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GOSSIP.

The Ontario Beet Sugar Company, of Berlin, Ont., makes an important announcement of interest to farmers in their advertisement in this issue regarding contracts for the supply of beets for next year.

Farmers interested in improving their poultry stock should note the advertisement in this paper by Messrs. Rooke & George, of London, Ont., who offer big Barred Rock cockerels, Golden and Silver, Buff and White Wyandottes, B. Leghorns, Dark Brahmas and Black Cochins cockerels and pullets; Barred Rocks related to St. Louis winners; Buff Wyandottes first at Western Fair. See the advertisement, and write them.

When, some months ago, there seemed a possibility of a dearth of succulent food in the autumn, extensive breadths of land were sown with white mustard, as a catch crop. This mustard (says the London Times), now in full flower, fills the air with the odor of its aromatic blossom, and is being folded off with sheep; and these—particularly the breeding ewes—find in it an acceptable change of food, especially at this season of the year.

Bargains in Aberdeen-Angus cattle are offered in his advertisement in this issue by Wm. Isch, of Sebringville, Ont., near Stratford, who has for sale half a dozen young bulls and a number of young cows and heifers in calf or with calves at foot. The Aberdeen-Angus are making a great record this year at the fat-stock shows of Britain and America, as the reports elsewhere in this paper of the Norwich and the Chicago International shows clearly prove.

It is said by some that "beauty is wealth" when applied to the farm home surroundings, and there is surely a good deal of truth in such a statement. The attractive and beautiful farm home is wealth to the farmer and his family. It not only means more satisfaction, but greater happiness and contentment for all those upon the farm, and what can we count as greater wealth? The beautiful farm home also enhances the money value of the farm and invariably becomes an added source of wealth in that particular as well. Make the home beautiful both outside and in.

A young Massachusetts woman, who inherited a large sum of money, has started, near the Village of Stowe, some twenty-five miles out of Boston, a home for horses. The place is called Red Acre Farm, and on it are to be seen all kinds of old, worn-out and crippled horses, from the thoroughbred to draft type. The farm was opened in May, 1903. The horses are taken there, given treatment if necessary, and after a long rest and good care may turn out to be "creditable to the farm." Afterwards these are returned to careful owners, fitted to bear life's burdens, but not until they are entirely rehabilitated are they allowed to be taken from the place. The farm is the only one of its kind in America, and is sheltering hundreds of horses which need care and kindness.

TRADE TOPIC.

THE SECRET OF YOUTHFULNESS.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox, a well-known American writer, has said "that city women are afforded better advantages for growing old beautifully because of their ability and opportunity to patronize the skill and science of beauty specialists. And," she continues, "these women, the youthful, well-preserved, charming women we meet socially and in the world of art, do take advantage of all these methods of preservation."

The women of Toronto are perhaps more fortunate in this respect than their sisters elsewhere in Canada. But the cultivation of beauty has advanced so greatly that it is not always necessary to visit the "beauty doctor," as the soothing cremes and emollients used by them in treating the complexion, etc., can be sent anywhere by mail or express with all necessary instructions. The Graham Dermatological Institute has long been recognized as the leading establishment of its kind in this country, and the only one on whose staff are qualified dermatologists who make a specialty of the treatment of scalp and complexional troubles—superfluous hair, moles, ruptured veins, etc., the giving of face massage with the necessary accompaniments for preservation of the skin and removal of wrinkles. A skillful chiropodist treats corns, bunions, etc. A clever manicurist looks after the wants of the hands.

At the Institute are manufactured the Princess Toilet Preparations, which are fully described in a handsome book, entitled "A Study of Your Face and Figure," and containing a mint of hints on the care of the hair, complexion, etc. It is sent on request. The address is 502 Church street, Toronto.

WANTS & FOR SALE.

Advertisements will be inserted under this heading, such as Farm Properties, Help and Horses Wanted, and miscellaneous advertising.

TERMS—Three cents per word each insertion. Each initial counts for one word and figures for two words. Names and addresses are counted. Cash must always accompany the order. No advertisement inserted for less than 50 cents.

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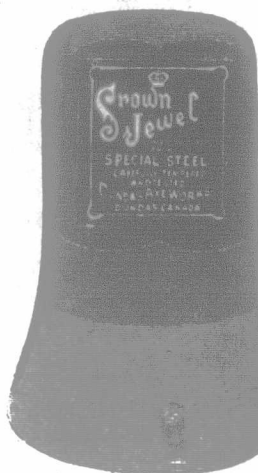
PEKIN DUCKS, Barred Rock cockerels for sale. Eggs for incubation later. F. M. Howard, Sutton West, Ont.

Maple Grove Holsteins—In official tests they stand 1st for cow, 1st for 3-year-old, 1st 2-year-old and 1st under 2 years old. If you want bulls or heifers from such stock at reasonable prices, write.

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