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CATALOGUE OF DRAUGHT HORSES, AND THOROUGH-BRED CATTLE, SHEEP, &c.,

IMPORTED BY THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE OF NOVA SCOTIA UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

To be offered for sale at Public Auction, by James Duggan, on the Grand Parade, Halifax, on Thursday, 31st October, 1872, at 11 o'clock, A.M., precisely, under restriction that the Animals are to be kept in the Province for breeding purposes.

Numbers in brackets, thus [448], refer to Canada Herd Book.

Numbers in parentheses, thus (17742), refer to English Herd Book.

Numbers not enclosed, thus 245, refer to American Herd Book.

Numbers in Roman Capitals, thus XLVII, refer to the Nova Scotia Stock Register.

TERMS.—Cash on delivery.

Animals must be taken charge of by purchasers immediately after the sale.

In order to encourage the more general diffusion of Thoroughbred Stock throughout the Province, the Board have determined to allow a discount on the sale prices of 10 per cent. to all purchasers from Cape Breton Counties, and of 5 per cent. to other purchasers who reside at a distance of not less than 30 miles from a Railway Station. No discount will be allowed upon animals purchased for localities within a distance of 30

miles of a Railway Station, and should any animals not be taken forthwith to the localities for which discount is allowed, the respective purchasers will be required to refund whatever amounts of discount they may have received.

Societies desirous of making available for this sale, their annual grants for 1872 (payable at the end of December) may arrange to do so by applying to the Secretary of the Board.

Pedigrees not fully given in this Catalogue will be supplied to purchasers either on the day of sale or when received from the breeders.

HORSES.

LOT.

1.—Marquis of Lorne, LXI. An English Draught Horse (entire.)

Marquis of Lorne is of a beautiful brown color, stands 16 hands high, with strong muscle and well-set limbs, has good action and moves in a fine graceful style, and of docile temper. He will be 4 years old in May, was sired by the well-known Champion, imported from Scotland in 1863, and who gained the first prize at the Kirkmichael and Dalrymple Agricultural Shows. He was bred by Mr. Wm. Kirkwood, Shankston, Patna, Ayrshire, Scotland, out of a first-class Clydesdale mare which took two first prizes in succession at Dalrymple, and two at Kirkmichael and Patna. Her dam was considered by eminent judges to be the best ever shown in the district. Champion was sired by Sir Charles Napier, the horse of J. W. Headre, Esq., Ladybank, which gained the first prize at Castle Douglas of £40, where a large number of horses were shown. He also