CANINE KINGS AT BALMORAL.

BELFAST SHOW'S INCREASED ENTRY.

FEMININE ENTHUSIASM.

Public Interest Growing.

Rapidly disappearing are the days when the knowledge of the average man and woman concerning a dog was confined to the idea that one end wags and the other bites, if the soaring entry and the keen public interest in the Belfast Dog Society's two days' championship show, which opened at Balmoral yesterday, can be accepted as a pointer towards the public's enthusiasm for its best friend of the animal kingdom.

The total number of entries this year was 1,540, representing 650 dogs, compared with last year's total, 1,430, representing 600 dogs. Mere numbers, however, did not constitute the chief impression of the show's comprehensiveness, it was the fact that all stations of mankind were displaying a more than casual interest in dogs that were stamped more indelibly on an onlooker's mind.

Not merely from Northern Ireland but from practically every corner of the United Kingdom and the Free State came the competitors, and it can be truthfully asserted that the dogs were canine kings. Balmoral is a name which has a regal ring, and so it was only fitting that the most princely denizens of dogdom should have vied one with the other in such well-equipped and propitious surroundings.

Even that fickle factor, the weather, contributed its help to the success of the event, and with glorious September sunshine flooding the judging rings the beauty of the handsome animals was clearly defined, and their colour, particularly the glowing red of the Irish setters, was shown to the best advantage, thereby causing a sudden dog fervour in the hearts of the most indifferent novice in the canine world.

EVE AND THE DOGS.

The reason for this revival of general keenness for dogs is perhaps difficult to expound in these times, when a dog's help, except on farms and in the coverts, is regarded as an item to be entered in the luxury column of the household budget; but a glance at the rings yesterday would have confirmed a suspicion inseparable from any modern vogue of popularity—of the interest of Eve. Feminine activity was not confined to the toy dogs, so despised by most he-men, for one particularly strong breed, the charming Sealyhams, were almost the monopoly of the ladies.

Big dogs, of course, are not so numerous now as they have been, but where wolfhounds and Dalmatians stalked their stately way a trim tweed-skirted figure was usually to be seen in attendance. Deerhounds attracted a wonderfully encouraging entry, and there is promised a good future for these pleasing types.

Alsatians, on the other hand, appear to be waning in popular esteem, although the specimens on show compensated a diminished entry by outstanding quality. In one sphere, nevertheless, the Alsatians have yet to meet palpable opposition; as police dogs they are unchallenged, and one of the most spectacular episodes of the show will be the obedience tests, which are to be staged to-day.

The cramped housing conditions of modern times have naturally tended to act in favour of the smaller dogs, and of the less well-known breeds Cairns and Scottish terriers are distinctly on the upgrade in their bid to be Mr. Everyman's animal.

DISTEMPER DANGER DIMINISHED.

Another pleasing feature was an indication of the decline of the breeder's customary reticence to put young animals on show. This can to some extent be traced to the welcome discovery recently of an anti-distemper serum, and, so a "Whig" reporter was informed yesterday, many Northern Irish veterinary surgeons are keenly recommending the new innoculation system, brought about by the efforts of the Kennel Club and its experts at Mill Hill.

GUN DOGS.

It is only natural that in such a fine sporting country as Ulster gun dogs should be well to the fore, and for size of entry cocker spaniels headed the list. Labrador retrievers, however, offered a bold challenge.

Warming to the heart of the Irishman was the fine showing of the Irish setters, and it is all the more gratifying to the Ulsterman that the entry was considered a record for Northern Ireland. Among the entrants for this breed was Sir Valentine Grace, Bart., of Monkstown, and the dogs he had exhibited were those that recently appeared on the stage at the Belfast Empire. The dog film star, "The Keeper of the Door," is attending the show, and to-day he will be demonstrating his prowess.

VIEWS OF THE JUDGES.

Exhibits Generally Very Good.

"Do you think Irish breeders can hold their own with their friends across the water," a "Whig" reporter asked Colonel Williamson, the well-known Staffordshire breeder of Sealyhams, and one of the best known judges in the dog world, who was paying his first visit to an Irish show.

"They usually do when they come across the water," he replied. "Yes, you have a very fine show here in Belfast, and the Sealyhams were a very nice lot. The winning bitch was beautiful, while the leading dog was a good mover, with a fine head."

Mr. W. S. Glynn, under whose scrutiny came Bedlingtons, Scottish, Cairn, and White West Highland Terriers, said:—"The winning dogs were well worthy of their challenge prizes. The exhibits generally were very good, sound dogs, while the White West Highland bitch which got the premier award is probably the best there is."

Giving his verdict on the Irish wolfhounds, Mr. J. A. Carberry said:—"They were an excellent lot, especially the dogs. The championship winners—Galleon of Ouborough and Iduna of Hindhead—were two very outstanding specimens of the breed. Their best points were their feet, legs, body, and head. Another excellent dog was Felixtowe Boru. The breed appears to be re-establishing itself excellently well in Ireland, though, paradoxically as it might seem, it is mkaing even greater headway over the Channel. They are a hard dog to keep, and are not suitable for cities and towns."

A colossal task fell to Mr. J. W. Marples, who undertook the judging of the Deerhounds, Great Danes, Mastiffs, Dalmations, Bull Terriers, French Bulldogs, Pugs, Poms, Yorkshires, Black and Tan Terriers, Griffons, and the toys. He was in the ring, with a luncheon break, from 10 in the morning till 5.30 in the evening, but even this did not dampen his appreciation of the dogs which came beneath his view. "The Yorkshires were the best lot I have seen for forty years," he said. "I have been travelling around the English shows from Redruth in Cornwall to Lincoln, and not even at Cruft's have I seen Yorkshires to surpass these at Belfast to-day. It was a very hard job to separate the first three dogs."

LOCAL EXHIBITORS' SUCCESS.

Mr. A. Dalzell, owing to his onerous duties as chairman of the Show, was not an exhibitor, but despite his absence local showmen and women had a successful day. Mr. Wm. M'Causland, with his cocker spaniel, Melfort Magpie, carried off four firsts, in addition to winning the Lynwood Challenge Cup and Williamson Cup (outright). He was also awarded first prize for his brace—Melfort Magpie and Melfort Martha.

In Sealyhams Mrs. Maurice Neill, with Stout Fella, gained a second and third prize.

One of the strongest supporters of the Irish setter breed was Mrs. R. S. Heron, Katesbridge, and with Napper O'Crane won the championship.

The president is Mr. Thomas E. M'Connell, C.B.E., J.P.; and the officials are:—Committee—Chairman, Mr. A. Dalzell; deputy-chairman, Mr. J. Wilson; hon. treasurer, Mr. Thomas J. Monahan; hon. secretary, Mr. J. W. M'Ilhagga.

TRIBUTES TO ORGANISERS.

Tributes to the perfect arrangements which had characterised the Show were paid at an official luncheon held in the dining hall during the day. Mr. A. Dalzell, chairman of the Show, presided, and submitted the first toast of "The Kennel Club." The toast of "The Judges" was responded to by Mr. Walter Glynn, Colonel R. S. Williamson, and Mr. J. W. Marples. The Hon. Mr. Justice Hanna responded to the sentiment of "The Irish Kennel Club." Mr. Justice Hanna in turn proposed the "Success of the Belfast Dog Show Society," Mr. A. Dalzell responding.

The catering was in the hands of the Ulster Menu Company, and was carried out with the efficiency characteristic of the firm.

JUDGES.

Deerhounds, great Danes, mastiffs, Dalamtians, bull terriers, French bulldogs, pugs, poms, Yorkshires, black and tan terriers, griffons, any variety toys, any variety not classed, any variety non-sporting, any variety not classed, and litters—Mr. J. W. Marples. Greyhounds, pointers, Gordon setters, Labrador and golden retrievers, Irish water spaniels, and any variety sporting—Major H. Gunn. Irish terriers—Mr. W. H. Darker. Fox terriers (wire and smooth)—Mrs. M. V. Hughes. Kerry blue terriers—Mrs. J. M. Lovett. Bulldogs—Lt.-Col. Goodwin, D.S.O. Sealyham terriers—Colonel Williamson. Cocker spaniels and English springers—Mrs. Jamieson Higgins. Collies—Mr. A. Newton. Irish red setters—Mr. D. A. Woods. Airedale terriers—Mr. Justice Hanna, K.C. Bedlington, Scottish, Cairn, and white West Highland terriers—Mr. W. S. Glynn. Pekingese—Mr. F. A. Gunther. Alsatians—Mr. J. D. Dalgleish. Irish wolfhounds—Mr. J. A. Carbery.

CHALLENGE CERTIFICATES.

Irish Wolfhounds.—Dog—Galleon of Ouborough (Mr. James V. Rank, Surrey). Bitch—Iduno of Hindhead (Mr. James V. Rank).

Deerhounds—Dog—Ch. Padraic of Ross (Misses M. F. and H. M. Loughrey, Londonderry). Bitch—Dramatic of Ross (Misses M. F. and H. M. Loughrey).

Pointers.—Dog—Stainton Shrine (R. H. Moorby, Nelson). Bitch—Pennine Kate (S. G. Taylor, Belfast).

Irish Setters.—Dog—Napper O'Crane (Mrs. R. S. Heron, Katesbridge). Bitch—Norna (Mrs. M. Odgen, Keswick).

Labrador Retrievers.—Dog—Ash Hussar (Mrs. M. Anderson, Marlow). Bitch—Thrill of Whitmore (T. H. Morsby).

Irish Water Spaniels.—Dog—Ch. Breifny Count (F. Trench O'Rourke, Bodmin). Bitch—Breifny Gloria F. Trench O'Rourke).

Cocker Spaniels.—Dog—Ch. Churchdene Invader (J. Hough, Preston). Bitch—Expectation of Solway (R. Grierson, Dumfries).

Spaniels, English Springer.—Dog—Rufton Recorder (R. Cornthwaite, Morecombe). Bitch—Ch. Admiration of Solway (R. Grierson, Dumfries).

Collies, Rough.—Dog—Backwood's Tormentor (F. W. Ball, Formby). Bitch—Annadale Anita (John Roxburgh, Lockmaben).

