

SECOND ANNUAL SALE OF HIGH - CLASS SHORTHORNS

FROM THE TROUT CREEK HERD OF W. D. FLATT, HAMILTON, ONT.,

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**Tuesday, August 7th,
1900.**

60 IMPORTED AND HOME-BRED SCOTCH SHORTHORNS.

Including 20 imported young cows in calf or with calves at foot; 20 imported heifers, served by noted bulls in Britain, or by high-class imported bulls in Canada; 6 choice imported bulls, one to three years old; 5 imported bull calves; 2 home-bred bull calves; 2 first-prize Canadian-bred two-year-old bulls, of first-class Scotch families; 10 choice prize-winning Canadian-bred cows and heifers. This is admittedly the best consignment of high-class Shorthorns ever offered at public sale in America, and comprises

Show Bulls and Show Cows

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Col. F. M. Woods, W. D. Flatt,
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GOSSIP.

At a draft sale of Shorthorns, from the herd of Miss Alice de Rothschild, at Waddesdon Manor, England, July 5th, the 41 head sold averaged £37 7s. 6d. The highest price was £55 guineas for the young bull, Bashful Youth, by Brave Archer, bought for South America. Jessie Elmhurst brought 120 guineas, the highest price for a female, being bought by Mr. MacLennan for South America. Sixty-two guineas was the next highest price.

Mr. W. J. Hosken, Loggan's Mill, Hayle, Cornwall, has recently sold from his Shorthorn herd the following animals, viz.: Eight heifers and the bull, Royal Sovereign, winner of 3rd prize at Bath and West, to Mr. A. F. Basset, Tehidy, Camborne. Lord Gwynne 2nd has been purchased by Messrs. Thornton & Co. for shipment to South America. The two-year-old bull, Land's End, goes to Mr. Edmond Potter's herd at Lowfields, Westmoreland, and the prize yearling bull, New Year's Gift, by Brave Archer, first and reserve for champion at the Bath and West, first and Shorthorn Society champion at the Royal at Cornwall, and second at the Royal at York, has been sold to Mr. T. Hobbs, of Maisey Hampton, Hampton, Fairford.

William Willis & Son, of Newmarket, Ont., maintain on their Pine Ridge stock farm an excellent herd of richly-bred Jersey cattle and a capital flock of Cotswold sheep. The Jersey herd, comprising 20 registered females, was originally founded on the cow, Milly McClellan 2528, a show cow in her day, a large producer, having a record of 15 lbs. 7 ozs. in 7 days, and being the dam of many excellent dairy cows, with large and shapely udders, and many sons that proved prepotent stock bulls. Among the matrons in the herd is Samantha of Pine Ridge, a cow of great capacity and fine dairy form. Zulma of St. Lambert, richly bred in heavy-producing lines, and two of her daughters of similar type, add much to the character of the herd. Lena of Glen Rouge, by One Hundred Per Cent, is a richly-bred St. Lambert cow six years old, a very persistent milker, with a well-formed udder. Mina of Pine Ridge, a daughter of King of Glen Duart and of St. Lambert's Florence, has given over 40 pounds milk daily, and over 8,000 pounds in eight months, and is a cow of sweet type and handsome dairy conformation, with a model-shaped udder. A very sweet pair of cows about due to calve are Pretty of Pine Ridge and Lively of St. Lambert. These are full of quality, and challenge admiration at sight. Brownie of Pine Ridge, a daughter of Lady Marjoram, with her perfectly formed udder and great capacity, is one of the most noticeable features in the herd. Among the hand-some yearling heifers in calf is Britella, by a son of Two Hundred Per Cent, winner of sweepstakes at Toronto Exhibition. The present stock bull is Count of Pine Ridge, by Queen's Count, a son of Canada's John Bull 4th, and his dam is Judith Brock, who has made 18 lbs. 10 ozs. of butter in a week. He is a grand son of Adelaide of St. Lambert, who gave over 82 pounds of milk in a day, and is a typical bull of the breed in dairy conformation, with richly colored skin, and is sire of the present crop of calves. A small but choice flock of Cotswold sheep is kept on the farm. The ram at the head of the flock is Muggins 11400, bred by Mr.

Thompson from imported stock. He has been used two years, and has proved a very impressive sire, the yearlings and lambs by him showing fine character, and having capital fleeces of fine, even quality, a feature that is particularly noticeable in himself.

