

## Breeders' Notes

### JAS. BURNETT'S CLYDESDALES

Mr. Burnett, of Napinka, Man., has for many years been well known to the Clydesdale fraternity of the West, both in and out of the show rings.

Mr. Burnett, who is both a breeder and dealer in Clydesdales, keeps a lot of good stock, male and female, always on hand, and just now he has also a few good Shire mares.

Among his stallions is the big quality horse "Baron Rozelle" (12376), by "Baron Beaulieu," out of "Lady of Rotha."

Some of the mares are the good five year old "Princess of Stairs," by "Memento;" the four year old "Ruby Barber," by "Ruby Pride;" the Canadian bred "Bessie Speers," out of a great "Mercurio" dam; "Queen of Minto," by "Banner of Gold," another nice four year old home bred, and a few others. Specially worthy of mention among the Shire females is the three year old "Tuttlewood Belle," in foal to "Nottingham David," first at the recent Dominion Fair, while the mare herself also took first place at the same fair.

There are also a few standard breeds kept, some females and young stuff, one of the mares being sired by "Democracy," while her foal is sired by "Menzo," who traces back to the great "Baron Wilkes."

Mr. Burnett also has a select bunch of good work horses from four to eight years old.

### CLYDESDALES FOR CANADA

W. H. Mackie, Coatstone, Man., says the "Scottish Farmer" of December 6, has purchased half a dozen fillies from James Kilpatrick, Craigie Mains, Kilmarnock. These were exceptionally well-bred youngsters, got by the unbeaten champion "Everlasting" (11331), and out of a mare by the £1000 yearling "Montrave Mac" (9958), one of the most successful sires of mares in Scotland today; also that celebrated son of "Everlasting," Mr. Kilpatrick's thick solid horse "Star o' Doon" (16103), which was first at the H. and A. S. show at Dumfries in 1910; and the Cawdor Cup champion "Oyama" (13118). The gr.-dam of this last-named filly, which is two years old, was got by the Glasgow premium horse "Royal Carrick" (10270), and her gr.-dam was by the noted £1300 premium horse "Lord Colum Edmund" (9280). The dam of one of the "Star o' Doon" foals is by the celebrated champion horse "Perfect Motion" (13123), and the dam of the other is by the useful breeding horse "Frivolity" (11040). It is to be hoped these winter voyagers may have a safe and prosperous journey.

### MILLERS' DUROC-JERSEYS

O. & O. C. Miller, of Strathmore and Cheadle, Alta., in the course of a letter to The Guide state that they are well satisfied with the business done in 1913 and expect an even greater amount of business in 1914.

This firm endeavors to give full value for every dollar invested to the man who buys their hogs. They exhibit their herd at all the large fairs every year, and put them up in open competition against all other breeds, whenever they have the opportunity. Their record on the 1913 fair circuit was an enviable one, winning all the way from Winnipeg to the Coast, and they expect to show again this year.

### VANSTONE & ROGERS' STALLIONS

Messrs. Vanstone & Rogers, of 320 Sterling Bank Building, Winnipeg, whose importing stables are situated at North Battleford, Sask., under the management of Jas. Brooks, have during the last few years placed a large number of good horses of the Clydesdale, Percheron and Belgian breeds throughout Western Canada. This firm has always been large importers of a good class of both stallions and mares, preferring size and substance, combined with good useful quality, and sacrificing advanced showyard merit, in favor of sound general usefulness. This does not by any means infer that Vanstone & Rogers' horses cannot take their place in the best of company in our Western show-rings, their record of winnings in the past few years amply prove their ability to do so, but the aim of the firm is more for a general all-round improvement of the various breeds than for showyard honors alone; at the same time if a

customer wishes a show horse they can always fill his order. A cut of a team of prize-winning Clydesdale stallions in our last issue of The Guide confirming this statement.

They have just sold a fine team of imported Percheron mares, "Jubile," 2217, and "Eugenia," 2154, weighing 2,000 lbs. each, to J. A. H. Bonnett, Emmaville, Sask., for \$1,540 cash.

### KILALLAN CLYDESDALES

N. A. Weir, of Kilallan Stock Farm, Ohaton, Alta., is offering for sale just now some good colts by his stock horse "Baron Henchman," a fine upstanding, draughty, clean boned son of "Baron's Pride," and this horse himself is also for sale. Mr. Weir is a young Scotchman who started the Kilallan stud a few years ago and raising good Clydesdales is second nature to him. His horses, while they have the choicest ancestry, have also size and substance and are equally as good on the farm as they are in the show ring, as their prize-winning records at the Alberta big fairs go to prove. Mr. Weir has also a couple of two year old stallions by "Dunure Pebble" for sale, as well as a few choice mares and fillies.