Airedale Terriers.—Dog—Ch. Belfort Supreme (S. M. Stewart, Coventry). Bitch—Ch. Wolstanton Rejected (Mrs. H. Plant, Staffordshire).

Irish Terriers.—Dog—Leader's Reflection (John Buckley, Lisburn). Bitch—Heathwaite Sheila's Double (George M. Barr, Chorley).

Fox Terriers, Smooth.—Dog—Semloh Superman (Wm. A. Holmes, Yorkshire). Bitch—Ch. Sampler Maymorn (H.H. Maharaja Dhiraj of Patiara).

Fox Terriers, Wire.—Bitch—Maid of Mirth (J. R. Barlow, Coventry).

Cairn Terriers.—Dog—Harviestown Benefactor (J. E. Kerr, Dollar). Bitch—Beechacre Blaeberry (Miss M. Irving, Perthshire).

Pugs.—Dog—Edenderry Beetle (Mrs. V. Graham, Newtownbreda). Bitch—May Blossom of Broadway (Mrs. M. M. Kirkpatrick, Maryville Park, Belfast).

Pekingese.—Dog—J'Ouen of Greystones (Miss M. L. Heuston, Sussex). Bitch—Beechmount Bren-Dah (Miss E. Wilson, Linfield Road, Belfast).

Kerry Blue Terriers.—Dog—Bricriu O'Dorney Abbey (T. J. Donaghy, Ballymena). Bitch—Ben-Edar Beetle (the Misses H. K. and H. Henry, Ascot).

Sealyham Terriers.—Dog—Sirius of Stoberry (Miss M. C. Tudway, Surrey). Bitch—Brash Beautiful (R. S. de Quincey, Surrey).

Scottish Terriers.—Dog—Albourne Highlander (Robert Chapman, Scotland). Bitch—Albourne Romance (Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Robb, Scotland).

West Highland White Terriers.—Dog—Ch. Placemore Caution (Mrs. A. M. Bird, Dorking). Bitch—Anne of the Roe (Mrs. E. M. Garnett, Limavady).

Bulldogs.—Dog—Luellen (J. M'Glinchey, Tullamore). Bitch—Fancy Free (F. Jubb, Lanark).

Yorkshires.—Dog—Hullard Blue Magic (H. Lemon, Manchester). Bitch—Armley Principal Lady (W. Telford, Ballygomartin).

SPECIALS.

President's Cup (presented by Sir John Smiley), for best animal bred and owned by member of the Belfast Society—Ravenhill Stella, Irish setter, T. J. Monaghan, Belfast).

The Belfast Challenge Cup, for best Irish terrier—Heathwaite Sheila's Double (G. M. Barr, Chorley).

Cup for best cocker owned by Society member—Melfont Magpie (W. Causland).

Cup for West Highland white terriers—Ch. Placemore Caution (Mrs. A. M. Bird, Dorking).

IRISH WOLFHOUND TROPHIES.

Ouborough Cup, Under Two Years Cup, Knockfienna Cup for best in show, and Irish Wolfhound Club silver medal—Galleon of Ouborough (J. V. Rank, Surrey).

Irish Wolfhound Club silver medal for best bitch—Iduna of Hindhead (J. V. Rank).

DEERHOUNDS.

Abbotsford and Ross Challenge Bowls, Townland Salver, for best hound—Dramatic of Ross (Misses M. F. and H. M. Loughrey, Londonderry).

Ruritania Challenge Bowl—Ch. Padraic of Ross (the Misses Loughrey).

Fawcett Trophy, for best hound under three—Beula of Springfoot (W. G. Graham, Killyleagh).

GREAT BRITAIN ALSATIAN LEAGUE.

Ejardenia Cup and Kaian du Bois Cup—Anthony of Maunby (Mrs. Hill Walker, Thirsk).

Haddon Cup, Du Bois Cup, and Silver Spoon—Annie of Downshire (W. J. M'Neice, Downpatrick).

NORTHERN IRELAND ALSATIAN CLUB.

Tullyglass Bowl and Ravensdowne Cup—Jill of Charleville (F. W. Parks, Lisburn).

Gibson and M'Gugan Cups—Lord Allerette of Carvillis (Miss J. B. Hamill and J. Colgan, Belfast).

Beau Parc Cup—Cito Von Soestbach of Picardy (Major Baldwin and Major Trechmann, Barnstaple).

Northern Ireland Cup, for best puppy bitch—Princess Vanity (R. Ewing, Belfast).

IRISH RED SETTERS.

Chichester Clark Cup—Napper O'Crone (Mrs. R. S. Heron).

Irish Setter Silver Medal—Rose of Faughan (R. Hunter, Londonderry).

IRISH WATER SPANIELS.

Perpetual Challenge Cup—Ch. Breifny Count (F. Trench O'Rourke, Bodmin).

COCKER.

Ulster Spaniel Club's Cups—Lynwood—Mefort Magpie (W. Causland, Belfast). Herald—Conrad of Essilmont (R. I. Herald, Belfast).

Ulster Bulldog Trophy—Myrobella Marquis (W. F. Robinson, Belfast).

IRISH COLLIE CLUB'S TROPHIES.

Grand Cup and President's Cup—Black Knight (D. and W. J. Scott, Templepatrick).

Breeders' Cup and silver medal—Uncle Dick (H. Simpson, Belfast).

Ballymurphy Cup and Bitches' Cup—Sheila of Iderone (Mrs. Gault, Belfast).

ULSTER AIREDALE CLUB TROPHIES.

President's Cup—Bride of Ballymore (Mrs. W. S. Murphy, Lisburn).

Glandore and Larkfield Cups—Billy of Ballymore (Mrs. W. S. Murphy).

Kilpatrick Cup—The Troubadour (S. Finlay, Belfast).

Glandore Cup, for puppies 12-18 months, and Scott Cup—Judicious Gangster (R. Butler, Blackpool, County Dublin).

IRELAND AIREDALE CLUB AWARDS.

Clunagh and Fitzwilliam Cups—Rosse's Reveille (Major-General T. Sweeney, Dublin).

Annamore Cup (dog)—Judicious Gangster (R. Butler).

Annamore Cup (bitch)—Warland Wake of Ballymore (Mrs. W. S. Murphy).

ULSTER KERRY BLUE TERRIER CLUB'S SPOONS.

Puppy dog—Shaun Spadah (T. Johnson, Belfast).

Puppy bitch and novice bitch—Laddy Adda Again (Mrs. I. M. M'Cambridge, Ballycastle).

Novice dog—Oscar Tailtean (H. B. and Mrs. H. Fotterell, Castlerock).

THE PRIZE-LIST.

IRISH WOLFHOUNDS.

Novice dog—1, E. M. Doyle, Broxburn — Dermotasthore of Granuile; 2, Mrs. Cruess-Callaghan, Blackrock, Dublin—Fingall Boroimbe. Graduate dog—1, Mrs. Mary Beynon, Kent—Felixstowe Boru; 2, Miss Edna Finch, Swords, Dublin—Conradh Concobar; 3, E. M. Doyle—Dermotasthore of Granuile. Special limit dog—1, James Voase Rank, Surrey—Galleon of Ouborough; 2, Mrs. Mary Beynon—Felixstowe Boru; 3, Miss Edna Finch—Conradh Concobar. Limit dog—1, James Poase Rank—Galleon of Ouborough; 2, Mrs. Mary Beynon—Felixstowe Boru; 3, E. M. Doyle—Dermotasthore of Granuile. Open dog—1, James Voase Rank—Galleon of Ouborough; 2, Mrs. Mary Beynon—Felixstowe Boru; 3, Miss Edna Finch—Conradh Concobar. Novice bitch—1, C. E. Donnelly, Pendlebury—Carrigcleena Bawn. Graduate bitch—1, C. E. Donnelly—Carrigcleena Bawn. Special limit bitch—1, C. E. Donnelly—Carrigcleena Bawn. Limit bitch—1, James Voase Rank—Iduna of Hindhead. Open bitch—1, James Voase Rank—Iduna of Hindhead. Brace—1, James Voase Rank's brace. Team—1, James Voase Rank's team.

DEER HOUNDS.

Novice dog or bitch—1, W. G. Graham, Killyleagh—Malcolm of Elagh; 2, A. E. Wayman, London—Blue Bell of Enterkine. Special limit dog—1, Miss M. M. Bell, Berkshire—Ian of Enterkine; 2, Miss P. F. M. Hall, Royal Terrace, Belfast—Ardsheal Donal; 3, Miss A. H. P. Linton, Carlisle—Brotus of Bridge Sollers. Limit dog—1, Miss M. M. Bell—Ian of Enterkine; 2, Miss Hall—Ardsheal Donal; 3, Miss A. H. P. Linton—Brotus of Bridge Sollers. Open dog—1, Misses M. F. and H. M. Loughrey—Ch. Padraic of Ross; 2, Miss M. M. Bell—Ian of Enterkine; 3, Miss P. F. M. Hall—Ardsheal Donal. Special limit bitch—1, Misses M. F. and H. M. Loughrey—Dramatic of Ross; 2, W. G. Graham—Beula of Springfort; 3, Miss M. M. Bell—Quilla of Enterkine. Limit bitch—1, Misses M. F. and H. M. Loughrey—Dramatic of Ross; 2, W. G. Graham—Beula of Springfort; 3, Miss M. M. Bell—Quilla of Enterkine. Open bitch—1, Misses M. F. and H. M. Loughrey—Dramatic of Ross; 2, Miss A. N. Hartley, Peterborough — Silver Cloud; 3, W. G. Graham—Beula of Springfort. Brace—1, Misses M. F. and H. M. Loughrey's brace. Team — 1, W. G. Graham's team.

MASTIFFS.

Novice dog or bitch—1, Master Donald R. Hamilton, Dromore—Gyrth of Cormac. Graduate dog or bitch—1 and 2, Mrs. Parker-Keene—Ann of Castlegrange and Angela of Castlegrange. Limit dog or bitch—1 and 3, Mrs. Parker-Keene, County Wicklow—Ann of Castlegrange and Angela of Castlegrange; 2, Miss Patricia G. Corry, Dunmurry—Fionbarr. Open dog or bitch—1 and 3, Mrs. Parker-Keene—Ann of Castlegrange and Angela of Castlegrange; 2, Miss Patricia G. Corry—Fionbarr.

