

CARSPHAIRN.

The fifth annual show for cattle , sheep, dogs &c., was held at Carsphairn on Friday, the 4th. inst., and turned out a great success. The number of entries this year in all classes considerably exceeded that of any previous exhibition, and the specimens shown would ,as a general rule, have done credit to competitions of a much more pretentious character. The day proved very favourable, and there was a large turn-out of visitors.

PRIZE LIST.

CATTLE – Best Cow of Ayrshire breed – 1, James Fergusson, Craigengillan; 2, John Hooper, Carsphairn; 3, James Wilson, Castlemaddie.
Best Stirk, Ayrshire breed – 1, Gilbert McMillan, Woodhead, Carsphairn; 2, John McMooran, Marbrack; 3, Gilbert McMillan, Woodhead.
SHEEP – Black-faced – Best tup-any age – 1, Robert Kennedy, Brockloch, Carsphairn; 2, William Kennedy, Woodhead; 3, James Kennedy, Craigengillan, Carsphairn.
Best Pair of two-year-old Tups – 1, Robert Kennedy, Brockloch, Carsphairn; 2 and 3, William Kennedy, Woodhead, Carsphairn.
Tup Hoggs – 1, James Kennedy, Craigengillan, Carsphairn; 2 and 3, Robert Kennedy, Brockloch, Carsphairn.
DOGS – Rough -haired Collies – 1, Thomas Currie, Moniaive; 2, Gilbert McAdam, Corriedow, Dalry; 3, Robert Wilson, Knockeoch, Kells.
Smooth-haired Collies – 1, James Rowan, Brockloch, Carsphairn; 2, Thomas Murray, Holm of Dalquhairn; 3, Archd. Anderson, Auchenshinnoch, Dalry.
POULTRY – Dorkings (Cock and Hen) – 1, and 2, John Matthewson, Dalmellington; 3, William Hannah, Carsphad, Kells.
Scotch Greys (Cock and Hen) – 1, Wm. Campbell, Waterhead, Carsphairn; 2, Robert Hannah, Schoolhouse, Carsphairn.
Hamburhs (Cock and Hen) – 1, William Gerrand, Dalmellington; 2, Janet Stevenson, Dalmellington; 3, James Murray, Darnaw, Carsphairn.
BANTAMS (Cock and Hen) – 1, 2, and 3, William Campbell, Waterhead.
Any Pure Breed (Cock and Hen) – 1, David Sommerville, Garryhorn, Carsphairn; 2, William Hannah, Carsphad; 3, Thomas Hunter, Knowehead, Carsphairn.
CROSSES (Cock and Hen) – 1, Alexander McNaught, Furmiston, Carsphairn; 2, Mary Wilson, Shiel, Carsphairn ; 3, John Hunter, Cross Keys, Carsphairn.
Best Matched Couple Hens – 1, William Hannah, Carsphad; 2, Agnes Hunter, Cross Keys, Carsphairn; 3, Mrs. Wilson, Knochengurroch, Carsphairn.
Best Drake and Duck – 1, James Waugh, Knockgray, Carsphairn; 2, William Haddow, Marbrack, Carsphairn; 3, Agnes McMillan, Woodhead, Carsphairn.
Duck Eggs – 1, Mrs. Roan, Brockloch, Carsphairn; 2, Mrs. Fergusson, Craigengillan, Carsphairn; 3, Susan Fergusson, Craigengillan.
Hen Eggs – 1, Mary McLellan, Garryhorn, Carsphairn; 2, Thomas Little, Brighthouse, Moniaive; 3, Miss Maggie Campbell, Waterhead.
Roll Butter(fresh), not less than 3lbs. – 1, Mrs. Fergusson, Craigengillan, Carsphairn; 2, Mrs. Geo. McMillan , Carsphairn Village; 3, Mrs. Haddow, Marbrack, Carsphairn; 4, Mrs. Rowan, Brockloch,
Carsphairn; 5, Miss Wilson, The Manse, Carsphairn.
Butter most artistically prepared for table – 1, Mrs. Fergusson, Craigengillan, Carsphairn; 2, Miss Agnes McNaught, Brockloch Carsphairn ; 3, Miss Agnes McCulloch, Burnfoot, Carsphairn.
Oat Cakes – 1, Mrs. Fergusson, Knockgray, Carsphairn; 2, Miss Chalmers, Garryhorn, Carsphairn; 3, Mrs. Rowan, Brockloch, Carsphairn.
Soda Scones – 1, Miss B. McWhinnie, Auchenshinnoch, Dalry; 2, Mrs. Fergusson, Knockgray, Carsphairn; 3, Miss Maggie McCall, Lead Mines, Carsphairn.

FLOWERS – Monthly Rose –1, Mrs. Blythe, Carsphairn;2 and3, Miss Annie McMillan, Carsphairn.
Fuschia – 1, John McGhie, Burnfoot, Carsphairn; 2, Mrs. Fergusson, Craigengillan, Carsphairn; 3, James Mair, Carsphairn Village.
Geranium – 1, Miss Mc Murtrie, Salutation, Carsphairn;2, Mrs. McCall, Lead Mines, Carsphairn; 3, Mrs. Hannah, Schoolhouse, Carsphairn.
Calceolaria –1, Miss Mary Anderson, Liggate, Carsphairn; 2, Miss Mary McCulloch, Burnfoot, Carsphairn; 3, Miss Jessie Hannah, Schoolhouse, Carsphairn.
Best Flower ,any variety –1, Miss Agnes McNaught, Brockloch, Carsphairn; 2, Miss Jane C. McMillan, Carsphairn Village; 3, John George Hannah, Schoolhouse, Carsphairn.
Rhubarb –1, J. Hannah, Schoolhouse, Carsphairn;2, Miss Jane Gilchrist , Dalshangan, Carsphairn; 3, Miss McTaggart, Gordonstone, Dalry.
Wild Flowers (bouquet) –1, John George Hannah, Schoolhouse, Carsphairn; 2, Janet Hunter, Carsphairn Village;3, Mary Hunter, Carsphairn Village.
Garden Flowers (bouquet) – 1, Bessie McNaught, New Galloway; 2, John Anderson, Liggate, Carsphairn; 3, Maggie Louisa Hannah, Schoolhouse, Carsphairn.