

3rd do.: Swan Hill Co-operative Dairying Co. Ltd., Swan Hill.

Very Highly Commended: Singleton Central Co-operative Dairy Co. Ltd., Singleton, N.S.W.

Very Highly Commended: Glengarry Butter Co., Glengarry.

Highly Commended: The Leongatha Butter and Cheese Factory Co. Ltd., Leongatha.

Highly Commended: The Traralgon Creamery and Butter Factory Co. Ltd., Traralgon.

Highly Commended: Dungog Co-operative Butter Factory Ltd., Dungog, N.S.W.

CHAMPION PRIZE OF AUSTRALIA.

SALT BUTTER (suitable for export)—

Cowwarr Cheese and Butter Factory, Cowwarr.

BOX of PRINT or ROLL BUTTER. 8 entries—

1st prize: The Koroit and Tower Hill Butter and Cheese Factory Co. Ltd., Koroit.

2nd do.: Warrnambool Cheese and Butter Factory Co. Ltd., Warrnambool.

3rd do.: Cowwarr Cheese and Butter Factory, Cowwarr.

Highly Commended: Derrinallum Cheese and Butter Factory Co., Derrinallum.

FRESH POWDERED BUTTER (box of 56 lbs.). 22 entries—

1st prize: Warrnambool Cheese and Butter Factory Co. Ltd., Warrnambool.

2nd do.: The Yarragon Co-operative Butter Factory Co. Ltd., Yarragon.

3rd do.: Milawa Co-operative Dairy Co. Ltd., Milawa.

POWDERED BUTTER (as usually sent to market). 5 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. T. Drane, c/o T. H. Dow, Traralgon.

2nd do.: Mrs. James Dugdale, "Springfield," Myrning.

3rd do.: D. Rumbold, Baringhup.

CHAMPION PRIZE OF AUSTRALIA.

POWDERED or FRESH BUTTER—

Warrnambool Cheese and Butter Factory Co. Ltd., Warrnambool.

6 SIDES of BACON. 19 entries—

1st prize: George Farmer, Eureka-street, Ballarat East.
 2nd do.: Watson and Paterson, 381 Flinders-street, Melbourne.
 3rd do.: Gippsland Co-operative Bacon Curing Co. Ltd., Dandenong.

CHAMPION PRIZE OF AUSTRALIA.

George Farmer, Eureka-street, Ballarat East.

HAMS (6), Bagged and Unbagged. 19 entries—

1st prize: George Farmer, Eureka-street, Ballarat East.
 2nd do.: Gippsland Co-operative Bacon Curing Co. Ltd., Dandenong.
 3rd do.: Watson and Paterson, 381 Flinders-street, Melbourne.

CHAMPION PRIZE OF AUSTRALIA.

George Farmer, Eureka-street, Ballarat East.

LARD. 11 entries—

1st prize: George Farmer, Eureka-street, Ballarat East.
 2nd do.: Watson and Paterson, 381 Flinders-street, Melbourne.

FARM-CURED HAMS (2). 3 entries—

1st prize: A. A. McMillan, Strathavon, Stratford.
 2nd do.: William Kaye, Comely Bank, Baringhup.

FARM-CURED BACON (2 middles). 3 entries—

1st prize: A. A. McMillan, Strathavon, Stratford.
 2nd do.: William Kaye, Comely Bank, Baringhup.

COLLECTION of 3 each of HAMS, SIDES of BACON, FLITCHES of BACON, and BLADDERS of LARD. 9 entries—

1st prize: George Farmer, Eureka-street, Ballarat East.
 2nd do.: Watson and Paterson, 381 Flinders-street, Melbourne.
 3rd do.: Gippsland Co-operative Bacon Curing Co. Ltd., Dandenong.

ROLLS of BACON (6). 9 entries—

1st prize: George Farmer, Eureka-street, Ballarat East.

2nd do.: J. C. Hutton Pty. Ltd., William-street, City.

3rd do.: Watson and Paterson, 381 Flinders-street, City.

DOZEN FRESH HEN EGGS, Single Yolk (Brown). 13 entries—

1st prize: P. C. Petersen, Commercial-street, Korumburra.

2nd do.: S. C. Trewenack, 150 Weller-st., Geelong West.

DOZEN FRESH HEN EGGS, Single Yolk (White). 6 entries—

1st prize: W. Boyd, Tandara.

2nd do.: E. W. Hippe, off Box Hill-road, Oakleigh.

DOZEN FRESH DUCK EGGS, Single Yolk. 4 entries—

1st prize: A. L. Nichol, Glen Craik, Moorabbin, Cheltenham.

2nd do.: W. Boyd, Tandara.

Section 53.—AUSTRALIAN WINES, Etc.

RED WINE, light, dry, 1917 vintage. 9 entries—

1st prize: Pilloud Bros., Rosamount Vineyard, Bannockburn.

2nd do.: R. E. Dawson, Whittlesea.

3rd do.: R. E. Dawson, Whittlesea.

Commended: W. Reynell and Sons, Reynella, South Australia.

RED WINE, full bodied, dry, 1917 vintage. 4 entries—

1st prize: Burgoyne Bros., Mt. Ophir Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do.: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

3rd do.: W. Reynell and Sons, Reynella, S.A.

RED WINE, full bodied, sweet, 1917 vintage. 5 entries—

1st prize: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do.: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

3rd do.: W. Reynell and Sons, Reynella, S.A.

RED WINE, sweet (not exceeding 4 degrees "Beaume" in saccharine strength), 1917 vintage. 5 entries—

1st prize: Burgoyne Bros., Mt. Ophir Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do.: W. Reynell and Sons, Reynella, S.A.

3rd do.: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

Very Highly Commended: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

WHITE WINE, light, dry, 1917 vintage. 9 entries—

1st prize: Pilloud Bros., Rosamount Vineyard, Bannockburn.

2nd do.: Pilloud Bros., Rosamount Vineyard, Bannockburn.

3rd do.: R. E. Dawson, Whittlesea.

Very Highly Commended: S. Smith and Sons, Yalumba, Angaston, S.A.

Highly Commended: The Chateau Tahbilk Pty. Ltd., 531 Collins-street, City.

WHITE WINE, full bodied, dry, 1917 vintage. 4 entries—

1st prize: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do.: W. Reynell and Sons, Reynella, S.A.

WHITE WINE, full bodied, sweet, 1917 vintage. 7 entries—

1st prize: Burgoyne Bros., Mt. Ophir Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do.: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

3rd do.: W. Reynell and Sons, Reynella, S.A.

WHITE WINE, sweet (not exceeding four degrees Beaume in saccharine strength), 1917 vintage. 5 entries—

1st prize: Burgoyne Bros., Mt. Ophir Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do. (divided): W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do. (divided): W. Reynell and Sons, Reynella, S.A.

MUSCAT WINE, 1917 vintage. 3 entries—

1st prize: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do.: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

3rd do.: Burgoyne Bros., Mt. Ophir Vineyard, Rutherglen.

WINE KIOSK PRIZES.

(For the best Wines which are on sale at any time during the Show in the Wine Kiosk.)

HOCK TYPE. 3 entries—

1st prize: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 L. Collins-st., City.

CHABLIS TYPE. 3 entries—

1st prize: F. Grosse and Co., 54 Market-street, Melbourne.

CLARET. 4 entries—

1st prize: F. Grosse and Co., 54 Market-street, Melbourne.

PORT. 5 entries—

1st prize (divided): F. Grosse and Co., 54 Market-street, Melbourne.

1st prize (divided): W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

SHERRY. 5 entries—

1st prize: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

OPEN CLASSES (WINE MERCHANTS or WINE GROWERS).

WHITE WINE, light, dry, 2 years old or over, taken from bulk. 11 entries—

1st prize: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 L. Collins-st., City.

2nd do.: S. Smith and Son, Yalumba, Angaston, S.A.

3rd do.: F. Grosse and Co., 54 Market-street, Melbourne.

Very Highly Commended: Oakley, Adams and Co., 345 Collins-street, City.

Very Highly Commended: J. Richardson, Russell-street, Melbourne.

RED WINE, light, dry, 2 years old or over, taken from bulk. 9 entries—

1st prize: F. Grosse and Co., 54 Market-street, Melbourne.

2nd do.: Oakley, Adams and Co., 345 Collins-street, Melbourne.

3rd do.: Oakley, Adams and Co., 345 Collins-street, Melbourne.

WHITE WINE, light, dry (Hock type), 2 years old or over, old bottled wine. 7 entries—

1st prize: Audrey Wilkinson and Co., Oakdale Vineyards, Pokolbin, N.S.W.

2nd do.: F. Grosse and Co., 54 Market-street, Melbourne.

3rd do.: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, City.

Commended: Fabbri and Gardini, 7-9 Chetwynd-street, North Melbourne.

WHITE WINE, light, dry (Chablis type), 2 years old or over, old bottled wine. 8 entries—

1st prize: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 L. Collins-st., City.

2nd do.: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, Melbourne.

3rd do.: Oakley, Adams and Co., 345 Collins-street, City.

Very Highly Commended: Fabbri and Gardini, 7-9 Chetwynd-street, North Melbourne.

RED WINE, light, dry (Claret type), 2 years old or over, old bottled wine. 11 entries—

1st prize: F. Grosse and Co., 54 Market-street, City.

2nd do.: Oakley, Adams and Co., 345 Collins-street, City.

3rd do.: Audrey Wilkinson and Co., Oaklands Vineyards, Pokolbin, N.S.W.

RED WINE, full bodied, dry (Burgundy type), 2 years old or over. 11 entries—

1st prize: Burgoyne Pty. Ltd., 460 L. Collins-street, City.

2nd do.: Audrey Wilkinson and Co., Oaklands Vineyards, Pokolbin, N.S.W.

3rd do.: Oakley, Adams and Co., 345 Collins-street, Melbourne.

Highly Commended: J. Richardson, Russell-st., City.

Highly Commended: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, City.

RED WINE, full bodied (Port type), 2 years old or over, 19 entries—

1st prize: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do.: S. Smith and Son, Yalumba, Angaston, S.A.

3rd do.: S. Smith and Son, Yalumba, Angaston, S.A.

Very Highly Commended: S. Smith and Son, Yalumba, South Australia.

Very Highly Commended: T. Hardy and Sons Ltd., 634 Bourke-street, City.

Highly Commended: T. Hardy and Sons Ltd., 634 Bourke-street, City.

Commended: Fabbri and Gardini, 7-9 Chetwynd-street, North Melbourne.

RED WINE, full bodied, sweet, 2 years old or over. 10 entries—

1st prize: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do.: Alexander and Paterson, 12 McKillop-st., City.

3rd do.: Burgoyne Pty. Ltd., 460 L. Collins-street, City.

Commended: G. Gramp and Son Ltd., Rowland's Flat, South Australia.

RED WINE, sweet, not exceeding four degrees "Beaume" in saccharine strength, 2 years old or over. 10 entries—

1st prize: S. Smith and Son, Yalumba, Angaston, S.A.

2nd do.: S. Smith and Son, Yalumba, Angaston, S.A.

3rd do.: W. Reynell and Sons, Reynella, South Australia.

Very Highly Commended: Audrey Wilkinson and Co., Oakland Vineyards, Pokolbin, N.S.W.

Very Highly Commended: Fabbri and Gardini, 7-9 Chetwynd-street, North Melbourne.

WHITE WINE, full bodied, dry (Sherry type), 2 years old or over. 17 entries—

1st prize: Burgoyne Bros., Mt. Ophir Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do. (divided): Burgoyne Bros., Mt. Ophir Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do. (divided): S. Smith and Son, Yalumba, Angaston, South Australia.

Very Highly Commended: S. Smith and Son, Yalumba, Angaston, South Australia.

Highly Commended: S. Smith and Son, Yalumba, Angaston, South Australia.

WHITE WINE, full bodied, sweet, 2 years old or over. 10 entries—

1st prize: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do.: T. Hardy and Sons, 634 Bourke-st., Melbourne.

3rd do.: T. Hardy and Sons, 634 Bourke-st., Melbourne.

Very Highly Commended: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, City.

Very Highly Commended: Oakley, Adams and Co., 345 Collins-street, Melbourne.

WHITE WINE, sweet, not exceeding four degrees "Beaume" in saccharine strength, 2 years old or over. 7 entries—

1st prize: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, City.

2nd do.: Fabbri and Gardini, 7-9 Chetwynd-street, North Melbourne.

3rd do.: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

MUSCAT WINE, 2 years old or over. 7 entries—

1st prize: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

2nd do. (divided): Burgoyne Pty. Ltd., 460 Little Collins-street, City.

2nd do. (divided): Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, City.

RED WINE, suitable for export, any age (must represent a quantity of not less than 500 gallons). 10 entries—

1st prize: S. Smith and Son, Yalumba, Angaston, South Australia.

2nd do.: J. Richardson, Russell-street, Melbourne.

3rd do.: R. E. Dawson, Whittlesea.

Very Highly Commended: Burgoyne Bros., Mt. Ophir Vineyard, Rutherglen.

Highly Commended: W. Reynell and Sons, Reynella, South Australia.

AUSTRALIAN SPARKLING WINE, natural effervescence (not introduced by artificial methods). 1 entry—

Not exhibited.

DRY WINE, three distinct types, taken from bulk. 6 entries—

1st prize: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, City.

Very Highly Commended: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, City.

DRY WINES, three distinct types of old bottled wine. 6 entries—

1st prize: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, City.

Very Highly Commended: Price, Griffiths, and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, City.

DRY WINE—Champion Prize of Australia.

Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, City.

SWEET WINES, three distinct types. 9 entries—

1st prize: W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

Highly Commended: Price, Griffiths and Co., 516 Little Collins-street, City.

SWEET WINE—Champion Prize of Australia.

W. H. Chambers, Rosewood and Ruche's Vineyard, Rutherglen.

CIDER (Australian), natural effervescence (not introduced by artificial methods). 4 entries—

1st prize (divided): J. Longstaff and Sons, Allan's Flat, Yackandandah.

1st do. (divided): J. Longstaff and Sons, Allan's Flat, Yackandandah.

3rd do. (divided): The Tasmanian Cider Co. Ltd., Queensbridge-street, South Melbourne.

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CIDER (Australasian), still. 2 entries—

1st prize: J. Longstaff and Sons, Allan's Flat, Yackandandah.

2nd do.: The Tasmanian Cider Co., Queensbridge-street, South Melbourne.

BRANDY (Australian), made from juice of grapes. 2 entries—

1st prize: W. Reynell and Sons, Reynella, Angaston, S.A.

2nd do.: The Chateau Tahbilk Pty. Ltd., Collins-street,

EXTRA EXHIBITS. 8 entries—

Highly Commended: G. Carra and Sons, 457 Elizabeth-street, City—Quinine.

Highly Commended—G. Carra and Sons, 457 Elizabeth-street, City—Vermouth.

Commended: Fabbri and Gardini, 7-9 Chetwynd-street, North Melbourne—Quinine.

Commended: Fabbri and Gardini, 7-9 Chetwynd-street, North Melbourne—Vermouth.

Commended: Fabbri and Gardini, 7-9 Chetwynd-street, North Melbourne—Vermouth.

Section 54—FRUITS, Etc.

DISTRICT EXHIBIT, 15 varieties of Apples and 10 varieties of Pears (all to be named), 4 of each kind, to be grown within a radius of 15 miles of local post office. 2 entries—
1st prize: Diamond Creek Horticultural Society, Diamond Creek.

2nd do.: Joseph Tainton, senr., East Burwood P.O.

APPLES, 3 varieties, dessert (4 of each). 3 entries—

1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

3rd do.: Joseph Tainton, senr., East Burwood P.O.

APPLES, 3 varieties, culinary (4 of each). 4 entries—

1st prize: J. G. Wells, Crook-street, Bacchus Marsh.

2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

3rd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

APPLES, Jonathan (12). 3 entries—

2nd prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

3rd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

APPLES, Delicious (12). No entry.

APPLES, Rome Beauty (12). 4 entries—

1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

3rd do.: J. G. Wells, Crook-street, Bacchus Marsh.

APPLES, Stewart Seedling (12). 2 entries—

2nd prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

3rd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

APPLES, London (12). 4 entries—

1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

2nd do.: James Cowan, Upper Diamond Creek.

3rd do.: Joseph Tainton, senr., East Burwood P.O.

APPLES, Dun's Favorite (12). 3 entries—

1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

3rd do.: J. G. Wells, Crook-street, Bacchus Marsh.

APPLES, Sturmer (12). 1 entry—

Not exhibited.

APPLES, Yates (12). 1 entry—

2nd prize: Joseph Tainton, senr., East Burwood P.O.

APPLES, Rokewood (12). 2 entries—

1st prize: J. G. Wells, Crook-street, Bacchus Marsh.

APPLES, Statesman (12). 1 entry—

1st prize: Joseph Tainton, senr., East Burwood P.O.

TRAY OF JONATHAN APPLES. 2 entries—

1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

TRAY OF ROME BEAUTY APPLES. 4 entries—

1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

3rd do.: J. G. Wells, Crook-street, Bacchus Marsh.

TRAY OF STEWART SEEDLING APPLES. 2 entries—

1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

TRAY OF LONDON APPLES. 3 entries—

1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

3rd do.: Joseph Tainton, senr., East Burwood P.O.

TRAY OF DUN'S FAVORITE APPLES. 3 entries—

1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

2nd do.: J. G. Wells, Crook-street, Bacchus Marsh.

3rd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

- TRAY OF STONE PIPPIN APPLES. 2 entries—
 1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.
 2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.
- TWO CASES OF DESSERT APPLES. 2 entries—
 1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.
 2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.
- TWO CASES OF CULINARY APPLES. 2 entries—
 1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.
 2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.
- PEARS, Josephine de Malines (12). 3 entries—
 1st prize: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.
 2nd do.: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.
 3rd do.: Joseph Tainton, senr., East Burwood P.O.
- PEARS, Broompark (12). 6 entries—
 1st prize: James Cowan, Bacchus Marsh.
 2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.
 3rd do.: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.
- PEARS, Winter Nelis (12). 4 entries—
 1st prize: James Cowan, Bacchus Marsh.
 2nd do.: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.
 3rd do.: A. C. and W. J. Muhlebach, Batesford, via Geelong.
- PEARS, Pakham's Triumph (12). 4 entries—
 1st prize: James Cowan, Bacchus Marsh.
 2nd do.: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.
 3rd do.: James Cowan, Bacchus Marsh.
- PEARS, Madame Cole (12). 3 entries—
 1st prize: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.
 2nd do.: Joseph Tainton, senr., East Burwood P.O.
 3rd do.: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.
- PEARS, Beurre Bosc (12). 3 entries—
 1st prize: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.
 2nd do.: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.
 3rd do.: Joseph Tainton, senr., East Burwood P.O.
- PEARS, Harrington (12). 2 entries—
 1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.
 2nd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

PEARS (Dessert), 3 varieties, 4 of each. 5 entries—

1st prize: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.

2nd do.: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.

3rd do.: James Cowan, Bacchus Marsh.

PEARS (Culinary), 3 varieties, 4 of each. 4 entries—

1st prize: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.

2nd do.: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.

3rd do.: Joseph Tainton, senr., East Burwood P.O.

TRAY DESSERT PEARS. 5 entries—

1st prize: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.

2nd do.: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.

3rd do.: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

TRAY CULINARY PEARS. 4 entries—

1st prize: A. B. Herbert, Upper Diamond Creek.

2nd do.: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.

3rd do.: A. E. Thiele, Doncaster.

ORANGES, 1 dozen. 2 entries—

1st prize: David Jamieson, Koondrook.

2nd do.: George Manners, Oswego Park, Mead.

LEMONS, 1 dozen. 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. N. H. Thomas, cr. Union and Thomas streets, Brighton North.

2nd do.: James Kerr, Morven, Bacchus Marsh.

3rd do.: J. T. Morey, Weatheral-road, Cheltenham.

COLLECTION OF CITRUS FRUITS, 20 of each kind. 3 entries—

1st prize: George Manners, Oswego Park, Mead.

2nd do.: David Jamieson, Koondrook.

COLLECTION OF NUTS, 3 or more varieties (not less than 5 lbs. of each). 1 entry—

1st prize: C. J. Monaghan, Bona Vista, Brookside, via Porepunkah.

COLLECTION OF RAISINS AND CURRANTS. No entry.

COLLECTION OF DRIED FRUITS, not less than 4 varieties (other than Raisins and Currants). 1 entry—

1st prize: E. and L. Hutchesson, Horsham.

Section 53—HORTICULTURE.

COLLECTION OF PLANTS (foliage and flowering). 1
entry—

1st prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.

SIX NARCISSI, distinct. No entry.

SIX HYACINTHS, distinct. No entry.

SIX CYCLAMEN, distinct. No entry.

SIX CINERARIAS, distinct. No entry.

SIX PRIMULA SIMENSIS, distinct. No entry.

SIX PRIMULA OBCONICA, distinct. No entry.

THREE AZALEAS, distinct. 1 entry—

2nd prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.

ONE AZALEA, distinct. 1 entry—

2nd prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.

SIX ORCHIDS, distinct. No entry.

THREE ORCHIDS, distinct. 1 entry—

1st prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.

THREE PALMS OR CYCADS, distinct. 1 entry—

1st prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.

ONE PALM, distinct. 1 entry—

1st prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.

THREE FOLIAGE PLANTS, distinct. 1 entry—

Not exhibited.

THREE FERNS OR LYCOPODS, distinct. 1 entry—

Not exhibited.

- NEW OR RARE PLANT. 1 entry—
1st prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.
- ONE ASPIDISTRA, green. 1 entry—
1st prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.
- ONE ASPIDISTRA, variegated. 2 entries—
1st prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.
2nd do.: Mrs. N. H. Thomas, cr. Union and Thomas-
streets, Brighton North.
- THREE RHODODENDRONS, distinct. 1 entry—
2nd prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.
- ONE RHODODENDRON. 1 entry—
Not Exhibited.
- HANGING BASKET, Ferns, Asparagus or Other Plants.
1 entry—
1st prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.
- WINDOW BOX, about 2 ft. 6 in., filled with Plants. 1
entry—
1st prize: Paton and Sons, 7 Railway Buildings, Flinders-
street, City.

Section 56—APICULTURE

- HONEY, in Sections, 12 lbs. No entry.
- HONEY, pale (extracted), in 1 lb. jars, 12 lbs. 2 entries—
1st prize: F. L. Morgan, Black Range, Stawell.
2nd do.: Herbert Cutler, Rocklands Apiaries, Balmoral.
- HONEY, MEDIUM (extracted), in 1 lb. jars, 12 lbs. No
entry.
- HONEY, DARK (extracted), in 1 lb. jars, 12 lbs. 1 entry—
2nd prize: Herbert Cutler, Rocklands Apiaries, Bal-
moral.

ASSORTED DISPLAY OF APIARY PRODUCTS (ready for retailing), not more than 60 lbs. No entry.

BEESWAX, white, 20 lbs., in shape best adapted for market.
1 entry—

1st prize: Herbert Cutler, Rocklands Apiaries, Balmoral.

BEESWAX, yellow, 20 lbs., in shape best adapted for market.
1 entry—

1st prize: Herbert Cutler, Rocklands Apiaries, Balmoral.

GENERAL APICULTURAL EXHIBIT. No entry.

Section 57—WOMEN'S INDUSTRIES

COLLECTION OF EXHIBITS, grown or made by one woman. 1 entry—

1st prize: Miss E. Mary Lewis, c/o. H. Enticott, "Rosemount," Yarra-street, Alphington.

ARTS AND CRAFTS.

PLAIN NEEDLEWORK (two garments). 1 entry—
1st prize: Miss Malster, Hamilton.

NEEDLEWORK, machine (two garments). 5 entries—
1st prize: Miss Malster, Hamilton.
2nd do.: Mrs. W. Bunn, 9 Roxburgh-street, Ascot Vale.

COLLECTION OF PLAIN AND FANCY NEEDLEWORK. 4 entries—
1st prize: Mrs. W. N. Wauchope, "Langdon," Euston-road, Oakleigh.
2nd do.: Mrs. W. Bunn, 9 Roxburgh-street, Ascot Vale.

DESIGN FOR NEEDLEWORK. 7 entries—
1st prize: Miss Emily Driscoll, Swinburne Technical College, John-street, Hawthorn.
2nd do.: Miss Emily Simpson, Swinburne Technical College, John-street, Hawthorn.

DESIGN FOR BLOUSE. 3 entries—
1st prize: Mrs. W. N. Wauchope, "Langdon," Euston-road, Oakleigh.
2nd do.: Mrs. Porter, Senr., Moorilim P.O.

HAND-MADE BLOUSE. 5 entries—

1st prize: Miss Emily I. S. Nairn, 15 George-street, Richmond.

2nd do.: Mrs. W. J. Porter, Moorilim P.O.

MACHINE-MADE BLOUSE. 8 entries—

1st prize: Miss Kate Powell, Box 61 P.O., Narrandera, N.S.W.

2nd do.: Mrs. W. Bunn, 9 Roxburgh-street, Ascot Vale.

PLAIN SKIRT AND SHIRT BLOUSE (cambric). 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss Marjorie Fysh Gaynor, Court Park, Malvern.

2nd do.: Miss A. E. Toohey, S.S. Norval, near Ararat.

UNDERSKIRT. 4 entries—

1st prize: Miss M. Kinkaid, "Kialla," Kellet-street, Northcote.

2nd do.: Miss Mary McDonald, Burn Brae, Grasmere.

SLIP BODICE. 7 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. M. Vaughan, 16 Bignell-street, Flemington.

2nd do.: Miss M. McComb, 54 Wattletree-road, Malvern.
Highly Commended: Miss Malster, Hamilton.

CHILD'S DRESS. 6 entries—

1st prize: Miss Dorothy Marshall, Valetta, Moffatt-street, South Yarra.

2nd do.: Mrs. R. E. Morse, 574 Lygon-street, Carlton.

BUTTONHOLE ON LINEN. 15 entries—

1st prize: Miss E. Lihan, Koornang-road, Caulfield East.

2nd do.: Miss Edith Curtayne, Eureka-street, Chewton.

BUTTONHOLE ON TWEED. 6 entries—

1st prize: Miss Edith Curtayne, Eureka-street, Chewton.

2nd do.: Miss Hettie Bostock, 96 Darebin-road, Northcote.

LADY'S SET OF UNDERCLOTHING (three garments). 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. R. E. Morse, 574 Lygon-street, Carlton.

2nd do.: Mrs. W. Bunn, 9 Roxburgh-street, Ascot Vale.

Highly Commended: Miss Hebe Graham, 340 Albert-street, East Melbourne.

TROUSSEAU SET (four pieces). 5 entries—

1st prize: Miss Alys Atwood, "Larnach," Rusden-street, Elsternwick.

2nd do.: Miss K. C. Bradhurst, Bank of Australasia, Wagga, N.S.W.

Highly Commended: Mrs. R. E. Morse, 574 Lygon-street, Carlton.

INFANT'S OUTFIT. 1 entry—

2nd prize: Mrs. E. Goldsworthy, 65 North-street, Burnley.

BEST DRESSED DOLL. 2 entries—

1st prize: Miss M. H. Clarke, Paddington-street, Oakleigh.

2nd do.: Miss M. H. Clarke, Paddington-street, Oakleigh.

CHILD'S BONNET (muslin). 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss D. Marshall, Moffatt-street, South Yarra.

2nd do.: Miss G. Auchterlonie, Narracan, Gippsland.

CHILD'S BONNET (silk). 4 entries—

1st prize: Miss P. Bidgood, "Sunnyside," Staghorn Flat.

2nd do.: Mrs. M. Carty Atwood, Rusden-street, Elsternwick.

GIRL'S HAT. 4 entries—

1st prize: Miss R. Turner Kimpton, "Kenilworth," Ormond-road, Ascot Vale.

2nd do.: Miss Alys Atwood, Rusden-street, Elsternwick.

LADY'S HAT. 2 entries—

1st prize: Miss Alys Atwood, Rusden-street, Elsternwick.

HAND-WORKED PHOTO FRAME. 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. W. Bunn, 9 Roxburgh-street, Ascot Vale.

2nd do.: Miss Olive Garden, Berkley-street, Castlemaine.

PRETTIEST HAND-MADE PEGGY BAG. 5 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. P. J. Paton, Maiden Gully P.O., Bendigo.

2nd do.: Mrs. A. W. Ferres, 53 Campbell-road, Upper Hawthorn.

CROCHET WORK (five articles of baby clothing). 2 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. M. Vaughan, 16 Bignell-street, Flemington.

2nd do.: Miss E. Mann, 303 Dawson-street, Ballarat.

CROCHET WORK, in cotton (three articles). 10 entries—
1st prize: Mrs. M. Vaughan, 16 Bignell-street, Flemington.

2nd do.: Miss M. Wilson, "Montrose," Arawatta P.O.

FANCY TABLE RUNNER. 2 entries—

1st prize: Miss D. Philp, cr. High and Bryant streets, Newmarket.

2nd do.: Miss Vera L. Angus, 15 Browning-street, Moonee Ponds.

CROCHET AFTERNOON TEA CLOTH. 25 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. P. J. Paton, Maiden Gully P.O., Bendigo.

2nd do.: Miss Janet Nairn, 15 George-street, Richmond.

Highly Commended: Miss M. McComb, 54 Wattletree-road, Malvern.

AFTERNOON CLOTH (other than crochet). 12 entries—

1st prize: Miss D. Marshall, Moffatt-street, South Yarra.

2nd do.: Miss M. McComb, 54 Wattletree-road, Malvern.

Highly Commended: Miss M. McDonald, Burn Brae, Grasmere.

TEA COSEY. 8 entries—

1st prize: Miss M. McDonald, Burn Brae, Grasmere.

2nd do.: Miss C. Gwynne, "Ivanhoe," Glass-street, Essendon.

PILLOW SHAMS (two). 6 entries—

1st prize: Miss Mary McDonald, Burn Brae, Grasmere.

2nd do.: Mrs. W. N. Wauchope, "Langdon," Euston-road, Oakleigh.

Highly Commended: Mrs. Drury, Humphrey-street, Ballarat.

HAND-WORKED SET SINGLE BED LINEN (3 pieces).

1 entry—

1st prize: Miss M. McComb, 54 Wattletree-road, Malvern.

HANDKERCHIEF (linen or lawn). 8 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. M. Carty Atwood, Rusden-street, Elsternwick.

2nd do.: Mrs. Porter, Senr., Moorilim.

Highly Commended: Mrs. A. W. Ferres, 53 Campbell-road, Upper Hawthorn.

EMBROIDERED INITIALS ON HANDKERCHIEF. 8 entries—

1st prize: Miss Eva M. Paul, Fairview-street, Concord, via Burwood, Sydney.

2nd do.: Mrs. A. W. Ferres, 53 Campbell-road, Upper Hawthorn.

SOFA CUSHION. 8 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. W. N. Wauchope, "Langdon," Euston-street, Oakleigh.

2nd do.: Mrs. W. N. Wauchope, "Langdon," Euston-street, Oakleigh.

Highly Commended: Miss M. McDonald, Burn Brae, Grasmere.

LINEN CUSHION COVER (Unmounted). 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. W. N. Wauchope, "Langdon," Euston-street, Oakleigh.

2nd do.: Miss Jessie Eves, 30 Central Park-road, East Malvern.

Highly Commended: Miss M. McDonald, Burn Brae, Grasmere.

MOUNT MELLICK WORK (two pieces). 8 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Drury, Humphrey-street, Ballarat

2nd do.: Miss Jessie Eves, 30 Central Park-road, East Malvern.

Highly Commended: Miss M. McDonald, Burn Brae, Grasmere.

STENCIL WORK (one piece). 4 entries—

1st prize: Miss Kate Powell, Box 61, Narrandera, N.S.W.

2nd do.: Miss O. L. Servante, 105 Commercial-road, South Yarra.

NEEDLE PAINTING, in Corticelli Silks (one piece). 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. W. N. Wauchope, "Langdon," Euston-street, Oakleigh.

2nd do.: Miss Jessie Eves, 30 Central Park-road, East Malvern.

POINT LACE (two pieces) 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss O. Garden, Berkley-street, Castlemaine.

2nd do.: Miss M. McDonald, "Burn Brae," Grasmere.

IRISH CROCHET LACE (two pieces). 1 entry—

No award.

LIMERICK LACE (one piece). 1 entry—

No award.

CARRICKMACROSS LACE (one piece). No entry.

SMOCKING (one piece). 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss Alice Garden, 215 Lygon-street, Carlton.

2nd do.: Mrs. R. E. Morse, 574 Lygon-street, Carlton.

TATTING (three pieces). 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss Muriel Arnold, Yannter, via Oberon, N.S.W.

2nd do.: Mrs. C. Summers, "Parkview," Lancefield.

CROCHET D'OYLEYS (three). 10 entries—

1st prize: Miss Kate Powell, Box 61, Narrandera, N.S.W.

2nd do.: Miss B. D. Garrigan, 51 Clandulla, Ocean Beach, Manly, Sydney.

Highly Commended: Miss T. Kimpton, Milverton-street, Moonee Ponds.

D'OYLEYS (three), other than Crochet. 14 entries—

1st prize: Miss M. McComb, 54 Wattletree-road, Malvern.

2nd do.: Miss B. D. Garrigan, 51 Clandulla, Ocean Beach, Manly, Sydney.

Highly Commended: Miss O. Garden, Berkley-street, Castlemaine.

LAUNDERED SHIRT. 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. James Golley, 260 Swan-street, Richmond.

2nd do.: Mrs. G. Riddell, "Carn Brae," 17 Warrick-street, Ascot Vale.

COLLECTION OF SILK COCOONS. No entry.

COLLECTION OF NOVELTIES IN CLOTHING, made from tops of stockings or glove tops. No entry.

OIL PAINTING, Landscape or Marine, from Nature. entry—

1st prize: Miss L. Brabson, 25 Tooronga-road, Auburn.

OIL PAINTING, Animal, from Nature. 1 entry—

2nd prize: Mrs. Herbert Cousins, "Rochdale," 56 Ardmillan-road, Moonee Ponds.

OIL PAINTING, Fruit or Flower, from Nature. 4 entries—
 1st prize: Miss G. Wells, 154 Kerferd-road, Albert Park.
 2nd do.: Miss L. Brabson, 25 Tooronga-road, Auburn.

WATER-COLOUR, Landscape or Marine, from Nature. 2 entries—
 1st prize: Miss L. Brabson, 25 Tooronga-road, Auburn.
 2nd do.: Miss Annie T. Murphy, "Royston," 73 Elgin-street, Moonee Ponds.

WATER-COLOUR, Animal, from Nature. 1 entry—
 No award.

WATER-COLOUR, Fruit or Flower, from Nature. 2 entries—
 1st prize: Miss L. Brabson, 25 Tooronga-road, Auburn.
 2nd do.: Miss G. Wells, 154 Kerferd-road, Albert Park.

LANDSCAPE, Photographs (4 pictures). 1 entry—
 1st prize: Miss Robinson, 274 Inkerman-street, East St. Kilda.

RIVER VIEW, Photographs (4 pictures). 2 entries—
 1st prize: Miss Robinson, 274 Inkerman-street, East St. Kilda.
 2nd do.: Miss L. B. Vandenberg, Wangaratta.

ANIMAL STUDY, Photograph. No entry.

CHILD'S STUDY, Photograph. 2 entries—
 1st prize: Miss Robinson, 274 Inkerman-street, East St. Kilda.
 2nd do.: Miss L. B. Vandenberg, Wangaratta.

HAND-PAINTING ON MUSLIN. 5 entries—
 1st prize: Miss Annie T. Murphy, 73 Elgin-street, Moonee Ponds.
 2nd do.: Miss V. M. Jessep, Willow Park, Newry.

TWO PEN AND INK SKETCHES. 6 entries—
 1st prize: Miss Helen Lupton, 19 Oak-street, Hawthorn.
 2nd do.: Miss Annie T. Murphy, 73 Elgin-street, Moonee Ponds.

FRENCH PEN PAINTING. 17 entries—
 1st prize: Miss Annie T. Murphy, 73 Elgin-street, Moonee Ponds.

2nd do.: Miss Florence E. Tronson, 69 Drummond-street,
Carlton.

Highly Commended: Miss K. Mahony, 16 Marlton-cres-
cent, St. Kilda.

DESIGN FOR ART POSTER. 1 entry—

1st prize: Miss Ella Gledhill, "Ewell," Warra-road, Koo-
yong.

FASHION PLATE DRAWING. No entry.

CHINA PAINTING (three pieces). No entry.

WOOD CARVING (two articles). No entry.

CHIP CARVING (two articles). 2 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. A. Smith, 451 Punt-road, Richmond.

DRESDEN ART MODELLING. No entry.

BANDOLA WORK. 2 entries—

1st prize: Miss Florence Allison, 120 Errol-street, North
Melbourne.

IRAFFIA BASKET. 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss E. Arnott, McIntyre-street, Hamilton.

2nd do.: Miss Agnes M. Ritchie, 52 Lothian-street, North
Melbourne.

RED CROSS DIVISION.

SOLDIER'S SET OF FLANNEL UNDERCLOTHING. 4
entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Smith, "Busy Bee," c/o Swallow and
Ariell, Port Melbourne.

2nd do.: Miss M. H. Clarke, Paddington-road, Oakleigh.

SHIRT (Tussore). 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Biddle, c/o Miss Clarke, Paddington-road,
Oakleigh.

2nd do.: Miss Somerville, c/o Miss Clarke, Paddington-
road, Oakleigh.

SHIRT (Cotton). 4 entries—

1st prize: Miss M. Kinna, "Busy Bee," c/o Swallow and
Ariell, Port Melbourne.

2nd do.: Mrs. Biddle, c/o Miss Clarke, Paddington-road,
Oakleigh.

SHIRT (Flannel). 6 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Sumsion, c/o Miss Clarke, Oakleigh.

2nd do.: Miss M. Kinna, "Busy Bee," c/o Swallow and Ariell, Port Melbourne.

UNDERSHIRT (Tussore). 2 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Biddle, c/o Miss M. H. Clarke, Oakleigh.

2nd do.: Mrs. Zarth, c/o Miss Clarke, Oakleigh.

UNDERSHIRT (Flannel). 2 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Biddle, c/o Miss Clarke, Oakleigh.

2nd do.: Miss N. Currie, "Busy Bee," c/o Swallow and Ariell, Port Melbourne.

CHOLERA BELT (Flannel). 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss M. Kinna, "Busy Bee," c/o Swallow and Ariell, Port Melbourne.

UNDERPANTS (Tussore). No entry.

UNDERPANTS (Flannel). 4 entries—

1st prize: Miss V. Tamme, "Busy Bee," c/o Swallow and Ariell, Port Melbourne.

2nd do.: Mrs. Wells, c/o Miss Clarke, Oakleigh.

PYJAMAS (Flannel). 4 entries—

1st prize: Miss A. Cunningham, "Busy Bee," c/o Swallow and Ariell, Port Melbourne.

2nd do.: Miss Somerville, c/o Miss Clarke, Oakleigh.

PYJAMAS (Cotton). 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Cary, c/o Miss Clarke, Oakleigh.

DRESSING-GOWN. No entry.

WAISTCOAT (Glove Tops). 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Carter, c/o Mrs. Waddingham, Albion-road, Glen Iris.

2nd do.: Mrs. Carter, c/o Mrs. Waddingham, Albion-road, Glen Iris.

WAISTCOAT (Leather). 1 entry—

1st prize: Miss M. Kinna, "Busy Bee," c/o Swallow and Ariell, Port Melbourne.

WAISTCOAT (Tweed or other material). No entry.

PLAIN STRAIGHT MUFFLER (Knitted or Crochet). 5 entries—

1st prize: Miss M. L. Percival, 97 Rae-street, North Fitzroy.

2nd do.: Miss Nan Nicholas, Park-street, Moonee Ponds.

HOSPITAL SLIPPERS (Durable). 1 entry—

1st prize: Miss M. H. Clarke, Paddington-road, Oakleigh.

HOSPITAL SLIPPERS (Scraps). 2 entries—

1st prize: Miss M. H. Clarke, Paddington-road, Oakleigh.

2nd do.: Miss Jessie Eves, 30 Central Park-road, East Caulfield.

BED SOCKS (Wool). 6 entries—

1st prize: Miss M. H. Clarke, Paddington-road, Oakleigh.

2nd do.: Mrs. T. Robertson, Red Cross Society, Hamilton

Highly Commended: Miss Mary L. Percival, 97 Rae-street, North Fitzroy.

BED SOCKS (Scraps). 2 entries—

1st prize: Miss N. Currie, "Busy Bee," c/o Swallow and Ariell, Port Melbourne.

2nd do.: Miss M. H. Clarke, Paddington-road, Oakleigh.

SOCKS (4-ply), French Heel. 9 entries—

1st prize: Miss Jessie Forster, "Abbeyville," Kyneton.

2nd do.: Miss B. McRae, Gravesend-street, Colac.

Highly Commended: Mrs. J. McKenzie, Calvert-street, Colac.

SOCKS (4-ply), Dutch Heel. 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss Pressie McKenzie, Calvert-street, Colac.

2nd do.: Miss B. McRae, Gravesend-street, Colac.

SOCKS (Wheeling), French Heel. 16 entries—

1st prize: Miss Jessie Forster, "Abbeyville," Kyneton.

2nd do.: Miss B. McRae, Gravesend-street, Colac.

SOCKS (Wheeling), Dutch Heel. 7 entries—

1st prize: Miss B. McRae, Gravesend-street, Colac.

2nd do.: Miss Mary L. Percival, 97 Rae-street, North Fitzroy.

CARDIGAN JACKET OR SWEATER. 1 entry—

1st prize: Mrs. E. Nicholas, "Craigallan," Park-street, Moonee Ponds.

WATERPROOF HELMET (Leather). No entry.

HELMET (Scraps). 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Meek, Red Cross Society, Hamilton.

2nd do.: Miss Morrison, Red Cross Society, Hamilton.

BALACLAVA CAP (Knitted). 6 entries—

1st prize: Miss Florence D. Moors, 498 Punt Hill, South Yarra.

2nd do.: Mrs. Ada Cane, 81 Flemington-road, North Melbourne.

PLAIN ROUND INVALID'S CAP (Knitted or Crochet).

6 entries—

1st prize: Miss Kate Powell, Box 61, Narrandera, N.S.W.

2nd do.: Miss Jessie Eves, 30 Central Park-road, East Caulfield.

KNEE CAPS (Knitted). 7 entries—

1st prize: Miss D. Pondt "Busy Bee," c/o Swallow and Ariell, Port Melbourne.

2nd do.: Mrs. Ada Cane, 81 Flemington-road, North Melbourne.

MITTENS (with Thumbs). 9 entries—

1st prize: Miss Jessie Eves, 30 Central Park-road, East Caulfield.

2nd do.: Miss M. L. Percival, 97 Rae-street, North Fitzroy

MITTENS (without Thumbs). 8 entries—

1st prize: Miss Mary L. Percival, 97 Rae-street, North Fitzroy.

2nd do.: Mrs. Ada Cane, 81 Flemington-road, North Melbourne.

WOOLLEN GLOVES. 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. John Brand, Victoria Valley, Dunkeld.

2nd do.: Miss K. McRae, Gravesend-street, Colac.

WASHER (12 inches by 10 inches, Turkish Towelling). 4 entries—

1st prize: Miss E. A. Doherty, "The Lilacs," Pakenham.

2nd do.: Miss Jessie Eves, 30 Central Park-road, East Caulfield.

RED CROSS COUNTERPANE (72 inches by 80 inches, red cross of two strips of Turkey Twill, 18 inches by 6 inches). No entry.

NOVELTY FOR PREVENTION OF FROST-BITE. I

entry—

No exhibit.

HOME-MADE LOAF OF BREAD (4 lbs.). 10 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. C. I. Hall, 26 Chandler-street North Williamstown.

2nd do.: Mrs. W. Rae, Mooroolbark.

YEAST BUNS (6). 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. W. Rae, Mooroolbark.

2nd do.: Mrs. C. I. Hall, 26 Chandler-street, North Williamstown.

SPONGE CAKE ($\frac{1}{2}$ lb.). 9 entries—

1st prize: Miss Eileen Lunny, 155 Bay-street, Port Melbourne.

2nd do.: Mrs. S. M. Klenke, Darriwell, 15 Derby-avenue, Upper Northcote.

Highly Commended: Miss Eva White, "Dingwell Nook," Lancefield.

PLAIN CAKE. 11 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. T. K. Adkins, "The Block," Korumburra.

2nd do.: Mrs. A. Foster Turner, St. Kilda-road, City.

Highly Commended: Mrs. W. Hill, Emily Park, Ballan.

RICH FRUIT CAKE. 15 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. W. T. Bennett, Box 22, Portland.

2nd do.: Mrs. J. Hanson, Ingliston.

PLAIN SULTANA CAKE. 9 entries—

1st prize: Miss D. Seymour, "Willow Glen," Bolinda.

2nd do.: Mrs. A. Foster Turner, St. Kilda-road, City.

WEDDING CAKE. 2 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Fred. Kimpton, 15 Pratt-street, Moonee Ponds.

2nd do.: Miss Rose Madden, 212 Clarendon-street, East Melbourne.

NUT CAKE. 2 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Fred. Kimpton, 15 Pratt-street, Moonee Ponds.

2nd do.: Mrs. H. Jenkins, Yaldwin-street, Kyneton.

OATMEAL CAKE. 3 entries—

1st prize: Miss Georgina Cruickshank, 5 Hopetoun-street,
Camberwell.

2nd do.: Mrs. C. I. Hall, 26 Chandler-street, North Wil-
liamstown.

PLATE OF SHORTBREAD. 5 entries—

1st prize: Miss T. Jones, Whittlesea.

2nd do.: Miss M. Jack, 14 Goulbourne-street, Yarraville.

GINGER-BREAD (1 lb.). 4 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. T. K. Adkins, "The Block," Korumburra.

2nd do.: Miss Ruby Lunny, 155 Bay-street, Port Mel-
bourne.

PLATE OF SANDWICHES. 3 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. N. H. Thomas, cr. Union and Thomas
streets, Brighton North.

2nd do.: Miss Phyllis Golley, 260 Swan-street, Richmond.

CHEESE STRAWS. 2 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. James Golley, 260 Swan-street, Richmond.

2nd do.: Miss M. Wilson, "Montrose," Arawatta P.O.

MINCEMEAT. 1 entry—

1st prize: Mrs. N. H. Thomas, cr. Union and Thomas
streets, Brighton North.

PLUM PUDDING. 9 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. A. N. White, Glenluce Park, Bolinda.

2nd do.: Mrs. J. Hanson, Ingliston.

LEMON CHEESE. 5 entries—

1st prize: Miss Maggie Percival, 97 Rae-street, North
Fitzroy.

2nd do.: Miss Phyllis Golley, 260 Swan-street, Richmond.

PUFF PASTRY (6 distinct varieties). 7 entries—

1st prize: Mrs. Charles Chitts, 355 Douglas-street, New-
port.

2nd do.: Mrs. M. Hill, Emily Park, Ballan.

FLAKY PASTRY (6 other varieties). 1 entry—
1st prize: Miss M. Wilson, "Montrose," Arawatta P.O.

JAM TARTS (6). 11 entries—
1st prize: Mrs. W. E. Wells, Kerferd-road, Albert Park.
2nd do.: Miss Eva White, "Dingwell Nook," Lancefield.