GREAT DANES.

Open dog or bitch—1, Jas. Voase Rank—Ch. Plaza of Ouborough; 2, William Henderson, Manor Street, Belfast — Odin of Send; 3, J. Robinson, Willowfield Gardens—Juna of Willowfield.

ALSATIAN WOLFDOGS.

Maiden dog—1, Louis B. Cannon, Havana Street, Belfast—Cymric of Ballysillan; 2, W. H. Jackson, Strandtown, Belfast—Koon; 3, H. M'Knight, Newtownards—Alert of the Tower. Novice dog—1, Louis B. Cannon—Cymric of Ballysillan; 2, Robert Todd, Ballyclare—Paper Mill Boy; 3, W. H. Jackson—Koon. Junior dog—1, Misses J. B. Hamill and J. Colgan, Flush Farm, Belfast—Lord Alerette of Carvills; 2, Robert Todd—Paper Mill Boy; 3, Miss Edna Finch, Swords, Dublin—Beppo of Beau Parc. Tyro dog—1, F. W. Parks, Lisburn—Arno of Charleville; 2, Misses J. B. Hamill and J. Colgan—Lord Bobs of the Flush; 3, Mrs. E. L. Connor, Ballysillan, Belfast—Aladdin of Thornhill. Graduate dog—1 and 3, F. W. Parks—Arno of Charleville and Jocelyn of Charleville; 2, F. C. Bernard, Dublin—Wolf of Lisgar. Limit dog—1, Mrs. L. Hill Walker, Thirsk—Anthony of Maunby; 2, F. C. Bernard—Wolf of Lisgar; 3, E. L. Connor—Ch. Alert of Charleville. Open dog—1, Mrs. L. Hill Walker—Anthony of Maunby; 2, Major Baldwin and Major Trechmann, Barnstaple—Cito Von Soestbach of Picardy; 3, F. C. Bernard—Wolf of Lisgar. Puppy bitch—1, Harry MacGlennon, Dublin — Reliable of Picardy. Maiden bitch—1, William John M'Neice, Downpatrick—Anni of Downsire. Novice bitch—1, Robert Ewing, Percy Street, Belfast—Princess Vanity; 2, W. J. M'Neice—Anni of Downsire; 3, Lady Mildred Grace, Monkstown—Bessie Von Bovle. Junior bitch—1, Robert Ewing—Princess Vanity; 2, P. J. Macardle, William Street South, Belfast—Wanda; 3, Archie Lewis, Ballymena—Lady Arno. Tyro bitch—1, J. S. Kite, Birkenhead—Della of Makinak; 2, Mrs. E. L. Connor—Adela of Thornhill; 3, Joseph Crispin, Twaddell Avenue, Belfast—Erin's Elf of Melleag. Graduate bitch—1, F. W. Parks—Jill of Charleville; 2, J. S. Kite—Della of Makinak; 3, Mrs. E. L. Connor—Adela of Thornhill. Limit bitch—1, F. W. Parks—Jill of Charleville; 2, J. S. Kite—Della of Makinak; 3, Mrs. D. P. Bradley, Coleraine—Garrymhor Almina. Open bitch—1, F. W. Parks—Jill of Charleville; 2, Mrs. J. Johnston and Major J. Y. Baldwin, Cornwall—Hella V. D. Mathildenhof of Picardy. "Restricted" open dog (confined to Irish exhibitors)—1, F. W. Parks—Arno of Charleville; 2, F. C. Bernard—Wolf of Lisgar; 3, Mrs. E. L. Connor—Ch. Alert of Charleville. "Restricted" open bitch (confined to Irish exhibitors)—1, F. W. Parks—Jill of Charleville; 2, Mrs. D. P. Bradley—Maysie of Charleville; 3, Miss G. M. Bligh, Meath—Fee (Bell). Brace—1, Misses J. B. Hamill and J. Colgan's brace. Team—Lady Mildred Grace's team.

GREYHOUNDS.

Open dog or bitch—1, S. G. Taylor, Belfast—Valley Hero; 2, Miss M. Ryan, Bangor—Playboy; 3, Miss R. Wilson, Derry—Movenis Lade.

DALMATIANS.

Graduate dog or bitch—1, C. Heyland, Garvagh—Peerless of Abbotsham; 2, J. B. Sanderson, Port Glasgow—The Banker; 3, E. Gallagher, Fivemiletown—Tall Light. Open dog or bitch—1, C. Heyland—Peerless of Abbotsham; 2, J. Macganeey—Semil Simon; 3, J. B. Sanderson—The Banker.

POINTERS.

Puppy dog or bitch—1, R. Hunter, Londonderry—Prince of Faughan; 2, H. Caldwell, Ballyshannon—Ballyshannon Dan; 3, W. J. Shannon, Limavady—Not Yet. Novice dog or bitch—1, J. W. Moore, Magherafelt—Glenariff Princess; 2, R. Hunter—Prince of Faughan; 3, H. Caldwell—Ballyshannon Dan. Graduate dog or bitch—1, S. G. Taylor—Penine Kate; 2, T. H. Moorby—Stylish Monniegold; 3, H. Caldwell—Ballyshannon Dan. Open dog—1, T. H. Moorby—Stainton Spruce; 2, H. Caldwell—Ballyshannon Dan. Open bitch—1, S. G. Taylor—Penine Kate; 2, T. H. Moorby—Stylish Monniegold; 3, M. Dolan, Sligo—Limavady Belle. Brace—1, Thomas H. Moorby's brace.

IRISH SETTERS.

Puppy dog—1, Mrs. R. S. Heron—Murtagh O'Crane. Novice dog—1, Mrs. R. S. Heron—Napper O'Crane; 2, T. J. Monaghan, Belfast—Ravenhill Mickey; 3, W. King and R. Taylor, Omagh—Corm Tim. Graduate dog—1, Mrs. R. S. Heron—Napper O'Crane; 2, S. G. Taylor—Glenariff Michael; 3, P. J. O'Callaghan, Omagh—Corona Dick. Limit dog—1, Mrs. R. S. Heron—Napper O'Crane; 2, S. G. Taylor—Glenariff Michael; 3, Sir V. Grace, Monkstown—Corona Toby. Open dog—1, Mrs. R. S. Heron — Napper O'Crane; 2, Mrs. Margery Odgen—Ch. Menaifron Pat O'Moy; 3, S. G. Taylor—Glenariff Michael. Puppy bitch—1, R. Hunter—Rose of Faughan; 2, W. King—Korm Loo; 3, T. J. Monaghan—Ravenhill Stella. Novice bitch—1, Rev. W. C. Dolan—Etna Patricia; 2, R. Hunter, Derry—Rose of Faughan; 3, C. Heyland—Ballintemple Bridget. Graduate bitch—1, E. Rea, Anglesey—Menaifron Ern; 2, Mrs. R. S. Heron—Philomena O'Crane; 3, Rev. W. C. Dolan, Ardee—Etna Patricia. Limit bitch—1, Mrs. Margery Odgen—Norma; 2, E. Rea—Menaifron Ern; 3, Mrs. R. S. Heron—Philomena O'Crane. Open bitch—1, Mrs. Margery Odgen—Norma; 2, E. Rea—Menaifron Ern; 3, Mrs. R. S. Heron. "Restricted" open dog or bitch (confined to Irish setters holding a certificate of merit at any field trial)—1, E. Rea—Menaifron Count O'Moy; 2, Mrs. R. S. Heron—Philomena O'Crane; 3, S. G. Taylor—Glenariff Michael.

RETRIEVERS (LABRADOR).

Novice dog or bitch—1, D. Orr, Killyleagh—Castleview Rock; 2, J. George, Armagh—I'm Alone; 3, J. Neill, Killyleagh—N.A.F. Graduate dog or bitch—1, T. H. Moorby—Stainton Sovereign; 2, D. Orr—Castleview Rock; 3, Mrs. J. H. Dougan, Newtownards—Duke of Saffrons. Open dog or bitch—1, Mrs. M. Anderson—Ash Hussar; 2, D. Orr—Nith of Holmebay; 3, T. H. Moorby—Stainton Sovereign. Open bitch—1, T. H. Moorby—Thrill of Whitmore; 2, D. Orr—Flora of Bonnyton; 3, Miss H. E. Mercer, Caledon—Apley Betty. Brace—1, T. H. Moorby's brace.

RETRIEVERS (GOLDEN).

Novice dog or bitch—1, W. G. Graham—Glencorrig; 2, Miss S. Phillips, Ballymena—Imperial Meg; 3, Right Hon. Sir Hugh O'Neill, M.P., Aughafatten, Antrim—Mark of Maine. Open dog—1, Miss S. Phillips—Gerald of Allen; 2, W. G. Graham—Glencorrig; 3, J. George—Gold Bond. Open bitch—1 and 2, Miss S. Phillips—Mystery of Maine and Imperial Meg; 3, Mrs. H. E. Bodenham, Killyleagh—Sheila of Fan-go-Foil. Novice Paddy Boy; 3, F. T. O'Rorke, Cornwall—Breifny Dan; 2, F. T. O'Rorke—Breifny O'Count; 3, W. Richardson, Lurgan—Rose of Erin. Graduate dog or bitch—1, Rev. T. Agnew—Breifny Dan; 2, L. Grubb—Paddy Boy; 3, F. T. O'Rorke, Cornwall—Breifny O'Count. Limit dog or bitch—1, F. T. O'Rorke—Breifny Gloria; 2, Mrs. Bennett, Limerick—Rathaney Rory; 3, W. Richardson—Judy of the Boreen. Open dog—1, F. T. O'Rorke—Ch. Breifny Count; 2, Mrs. Bennett—Rathaney Rory; 3, Rev. T. Agnew—Breifny Dan. Open bitch—1, F. T. O'Rorke—Breifny Gloria; 2, W. Richardson—Judy of the Boreen. Brace—1, F. T. O'Rorke's brace. Team—1, F. T. O'Rorke's team.

