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**GOSSIP.**

Mr. James Bowman, Elm Park Farm, Guelph, Ont., recently embarked for Great Britain, presumably with the purpose in view of making an importation of Aberdeen-Angus cattle to supplement his noted Elm Park herd.

The dates fixed for holding the leading Maritime Provincial exhibitions are as follows: St. John, N. B., Aug. 30th to Sept. 6th; Halifax, N. S., Sept. 10th to 18th; Charlottetown, P. E. I., Sept. 23rd to 28th. Plans for the new Winter Fair buildings at Amherst, N. S. have been prepared by Mr. F. L. Fuller, manager of the Government Farm at Truro, N. S. The date for this event is yet to be fixed. The site is that of the old Academy grounds.

Messrs. F. Bonycastle & Sons, Campbellford, Ont., breeders of Shorthorns, Cotswolds, Berkshires, and Barred Rocks, in ordering a change in their advertisement, write: "The calves we are offering are an extra good lot, red and roan, from choice milking cows, some of which are from a Cruickshank Duchess of Gloster bull, and the calves are by a Miss Ramsden bull. The prices quoted are low for such breeding, and they register them and pay express charges to any part of Ontario and Quebec.

A choice 200-acre farm in Brant Co., Ont., two miles from the thriving town of Paris and eight miles from the City of Brantford, is advertised for sale in this issue. The location is an extra good one for market and shipping convenience, and in one of the best farming districts in the province, and from the description, the farm is well equipped and in excellent condition.

Mr. Walter S. Park, Hatton, Bishop-ton, England, has sold the well-bred four-year-old Clydesdale stallion, Royal Token (10890) to Mr. E. J. Mansell, of London, Ontario. He was got by the noted breeding Prince of Wales horse, Royal Signet, out of the famous Darnley mare, Hatton Beauty, dam of Prince of Erskine and Kate Park, and several other notable prizewinners.

Messrs. Alfred Mansell & Co., livestock exporters, Shrewsbury, England, shipped from Avonmouth on the 29th of April, thirty Shropshire sheep bred by Mr. A. E. Mansell, and purchased by Mr. Robert Miller, Stouffville, Ont. These sheep consisted of 14 rams and 16 ewes, which, with the exception of one ram, were too young to include in the famous Harrington dispersion sale, so were kept by Mr. Mansell until his final farm sale at Bishton Hall last March. Mr. Miller is to be congratulated on obtaining these sheep, which are probably the best of Mr. Mansell's breeding Canada will obtain.

Mr. Peter Crawford, Dargavel, Dumfries, has sold two noted Clydesdale horses—Captain Alexander (10175) and Lord Smith (10894)—to Mr. Hay, Canada, two—Prince's Model (11146) and Royal Fortune (10432)—to Daltry Bros., London, Ont. Captain Alexander is a thick, strong-boned horse, bred by Mr. John M. Hannah, and got by the Cawdor cup champion, Prince Alexander (8899), which was bought when a yearling for £1,200. Captain Alexander won prizes as a yearling and two-year-old, and was the Dunblane, Doune and Callander premium horse later on. Lord Smith (10894) is a big, powerful horse, by Ethiopia (5750), which stood third as a yearling at the H. & A. S. Show, Kelso, in 1898. He has good feet, and broad, big loins, and was one of the best colts left by the old Keir stud horse in Ayrshire. Prince's Model is a right-bred one, his sire being the famous Moncreiffe Marquis (9953), which gained first prize at the H. & A. S. Show at Inverness this year. Royal Fortune was got by the thick, well-bred horse, Prince of Fortune (9826), which gained first prize at Glasgow Stallion Show when a four-year-old.

**THE AYRSHIRE ABROAD.**

For several years past Ayrshires have been increasing very much in favor in Sweden, where the dairy qualities of good cows of this breed have earned for them an excellent reputation in the great dairying districts. Numbers of bulls and cows of the breed are now regularly shipped to Sweden from their native home in Scotland, and for high-class animals good prices are freely paid. Several such shipments have recently taken place, one of the latest being a consignment of bulls recently despatched by Mr. Eklund, Inspector of Cattle Breeding for Sweden, who was specially sent across for the purpose of making a selection of animals calculated to improve the milking qualities of the native Swedish cattle.

Mr. Andrew Mitchell, Barcheskie, Kirkcudbright, has purchased from Mr. William Howie, Burnhouses, Kilmarnock, the very good Ayrshire cow, White Rose, with which that gentleman has been so successful in the leading show-yards for a year or two back. Practically, the cow has never been beaten in her class, and she has also to her credit the championships at Kilmarnock, Ayr, Glasgow, Galston, and the Highland Society. Mr. Mitchell also purchased from Mr. Howie the excellent three-year-old quey which was first in the uncalved class at Galston last month; also the two fine two-year-old queys, Aileen Aron and Queen of the Isles, with which Mr. Jas. Howie was first and third at Ayr. Mr. Mitchell is shipping this week to Cape Town, to the order of a South African buyer, a valuable consignment of two bulls and four heifers of the Ayrshire breed. Thirty-one head of Ayrshires were recently shipped from Edinburgh to South Africa.

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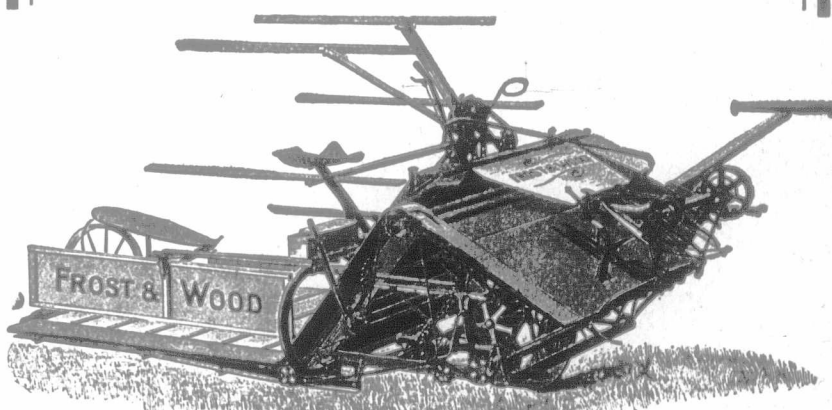
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