

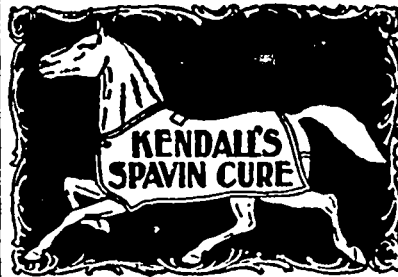
Stock Notes

JERSEY SALE POSTPONED.—Owing to the snow blockade on the railways Messrs. Sills, Shaver & Sons, Winchester Springs, Ont., have been compelled to postpone the date of their great sale of Jerseys till Thursday, March 22nd next. Our readers should remember this change of date and avail themselves of this opportunity to secure some select and well-bred Jerseys. This firm for a number of years have been making a specialty of breeding high-class Jerseys, and are offering their entire herd without reserve.

VALUABLE IMPORTATION OF AYRSHIRES. Mr. James Boden, manager for R. Reford & Co., Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Que., has recently imported a fine lot of Ayrshire cattle. The importation consists of sixteen head of choice bred cattle, selected from the best herds in the south-west of Scotland, as follows: Five from Wm. Wallace, Mauchline; four from Andrew Mitchell, Barckeskie; five from Thomas Howie, Fairfield Mains; one from James Howie, Hillhouse, Salston; and one from James Walker, Kirkmuir, Stewarton. The *Scottish Farmer*, referring to the shipment, says: "The whole form a splendid shipment of the best class of dairy stock. Canadians who wish to make money will have nothing to do with fancy Ayrshires. They want cows, large-framed, with good milky vessels and large teats. The tight vessel is not in favor, and the small teats are scorned. Mr. Boden says he knows at once on visiting a herd in this country whether the master himself milks. He never does so where a herd of small-teated cows with fancy vessels are kept. The sign may not always hold, but there is something in it." The cattle are now in quarantine at St. John, N.B., where they will remain for several weeks, so that it will be nearly the first of May before they arrive at Ste. Anne de Bellevue.

IMPORTANT JERSEY SALE.—Messrs. Sills, Shaver & Son, Winchester Springs, Ont., writes: Very unfortunately our sale had to be postponed until Thursday, March 22nd, on account of storm and roads being blocked up. We will hold our sale on premises, Winchester Springs, four miles south from Winchester, on C.P.R., from which intending purchasers will be taken over to farm from each train day of sale. Train from the west, nine o'clock. Train from the east 11:30, in time to reach sale. Any one wishing to come day before sale will be met at train and taken over and accommodated if they will notify us. Our list of forty head in all (including some having dropped since advertising before) will and must all be sold on the above date and will not be further postponed on account of weather. Anyone desiring extended pedigrees of any of our list may have same by applying to the proprietors. Interested persons may have lists sent them with full descriptions and age and color, etc., for the asking. Our stock are of superior quality as milk and butter producers, and have proven themselves as such. And as for pedigrees they are of the very best blood in the world, embracing some of the most noted Jersey blood, such as Stoke Pogis 3rd with twenty-six tested daughters with a record ranging from 14 lbs. 5 ozs. to 36 lbs. 12 1/4 ozs. in 7 days; the latter test being Mary Anne of St. Lambert 9770, and many others of the most noted Jerseys. Write for extended pedigree of bull which can't be beaten in Canada. He is a bull of very excellent dairy appearance and a most praiseworthy stock getter of superior quality, a model animal in every particular. Would be a credit to the very best Jersey herd. Our cows are milkers, not pictures, and have the proper form and are well deserving of inspection by any one interested in this class of dairy stock. Remember, thoroughbred stock may be shipped at half-rate and may be sent into the States free of duty. We hope everybody interested in this famous breed will take advantage of this sale in procuring some noble stock. The reason we are selling is that we are quitting farming altogether having leased our farm for a term of years and everything must go. Auctioneer, Mr. C. C. R. Morden, Niagara Falls, Ont.

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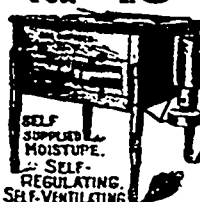
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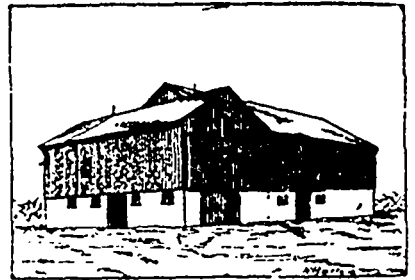
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