SPANIELS (COCKER).

Puppy dog or bitch—1, H. S. Lloyd, Ickenham—Lovelace of Ware; 2, R. I. Herald, Ormeau Road, Belfast—Conrad of Essilmont; 3, Mr. I. D. and Miss Vida Crozier, Portrush—Gilvan Carmen. Novice dog—1, Mrs. G. Scott Moore, Dublin—Grindon; 2, R. I. Herald—Conrad of Essilmont; 3, Miss I. S. Garratt, Holywood—Realto Simon. Junior dog—1, H. S. Lloyd—Apex of Ware; 2, T. H. Hutchinson, Ballygomartin Road, Belfast—Dromara Mickey; 3, S. M'Cloud, Comber—Coppington Confidence. Graduate dog—1, R. Grierson, Dumfries—Invasion of Solway; 2, A. Adam, Falkirk—Mada Motley; 3, Mrs. G. Scott Moore—Grindon. Limit dog—1, R. Grierson—Invasion of Solway; 2, A. Adam—Mada Motley; 3, H. S. Lloyd—Apex of Ware. Open dog—1, J. Hough, Preston—Ch. Churchdene Invader; 2, R. Grierson—Invasion of Solway; 3, A. Adam—Mada Motley. Novice bitch—1, R. I. Herald—Coppington Constance; 2, Mrs. G. Scott Moore—Corney; 3, Mr. I. D. and Miss Vida Crozier—Joyce of Leycourt. Junior bitch—1, H. S. Lloyd—Lovelace of Ware; 2, W. M'Causland, Belfast—Melfort Martha; 3, R. I. Herald—Coppington Constance. Graduate bitch—1, W. M'Causland—Melfort Magpie; 2, R. I. Herald—Coppington Constance; 3, Mrs. G. Scott Moore—Corney. Limit bitch—1, R. Grierson—Expectation of Solway; 2, Mrs. A. H. Gold, Ickenham—Knebworth Violet Ray; 3, Mrs. M'Causland—Melfort Magpie. Open bitch—1, R. Grierson—Expectation of Solway; 2, Mrs. A. H. Gold—Knebworth Violet Ray; 3, W. M'Causland—Melfort Magpie. Novice dog or bitch (black)—1, J. Cowie, Strandtown, Belfast—Huntley Rocket; 2, J. M'Cartney, Carrickfergus—Joymount Betty; 3, Mrs. J. S. Garratt—Realto Simon. "Restricted" open dog or bitch (black)—1, Mrs. M. E. Harper, Kensington Road, Belfast—Queen o' Hearts of Lynwood; 2 and 3, J. M'Cartney—Joymount Jasmine and Joymount Judy. Novice dog or bitch (other than black)—1, W. Robinson—Humelea Cobby; 2, S. Perry, Newtownards—Wentdale Tatterbogit; 3, R. I. Herald—Coppington Constance. "Restricted" open dog or bitch (other than black)—1, J. Hough—Ch. Churchdene Invader; 2, H. S. Lloyd—Lovelace of Ware; 3, R. Grierson—Invasion of Solway. "Restricted" open dog or bitch (black) (confined to members of the Ulster Spaniel Club)—1, J. Cowie—Huntley Rocket; 2, J. L. Galway, Holywood—Phamewood Jenkyns; 3, Mrs. M. E. Harper—Queen o' Hearts of Lynwood. "Restricted" open dog or bitch (other than black) (confined to members of the Ulster Spaniel Club)—1 and 2, Wm. M'Causland—Melfort Magpie and Melfort Martha; 3, Mrs. G. Scott Moore—Grindon. Brace—1, W. M'Causland's brace. Team—1, J. M'Cartney's team.

SPANIELS (ENGLISH SPRINGER).

Puppy dog or bitch—1, W. J. M'Coubrey, Ballynahinch—Spawell Hero. Junior dog or bitch—1, C. M. Johnson, Lisburn—Bosun of Moylena; 2, J. Pauley, Cavehill Road, Belfast—June Bee. Novice dog or bitch—1, E. T. M. Beatty, Cork—Corkbeg Peggotty; 2, W. Greenfield, Carrickmacross—Norbank Lady; 3, J. Pauley—Nan o' the Fen. Graduate dog or bitch—1, David M'Donald, Dundee—Lile Fifeloon; 2, R. Grierson—Dairymaid of Solway; 3, E. T. M. Beatty—Corkbeg Peggotty. Limit dog or bitch—1, D. M'Donald—Lile Fifeloon; 2, R. Grierson—Dairymaid of Solway; 3, E. T. M. Beatty—Corkbeg Peggotty. Open dog—1, R. Cornthwaite, Morecambe—Rutton Recorder; 2, D. M'Donald—Lile Fifeloon; 3, P. Grierson—Advent of Solway. Open bitch—1, R. Grierson—Ch. Admiration of Solway; 2, E. T. M. Beatty—Corkbeg Peggotty; 3, W. Greenfield—Norbank Lady. Brace—1, J. Pauley's brace. Team—1, F. Warner Hill's team, Sheffield.

Spaniel, any variety, "restricted" open dog or bitch (confined to members of the Ulster Spaniel Club)—1, W. M'Causland—Melfort Magpie; 2 and 3, W. Greenfield—Innishowen Tim and Norbank Lady. Novice dog or bitch—1 and 2, J. M'Glinchey, Tullamore—Curses and Luellan; 3, Mrs. M. Holmes, Banbridge—Glunter. Graduate dog—1, W. F. Robinson, Charnwood Avenue, Belfast—Myrobella Marquis; 2, J. M'Glinchey—Sailor; 3, C. Wood, Leeds—Nuada of Woodhouse. Graduate bitch—1, F. Jubb, Lanark—Fancy Free; 2, Miss S. Phillips—Lady Bird of Maine; 3, J. M'Glinchey—Curses. Limit dog or bitch—1, F. Jubb—Faugh-a-Ballagh; 2, W. F. Robinson—Myrobella Marquis; 3, J. M'Glinchey—Sailor. Open dog—1, J. Leeming, Blackpool—Crew So Solarium; 2, F. Jubb—Faugh-a-Ballagh; 3, J. M'Glinchey—Sailor. Open bitch—F. Jubb—Fancy Free; 2 and 3, J. M'Glinchey—Highland Mary and Curses. "Restricted" open dog or bitch (confined to members of the Ulster Bulldog Club)—1, W. F. Robinson—Myrobella Marquis; 2, Miss S. Phillips—Lady Bird of Maine; 3, S. Millar, Ballymena—Billi Boi of Hunterlea. Brace—1, J. M'Glinchey's brace. Team—1, J. M'Glinchey's team.

BULL TERRIERS.

Open dog or bitch—3, D. J. H. Simpson, Bangor—Tredomen Prince.

COLLIES (ROUGH).

Puppy dog or bitch—1, Mrs. Gault, Springfield Road, Belfast—Sheila of Iderone; 2, H. Simpson, Belfast—Uncle Dick. Maiden dog or bitch—1, Mrs. Gault—Sheila of Iderone. Novice dog or bitch—1, D. and W. J. Scott, Templepatrick—Boulderstone Black Bess; 2, B. F. Gillespie, Dublin—Sparkles; 3, H. Simpson—Uncle Dick. Graduate dog—1, F. W. Ball—Backwoods Factor; 2, D. and W. J. Scott—Black Knight; 3, A. Steele, Dublin—Baldies Promise. Limit dog—1, F. W. Ball—Backwoods Factor; 2, D. and W. J. Scott—Black Knight; 3, A. Steele—Baldies Promise. Open dog—1, F. W. Ball—Backwoods Tormentor; 2, D. and W. J. Scott—Black Knight; 3, A. Steele—Baldies Promise. Graduate bitch—1, J. Roxburgh—Annandale Anita; 2, Mrs. Gault—Queenie of Iderone; 3, R. Crawford, Tynan—Ballynameta Bubbles. Limit bitch—1, J. Roxburgh—Annandale Anita; 2, F. Robson, Carlisle—Eden Elysia; 3, Mrs. Gault—Queenie of Iderone. Open bitch—1, J. Roxburgh—Annandale Anita; 2, F. Robson—Eden Elysia; 3, Mrs. Gault—Queenie of Iderone. "Restricted" open dog or bitch (confined to members of the Irish Collie Club and the All-Ireland Collie Club resident in Ireland)—1, D. and W. J. Scott—Black Knight; 2, Mrs. Gault—Queenie of Iderone; 3, R. Crawford — Ballynameta Bubbles.

AIREDALE TERRIERS.

Puppy dog or bitch—1 and 2, Major-General J. Sweeney, Dublin—Rosses Reveille and Rosses Regular; 3, Mrs. W. S. Murphy, Lisburn—Billy of Ballymore. Maiden dog or bitch—1, Mrs. H. Plant, Staffordshire—Wolstanton Rejected; 2, R. Butler, Dublin—Judicious Gangster; 3, Major-General J. Sweeney — Rosses Reveille. Novice dog or bitch—1, Mrs. H. Plant—Wolstanton Rejected; 2, R. Butler—Judicious Gangster; 3, Major-General J. Sweeney—Rosses Reveille. Junior dog or bitch—1, Mrs. H. Plant—Wolstanton Rejected; 2, R. Butler—Judicious Gangster; 3, Major-General J. Sweeney—Rosses Reveille. Graduate dog—1, Mrs. H. Plant—Wolstanton Rejected; 2, R. Butler—Judicious Gangster; 3, Major-General J. Sweeney—Rosses Regular. Limit dog—1, S. Finlay, Townsend Street, Belfast—The Troubadour; 2, Miss B. Thynne, Surrey—Kilraboct John; 3, Mrs. H. Plant—Wolstanton Rejected. Open dog—1, S. M. Stewart—Ch. Belfort Supreme; 2, Mrs. B. Levey, Middlesex — Ardross Ambassador; 3, S. Finlay—The Troubadour. Graduate bitch—1, Mrs. W. S. Murphy—Warland Wake of Ballymore; 2, S. Finlay—Townend Nell; 3, Major-General J. Sweeney—Rosses Reveille. Limit bitch—1, Miss E. Gaukroger, Bradford—Tiresome Tyke; 2 and 3, Mrs. W. S. Murphy—Bride of Ballymore and Warland Wake of Ballymore. Open bitch—1, Mrs. H. Plant—Ch. Wolstanton Superb; 2, Miss E. Gaukroger—Tiresome Tyke; 3, Mrs. W. S. Murphy—Bride of Ballymore. Brace—1, Mrs. B. Levey's brace. Team—1, Mrs. W. S. Murphy's team.