SWISS ROLL (not less than 2 lbs.). 12 entries—
1st prize: Mrs. H. Jenkins, Yaldwin-street, Kyneton.
2nd do.: Mrs. F. Kimpton, 15 Pratt-street, Moonee Ponds.
Highly Commended: Mrs. R. T. Kimpton, Ormond-road,
Ascot Vale.

JAM SANDWICH. 12 entries—
1st prize: Mrs. S. M. Klenke, 15 Derby-avenue, Upper
Northcote.
2nd do.: Miss Daisy Lunny, 155 Bay-street, Port Mel-
bourne.

WHITE SCONES (1 dozen). 16 entries—
1st prize: Miss Jean Glasgow, Derryvale, Bena.
2nd do.: Mrs. R. Lay, 5 Norfolk-street, Moonee Ponds.

BROWN SCONES (1 dozen). 6 entries—
1st prize: Miss M. Wilson, "Montrose," Arawatta.
2nd do.: Mrs. Alex. McKenzie, Cororooke P.O., via Colac.

COCOANUT ICE. 5 entries—
1st prize: Mrs. A. Foster Turner, St. Kilda-road, City.
2nd do.: Mrs. H. Jenkins, Yaldwin-street, Kyneton.

TOFFEE. 4 entries—
1st prize: Miss Rose Madden, 212 Clarendon-street, East
Melbourne.
2nd do.: Mrs. Chapman, 11 Oak-street, Hawthorn.
Highly Commended: Mrs. A. Foster Turner, St. Kilda-
road, City.

COLLECTION OF HOME-MADE SWEETS (6 varieties).
8 entries—
1st prize: Miss Rose Madden, 212 Clarendon-street, East
Melbourne.
2nd do.: Mrs. A. Foster Turner, St. Kilda-road, City.

OLIVES, Pickled (3 bottles). No entry.

- PICKLES, 3 varieties (1 bottle of each). 2 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. N. H. Thomas, cr. Union and Thomas streets, Brighton North.
 2nd do.: Mrs. Charles Chitts, 355 Douglas-street, Newport
- SAUCES, 3 varieties (1 bottle of each). 3 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. E. J. White, "Dingwell Nook," Lancefield.
 2nd do.: Mrs. R. N. Ruff, 464 Latrobe-street, West Melbourne.
- CHUTNEY (1 bottle). 5 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. E. J. White, "Dingwell Nook," Lancefield.
 2nd do.: Mrs. Frank Unthank, Tyabb.
- COLLECTION OF PRESERVED FRUITS. 4 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. Ralph Hodges, 191 High-street, Kew.
 2nd do.: Mrs. N. H. Thomas, cr. Union and Thomas streets, Brighton North.
 3rd do.: Miss D. Seymour, Willow Glen, Bolinda.
- COLLECTION OF JAMS. 5 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. E. J. White, "Dingwell Nook," Lancefield.
 2nd do.: Mrs. Ralph Hodges, 191 High-street, Kew.
 3rd do.: Miss Jean Glasgow, Derryvale, Bena.
- COLLECTION OF JELLIES. 7 entries—
 1st prize: Mrs. Ralph Hodges, 191 High-street, Kew.
 2nd do.: Mrs. S. H. Drury, Shepparton.
 3rd do.: Miss Phyllis Golley, 260 Swan-street, Richmond.
- HOME-MADE ORANGE MARMALADE. 10 entries—
 1st prize: Miss N. Byass, Shepparton.
 2nd do.: Mrs. W. Rae, Mooroolbark.

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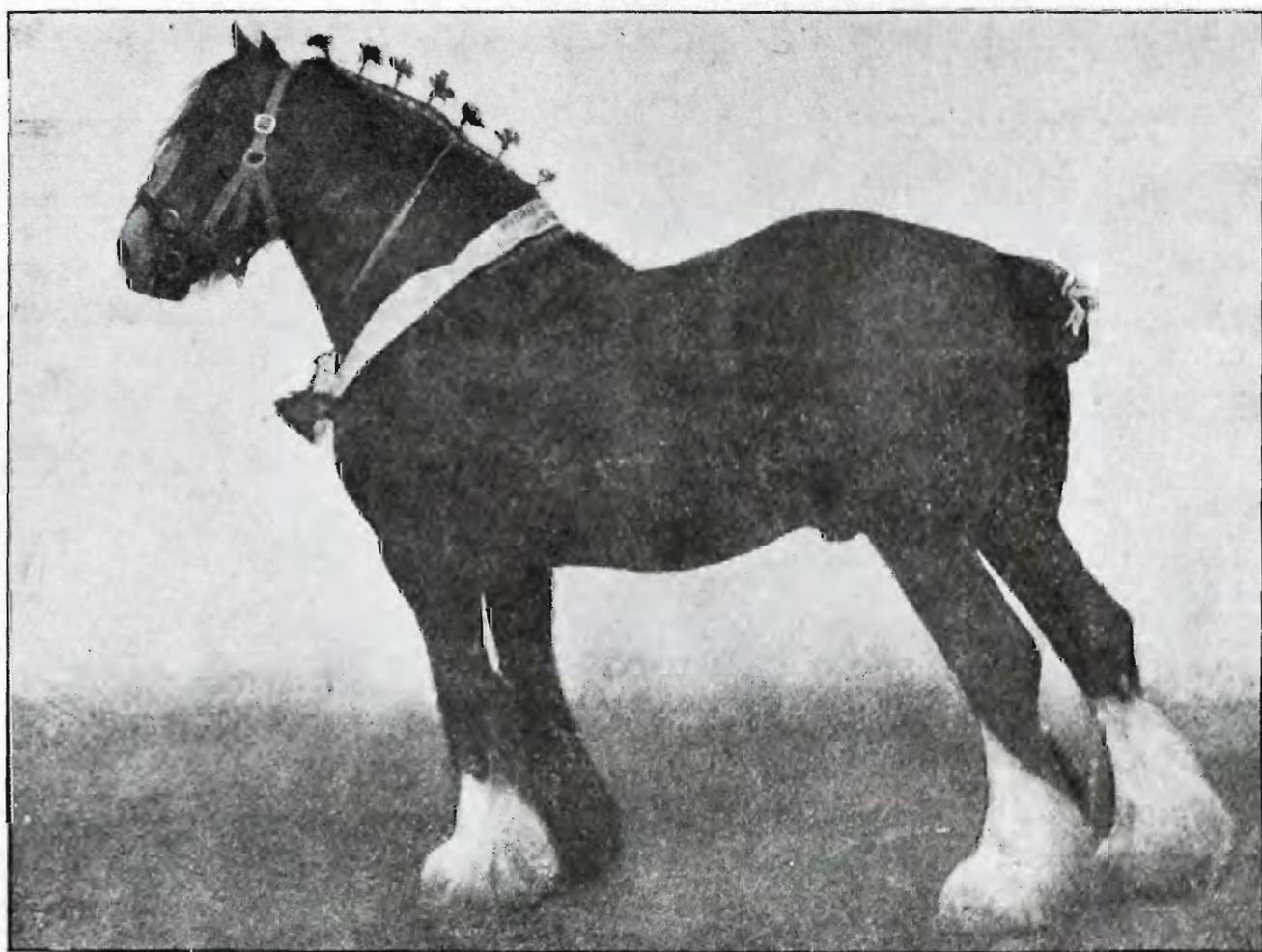
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HORSES.

CLYDESDALES (Males).

Mr. E. Roberts, Spring Park, Essendon.

About twenty stallions paraded in the Aged Class, and after careful inspection, I decided on "Dalmore" for first honours. Whilst he may appear a little on the strong side for a Clydes-



Champion Clydesdale Stallion, "Royal" Show, 1917.

"DALMORE" (imp.) [16542, C.S.B.], exhibited by Mr. John Bunge.

dale. he is a horse possessing both weight and quality, and stands well on a good set of legs; in fact, I have never seen a much better hind leg on a horse. He is a very dashing mover, and of beautiful colour.

"Shanter," whom I placed second, is also a big weighty horse, but he is not just as sweet-legged a horse as I like, nor yet is he a good mover. Nevertheless, he is a big, useful Clydesdale.

"Baron Carlisle," the third prize horse, is a very nice little horse, but lacking in size and substance, and not standing on the best of feet, whilst his action could be much better.

The fourth horse is only a four-year-old, and stands well on a splendid set of feet, with nicely sprung pasterns, a good mover, and very growthy looking, but not yet fully developed on top.

Only one three-year-old stallion came forward. He was only a moderate exhibit, not too nice about the feet, and rather light in his gaskins.

Five two-year-old colts entered the ring. They were rather a mixed lot; but the winner, a well grown, classy colt, stood out very prominently.

The second prize colt, although very nice and showing lots of quality, was lacking in size.

The large entry of yearlings comprised some very good colts indeed; the first and second prize winners were very even and well grown, both standing on a good set of legs, and well furnished.

The third prize colt is favoured with a splendid set of legs, but at present he is rather slack on top, but shows a lot of growth.

Three sires and their progeny came forward for the group prize, which I awarded to "Shanter" and his group, a very fair group, even, and showing nice quality.

The animals in the second prize group were well grown, but not so even, nor yet nearly as good in quality.

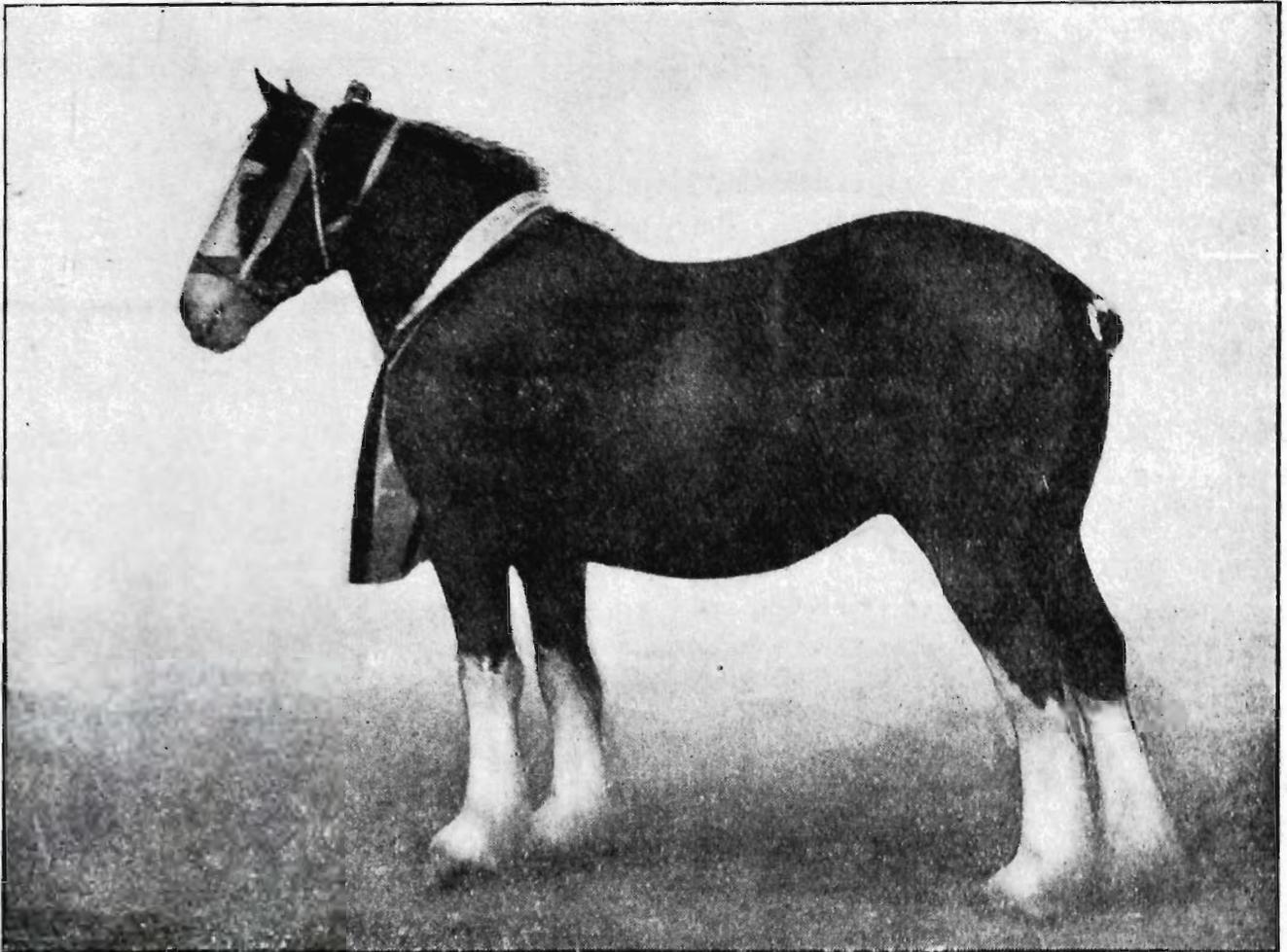
I considered "Dalmore" the best all-round horse in the Clydesdale Classes, and had no hesitation in awarding him Champion honours.

In awarding the two-year-old colt the Reserve Championship, I considered him as being exceptionally well grown, and standing on a splendid set of legs. He was more classical than his opponents, and promises to develop into a more classical stallion.

CLYDESDALES (Females).

Mr. Alexander Colvin, Aldourie, Nathalia.

The first prize winner in the Brood Mare Class was a four-year-old. She had very good feet and pasterns and good legs. She moved well and kept her hocks nicely together. She possessed plenty of size and substance for a brood mare, and will improve with age.



Champion Clydesdale Mare, "Royal" Show, 1917.

"PATRICIA" (N.Z. C.S.B.), exhibited by Department of Agriculture, Werribee.

The second prize mare, a brown, was very nice and a good mover, but rather on the small size for a brood mare. She was a bit narrow about her knees, and narrow in the bone about her hocks.

The third prize mare was not the same type as the first two, but she was a good, useful, sound mare. The rest of the exhibits were rather rough and round in the bone and straight in their pasterns.

There were only two Dry Mares. The first a four-year-old, was shown in the pink of condition, but the second was a very plain mare in every way.

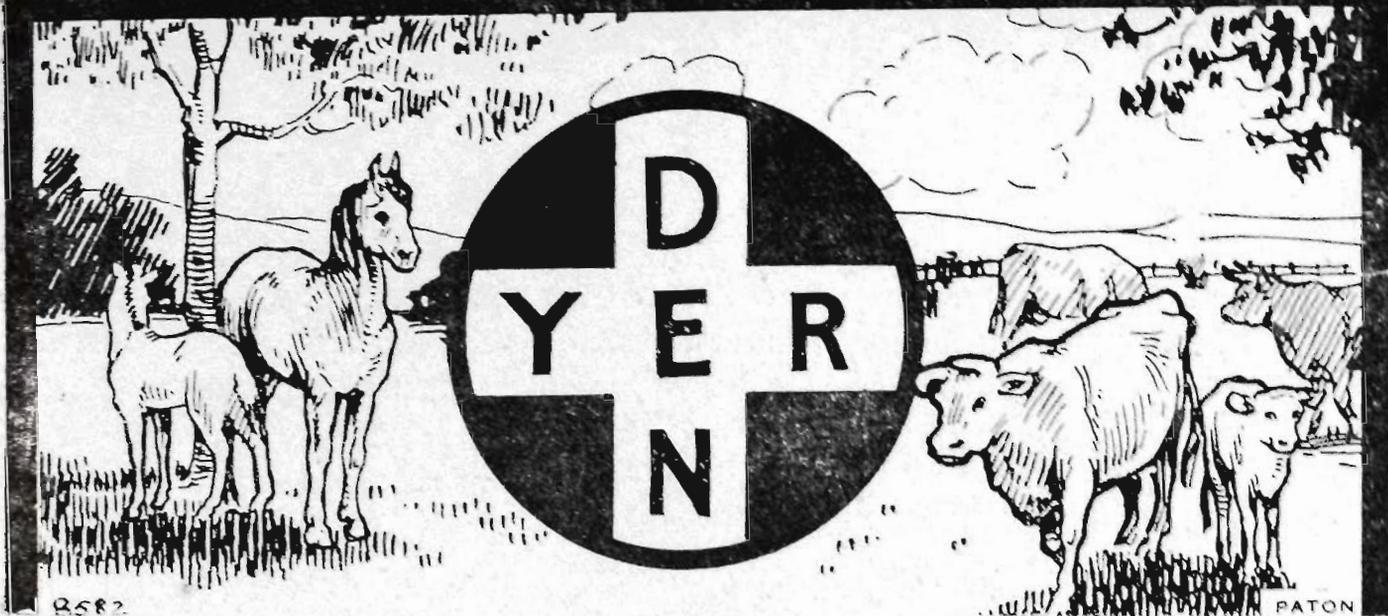
The three-year-old Fillies were a fair lot, all being pretty good about the legs and feet. The first prize one was a very nice brown mare, with plenty of size, good about the feet and pasterns, and an extra good mover. She was a straight goer, and bent her knees and hocks to perfection. The others in the Class had no chance against her. There was plenty of room for five or six to come between the first and second prize ones. There was not much difference between the next three in the Class; they did not show the quality of the proper Clydesdale.

The two-year-old Fillies were four in number. The first prize winner was a bay filly with plenty of size and substance, but not a good mover. The second prize filly was rather nice. The first three in the Class were something of the same type. They will grow into useful mares. The fourth was a very rough and plain mare.

Twenty-four Yearling Fillies entered the ring. The first was a nice bay filly, with splendid feet and legs, and a really good mover. She bends her knees and hocks the right way, and is a very straight goer. The second prize filly was a nice filly, and shows a lot of Clydesdale character about her, but looks much younger than the first prize one. The third prize winner was a very nice filly, and shows a good bit of quality about her feet and legs. The fourth prize filly was a bay with good feet, but not so even in her body as the first three. The fifth prize filly was larger, but very plain; the sixth, a bay, also a bit plain.

A number of the remainder were very straight on their pasterns and full about their hocks. A lot of breeders are losing sight of the feet and pasterns. Little round narrow hocks at the side, and broad in front, causes thoropin and bog spavin. There is not room enough in a narrow hock for a horse to use it properly. The hocks should be broad and flat, and narrow in front, then there would be less hereditary disease. Breeders ought to pay attention to the sires they use, and see that their feet and legs and hocks are right. A lot of these yearlings looked well until they were pulled up and made to stand for a time. A number of them stood over their fetlocks in front and behind, and they could neither walk nor trot. When a yearling is in that state, he is not much good when he gets to four or five years old. He should be in his prime at five years old.

Many visitors to the Show evidently thought that the Champion and Reserve Champion awards should have been reversed.

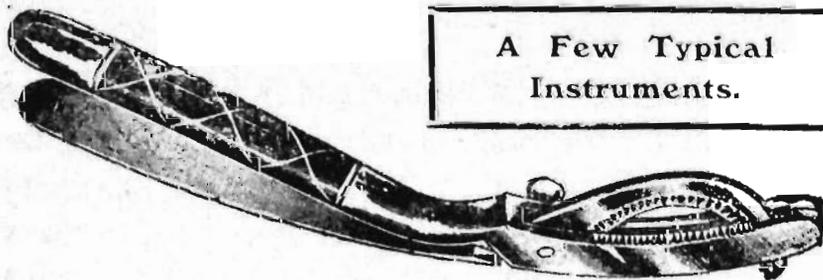


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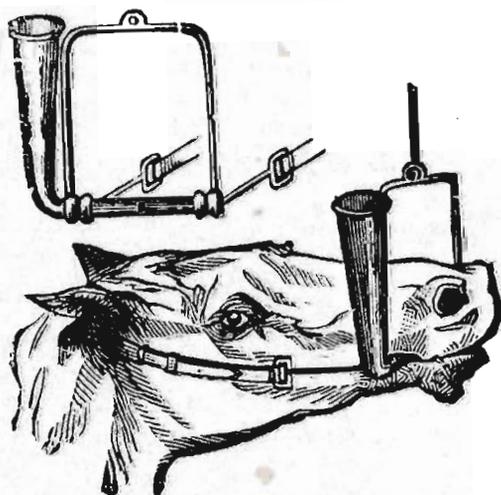
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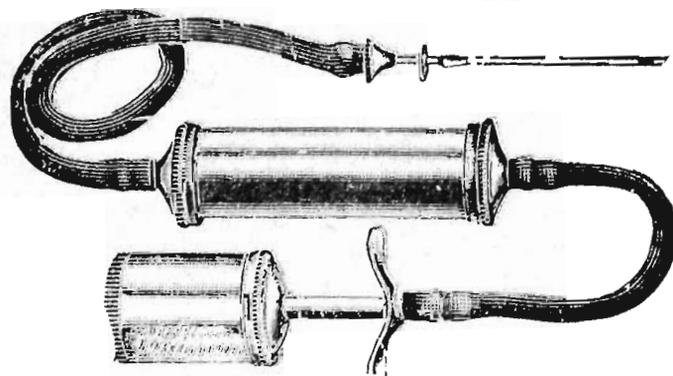


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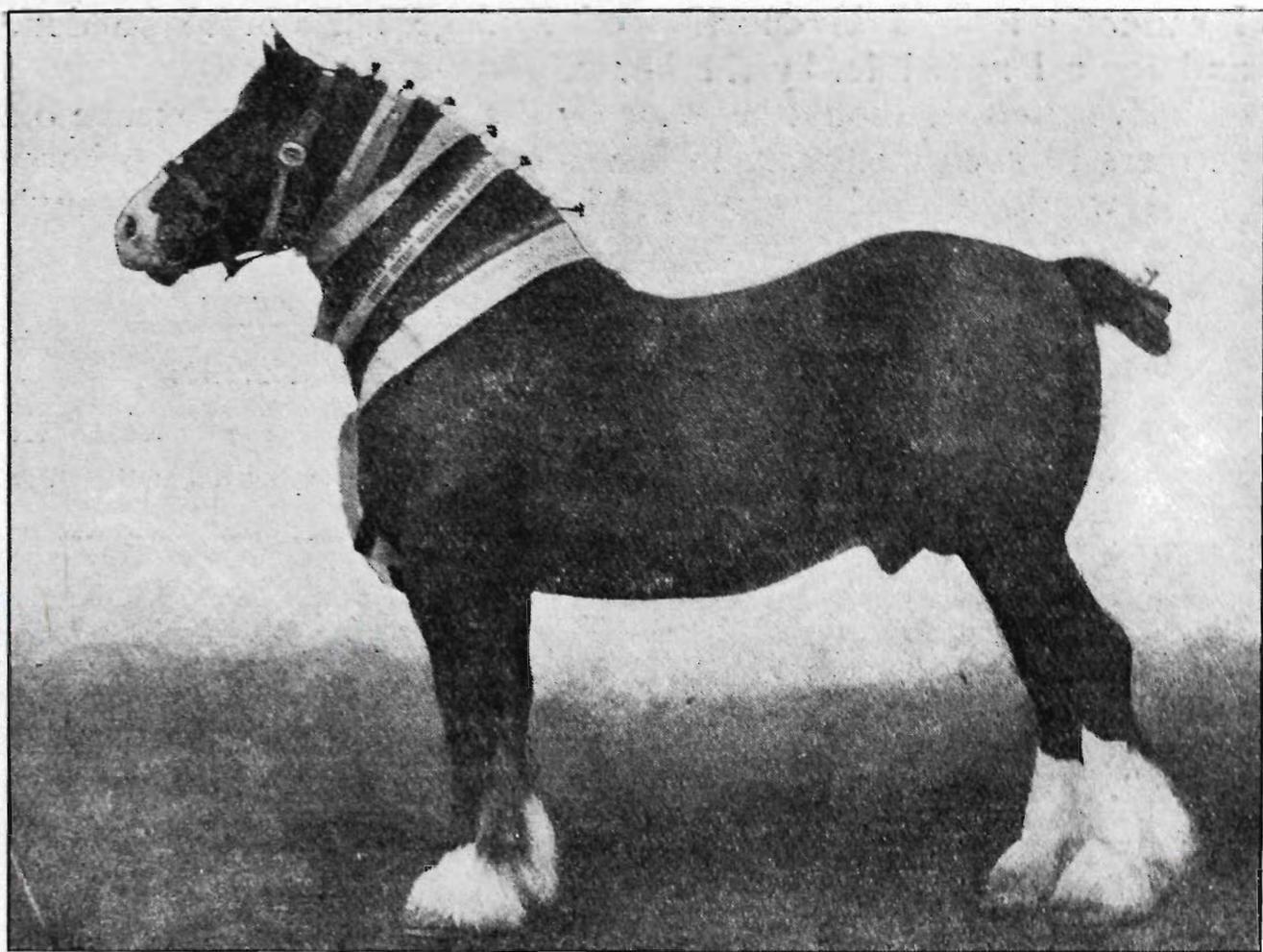
My reasons for awarding the Championship as I did were that I have judged the reserve mare on different occasions, and gave her first prizes and one Championship. I examined her thoroughly each time and she deserved all she got until she met this year's Champion. The latter is only three years old, a year younger, and yet a bigger mare than her rival, and, furthermore, is in foal. A brood mare should always get the preference over a dry mare if they are very evenly matched. The Champion is a first-class mover, with a beautiful head, neck, shoulder and back. She has a better neck and shoulders than the Reserve mare, and can beat her all over the top, although her quarters are a little bit short. She shows greater character of the Clydesdale, and is a better type of one than the winner of the Reserve prize.

I hope the Royal Agricultural Society of Victoria will stand firm, and get all the mares veterinarily examined, as they do in New South Wales. There are only a few breeders who are not breeding sound ones, and if the Victorians will allow it, they will get all the cripples sent in here. Many gentlemen would buy and give a good price for a mare or horse, thinking it was sound, but would find out afterwards that they had bought a cripple, and this is the only way to get this put right. Many a buyer, who is not a good judge himself, is prepared to give a high price for a good horse, and would buy with confidence if all horses were examined.

The Clydesdale is the only draught horse that should be bred in Australia, because they are useful for any kind of work. They are using them in the Great War at the present time, for both light and heavy work. They can walk or trot, if desired, and they are less liable to hereditary disease than any other breed of draught horses.

All the big carriers in Melbourne will give more for a Clydesdale gelding now than they will for a big rough, round-boned one.

One of the biggest carriers in Melbourne will give from five to ten pounds more for a good Clydesdale, as they now have to do the work in eight hours that they had all day to do before. This carrier says the Clydesdale is the only horse that can stand the heavy and fast work. No breeder can go wrong in breeding this type, and he can breed them big enough if he uses the right Clydesdale horse.



Champion Shire Stallion, "Royal" Show, 1917.
 "BORO' SPORTSMAN" (imp.) [28123, E.S.H.S.B.] (321, S.),
 exhibited by Mr. J. P. Belleville.

DRAUGHT HORSES.

Mr. John Ball, "Manchester Park," Werribee.

There was some very promising stock shown in the Draught Sections at last Royal Show, and I believe that the Society will make a great mistake if the suggested programme is followed and this class of horse allowed to drop out gradually.

In spite of what a few breeders may say, our draught horse keeps getting lighter, and this in the face of the fact that the heavy draught is now more required than ever. It does not matter where you go, this class of horse is now harder to get than ever before.

Year after year, to whatever Show I may go, I find that this class of horse is getting fewer and farther between.

Whatever may happen to the shifting values of the light draughts (and they at times get below producing price), the big fellow always commands a payable one.

Motors, it has been proved, cannot take the heavy draught horse's place, and do all the heavy haulage required in and about our cities. Here—what may be wanted over the water

I cannot guess—a big portion of haulage has got to be done, and for a long while, by the horse.

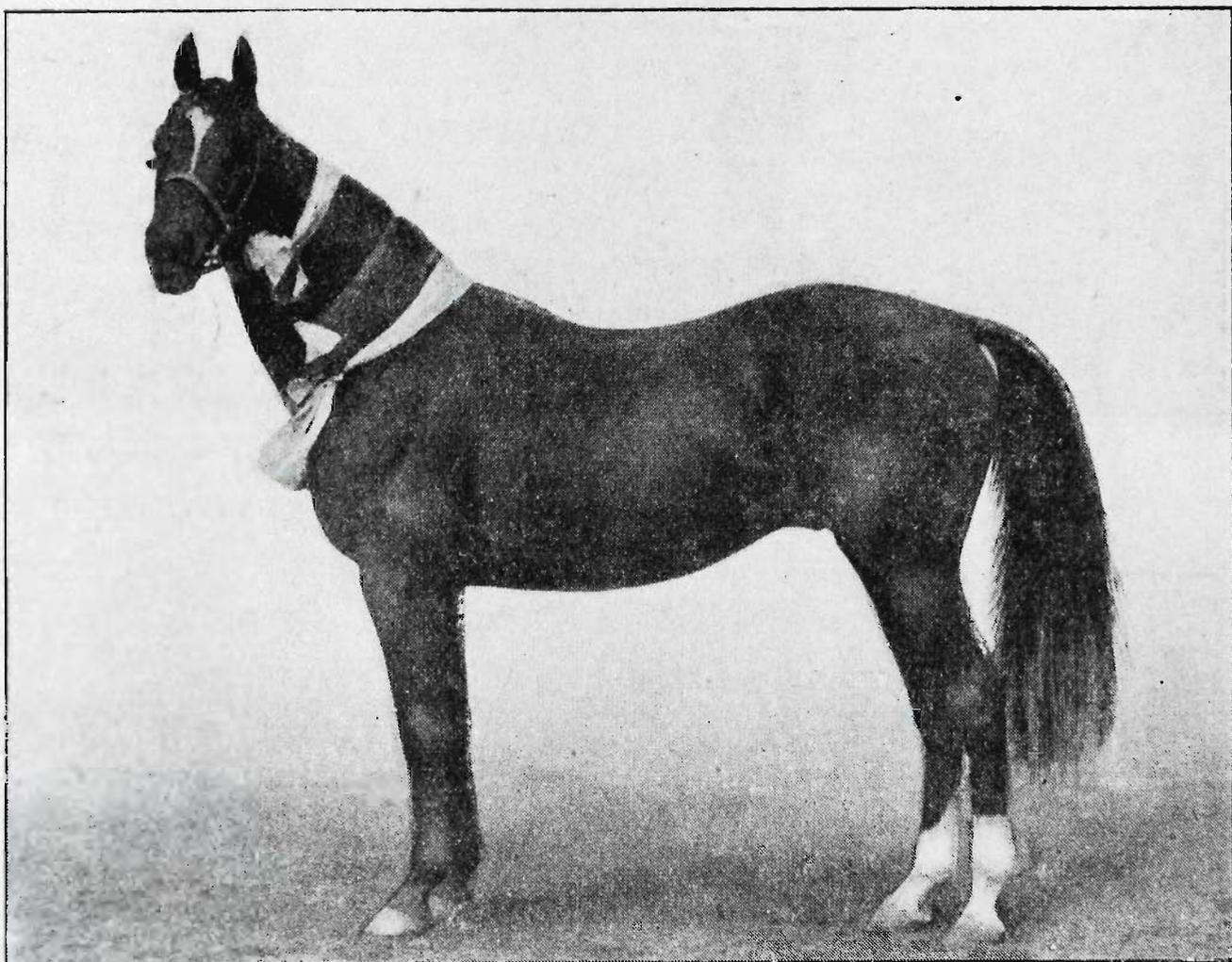
Every effort should be made by the Society to encourage our farmers to keep on trying to breed the big heavy haulage horse.

I would strongly recommend the retention of the draught horse section in its entirety.

THOROUGHBREDS AND ARABS.

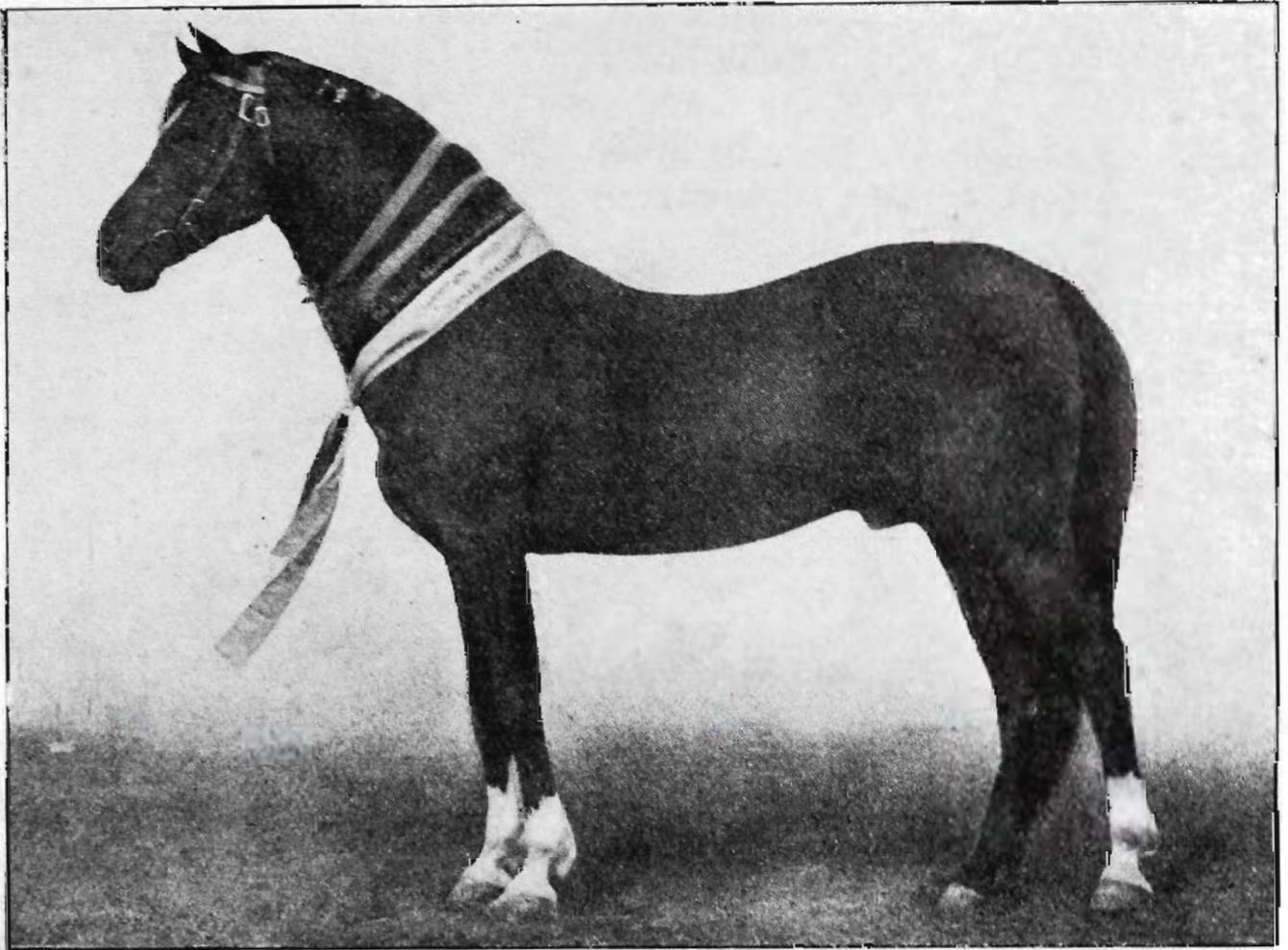
Mr. Edward Krcrouse, Murchison, Parkville.

I regret to say I was very much disappointed with the Thoroughbreds at the Show, both as to quality and numbers.

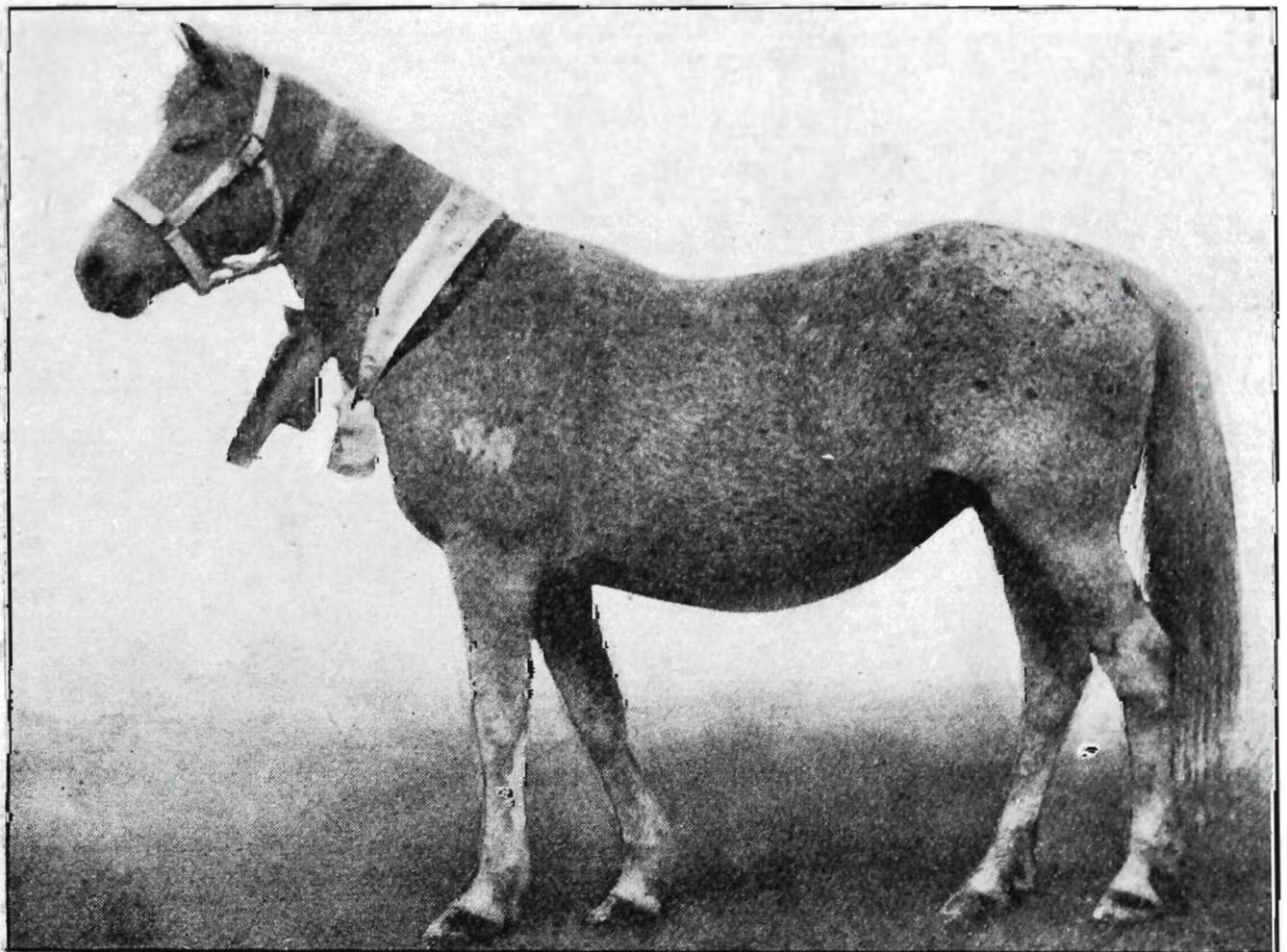


**Champion Thoroughbred Stallion, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"CREST O' TH' WAVE" (289), exhibited by Mr. R. Harkness.**

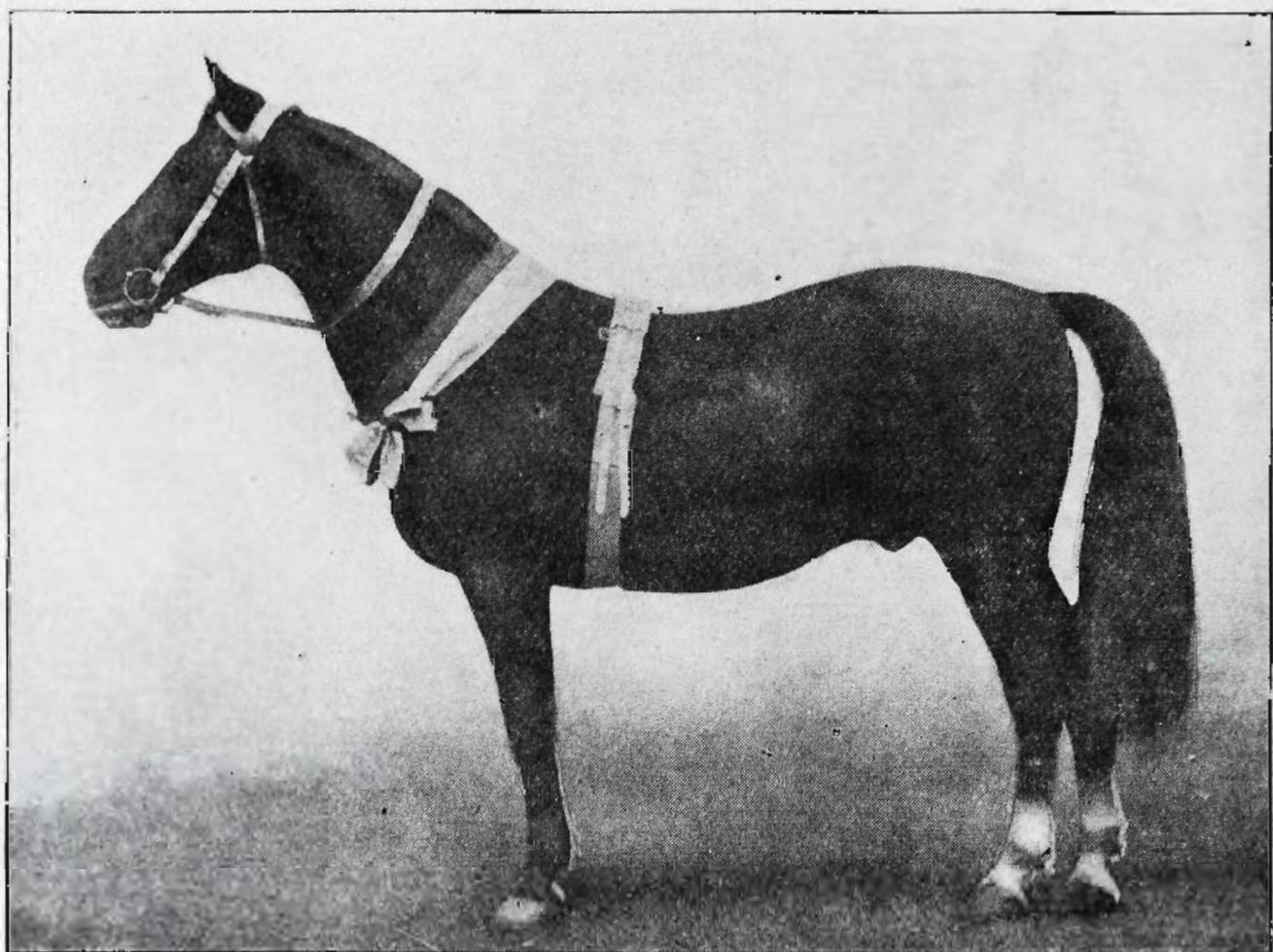
The winner, "Crest o th' Wave," is a useful horse, but up in years, and I hoped to see some good young horses shown in this class. However, I had to award the prize, and selected him as the most likely of the lot to produce utility horses. I think it would be advisable in future to publish early in the season that a valuable prize will be given for the Thoroughbred horse most likely to get utility horses. The owners of useful young stallions in the country may then make arrangements to send their horses to Melbourne for the Show.



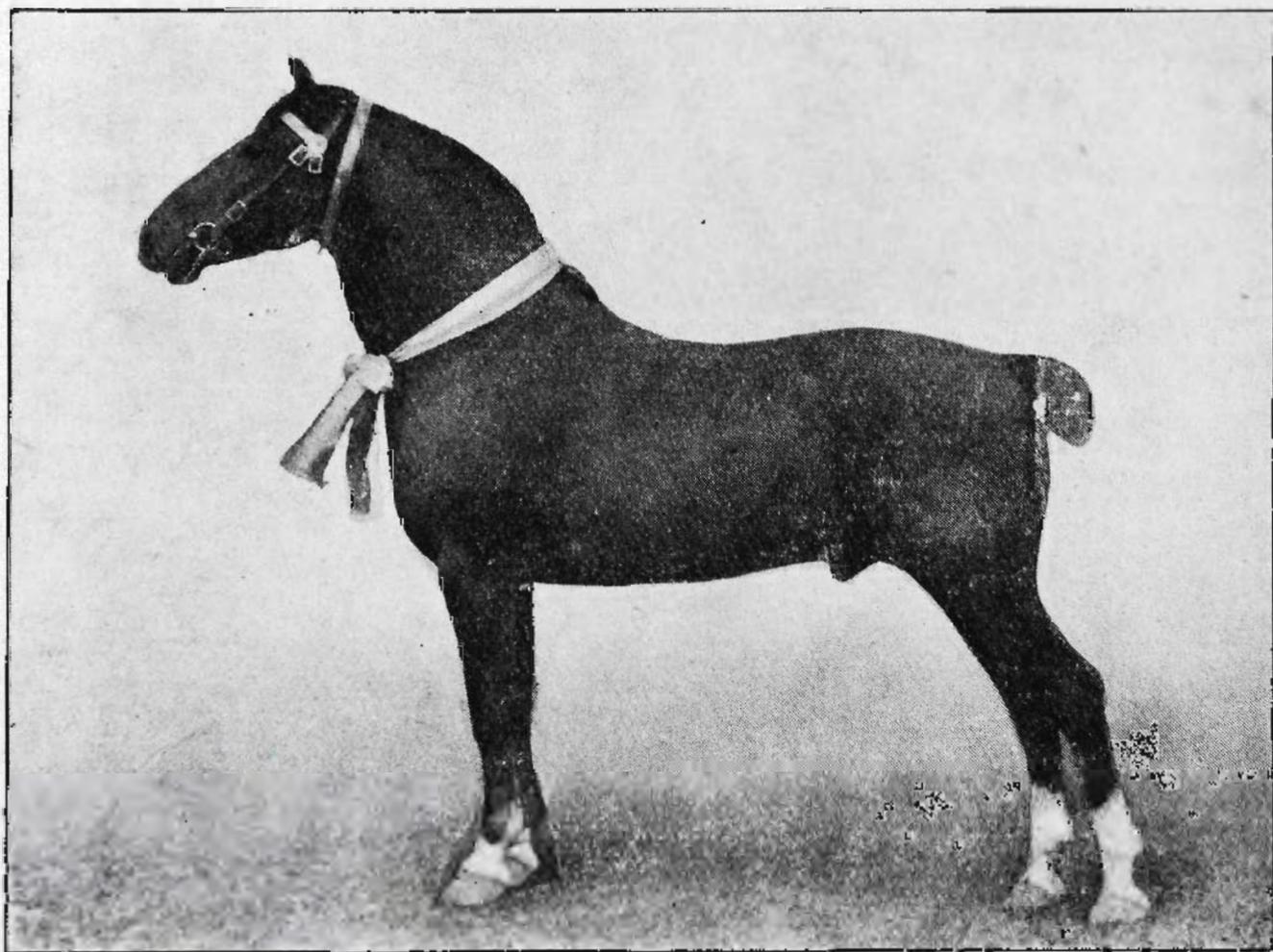
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 "BADAWEEN," exhibited by Mr. B. Folllott Sandford.



