

ram; 1st, 2nd and 3rd, ram lamb; 1st, 2nd and 3rd, aged ewes; 1st, 2nd and 3rd, shearing ewes; 1st, 2nd and 3rd, ewe lambs; 1st, fat sheep.  
All the above shows were open to the world for competition.

**Robt Marsh, Richmond Hill, Ont., South-downs.**  
Industrial, Toronto, six prizes; Western Fair, London, eight prizes; Great Central, Hamilton, five prizes; Lansing Fair, eight prizes; Newmarket Co. Fair, ten prizes; Markham Co. Fair, four prizes; Woodbridge Co. Fair, fourteen prizes; Bradford, S. Simcoe, eight prizes. In all 74 prizes, 44 of which were firsts. They also took six pen prizes in their own class, and five sweepstake prizes where all breeds of sheep competed.

**Smith Evans, Gourcock, Oxford Downs.**  
Dominion and Industrial Exhibition, Toronto—2nd for ram, 2 shears and over; 2nd for ram lamb 3rd for 2 ewes, 2 shears and over; 3rd for 2 shearing ewes; 2nd for 2 ewe lambs; 3rd for pen.  
Western Fair, London—1st, 2nd and 3rd for ram, 2 shears and over; 1st and 2nd for shearing ram; 1st, 2nd and 3rd for ram lamb; 1st and 2nd for 2 ewes, 2 shears and over; 1st and 2nd for 2 shearing ewes; 1st and 2nd for 2 ewe lambs; diploma for pen.  
Central Fair, Hamilton—2nd for ram, 2 shears and over; 2nd for ram lamb; 2nd for 2 ewes, 2 shears and over; 2nd for 2 ewe lambs.

PIGS.

**J. G. Snell & Bro., Edmonton, Ont., Berkshire.**

The Dominion and Industrial Exhibition, Toronto—1st for boar over 2 years; 2nd for boar over 1 and under 2 years; 1st for boar over 6 months and under 12 months; 2nd for boar under 6 months; 1st and 3rd for sow over 2 years; 1st and 3rd for sow over 1 year and under 2 years; 1st and 3rd for sow 6 months and under 12 months; 2nd for sow under 6 months; 1st for herd, boar and 2 sows; 1st (special) for best boar and 2 sows of any breed.

Provincial Exhibition, Ottawa—1st and 3rd for boar over 2 years; 3rd for boar over 1 and under 2 years; 1st and 2nd for boar 6 and under 12 months; 1st and 2nd for sow over 2 years; 1st and 3rd for sow over 1 and under 2 years; 1st and 3rd for sow 6 and under 12 months; 1st for sow under 6 months; 1st for boar and 2 sows (Canada breed); 1st for boar and 2 sows (imported); diploma and silver medal for boar any age; diploma and silver medal for sow any age.

Central Exhibition, Hamilton—We won every 1st prize offered for Berkshires.

**J. S. Williams, Knowlton, P. Q., Berkshires.**

The Eastern Townships Exhibition, Sherbrook, P. Q.—2nd for sow 1 year and under; 2nd, sow over 6 mos.; 2nd, sow under 6 mos.

**T. G. Nankin, Ottawa, Yorkshire.**

Provincial Exhibition, Ottawa—Yorkshire or other large breeds: 2nd for boar over 2 years; 1st for boar over 1 and under 2 years; 1st for boar under 6 mos.; 2nd for boar under 6 mos.

**Joseph Featherston, Credit, Ont., Yorkshire and Essex.**

The Dominion and Industrial Exhibition, Toronto—2nd, Yorkshire boar, over two years; 1st, boar over one and under two years; 1st, boar under twelve months; 2nd, boar under six months; 2nd, sow under two years; 1st and 2nd, sow under twelve months; 3rd, sow under six months; 1st, boar and two sows any age; 1st and 2nd, Essex boar over two years; 1st and 2nd, boar over one and under two years; 1st and 2nd, boar under twelve months; 1st and 2nd, boar under six months; 1st and 2nd, sow over two years; 1st and 2nd, sow over one and under two years; 1st and 2nd, sow under six months; 2nd, sow under six months; 1st and 2nd, best boar and two sows any age.

The Provincial Exhibition, Ottawa—1st, Yorkshire boar over two years; 3rd, boar over one year and under two years; 1st and 3rd, boar under twelve months; diploma for best boar any age; 2nd, sow under two years; 1st and 2nd, Essex boar over two years; 1st and 2nd, boar over one and under two years; 1st and 2nd, boar under twelve months; 1st and 2nd, boar under six months; 1st and 2nd, sow over two years; 1st and 2nd, sow over one and under two years; 1st and 2nd, sow under six months; diploma for best boar; diploma for best sow; silver medal for best boar and three sows.