IRISH TERRIERS.

Puppy dog—1, J. R. Jackson, Coleraine—Culbahn Crasher; 2, J. J. Fitzpatrick, Dublin—Dalkey Playboy; 3, H. Fleming, Whitehouse—Shore Road Pal. Maiden dog—1, J. F. M'Kinstry, Cliftonville Road, Belfast—Kelvin Playboy; 2, W. Crozier, Balmoral—Connswater; 3, J. J. Fitzpatrick—Dalkey Play Boy. Novice dog—1, W. Tottle, Sheffield—Tapton Warrior; 2, J. R. Jackson—Culbahn Crasher; 3, J. F. M'Kinstry—Kelvin Playboy. Junior dog—1, J. R. Jackson—Culbahn Crasher; 2, J. F. M'Kinstry—Kelvin Playboy; 3, C. Brown, Strabane—Mourne Finn. Graduate dog—1, J. Buckley—Leaders Reflection; 2, W. Tottle—Tapton Warrior; 3, J. F. M'Kinstry—Kelvin Playboy. Limit dog—1, J. Buckley—Leaders Reflection; 2, C. Brown—Mourne Duke; 3, W. Tottle—Tapton Warrior. Open dog—1, J. Buckley—Leaders Reflection; 2, C. Brown—Mourne Duke; 3, G. H. Massey, Newry—Ch. Frontier Optimist. Puppy bitch—1, R. Grant—Slemish Sincerity; 2, H. Patrick—Lucky Girl. Maiden bitch—1, W. Drake—May Morn; 2, R. Grant—Slemish Sincerity; 3, G. H. Massey—Frontier Distinction. Novice bitch—1, W. Drake—May Morn; 2, R. Grant—Slemish Sincerity; 3, G. H. Massey—Frontier Distinction. Junior bitch—1, W. Drake, Lisburn—May Morn; 2, R. Grant, Ballymena—Slemish Sincerity; 3, G. H. Massey—Frontier Distinction. Graduate bitch—1, G. M. Barr—Heathwaite Sheila's Double; 2, W. Drake—May Morn; 3, J. Buckley—Biddy of Belsize. Limit bitch—1, G. M. Barr—Heathwaite Sheila's Double; 2, W. Drake—May Morn; 3, A. Creighton, Gresham Street, Belfast—Ch. Bright Eyes. Open bitch—1, G. M. Barr—Heathwaite Sheila's Double; 2, W. Drake—May Morn; 3, A. Creighton—Ch. Bright Eyes.

FOX TERRIERS (SMOOTH).

Puppy dog—1, F. Montgomery, Holywood—Knocknagoney Major; 2, R. J. Blennerhasset, Denorrton Park, Belfast—Knight of the Den; 3, Colonel J. M'Loughlin, Dublin—Crana Creditor. Maiden dog—1, R. J. Blennerhassett—Knight of the Den; 2, Col. J. M'Loughlin—Crana Creditor; 3, J. Goff Pim, Lisburn—Rare Luck. Novice dog—1, F. Montgomery—Knocknagoney Major; 2, R. J. Blennerhassett—Knight of the Den; 3, Col. J. M'Loughlin—Crana Creditor. Junior dog—1, W. A. Holmes—Semloh Superman; 2, R. J. Blennerhassett—Knight of the Den; 3, Mrs. M. Savell Hicks, Dublin—Sandport Kior. Graduate dog—1, M'Cann and Saunders—Clondara Civility; 2, Col. J. M'Loughlin—Crnaa Creditor; 3, H. M'Grath, Limavady—Cregolden. Limit dog—1, W. A. Holmes—Semloh Superman; 2, Capt. F. R. Vernon, Coventry—Verno; 3, J. Swale—Sandport Brigand. Open dog—1, W. A. Holmes—Semloh Superman; 2, Capt. F. R. Vernon—Verno; 3, John Swale, Huddersfield—Sandport Brigand. Puppy bitch—1, Mrs. W. L. G. Dean, Slane—Molten Maid of the Mist; 2, M'Cann and Saunders, Falls Road, Belfast—Clondera Captive; 3, J. Goff Pim—Rare Sunshine. Maiden bitch—1, Mrs. W. L. G. Dean—Molten Maid of the Mist; 2, J. J. Fitzpatrick—Dalkey Query; 3, M'Cann and Saunders—Clondora Captive. Novice bitch—1, Mrs. W. L. G. Dean—Molten Maid of the Mist; 2, R. H. Taylor, Keighly—Aire Flirt; 3, J. J. Fitzpatrick—Dalkey Query. Junior bitch—1, Mrs. W. L. G. Dean—Molten Maid of the Mist; 2, R. H. Taylor—Aire Winnie; 3, A. Tansey, Nuneaton—Apparents Legacy. Graduate bitch—1, Mrs. W. L. G. Dean—Molten Maid of the Mist; 2, R. H. Taylor—Aire Flirt; 3, A. Tansey—Apparents Legacy. Limit bitch—1, Mrs. W. L. G. Dean—Molten Maid of the Mist; 2, R. H. Taylor—Aire Winnie; 3, A. Tansey—Apparents Legacy. Open bitch—1, H.H. Maharajah Dhiraj of Patiala—Ch. Stephen Maymorn; 2, Mrs. W. L. G. Dean—Molten Maid of the Mist; 3, R. H. Taylor—Aire Winnie.

FOX TERRIERS (WIRE).

Puppy dog—1, A. T. Watts, Stocksmoor—Felkington Flashman; 2, J. R. Jackson—Cracklet Supreme; 3, M. Bell, Limavady—Stormy Boy. Maiden dog—1, A. T. Watts—Felkington Flashman; 2, J. R. Jackson—Cracklet Supreme; 3, J. S. Abbott, Ayr—Littleway Blue Boy. Novice dog—1, A. T. Watts—Felkington Flashman; 2, J. R. Jackson—Cracklet Supreme; 3, J. Goff Pim and Miss Hope-Johnstone, Trim—Lisna Rare Smiler. Junior dog—1, Mrs. C. Hepwood, Huddersfield—Dogberry Barb Wire; 2, J. Goff Pim and Miss Hope-Johnstone—Lisna Rare Smiler; 3, M. Bell—Stormy Boy. Graduate dog—1, J. Goff Pim—Rare Slasher; 2, J. Wilson, Woodvale Road, Belfast—Woodvale Gay Bloom; 3, J. S. Abbott—Littleway Blue Boy. Limit dog—1, J. W. Turner, Blackburn—Wycollar Diamond Merchant; 2, Mrs. C. Hepwood—Dogberry Barb Wire; 3, J. Goff Pim—Rare Slasher. Open dog—1, O. C. Harriman, Buckinghamshire—Clonmel Ace of Ancon; 2, J. W. Turner—Wycollar Diamond Merchant; 3, V. Langley Jones, Coventry—Ch. Cornwell Cyclone. Puppy bitch—1, W. Hirst, Huddersfield—Stocksmoor Sunkist; 2, F. H. Stringer, Bedford Street, Belfast—Knockburn Nebula; 3, J. W. Maddox, Stockton-on-Tees—Stockboro Selection. Maiden bitch—1, W. R. Schussler, Coventry—Sea Spray; 2, J. Goff Pim and Miss Hope-Johnstone—Lisna Rare Mischief; 3, J. M. Armstrong, Dunmurry—Peggy Slogger. Novice bitch—1, W. F. Schussler—Sea Spray; 2, J. Goff Pim and Miss Hope-Johnstone—Lisna Rare Mischief; 3, F. H. Stringer—Knockburn Jewel. Junior bitch—1, W. Hirst—Stocksmoor Sunkist; 2, W. F. Schussler—Sea Spray; 3, F. H. Stringer—Knockburn Nebula. Graduate bitch—1, W. Hirst—Stocksmoor Sunkist; 2, Miss A. Hope-Johnstone—Jewel of Laracor; 3, J. S. Abbott—Littleway Cutty Sark. Limit Bitch—1, J. R. Barlow—Maid of Mirth; 2, Miss A. Hope-Johnstone—Jewel of Laracor; 3, J. S. Abbott—Littleway Cutty Sark. Open bitch—1, J. R. Barlow—Maid of Mirth; 2, Miss A. Hope-Johnstone—Jewel of Laracor; 3, J. S. Abbott—Littleway Cutty Sark. Brace—1, J. S. Abbott's brace; 2, J. Goff Pim and Miss Hope-Johnstone's brace. Team—J. Goff Pim and Miss Hope-Johnstone's team.

KERRY BLUE TERRIERS.

Puppy dog or bitch—1, Mrs. Ida A. M'Cambridge, Ballycastle—Lady Adda Again; 2, E. M. Doyle—Oleen of Granuile; 3, T. Johnston, Melrose Street, Belfast—Shaun Spadah. Novice dog or bitch—1, Mr. H. B. and Mrs. H. Fottrell, Dublin—Oscar Tailteain; 2, Mrs. I. A. M'Cambridge—Lady Adda Again; 3, E. Kehoe, Dublin—Miss Leader. Graduate dog or bitch—1, Sean Farrelly, Dublin—Suan; 2, E. Kehoe—Miss Leader; 3, Mrs. I. A. M'Cambridge—Dandy Chief. Limit dog—1, T. J. Donaghy—Cricriu O'Dorney Abbey; 2, H. B. and Mrs. H. Fottrell—Oscar Tailteain; 3, Sean Farrelly—Suan. Open dog—1, T. J. Donaghy—Cricriu O'Dorney Abbey; 2, H. B. and Mrs. H Fottrell—Breezemount Blueband; 3, Sean Farrelly—Suan. Limit bitch—1, the Misses H. K. and H. Henry—Ben-Edar Beetle; 2, Mrs. Henry, Moy—Blue Maura of Moy; 3, Mrs. I. A. M'Cambridge—Lady Adda. Open bitch—1, the Misses H. K. and H. Henry—Ben-Edar Beetle; 2, Mrs. Henry—Blue Maura of Moy; 3, Mrs. I. M. M'Camzbidge—Lady Adda. Brace—1, Mrs. I. M. M'Cambridge's brace. Team—1, Mrs. I. M. M'Cambridge's team.