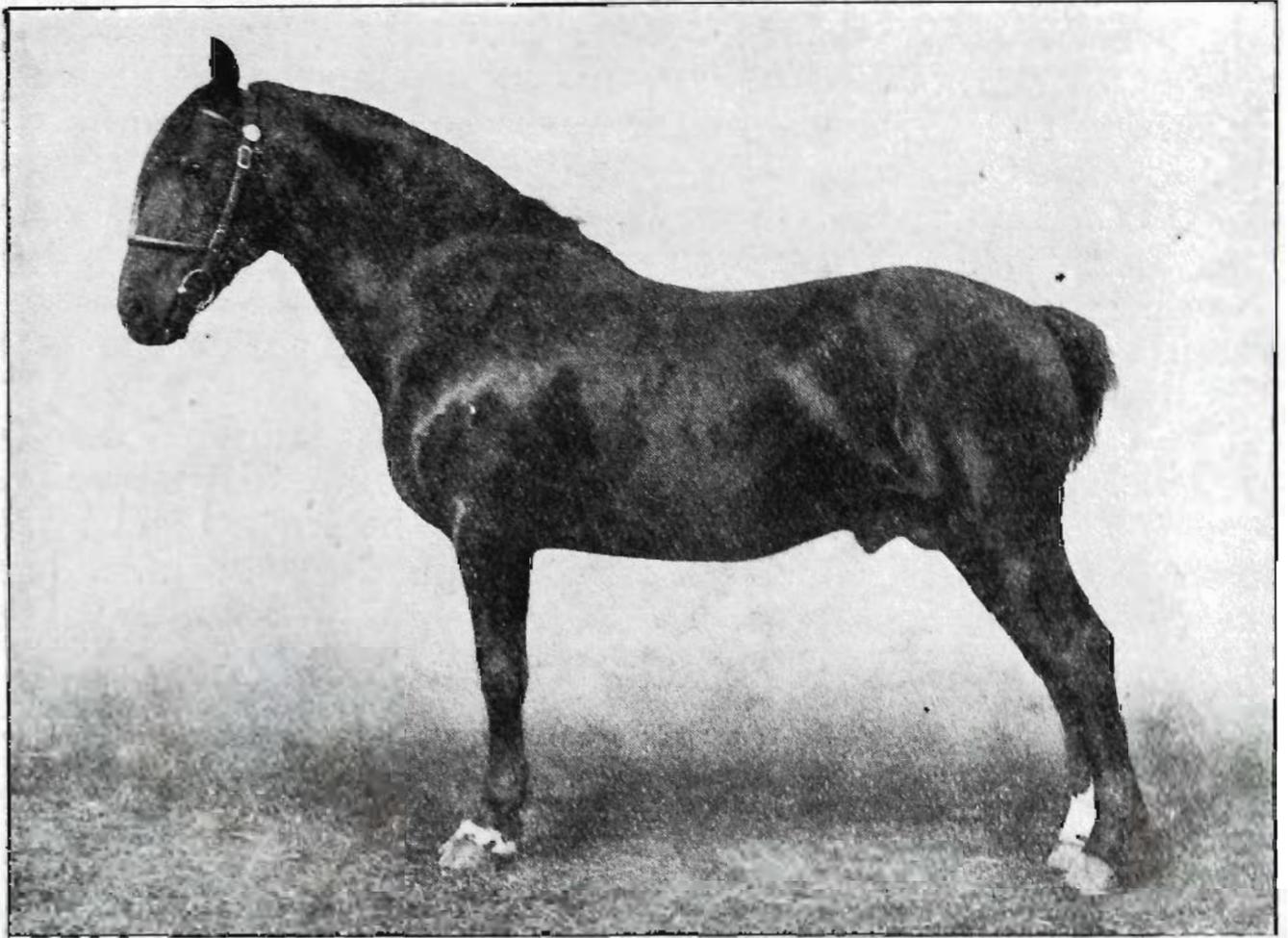
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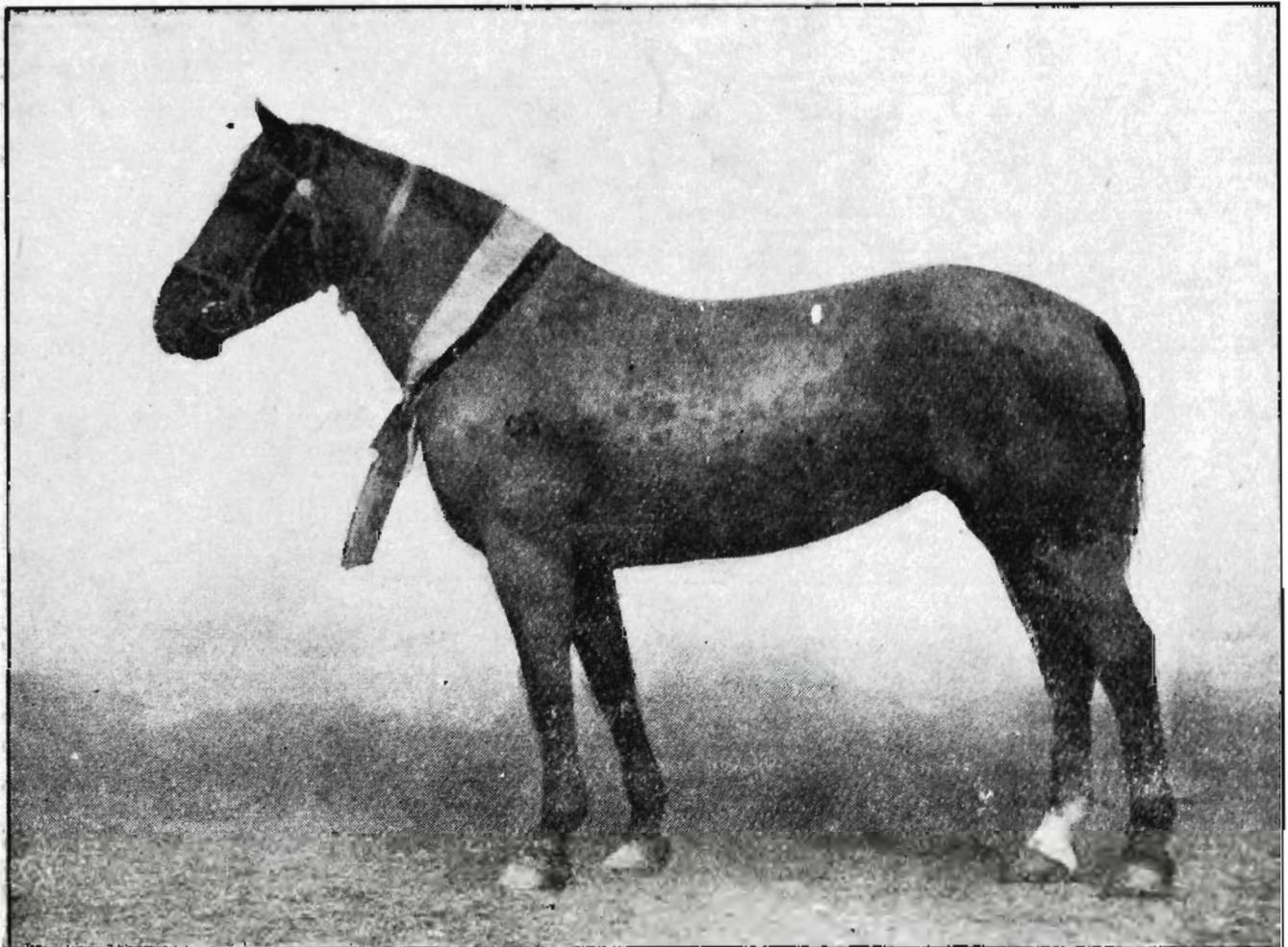
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"FLYING STAR" (1272), exhibited by Mr. O. Martin.



Champion Hackney Stallion, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"GAY GORDON," exhibited by Mr. W. M. Black.



Champion Cob Stallion, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"HAFREN SENSATION," exhibited by Miss B. Bruce Reid (G.M.V.C.)

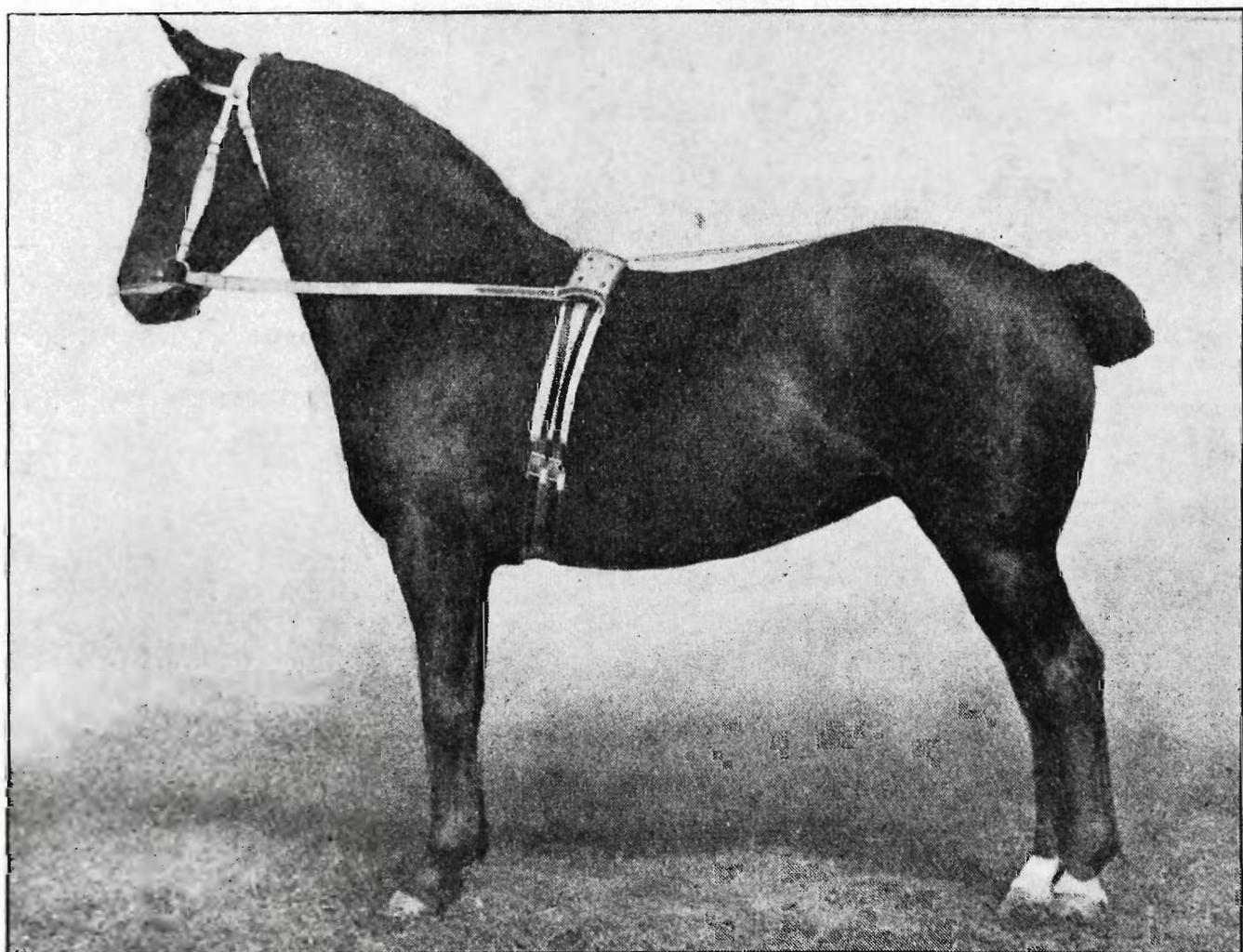


Champion Cob Mare, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"GLENETTA," exhibited by Messrs. Love, Royle and Thurgood.

TROTTERS. Mr. Alexander Robertson, Laverton.

The Trotting stock judged by me at the last Show was very poor, both as regards quantity and quality, and I am convinced that the Society's present method of insisting upon horses being registered in Sydney is altogether detrimental to the Society's Shows. Exhibitors will not go to the trouble of looking up pedigrees of trotters two or three generations back and sending papers to Sydney to be passed. It has come sooner than I expected that we are now having little pedigree and no individual.

What the Society should encourage is a good type of individual, as trotting horses are bred many ways. I really have never known of any true bred trotting horse. America for years has been introducing the thoroughbred into their trotters to get speed and stamina.



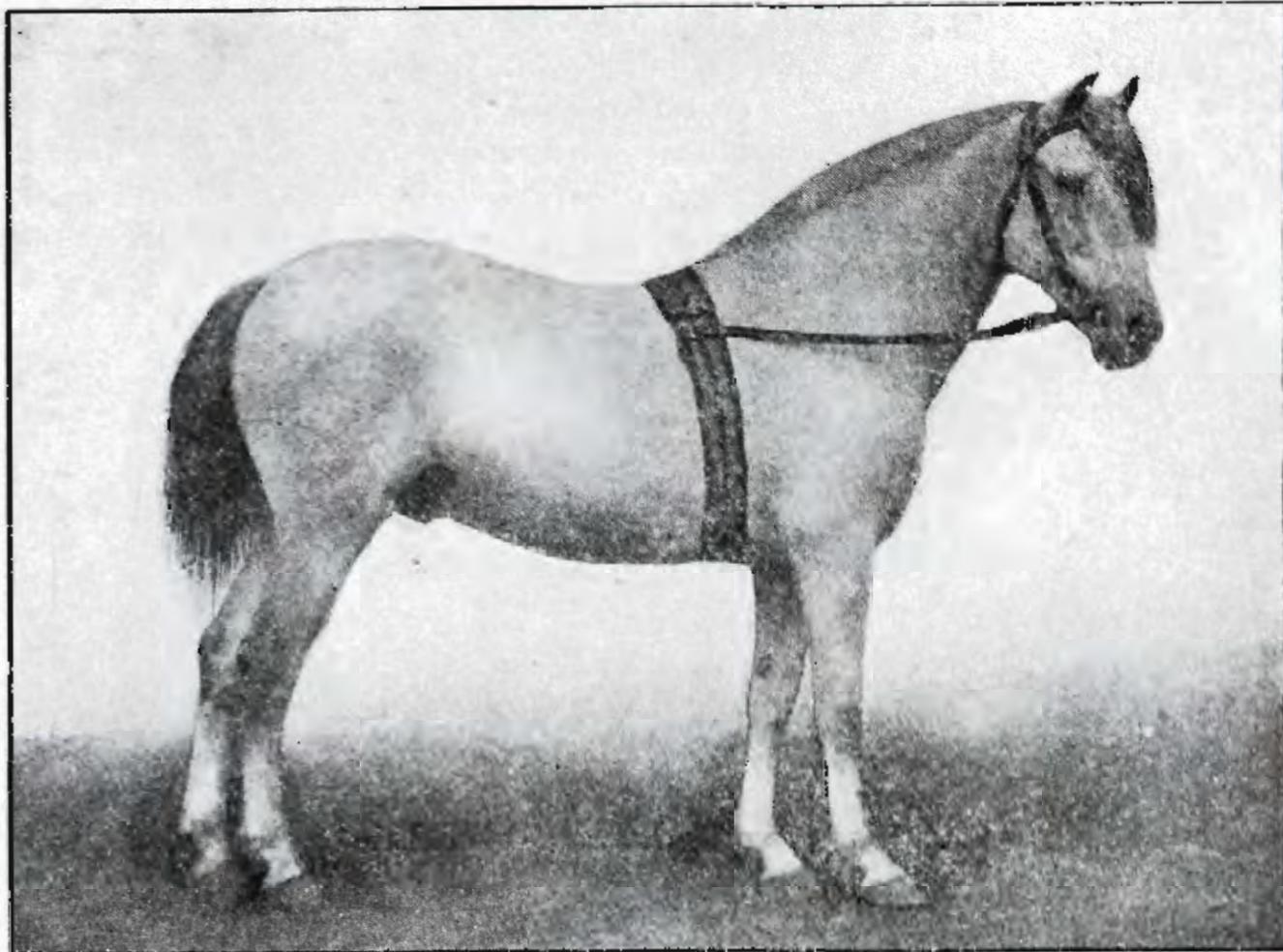
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"LADY ROYAL," exhibited by Kearney Bros.**

HARNESS HORSES AND PONIES.

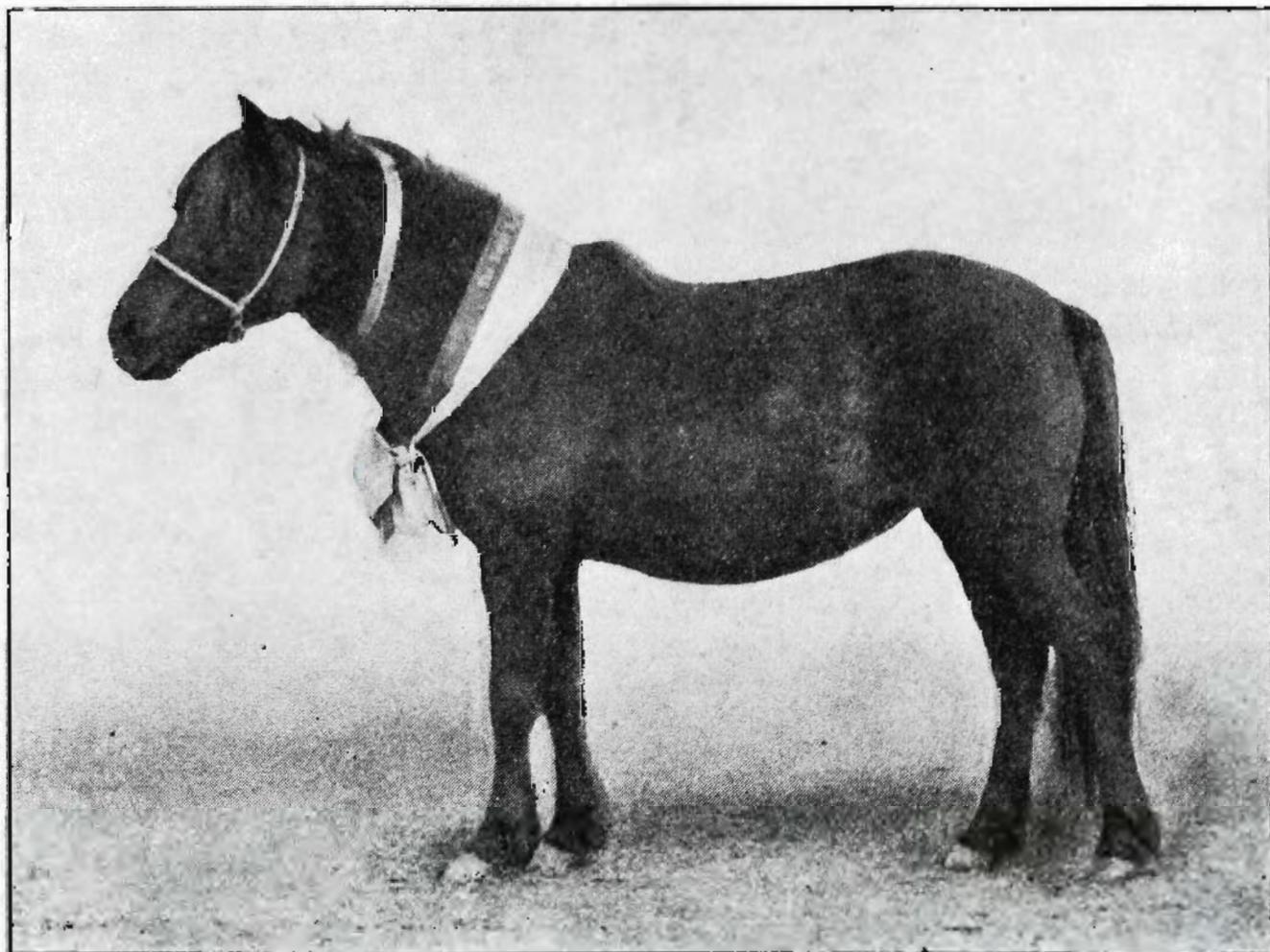
Mr. H. W. Wallder, Canterbury-street, Flemington.

The entries in this section, were numerous, and, taken as a whole, the horses shown were of a high standard; consequently there were some close contests.

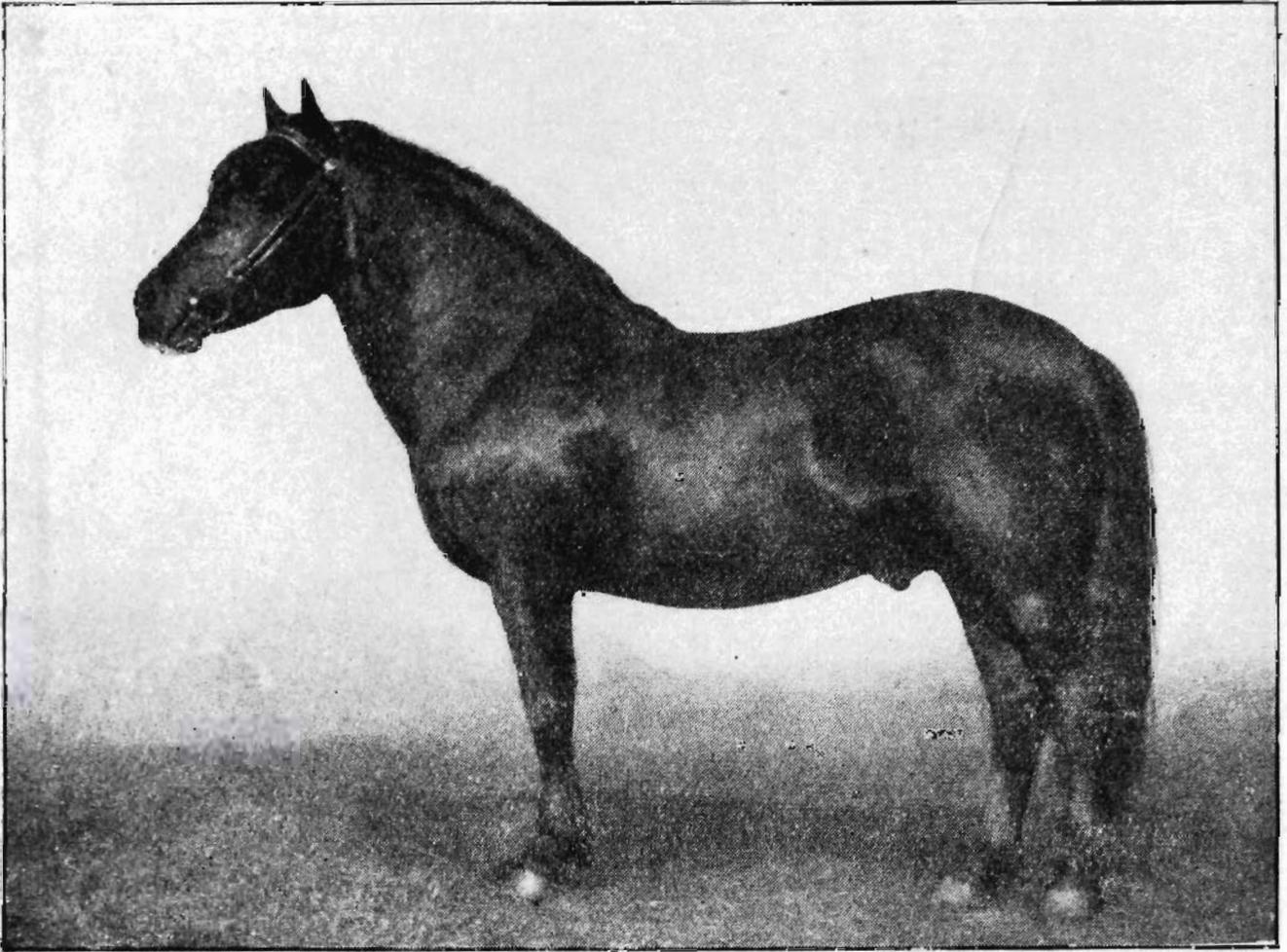
I would suggest that, if at all practicable, it would make this section more uniform if buggy horses were shown in an Abbott buggy or vehicle of that description, instead of as at present in anything from a trotting sulky to a farmer's wagonette.



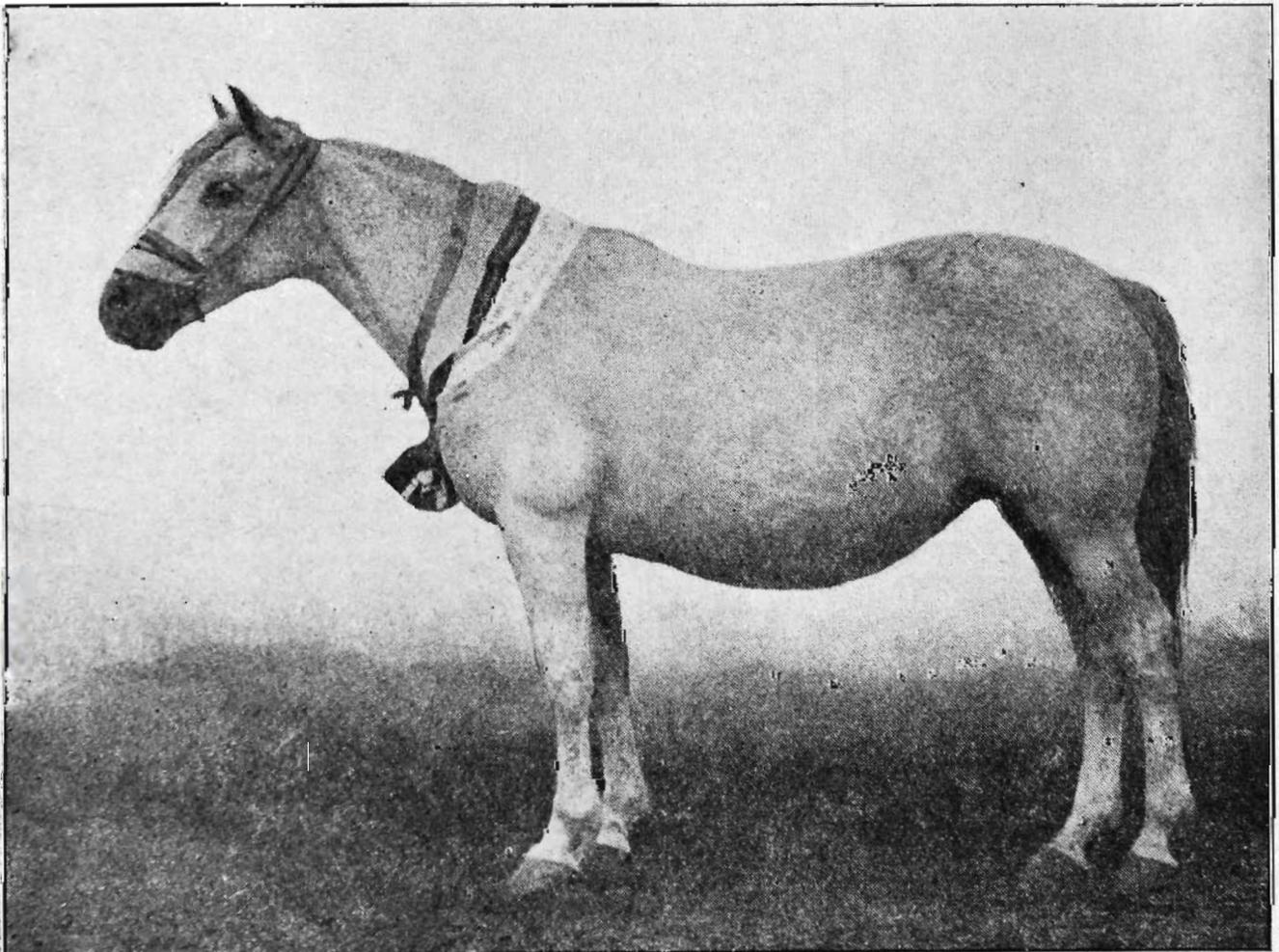
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 "LITTLE WONDER," exhibited by Messrs. W. R. Hooper and Son.



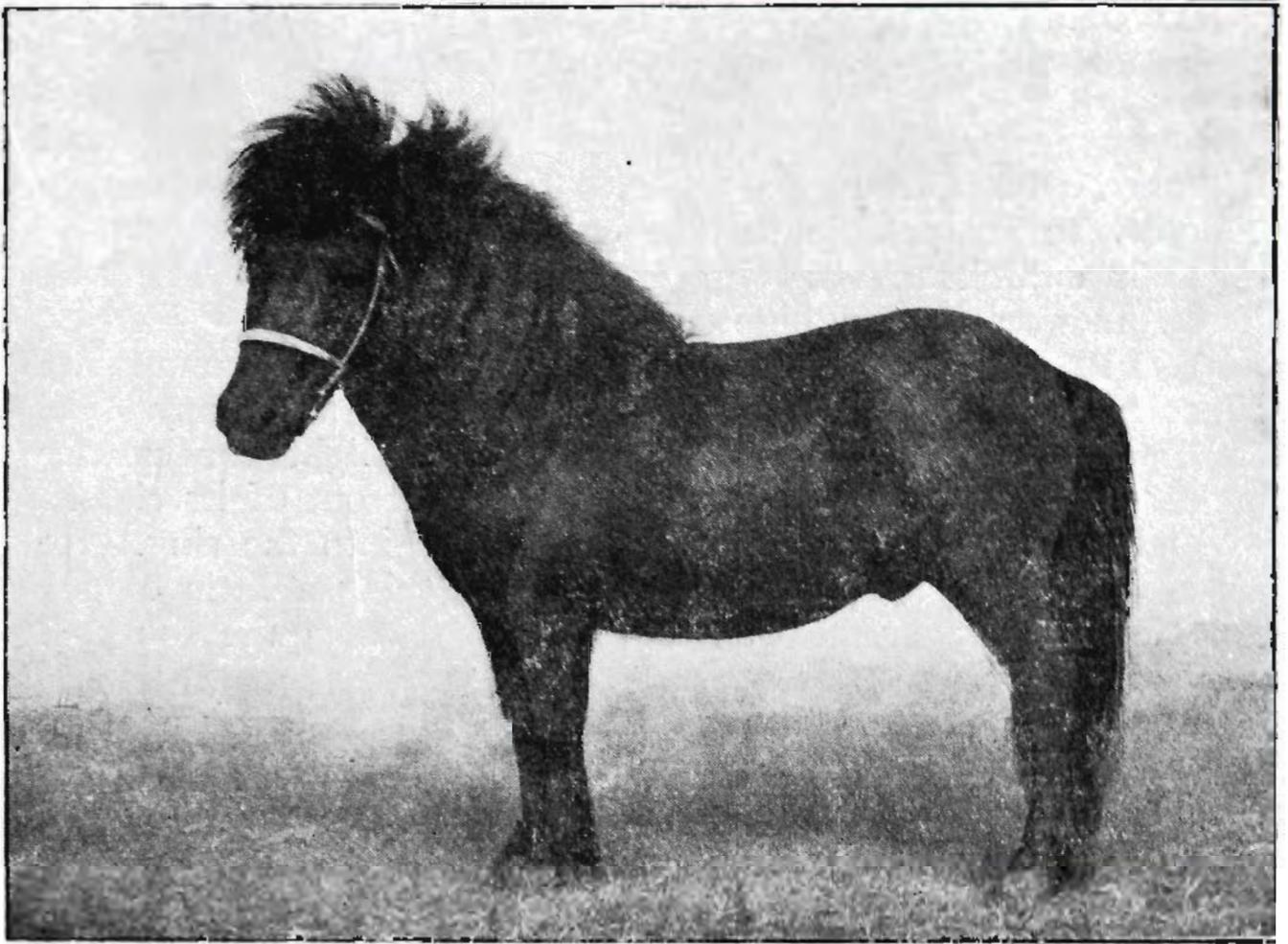
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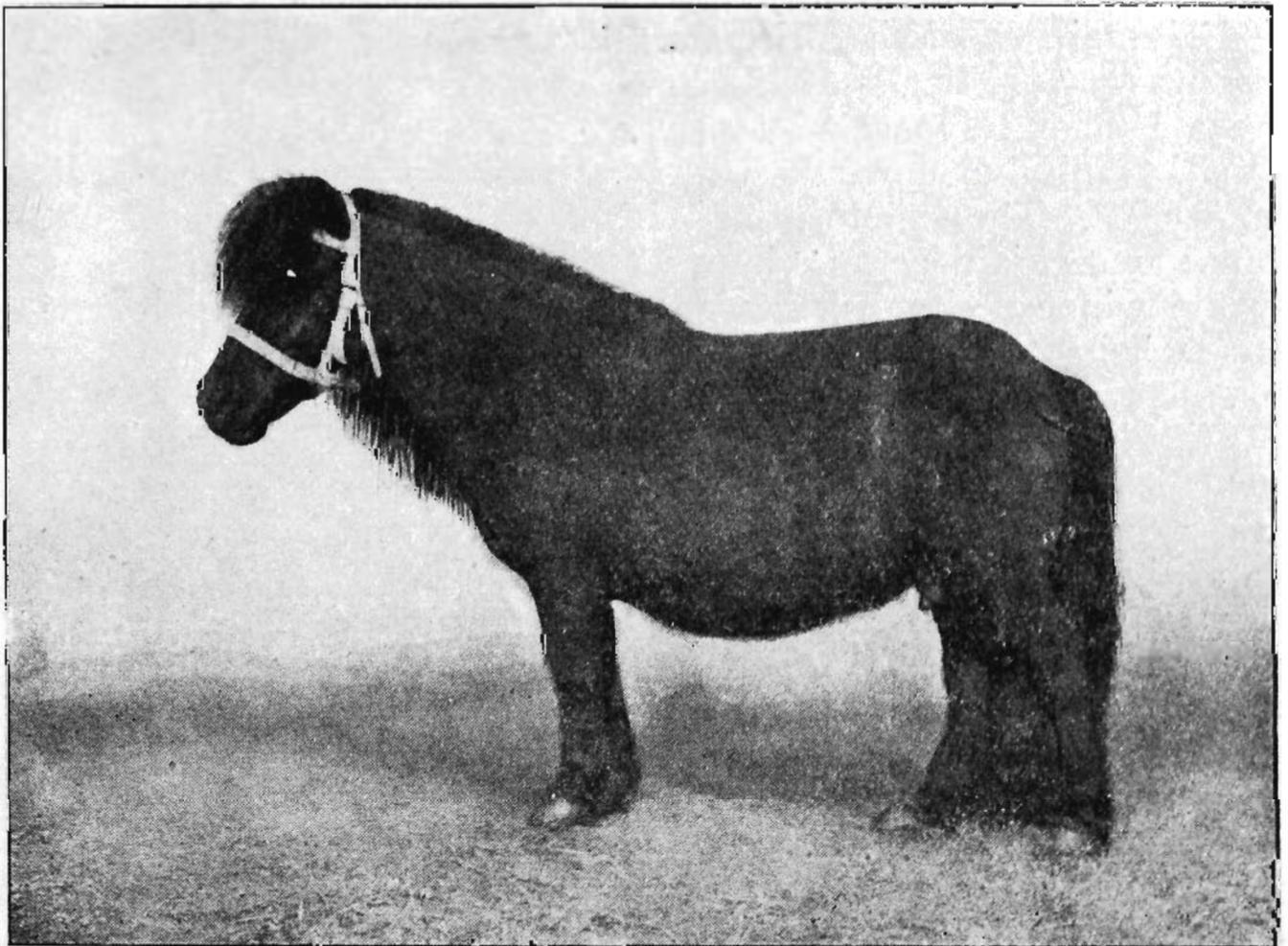
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"PRINCE LEO. II.," exhibited by Messrs. Charles Jones and Son.**



**Champion Pony Mare (between 12 and 14 hands), "Royal" Show, 1917.
"LADY GREY," exhibited by Mr. J. J. Reilly.**



Champion Shetland Stallion, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"HALCYON" (imp.), exhibited by Mrs. J. Maclellan.



Champion Shetland Mare, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"MISS FLOSS OF BLYTH" (imp.), exhibited by Mrs. J. Maclellan.

MILITARY HORSES AND HUNTING CONTESTS.

Mr. H. J. Gidney, Lima, Benalla.

Only one pair of Artillery horses came into the ring, and they were only fair. I gave them first prize, so as to encourage exhibitors to compete in this class in the future.

Four exhibits of Cavalry horses were entered. The first prize winner was a very high class thoroughbred cavalry charger, sound, and with good manners and paces. The second prize winner was a useful cavalry horse. I did not make any third award, owing to one horse being much too light for cavalry purposes, and the other too common and right out of its class.

Only one Mounted Infantry horse came into the ring. He was a very nice breedy little horse, if anything a little on the light side. However, he was so neat, and being quite sound, I awarded him first prize.

I consider these Military Classes should be encouraged to the utmost; they are a great education to the breeders and the general public, and show the class of horse required for purposes of Home Defence, and also for export to India. Since judging the above classes, I have spoken to several of the leading export horse shippers, and they are all willing to substantially subscribe to and largely compete in these classes in the future, but they wish the exhibits to be led into the ring only.

The winner of the prize for the Best Horse in Single Harness was a very handsome black gelding, seven years old, sound and a bold, fine goer, with plenty of pace and good action all round. This horse would win in any show yard in the Commonwealth. The second prize winner was a useful buggy horse, sound, with fair action, but not fast. He was easily beaten by the winner. I would suggest that it be compulsory for all horses being exhibited in this class in the future to be shown in Abbott buggies.

Taking the Hunters on the whole, they were very good—in fact, the best that are in Australia. The winner in every event gave a faultless exhibition of jumping. I would like to see the water jump taken out of any hunting event. In several instances, after a horse had given a perfect exhibition of jumping over the fences, he stopped at the water, and therefore had to retire. This water jump may, in the future, be the means of a very inferior jumper over fences getting the prize for jumping the water jump well only.

The jumping in the Pony Jumpers' Plate was exceptionally good. The first prize winner was a very good, handsome brown pony gelding, with good manners and paces, and a splendid jumper. I consider he is easily the best pony in the Commonwealth. The second prize winner was also a nice pony, and I have given

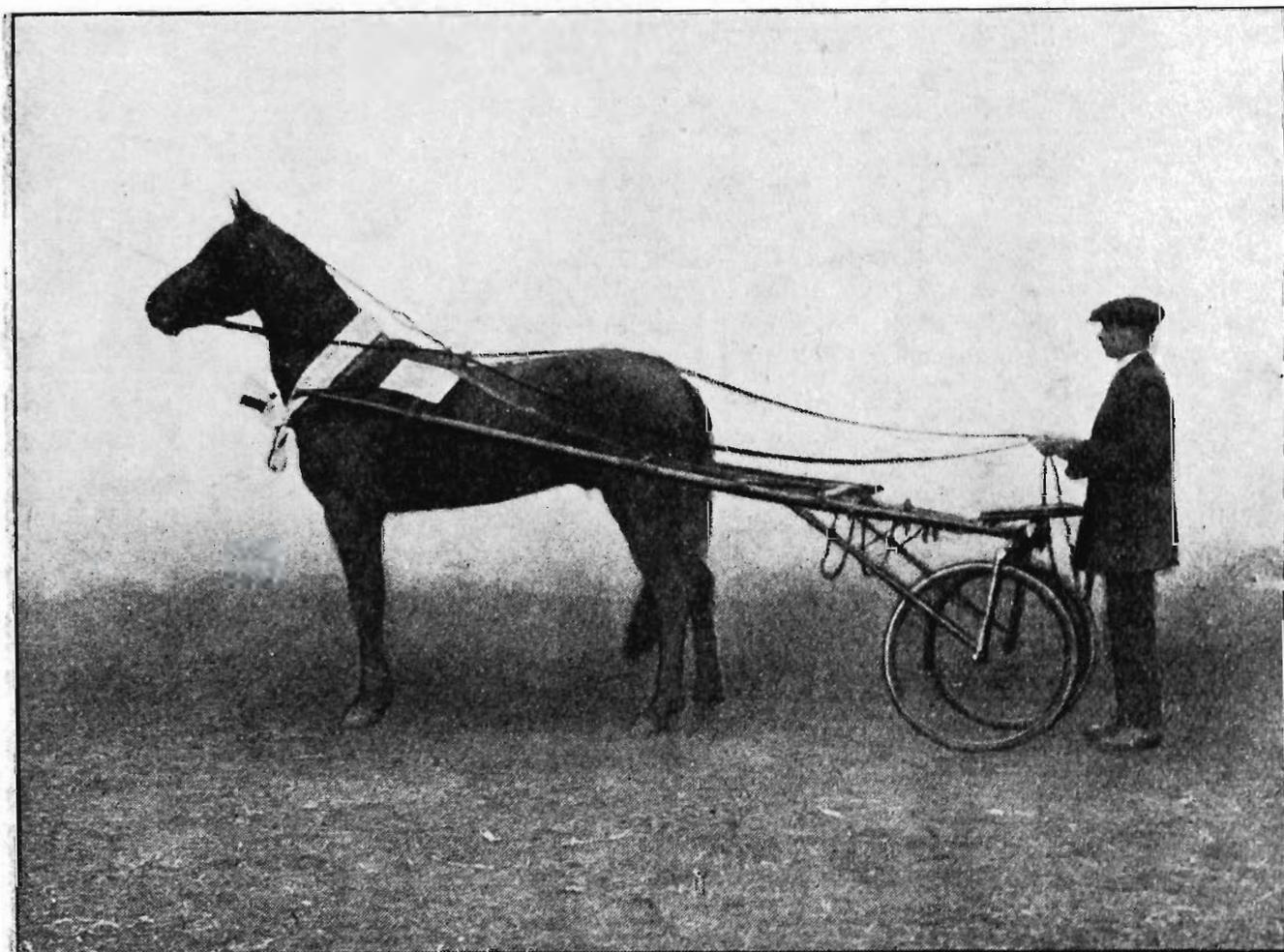
him many first prizes. This is the first time I had seen a pony good enough to place in front of him.

I am a great believer in single judging, but, nevertheless, think it is too much for one judge to do all the ring events. I therefore suggest that one judge should do all the jumping events and another judge to do the lady riders, flag race, bending race, and such like. This would allow the judge of jumpers to have a little rest.

TROTTING CONTESTS.

Mr. Charles Kelly, c/o Victorian Trotting Association, Bourke-street, Melbourne.

I desire to bring under notice the serious disadvantage that Victorian breeders of Trotters labour under, inasmuch that it is obligatory that their stock must be passed for inclusion in



Champion Trotter Stallion, "Royal" Show, 1917.

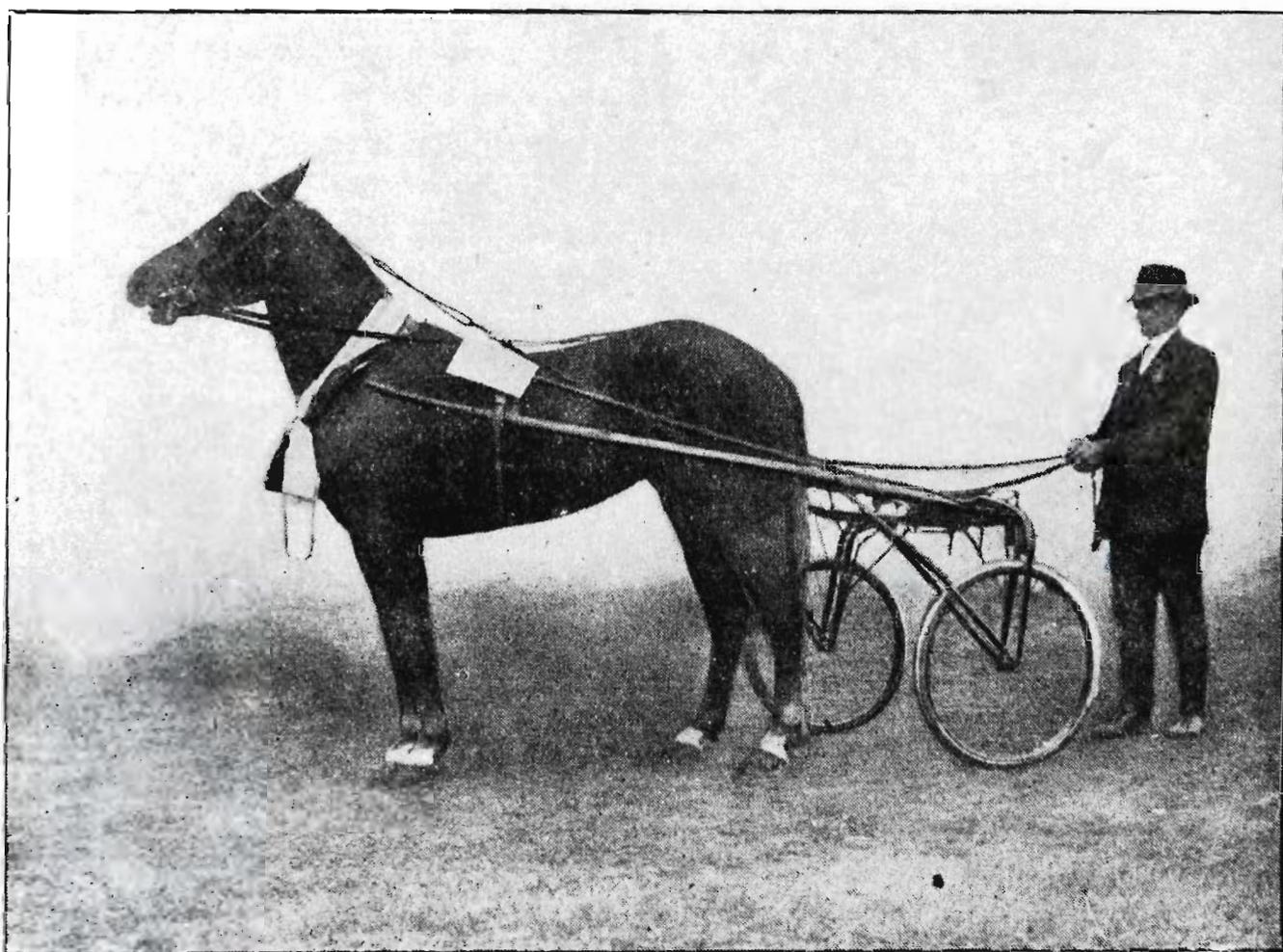
"MOVING PICTURE," exhibited by Mr. G. H. Alford.

the Stud Book for Trotters that is compiled by the Royal Agricultural Society of New South Wales.

My association with Trotting gives me the opportunity of learning the views of our breeders and owners on this subject, and I can state that they strongly resent the inconvenience of having to do their registration business through Sydney. I am of the opinion that many of our breeders and owners will with-

hold their entries from future Prize Classes unless some arrangement can be made whereby horses eligible for inclusion in the N.S.W. Stud Book may be approved or rejected by some body in Melbourne, agreed upon by the authorities in Sydney. Could such an arrangement be brought about, then the one Stud Book could continue to cover both States, and Victorian breeders and owners would then be afforded the same conveniences now enjoyed by those in N.S.W.

I strongly urge that this important matter should receive full consideration. I regard the present arrangement as being so detrimental, that, should the Sydney Council fail to agree with something on the basis that I have outlined, it might be



**Champion Trotter Mare, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"MISS SHANDON," exhibited by Mr. G. H. Alford.**

advisable to confer with the Victorian Trotting Association with a view to having that body's Standard List for Stallions and Mares brought into line with the Sydney Stud Book.

In connection with the contests for Trotters and Pacers, I consider that the inclusion of handicap events will continue to stimulate public interest in same. While it may be conceded that everyone admires a splendidly gaited horse when going against time only, there is that absence of extra enthusiasm that a closely fought-out finish never fails to arouse. I also consider that, if the Pony Handicap was in future abandoned, and a Handicap over $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles for Trotters only, which can go 2.40,

and better, substituted, it would furnish a much more attractive and a more profitable event. The highest class trotting racing in America is all brought off in connection with the Fairs (Shows), and splendid tracks have been laid down to ensure the best competition. It would be a great advantage if the width of the track could be increased to accommodate about half a dozen contestants.

