



A Marvel of the Age.

THE LONDON FENCE MACHINE

CANNOT BE EQUALLED

For perfect and rapid construction of coiled-spring woven-wire fencing direct from the bundle of wire and right on the posts where it is to stay. The only way to build a good fence. One half the cost of ready-made fencing, and more easily and satisfactorily erected.

The London will weave more and better fence than any other field weaver in the world.

It is a fact that it costs more to weave a rod of wire fence in the factory by any known process than to do it in the field with a London, and that the value of field-woven fence is 25% greater, pound for pound, yet often costs less than half, and takes very little longer to build than shoddy roll fences do.

Write for catalogue.

LONDON FENCE MACHINE CO., Limited.
LONDON, CAN.

Joseph Rodgers & Sons Limited.

SHEFFIELD, ENGLAND.

Please see that this EXACT MARK is on each blade.

JAMES HUTTON & CO., MONTREAL, SOLE AGENTS IN CANADA.



REGISTERED TRADE MARK

GRANTED 1682

THE DOMESTIC SCIENCE COURSE

Western Dairy School

STRATHROY,

Will open on JANUARY 15th. Classes will assemble on JANUARY 20th,

and continue for two months. Separate apartments have been fitted up with the best appliances for scientific and practical work. The course will include lectures and demonstrations in cooking and preparing foods for the table, preserving fruits, preparing poultry for market, and all subjects in connection with household economics. This department is in charge of Mrs. E. M. Torrance, and is specially provided for the farmers' wives and daughters of Western Ontario. Send for circular, and address all correspondence to

ARCHIBALD SMITH, Supt. Western Dairy School, Strathroy, Ont.

YOUR MONEY BACK

IF YOU DO NOT LIKE

Imperial Maple Syrup

Return it to the dealer of whom you bought it, who is authorized to give you your money back.

ROSE & LAFLAMME, Agents, MONTREAL.

PLEASE MENTION THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE.

GOSSIP.

Mr. Jas Yule, late manager of the Prairie Home stock farm, gave us a call the other day on his return from the east, where he and Mr. Walter James, of the Maple Grove Stock Farm, of Rosser, have been on a purchasing trip, and report having succeeded in buying the following Shorthorns to add to the herd already established at Maple Grove. From Alexander Isaac, of Cobourg, they purchased the best cow of this year's importation, Moss Rose 4th (imp.), Vol. 48, page 681, E. H. B. She is a beautiful roan, four years old, bred by J. & A. Milne, Nether, Cairnhill, Scotland. She is by Murillo (71054), dam Rock Rose by Plantagenet (57868). Moss Rose 4th is due to calve on the 15th of February next to Maroon (Vol. 49, E. H. B.), bred by Robert Bruce, Heatherwick, Inverurie, Scotland, a straight Cruickshank bull. In addition to being well-bred, this cow won first prize at Lawrence Kirk Show in July last. Another which is added is Bessie Lee—39900—, bred by J. & W. B. Watt, of Salem, Ont.; got by Hillsburg Tom—26756—, dam Matchless 11th—22939— by Barmpton Hero—324—. It will be remembered that this heifer was shown by Hon. Thomas Greenway at Winnipeg and Brandon last July, winning first in her class at each place. She is due to calve in January 25th next, to Sixtyton Hero 7th—30892—. Lady Cobourg is also a roan, four years old, bred by C. & J. Carruthers, Cobourg, and got by Indian Wave—28000—, dam Lily 2nd—28029— by Village Boy 5th—16352—. This cow dropped a beautiful red bull calf on the way up, to one of Mr. John Isaac's bulls. Another is Lady Cobourg 2nd, out of Lady Cobourg—34788—, a grand, good, useful heifer. Two young bulls were also purchased from J. M. Gardhouse, Highfield, Ont., Wallflower's Chief and Weston Chief. These bulls are fit for service, and have the very choicest breeding, having in their pedigrees such noted bulls as Loyalty (imp.), Guardsman (imp.) and Prime Minister (imp.). They are for sale, and are fit to head any herd.

There was also in the carload, a Jersey bull for Mr. W. J. Lumsden, of Hanlan, Manitoba, from Bull & Sons, Brampton; a Yorkshire boar for William B. Mey, of Niverville, Man., from D. C. Platt, of Hamilton; two Yorkshire sows for Mr. Andrew Graham, of Pomeroy, from Major Hood, of Guelph; and a high-class trotting gelding for McLaren Brothers, of the Brunswick Hotel, Winnipeg.

THE BOW RIVER RANCH.

Mr. G. E. Goddard, Bow River Ranch, Cochrane, Alta., has at present 130 horses, three years old and upwards, for sale; also, two French Coach stallions, one of which, Paladino, was illustrated in the Christmas issue "Farmer's Advocate," page 922. To this horse all the best driving mares on the ranch have been bred. In Shire stallions, he is offering Grove Ringleader, and in Clydes, Baron Fordie 2nd. To these horses the draft mares have been bred. The latter average about 14 cwt. each, and two carload of them are to be sold. Mr. Goddard has also a number of Shorthorns and Angus grade cattle which may be purchased at right prices.