SEALYHAM TERRIERS.

Puppy dog—1, S. G. Fenton, Banbridge—Seapatrick Dutchman; 2, N. J. and T. A. Caffrey, Andersonstown, Belfast—Airfield Buster. Novice dog—1, Mrs. Charters, England—St. Margaret Satrad; 2, S. G. Fenton—Seapatrick Dutchman; 3, N. J. and T. A. Caffrey—Airfield Buster. Graduate dog—1, Mrs. Charters—St. Margaret Satrad; 2, Mrs. M. Neill, Sandown Road, Belfast—Stout Fella; 3, Miss A. Maguire, Tipperary—Mountain View Storm. Limit dog—1, Miss A. Huntington—Rosewood Beau; 2, Mrs. Charters—St. Margaret Satrad; 3, Mrs. M. Neill—Stout Fella. Open dog—1, Miss M. C. Tudway—Sirius of Stoberry; 2, Miss A. Huntington—Rosewood Beau; 3, Mrs. Charters—St. Margaret Satrad. Puppy bitch—1, Mrs. V. Whitfield, Tipperary—Storm Cloud. Novice bitch—1, Mrs. Charters—St. Margaret Malice; 2, S. G. Fenton—Seapatrick Doris; 3, Miss A. Maguire—Mountain View Bit. Graduate bitch—1, Mrs. Charters—St. Margaret Malice; 2, O. Garside, Ashton-under-Lyne—Walside Countess; 3, S. G. Fenton—Seapatrick Doris. Limit bitch—1, R. S. de Quincey, Surrey—Brash Beautiful; 2, Mrs. Charters—St. Margaret Malice; 3, O. Garside—Walside Countess. Open bitch—1, R. S. de Quincey—Brash Beautiful; 2, Mrs. Charters—St. Margaret Malice; 3, O. Garside—Walside Countess. "Restricted" open dog or bitch—1, Miss M. C. Tudway—Sirius of Stoberry; 2, Miss A. Maguire—Mountain View Storm; 3, N. J. and T. A. Caffrey—Redlands Reverie. Brace—1, S. G. Fenton's brace; 2, Miss A. Maguire's brace; 3, Mrs. V. Whitfield's brace. Team—1, S. G. Fenton's team.

BEDLINGTON TERRIERS.

Open dog or bitch—1, Miss M. A. Roberts, Enniscorthy—Agatha; 2 and 3, Miss E. V. Herdman, Tyrella House—Miss Pink and Gardeners Express.

SCOTTISH TERRIERS.

Puppy dog or bitch—1, J. R. Jackson—Culbahn Jock; 2, W. Davidson, Falkirk—Laurieston Livid; 3, Mrs. J. Warre and Mrs. J. F. Hodges, Glenravel—Glenwilliam Shanta. Novice dog or bitch—1, J. R. Jackson—Culbahn Jock; 2, W. Davidson—Laurieston Livid; 3, R. Dunbar, Onslow Gardens, Belfast—Breaston of Ben-Aigen. Graduate dog—1, J. R. Jackson—Cullahn Jock; 2, W. Davidson—Laurieston Lonerigg; 3, Miss B. Walker, Bloomfield—Lochiel Warning. Graduate bitch—1, W. Davidson—Laurieston Livid; 2, S. C. Currie, Antrim—Kate Kurry; 3, Mrs. J. M'Gifford, Carrickfergus—Vixen. Open dog—1, R. Chapman—Albourne Highlander; 2, W. Davidson—Laurieston Lonerigg; 3, Mrs. E. M. Garnett—Keystone Kipper. Open bitch—1, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Robb—Albourne Romance; 2, W. Davidson—Laurieston Livid; 3, S. C. Currie—Kate Kurry.

WEST HIGHLAND WHITE TERRIERS.

Puppy dog or bitch—1 and 3, Mrs. E. M. Garnett—Scuttle of the Roe and Patricia of the Roe; 2, Mrs. S. S. Hawkes, Cork—Bridepark Robber. Novice dog or bitch—1 and 3, Mrs. E. M. Garnett—Scuttle of the Roe and Patricia of the Roe; 2, Mrs. S. S. Hawkes—Bridepark Robber. Open dog—1, Mrs. A. M. Bird—Ch. Placemore Caution; 2, Mrs. E. M. Garnett—Skelum of the Roe. Open bitch—1, Mrs. E. M. Garnett—Anne of the Roe; 2, Mrs. J. Warre and Mrs. J. F. Hodges—Glengair Frouch; 3, Mrs. C. M. Heron—My Riveria Rose. Brace—1, Mrs. E. M. Garnett's brace. Team—1, Mrs. E. M. Garnett's team.

CAIRN TERRIERS.

Puppy dog—1 and 3, Mrs. V. Graham—Wee MacNab of Edenderry and Wee Andy of Edenderry; 2, Hon. Lady De C. Wheeler, Dublin—Alan of Annesboro'. Novice dog—1, Miss C. Vicars, Woking—Donnington Stumpy; 2, Lt.-Col. W. Adye-Curran, C.B., Dublin—Trieg of Fair City; 3, J. St. J. Phillips, Knock Road—Tosh of Kingsden. Junior dog or bitch—1, Miss C. Vicars—Donnington Stumpy; 2, Miss D. Kirk, University Square, Belfast—Northern Mac; 3, Miss Irving—Beechacre Isla. Graduate dog—1, Miss C. Vicars—Donnington Stumpy; 2, Mrs. V. Graham—Wee Jock of Edenderry; 3, B. Simpson, Armagh—Mee MacKenzie of Bann. Open dog—1, J. E. Kerr—Harviestoun Benefactor; 2, Miss C. Vicars—Donnington Stumpy; 3, Mrs. V. Graham—Wee Jock of Edenderry. Puppy bitch—1, Miss M. Irving—Beechacre Isla; 2, Rev. T. C. and Mrs. N. C. Topley, Ballycastle—Mullart's Meysie; 3, J. E. Kerr—Harviestoun Anita. Novice bitch—1, Rev. T. C. and Mrs. N. C. Topley—Mullart's Meysie; 2, J. E. Kerr—Harviestoun Anita; 3, Miss H. L. Gaussen, Belfast—Winnie the Pooh. Graduate bitch—1, Miss M. Irving—Beechacre Blaeberry; 2, J. E. Kerr—Harviestoun Anita; 3, Rev. T. C. and Mrs. N. C. Topley—Dalila of Gunthorpe. Open bitch—1, Miss M. Irving—Beechacre Blaeberry; 2, Hon. Lady De C. Wheeler—Carngowan Cora; 3, J. E. Kerr—Harviestoun Anita. Brace—1, Miss M. Irving's brace. Team—1, Hon. Lady De C. Wheeler's team.

FRENCH BULLDOGS.

Open dog or bitch—1 and 3, Miss E. West, Newtownbreda—Bijou Babette of Newtownbreda and Mi Mi; 2, Mrs. S. Dempsey, Greystones—Beanfleur. Puppy dog or bitch—1 and 2, Mrs. M. M. Kirkpatrick, Dunmurry—Cloneen Blackbird and Lola of Maryville; 3, F. W. Hull—Prince Amber. Novice dog or bitch—1, Mrs. V. Graham, Newtownbreda—Edenderry Beetle; 2, Mrs. M. M. Kirkpatrick—Cloneen Blackbird. Graduate dog—1, Mrs. V. Graham—Edenderry Beetle; 2, Mrs. S. Dempsey—Roy Reg Again. Open dog—1, S. Robinson, Belfast—Portallo Rodger; 2, Mrs. M. M. Kirkpatrick—King Cole of Broadway; 3, Mrs. S. Dempsey—Roy Reg Again. Graduate bitch—1, Mrs. M. M. Kirkpatrick—May Blossom of Broadway; 2 and 3, Mrs. V. Graham—Edenderry Daphney and Edenderry Kiffa Sally. Open bitch—1, Mrs. M. M. Kirkpatrick—May Blossom of Broadway; 2 and 3, Mrs. V. Graham—Edenderry Daphney and Edenderry Kiffa Sally. "Restricted" open dog or bitch (black)—1 and 3, Mrs. M. M. Cole of Broadway; 2, Mrs. V. Graham—Edenderry Kirkpatrick—May Blossom of Broadway and King Cole of Broadway. "Restricted" dog or bitch (fawn)—1, S. Robinson—Portallo Rodger; 2, Mrs. S. Dempsey—Roy Reg Again. Brace—1, Mrs. M. M. Kirkpatrick's brace. Team—Mrs. M. M. Kirkpatrick's team.

PEKINGESE.

