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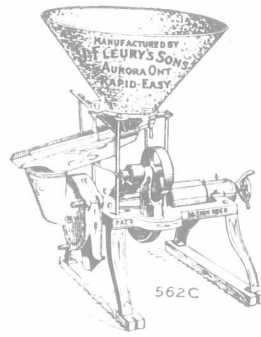


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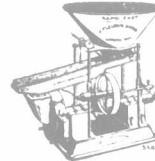
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FORSTER FARM ANGUS AND DOR-
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This year the young stock on the Forster Farm, Oakville, Ont., has developed exceptionally well. Both in Aberdeen-Angus cattle and Dorset Horn sheep, the year has been a good one, and the youngsters have done well. Young bulls and rams are offered that should make excellent sires. The Dorset flock is now among the largest in Canada, and has been bred along the right lines. So pleased are the firm with the Dorsets that they are fitting up a new farm to be devoted entirely to Dorsets. The object is to have a hundred acres enclosed with a dog-proof fence, and many farmers would do well to copy this lead. It will go a long way towards making sheep-raising more profitable and enjoyable, adding greatly to the feeling of security. Try a young ram from this farm. The Aberdeen-Angus herd includes some stout, compact females, with a bull at the head sired by old Champion Hundred. He, too, is a fine type of Angus. The youngsters are coming along nicely, and will be ready for shipping shortly. Get a first choice. The Angus are rapidly growing in favor every year.

HOLSTEINS AT THE MAPLES DAIRY FARM.

Persistent official testing and systematic culling carried on for many years have raised the noted Holstein herd of Walburn Rivers, of Ingersoll, Ont., to a high standard of producing ability and individual excellence. Everything of milking age on the farm is in the official R. O. M., and many of them in the official R. O. P. For some years at the head of the herd was the great breeding bull, Prince Aaggie Mechthilde, whose dam and two grandams had records averaging 25 lbs. 12 ozs. of butter in seven days. Three of this bull's daughters have come to milk and show the following tests: Aaggie Posch Mechthilde, age two years, four months after calving made in seven days, 375.9 lbs. of milk and 16.857 lbs. of butter, butter-fat test 3.58 per cent.; seven months in R. O. P. test she gave 10,000 lbs. Calamity Snow Mechthilde, age two years, record seven days 381.9 milk and 16.274 of butter, butter-fat test 4 per cent.; eleven months in R. O. P. test she gave 14,201 lbs. Countess Clay Mechthilde, age one year and eleven months, seven-day test 346.5 milk, 12.606 lbs. of butter, butter-fat test nearly 4 per cent.; eleven months R. O. P. test she gave 13,151 lbs. These great heifers are sisters to the young bulls Mr. Rivers is now offering, they being by the same sire, and one of them nine months old is out of Duchess Wayne Calamity, a 20-lb. three-year-old R. O. M., and 14,077 lbs. in 340 days in R. O. P., butter-fat test 3.77 per cent. This cow is a full sister to Duchess Wayne Calamity 2nd, the senior two-year-old R. O. P. Canadian champion, with 16,714 lbs. milk and 677 lbs. butter-fat in 361 days, average test 4 per cent.; seven-day record 29.28 lbs. as a junior four-year-old. Mr. Rivers is satisfied that both these cows will make a 30-lb. record at their next freshening. A yearling bull is out of Fairmont Wayne, R. O. P. in ten months 14,700 lbs., R. O. M. 17.50 lbs. Another eight-months bull is out of Daisy Albino De Kol Duchess, the dam of the two above-mentioned cows. Her seven-day record made at eleven years of age is a little over 19 lbs. Another eight-months-old is out of Calamity Posch Wayne, seven-day record 17.50 lbs. Still another eight-months bull is out of Princess Calamity Wayne, R. O. P. record for 348 days 13,279 lbs. milk, 477.316 lbs. fat, average test 3.59 per cent.; seven-day record as a four-year-old 18.50 lbs. Combined with the great producing breeding of these young bulls is a straight, nicely-balanced individuality. For use on the daughters of this great breeding bull, Mr. Rivers has purchased the richly-bred Canary Hartog, a son of Canary Mercedes Pietertje Hartog 7th, whose dam has a seven-day butter record of 34.60 lbs., and a one-day milk record of 116 lbs., and the grandam of Canary Hartog, on his dam's side, has a one-day milk record of 119 lbs., and seven-day butter record of 30 lbs. Great things must surely result from such intense breeding as this, but Mr. Rivers is never satisfied with anything but the best.