The sport of Trotting is strongly gaining in public opinion, and, unlike that of the galloper, it does not solely depend upon betting for its existence. This was proved in parts of America when betting was absolutely prohibited.

Before concluding, permit me to leave my own domain for that of the judging of stallions, mares and youngsters. Experience has proved that among State breeders there is always a stallion war on, and is resultant of cliquism. An Abbey Bells man won't look at a Dixie Alto horse, and a Mauritius adherent cannot endure either of the former, while the admirers of Direct-way and All Style stand aloof from all others, and so on. It is just a case of unconscious bias, and when a local judge is to be appointed, it would be difficult to find one without an unconscious kindly leaning towards certain blood lines. The awards of a judge appointed from another State, even if not always fashionable, would, I think, give more general satisfaction.

CATTLE.

SHORTHORNS.

Mr. A. Lang, c/o Messrs. Matthew Lang & Co., 57 Market-street, Melbourne.

Only three bulls, 4 years old or over, entered the ring. With the exception of the fine bull that secured the first award, there was nothing worthy of mention. No third prize was awarded.

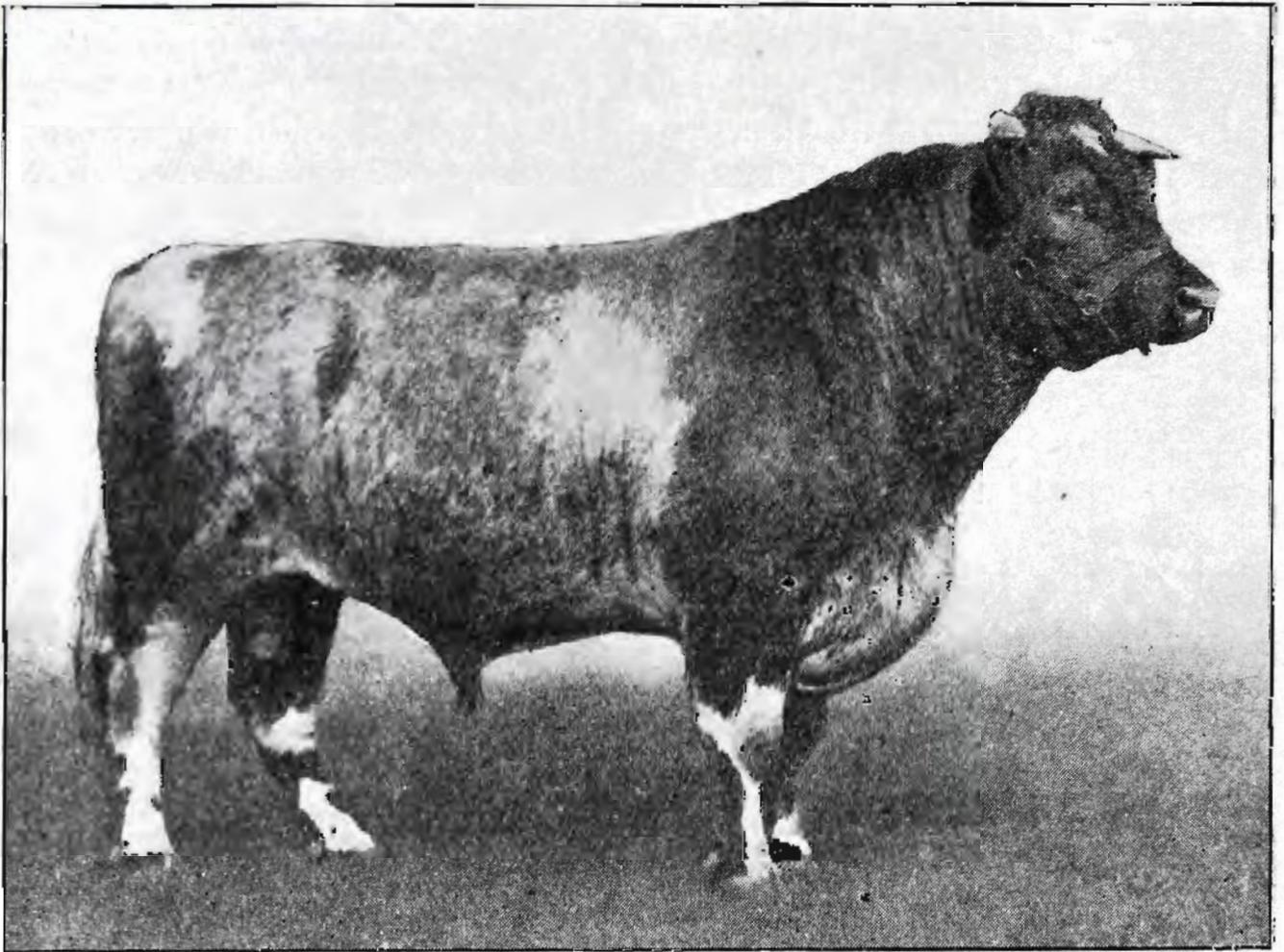
A fairly good class of two-year-old bulls was shown but with the exception of the winner, no other exhibits were outstanding.

There was a very strong class of yearling bulls, with some exceptionally good animals. The winner of first prize in this class was a particularly fine beast. The second and third prize takers and two or three others also being of high class.

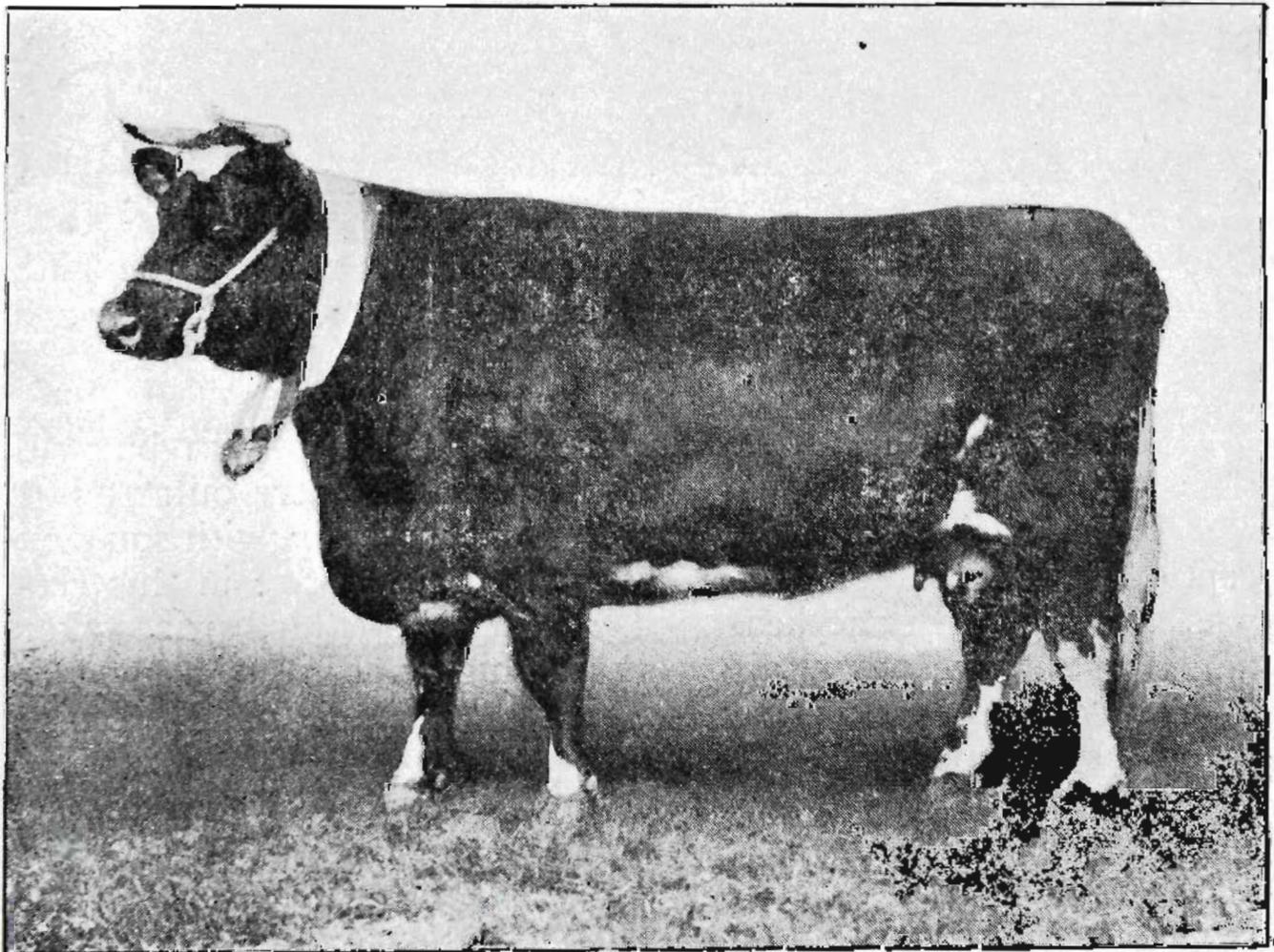
Only three calves were exhibited. The winner promises to make a good bull.

A particularly strong class of cows came forward; in fact, the best I have seen. The winner was a beautiful cow, large framed, even fleshed, good colour, the best that has ever come under my notice.

Only one three-year-old heifer was exhibited, but she was a very good one. The two-year-old heifers provided a good class.



Champion Shorthorn Bull, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"LINDENOW DUKE OF DERRIMUT 67th," exhibited by Mr. John Dugdale.



Champion Shorthorn Cow, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"3rd DUCHESS OF ETTRICK," exhibited by Mr. A. J. Simpson.

The winner was a particularly good heifer, good outlook, stylish and heavily fleshed. The second was also a very fine heifer. The yearling heifers were a very even class all through, with the winner standing out slightly. This heifer is an exceptionally fine handler, stylish, and full of quality.

Three groups were paraded, and whilst all were good, the successful group was a very fine one indeed.

There were three entries in the Shorthorn Breeders' Plate. All were very even, but nothing was outstanding.

The Champion Bull is a fine roan animal of good character and style, a good handler, good skin and hair, even in flesh, with good top and underline.

The Reserve Champion is also a roan, exceedingly massive, and of good type.

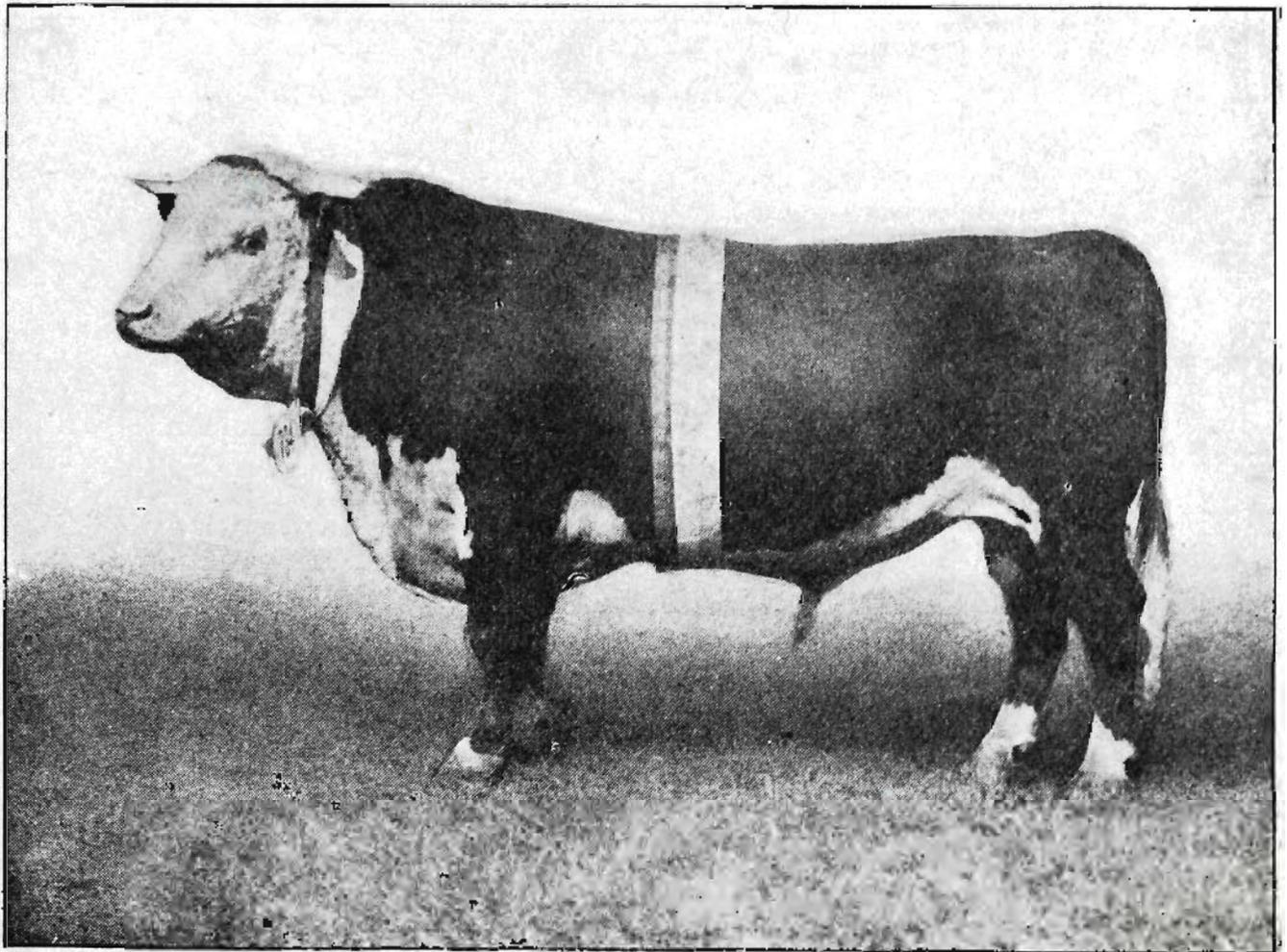
The Champion Cow is a massive red and white cow, of beautiful quality and style, wonderfully even all over—the best I have seen.

The Reserve Champion Cow is a light roan of good type and quality, but overshadowed by the Champion.

HEREFORDS.

Mr. George Pagan, Burnside, Scott-grove, East Malvern.

This section, although not so numerous in some of the classes as could be desired, was represented by animals showing



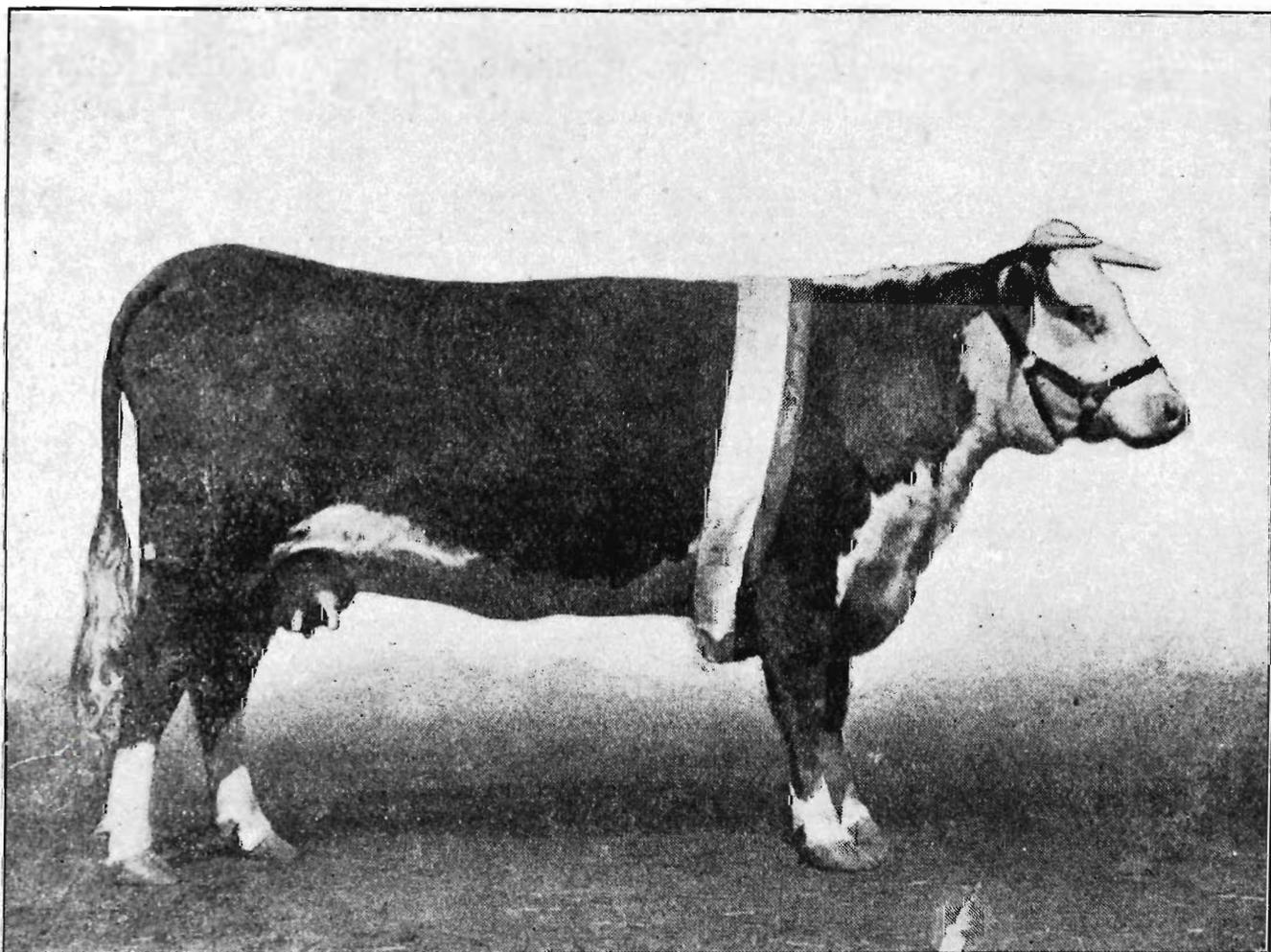
Champion Hereford Bull, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"WONDER XXIII.," exhibited by Mr. Samuel Winter Cooke.

very good quality, and, judging by the high prices paid for some of them at the sales, is an evidence of a growing popularity of the breed.

It is being recognised by breeders that the Hereford comes quickly to maturity, is nearly always fat, and will thrive on rough and poor country, where the Shorthorn would not.

The Champion Bull showed good breeding, has a great length of body, is straight on back with long quarters, well ribbed out, and full round the heart, with good head, and fine expression.

The Reserve Champion, for a two-year-old, is a good animal. His coat of dark red curly hair was all that could be desired,



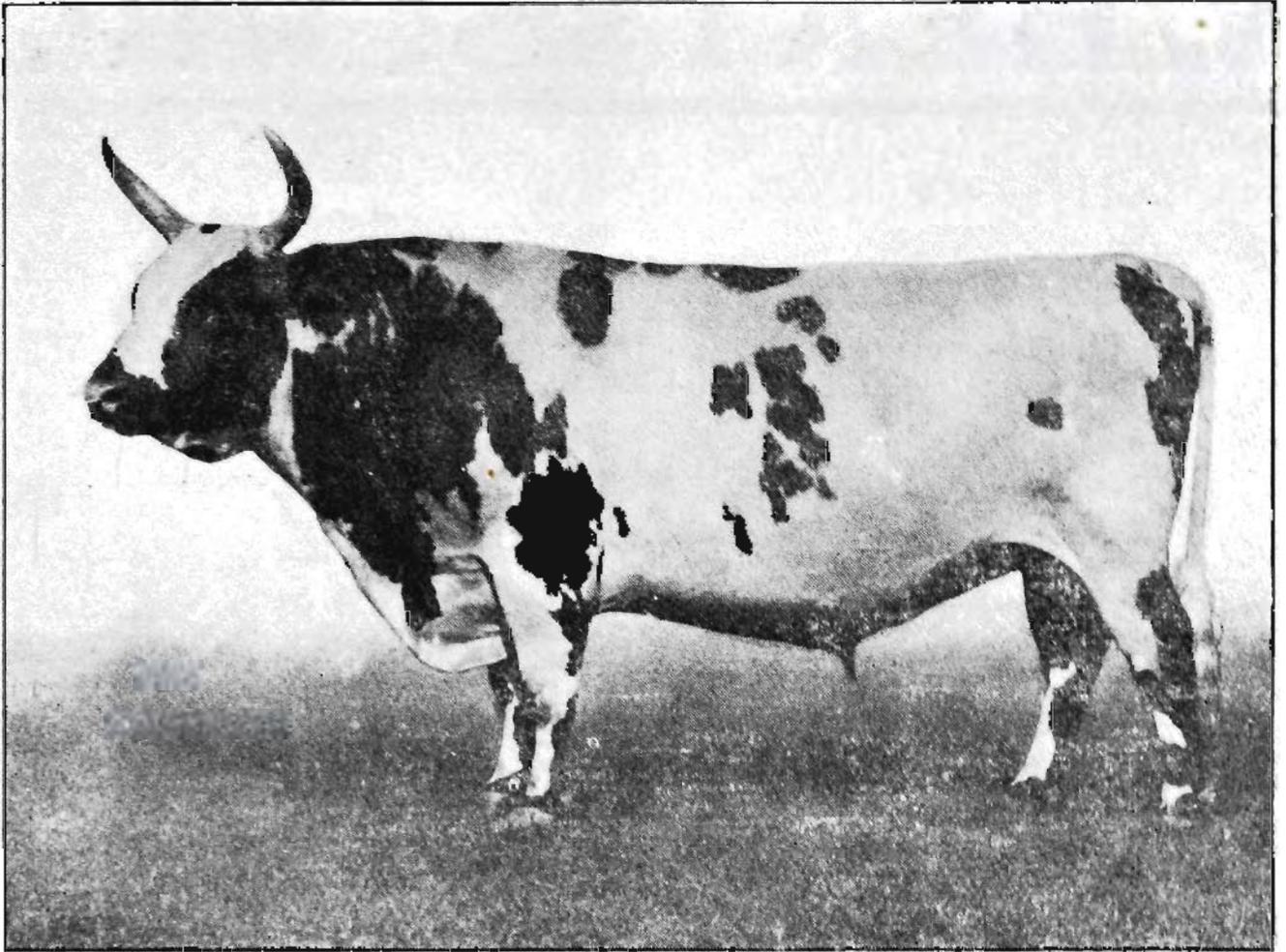
**Champion Hereford Cow, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"QUEENIE 7th," exhibited by Mr John A. Beattie.**

straight on back and good round the heart, though rather short in the barrel. He should develop into a very superior animal.

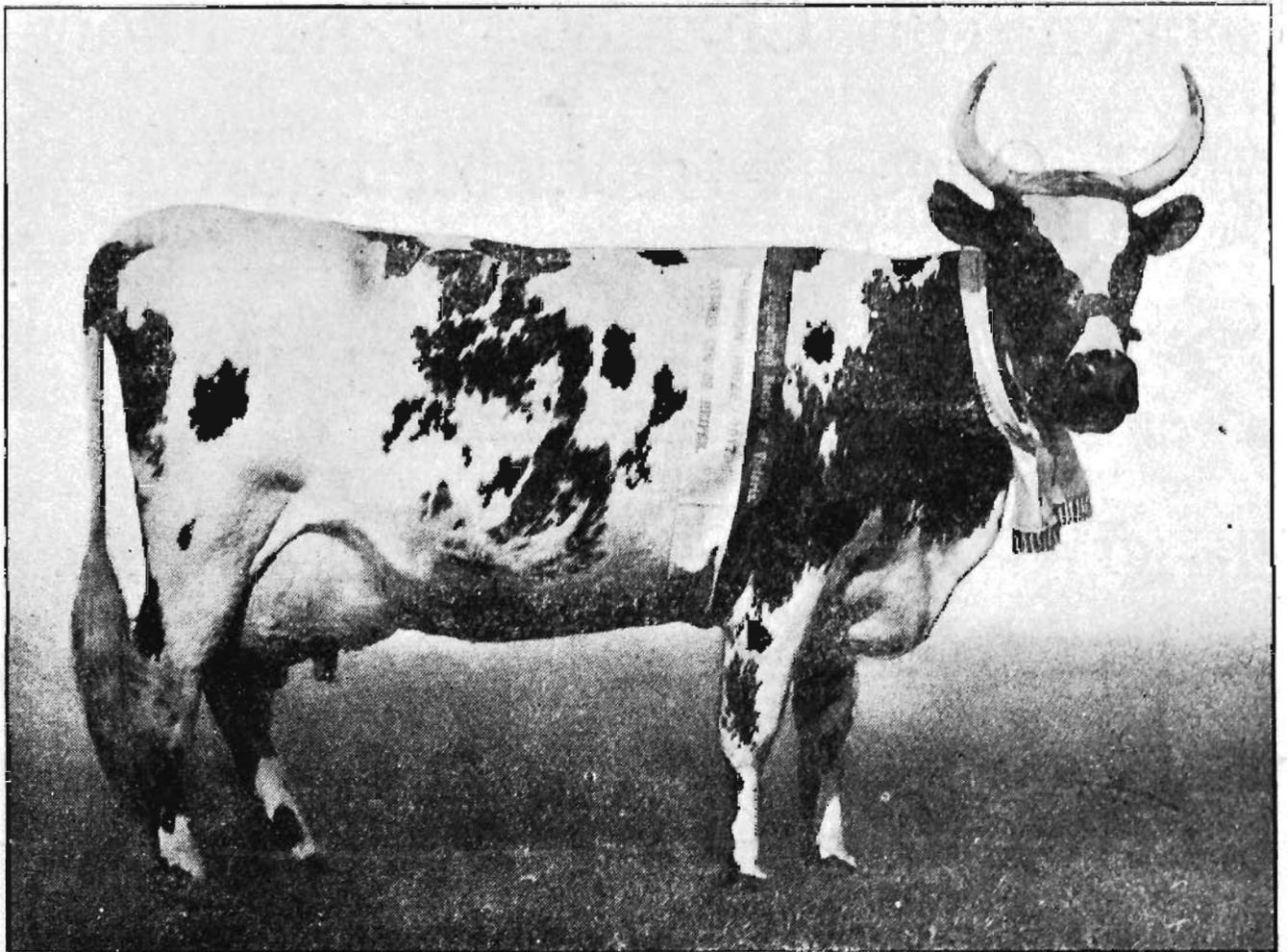
The Champion Cow was well proportioned throughout, had a well set head, and good expression, good length in quarters, and of good substance and condition.

The Reserve Champion showed good quality, and was very close up to the Champion Cow, but wanted somewhat in condition.

I was pleased to have the two students from Dookie College with me. They showed a keen interest in the work of judging. I asked them to give their judgment first, then afterwards I gave mine, and explained my reasons to them.



Champion Ayrshire Bull, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"TRIUMPH OF GLENEIRA" (680), exhibited by Mr. Andrew Buchanan.



Champion Ayrshire Cow, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"VIOLET'S QUEEN OF DUNACHTON" (2922), exhibited by Mr. Robert Hall.

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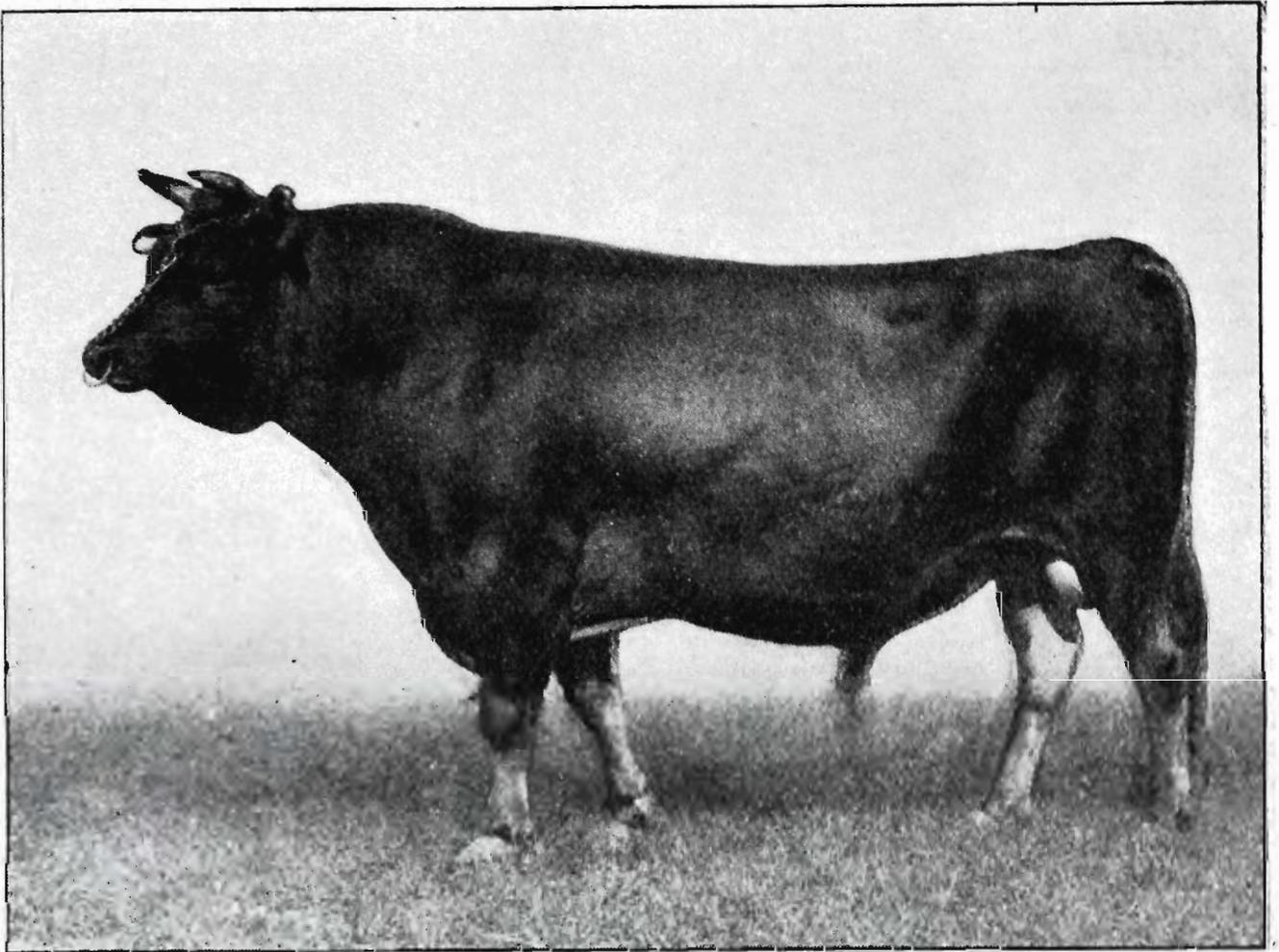
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JERSEYS.

Mr. R. Anderson, Waratah, Frogmore-road, Murrumbena.

Though the exhibits were not numerous, and some of the classes were very light, they were of very good type and quality, neat and free from coarseness, and showing good producing qualities.

In the Aged Milking Class, four very good cows came into the ring. The winner is a beautiful rich fawn cow, Island type,



Champion Jersey Bull, "Royal" Show, 1917.

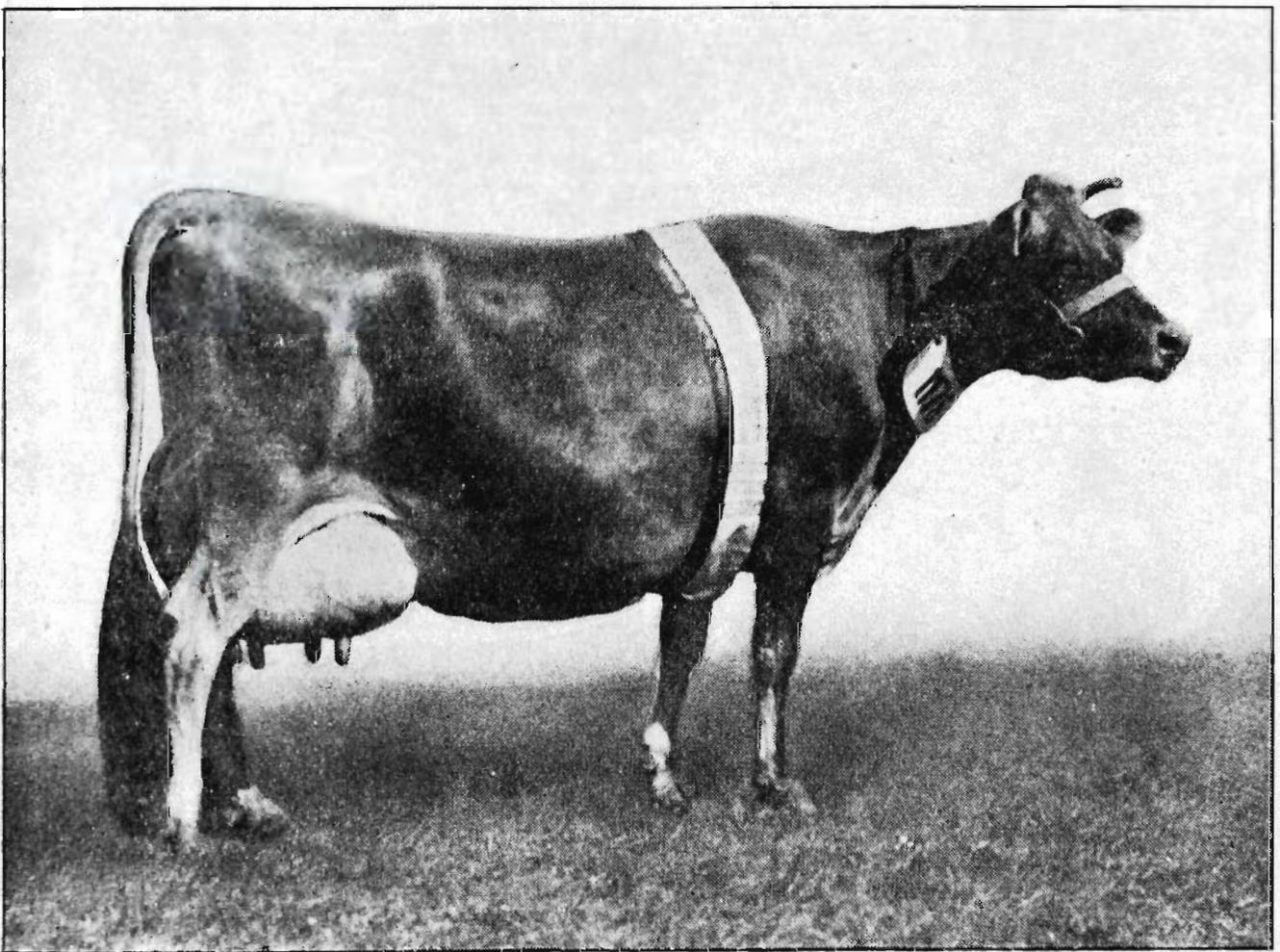
"MERRY MIKE" (imp.) (620), exhibited by Miss S. L. Robinson.

with a well sprung middle piece, a good long broad rump carried well out, good setting on of tail, with a capacious and well balanced udder carried well up on to good strong abdominal walls. I had great pleasure in afterwards awarding this cow the Champion Ribbon.

The second prize cow is also a very typical cow, not quite so good as the first cow in the head, not so well sprung in the ribs, but very neat, with good withers and top line. She also carried a very good vessel. Unfortunately she was very lame, which did not give her the chance to show herself off to the best advantage. I was very pleased afterwards to give her the Reserve Champion Ribbon.

In the Aged Dry Class, three very good cows came into the ring. The first prize cow is a splendid specimen, good type, lean in front, with a good head and top line, a great deep barrel, with good milk veins, and plenty of loose leather, good dairy appearance written all over her. The same might almost be said of the second and third cows.

In the four-year-old-in-milk Class, the winner is an exceptionally good cow. She is of very good type, lean, and well grown, with a very good and well balanced udder. This is a very promising cow.



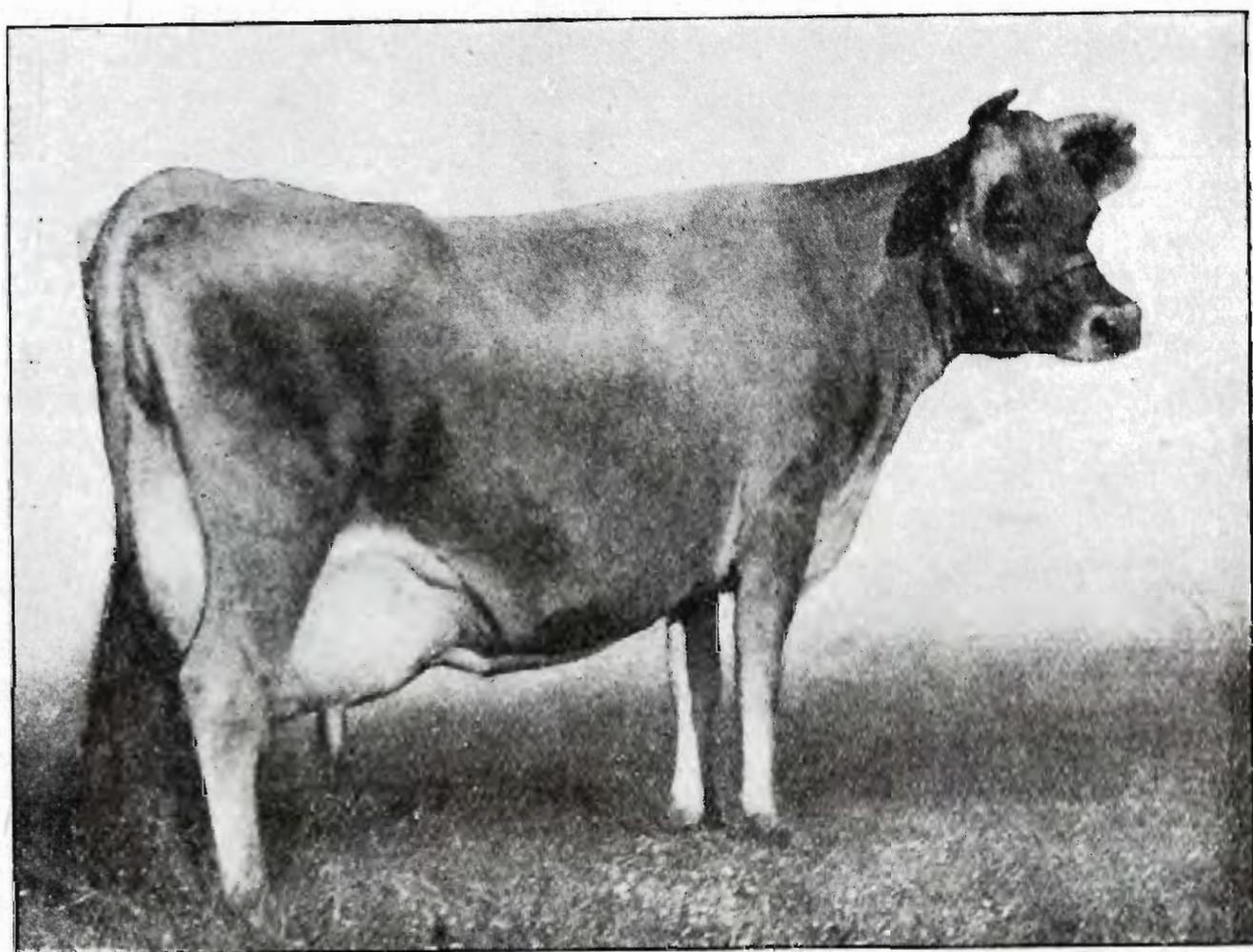
Champion Jersey Cow, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"SWEET BREAD XXIV." (imp) [15956, P S.H.C.] (2979).
 exhibited by Mr C. D. Lloyd.

For the Group Prize, two groups were shown, both being very good.

The Type and Utility Class is a very interesting one. The judge, when awarding points for type, has no idea which cow is going to win until the points gained for production are added, but it goes to prove that a typical cow can also be a producer. I consider this class a step in the right direction.

The females, placed in their respective classes, were all of very good type, and showing good dairying qualities.

In the class for Bulls, four years and over, four very good bulls came into the ring. The winner in this class is a beautiful golden fawn, Island type, with a very neat head, well coupled on to a good arched neck, good, broad, deep chest, rising nice and clean up to the throat, nice fine withers, good top line carried well out, a good broad long level rump, well set on tail; barrel, broad, deep, well let down in centre—a very good bull and well shown. I had much pleasure afterwards in awarding him the Champion Ribbon. The second prize bull is also a very typical bull, robust, with a very good head and top line, but



Champion Herd Test Cow, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"MERCEDES NOBLE QUEEN" (imp.) (1774, N Z.J.H.B.),
 exhibited by Mr. C. D. Lloyd.

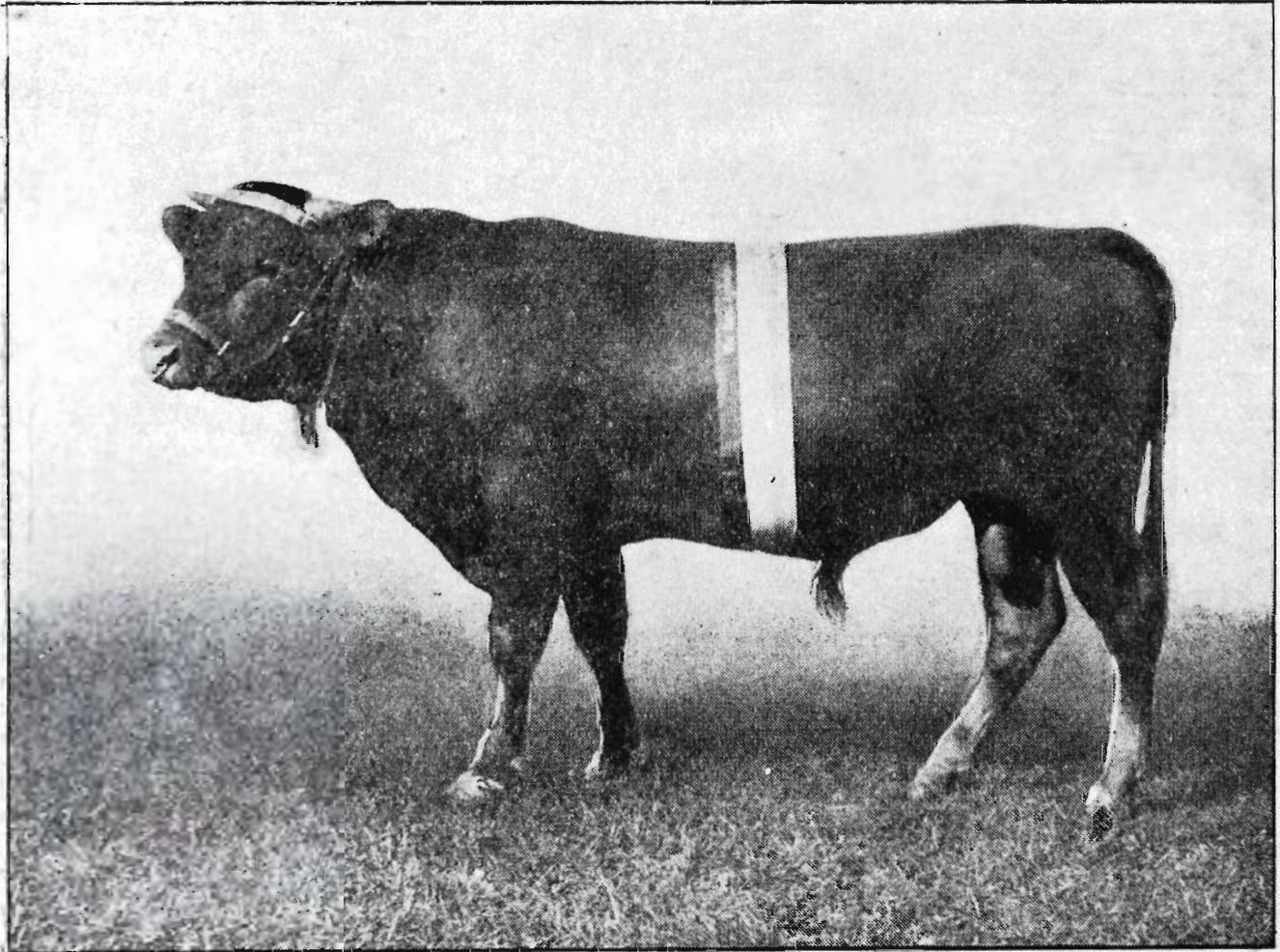
not quite so good in his coat as the first. I was pleased to award him the Reserve Champion Ribbon afterwards.

Only two three-year-olds came into the ring. The winner is a very neat bull, and was shown in great condition.

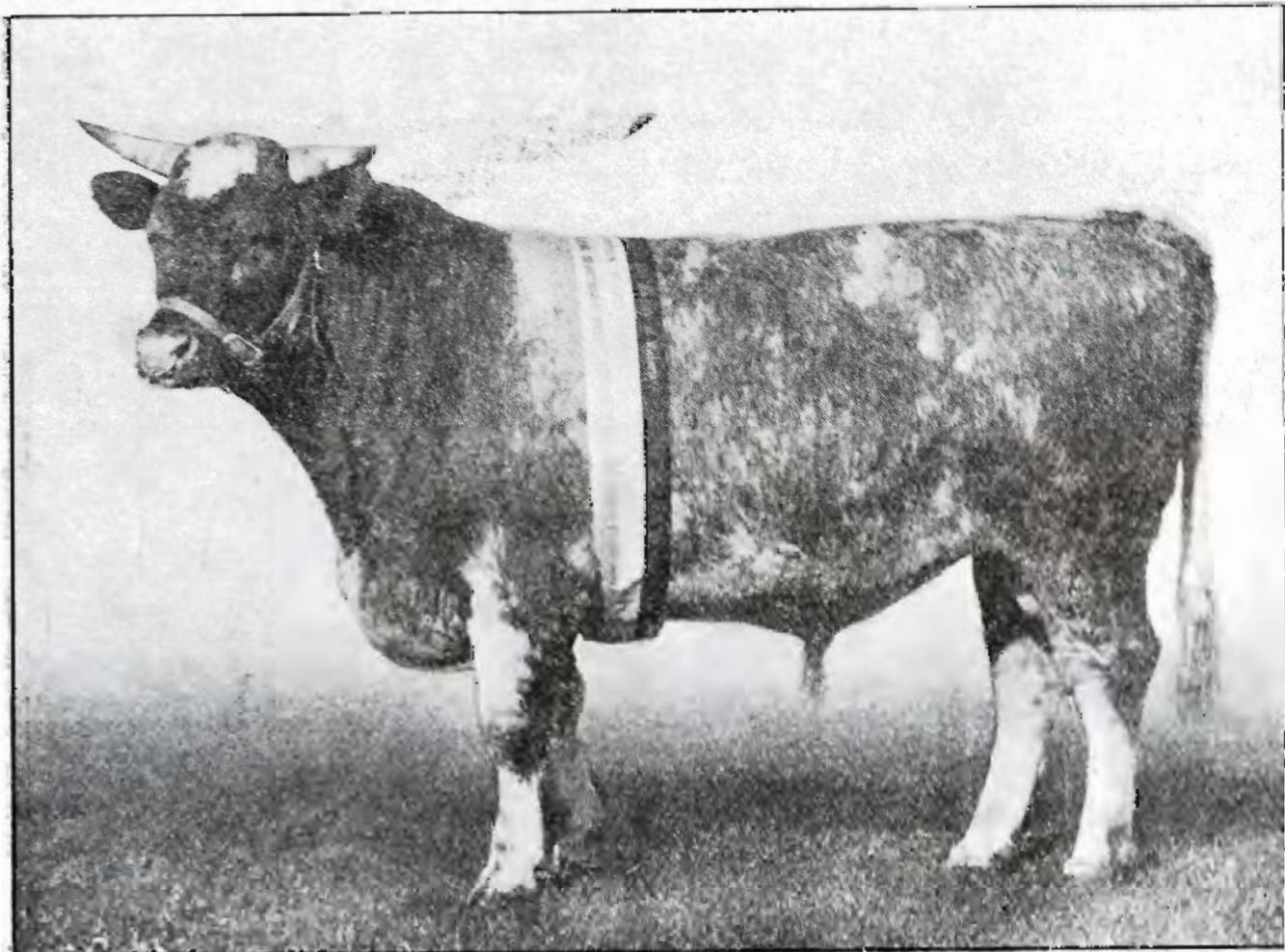
In the two-year-olds, several very good bulls were shown. The winner stood out. He is an exceptionally level bull, good head, good level top line, with a broad, deep barrel. This is a very promising young bull, and when he furnishes down with age should give a good account of himself.