\$60,000 FOR DAN PATCH.

Mr. M. W. Savage, proprietor of the International Stock Food Farm, Minneapolis, Minnesota, with characteristic enterprise, persistency and pluck, has consummated the purchase of the great unbeaten pacing stallion, Dan Patch, at \$60,000, the highest price ever paid for a pacer. He will make a spring season in the stud and will be out on exhibition during the fall. Dan Patch was bred by D. A. Messner, Oxford, Indiana, who sold him last spring to Mr. Sturgis, of New York, for \$20,000.

At his new home on the International Stock Food Company's farm, Dan Patch will have a worthy stable mate in the great trotting stallion, Directum, 2.05½. Directum is still the champion four-year-old trotting stallion, and for seven years was the champion trotting stallion of the world, while for ten years he held the three-year-old trotting record. Dan Patch, like Directum, comes from a family of great race-horses.

Mr. Savage can boast of owning the three stallions whose average speed is greater than that of any stallions owned by any other man in the world. When Online died last summer, he was replaced with the pacer, Roy Wilkes, 2.06½, after Mr. Savage had made unavailing efforts to purchase Dan Patch. Even after securing Roy Wilkes, he did not give up hopes of securing his original choice, and after repeated conferences and much writing and telegraphing a sale was successfully made last month.

REGISTERED SHORTHORNS

FOR SALE.

Two 10-months-old Ontario-bred bulls, 2 yearling bulls, and heifers and cows of all ages. Prices according to quality. Pleased to meet visitors at Rosser Station, Rosser P. O., Man.

MARCHMONT HERD

Scotch-bred Shorthorns

The 2 imported bulls, Prince Alpine and Barrister head a herd of 90 imported and Canadian-bred, Scotch-topped cattle. A catalogue showing their breeding is now printed, and will be forwarded on application. 25 young bulls for sale, of modern breeding and good conformation, and at moderate prices. W. S. LISTEE, (7 miles n. of Winnipeg.) Middlechurch P. O. Tel. 10046.

Choice young Shorthorn Bulls for sale:

Stock bull, 3 years old, Woodworth Duke, and four thick, growthy bull calves, from 10 to 12 months old. Prices reasonable. H. R. TOLTON, Oak Lake, Man.

SHORTHORNS FOR SALE:

Ten choice young bulls, 6 to 12 months old, from good families—strong, growthy individuals. JOHN JARDINE, Manitou, Man.

SHORTHORNS FOR SALE:

Four bulls, one 4 years old—Melrund Hero, got by Don Quixote, bred by Duthie, of Melrund; two 2-year-olds, and one calf all red color. JAS. CHEYNE, Wanor, Assa.

Shorthorns, Leicesters, Berkshires.

Several good young bulls and heifers, a number of Leicester ewes; also, some of each sex in Berkshires for sale.

T. JASPAR, BRADWARDINE, MAN.

RESTRONGUET STOCK FARM

FOR SALE: About 80 head of young pure-bred Shorthorns, from 12 to 18 months old, 40 of them bulls. This herd is the Banner Herd of Manitoba, having 47 open-herd prizes to its credit, and not an animal ever beaten. All cattle sold will be delivered free of freight charges as far west as Calgary; also to Lake Dauphin, about May 1st, at our risk.

JOSEPH LAWRENCE & SONS, Clearwater, Man.

THORNDALE STOCK FARM

138 Shorthorns in Herd. FOR SALE: Foyal Judge—29260—, one of the stock bulls, winner of 1st at Winnipeg and Brandon, and 19 young bulls; also, females of all ages. JOHN S. ROBSON, MANITOU, MAN.

SHORTHORNS AND CLYDES FOR SALE

Three choice young bulls sired by Nevers (imp.) Also a few cows and heifers. One yearling stallion got by (imp.) McKinnon, and a few mares. A. & J. CHADBOURN, Ralphton, Man.

3 Shorthorn Bulls

For sale, from 9 months to 2½ years old—the low-set, thick-fleshed kind. One won sweepstakes at Portage la Prairie when a calf and 1st as a yearling. T. E. WALLACE, Portage la Prairie.

Plain View Stock Farm



You are always welcome to come and see us. We look as well as ever, and still fill the ring. We are all at home and for sale.

F. W. BROWN, Portage la Prairie, Man.

LAKESIDE SHORTHORNS FOR SALE

Stock Bull, Sir Colin Campbell (imp), winner of 2nd place at the Winnipeg Industrial, 1902; also Royal Campbell, rising 2, another Winnipeg winner, and two bull calves under 1 year—the low-set, growthy kind—sired by Sir Colin. R. McLennan, Holmfield.

FORESTHOME FARM

Shorthorns, Yorkshires, and Barred P. Rocks. FOR SALE: A number of choice young bulls. A fine lot of boars fit for service. Sows of different ages, bred and ready for breeding. Young pigs, both sexes. An exceptionally fine lot of ockerels—large, healthy, well-bred fellows. All at reasonable prices.

Carman, C. P. R.; Roland, C. N. R. ANDREW GRAHAM, Pomeroy P. O.