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best of our knowledge. We have recently closed Volume 24, which contains 25,016 pedigrees, which is more, by a wide margin, than is contained in any previous volume. We are now receiving pedigrees for Volume 25, and wish to call the attention of members to the fact that December 1st is the time limit for recording 1909 lambs at fifty cents each. After that date the fee is twice as much. We also wish to announce that, at the last meeting of the executive committee it was decided after mature deliberation to refuse to credit members or officers, or hold money in deposit for the same, to be drawn on from time to time for work issued, and require, as most of the best breed associations do, remittance with all applications to cover same in full. The co-operation of patrons of the association in this matter is heartily desired. If you have any sheep to record before the time limit you will greatly aid us by sending them in at once, and avoid the rush of work which is close at hand.—L. E. TROEGER, secretary Amer. Shropshire Reg. Ass'n.

#### HOLLAND'S POULTRYMEN

Some of the poultrymen in the vicinity of Holland, Man., have not had as good luck this year as in former years. George Wood sold many of his Barred Plymouth Rocks last winter and spring. Then many of his hatches did not give a reasonable percentage of chicks. He has, however, some choice cockerels on hand. W. S. Abbott had a fair season and also has cockerels and a few pullets for sale. The same may be said of J. J. Pickard, with his Columbian Wyandottes. Thos. Sanderson has a large flock of Brown Leghorns.

#### TORONTO EXHIBITION DATES

The directors of the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, met recently and selected August 26 to September 11, as the dates of the big show for 1911. Arrangements are being made to erect some new buildings and also to pave some of the leading driveways. Stockmen hope, after the wet weather on judging days this year, to induce the management to have a covered judging arena for their accommodation before another fair comes round.

Following are the named days of the exhibition: Saturday, Preparation Day; Monday, Opening Day; Tuesday, Society Day; Wednesday, Children's Day; Thursday, Industrial Day; Friday, Press and Pioneers' Day; Saturday, Hamilton Day; Monday, Labor Day; Tuesday, Transportation Day; Wednesday, Agricultural Day; Thursday, Americans' Day; Friday, Stock Breeders' Day; Saturday, Athletic Sports Day.

#### HIGH PRICES FOR SHORTHORNS

The sensation of the moment, agriculturally, is the high prices prevalent at the sales of Shorthorns in Scotland. The keen demand is gratifying to breeders, and rather unexpected in view of the closing of the Argentine ports to British cattle. In spite of disagreeable and persistent rain the sale of drafts from the famous Collynie herd of Wm. Duthie, and from the Uppermill herd of Mr. Marr, attracted a big company and remarkable bidding for many of the animals. English breeders secured most of the higher priced calves.

From Mr. Duthie's herd there were 18 bull calves, well up to the Collynie's standard, though a little later than usual. The 18 calves brought the sum of £6,811, an average of over £378. For the first time in an open sale one of Mr. Duthie's calves brought over four figures. This was "Storm King," a white January calf of fine flesh and quality, by "Danesfield Storm King," out of "Collynie Pride 2nd." He sold for 1,050 gs. (\$5,500) to the Edgecote Shorthorn Company, an English midlands firm. The second highest price was 620 gs. for the roan calf, "Coming Storm," and he also came to England, being bought by Mr. Leon, of Bletchley. Mr. Leopold de Rothschild paid 600 gs. for "Collynie Christmas," and the same figure was paid by Capt. A. T. Gordon, Combscausway for "Lavender Victor." "Collynie Stamp" brought 580 gs. from Mr. Casares, London, and Geo. Harrison, Darlington, bought "Collynie Standard" for 530 gs. "Royal Stamp" went at 510 gs. to W. Anderson, Saphock, and C. W. Tindall, Wainfleet, gave 500 gs. for "Storm Prince."

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