

## CARSPHAIRN SHOW.1881

The sixth annual competition, open to all -comers, for cattle, sheep, poultry, dogs, dairy and garden produce, &c., was held on the usual show ground on Friday, the 3d inst. The day was fine and pleasant, and there was a very good turn-out of visitors. The entries in the various departments, although not quite up to last year, were on the whole, fully equal to previous years. The judges were as follows: –

For Cattle, Sheep, and Dogs – Messrs Craig, Meiklehill; and Mitchell, Lochengarroch.

Poultry – Mr. McWhirter, Lochengarroch. Dairy Produce – Messrs. McNaught, Dalry; and Heron, Dalmellington. Garden produce and Flowers – Mr. Duff, Kenmure Castle. The following is the

### PRIZE LIST.

CATTLE. – Best Cow of Ayrshire Breed – 1, James Fergusson, Craigengillen; 2, Alex. McLellan, Village, Carsphairn; 3, John Johnston, Do.

STIRKS – For Best Stirk – 1, Gilbert McMillan, Woodhead, Carsphairn; 2, James Rowan, Brockloch, Do; 3, Thomas Anderson, Leggate, Do.

SHEEP – For Best Tup( aged ), Black-faced Breed – 1, John Harper, Furmiston, Carsphairn; 2, Thomas Campbell, Holm, Do; 3, William Kennedy, Craigengillan, Do.

For Best Pair Tups (2 years old) Black-faced Breed – 1, Robert Kennedy, Brockloch, Carsphairn; 2, William Kennedy, Craigengillan, Do.; 3, William Kennedy, Woodhead, Do.

Best Pair Tup Hogs – 1 and 3, Robert Kennedy, Brockloch, Carsphairn; 2 William Walker, Waterhead, Do.

Best Pen of Five Ewe Hogs – 1 and 3, John Harper, Furmiston, Carsphairn; 2, William Sommerville, Garryhorn, Do.

DOGS – Rough Haired Collie( male or female) – 1, Alexander Gibson, Dalmellington; 2, Adam Gourlay, Craigeubay, Do. 3, John McCutcheon, Lamford, Carsphairn.

Smooth Haired Collies ( male or female) – 1, Alexander McKay, Lamloch, Carsphairn; 2, John McKay, Beoch, Straiton; 3, Gilbert Fergusson, Knockgray, Carsphairn.

POULTRY – Scotch Greys ( cock or hen) – 1, William Campbell, Waterhead, Carsphairn; 2, John McClymont, Brochloch, Do.

Hamburgs( cock and hen) – 1, John McAdam, Blaquhairn, Dalry; 2, William Campbell, Waterhead, Carsphairn.

Bantams( cock and hen) – 1, William Shaw, Dalmellington; 2, John Murdoch, Do. 3, William Campbell, Waterhead, Carsphairn.

Any other Pure Breed( cock and hen) – 1, Robert McMorran, Marbruck, Carsphairn; 2, Thomas Hunter, Knowehead, Do; 3, Miss Sommerville, Garryhorn, Do.

Crosses any breed( cock and hen) 1, Agnes McLellan, Village, Carsphairn.

Best Pair of Hens – 1, William Campbell, Waterhead, Carsphairn; 2, Agnes Hunter, Village, Do. 3, William Fergusson, Craigengillan, Do. Highly commended, Maggie Galloway, Do.

Best Drake and Duck – 1, John Waugh, junr., Knockgray, Carsphairn; 2, James Waugh, Do. 3, William Fergusson, Craigengillan, Do.; Highly commended, William Campbell, Waterhead.

EGGS – Heaviest Dozen of Hen Eggs – 1, Miss Grace McMorran, Garryhorn, Carsphairn; 2, Mrs. Hannah, Schoolhouse, Do.; 3, Thomas Little, Bridgehouse, Moniaive.

Heaviest Dozen of Duck Eggs – 1, Mrs. Fergusson, Craigengillan, Carshairn; 2, Miss McWhirter, Ironmacannie, Balmaclellan.

BUTTER – Fresh Butter, not less than 3lbs. – 1, Mrs. Brown, Village, Carsphairn; 2, Mrs. Fergusson, Knockgray, Do. ; 3, Mrs. Ramsay, Auchenshinnoch, \*\*\*\*\*