G. W. CLEMONS & SON'S HOLSTEINS.

The Maple Hill Holstein-Friesian herd of Messrs. Clemons, at St. George, Ont., is well holding its place in the front rank of the breed in America, being bred and selected for the combined virtues of handsome conformation, mellow handling, well shaped udders, and deep-milking records. The blood of the noted De Kol 2nd now predominates in the herd, there being about 20 females of that blood on the farm. The first importation of the family comprised the two grand cows, Queen De Kol and Inka Rose Pietertje De Kol, and their descendants figure largely in the herd at the present time. The last named cow was the winner of first prize at Toronto as a 2-year-old, and first at Ottawa in 1897, and made a record of 64 pounds of milk at 4 years old, while her dam, also in the herd, at maturity gave 75 pounds daily. Queen De Kol 2nd, daughter of Queen De Kol, won first prize at the Brantford Provincial Dairy Show in 1899. Daisy Barrington De Kol won first prize as the best cow in the test under 36 months. Mondamin's Daisy Barrington, who made a record of 62 pounds milk daily at 2 years old, and an average of 50 pounds for 6 months as a 2-year-old, and won 11 first prizes and 3 sweepstakes, was also imported in calf to De Kol 2nd, with the result that she added a heifer to the herd in Daisy Barrington De Kol, one of the most desirable sort, and worthy of the family name. Three heifers born on the farm to Empress Josephine 3rd's Sir Mechtild, came under the official test at the London Dairy Show in 1899. Daisy Barrington De Kol gave at 25 months at the rate of 11 lbs. 8 ozs. in a week; Queen De Kol 2nd, 10 lbs. 5 ozs. 11 months after calving. At the Provincial Dairy Show at Brantford in 1897, the three cows winning the first prize for herd of dairy cows, open to all breeds by test, were from the Maple Hill herd, the cows having been milking for several months previously. The last crop of calves from the cows named was by De Kol's 2nd Paul De Kol Duke, now in service, with the result that 8 young females of this blood are added to the herd. Among the many useful cows doing high-class dairy work is Cornelia Artis, by Cornelia Tenson's Mink Mercedes, a first-prize Toronto winner, with a 1-year-old record of 64 pounds milk daily, after an attack of milk fever. She is a granddaughter of the fine old cow, Cornelia Tenson, a noted prizewinner and producer. The stock bull, Count Mink Mercedes, winner of first prize and the championship at Toronto last year, is still in service, and is regarded by his owners as the best sire of females in the breed in this country, producing them uniformly, with well shaped udders, and covered with the fine, mellow quality of skin which characterizes himself. The young stock bull, Daisy Teake's King, half brother to the great show cow, Daisy Teake's Queen, with a record of 72 pounds milk and 2.62 pounds butter (80 per cent. butter fat), on the Winnipeg fair grounds, is also being used in the herd. With three bred to such cows, and their produce, the Maple Hill herd bids fair to hold a leading place in the future as it has in the past.

GOSSIP.

The 8th volume of the American Southdown Record, containing the pedigrees of 2,000 sheep, consisting of 1,377 ewes, 607 rams and 16 wethers, has just been issued from the office of the Association by the secretary, Mr. John G. Springer, Springfield, Ill. It is an exceedingly creditable volume of over 400 pages, well printed on good paper, substantially and elegantly bound, and containing a number of excellent illustrations of representative Southdowns, besides the list of officers and members, and the Constitution of the Association. The volume is sent free to members on application, with enclosure of 16c. for postage, and the price to non-members is \$2.50 per volume.

Wm. Thorn, Lynedoch, Ont., in ordering advertisement, writes: "My Ayrshires are in fine condition, and cows milking heavy. I have 4 choice bull calves from 3 to 6 months old, sired by Royal Star, and from heavy milking and fine show cows; also 1 bull and heifer calves just dropped, sired by Royal Star, first-prize bull at Toronto and London in 1898, and with dams and grandams with milk records of 40 to 64 pounds of milk a day, all from registered stock of some of the choicest strains in Canada; also females of all ages, at reasonable prices. I am making the above offer as I want to reduce stock of calves early. My poultry is doing well; have a number of fine chicks coming on of my sixteen varieties."

PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION.

The Directorate of the Pan-American Exposition, to be held in Buffalo, N. Y., May 1 to Nov. 1, 1901, announces that they have resources for the purposes of the Exposition to the amount of \$5,800,000, a site of 350 acres, including 133 acres of beautiful park lands and lakelets, an exhibition arena with seating capacity for 25,000 people, and a grand esplanade capable of accommodating 250,000 people. The live-stock buildings will cover 10 acres, and a liberal list of prizes is provided for all classes of stock. Hon. W. L. Buchanan, who was Chief Superintendent of Live Stock at the Columbian in 1893, is Director-General of the Pan-American.

OFFICIAL RECORDS OF HOLSTEIN-FRIESIAN COWS FOR JUNE, 1900.

In the month of June 31 official records have been reported to me. The phenomenal record of the month is that of a three-year-old heifer at 590.7 pounds of milk testing 20.822 pounds butter-fat, equivalent to slightly more than 26 pounds of butter at 80 per cent. fat to the pound. A re-test was not ordered, for the very good reason that during her test, a portion of the time, she was under the eyes of Professor H. H. Wing, of Cornell University station, who assures me that the test is beyond any possible suspicion of incorrectness. Summarized, these tests show the following results: Nine cows averaging 7 years 27 days old; 40 days after calving: Milk, 46.7 pounds; butter-fat, 15.222 pounds; equivalent in butter, 80 per cent. fat, 9 lbs. 0.4 ozs. or 17 lbs. 12.1 ozs. 85.7 per cent. fat. Two cows averaging 4 years 1 month 14 days old; 215 days after calving: Milk, 402.2 pounds; butter-fat, 13.300 pounds; equivalent to 16 lbs. 10 ozs. butter 80 per cent. fat, or 15 lbs. 8.3 ozs. 85.7 per cent. fat. Six cows averaging 3 years 3 months 9 days old; 65 days after calving: Milk, 404.1 pounds; butter-fat, 13.161 pounds; equivalent to 16 lbs. 7.3 ozs. butter 80 per cent. fat, or 15 lbs. 5.7 ozs. 85.7 per cent. fat. Fourteen cows averaging 2 years 1 month 5 days old; 77 days from calving: Milk, 279.2 pounds; butter-fat, 9.331 pounds; equivalent to 11 lbs. 10.7 ozs. butter 80 per cent. fat, or 10 lbs. 14.2 ozs. 85.7 per cent. fat.