The Yearling Class was very good, both in numbers and quality. The first and second placed bulls stood out. The winner, a dark fawn, with good head and fine withers, is a stylish little chap. The second prize bull, a fawn, has a good top line with a very deep middle piece. They are both promising young bulls.

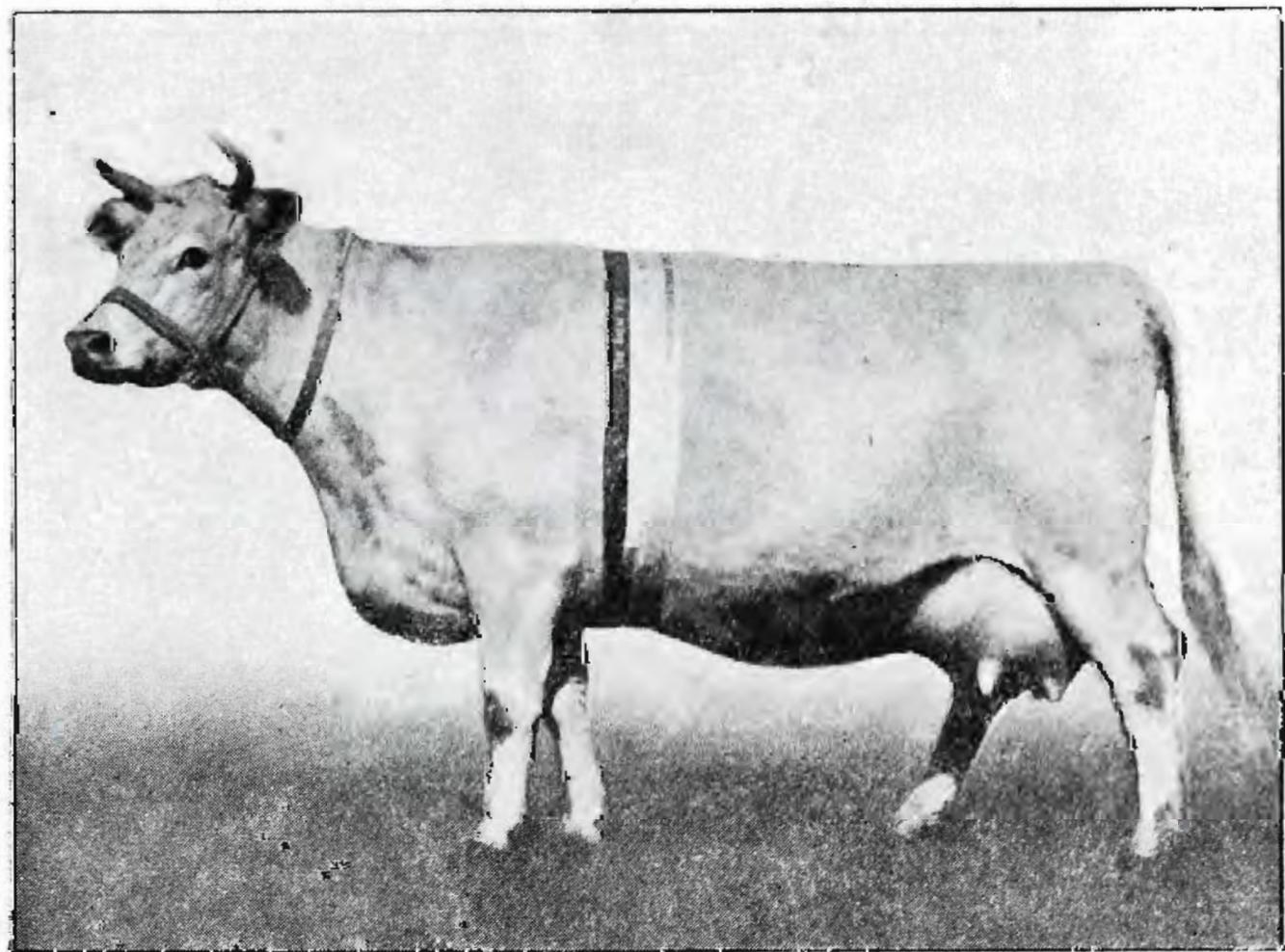
In regard to what we usually call the tail of the exhibits, there were few, if any, that could really come under that definition. These animals are mostly brought in for sale only, consequently, in many cases, they have had little or no preparation (such as is usually bestowed upon stock got up for exhibition). I feel sure it would be of great advantage to breeders and exhibitors to pay a little more attention to the preparation of all stock entered for the Show.



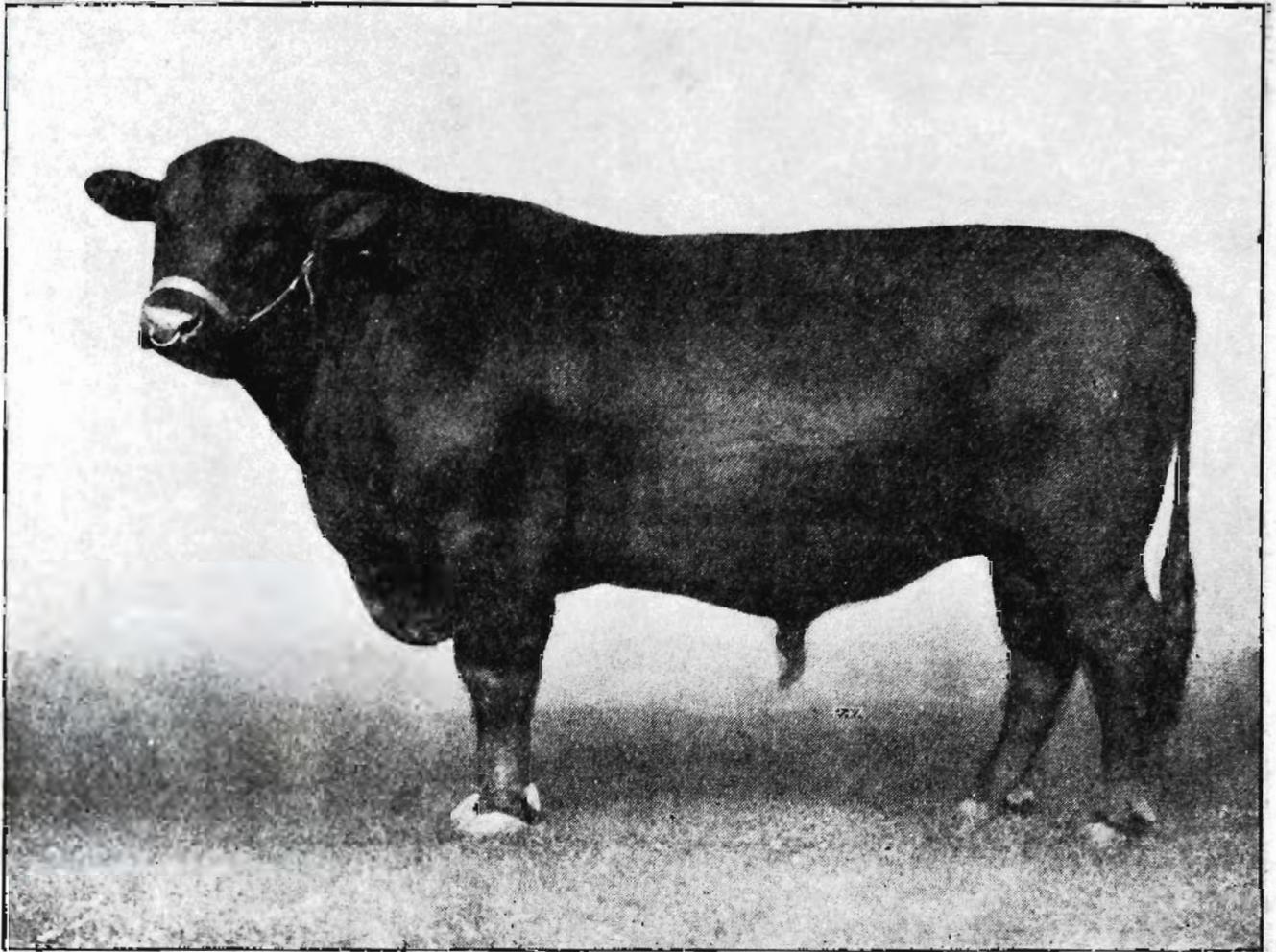
Champion Devon Bull, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"LEIGHAM," exhibited by Mr. A. S. Chirnside



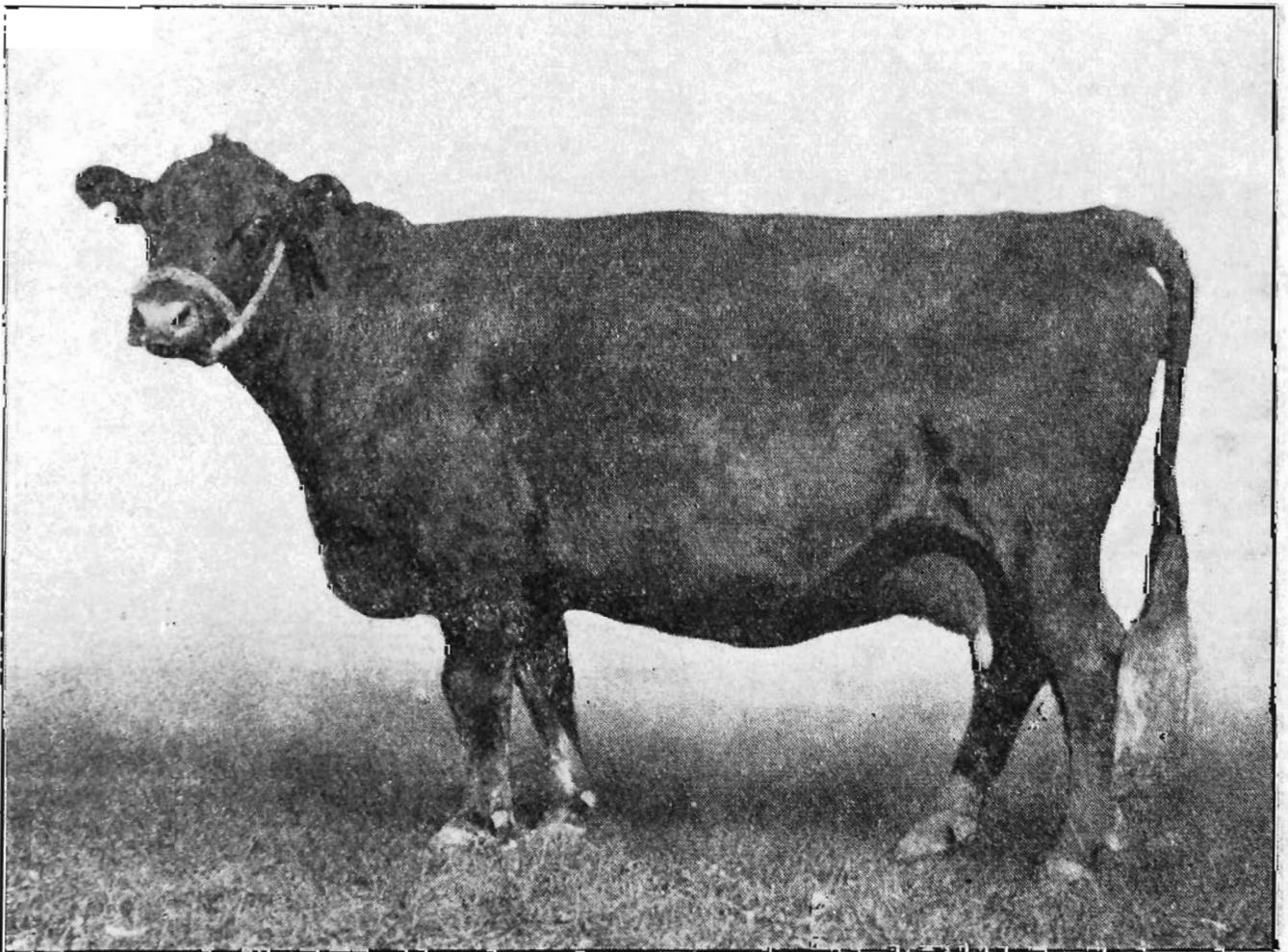
Champion Milking Shorthorn Bull, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"POPLAR VALE PRINCE 37th," exhibited by Mr R. R. Whitechurch.



Champion Milking Shorthorn Cow, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"MORVEN QUEENIE 7th," exhibited by Mr. James Kerr.



Champion Red Polled Bull, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"LONGFORD MAJOR" (imp.) (10,445),
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Champion Red Polled Cow, "Royal," Show, 1917.
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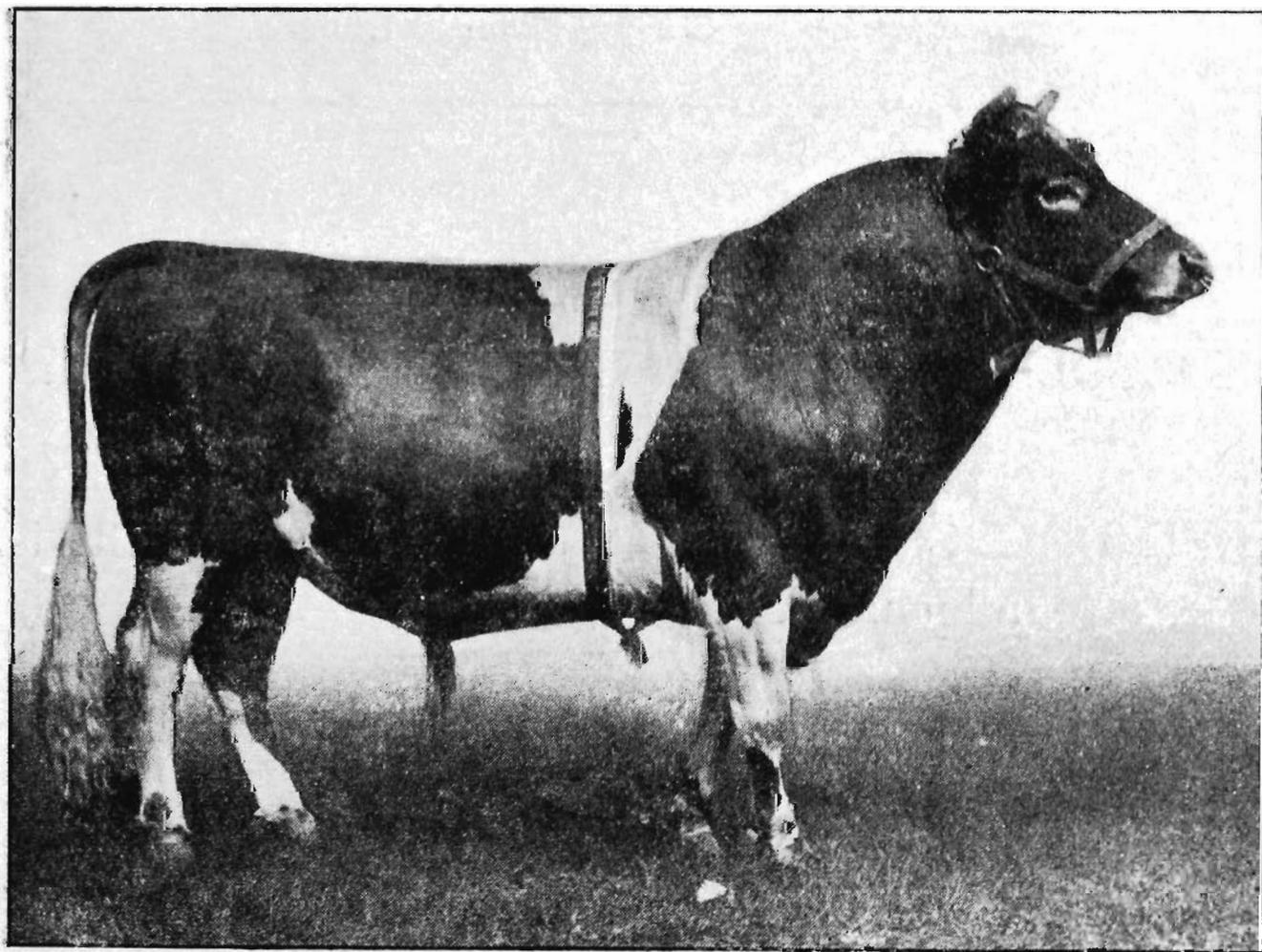
GUERNSEYS, KERRIES AND DEXTER KERRIES.

Mr. R. G. Keys, Dandenong.

Amongst the Guernsey cattle there were some splendid specimens of the breed, but there was practically no competition, and the same may be said of the Kerries. However, the first prize and Champion Guernsey bull is one of the finest bulls I have ever seen, and shows splendid type and good length and colour. He gives every promise of being a good stock-getter. The second prize bull is also a splendid specimen of the breed, but is showing age.

In the female classes the Champion stood alone. She is a splendid cow, showing excellent type and quality, and was well deserving of the Ribbon. There were some very good cattle in the other classes, but there was not much competition.

In the Kerry Classes the Champion Bull and the Champion Cow stood alone, and were worthy of prizes in any show ring.



Champion Guernsey Bull, "Royal" Show, 1917.

ROYAL SEQUEL" (imp) (2639), exhibited by Captain A. E. T. Payne.

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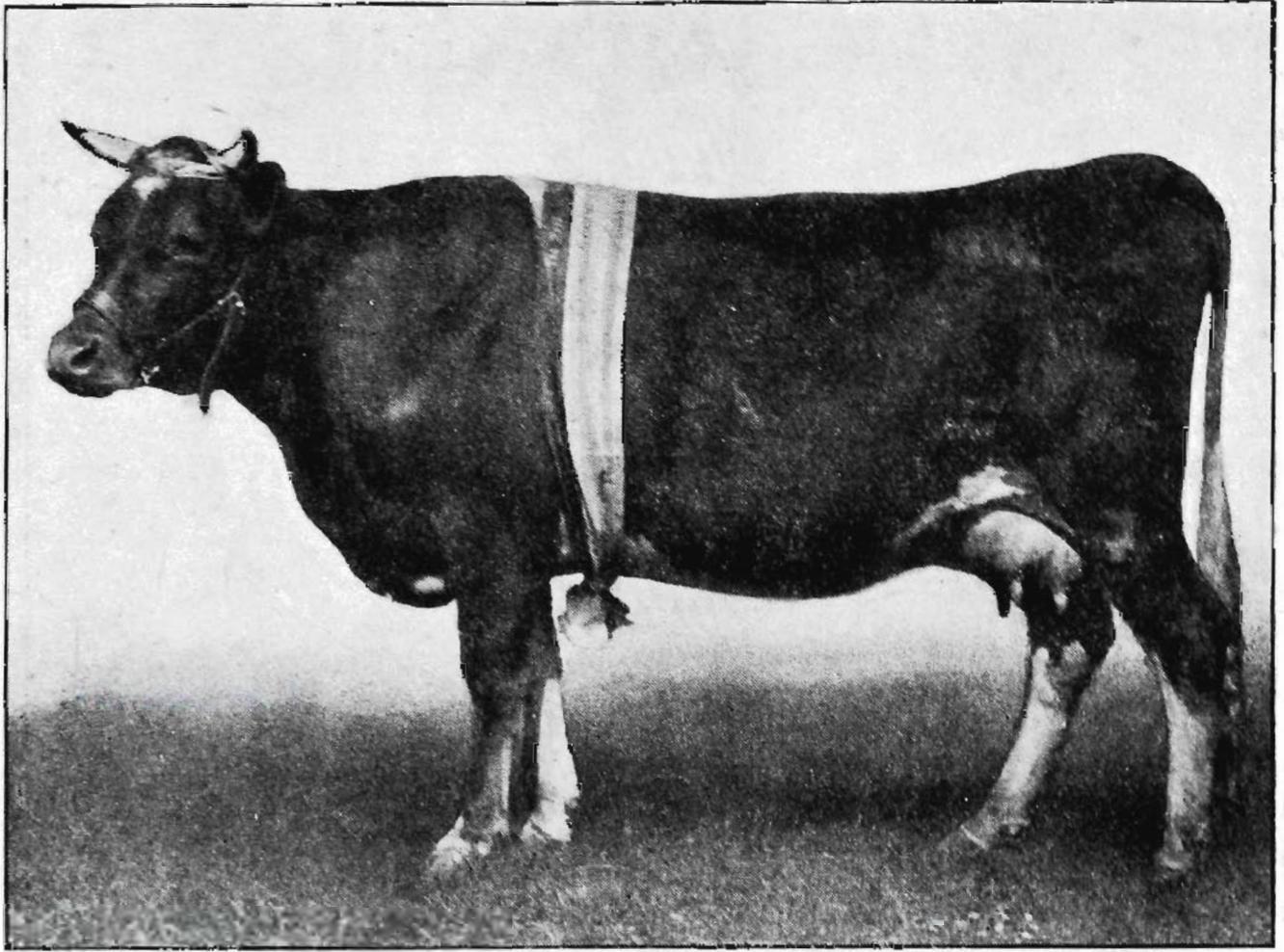
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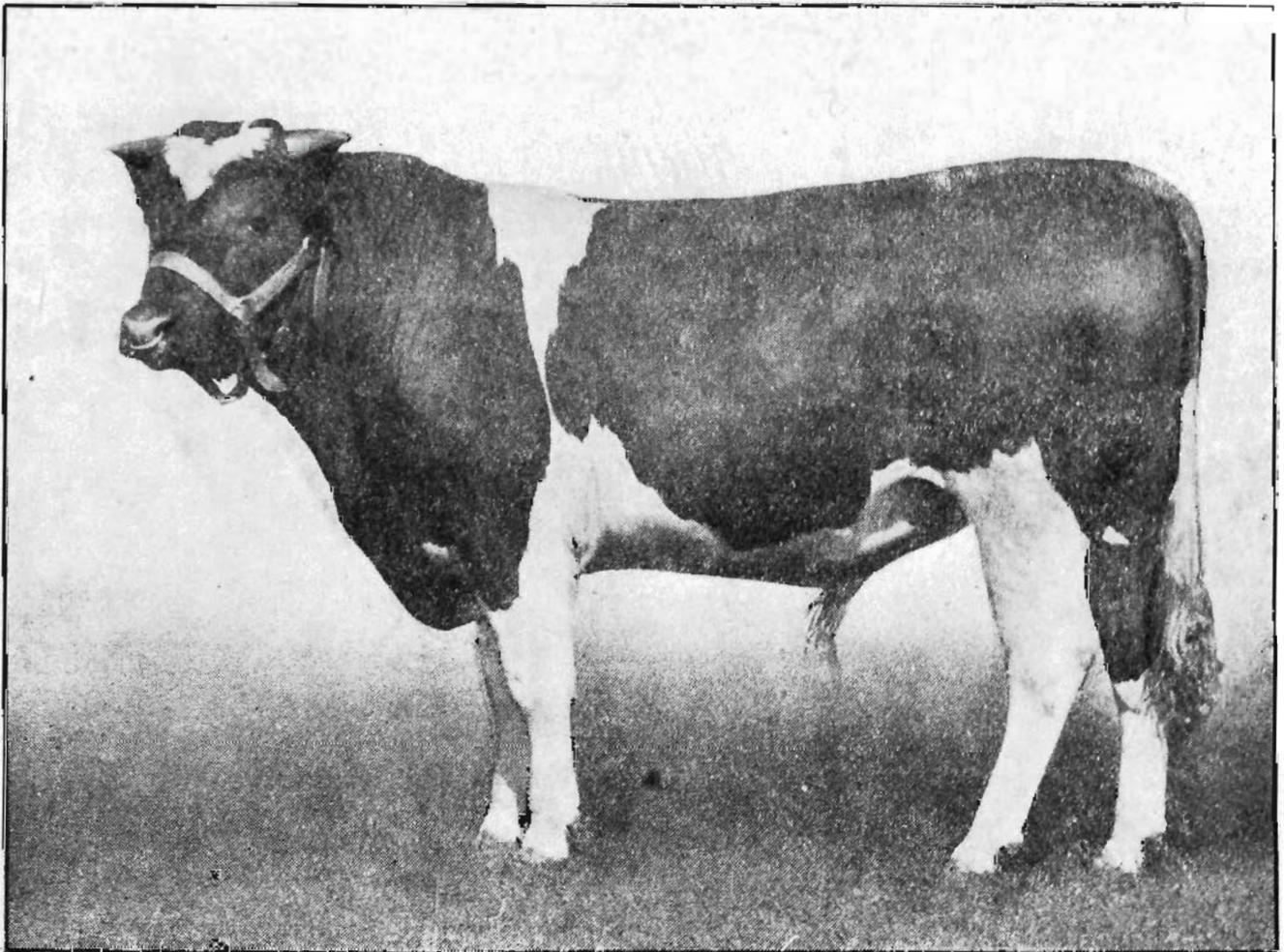
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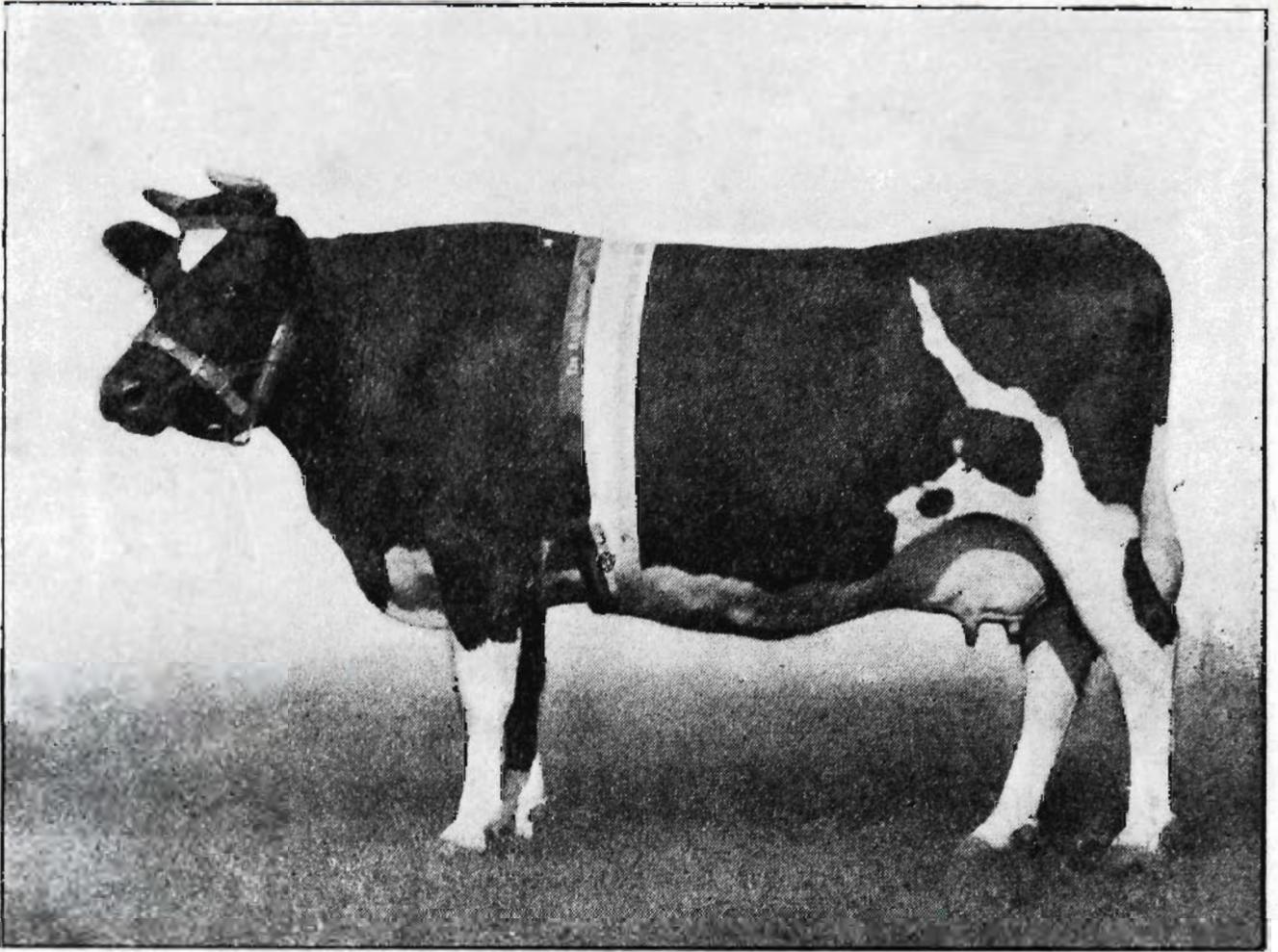
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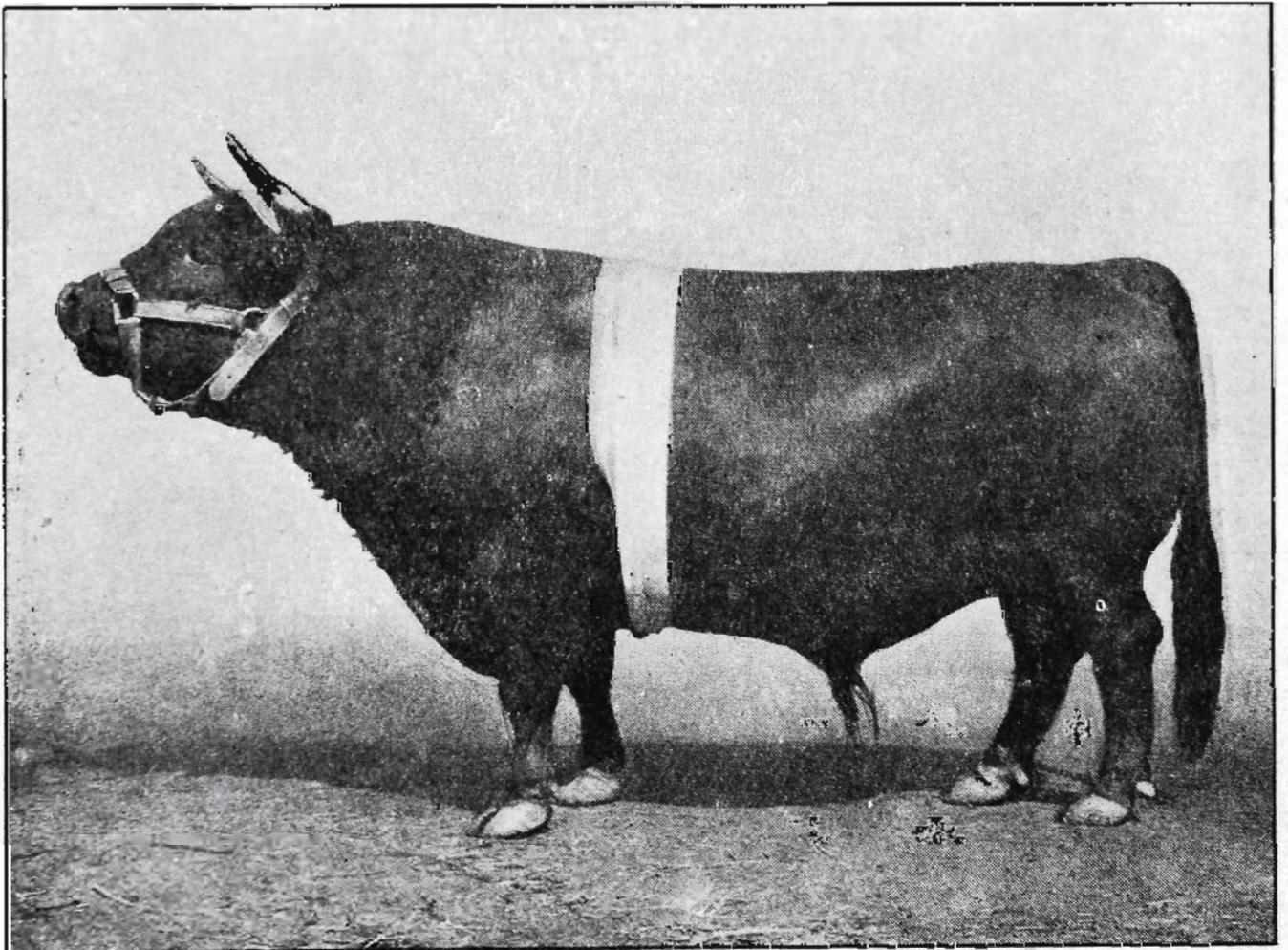
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"YARRAVIEW SWEET BRIAR" (11,083), exhibited by Captain A. E. T. Payne.



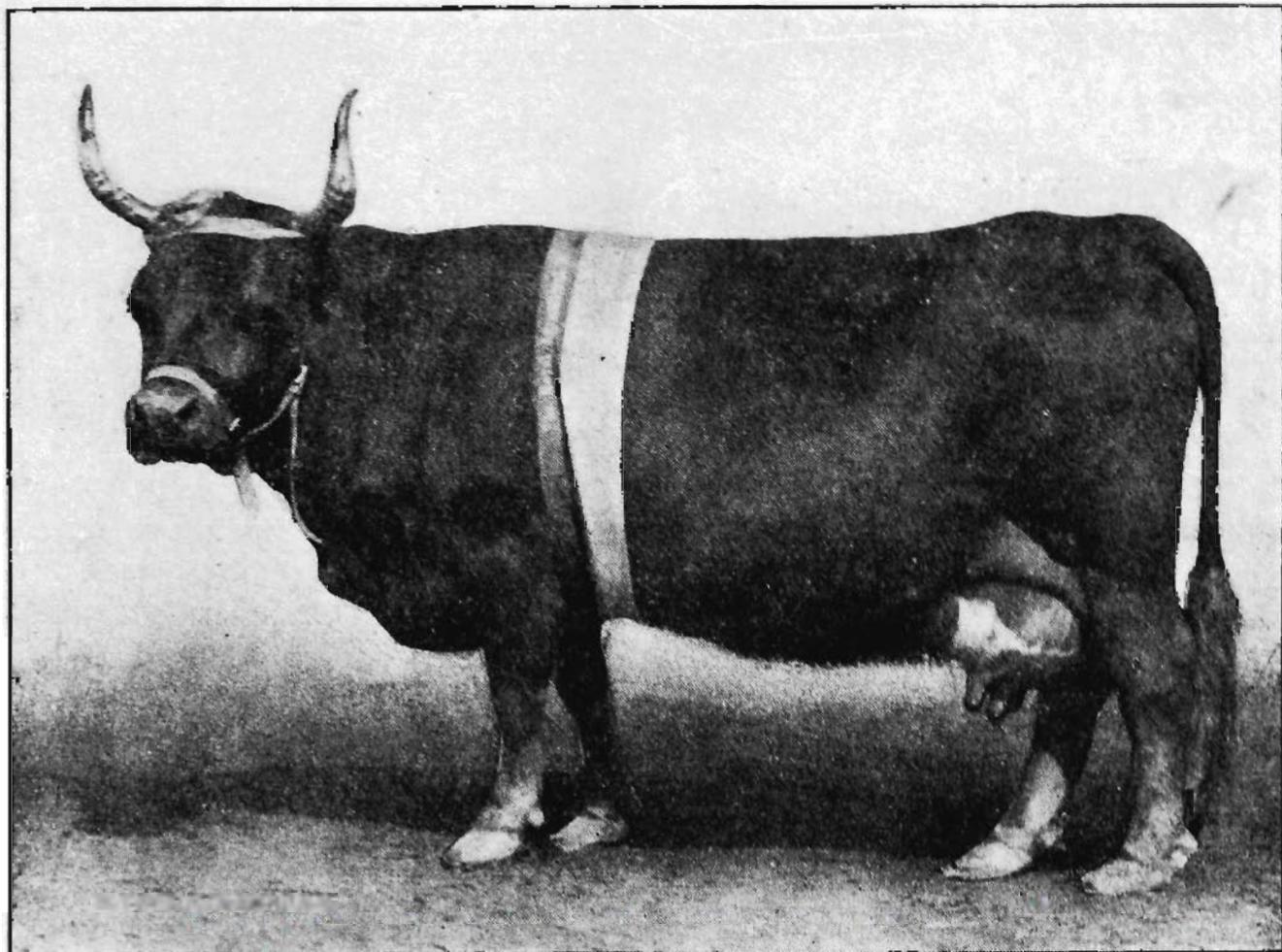
Champion Holstein Bull, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"BOLOBEK ADMIRAL," exhibited by Mr. Oswald J. Syme.



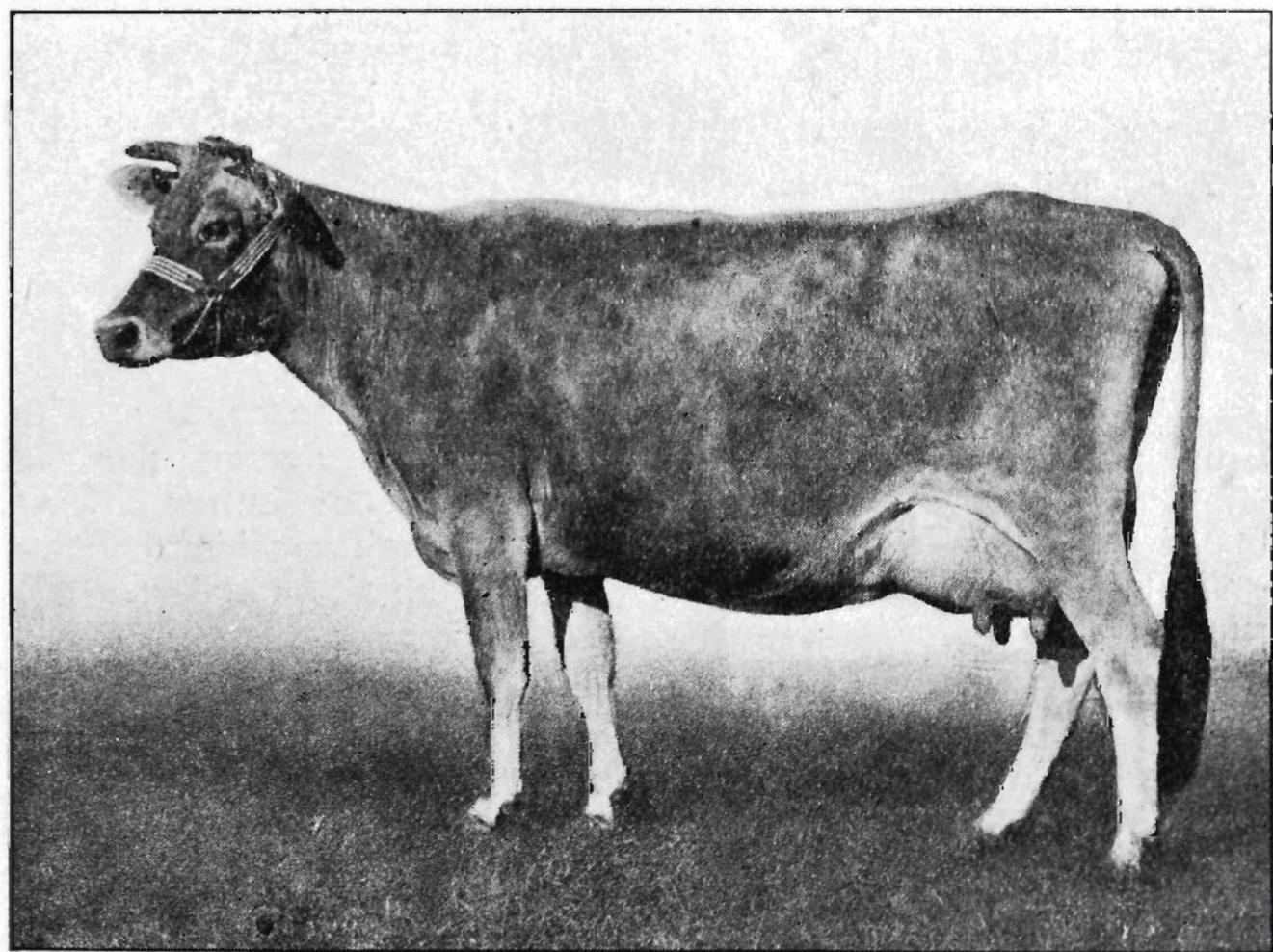
Champion Holstein Cow, "Royal" Show, 1917.
 "MAY BELLE PAULINE" (imp.), exhibited by Mr. Oswald J. Syme



Champion Dexter Kerry Bull, "Royal" Show, 1917.
 "COWBRIDGE KNIGHT" (imp.) (Vol. XII., D.K.H.B.),
 exhibited by Mr. Geoffrey Syme.



Champion Dexter Kerry Cow, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"OAKRIDGE BEATRICE 2nd," exhibited by Mr. Geoffrey Syme.



Champion Butter Fat Test Cow, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"ARCADIA," exhibited by Mr. C. G. Knight.

DAIRY CATTLE.

Mr. C. F. Hegarty, Bacchus Marsh.

The Dairy Cattle were just a good section, there being no exhibits of special merit, neither were there any really inferior animals brought forward. The only element of disappointment was that the section was composed of one breed of cattle only.

CHAMPION BUTTER FAT TEST.

Mr. P. Rankin Scott, Department of Agriculture, Melbourne.

The "Weekly Times" Champion Butter Test does not appear to have caught on with the dairy cattle breeders, the number of cows competing for the prize being one less than last year. Four cows competed, of which three were Ayrshires and the other a Jersey. The Jersey cow won with very little to spare. In passing, it might be mentioned that the milk given by this cow showed a gradual improvement both in quality and quantity right through the test. Comparing the actual results of the test, no great difference was to be observed between the quality and quantity of the milk given by the cows competing. The results obtained during the three days' test may be briefly summarised as follow:—

4.17%	Arcadia (Jersey) gave 133 lbs. 4 ozs. of milk, yielding 5.45 lbs. of butter fat.
3.87%	Ixia of Gleneira (Ayrshire) gave 136 lbs. 15 ozs. of milk, yielding 5.20 lbs. of butter fat.
3.87%	Lass o' Kyle 3rd (Ayrshire) gave 134 lbs. 13 oz. of milk, yielding 5.16 lbs. of butter fat.
3.87%	Lady Mac. of Gleneira (Ayrshire) gave 126 lbs. 2 oz. of milk, yielding 4.88 lbs. of butter fat.

Allowing for a 14 per cent. moisture basis to conform with usual practice, the three leading cows gave an average per day respectively of 2.112, 2.015, and 2.00 lbs. of butter. This yield may be considered satisfactory, although considerably less than the amounts given by three of the competitors at last year's Show.

FAT CATTLE.

Mr. H. W. Wallder, Canterbury-street, Flemington.

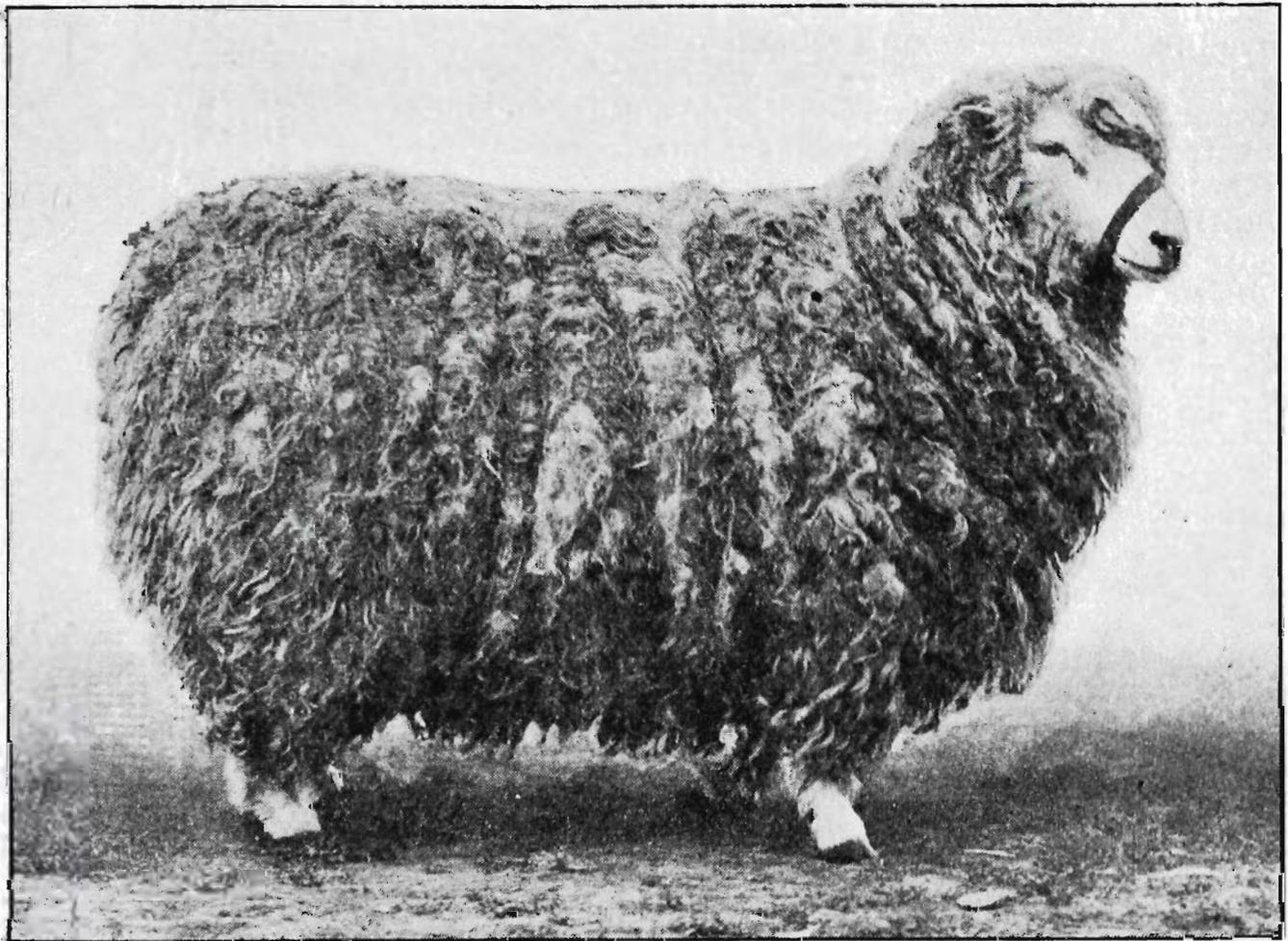
There was a large increase in the numbers of fat cattle shown, and I was very pleased to observe that these exhibits had to be judged as butchers' cattle. They were an exceptionally fine lot, and in some instances there was very little to choose between them. I consider that the arrangements made for stalling these cattle were excellent.

