

is merely to shield their own negligence in the matter, and should not be countenanced by those who pay them cash for pure-bred stock.—Farmers Advocate and Home Journal, Winnipeg, Man.

Gossip.

W. T. Davidson & Son, Meadowvale, Ont., breeders of Yorkshire swine, in their new advertisement in this issue, announce that they have for sale a fine lot of December and April pigs of both sexes from large litters and good mothers, at moderate prices, registered, free on board train, and satisfaction guaranteed. Meadowvale is a station on the C. P. R., one mile from Streetsville Junction, twenty miles west of Toronto, and the firm is reliable. See the advertisement and get prices.

At the 28th annual meeting of the Holstein-Friesian Association of America, to be held in Syracuse, N. Y., on June 3 and 4, the following addition to Advanced Registry rules, and matters pertaining to the breed will be discussed: "To appropriate money and authorize the Board of Officers to offer to award special prizes of duplicate premiums where won by animals recorded in this Herdbook, in public competition for yields of milk or butter at such exhibitions as the Board of Officers may select, and to authorize special prizes at fairs where no competitive tests are held, or to establish competitive tests under such conditions as they may deem best, and to offer prizes for the exhibition of cattle at such fairs and expositions as may be deemed best.

The annual report of the Manitoba Department of Agriculture shows a marked increase in production in that Province for 1912. In grain production, an increased yield of over 22,000,000 bushels over the previous high-production year is shown. Much of the wheat in eastern Manitoba, owing to bad harvest weather, was reduced in grade. The average yield per acre in 1912 was 20.7 bushels, as compared with 18.29 bushels in 1911. The oat crop showed a small increase in yield, being 46 bushels per acre, as against 45.6 bushels in 1911. Barley, at 31.5 bushels per acre, showed an increase in yield of nearly 4 bushels per acre over that of 1911. Work with alfalfa has proven that it may be successfully grown in nearly all parts of the Province.

Trade Topics.

Every farm must be furnished with a constant supply of good water. A large percentage of this must be obtained from wells, and in very many places it is necessary to drill for it. Drilling makes machinery and drilling tools necessary. Look up the advertisement in this issue of the Listowel Machinery Co., Listowel, Ont., and write them for catalogue with full particulars.

SEEKING LARGER QUARTERS.—One of the Canadian manufacturers who has recently found it necessary to seek more commodious quarters is Dyer, The Fence Man. Mr. Dyer has removed his offices and manufacturing equipment from 47 East Wellington street, to East King and Don Esplanade, just across from the C. P. R. Don Station, Toronto. The new location will provide more convenient shipping facilities, both by water and rail, as well as greater floor space to accommodate the rapidly-developing wire and iron-fence business. Mr. Dyer is also extending his lines to include gasoline engines, wagons, and other farm machinery, roofing, patent wall-board, etc.

Jonah entered the whale. "This is the original water-wagon!" he exclaimed.

Herewith none wondered that he remained aboard only three days.

FAIRVIEW FARMS HERD

REMEMBER:—Pontiac Korndyke sired the bull that sired the new 44-pound cow. Do you want a sire to use that has such transmitting ability? If so secure a son of Pontiac Korndyke, or Rag Apple Korndyke 8th, the strongest bred Korndyke bull in the world.

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Do you realize that you must have another serviceable bull soon? Better go down to Hamilton right away and see those well-bred fellows with high official backing, that you can buy well worth the money from

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One six year old cow due this month also fine 2 and 3-years heifers, bred; also a few Yorkshire pigs ready to wean. **A. WATSON & SONS, St Thomas, Ontario. L. D. 'Phone Fingal via St. Thomas.**



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The most profitable dairy breed, greatest in size, milk, butter-fat and in vitality. Send for FREE illustrated descriptive booklets. **HOLSTEIN - FRIESIAN ASSOCIATION, F. L. Houghton, Sec., Box 127, Battleville, Vt.**

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HOLSTEINS and YORKSHIRES Minster Farm offers a grandson of Snowflake. She gave 2,054½ lbs. milk in 30 days, and of Count Hengerveld Fayne De Kol; his dam and sire's dam average 24.076. A sister made 35.55 lbs. butter in 7 days. For extended pedigree and price, write: **R. Honey & Sons, Brickley, Ont.**

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BISHOPRIC WALL BOARD AND SHEATHING

Made with tough, fire-resisting, everlasting Asphalt-Mastic will give you a drier, warmer house, at lower cost, in a month less time, than if you used lath and plaster.

Bishopric Wall Board is made by imbedding kiln-dried dressed lath, under 500-lbs. pressure, in sheets of hot Asphalt-Mastic, the other side of which is surfaced with sized fibre-board.

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Warmer than lath and plaster. The Asphalt Mastic in which the laths are imbedded is absolutely air tight, blocking all drafts, and a non-conductor, keeping the heat in in winter and out in summer.

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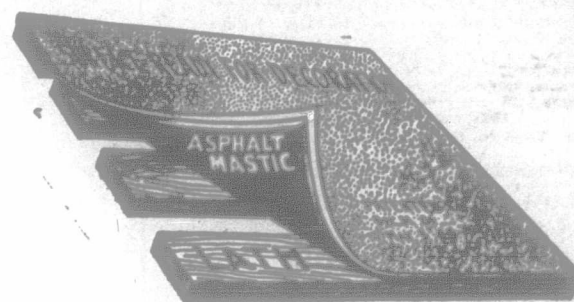
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