Central Fair, Hamilton—1st and 2nd, for Yorkshire boar over one year; 1st and 2nd, for boar under one year; 2nd, boar under six months; 1st and 2nd, for sow under twelve months; 1st and 2nd, Essex boar over one year; 1st and 2nd, boar under twelve months; 1st and 2nd, boar under six months; 1st and 2nd, sow over one year; 1st and 2nd, sow under twelve months; 1st and 2nd, sow under six months.

Northern Exhibition, Walkerton—15 first and 10 second prizes.

**John Fishleigh, Ingersoll.**

Western Fair, London—2nd, aged boar; 2nd and 3rd, aged sows; 3rd, young sow, under six months.  
Southern Counties Fair, St. Thomas—1st, aged boar; 2nd and 3rd, young boar, under one year; 1st, 2nd and 3rd, aged sows; 1st and 2nd, sows under one year.

Ingersoll Exhibition—1st and 3rd, aged boar; 1st, boar under seven months; 1st and 3rd, aged sows.  
Kintore Exhibition—1st, aged boar; 1st, young boar under one year; 1st and 2nd, aged sows; 1st, sow under one year.

POULTRY.

**H. R. Wallace, Woodstock, Ont.**

Western Fair, London—1st for Pekin Ducks.

**Wm. McNeill, London, Ont.**

The Dominion and Industrial Exhibition, Toronto—1st for Dark Brahma hen; 2nd for White Cochon cock and 2nd for hen; 1st for Black Cochon cock and 1st for hen; 3rd for Lanshan hen; 2nd for golden-pencilled Hamburg cock and 3rd for hen; 1st for silver-spangled cock and 2nd for hen; 2nd for golden-spangled cock; 2nd for silver-spangled cock and 1 t for hen; 3rd for Black Spanish hen; 2nd for white-crested black Poland cock and 2nd for hen; 1st for silver Poland cock and 1st for hen; 1st for golden Poland cock and 2nd for hen; 1st for Poland, any other variety, cock, and 2nd for hen; 1st for black rose-comb Bantam cock and 2nd for hen; 2nd for golden Sebright cock and 1st for hen; 1st for silver Sebright cock, 2nd for hen; 2nd for Japanese cock, 1st for hen; silver medal for best collection; 1st for Buff Cochon cockerel, 1st for pullet; 1st for White Cochon cockerel, 1st for pullet; 1st for Black Cochon cockerel, 1st for pullet; 1st for golden-pencilled Hamburg cockerel, 2nd for pullet; 2nd for silver-spangled cockerel, 1st for pullet; 1st for golden-spangled cockerel; 1st for silver-spangled cockerel, 2nd for pullet; 2nd for white-crested Poland cockerel, 1st for pullet; 1st for silver cockerel, 2nd for pullet; 1st for golden cockerel, 1st for pullet; 1st for any other variety Poland, cockerel, 1st for pullet; 1st for golden Sebright Bantam cockerel, 1st for pullet; 1st for silver Sebright cockerel, 1st for pullet; 1st for Japanese cockerel, 1st for pullet; 2nd for Pekin cockerel, 2nd for pullet.

**F. Wixson, Ingersoll, Ont.**

The Dominion and Industrial Exhibition, Toronto—1st, Black Minorca cock; 1st, pullet; 1st, white Leghorn hen, and very highly commended; very highly commended on cock; 1st, brown Leghorn hen; 1st, black Leghorn cock; 1st, hen; 1st, cock; 1st, pullet, and every diploma offered for breeding pens in the Leghorn classes.

Western Fair, London—1st, black Minorca, old; 1st for black Minorca, young; 2nd and 3rd, white Leghorns, old; 2nd, brown Leghorns; 1st, black Leghorns, old; 1st, black Leghorns, young, and every diploma for pens in the Leghorn classes.

Central Exhibition, Hamilton—1st, white Leghorn, old; 1st, brown Leghorn, old; 1st and 2nd, black Leghorns, old; 1st and 2nd, black Leghorns, young.

**J. W. Bartlett, Lambeth, Ont.**

Western Fair, London—1st on dark Brahmas; 1st and 2nd on dark Brahma chicks.

NOTICES.

A ROMANCE OF RURAL LIFE.—"Widower Jones," the new story by Edmund E. Sheppard, editor and publisher of the Toronto News and author of the "Farmer's Editor's Sketches" and "Dolly—The Young Widder up to Felder's," which were popular features of the Toronto Weekly News, will be begun on the 21st of November in the Canadian Fireside Weekly. The Fireside Weekly is a first-class story paper, which is rapidly achieving a large circulation in Canada. For sale by all newsdealers, price 5 cts. a copy. Sample copies can be had free by addressing the Fireside Weekly, No. 9, Adelaide street west, Toronto.