SHEEP.

LINCOLN RAMS.

Mr. R. A. D. Hood, Merrang, Hexham.

In the Lincoln rams this year there was a very big entry, and although there were not many high class sheep free from faults, taken as a whole, they were a very even and good lot. Most of them had a good frame and substance, carrying



Champion Lincoln Ram, "Royal" Show, 1917.

Exhibited by Mr. E. A. Porter.

wool of good character, weight and strength, showing that most breeders are now breeding to the right style of Lincoln wool. The worst defects noted were sheep with good back and rib wool, but running light on points and belly, and some with bad heads. The Champion Ram, taken from the class over 1½ years and under 2½ years, was a good, big, well-shaped sheep, carrying a nice even fleece of good quality wool.

The young sheep both in the single and pair classes were a good lot.

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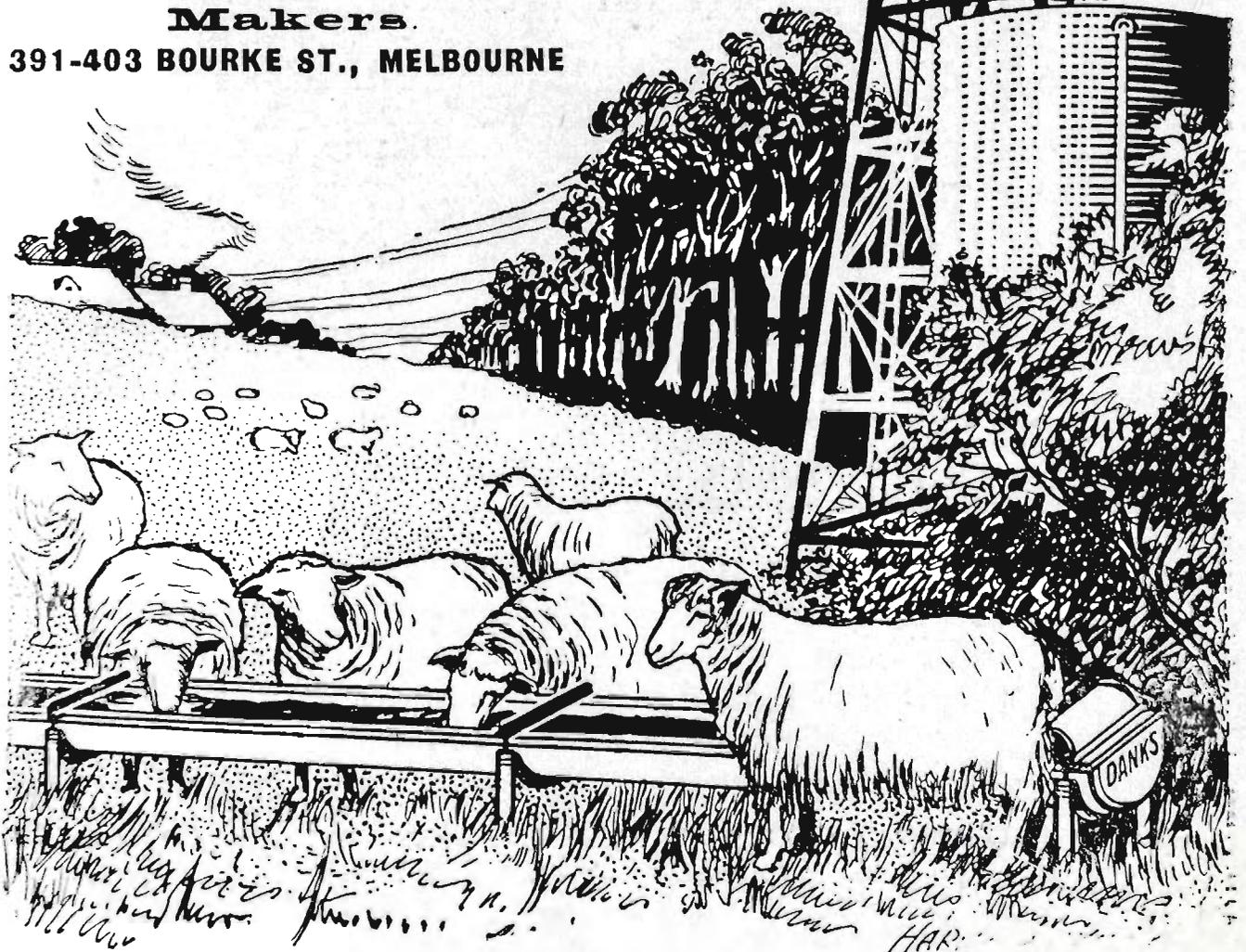
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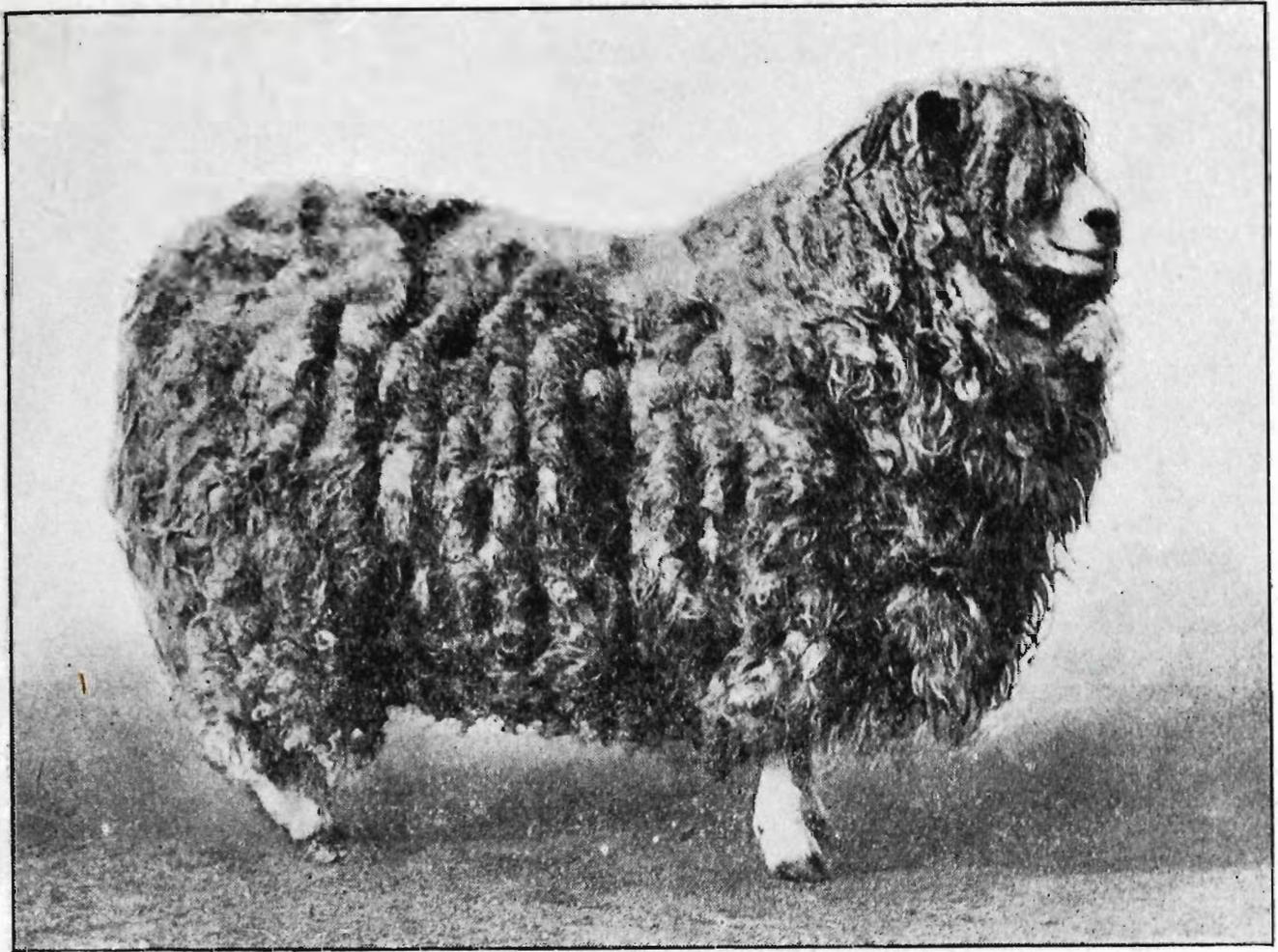


LINCOLN EWES.

Mr. W. H. Skilbeck, "The Oaks," Koroit.

The Royal Show of 1917 will be remembered among breeders of Lincoln sheep, as perhaps the finest show of Lincoln sheep (both in numbers and quality) that there has been in the history of the State. Breeders are paying more attention to size and carcass than formerly; some of the specimens seen at this Show being extra big and burly (especially among the rams).

In the class for ewes, any age with a lamb at foot, twelve were entered. The first prize, after close scrutiny, went to a



**Champion Lincoln Ewe, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"No. 150," exhibited by Messrs. Richardson Bros.**

ewe which showed great character—at the same time being very even in type all over; the second prize going to another very fine ewe.

For ewe, 2½ years old and over, eleven very fine ewes were entered. This was, perhaps, the finest class in point of general excellence in the ewe classes, the competition being very keen. The first and second prizes went to two very fine specimens—the first prize ewe eventually winning the Championship. This was a very fine sheep, of great size, with a very fine fleece of true Lincoln wool. The second prize ewe, although larger, did

not show the same character and style. The third ewe showed a lot of quality. The fourth was also a very fine sheep.

For ewe $1\frac{1}{2}$ years old and under, nineteen were entered, and a very fine lot of ewes they were. The first prize went to a very fine ewe with a beautiful fleece of true strong Lincoln wool. The second award went to a ewe which showed a great length of strong wool; the third and fourth awards going to two very fine ewes of beautiful quality.

For ewe under $1\frac{1}{2}$ years old, 15 ewes were entered, the first prize going to a ewe that would be very hard to beat. She showed great length, and very broad locks of wool of fine character and quality. The second ewe also showed great length and quality of wool.

Twelve pens of two ewes under $1\frac{1}{2}$ years old were exhibited, and a very fine class they were, being very difficult to judge. A close contest resulted between the two leading pens. All four ewes showed great length and quality of wool, and they were shown in the pink of condition.

Both the Champion and Reserve Champion ewes were beautiful specimens of the Lincoln breed. They were as near to perfection as one is likely to get.

ENGLISH LEICESTERS.

Mr. A. H. Blake, 37 Milton-street, St. Kilda.

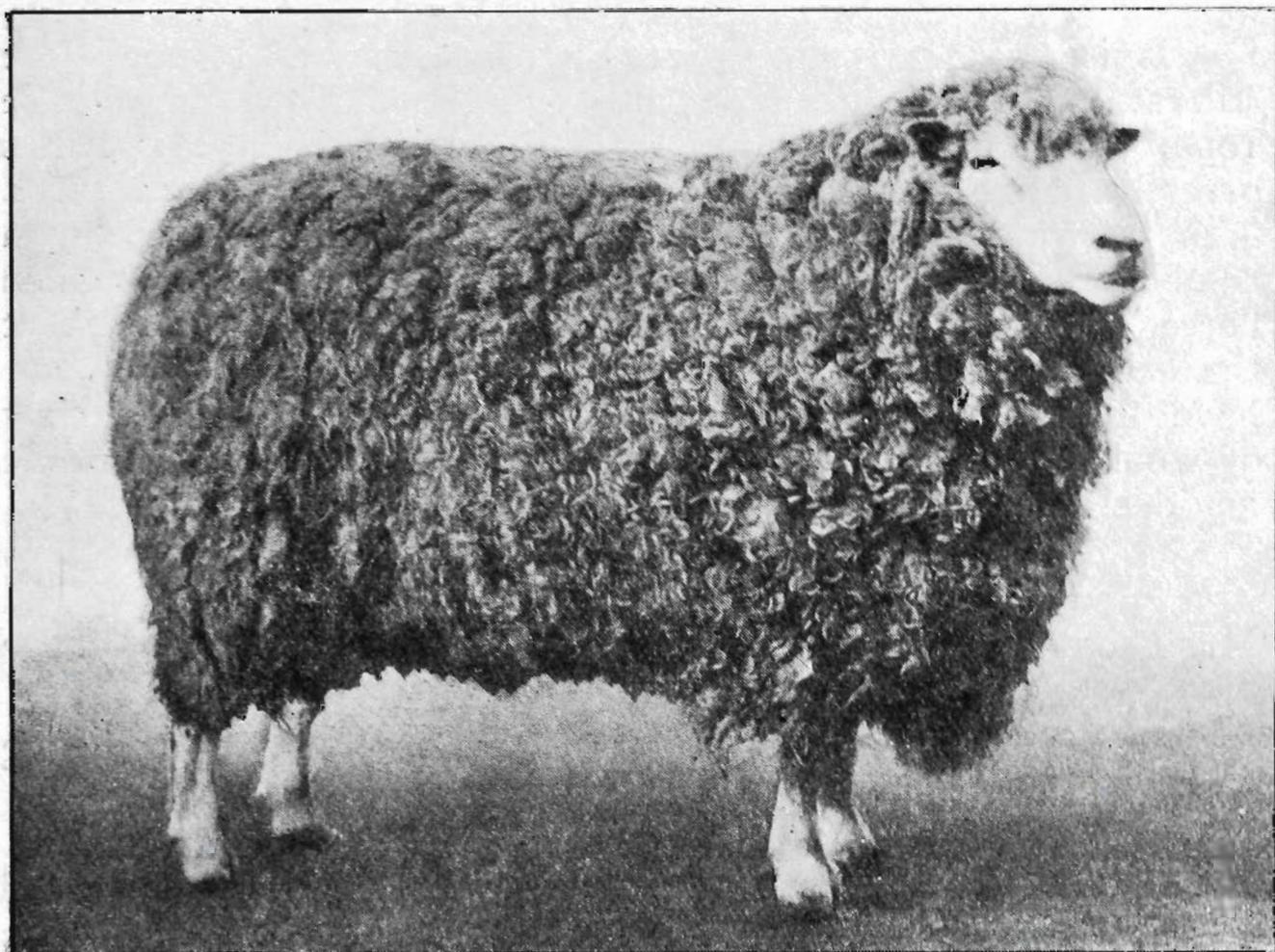
The English Leicesters as a class were noticeable more for quality than numbers. The sheep approached a more even type than at previous shows, mediocre sheep being the exception.

In the Aged Ram and Four-tooth Class, the English type of rams were easily first and champion, also reserve champion. These were heavy bold sheep with great carcass and constitution, and carrying typical weighty fleeces.

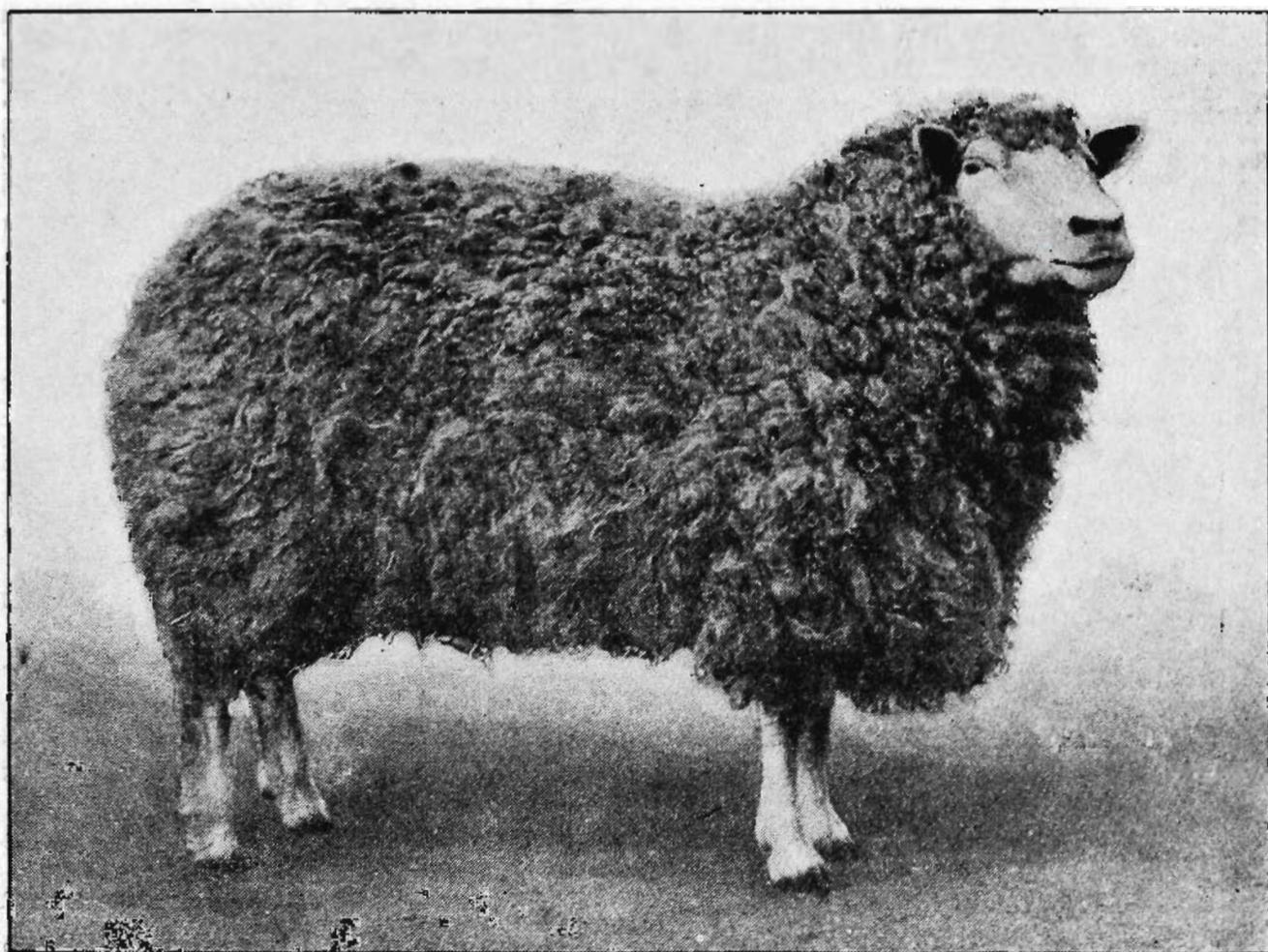
The young sheep were not a striking lot, with the exception of the first prize yearling. He was a shapely sheep, carrying a good fleece of typical wool. The first prize pair of yearlings stood far out in their class. They were well matched, exceptionally well grown, of New Zealand type, and carrying good fleeces.

The Ewe Championship again went to the English type. She was a ewe hard to beat for carcass, constitution and covering, notwithstanding that her wool was a bit out of condition, and that she had a lamb at foot.

The Yearling Ewe Classes were poorly filled. The first prize yearling and pen of yearlings were sheep of promise.



Champion English Leicester Ram, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"MARQUIS 2nd," exhibited by Mr. J. H. Fairchild.



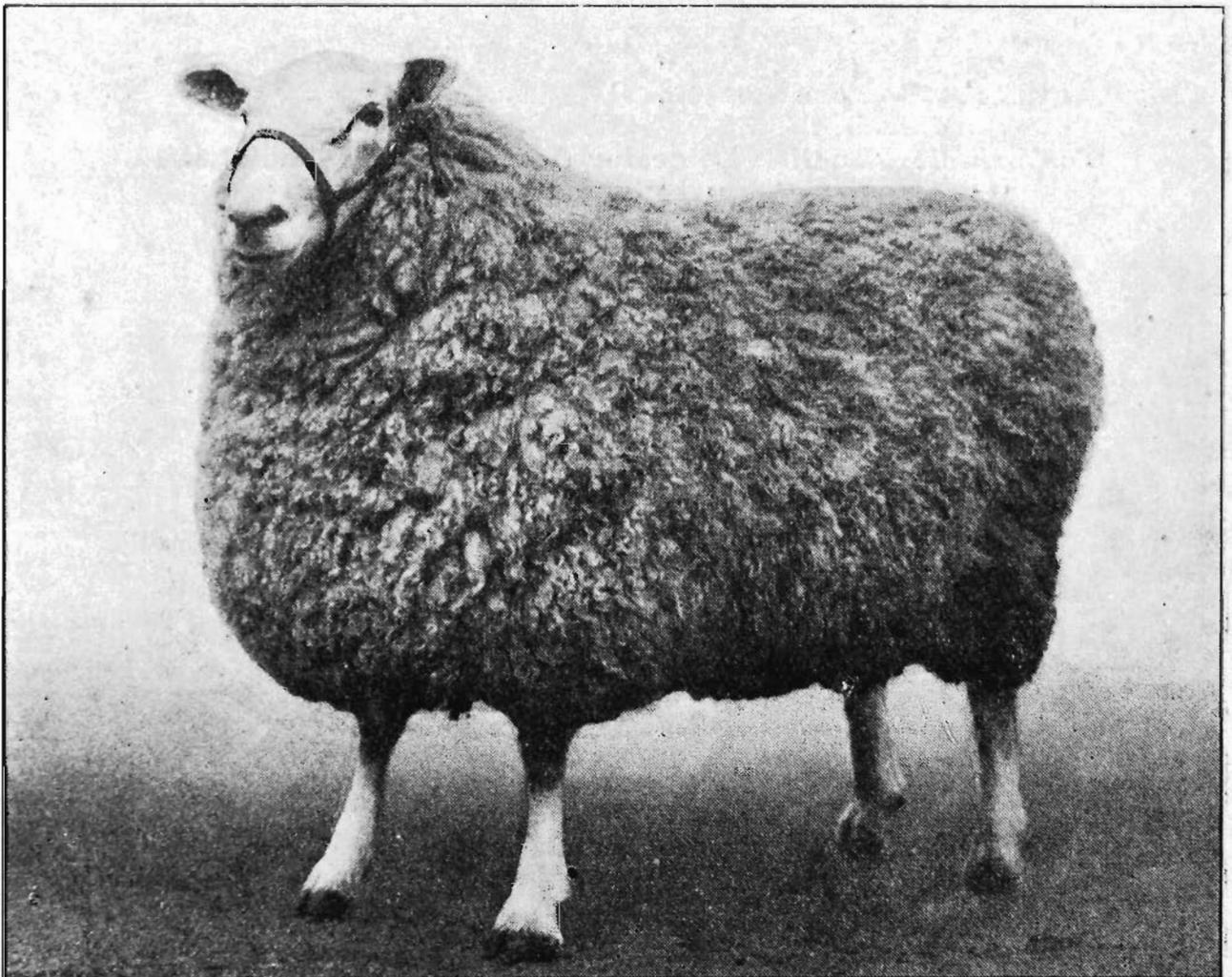
Champion English Leicester Ewe, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"BEAUTY 2nd," exhibited by Mr. J. H. Fairchild.

It is to be regretted that English Leicester breeders are still at variance as to type, although the narrow, undesirable ropey woolled class of sheep is disappearing. There is still a great variance between the English and New Zealand types, both of which have special merits—the English type being a combination of constitution, symmetry, weight in carcase and fleece, with stronger bone, but with a tendency to heaviness about the head, where the New Zealand type, with their finer bone, have the advantage, although carrying a much lighter class of wool. A judicious blending of the two types should produce an ideal sheep.

BORDER LEICESTERS.

Mr. Thomas Kerr, c/o Anthony Brunskill, Esq., Allonby, Wagga Wagga, N.S.W.

The Border Leicesters were an exceptionally fine lot, showing good character and a fine type of Border Leicester wool.

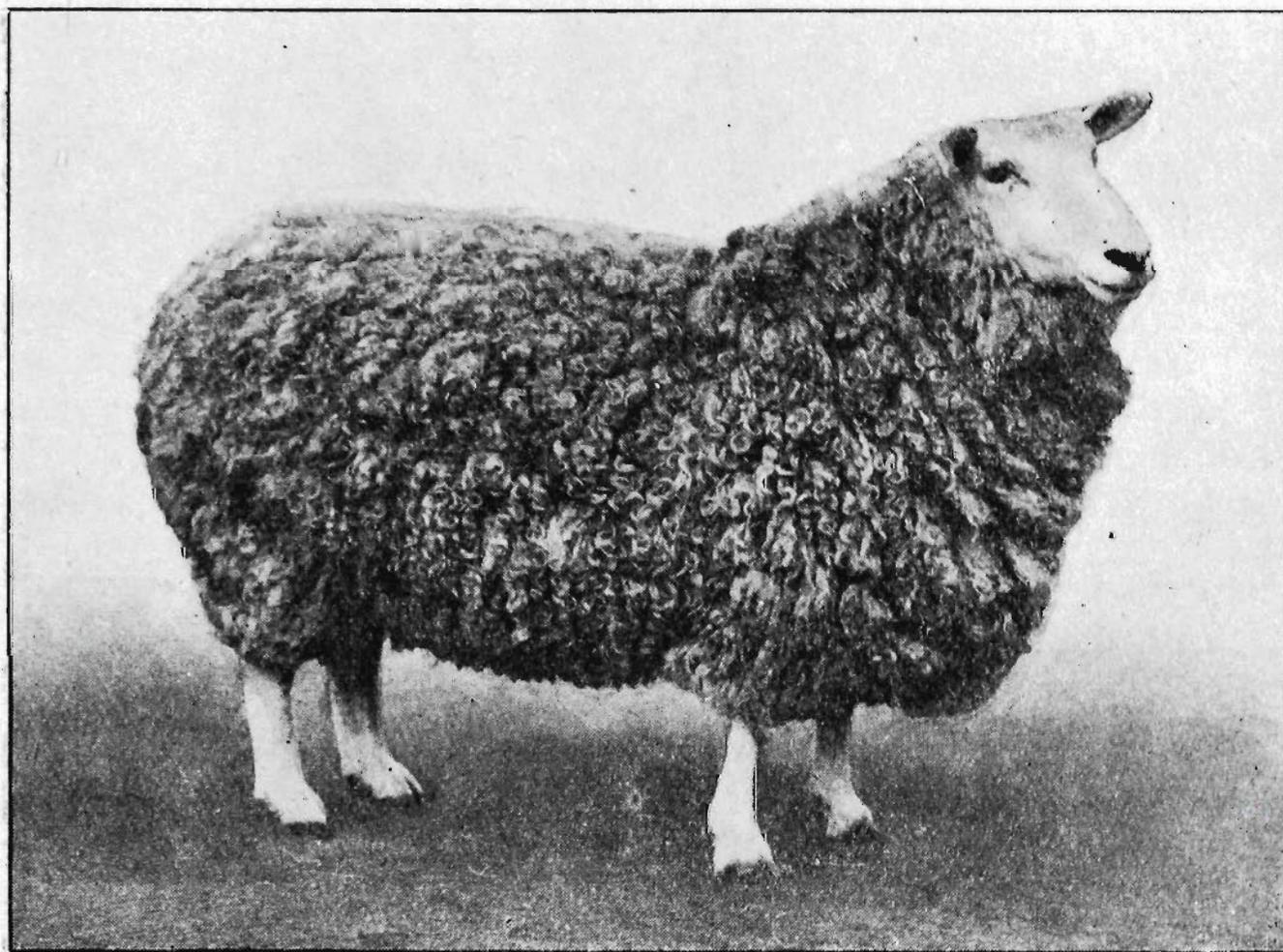


**Champion Border Leicester Ram, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"AWARUA" (66, Vol. 8), exhibited by Mr. Henry Hodge.**

The Aged Rams was a big class, of great size, the first prize ram being in great condition. He stood out an easy winner, while the second, third and fourth rams were not too easily placed, being all well grown.

In the class for rams over 1½ years, the winner was a very nice, even-shaped ram, with a very good head, and carrying an extraordinary fleece of wool true to character. The second ram, though running him close, was not quite so good in the head, but was of great size, and stood tall on his legs. The third and fourth place rams were much of a similar type, the fourth one drooping his ears a little, but otherwise he was a splendidly made sheep.

The exhibits for rams under 1½ years were close on twenty in number, and being very full of wool were hard to place.



Champion Border Leicester Ewe, "Royal" Show, 1917.

"LADY HUME," exhibited by Mr. Joseph Dowthwaite.

The first prize ram was a splendid type, carrying his head and neck in good formation, with an even body, and well woolled down the arms and thighs as the Border should be. The second prize ram was a well built ram, and also carried a splendid fleece, but lacking a little underneath. The third ran him well up, and had a fine type of wool, but he fell off a little in size.

In the class for pair of rams, the first prize pair were evenly woolled, and of great size, with nice heads, the second

and third place pairs running them very close, with splendid heads and necks, but running off the type of wool underneath.

Ewes with lambs at foot were a mixed up lot, being all ages. The winner was a nice woolled young ewe just breaking her 6 teeth. She had a very good head. The second prize ewe had a very nice head, but being very late shorn did not give her much of a chance in the show ring.

Ewes over 2½ years was a smaller class, but the quality and size were there. The successful ewe was in great show form, not having dropped her lamb. She had a splendid head and carried a very strong fleece of wool, the same character of wool running underneath and down her arms and thighs. She might have stood a little higher. The second prize ewe was a well made type of a Border Leicester with great constitution, carrying a good head, and standing well on her legs, but just lacking a little in her wool over the back. The third ewe was very good in her wool, and showed that true type of a Border Leicester, but failed a little in size.

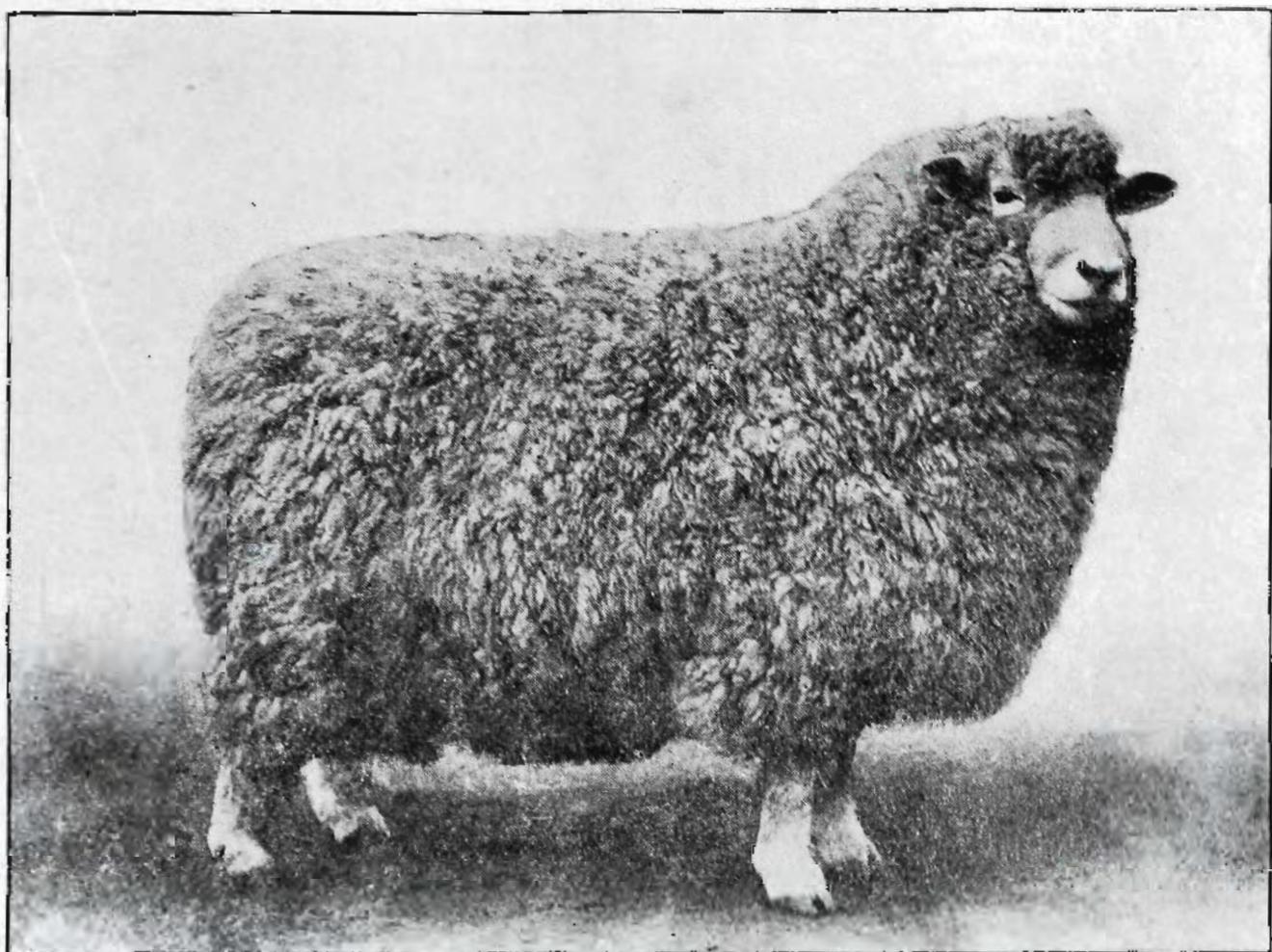
In the class for ewes under 2½ years there was strong competition. The first prize ewe was in splendid show condition, and had a typical frame with an excellent head, and stood well on her legs, although she could have been a little better woolled on her arms. The second prize ewe was of good quality, carrying a very heavy fleece and a good head, but just breaking off type underneath a little. The third ewe ran the second one very close with a similar fleece, but just weakening underneath as well.

The ewes in the class for under 1½ years were all very even, and it took quite a time to pick the first four out. The first prize ewe was well grown, and carried a wonderful fleece of typical wool with a splendid head, and was very good in the neck and scragg. The second and third ewes were both good, being extra well grown, with nice heads and fleeces, but were not quite as good below as the first ewe.

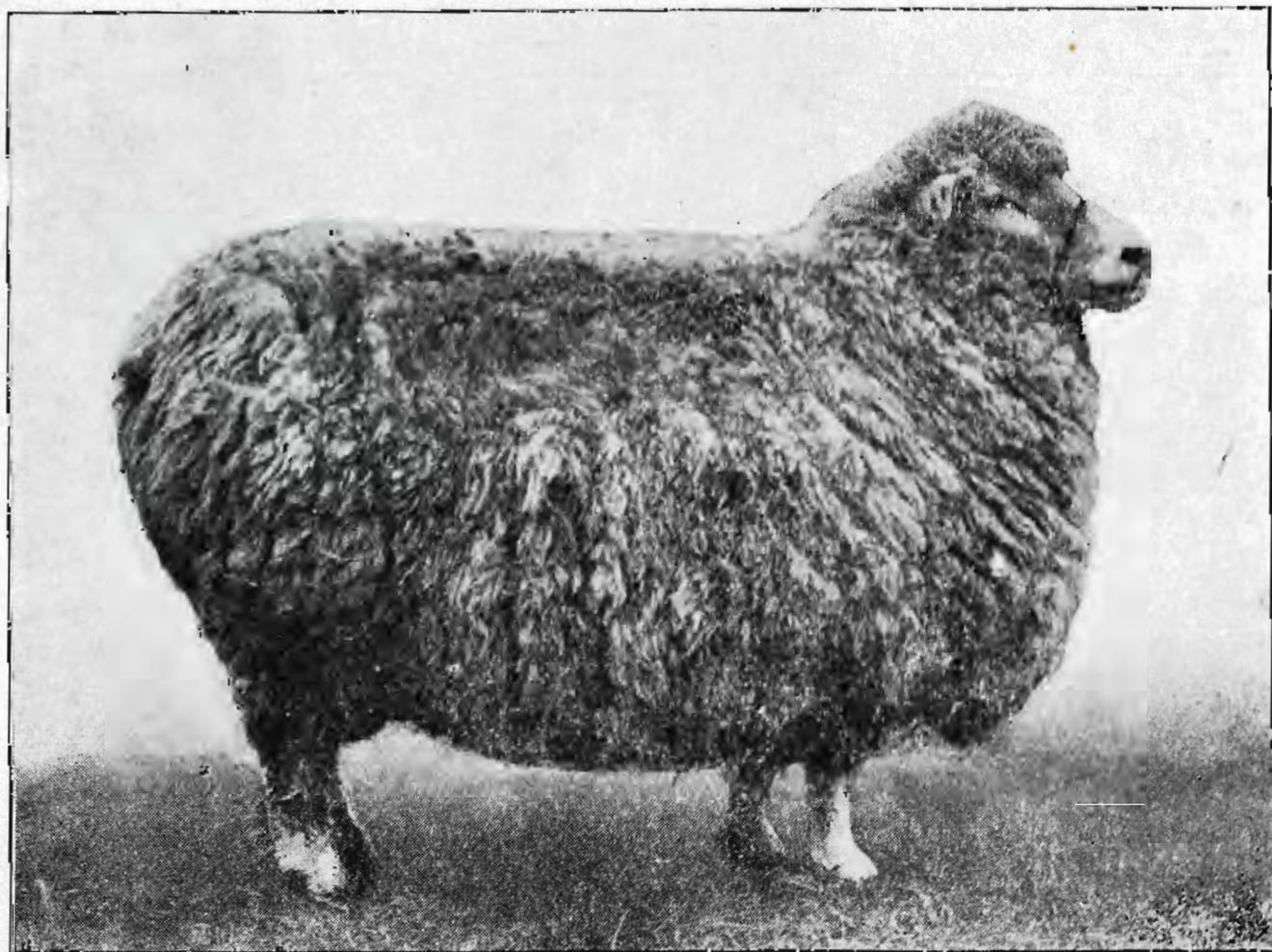
In the Pen of Two Ewes the winners were solid, good, young ewes, with nice heads and splendid wool. The second prize pair was composed of very well grown ewes, and very full of wool, but weakening a little in the necks.

The Champion Ram should prove a good sire to breed from, being a well shaped ram with a splendid head and well woolled all over, and showing a very strong constitution. I noticed that he is an imported ram from a good New Zealand flock.

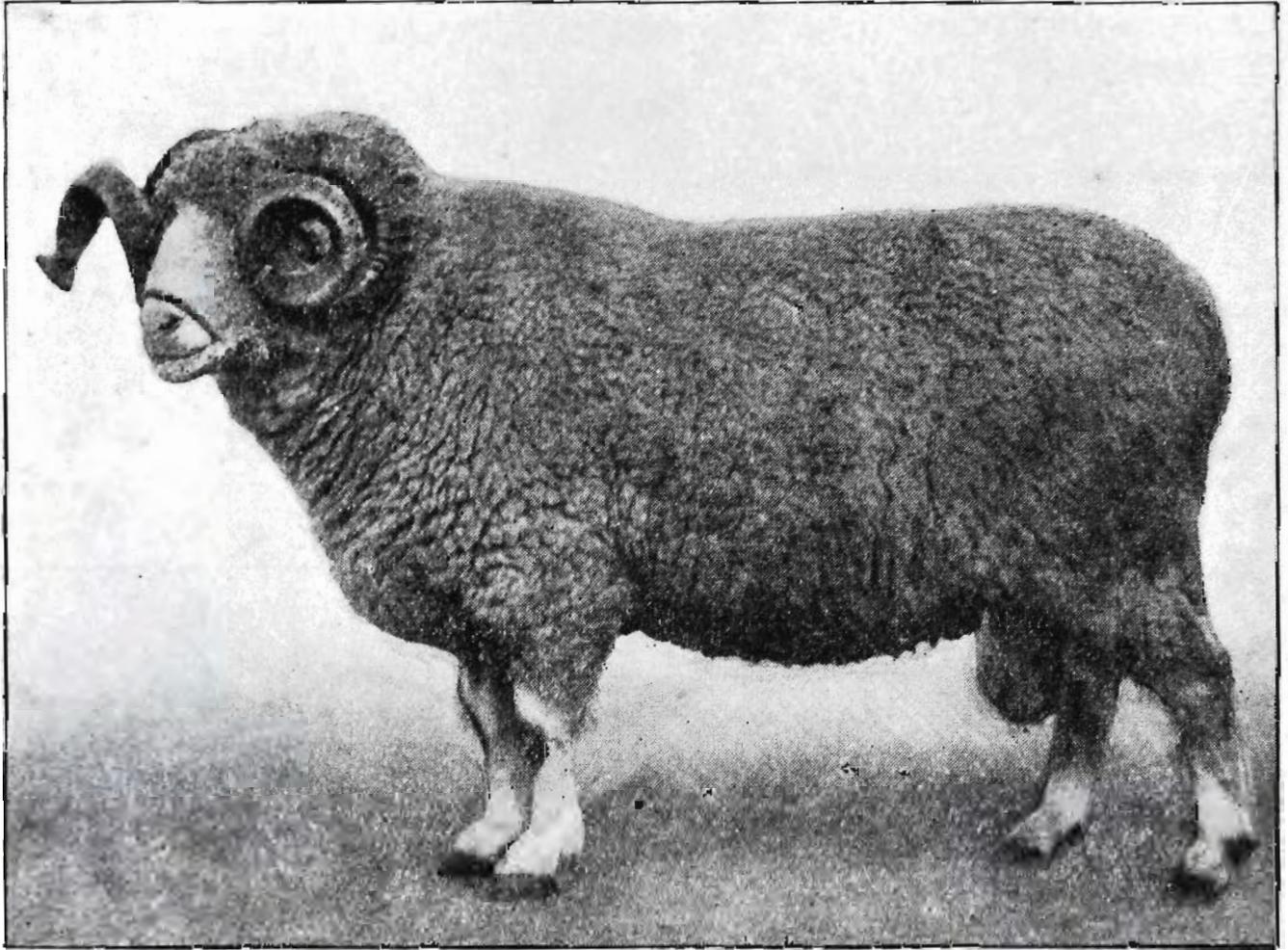
The Champion Ewe was a very fine type of the Border Leicester breed, with a nice sharp head, and very evenly woolled all over, and shown in the pink of condition.



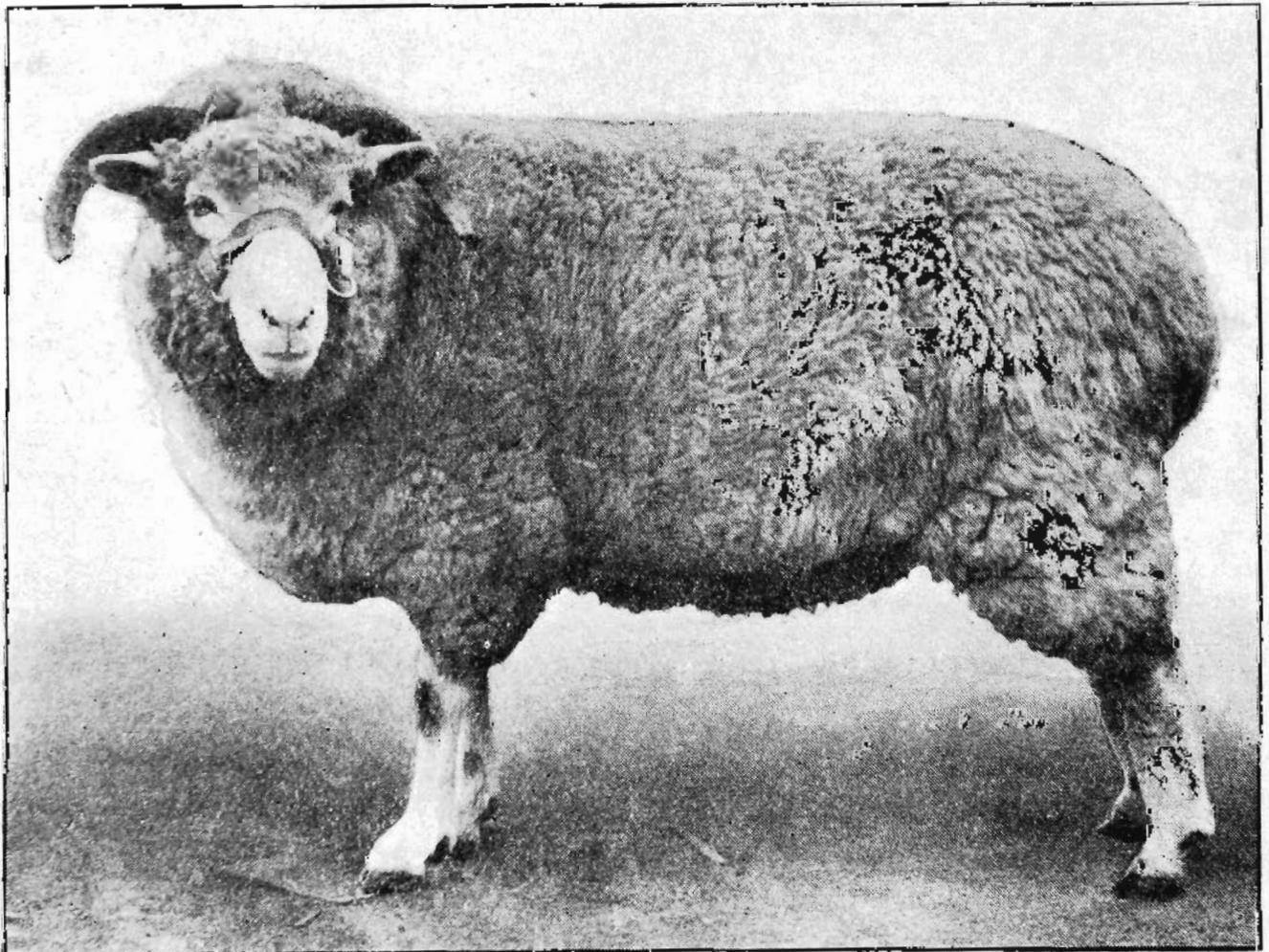
Champion Romney Marsh Ram, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"PAYNE'S No. 87," exhibited by Captain A. E. T. Payne.