Puppy dog or bitch—1, Miss P. Mann, Holywood—Perleholme Yung-Pung; 2, Mrs. A. C. Henderson—T'Sun-Dah of Riddrie; 3, Mrs. B. L. Phillips—Robin of Kingsden. Novice dog—1, Mrs. A. C. Henderson—T'Sun-Dah of Riddrie; 2, Mrs. B. L. Phillips—Tresfin of Kingsden; 3, W. F. M'Coy, Belfast—Peter Fu Ti. Junior dog or bitch—1, Mr. and Mrs. Weil, Lancs.—Nu-Dah of Chinatown; 2, Mrs. B. L. Phillips—Robin of Kingsden; 3, Miss K. E. Morgan, Tipperary—Ladybird of Crossogue. Graduate dog—1, Lt.-Col. R. H. St. C. Robinson, Dublin—Cumbala Kha-Loh; 2, J. Nelson, Helen's Bay—Jachin of Clandebuoy; 3, Miss E. Howe, Coniston—Marcus of Shantung. Limit dog—1, Miss M. L. Heuston, Sussex—J'Quen of Greystones; 2, Mr. and Mrs. Weil—Nu-Dah of Chinatown; 3, Lt.-Col. R. H. St. C. Robinson—Cumbala Kha-Loh. Open dog—1, Miss M. L. Heuston—J'Quen of Greystones; 2, Mr. and Mrs. Weil—Nu-Dah of Chinatown; 3, Mrs. F. Burgess—Feisal of Iwade. Novice bitch—1, Mrs. E. Lewis, Dublin—Wainse; 2, Miss K. E. Morgan—Ladybird of Crossogue; 3, J. Nelson—Lady Veronica of Clandebuoy. Graduate bitch—1, Mrs. E. Lewis—Wainse; 2, Miss K. E. Morgan—Nicola of Crossogue; 3, J. Nelson—Sweetie of Clandebuoy. Limit bitch—1 and 2, J. Nelson—Lady Veronica of Clandebuoy and Sweetie of Clandebuoy; 3, Miss E. R. Henderson—Peach of Knockmore. Open bitch—1, Miss E. Wilson—Beechmount Bren-Dah; 2, J. Nelson—Sweetie of Clandebuoy; 3, Miss E. R. Henderson—Peach of Knockmore. "Restricted" open dog or bitch, 8lb. and under (puppies not eligible)—1, J. Nelson—Jachin of Clandebuoy; 2, Miss L. A. Moore—Wei Yeni Yo; 3, Miss K. E. Morgan—Ladybird of Crossogue. "Restricted" open dog or bitch (red or red brindle)—1, Miss M. L. Heuston—J'Quen of Greystones; 2, Mrs. A. C. Henderson—Wun-Dah of Riddrie; 3, Miss E. Howe—Marcus of Shantung. "Restricted" open dog or bitch (fawn grey brindle)—1, Mr. and Mrs. Weil—Nu-Dah of Chinatown; 2, Mrs. F. Burgess—Feisal of Iwade; 3, J. Nelson—Jachin of Clandebuoy. Brace—1, Miss K. E. Morgan's brace. Team—1, Miss K. E. Morgan's team.

POMERANIANS.

Puppy dog or bitch—1, Miss A. Grattan Bellew, Enneskerry—Palma; 2, W. J. O'Toole, Dublin—Bloomfield Beauty; 3, C. F. Taylor, Ardenlee Avenue—Haulmark Trigo. Novice dog or bitch—1, R. Abbott—The Red Knut; 2, Miss M. B. Long, Stranmillis Road—The Graphic; 3, Miss A. Grattan Bellew—Palma. Junior dog or bitch—1, R. Abbott, Crumlin Road, Belfast—The Red Knut; 2, Miss M. B. Long—The Graphic; 3, Miss A. Grattan Bellew—

CLONES SHOW.

CONSIDERABLE INCREASE IN ENTRIES.

Northern Successes.

Clones Show yesterday was one of the most successful ever held, entries exceeding last year by over 300. Exhibits were excellent, and the horse-jumping far outshone any previous fixture.

The principal awards were:—Challenge Cup, presented by Mr. Felix Kierans, Newbliss, for best Shorthorn bull two years and upwards—Won by T. Bamford, Lisnaroe, Clones.

The Smyth Cup for best heifer not having a calf likely to make dairy cow—James M'Caldin, Monaghan.

George Knight Memorial Perpetual Cup for best gelding or mare, any age—Thomas Smyth, Drumkilloch, Smithboro.

Perpetual Challenge Cup, presented by Mr. John Skelton, Clones, for best cow—Mrs. Thomas W. Hanna, Brookville, Smithboro.

CATTLE.

Best Shorthorn bull—W Jennings, South Marsh, Dundalk.

Best Shorthorn bull, calved 1927—Robert Hall, Ballintoppin, Smithboro.

Yearling bulls—1, C. Verschoyle, Ballinamallard; 2, F. Kieran; 3, Cochran and Welsh.

Registered Shorthorn dairy bull—1, George Skelton, Ashgrove, Clones; 2, Felix Keirans; 3, Cochran and Welsh.

Shorthorn cow in calf—1, T. W. Hanna; 2, C. Verschoyle; 3, George Skelton.

Cow in calf, valuation over £50—1, John M'Loughlin, Enniskillen; 2, C. Verschoyle; 3, Thomas Noble, Clones.

Shorthorn cow on Department register—1, George Skelton; 2 and 3, George F. Graham.

Shorthorn heifer, calved 1927—1, Thomas Noble; 2, F. Kierans. Calved 1928—1, C. Welsh; 2, Edward Gregg, Clontwern; 3, P. J. Maguire.

Jersey cow, in calf or milk—1, P. Toal, Smithboro; 2, James M'Caldin; 3, John M'Caldin.

Friesian cow—1, Alex. Montgomery, Ballinode; 2 and 3, W. F. M'Coy, Knock, Ballymore, Newtownbutler.

HORSES.

Mare, with foal — 1, Robert Pollock, Monaghan.

Four-year-old colt—1, S. Parkhill, Clones.

Colt or filly—1, S. Parkhill, Clones.

Gelding or mare pony—A. R. Reid, Kilmore, Monaghan.

Pony—John Clarke, Monaghan.

Mrs. Fitzgerald, Clonavilla, was the principal prizewinner in the sheep section.

Sample of penmanship, 100 words—A. Dunlop, Foughlish, Fivemiletown. 50 words—1, Annie Hackett; 2, Kathleen Duncan; 3, Lily Hackett—all of Colebrooke School.

JUMPING AND RIDING.

Jumping and riding for style and appearance—1, J. Laverty, Dungannon; 2, Thomas Hogan, Creeve; 3, Jack Parkhill, Clones.

Single harness turnout—1, Owen Connolly, Threemilehouse; 2, H. Clarke, Monaghan.

Riding for style and appearance—1, Miss Dessa Wilson, Whiteabbey; 2, Joseph Laverty, Dungannon; 3, Miss Pringle, Clones.

Race for cobs and ponies—1, James Moore, Clones; 2, Henry M'Fadden, Monaghan.

Jumping for horses (catch weights)—1 and 2, John Warwick, Belfast; 3, Swastika Laundry, Dublin.

Race for ponies not over 12 hands—1, Miss Smyth, Clones; 2, Mr. Cobine, Lisnaskea; 3, Mr. Creadon, Fivemiletown.

Jumping for horses ridden by ladies—1 and 3, John Warwick; 2, Swastika Laundry.

Musical chairs—1, Marshall Parkhill, Clones; 2, J. Moore, Clones; 3, H. M'Fadden, Monaghan.

Jumping for horses (catchweights)—1, John Warwick; 2, Joseph Laverty; 3, Patk. M'Entee, Clonefad, Clones.

Musical chairs—1, Miss Smyth, Clones; 2, S. Breadon; 3, Marshall Parkhill.

RECORDER'S COURT LAW LIST.

At the Belfast Recorder's Court yesterday it was announced that the appeals from magistrates' orders will be taken to-day on the conclusion of the criminal business, and that licensing and amusement applications will be heard to-morrow at 11 o'clock a.m., in the Crown Court, Crumlin Road.

Palma. Graduate dog or bitch—1, Miss Grattan Bellew—Dargle Sprite; 2, Miss M. B. Long—The Graphic; 3, J. W. White, Vernon Street, Belfast—Ormeau Supreme. Limit dog or bitch—1 and 2, Miss Grattan Bellew—Dargle Sprite and Stargold Perry; 3, J. W. White—Ormeau Supreme. Open dog or bitch—1 and 2, Miss Grattan Bellew—Dargle Sprite and Stargold Perry; 3, J. W. White—Ormeau Supreme. Brace—1, Miss Grattan Bellew's brace.

YORKSHIRES.

Puppy dog or bitch—1, J. Jackson, Coleraine—Dewsbarian Lennie; 2, A. Creighton, Belfast—Ben View; 3, Mrs. H. Adair, Bangor—Lady Lavender. Novice dog or bitch—1, J. Jackson—Dewsbarian Billie; 2, Mrs. W. J. Jamison, Belfast—Little Susan; 3, Mrs. A. B. O'Neill, Belfast—Girlie Supreme. Graduate dog or bitch—1, M. Lemon, Manchester—Hullard Blue Magic; 2, Mrs. R. Green, Halifax—Ovenden Blue Beppo; 3, Miss S. Logan, Warrenpoint—Little Pickwick. Limit dog or bitch—1, H. Lemon—Hullard Blue Magic; 2, Mrs. R. Green—Ovenden Blue Beppo; 3, Miss S. Logan—Little Pickwick. Open dog—1, H. Lemon—Hullard Blue Magic; 2, Mrs. R. Green—Ovenden Blue Beppo; 3, Miss S. Logan—Little Pickwick. Open bitch—1, W. Telford, Belfast—Armley Principal Lady; 2, Mrs. W. J. Jamison—Little Susan; 3, Mrs. H. Adair—Lady Lavender.

BLACK AND TAN TERRIERS (MINIATURE).

Puppy dog or bitch—1 and 2, Thomas Gibb, Belfast—Duncairn Dolores and Duncairn Joker; 3, J. Stewart—Dandy Nell. Novice dog or bitch—1, T. Gibb—Duncairn Joker; 2, J. Stewart—Dandy Nell; 3, A. M'Kenzie, Belfast—Parkmount Clip. Open dog or bitch—1 and 2, T. Gibb—Duncairn Boy and Duncairn Dodger; 3, J. Stewart—Avenue Lil. Brace—1, T. Gibb's brace. Team—1, T. Gibb's team.

GRIFFONS BRUXELLOIS.

Open dog or bitch—1, Mrs. M. Cromie, Banbridge—Glenwood Gadfly; 2, Mrs. H. H. Bodenham, Killyleagh—Partridge Hill Prig; 3, Miss E. Millar, Ballymena—Bidde-Be-De.

