

SHEEP.

	Oxford.	Shropshire.	Southdown.	Hampshire.	Cheviot.	West Highland.	Leicester.	Cotswold.	Lincoln.	Total.
Canada	145	512	33	10	110	12	17	50	91	998
United States.....	84	22	20	126

SWINE.

	Berkshire.	Suffolks.	Total.
Canada.....	18	4	22

CATTLE.

The value of such large importations of pure-bred cattle, and the improvement which they must produce in our stock, is difficult to estimate; but the enterprise of our importers is shown by the fact that no less than 323 Polled Angus or Aberdeen cattle, costing, at a low average, \$400 each, have enriched our Canadian herds, and will do much towards raising the quality of our beef and supplying bulls for the great cattle ranches of the North-West.

It is worthy of remark here that the herds of Hon. M. H. Cochrane, Compton; Mr. R. H. Pope, Cookshire, and Mr. Geo. Whitfield, Rougemont, contain some of the best animals living of this now justly-famed breed.

I beg to report that all of these cattle were subjected to a quarantine of ninety days from the date of sailing from a European port, and that no disease of a contagious nature was found to exist amongst them.