### CATTLE BRING GOOD PRICES AT CHICAGO

At the various auction sales of the different breeds held during International week some high prices were realized. In Shorthorns, three cows and heifers sold for \$1,000, \$1,000 and \$1,275, and the average for the forty-two head sold was \$426.80. Of Herefords, forty-six head made an average of \$561.50, the highest price for a female being \$2,050, for a yearling heifer, and the highest for a bull was \$2,200, for a senior calf. A two-year-old bull sold for \$2,100. Of the Aberdeen-Angus breed offered, the highest price reached was \$2,005, for the yearling bull, Kemp, consigned by A. C. Binnie, and purchased for C. D. & E. F. Caldwell, of Missouri. The highest price for a Galloway was \$525, for Optimist, the champion bull, and the average for twenty-four head was \$162.

### BIG PRICES FOR HOLSTEINS

At the big Holstein sale held at Woodstock, Ont., on December 17, prices ruled high and were possibly the highest ever realized at a Holstein sale in Eastern Canada. There was a spirited demand for the get of that well known stock bull "King Lyons Hengerveld," heifer calves sired by him, a few weeks old, selling up to \$280. Two others (twins), dropped September 15, sold for \$240 each, and bull calves up to \$120 each. The highest-priced cow at the sale (\$435) was the four-year-old "Gretqui Hengerveld Keyes," a grand-daughter of "Pietertje Hengerveld Count De Kol," with 98 A.R.O. daughters. Several others sold for prices only a margin under the \$400 mark and very many of them between the two and three-hundred mark. The highest price for two-year-old heifers was \$455 for "Colantha Hengerveld Keyes," a grand-daughter of "Colantha Johanna Lad," other two-year-olds ranging along from \$150 to \$320. Yearling heifers reached the \$280 mark, with several over \$200. It was a most satisfactory sale and demonstrated the increasing firmness of the dairy industry.

### ALBERTA GOVERNMENT PURCHASES DAIRY SHORTHORNS

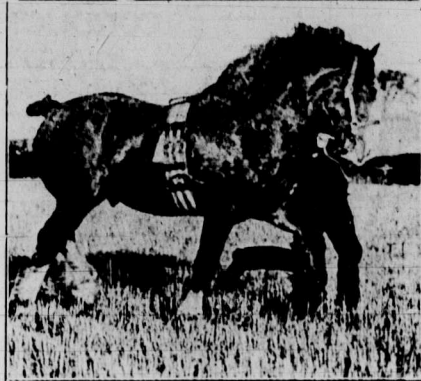
Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture for the province of Alberta, has recently purchased nineteen head of dairy shorthorns, made up of twelve females and seven males, for use on the demonstration farms in the province.

These animals were purchased in Eastern Canada and are a very choice lot both as to breeding and records.

### J. H. GRAHAM'S PERCHERONS

John H. Graham, 313 20th St. W., Saskatoon, has in his stables at present a few good Percherons and a Belgian or two, a part of his importation of last November. He has just sold a couple of good stallions, one of them going to Peter Penner, Langham, Sask., and the other into the Borden district. He expects a fresh shipment some time in January.

## Clydesdales, Shorthorns, Yorkshires

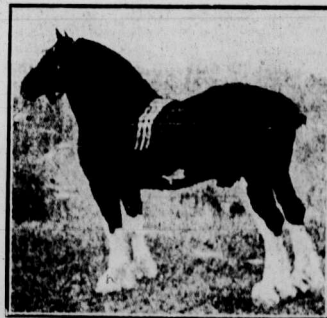


Forty-four Head of Clydesdales, thirty-four of which are Stallions, ages from yearlings to six-year-olds; all descended from the leading sires of the day.

Forty Head of Shorthorns—And have bulls as well as females of all ages for sale. The bulls include FIVE newly imported, all from the choicest Scotch ancestry, a couple of these being special Prize Winners.

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**N. A. Weir, Ohaton, Alta.**

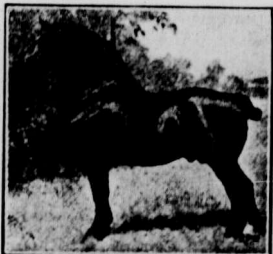
## Bonnie Brae Stock Farm

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