Champion Romney Marsh Ewe, "Royal" Show, 1917.
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**Champion Dorset Horn Ram, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"No. 2," exhibited by Mr. Geoffrey Syme.**



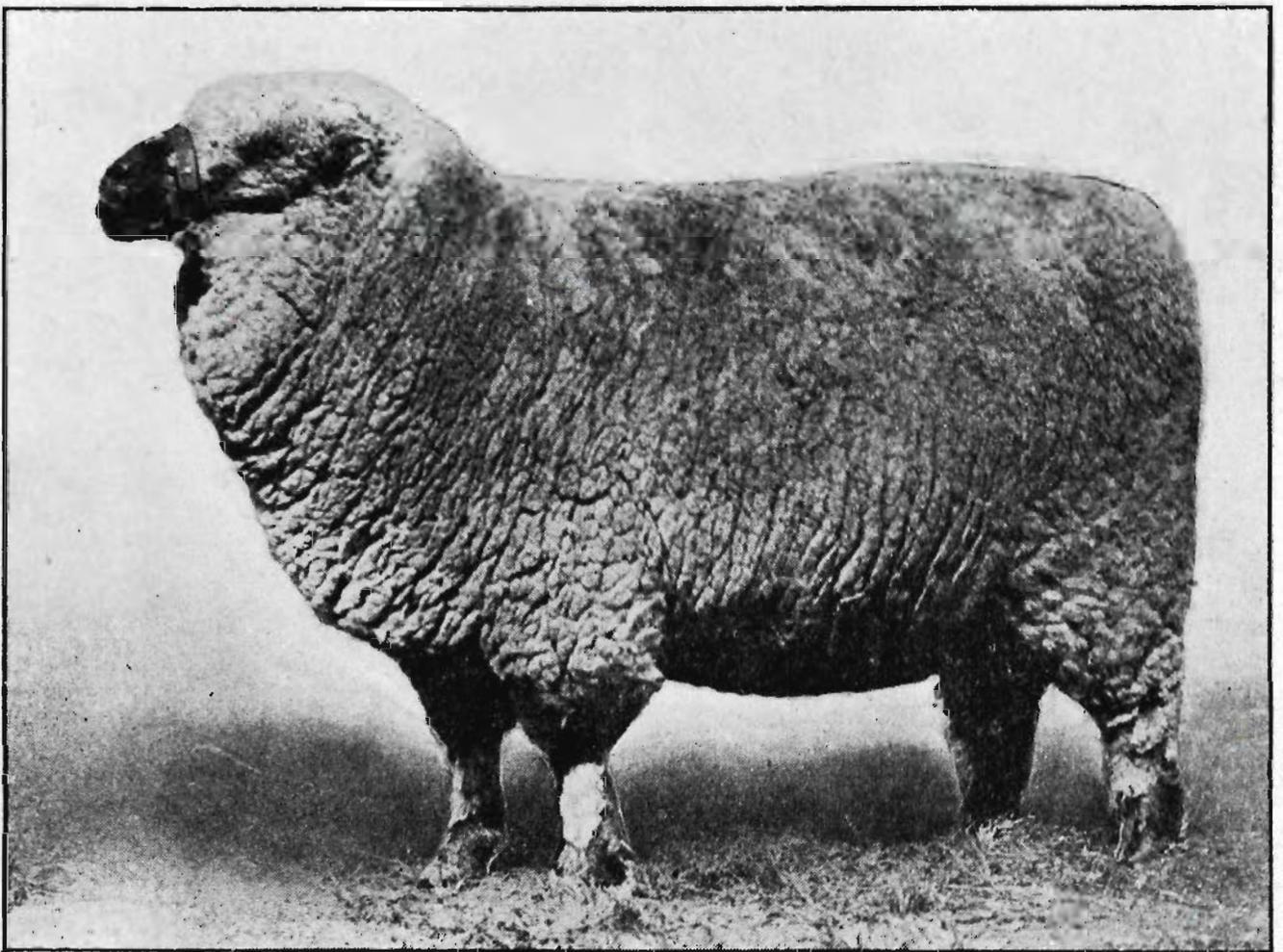
**Champion Dorset Horn Ewe, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"No. 21," exhibited by Mr. Geoffrey Syme.**

SHROPSHIRES.

Mr. F. J. Scott, "Coonalbie," Kongwak.

Taking the Shropshires all round, they made a very creditable display, the general average being very good. The aged and two-year-old classes in rams were particularly good, the Champion Ram coming from the latter class. This sheep was a well-built typical Shropshire with a vigorous constitution.

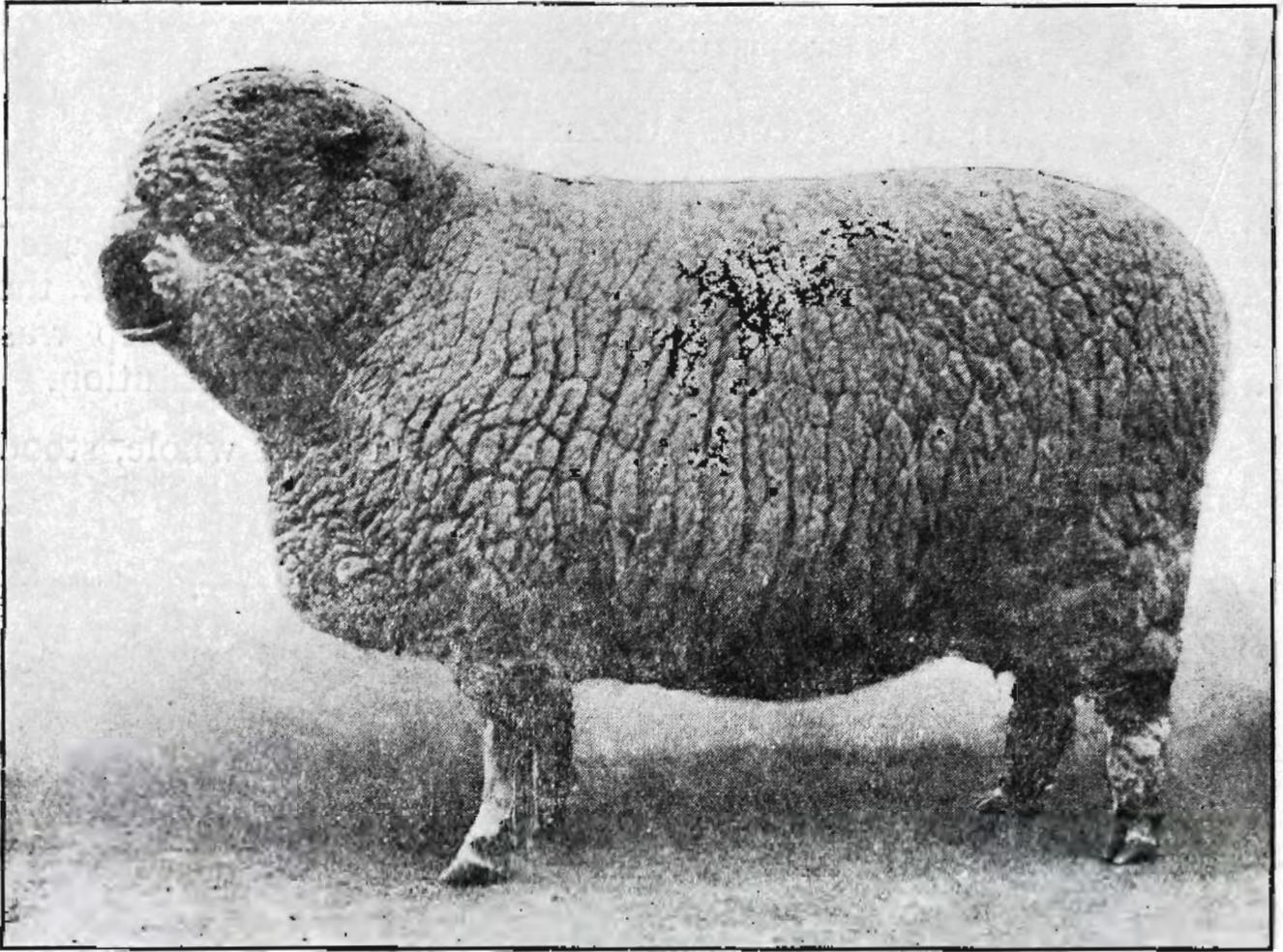
Amongst the Ewe Classes the older sheep, as a whole, stood out, and contained some very fine animals.



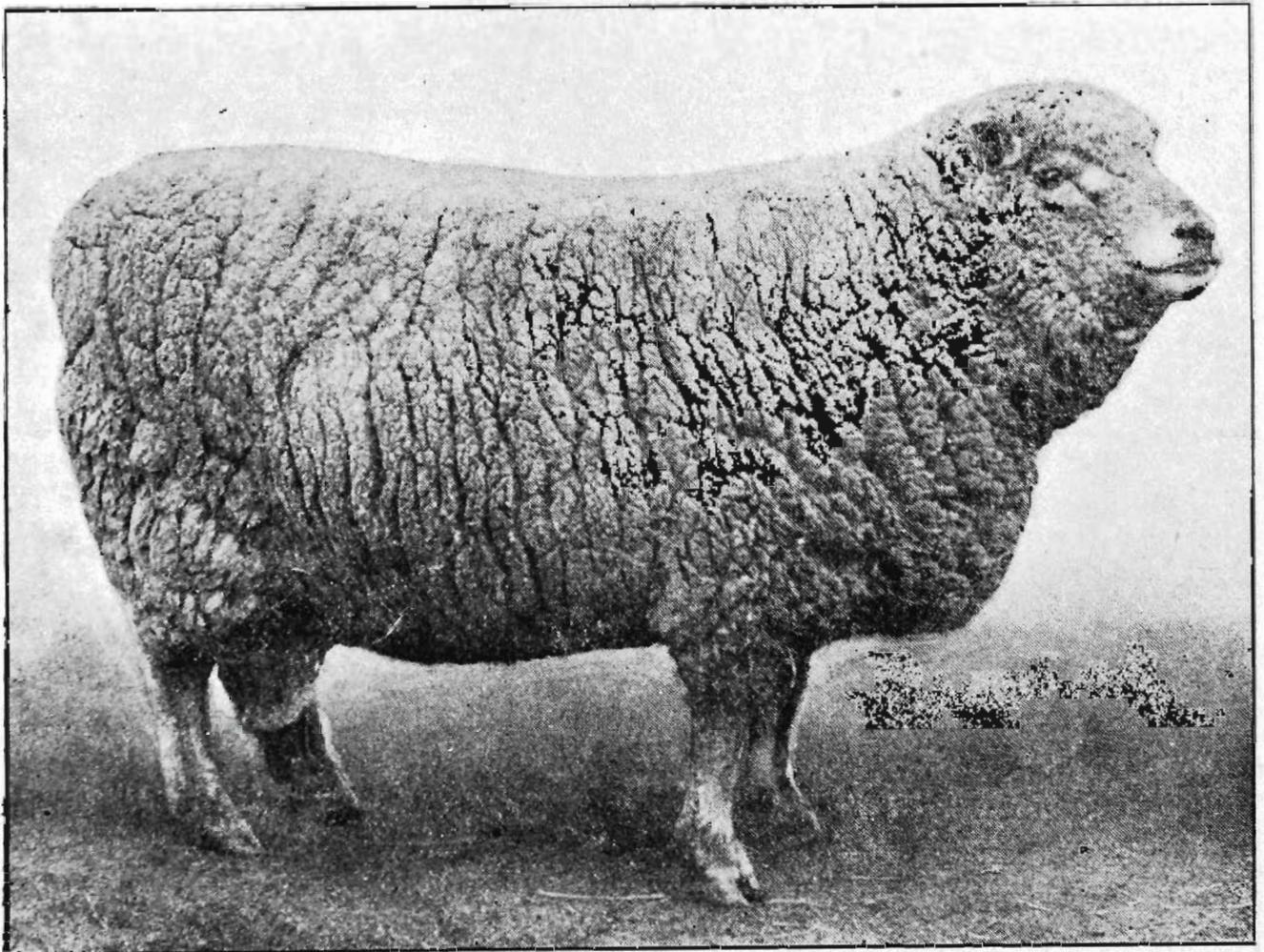
Champion Shropshire Ram, "Royal" Show, 1917.

Exhibited by Mr. D. M. Aitken.

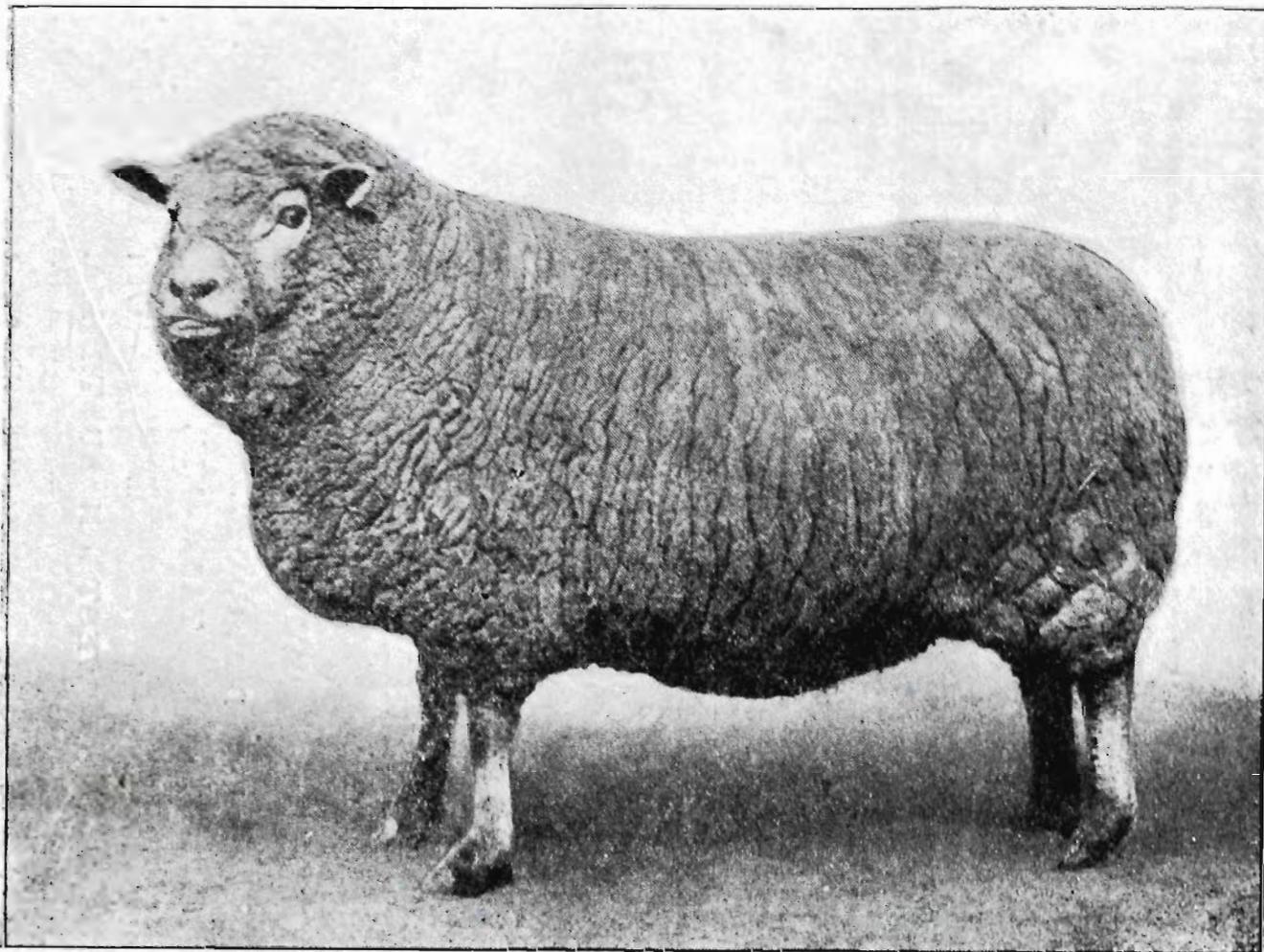
The Eighteen-months-old Classes, both in rams and ewes, were not, on the whole, in such good show condition as in previous years. A number of them had apparently suffered from the effects of the wet season, and thus appeared at a disadvantage, as compared with the older sheep. Having regard to the fact that the Shropshire is first and foremost a mutton sheep, I think every opportunity should be taken to display this characteristic. I would therefore suggest that a class be included for sheep newly shorn, both for rams and ewes, as was done at one or more previous shows.



**Champion Shropshire Ewe, "Royal" Show, 1917.
Exhibited by Mr. R. C. Kermode.**



**Champion Southdown Ram, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"ROYALIST," exhibited by Le Roux Bros.**



Champion Southdown Ewe, "Royal" Show, 1917.

Exhibited by Messrs. J. A. Atkins and Son.

CORRIEDALES.

Mr. Joseph Tilley, "Aringa," Port Fairy.

The sheep exhibited were of massive frame and splendid shape, denoting constitution, which is a very important point in this breed of sheep. In my opinion, it is an excellent general utility breed, combining as they do splendid carcase, excellent quality of meat with the fat evenly distributed, and carrying bulky, dense fleeces of even quality and pronounced character.

The sheep at the Show were a particularly good lot, and all I can add is that breeders should be careful to retain size and constitution, and breed a sheep with legs well set on, and neck well set into shoulders, and avoid any sign of britchiness or coarseness of wool on the britch. I made my awards in this section in accordance with the points of a Corriedale sheep, as laid down by the Council of the Australian Corriedale Breeders' Association.

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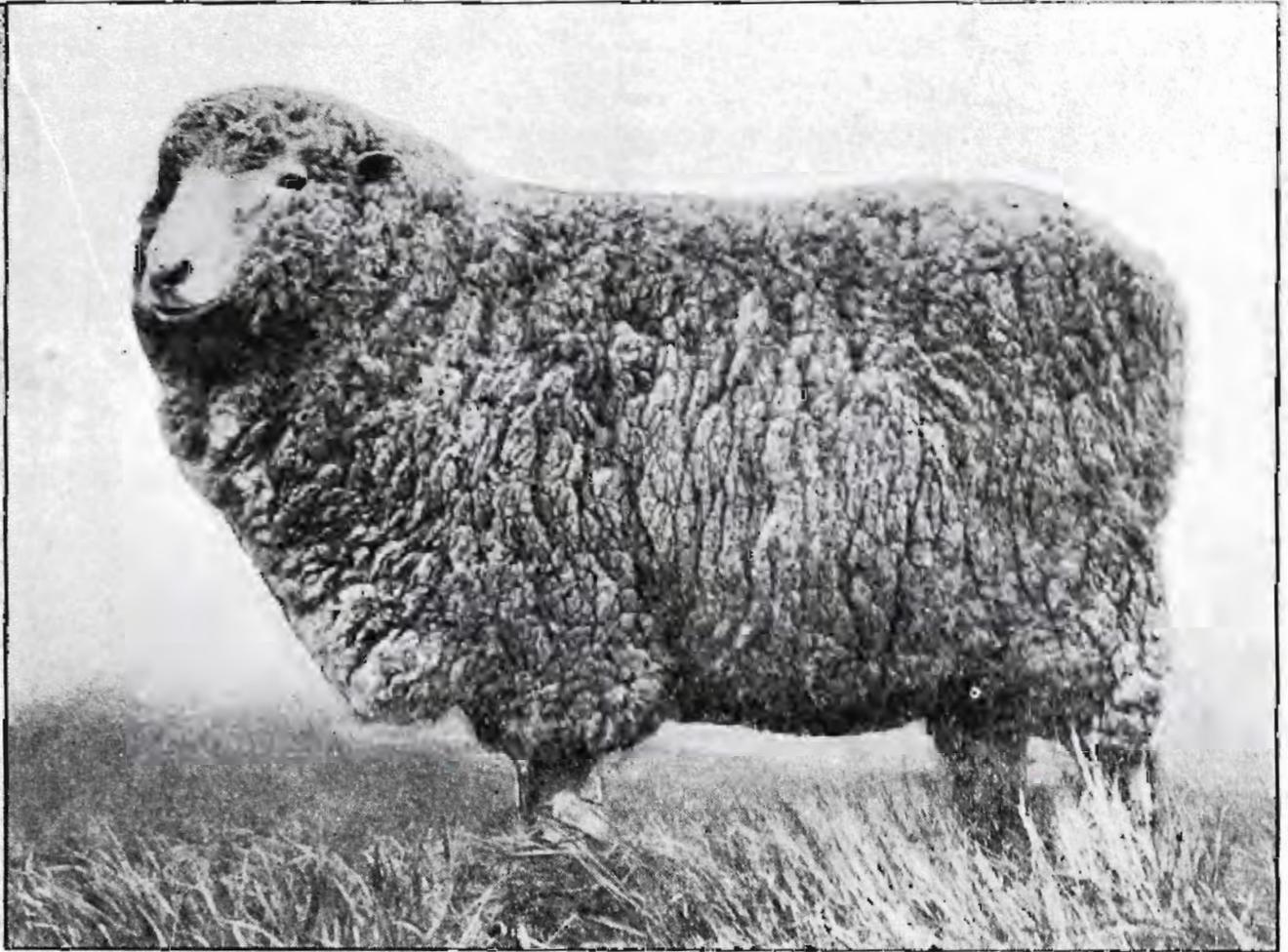
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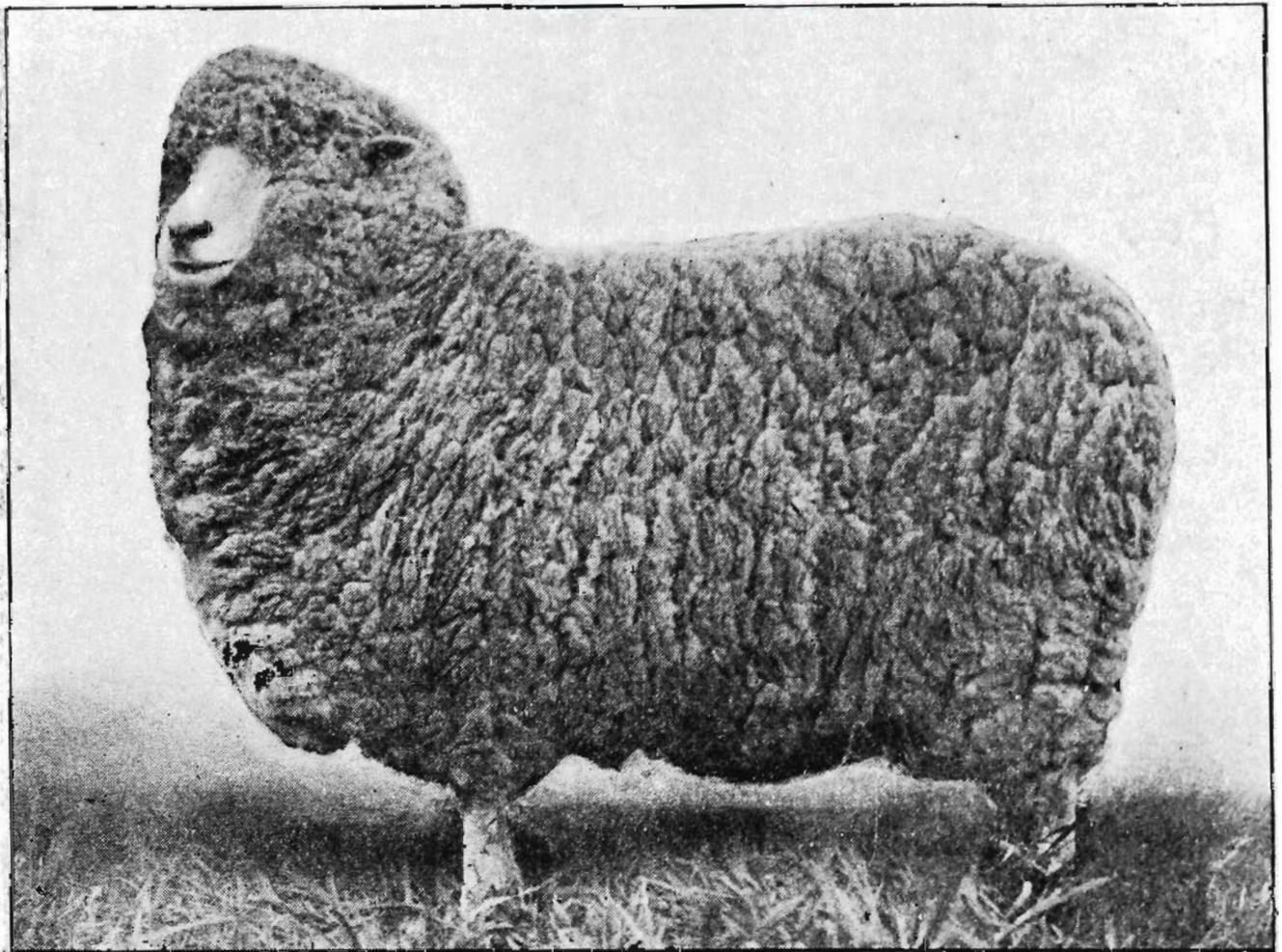
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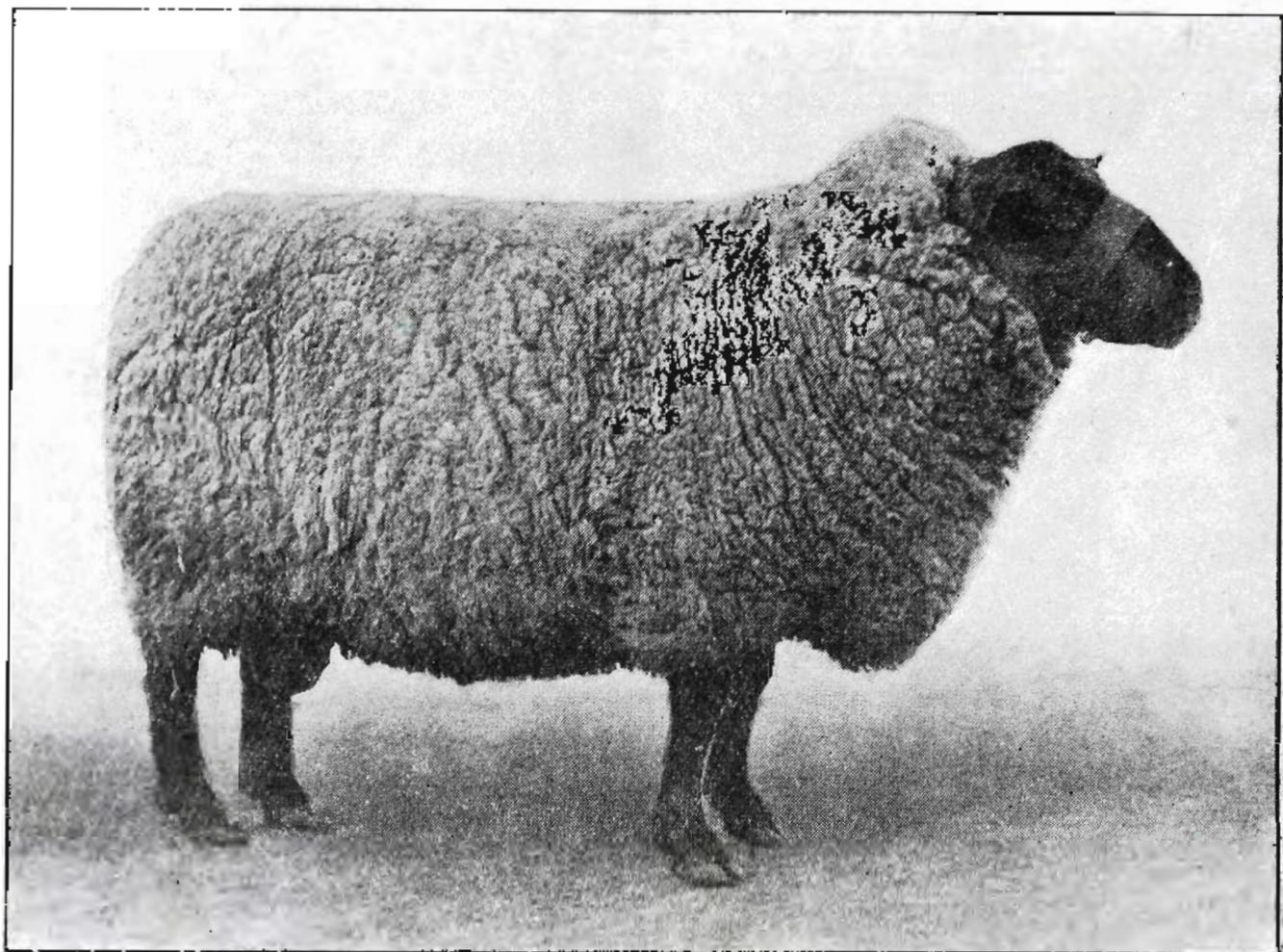
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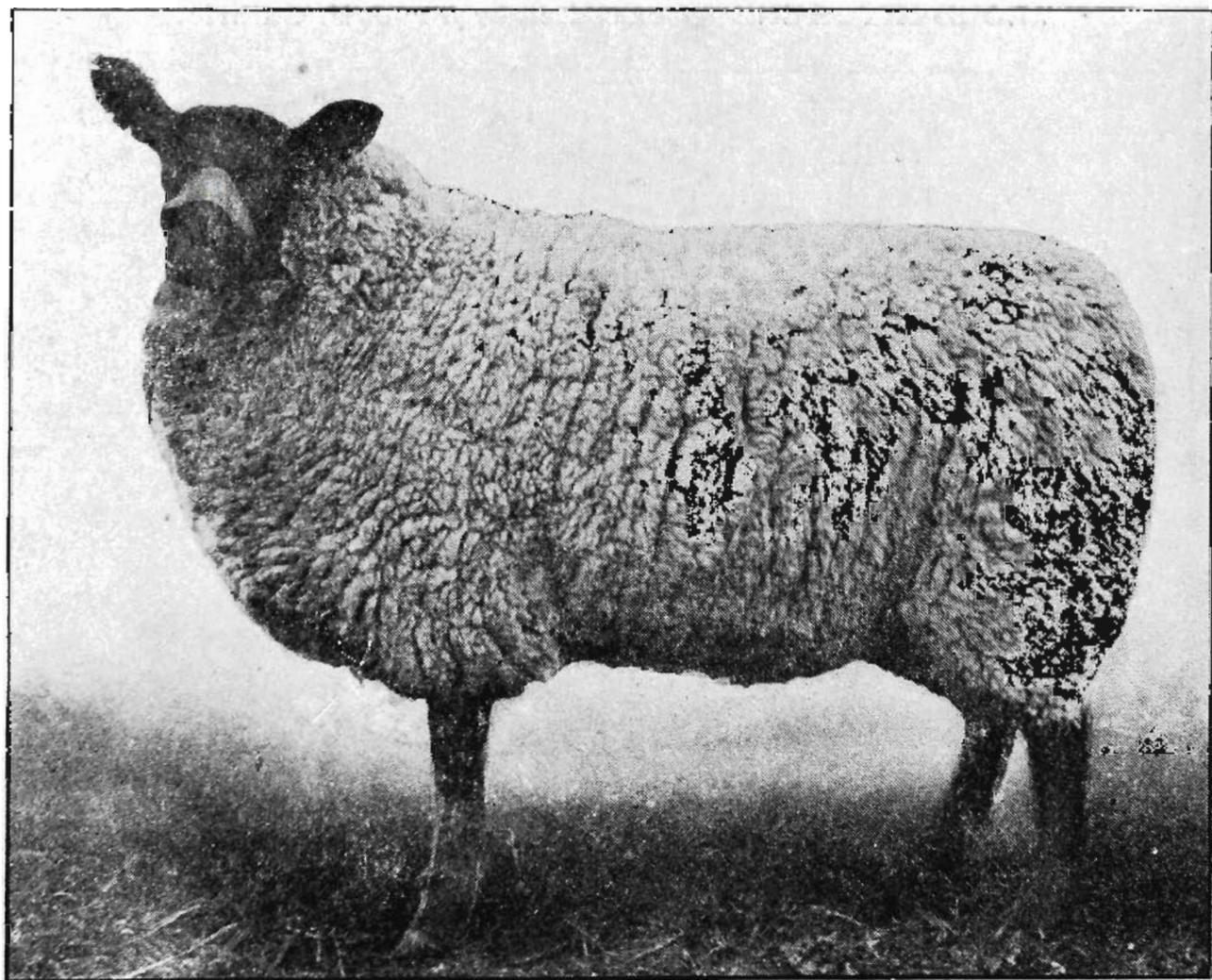
**Champion Corriedale Ram, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"LORD KITCHENER," exhibited by Mr. J. F. Guthrie.**



**Champion Corriedale Ewe, "Royal" Show, 1917.
Exhibited by Mr. J. F. Guthrie.**



Champion Suffolk Ram, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"No. 2/15," exhibited by Mr. Fred. Thonemann.

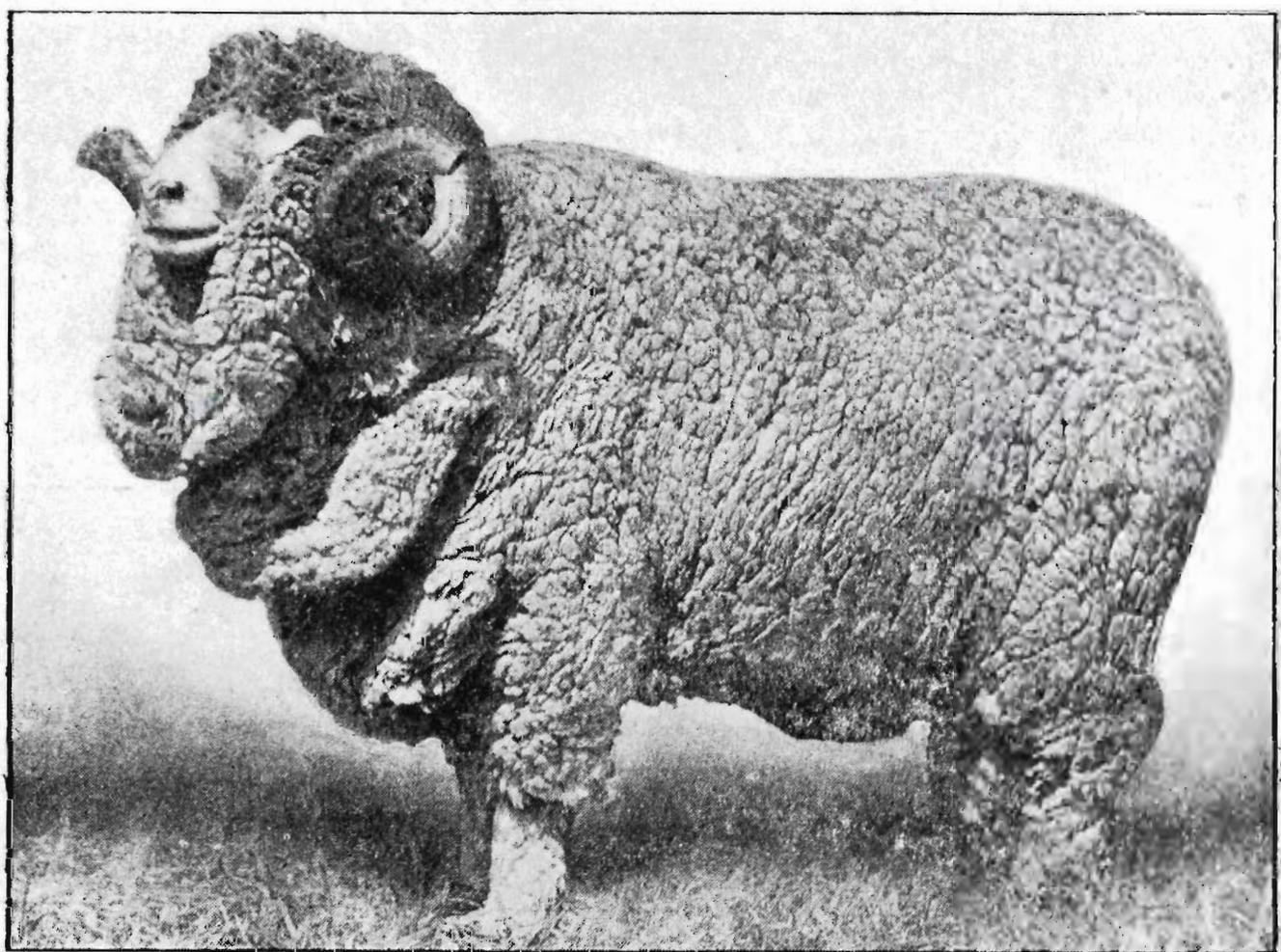


Champion Suffolk Ewe, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"PAUL A1.2," exhibited by Department of Agriculture, Werribee.

FAT SHEEP.

Mr. C. H. Besley, The Olderfleet, Collins-street, Melbourne.

The number of Fats exhibited at the Show must be disappointing to all concerned—in one or more classes there was only one exhibit. In the Fat Lamb Classes there were some extremely prime lambs, the competition being restricted to the black face crosses. The first prize in butchers' and freezing lambs would be hard to beat in any show. The three Shropshire cross wethers



Champion Merino Ram, "Royal" Show, 1917.

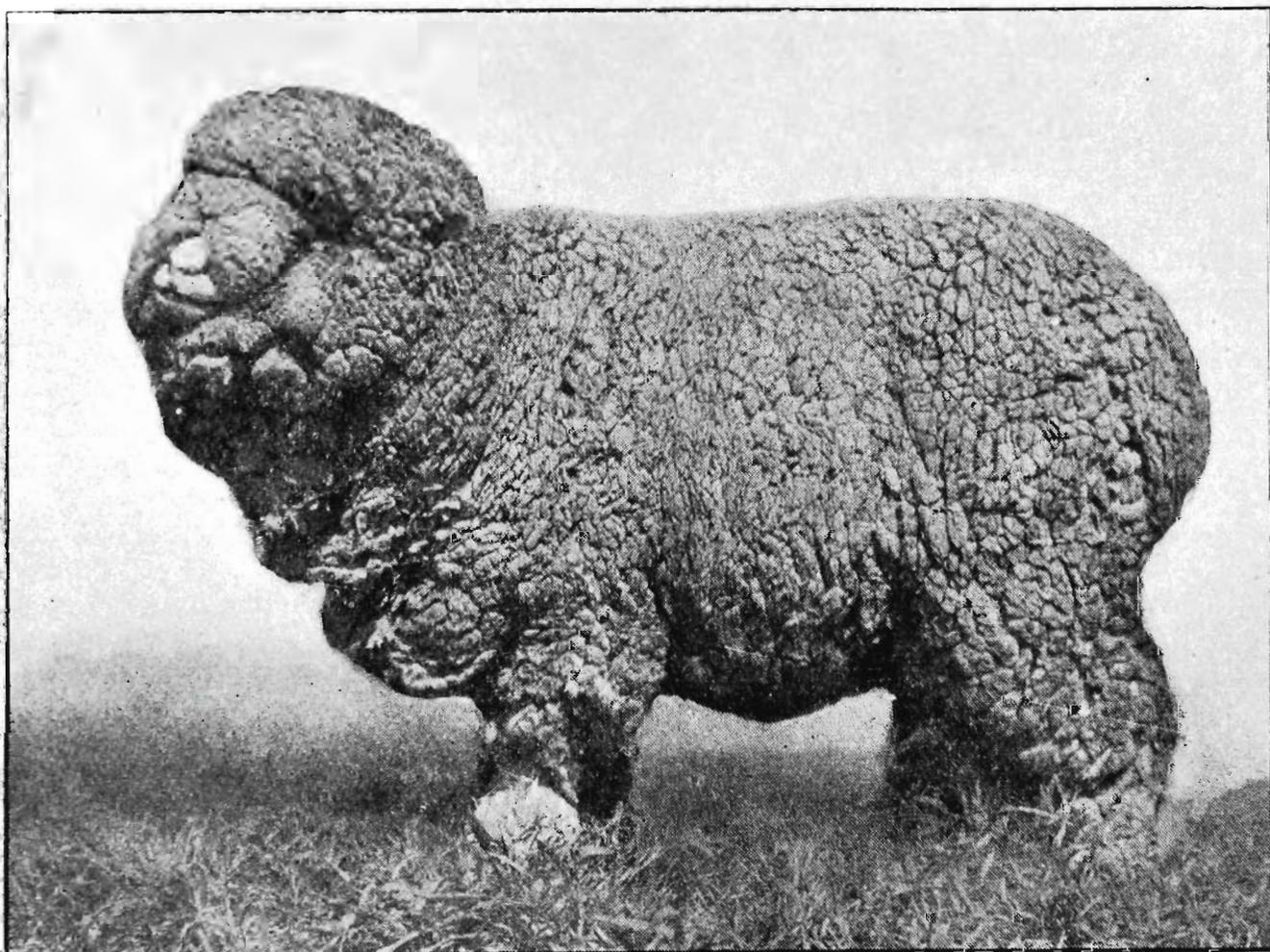
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gaining first awards in the Freezing Class were, in my opinion, perfect. Neither in New Zealand nor in Australia have I ever seen three more perfect sheep. The second prize sheep in this class were very good, but badly matched.

In the Class for 5 Fat Wethers Most Suitable for Export, the first card went to five Dorset Horns. They were a bit coarse, but very prime. The second and third prize winners were too uneven, two of the third prize ones should have been in the second prize pen.

In the Class for 3 Fat Crossbred Wethers for Butchers, the winners came an easy first. They were really three wonderful sheep. The second prize exhibit was also good.

The judges held a meeting before starting judging, and decided not to give reasons for the making of awards. This, to my mind, was wrong. The show of sheep should be for the education of the public, and the judges should give their reasons for the awards. There will always be a variance of opinion on the relative merits of different lots, especially where the difference is very small, and it is fairer to the judge that his



Champion Merino Ewe, "Royal" Show, 1917.

Exhibited by Mr. Robert King.

reasons should be before the people on a typed card over the pen. I opposed the decision of the judges not to comply with the Council's request, and still think that it should be a condition in judging for the instruction of the public.

FLEECES.

Mr. H. Denison, 122 William-street, Melbourne.

I am pleased to report that this exhibit attracted more interest than at any previous Show, there being 35 entries, comprising 70 fleeces. Considering the importance of the wool in-

dustry to Australia, however, I should like to see a much larger entry, and greater interest taken in next year's exhibition.

Many classes were poorly represented, especially in those set apart for the small grower with under 3000 sheep, only one exhibit being received in the class for Merino rams' fleeces, two entries for Merino ewes' fleeces, and one entry for Crossbred ewes' or wethers' fleeces. It is to be hoped these sections will receive much better support next year.

The quality and condition of the fleeces shown were excellent, and in the open Merino classes a better exhibit of choice Victorian Merino wool would be very hard to find.

In the Merino ewes' fleeces section there were five entries, the first prize going to two very bulky fleeces of strong combing quality, showing excellent staple and character and of exceptionally good yield. The weight of these two fleeces was a little over 30 lbs., and the value £2/12/10¾. These were the two most valuable fleeces in the Show, but only beat the total value of the best Merino rams' fleeces by 1¼d.

These two fleeces were of much finer quality, showing splendid character and density, with good length of staple, the total weight being 28 lbs. 9 oz., and the value £2/12/9½. The contest in this section was a very close one, the second prize fleeces working out at £2/12/2, followed by two fleeces valued at £2/11/2¾, and two at £2/4/5¼.

In the Farmers' Merino Class (less than 3000 sheep), only one entry was received, the two fleeces weighing 32 lbs. 3 oz., value £1/16/11.

In the Class for Merino Ewes, there were only two entries—the first prize two fleeces weighing 23 lbs. 6½ oz., value £1/10/4¼. Both the rams' and ewes' fleeces showed very good quality, but had to be heavily skirted for burr, which reduced the value considerably.

In the Crossbred Section, the Lincoln fleeces easily came first, both for heaviest and most valuable fleeces, the first prize in the rams' class going to two fleeces showing splendid length of staple, robust quality, and good lustre, weighing 51 lbs. 3 oz., value £2/6/9.

In the Class for Ewes, 2 fleeces, weighing 40 lbs. 12 oz., value £1/18/7¼, came first, showing good lustre and pure type.

In order of value, two Romney rams' fleeces, weighing 31 lbs. 2 oz., came next at £1/17/9½, big bulky fleeces of medium quality showing plenty of character.

Crossbred Ewe or Wether Fleeces (less than 3000 sheep), two fleeces, weighing 22 lbs. 2 oz., valued at £1/17/3½, secured the first award. These were of comeback type, bright, dense and stylish, and very soft handling.

In the open classes for Crossbred Ewe or Wether, two fleeces, weighing 33 lbs. 1 oz., valued at £1/16/9½, came first. These fleeces had good staple, light condition, and were of medium quality.

The Down Rams' fleeces weighed 24 lbs. 2 oz., and were valued at £1/8/11½. They were medium to fine quality, and of good staple and condition.

The Leicester Ewes' fleeces weighed 21 lbs. 8 oz. They were valued at £1/5/10½, and were of good length and medium quality.

Generally speaking, the Crossbreds were in excellent condition and the fleeces shown were good types of the various breeds, which they represented.

The arrangements for handling the fleeces were excellent, and thanks are due to Mr. E. P. Carter, of Goldsbrough, Mort and Co., and Mr. F. Purnell and Mr. H. Clapson, of the A.M.L. and F. Co. for their valuable assistance in skirting and arranging the exhibits.

I should like to suggest that, next year, especially if there is a larger entry, which I feel confident there will be, that it be arranged to skirt and judge the fleeces the week previous to the Show, and that three judges be appointed to skirt and value. It would be a great convenience also if the fleeces could be opened up and skirted, and placed at once in position where they are to be on view to the public.

Regarding classes, I think it would be very much appreciated if in the open Merino section a separate class was made for Riverina fleeces; this would be a very interesting exhibit, if the leading breeders could be persuaded to send entries.

A very interesting exhibit (non-competitive) could also be made of Crossbred fleeces showing the grading as required under the scheme of Government appraising. If application were made to the Central Wool committee for fleeces to show the proper grading of Crossbred wool I feel sure that they would be willing to lend the wool, and that the various brokers would select and arrange the exhibit. The selection would have to be made, say, from January to March next year.

SWINE.

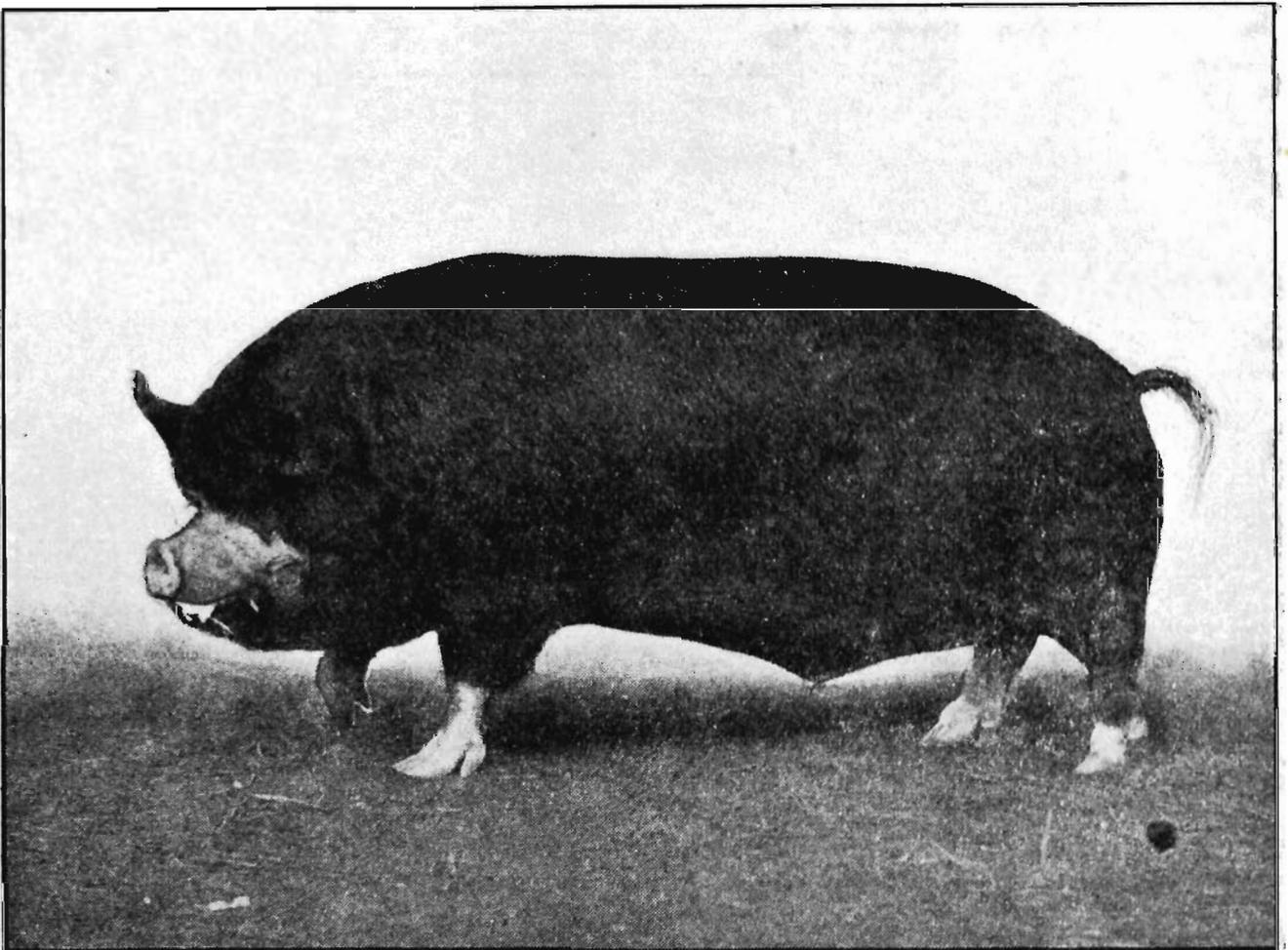
BERKSHIRE, BRITISH LARGE BLACK AND POLAND CHINA PIGS.