Some of the best records of cows and heifers were as follows:

Grace Greenwood 25316, 9 years 9 months 28 days; 100 days from calving: Milk, 476.5 lbs.; butter-fat, 17.798 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 22 lbs. 4 ozs.

Duchess Clothilde 21893, 9 years 6 months 21 days; 11 days from calving: Milk, 528.4 lbs.; butter-fat, 18.124 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 23 lbs. 0.5 ozs. Net profit, \$3.775.

Katie Electa 32556, 8 years 1 month 2 days; 12 days from calving: Milk, 457.3 lbs.; butter-fat, 15.897 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 19 lbs. 13.9 ozs.

Genesee Belle 38306, 5 years 11 months 13 days; 45 days from calving: Milk, 506.3 lbs.; butter-fat, 15.357 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 19 lbs. 3.1 ozs.

Inka De Kol 37062, 5 years 9 months 22 days; 59 days from calving: Milk, 436.6 lbs.; butter-fat, 15.600 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 19 lbs. 8 ozs.

Calamity Jane's Pauline 12945, 3 years 4 months; 27 days from calving: Milk, 434.4 lbs.; butter-fat, 13.885 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 17 lbs. 3.7 ozs.

Katy Spottford Corona 50663, 3 years 1 month 6 days; 20 days from calving: Milk, 500.7 lbs.; butter-fat, 20.822 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 26 lbs. 0.4 ozs. Net profit, \$4.672.

Nutula Inka 41665, 3 years 6 months 24 days; 15 days from calving: Milk, 350.3 lbs.; butter-fat, 10.041 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 12 lbs. 8.8 ozs.

Pietertje May Netherland 42601, 3 years 1 month 1 day; 17 days from calving: Milk, 340.5 lbs.; butter-fat, 10.901 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 13 lbs. 10 ozs.

Shadland Mechtild 50187, 3 years 1 month 15 days; 56 days from calving: Milk, 426.6 lbs.; butter-fat, 13.791 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 17 lbs. 3.8 ozs.

Johanna De Kol 3rd 45167, 2 years 1 month 9 days; 31 days from calving: Milk, 350.3 lbs.; butter-fat, 11.369 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 14 lbs. 3.4 ozs. Net profit, \$2.055.

Johanna Aggie 2nd 45165, 1 year 11 months 15 days; 33 days from calving: Milk, 286.1 lbs.; butter-fat, 10.297 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 12 lbs. 13.9 ozs. Net profit, \$2.048.

Clothilde Grace De Kol 48252, 1 year 11 months 7 days; 34 days from calving: Milk, 290.2 lbs.; butter-fat, 10.191 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 12 lbs. 1.8 ozs.

Minnie Highland De Kol 47411, 2 years 1 month 3 days; 11 days from calving: Milk, 277.9 lbs.; butter-fat, 9.740 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 12 lbs. 2.8 ozs.

Creamelle 2nd's Princess 48302, 2 years 1 month 29 days; 24 days from calving: Milk, 321.4 lbs.; butter-fat, 10.740 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 13 lbs. 6 ozs.

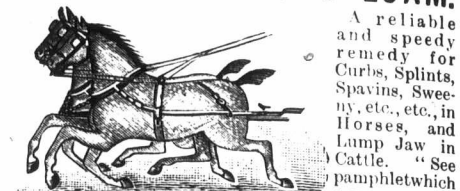
Wayne Pauline De Kol 47430, 2 years 23 days; 32 days from calving: Milk, 263.3 lbs.; butter-fat, 8.972 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 11 lbs. 3.4 ozs.

Lady Pietertje Hetje De Kol 47341, 2 years 14 days; 26 days from calving: Milk, 311.1 lbs.; butter-fat, 9.702 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 12 lbs. 2 ozs.

Pietertje Clothilde Inka 50276, 2 years 2 months 15 days; 32 days from calving: Milk, 285.2 lbs.; butter-fat, 9.703 lbs.; butter 80 per cent. fat, 12 lbs. 2.1 ozs.

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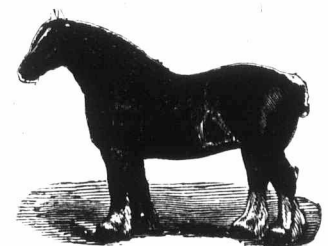
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