

GOSSIP.

CURED THOROUGHPIN AND IS GOOD FOR ALL BUNCHES.

Thamesford, Ont., Jan. 12th, 1905.  
The Lawrence-Williams Co., Cleveland, Ohio:

We have a bottle of GOMBAULT'S CAUSTIC BALSAM. We used it on a mare for thoroughpin and it disappeared entirely. We have a horse with a lump on his breast, and we would like to try the Balsam on it. We have lost the directions for using it. Would you please send us a copy of the directions?  
FRANK PETTIT.

Messrs. J. R. McCallum & Sons, Iona Station, Elgin Co., Ont., breeders of Shorthorn cattle, in ordering a change of advertisement, write: "Our herd is coming through the winter in good condition. We have had quite a number of very promising calves born lately, sired by our present stock bull, Wandering Count, by Imp. Wanderer's Last. We have several young bulls fit for service, sired by Royal Duke, son of Imp. Royal Sailor, also cows and heifers bred to Wandering Count."

Mr. Israel Groff, Alma, Ont., breeder of Shorthorns and Berkshires, writes: "Victor's Roan Duke, our stock bull, a worthy son of Golden Drop Victor (imp.), has improved very fast since Toronto Exhibition, and his calves are very promising. I have a number of heifers and cows with calves at foot, which I would sell at reasonable prices. Following is a list of recent sales: To Hugh Semple, Hereward, one bull; to John Clements, of Alma, one bull; to Joseph Underwood, Lakelet, the bull calf, Royal Wenlock, sire Royal Prince (imp.), dam Olive Wenlock 2nd (imp.); to Levi Galbraith, Lakelet, roan heifer calf, sire Victor's Roan Duke, dam Roan Mary; to Malcolm McQueen, Salem, Royal Stamford, sire Royal Hero, dam Rose of Stamford, and to Albert Goetz, the roan bull calf, Crimson Victor, sire Victor's Roan Duke, dam Crimson Flower, by Golden Robe."

"Berkshires have also been in good demand. Have sold two boars and three sows within the last few days."

The herd of Scotch and Scotch-topped Shorthorns, property of T. Douglas & Sons, Strathroy, Ontario, is steadily improving along popular lines. Their herd numbers upwards of 70 head, and is headed by Diamond, a two-year-old roan bull that won first at Toronto in 1903 in the junior yearling class. He has not been fitted since, but has developed into a thick, smooth bull of good type, and his calves are coming good. The red imported cow, Graceful 8th, is well fitted out in all her parts, and is what her name indicates. She also has a fine, large red daughter to her credit, by Imp. Diamond Jubilee, of splendid quality, low and thick, which is now in calf to Diamond. Hillhurst Welcome is a beautiful roan three-year-old, by Imp. Scottish Hero, out of an imported dam, and is just due to calve to Diamond. She is large, and shows great wealth of natural flesh. Vain Blossom is another deep, thick roan that is doing well by her owners. Maple Bank Pansy 2nd is a choice cow that is nursing a nice heifer calf, by Double Gold. The yearling and two-year-old heifers are by Double Gold, the previous stock bull, a son of Imp. Golden Drop Victor. There are several young bulls on hand by Double Gold and Diamond Jubilee, from dams by Young Abbotsburn's Heir, Valkyrie and other noted sires, that are fed with an eye to future usefulness, several of which are good enough to head pure-bred herds, and will be sold very reasonable, if taken soon. Several of the principal families are here represented, upon which choice Scotch sires have been used, until a strong herd of milk and flesh producers has been established.

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## QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

### HOW TO MAKE A "BRANK."

Could you give me a description of how to make what I have heard called a Scotch brank, a kind of halter, some parts of which are made of iron, to teach cattle to lead by halter? R.

Ans.—Can any reader answer this inquiry?

### FARMING ON SHARES.

A works farm for B, B doing no work whatever. Writings are drawn to the effect that A is to market and sell the market produce, and divide the cash receipts equally.

1. Can B allow strangers to remove products that are of market value without first consulting A?

2. Or has B any say in the running of the farm, or the marketing of produce? A holds lease for a term of three years.

A SUBSCRIBER.

Ans.—1. No. 2. He probably has not as regards the marketing, but in respect of the management of the farm, we would require to see the exact wording of the agreement in order to advise.

### MARRIED WOMAN SELLING FARM.

A married woman owns a farm and wishes to sell. She was married, and purchased the farm with her own money a number of years before the Act to facilitate the conveyance of real estate by married women was passed. Could she now, under those circumstances, give a valid title without her husband joining in the conveyance, or does that Act only apply to property acquired after the passing thereof? ENQUIRER.

Ans.—It is very probable that she can, but before definitely contracting to sell, she should submit the title to a solicitor and have him report upon her legal rights respecting the property.

### BUSHES AT BOUNDARY.

A's farm joins B's on south and east. B has kept his share of fence in good condition, and brush cut away as much as possible. A has not kept up his share of fence, and has allowed brush and trees to grow to a width of fifteen feet on his side of line, which shades B's fields, and the roots draw the fertility so that B cannot grow more than half a crop for two rods from fence.

1. Can B now compel A to make a lawful fence, (2) and cut down trees and brush so as not to damage his land?

3. How far can he compel him to cut them from the line?

4. Does B have to give A a written notice?

5. How long will A be allowed to have it done? These are both cultivated farms. TIM.

Ans.—1. Yes. 2. 3. 4 and 5. We do not think that B can compel A to cut down or remove the trees, etc., in question.

### CLOVER FOR PASTURE.

1. What is the best clover for pasture?  
2. What quantity of timothy and clover would you sow per acre?  
3. Would you keep a heifer's calf?

4. How long would you keep a calf with its mother?

5. Would you feed roots to a cow when she is in calf?

Ans.—1. A mixture of red clover and alsike answers very well for pasture for a short time; but if permanent pasture is desired, then no clover will compare with lucerne or alfalfa. Care should be taken not to let it get too high before stock is turned on, and not to allow it to be eaten down very close. It should not be pastured at all the first season.

2. A very satisfactory seeding for land in good condition is made up of six pounds timothy seed, five pounds red clover, and one pound alsike per acre.

3. Certainly, if it is a good one. One of the best fat steers we ever had was a heifer's calf.

4. One or two days. It is good for both cow and calf. Some practical and successful stockmen allow the cow to lick the calf, but remove it before she suckles it.

5. Roots are wholesome food for cows in any condition, if not fed in immoderate quantities.