Mr. Luke Williams, Moonah, Tasmania.

The entries in the Berkshire Classes totalled 229. The quality throughout was good, notwithstanding the large entries. I noticed a marked improvement in pigs generally in all classes.

In the Class for Boars over 15 months, there were 9 entries. The winner of the first prize and the Championship was "Brigadier," an exceptionally well proportioned boar, well grown, and well marked, a typical Berkshire, though shown slightly over-fat.

The second prize-winner followed closely. The third prize boar was a good bodied pig, but had too much snout. There were other high-class pigs not in show condition, owing probably to stud duties preventing their being brought out at their best.



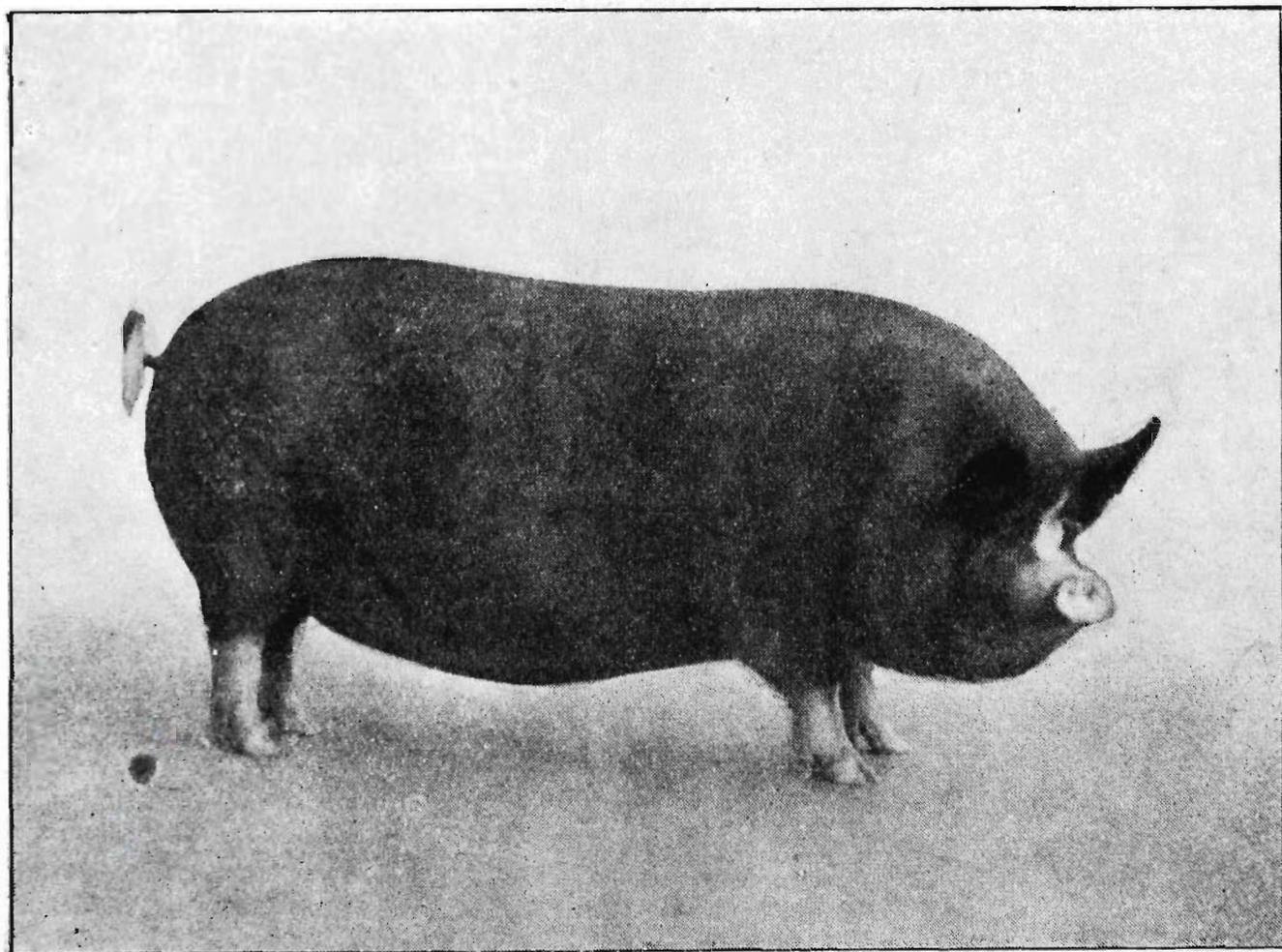
**Champion Berkshire Boar, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"BRIGADIER" (1107), exhibited by Thomas Bros.**

There were 24 entries of Boars 15 to 6 months of age. The first prize and Reserve Championship winner is a well grown high-class boar. The second, third and V.H.C. were good animals, and well brought out.

For Boars under 6 months there was a strong class of 64 entries containing many superior pigs. The first prize winner, 4½ months old, was a fine quality animal shown at his best. The second prize exhibit was well developed and of high class, but was hardly in Show condition. With attention, he should be heard of in future. The winner of the third prize was well proportioned, but lacked condition. There were other fine pigs,

but some were unfortunate enough to cough badly while I was examining them, and I passed them in consequence.

Nine sows with litters were shown. They were a good lot of sows, the litters varied in numbers and quality. The first prize was a good lot of 13. The second and third well deserved their prizes. Litters are allowed up to 10 weeks of age. Many sows wean their young at eight weeks, thus great care is required in deciding in this class, so as not to do an injustice to a genuine entry. The winning litter was 8 weeks 4 days old, and it was 3 hours before I had proof of their suckling, but I was pleased to know that the delay in judging them proved the genuineness of the exhibit.



**Champion Berkshire Sow, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"PENDENNIS AGNES" (1418), exhibited by Messrs. Thomas Bros.**

There were 15 Sows over 15 months. The first and Champion was exceptionally good all round, and a typical sow to breed from, having 12 teats. The second prize went to a choice sow with 14 teats, but being over 4 years old, she was past her prime. The third prize sow was a beautifully built animal, but had only ten teats. Many breeders argue that 10 is enough in any litter. That may be, but sows with 12 and 14 teats will produce 10 and 12 young ones, while a 10 teated sow is apt to have only 6 or 8.

There were 45 entries in the Class for Sows 15 months to 6 months. The first and Reserve Champion is a typical Berkshire of great promise. The second, third, and commended were very fine exhibits.

Sixty-three Sows under 6 months were penned. The prize winners were superior pigs of great merit. The difference of one to two months in the ages placed many of the younger sows at a disadvantage.

BRITISH LARGE BLACK.

One typical sow of mature growth and well proportioned well deserved first prize, although she was the only entry in this class.

POLAND CHINA.

Two sows, fairly well proportioned in the bodies (the first one much the better) were shown. Their heads and ears were not typical of the breed, being more inclined to the British Large Black type.

YORKSHIRES AND TAMWORTHS.

Mr. D. Stewart, Trafalgar.

I found the Yorkshires, on the whole, a really good section, but not quite up to the all round quality of 1914, when I judged previously. In the aged boars the winner stood out in his class, also winning the Championship easily. The second prize boar was a good all round pig.

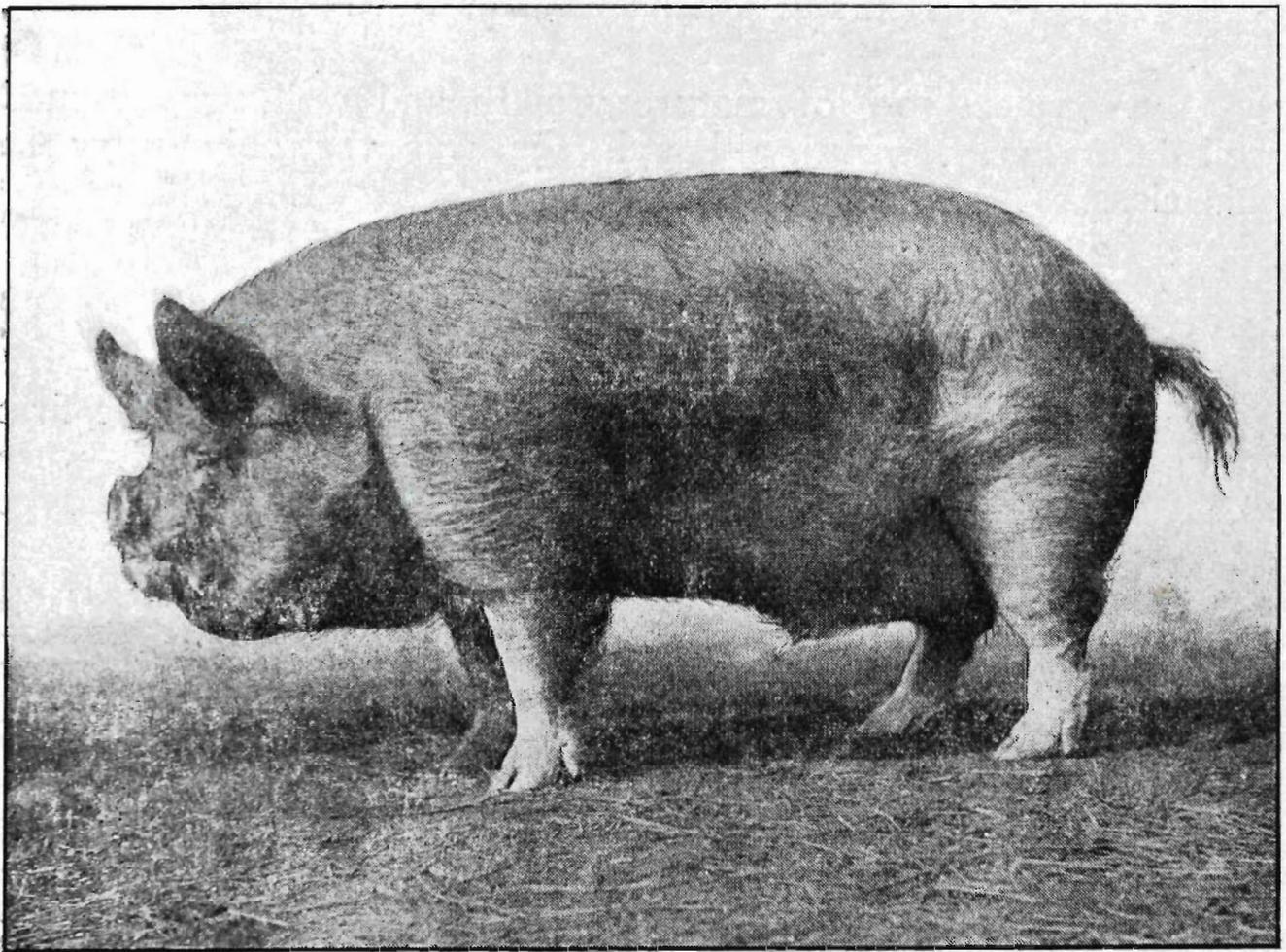
The boars under 15 months was a good class. The first prize pig won easily, but there was not much dividing second and third. In the class for six months' boars, the winner was a good pig, but the second and third were only fair. This class tailed off considerably.

The sows and litters were not up to the usual standard. The winning litter was an exception, being well got up, age right, and altogether a fine lot; the sow herself failed a little, but the litter carried her through. The second prize sow was a first-class pig, but the litter was disappointing.

The entry in the aged sow class was small, the winner was a fair pig, but there were none of any special merit.

The winner in the class for 15 months' sows I consider one of the best that has come under my notice. She won easily in the class, and also stood out for the Championship. This was a large class, with a number of good pigs.

The six months' sows was a very big class, rather difficult to judge on account of the number in the pens. The **winner** is the making of a fine sow, and won easily. There was not

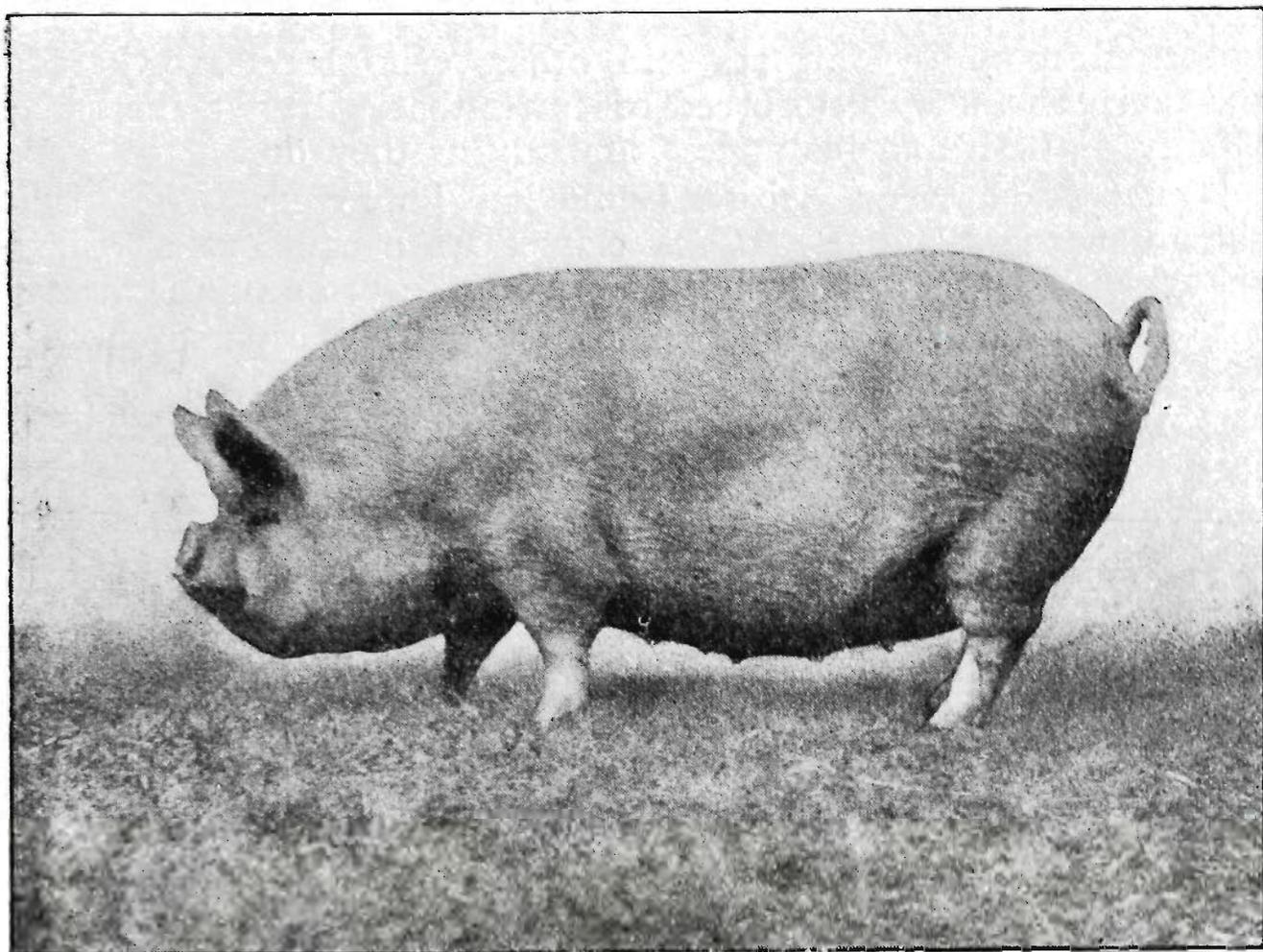


Champion Yorkshire Boar, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"COMMANDER" (639), exhibited by Mr. G. H. Smith.

much dividing a number of others, but the quality fell away considerably at the end.

Tamworths, with one exception, that of the aged boar, were a poor lot. This class does not increase in numbers, despite what we hear about their quality as baconers.

In the Large Yorkshires, there was not much between the first and second prize-takers, both being nice sows. They, like the Tamworths, do not go ahead, being outclassed by the Middle York in popular favour.



**Champion Yorkshire Sow, "Royal" Show, 1917.
"BOOKIE GLEE" (895), exhibited by Dookie Agricultural College.**

POULTRY.

MALAYS, GAME AND BANTAMS.

Mr. C. W. Dickens, Latrobe Terrace, Geelong West.

The Malays were more numerous than I have seen them for some time, and the quality has improved greatly on that of recent years. Amongst the exhibits this year there were some high-class birds.

The Indian Game exhibits were not nearly so good as have been shown, although the winning cock and hen were two good birds, the cock being a very massive bird, standing well on his legs, having also a good body and head, while the hen was also a nice bird, well laced and showing plenty of size and good bone. The young birds were a poor lot, excepting the winning pullet, that stood well out from all the others.

The Old English Game classes made a fine display, and the winning birds were real beauties, very solid in body, and splendid in carriage and feather. I am surprised that they are

not used more by farmers and others who breed fowls for the table, as there is no breed of fowls that will give the same quality of flesh and plumpness of body as they do.

The Modern or British Game has improved. The birds shown in the Black Red Cock classes were equal to anything shown a few years ago when they were the pride of the fancy.

The Bantams were a good lot, especially the game classes. The Black red cock was a beauty, showing plenty of reach, good long head, and well set tail. In the "Any Other Variety" classes there were some splendidly laced seebrights shown; also some very good silkies. In fact, as a Bantam class, I have rarely seen better birds.

OTHER VARIETIES OF POULTRY.

Mr. P. Briggs, Chesterville-road, Moorabbin.

Of the many breeds I had the honour of judging the Barred Plymouth Rock stood out as of exceptional quality, the winning cock being about faultless. The hen, cockerel and pullet were somewhat deficient in size, but made up for this by good type, colour and markings.

The White Rocks were very few in number, but of good quality.

Silver Dorkings made a fine entry, the competition being very close, the winners scoring principally on type. I would remind breeders to keep in view the necessity of having length and depth of body. Houdans were in strong force, and created great interest amongst the visitors; it is a fine table variety, and always attractive.

Favorelles and Langshans were few, but good. Both breeds are ideal table varieties, and deserve better support.

Hamburgs, both in Black, Silver-Spangled and Golden Pencilled, made a capital display, and the winners well deserved their positions.

In any other variety, a good pair of Golden Polish, and another of Silkies, made up, amongst others, a very interesting class.

The farmers' classes included many high-class birds, which provided a good opportunity to buyers of choice stock for a moderate outlay.

In conclusion, I would strongly recommend every effort being made to provide against the pens being in double tiers, as it is quite impossible for judges to do full justice to the exhibits under such conditions.

TURKEYS, GEESE, AND DUCKS.

Mr. J. W. Pickstock, 313 Albion-street, Brunswick.

As I took a preliminary view of the work I had to do, I was first struck by the numbers I had to judge; secondly, by the splendid arrangements that had been made.

The numbers far exceeded any other show of the season, and notwithstanding the lateness of the season, quality was the most noticeable feature. Throughout there was keen competition, and it was hard to part many of the exhibits, especially in the Muscovy and Rouen Ducks. In Aylesburys the winner was a splendid specimen of a drake, typical head and beak, fine keel, and evenly balanced.

The winners in the young classes were really good birds, having good length and depth.

The Rouen ducks were of great size, having fine keel, good colour and plumage. The winning drake was also a fine bird, but weak in keel.

The class for Pekins was a good one, both in numbers and quality. The winner in the old class was a fine drake, of great size, good type and carriage. This bird also won the Blue Ribbon, for the best duck in the show.

The winner in the Old Duck Class was a fine bird, with a beautiful penguin carriage and fine colour.

Buffs were not numerous. The winners in both classes were very good birds, and in splendid condition, but were faulty in wings, showing white flights.

There were fine entries in the Muscovy classes, and there was some trouble in judging them. In drakes, there was not much between first and second. The feathers of these birds were faultless. The same applied to the ducks. The Runners provided a fine class, and there were some typical birds shown, especially the winning drake. He was the best I have seen for many years. He had a beautiful penguin carriage, good head and beak, fine in neck, and fine feather markings. The winning duck was good in feathers, but faulty in carriage. The winning White Runners were typical birds. My advice to our boys who have returned from the front and have a fancy for poultry is to try the Runners. If properly managed they will more than pay their way. They are the best layers of all poultry, are hardy, and less liable to disease of any kind, and cost very little to house.

Turkeys were not numerous, but size and quality was well represented. Two fine Bronzewings were shown that would be

hard to beat for size and feathers. Their beautiful colours were beyond description.

The geese classes were small in numbers.

In the Farmers' Trio Classes, ducks were fairly represented as to numbers, but the exhibits were only of medium quality.

FANCY PIGEONS.

Mr. W. G. Anderson, 3 Vickery-street, East Melbourne.

All the birds were well staged, and properly looked after. The quality right through the classes was better than ever before.

My duties as judge were made lighter by reason of the fact that I had a capable and methodical steward.

NON-SPORTING DOGS.

Mr. D. Y. Rennie, Australian Buildings, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.

Only one Newfoundland Dog was benched. He was of fair quality, and size, but faulty in colour of markings.

Two good St. Bernard Dogs were shown, of very equal quality. The winner scored in head and character; the other dog having the better body and tail carriage.

The winning Great Dane Dog is a fair black, beating the second, a Black and White, in head qualities; but the winning Bitch was the best Great Dane in the Show—a typical Black and White, of great size and character. One of the best Great Danes I have handled in Australia.

The Bulldogs were large classes, and a good level lot. The Champion Dog is well known, a dark brindle, full of bulldog character. His chief defect is a slight lack of width in his preface. The second dog might have won on head points, but was beaten in body and character. Several other good bulldogs were close up to the winners.

In Bitches, the winner scored easily, being superior all through, and full of character.

Collies were also large classes of good quality dogs. In the class for Dogs, the Champion stood out, having a nice length of head, with good ears, eyes and expression; but there was keen competition amongst three or four dogs for second honours.

Among the Bitches, the winner came from the same kennels, but only just scored over a good level class. She has a nicely chiselled head, with well filled-in foreface, and was in good condition and coat.

Kelpies and Cattle Dogs were numerous, but a very mixed lot indeed in size, type and colour.

In the classes for Dachshunds, only one Dog and one Bitch were shown, both typical black and tan specimens.

A good number of White Toy Poodles were shown of fair quality. The winning Dog was a small, short backed Dog, with a good coat and colour. The Champion Bitch was also a typical specimen, but only just scored from several others in the class.

Pomeranians were large classes, the winning Dog being a particularly good sable in good coat and a nice size.

In Bitches, a good short-backed Black Bitch scored over the coloured ones, and won well.

In the classes for Chocolate or Brown Pomeranians, two dogs were entered that hardly conformed to the colour standard, being really sable, and should have been entered in the classes for "any other colour."

Only one Pug of each sex was entered, both black. The Dog was a particularly good one, although showing signs of age. He was exceptionally good in head qualities.

Altogether the non-sporting dogs were a good lot, comprising the best of the various breeds in Victoria.

The judging rings were a big improvement, and I must thank an excellent steward for his services and assistance.

SPORTING DOGS. 1917 *

Mr. Robert Dodds, 605 Armstrong-street, Ballarat.

The Deerhounds were good specimens.

The Borzois were few in number. The winning Dog and Bitch were both typical of the breed.

The Greyhounds were also few in number. The winning Dog was a good greyhound, and well shown. The winning Bitch was light in bone, but otherwise a fair specimen.

Pointers made a good class. The winning Dog, which was nicely balanced and well shown, won easily. The second dog was showing his age.

The Champion Bitch has a nice, clean neck and shoulders, also good bone, legs and feet. The second prize Bitch was too fat.

English Setters made two good classes. The winning Dog and Bitch were both good, and well shown.

The Gordon Setters were few in number, but well shown, and of good quality.

The Irish Setters made three good classes. The winning Dog had plenty of liberty. The second dog was rather on the cobby side.

Two nice Irish Setter Puppies were shown; both were well grown, and of good colour.

Retrievers were few in number, but of good quality.

The only Field Spaniel exhibited was a poor specimen, unworthy of any award.

Cocker Spaniels made good classes. The winning Dog and Bitch both stood out on type.

TERRIERS.

Mr. P. W. Stokes, 414 Dryburgh-street, North Melbourne.

The Terrier Classes were all very well filled, and some good specimens were benched. The winner in the Smooth Fox Terrier Dog Class was a very nice-sized terrier, with good legs, feet and bone, a little bossy in shoulder, and inclined to fly his ears, but with plenty of character, and nice body and carriage. He would be better if he were flatter over the eye; his eyes, which are light now, look prominent. In Smooth Bitches, the winner was a good typical specimen, good depth of brisket, nice front, good legs and feet, nice eye, a little thick in skull, and a shade long in body, otherwise very nice. She was the best terrier in the Show.

The winning Irish Terrier Dog had a good front and straight legs, but bad feet. He wins in coat, and has nice sloping shoulders. He is good in character, but shows signs of age.

A nicely balanced bitch won in the Female Class. She is one of those good all-round sorts, nice expression, grand front, neck and sloping shoulders, good bone, legs and feet. She was also put down in tip-top show condition.

Airedale Terriers were not up to the quality exhibited at metropolitan shows generally, but the winning exhibit stood out from the rest. The winning Bull Terrier Dog is a real good-boned one, nice body, front, legs and feet, and was very muscular, a little too square in the muzzle, and showing too much lip. The winning Bitch is of the right type, good head, eye, nice muzzle, good bone and front.

Australian Terriers, with one or two exceptions, are going off in quality. The majority benched were lacking in type and colour. The winning Dog has a smart head, good length of body, legs not as straight as one would like; coat was blue and

tan, but very soft, and shown in nice condition. In Bitches, the winner was of the right type, fair head, best coated and colour.

In the Sandy Bitch Class, the winner is a nice typical sandy, with good, hard coat and colour, fair head, good body, legs and feet; the best I have seen for some years.

In the other sections of Terriers, there were no outstanding specimens to note.

PRODUCE.

MAIZE.

Mr. H. James, Orbost.

Maize exhibits of shelled grain were small, but good. The first prize Yellow Dent Maize was clean, well matured, and in good condition. It was a good type of maize, with well-developed germ.

The first prize Flint Maize was also clean, sound, well matured, and, on the whole, a good sample of maize.

The exhibits of Cobs were not very good. The first prize exhibit included a few good cobs, but others were apparently selected haphazard, without regard to necessity for keeping to a distinct type.

In selecting cobs, they should be as near cylindrical in shape as possible, tapering very little from butt to tip. Grain should be well and closely packed in cobs, which should be well filled at tips and butts. The condition of grain in the first prize exhibit was good on the whole, being mostly well matured.

After the judging was finished, some exhibits arrived, but could not be dealt with. These were good, very much better than any of the prize-takers.

FARM PRODUCE, EXCEPT CEREALS AND POTATOES.

Mr. James George, Ascot Vale.

No doubt through bad weather in the hay-making last season, the Chaff was not up to the usual standard. There was ample room for improvement in Lucerne Chaff, where only two exhibits were staged. The inducements offered in the Hay Classes were encouraging, but good hay has been scarce this season, owing, I think, to the mice plague and bad weather at the

harvest-time. This probably accounts for so few exhibits being displayed.

These classes should bring forward more competition, for the amounts offered in prizes are exceedingly liberal.

The exhibits of Root Crops were deserving of great credit, the vegetables being particularly good.

POTATOES.

Mr. W. H. Maine, 452 Flinders Street, Melbourne.

I am pleased to say that there was a marked increase in the number of exhibits and a gratifying improvement all round in the potatoes shown this year. Some classes were particularly large. There were very many Carmen exhibits, and the samples were so uniformly good that it was difficult to make an award. In the Mixed Classes there was also a noticeable improvement, some of the red skins, in particular, being about as good a sample as has been seen for years. Altogether, this section made a very creditable display, as it certainly should, in view of the fact that Victoria is the chief producing State for potatoes.

However, there is still room for improvement, a number of the districts which should have shown potatoes did not make a single entry. I have taken a note of these, and before the Show comes on next year I will endeavour to stir up some of the growers to send samples forward, and get them, if possible, to take more interest in the Show.

As Victoria depends largely upon the export trade, it would perhaps be worth considering as to whether a special prize might not be offered for the best sample bag of potatoes suitable for export. This would tend to educate growers as to the class and size most suitable.

FRUITS, PICKLES, SAUCES, VEGETABLES, AND ROOTS.

Mr. J. Millburn, "Toora," Keilor.

On entering the Agricultural Hall the first sight that meets one's eye is the collection of exhibits from the Bacchus Marsh and Whittlesea Societies. Forgetting that cool stores are in existence, one would ask himself the question, "What's the month of the year? It cannot surely be the last week in September. It must be March or April!" The very high standard of the fresh fruits exhibited gave the impression that the exhibits were picked from the trees the day before arriving at the

Show-grounds. The varieties exhibited by Bacchus Marsh and Whittlesea Societies have never been seen to better advantage at any previous Show. The size, colour, and quality gave a striking effect of brilliancy. The bottled fruits were excellent, and made a great display. I would advise beginners to get in touch with the ladies of these Societies if they desire to learn thoroughly the art of preserving fruit in such a highly creditable manner. Dried Fruits, although not largely exhibited, were of fine quality and appearance. Honey was well represented, and of fine quality. Pickles and Sauces made a good display, and were of the best type. The Vegetables right through were the best ever exhibited, especially the Potatoes. These, both in quality and quantity, were of great merit.

GRAINS, FODDER, AND POTATOES.

(State School Section).

Mr. J. H. Refshange, Agricultural High School, Ballarat.

Fewer exhibits were shown in the Grain Classes than in previous years; but in all cases they were up to the standard of excellence attained to by exhibitors in the past. The neglect shown by exhibitors in giving the information on the cards attached to the exhibits still prevailed.

In all cases, the exhibits of Fodder were well prepared, and well set up; but whether due to the season or not, they were not on the whole as well grown. More particularly does this remark apply to Maize and Millets.

In the section for Potatoes, there was a falling off both in the number of exhibits and in their quality. I found in several cases exhibits were incorrectly named.

FORAGE AND ROOT CROPS, GRASSES, CLOVERS, HONEY, AND FLAX.

(State School Section).

Mr. J. P. McLennan, School of Horticulture, Burnley.

There were few entries in the classes for Forage and Roots, and no really good specimens were shown. Some were of fair quality, considering that they were raised by school children.

There were some excellent collections of Grasses, Clovers, and Lucernes. Useful imported and indigenous Grasses were included, and the notes attached were educative.

Only one entry of Honey was on view.

Of the four or five entries of Flax, two were very good; the various stages in the growth and the treatment of Flax were well shown.

Explanatory notes on the treatment of the crops, etc., should be attached to every exhibit.

Although the total number of entries was small on account of the uncertainty concerning the inclusion of the section and of the activity of the teachers and pupils in raising funds for patriotic purposes, this section is well worth retaining in the schedule, as it ought to serve to encourage the schools to continue the good work in the Agricultural Plots.

CHEESE.

Mr. P. H. Suter, Department of Agriculture, Adelaide,
South Australia.

The Cheese exhibits were well staged, and all presented a nice, neat and attractive appearance. The Export Class, taken collectively, certainly proved that an ideal article can be manufactured for oversea markets. One or two exhibits were of weak body, which, on being cut up for sale, has the disadvantage of drying up quickly.

A considerable quantity of the Cheese (taking all classes into consideration) went to show that the greatest defect was open body; this was regrettable, as every cheese-maker knows that this defect can be avoided by bringing more skill and better judgment to bear on the manufacture.

This openness to such an extent, which constitutes a fault in finest cheese, is due to lack of sufficient development of acidity in the curd to secure a nice mellowness and plasticity before going to press, and to some extent faulty pressing.

It is, of course, well known that some curds will not make close cheese under ample pressure. I am of opinion that the trouble often arises from mistaking the flakiness and softness (due to a little extra moisture, or an unusually high temperature) for a sign of proper maturity.

Flakiness, or that condition of the curd, when it can be separated into layers, is more or less a mechanical result, arising from the flattening out of the curd, owing to the tendency to spread, when piling of the curd obtains, a tendency which is in-

creased by extra moisture or heat. The maintaining of a high temperature for too long, and mistaking the resulting softness for proper mellowness, will make a cheese, which is open, rather inclined to be corky, and loose.

The first prize exhibit in the Export Class possessed a nice, close body, with a smooth texture, even in colour and clean flavour, good rinds, clean surface, and also presented a workmanlike finish.

In the class for Cheese not over 4 months, too great a percentage was not of clean flavour, pointing to defective milk supply.

Other exhibits were flat in flavour, due to insufficient acidity or off starters; the colour, with few exceptions, was good.

In the class for Cheese over 6 months old, the flavour in most of the exhibits was clean and good, and the texture was firm and mellowy, with nice, silky body. Two of the exhibits were very faulty in colour, and loose in texture.

The first and second prize Cheese, in the various classes, was of good flavour, texture and finish, and the greatest defects found in the other cheese generally may be set down as—texture, open; body, weak, pasty, corky; colour, cloudy and mottled.

BUTTER.

Mr. P. J. Carroll, 605 Flinders-street, Melbourne.

It was a pleasure to officiate as judge in the Butter Section. The facilities provided in the new building were satisfactory, with one exception; this was the close proximity of the fruit and vegetable exhibits. The odours arising from those exhibits would have a tendency to nullify the natural aroma of the butter, and thus render the judging more difficult. I did not, however, suffer any inconvenience, but would suggest that, if it were practicable, the judging might be done on the Monday preceding the Show, or early on the Tuesday morning, before the exhibits of vegetables were staged. It is suggested also that the Cheese and Butter exhibits should be separated by a partition.

The entries of Factory Butter showed a very substantial increase in numbers, though there is still room for improvement in this respect. The quality of the Export Class was well up to the standard of previous years. Some factory managers,

however, still fail to appreciate the importance of correct manufacture and get-up of their butter, and, as a consequence, lose points under those headings.

The Print and Fresh Powdered Classes were very irregular in quality, and many of the makes did not do full justice to the factories they represented. Here, again, strong evidence of carelessness in manufacture was apparent, few of the exhibits being free from manufacturing defects.

Dairy-made Butter was poorly represented, and, with one or two exceptions the quality was inferior.

The following are the details of the points awarded:—

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SECTION 52. DAIRY PRODUCE

CLASS 972.—Salt Butter suitable for export in one box

Exhibit No.	No. of Points			Total	Remarks
	Flav.	Tex.	Con.		
4648	45	30	20	95	Slight mottle
4649	41	30	20	91	Free moisture
4650	43	30	20	93	
4651	41	30	20	91	
4652	41.5	30	20	91.5	Slight mottle
4653	42	30	20	92	
4654	42.5	30	20	92.5	
4655	44	30	19	93	
4656	43	30	19	92	Excess salt, free, moisture, bleached surface
4658	43.5	30	20	93.5	
4659	44	30	19.5	93.5	
4660	44	30	20	94	Poor finish
4661	44.5	30	20	94.5	
4662	44.5	30	20	94.5	
4663	43	30	20	93	
4664	42	30	20	92	

CLASS 973.—Salt Butter. Box of Print or Roll Butter, 25 lbs.

4665	45	30	20	95
4666				
4667	45.5	30	20	95.5
4668	46	30	20	96
4669	38	30	20	88
4670	41	30	20	91
4671				
4672	44	30	20	94

CLASS 974.—Box of 56lbs. in one lump (without private mark.)
Fresh Powdered Butter suitable for local trade.

Exhibit No.	No. of Points				Remarks.
	Flav.	Tex.	Con.	Total.	
4673	42	30	20	92	
4674	43	30	20	93	
4675	42	30	20	92	
4676	41	30	18	89	Mottled, milky
4677	43	30	20	93	
4678					
4679	42	30	19	91	Cloudy, moist
4680					
4681	39	30	20	89	Sour flavour
4682	45.5	30	20	95.5	
4683	41	30	20	91	
4684	39	30	19	88	Mottled like old butter
4685	40	30	20	90	
4686					
4687	45	30	20	95	
4688				96.5	
4689	39	30	19	88	Bad get-up
4690	46.5	30	20	96.5	
4691					
4692	42	29	19	90	Loose body, milky free moisture
4693	39	30	20	89	Foreign flavour and aroma
4694	43	30	19	92	Free moisture

CLASS 975.—Powdered Butter (5lbs.). Powdered with salt as usually sent to market (without print or private mark), one piece or several. Factory made butter is not eligible for competition in this class.

4695	40	30	20	90
4696	44	30	20	94
4697	42	30	20	92
4698	39	30	20	89
4699	39	30	20	89

BACON, HAMS, LARD, AND EGGS.

Mr. Thomas Main, Parklea, via Blacktown, N.S.W.

The bacon, hams, lard, and eggs, though numerically less than three years ago, more than made up the deficiency by the excellent quality of each exhibit, with perhaps the exception of the eggs. These were not up to Show standard. The hams which scored first award were the choicest I have ever been called upon to cut in any show. They showed quality right through. The right class of pig was selected. This is a sure foundation to build upon to procure the article so desired. These hams were perfect in shape; the mixture of fat through the lean, which

denotes good feeding; the colour, firmness, smoking, and flavour were all that could be desired. To obtain this special flavour, the ham must be well matured by age. On the other hand, should a rasher ham be required, it should be milder and newer.

The second prize was a very fine ham, and gave the first man a good run, but lost points in quality of pig and also in flavour and smoking. The third had a great go for second place, and was beaten in smoking, it being too dark. Every little detail counts in point judging. The Novice Class in hams was very creditable—a great improvement on former years, but lacked principally in the get up. What I have said regarding hams applies to the bacon, sides, flitches, and rolls, with the exception that the curer who scored second in hams lost in bacon and rolls, principally on account of his exhibits being too fat. It is well that curers should remember that they cannot win in hams and bacon with the same class of pig. In judging this section, one has always to remember which exhibit is of the most commercial value. The lard exhibits were good in some cases, especially the first and second prize-winners; the latter was only beaten on colour.

In conclusion, I must congratulate the Victorian pig-breeders on the class of pig they turn out, and also the bacon curer on the finished article. I have handled meat from the best curers of England, Ireland, and Denmark, and consider that the exhibits at the last Melbourne Show would be hard to beat in any part of the globe.

WINES.

Messrs. W. W. Senior, c/o Matthew Lang and Co., 57 Market-street, Melbourne; C. Cole, Geringhap-street, Geelong; and W. E. Lillie, c/o Curcier, Adet and Co., William-street, Melbourne.

No fault can be found with the support given by the trade to this section, and viewed as a whole, it may be said that the high standard expected here was well maintained.

There was nothing of outstanding merit among the 1917 wines. The average quality, however, was good, and some exhibits from Geelong district were particularly pleasing, notably a Cabernet Sauvignon, which was awarded the first place in its class.

The classes for matured wines attracted good entries, and no better opportunity is to be found by which those interested can see a collection so representative of the best that is produced in

Australia. The comment on the old bottled wines made last year may be repeated. While very many neat wines were presented, there was a noticeable absence of anything showing the development of the bottled character which a few years ago was such a feature in this class. Some excellent wines of the Port and Sherry types were submitted, especially the Sherry. Criticising this generally admirable class, fault may be found with the extreme dryness of all the exhibits. If the makers would study the Spanish wines, they would find that no matter how dry they may be, there is always a mellowness and round character which is very pleasing.

There were no Sparkling Wines shown this year, and the Brandy Class had but two entries.

There was submitted for the judges' opinion an admirable collection of wines made at the Rutherglen Viticulture College from new varieties of vines introduced by Mr. F. de Castella, the Government viticulturist. The collection as a whole was tested with considerable interest, the most noticeable features being a great variety of distinct types, a cleanness or freedom from earthy taste, and a lightness or freshness which makes it most probable that the introduction of several of these new varieties, each, of course, in its proper place, would lead to distinct improvement in the quality and class of many of the types of wine we now produce.

HORTICULTURE.

Mr. G. Cooper, Alexandra Gardens, Melbourne.

In response to your request for a brief report in connection with my judging of Pot Plants at the recent Show, I have the honour to state that the competition in that section, although small and largely confined to one exhibitor, was highly satisfactory. The plants, on the whole, were on the small side, but were well grown and healthy.

I was particularly impressed by the show of Orchids, Palms, and Aspidistras. The last-named were particularly good. "Window Box" was also an excellent exhibit, while that of three Palms and Cycads was also most attractive. To each of these displays I awarded first prize. The exhibit of Rhododendrons and Azaleas was such that I did not feel justified in awarding anything higher than second prize, inasmuch as the plants were young and small, although I must state they were nicely flowered, considering their age and size.

APICULTURE.

Mr. Thomas Bolton, Hamilton.

The scarcity of Honey entries was partly due to the heavy losses in the business owing to the Rutherglen fly during the last two seasons. Another reason is that many of the younger men are now "engaged" overseas.

The fact that two bona fide country exhibitors figured on the prize list this year will perhaps tend to increase the interest in this section at future Shows.

WOMEN'S INDUSTRIES.

PLAIN AND FANCY NEEDLE WORK.

Mrs. Harvey Smith, Woodside, Upper Beaconsfield.

Taking the exhibits in this section as a whole, there was a great improvement all round. The work was carried out with the greatest of accuracy, and was of a much higher standard than at previous Shows. Beautiful work was shown in the collection of Plain and Fancy Needlework.

I was pleased to see so many entries in designs for Needlework. Just now, when we find it so difficult to secure designs from abroad, this particular industry ought to be encouraged. In nearly every class, I found more entries, especially in practical articles, such as Blouses and Trousseau Sets. These were of specially high standard, and the awarding of prizes was most difficult. Ladies' sets of Underclothing were carried out most faithfully in style and workmanship. Millinery showed much improvement on that of previous years. The classes for Buttonholes on Linen and Tweed were very well filled, and good work was shown. I am rather surprised to see year after year such a poor response in the class for Infants' Outfit. There is so much scope here, and I know what lovely work some women do. Why they do not avail themselves of this competition I

cannot understand. There was almost a total absence of Lace. I should say the average woman finds this takes too much time when one is so busy making comforts for the soldiers.

The Crochet Afternoon Tea Cloths were of specially high quality, and some beautiful designs were shown.

D'Oyleys, Crochet, Embroidery, Pen Painting, and Lace were all carried out most daintily. Here one felt that more than one exhibitor deserved a first prize.

Some beautiful Mount Mellick Work was shown in Bedspreads and Table Covers.

I was sorry to see such a falling off in the competition for One Woman's Work, there being only one exhibit this year. This exhibitor deserved high praise, and it was a pity she had no competition.

I must not forget to mention the great improvement in the work of Embroidered Handkerchiefs and Initials on Handkerchiefs. Not only were these classes better filled, but the work of some was excellent.

ARTS.

Mrs. Theo. Anderson, Temple Court, Collins-street, Melbourne.

I noticed a vast improvement in the Art Work. I think that the raising of the prize-money has had a great deal to do with it. It is now getting noised abroad that there is such a thing as an Art Section at the Show, and I anticipate greater support next year. I was sorry to see no Water Colours exhibited. The Wood Carving was exceedingly good.

RED CROSS DIVISION.

Mrs. D. A. Skene, 58 Caroline-street, South Yarra.

The work in the Sets of Soldiers' Underclothing was excellent, but the same fault was noticeable in all the day shirts, which were not cut according to the directions in the Red Cross Booklet. These require a sloping shoulder, with a yoke. All the shirts put in for competition were cut without a seam on the shoulder, and

quite straight. I should like more attention paid to the conditions.

Tussore Shirts were all good samples, but one collar was too straight.

Amongst the Flannel Shirts, very good work was shown, but all had the faulty shaping.

The Tussore Undershirts were good.

Both exhibits in the class for Flannel Undershirts were good, but on the second prize shirt all the seams were on the wrong side.

The Flannel Underpants showed excellent work, and better shaping was noticeable in this section.

In the class for Flannel Pyjamas, the first prize garment had very good needlework, but the shape was not according to the Red Cross pattern. The second prize shape was correct, but the sewing not so good.

Only one Cholera Belt was exhibited, but this was a very good sample.

One each of Coloured Pyjamas, Leather Waistcoat, and Knitted Sweater were shown. All three were very good samples.

The first and second prize Helmets, made from scraps of flannel, showed great ingenuity and neatness.

There was very keen competition in Knitted Helmets (Balaclavas), all exhibited being of good quality and shape. The first prize one was of exceptionally good texture, suitable needles and wool making a perfect helmet.

There was a good number of Invalid Caps, all showing good work.

The first prize Muffler complied exactly with regulations, and showed very good work. The second prize exhibit was slightly wide and short. A narrower muffler is desirable, with extra length.

It was a good specimen of durable Hospital Slipper that was entered, and slippers made of scraps were also good.

Bed Socks showed good work, one pair receiving Honorable Mention after the prize-winners had been selected. All socks were very satisfactory, and there were a good number of exhibits. This was a great improvement upon last year's work.

The first prize 4-ply French Heels Sock was a perfect specimen, showing even quality, elastic, yet close, firm knitting. In this class, also, after selecting the first and second prize-winners, the third exhibit was Highly Commended.

There was not much competition in the class for Dutch Heel, but good samples were shown.

Wheeling Wool, French Heels, brought forward 16 competitors, and, with two exceptions, all were good work.

Good work was shown in the class for Wheeling Wool Dutch Heel, but there were few entries.

Knee-caps were all good specimens.

Mittens, with and without thumbs, were a nice even lot, only one or two exhibits being rather too tightly knitted. This tends to make the thumbs too small.

FOODS.

Miss Flora Pell, Miller-street, North Fitzroy.

I have much pleasure in reporting that the exhibits this year compared more than favourably with last year.

In many cases, the number of competitors was greater, and certainly the standard of the Cookery was higher.

The Rich Fruit Cakes were very fine indeed, and stand out as amongst the best items shown.

As regards the Swiss Rolls, weighing not less than 2 lbs., nothing but praise should be meted out to the exhibitors. Every point had to be most carefully noted as to texture and porosity, as well as even to the shade of colour in picking out the prize-takers. The pastry, on the whole, was not so pleasing. Scones, as usual, drew many exhibits. Cheese Straws were very poor indeed.

The collections of Home-made Sweets were real works of art. In some cases, the colouring was too vivid to be dainty or

inviting. It must not be lost sight of that these are exhibits of sweets to eat, and which should be tempting in colour as well as being of good flavour.

The prize exhibit in the Collection of Preserved Fruits was the finest I have ever judged in competition—presentation, colour, choice of fruit, strength of syrup, and flavour were excellent.

In some of the exhibits of Jellies, the colour and clearness were all that could be desired, but when tasted the flavour was most disappointing.

The arrangements in the new building giving increased space and splendid glass cases for the food stuffs was a vast improvement. The exhibits could be inspected more readily, and I am sure, apart from the hygienic side of the question, the public could more easily view the exhibits, and the prize-tickets were not so liable to be misplaced by getting knocked off.