

Stock Associations, detailing the organization of the Ontario Horse Breeders' Association, and the conditions upon which members of the Clydesdale Society were to be admitted to membership. The essential points were: All members of the Clydesdale Association, the Shire Horse Breeders' Association, the Hackney Society, the Thoroughbred and Standardbred associations, the Pony Society and others which might be deemed eligible at a future time, were to be admitted as members of the Ontario Horse Breeders' Association, on the payment by the association of the sum of \$15 for fifty or part of fifty members in the association. Only members of each association, who had during the year registered at least one animal are eligible for admission to membership. As this bill had been given its initial reading in the meeting of the retiring Executive Committee, it was now given its second and referred back to the new Executive Committee. This is the beginning of the new Ontario Horse Breeders' Association, which, at the desire of the Minister of Agriculture, replaces the old Canadian Horsemen's Association which drew for the most part its representatives from the city of Toronto, and while claiming a greater breadth in character.

The position of secretary to the Clydesdale Association, which had, since the indisposition of the late Henry Wade been temporarily filled by Mr. A. P. Westervelt, was filled permanently by the appointment of M. J. W. Sangster, of THE FARMING WORLD staff.

#### THE SHIRE BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION

though not so strong in Canada as the Clydesdales, still showed up with their affairs in first class condition, and moving in the right direction. Mr. J. M. Gardhouse, of Weston, who has ably filled the position of president during the past year, was enthusiastically re-elected to fill the position for 1907. Business was of a general character, similar to that of the Clydesdale men, the affiliation with the Ontario Horse Breeders' Association being unanimously passed upon, and the following officers were elected to conduct the business of the year:

President—J. M. Gardhouse, Weston, Ont. Vice-presidents—Wm. Lakington, Hamilton, Ont.; Dr. A. G. Hopkins, second vice-president.

Vice-presidents for the Provinces—Ontario, W. E. Wellington, Fonthill, Ont.; Quebec, W. Hodgins, Portage la

#### Hackney Horse Society

The annual meeting of the Canadian Hackney Society was held at the King Edward Hotel rooms, February 20th, 1907. The secretary's report shows the affairs of the society to be in a prosperous condition, with a considerable increase in funds on hand. The report also showed the interests of the Hackney horses to be progressing rapidly in Canada, United States and in Great Britain.

The subjects discussed were the affiliation of the Hackney Society with the Ontario Horse Breeders' Association, and the appropriation of funds to the different fairs.

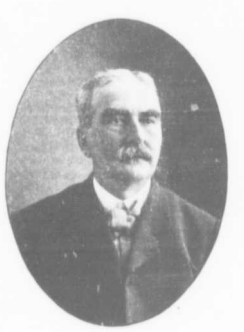
In the correspondence, a letter was read from Dr. A. J. Hopkins, Winnipeg, regarding the advisability of holding the annual meeting of the Hackney Society and other horse associations at the time of the Guelph Winter Fair, which would facilitate the presence of the western horsemen at the meeting.

The following officers were elected for the year 1907—President, E. C. H. Tisdale, Beaverton; Vice-Pres., Oswald Sorby, Guelph; 2nd Vice-Pres., Walter Renfrew, Bedford Park, Toronto.

Representatives to fairs—London, Os-



MR. A. P. WESTERVELT  
Secretary Ontario Horse Breeders' Association



MR. W. M. SMITH  
President Ontario Horse Show



MR. J. W. SANGSTER  
Secretary Clydesdale Association

was controlled by city men not directly interested in the breeding of horses, but anxious to handle and direct the placing of all Government appropriations devoted to the purpose. The new organization will be more strictly representative, will be composed of men thoroughly in touch with conditions, and, therefore, better able to place Government assistance to better advantage than the old one could possibly do.

A motion was passed appointing Messrs. Wm. Smith, Columbus; Robert Miller, Stouffville, and Mr. Arthur Johnston, Greenwood, to draft a memorial, to be engrossed and presented to Mrs. Wade, widow of the late secretary.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Thos. Graham, Claremont; vice-presidents, Peter Christie, M.P., Ontario; John Graham, Carberry, Man.; John A. Turner, Alberta; Geo. Mutch, Lumsden, Sask.; Robt. Ness, Quebec; H. M. Vasey, British Columbia, and W. B. Black, Maritime Provinces.

The contest for directors was a spirited one, these members being elected: Robert Graham, Bedford Park; E. C. H. Tisdale, Beaverton; John Boag, Ravenshoe; Jas. Torrance, Markham; A. G. Gormley, Unionville; Wm. Smith, Columbus; James Henderson, Belton.

Forté, P.Q.; Manitoba, George Greig, Winnipeg; N.B., Brunswick, T. A. Peters, Fredericton, N.B.; N.S., Prof. Cummings, Truro, N.S.; Saskatchewan, R. C. Shannon, Indian Head, Alberta; G. W. Peterson, Calgary; P.E.I., Hon. Frank Hassard; British Columbia, S. R. O'Neill.

The following were elected directors—W. Hendrie, Hamilton; J. B. Brecken, Appleby, Ont.; J. Dalgetty, London; Jas. Henderson, Belton, Ont.; John Gardhouse, Highfield; W. Wilkie, Toronto; A. H. Eckford, High River, Alberta.

#### Mr. Gerald Wade Resigns

Mr. Gerald Wade, Registrar of Shorthorns, National Live Stock Records, Ottawa, has tendered his resignation to accept the secretary-treasurership of the Imperial Dairy & Ice Cream Co., Limited, Montreal. Mr. Wade is a son of the late Henry Wade and for a dozen years was associated with his father in the conduct of the live stock records at Toronto. Since going to Ottawa he has had charge of the registration of Shorthorns under the direction of the National Record Board.

wald Sorby, Capt. T. E. Robson; Sherbrooke, P.Q., R. Ness, Howick, Que., T. H. Hassard, Millbrook, Ont.; National Record Board—Geo. E. Pepper, Toronto; Robt. Beith, Bowmanville, Ont. Horsemen's Association—E. C. H. Tisdale; T. A. Graham, Claremont. Montreal—Messrs. Cain and Ness. Winnipeg—J. A. Turner, Calgary, Alta.; Wm. Graham, Claremont. St. Thomas—E. C. H. Tisdale; A. B. Campbell, Millbrook and Woodbridge—John Boag and W. J. Stark.

Board of Directors—Oswald Sorby, R. Ness, Geo. Pepper, A. B. Campbell, G. Raikes, T. Graham, H. M. Robinson, Toronto, Hon. Robt. Beith.

"Gracious! I never saw so many soiled faces in my life. Why don't you use some soap and water," asked a College Settlement worker of some children in the East Side of New York.

"We are waiting for de angel, mmm," replied Tommy Tuff.

"What angel?"  
"Why, de lady dat come fru here last week and give one of de kids a nickel to wash his face."