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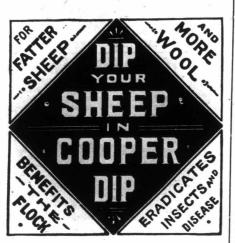
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GOSSIP.

W. & H. Jones, breeders of Poland-China hogs, Mt. Elgin, Ont., in remitting for their advertising account, write :--"Our stock is doing well. We have received many enquiries from our advertisement and have made good sales, in number quite beyond our expectations." At a school (Widerschutzer of Chines belowing

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At a sale of Clydesdales and Shires belonging to the Earl of Durham, May 31st, sixty lots were sold for 2,840 guineas, an average of about \$250 for young and old. A Shire mare and filly foal brought 100 guineas and a Clyde mare 91 guineas, A 4-year-old Shire gelding sold for 150 guineas, and a 3-year-old gelding for 79 guineas.

guineas. A 4-year-old Snire genuing out are 150 guineas, and a 3-year-old gelding for 79 guineas. Mr. F. S. Peer, Mt. Morris, N. Y., writes: "I have lately returned to New York with my twelfth importation of cattle from England and the Channel Islands, consisting of 66 head of Jerseys and Guernseys and 16 head of sheep. The sheep are mostly Lincolns, and a very grand lot they are. The last few years in Eng-land, at the Bath and West and Royal Counties Shows, has convinced me that there is no breed-of sheep in England that show as much im-provement as has the Lincoln in the last 15 years. They have not only the grandest fleeces, but the quality and fineness of the staple is something to be proud of. They are getting them with well-covered heads, and I must say, taking them all in all, they are about my ideal wool and mutton sheep. I enclose you a photo of a ram lamb 13 months old. His wool meas-ures 15 inches, and the quality and luster is the best I ever saw, not only on the shoulders and sides, but down the flanks as well. This ram and 10 ewes were imported for Mr. Perci-val Roberts, of Philadelphia, and are, I believe, the first Lincolns to be imported for Mr. Perci-val Roberts, of Philadelphia, and are, I believe, the first Lincolns to be imported to the U. S. directly from England, though there has been a few brought over from Canada. I had the pleasure of selecting these sheep from the celebrated flock of Messrs. Kirkham Bros., Biscathrope House, Lincoln. The ram is a fair sample of the 10 ewes were sized by Royal, and I must say I never saw II such sheep together. I hope later to send you a photo of the ewes. Some of the ewes were sized by Royal, for which ram Messrs. Kirkham Bros. paid 350 guineas (\$1,785)." Messrs. Henry Stevens & Sons, Lacona, N.Y., in reporting the sale of a fine herd of twenty-

Some of the ewes were strea up ruoyat, tor which ram Messrs. Kirkham Bros. paid 350 guineas (\$1,785)." Messrs. Henry Stevens & Sons, Lacona, N.Y., in reporting the sale of a fine herd of twenty-five Holsteins to Messrs. Averill & Gregory, proprietors of the Yates Hotel, Syracuse, N. Y., write: "One of the finest and best bred herds that ever left Brookside are now grazing on the pastures of the Geddies Farm, and supplying butter, cream and milk to the guests of the Yates. The proprietors of this magnificent hotel also run in connection with it the large and beautiful farm known as the Geddies Farm, comprising 500 acres and situated near the city of Syracuse. For some years they have been running a mixed herd of various breeds, and deciding they would keep nothing but thorough-breds, some months ago they hoisted the 'red flag' and sold all the cattle upon the farm. They were then undecided which breed to pur-chase, but after making a thorough investiga-tion of the different breeds they decided Holsteins were best suited for their purpose. After careful examination of our herd, which numbered at the time about eighty milch cows, they made their selections, discarding every-thing except those that tested high in butter-fat. And we think we can safely say a finer, more uniform or better bred herd never left the home of any breeder. Had we the time and you the space we would gladly mentone each individual animal, but will only say that this herd is strong in the blood of DeKol 2nd, Netherland Hengerveld, and Pauline Paul. Several of them had made large official butter records. The bull selected to head this herd was a son of Pietertje Hengerveld's Lady DeKol 2nd, won third prize in her class in the late official butter prize contest, and his sire's dam won first prize in the official butter prize con-text two years in gurgosesion. This hell is out



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