MINNIE HAUKE, THE CELEBRATED PRIMA DONNA, ORDERS A KNABE PIANO.—Messrs. Wm. Knabe & Co., Gentlemen: The Grand Piano you furnished me for my concert tour just ended has still further convinced me of the superiority of your Pianos. They are indeed unequalled, and have determined, therefore, to purchase the above Grand for my London residence, and have directed my agent to make the necessary pecuniary arrangements with you. Please make shipment by early steamer to my address, London, England, care of Messrs. Metzler & Co., and believe, your sincere friend, MINNIE HAUKE.

From a personal knowledge of the character of the work done in the Forest City Business College by its proprietors, Messrs. Westervelt & York, we have no hesitation in saying that young men seeking a College in which to receive a thorough drilling for business, cannot do better than place themselves under their instruction. The facilities of the institution are complete.

NORTHERN EXHIBITION.—Mr. Wm. Rivers, of Walkerton, favors us with the following: The eleventh annual exhibition, of which a brief description is given, was held at Walkerton, from the 4th to the 7th of Oct. It was one of the most successful ever held here in regard to exhibits, but owing to the wet weather, which was badly needed for everything, except to the small finances of the exhibition; but, notwithstanding, there were about 8,000 people present on Thursday afternoon, and all seemed satisfied with the management, etc. The horse stalls were all

filled so that some had to be kept in private stables. All classes were well represented, except that of agricultural teams, of which there was rather a small turn out.

A copy of the New York "Illustrated London News" has come to hand, which we are informed is a *fac simile* of the world-renowned Illustrated London News, of England, the same plates being used for both. This is indeed a valuable acquisition to the reading public of America, who certainly will not fail to appreciate the exquisite cuts contained within its pages. Such skill and enterprise deserve encouragement, and the exceedingly reasonable price (only four dollars per annum in advance), places it within the reach of every household. It is a weekly issue.

Stock Notes.

We advise any of our readers intending to start or increase their herds, to attend the dispersion sale of Mr. Ballachey's Shorthorns, near Brantford, Ont. Mr. B. is retiring from farm life, and every animal offered will be sold to the highest bidder. Mr. B. says he does not expect to get nearly what he paid in cash for the cows, but fetch what they will, they must be sold.

Wm. Rennie, Toronto, reports the following sales of recently imported Clydesdale horses:—To James Cottingham, Ormstown, P. Q., yearling colt, "Gallant Scott," vol. X, sire, "Gallant Lad" (2781), sire of dam, "Lorne" (499.) To James Brown, Toronto, yearling colt "Brisbane," vol. X, sire, "Gallant Lad" (2781), sire of dam, "Never Mind Him" (557.) To Wilfred Hansel, Thorold, Ont., yearling colt, "Springhill Chief," vol. IX, sire, "Springhill Darnly" (2429), sire of dam, "Conqueror" (196.) Also, the yearling filly "Hebe" vol. IX, sire, "Merry Times" (3841), sire of dam, "Darnly" (222.) And the yearling filly "Flora Bell," vol. X, sire, "Richard III" (1802), sire of dam, "Prince Alfred" (618.) To J. McLellan, Morden, Manitoba, the two-year old stallion "British Pride" (4883), sire, "Harold" (2854), sire of dam, "Blane" (76.) The balance of his Clydesdales are doing well.

If you want to be able to catch a horse at any time when loose outside, it is necessary to treat them gently, and never to chase or frighten them. If you give them some tit-bit, or pet them whenever you go into the pastures they will soon learn to come towards you. Kind treatment is vastly superior to punishing animals.

Two men have lost their lives, one in Massachusetts, the other in Connecticut, during the present year, from that loathsome disease known as glanders, says the New England Farmer. In both cases the disease was contracted while the men were attempting to cure the horses by treatment. The sooner horse men learn that this disease is incurable, and that a glandered horse is an unsafe animal to have around, the sooner the newspapers will cease to record cases of loss of human life from treating or handling such horses.

Prof. Law, of Cornell University, caused some cows to drink for several days from a stagnant pool of water that existed in a swale, and then examined the milk and found it full of living organisms. Then the water from the pool was examined, and the same living germs were found. Then the cows were examined, and they were found to be in a feverish condition, the result of their blood being charged with this living animalcule. Then some pure milk was taken and some of this pond water put with it, and these same germs multiplied within a few hours so as to take full possession of the milk. After this test no one can dispute that living organisms may be introduced into milk by the using of improper food and drinks. It also shows that there is a close relation between good, pure water and fine and good-keeping dairy products. From a sanitary standpoint, the lives and health of the consumers are to a certain extent dependent upon the character of butter and milk.