ANY VARIETY TOY.

Novice dog or bitch—1, Miss B. L. Phillips, Belfast—Tresfin of Kingsden; 2, C. F. Taylor, Belfast—Haulmark Trigo; 3, Miss L. A. Moore, Killinchy—Wei Tini Ting. "Restricted" open dog or bitch—1, T. Gibb—Duncairn Dodger; 2, Miss L. A. Moore—Wei Yeni Yo; 3, J. M. White—Ormeau Supreme. Novice dog or bitch—1, Mrs. B. L. Phillips—Tresfin of Kingsden; 2, C. F. Taylor—Haulmark Trigo; 3, Miss L. A. Moore—Wei Tini Ting. "Restricted" open dog or bitch—1, Mrs. M. Cromie—Glenwood Gadfly; 2, T. Gibb—Duncairn Dodger; 3, Miss L. A. Moore—Wei Yeni Yo. Open dog or bitch—1, Mrs. F. Burgess, Huyton—Feisal of Iwade; 2, Mrs. M. Cromie—Glenwood Gadfly; 3, Miss G. M. Girvan, Killinchy—Fairie Flo.

ANY VARIETY NOT CLASSED.

Open dog—1, T. H. Moorby—Rustic Rocket (whippet); 2, Mrs. Savell-Hicks—Argosy Cheeky (keeshond); 3, W. G. Graham—Peter Piper (Skye terrier).

ANY VARIETY SPORTING.

Open dog—1, T. H. Moorby—Stainton Spruce; 2, J. V. Rank—Galleon of Ouborough; 3, Mrs. M. Anderson—Ash Hussar. Open bitch—1, W. M'Causland—Melfort Magpie; 2, R. I. Herald—Coppington Constance; 3, T. H. Moorby—Stylish Monniegold.

ANY VARIETY NON-SPORTING.

Open dog or bitch—1, J. Leeming—Crewe So Solarium; 2, J. Vosse Rank—Ch. Plaza of Ouborough; 3, Mrs. Parker-Keene—Angela of Castlegrange.

ANY VARIETY TERRIER.

Open dog—1, J. W. Turner, Belfast—Wycollar Diamond Merchant; 2, S. M. Stewart, Coventry—Ch. Belfast Supreme; 3, R. Butler—Judicious Gangster. Open bitch—1, Major-General J. Sweeney, Rosse's Reveille; 2, Mrs. A. L. Carter, Leixlip—Delaine; 3, Mrs. J. Phelpot Curran—Courtier's Irish Beauty.

ANY VARIETY.

Novice dog or bitch—1, W. Davidson, Falkirk—Laurieston Livid; 2, R. I. Herald—Coppington Constance. Open dog or bitch—1, T. H. Moorby—Stylish Monniegold; 2, J. Leeming, Blackpool—Crewe So Solarium; 3, J. V. Rank—Galleon of Ouborough.

LITTER CLASS.

1, D. O. Perry, Belfast—cockers; 2, Miss L. A. Moore, Killinchy—Pekingese; 3, Mrs. James Parkinson—Pekingese.

COUNTY ANTRIM'S BEST COTTAGES.

AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE'S PRIZE SCHEME.

List of Awards.

The annual cottage prize scheme organised by the County Antrim Committee of Agriculture has this year been the greatest success on record, and County Antrim can now boast of having the most successful and most keenly-contested cottage competition in all Ulster.

The competition has ran uninterruptedly since 1912, and each year there has been a gradual increase in the number of entries—this year 132 competitors being a record.

The great object of the scheme is to encourage the rural cottagers—both Council and ex-service men—to keep neat, tidy homes and well-cultivated gardens. In judging the competition everything is taken into consideration—the condition of the dwelling-houses, fruit, flower, and vegetable culture, also poultry, live stock, and bees.

JUDGE'S REPORT.

Mr. Duncan M'Kenzie, County Fermanagh (judge), stated in his report that the cottages were, with few exceptions, in excellent order, from a point of view of neatness and cleanliness, and in most cases the household effects were suitably arranged. The general appearance both inside and out was very creditable to the occupiers. In many cases climbers were trained against the walls and on arches and trellis work, which added greatly to the effect and beauty of the cottages.

Gardens were, on the whole, well cultivated and comparatively free from weeds, having in them a good supply of summer and winter vegetables. The quality was good, except in gardens where the soil was very light. The effects of drought during May, June, and July was noticeable. Seventy per cent. of the gardens were completely cultivated. Potatoes occupied the greater part of the plots, and consisted chiefly of the varieties, Arran Victory, Kerr's Pink, and British Queen. Spraying was well carried out. There was a good supply of soft fruits, chiefly strawberries, gooseberries, and black currants, and in most cases a good display of flowers. Bees were kept by eighteen of the competitors and are being worked on modern methods, in bar frame hives, for section honey. There were no signs of disease in any of the stocks at time of inspection. Ninety-four of the competitors kept poultry, mostly of mixed breeds. Pigs were kept by thirty-nine, and cows by six, of the competitors. With few exceptions, the housing and quality was good.

Ex-Service Men's Class.—There was again keen competition in this class. The cottages were in excellent order. In most cases more than the usual amount of interest was taken, not merely to have the cottages and premises looking well, but to have in the gardens a selection of fruit and vegetables of good quality. Progress has been made in the arrangement of plots, the making of paths, the planting of hedges, and in the formation of flower beds, in most of these newly-formed gardens.

Championship Class.—The entries in this class were of a high standard, from a point of view of the excellent order of the cottage and premises, and the quality of fruit, vegetables, and flowers produced in the garden. The plots were well laboured, the flower beds and walks were in good order and fairly free from weeds, and the hedges were neatly trimmed. A few points only decided the prize-winners from a number of those not included in the list.

THE AWARDS.

CHAMPIONSHIP CLASS.

1, George Corken, Kilmakee, Dunmurry; 2, Martin Stewart, Drains, Larne; 3, John Hogg, Belfast Road, Antrim; 4, Samuel Sittlington, Droagh, Larne; 5, John Caldwell, Ballymacormick, Ballymoney.

EX-SERVICE MEN'S CLASS.

1, Wm. J. Stewart, Belfast Road, Antrim; 2, David M'Cullough, Toome Road, Ballymena; 3, Robert Kennedy, Cambria, Whiteabbey; 4, R. G. Wilson, Townparks, Ballycastle; 5, Wm. Allen, sen., Belfast Road, Antrim; 6, Wm. Ascough, Townparks, Ballycastle; 7, Wm. Telford, Toome Road, Ballymena; 8, Hugh Connor, Newhill, Ballymoney; 9, James Hunter, Newhill, Ballymoney; 10, James Creaney, Cambria, Whiteabbey; 11, Joseph Barclay, Newhill, Ballymoney; 12, George Richardson, Kamel Hill, Randalstown.

BALLYMENA RURAL.

1, John Irwin, Ballygarvey, Ballymena; 2, Wm. Logan, Line Cottages, Cullybackey; 3, Wm. Greer, sen., Aughnahoy, Portglenone; 4, John Cathcart, Carigywarren, Ballymena; 5, Thomas Robinson, Glenwherry, Ballymena; 6, Wm. M'Neill, Killygore, Ballymena.

LARNE AND BELFAST.

1, Mrs. Blades, Ballymoney, Islandmagee; 2, James Kennedy, Gallanagh, Carnlough; 3, Thomas Hill, Kilcoan, Islandmagee; 4, Henry Malcolm, Council Cottages, Greenisland; 5, Mrs. W. J. Higginson, Skilganaban, Ballyclare; 6, John M'Elwee, Callisnaugh, Glenariffe.

LISBURN RURAL.

1, Stewart Kerr, Colin Road, Dunmurry; 2, Mrs. Mary Turner, Kilmakee, Dunmurry; 3, Joseph Evans, Knockmore, Lisburn; 4, Saml. Ross, Ballyvorally, Glenavy; 5, James Hull, Aghalee; 6, Joseph Watson, Belfast Road, Glenavy.

ANTRIM RURAL.

1, Daniel Bell, Ballyclan, Crumlin; 2, James Taggart, Townparks, Antrim; 3, W. J. Whitesides, Gortgallon, Crumlin; 4, Jas. Huston, Feehogue, Randalstown; 5, Matthew Wylie, Niblock, Antrim; 6, Mrs. James M'Laughlin, Ballygrooby, Randalstown.

BALLYMONEY RURAL.

1, Dan Morrison, Seacon, Ballymoney; 2, Samuel Hamilton, 92, Ballyrattican, Dervock; 3, John Morrison, Seacon, Ballymoney; 4, David Currie, Enagh, Ballymoney; 5, William M'Laughlin, Cabra, Ballymoney; 6, Mrs. Annie M'Lean, Ballymaconnolly, Ballymoney.

BALLYCASTLE RURAL.

1, John M'Neill, Riverside Cottage, Cushendun; 2, Henry Carnegie, Hillhead, Ballycastle; 3, Andrew M'Neill, Sleans, Cushendun; 4, Patrick Mullan, Moyaver, Armoy; 5th, Dan M'Elroy, Acreville, Ballycastle; 6, Patrick Hill, Ramoan, Ballycastle.

To the Antrim County Committee of Agriculture, and Mr. A. B. Clarke, B.A. (the secretary), and the horticultural instructors of the county every credit is due for the wonderful success of the competition. It must be a matter of much pleasure and gratification to Sir Edward Archdale, Bart., M.P., and the staff of the Ministry of Agriculture that all the numerous and helpful schemes approved of by that body are in active operation in County Antrim.

WITHOUT PARENT'S CONSENT

18-year-old Girl Gets Court Permission to Marry

An 18-year-old girl who appeared at Birmingham Police Court yesterday to ask permission to marry a man aged 21, without the consent of her parents, who were present in Court to resist the order, gained the magistrate's consent.

She stated that her father had threatened to shoot her if she married the man, while her mother had said, "she would chop her feet off before she should walk to the altar to meet him."

The parents told the Court that they did not consider the girl old enough to marry.

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Twelve £1 1s Prizes for Best Answers : : : For particulars see Monday's Issue

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