

# THE CONSIGNORS TO THE GREAT CANADIAN SALE OF 100 Scotch Shorthorns

TO BE HELD AT UNION STOCK YARDS, TORONTO, ONTARIO, ON THE 7th AND 8th FEBRUARY, 1912

Are at the top in breeding cattle in Canada, and they give the credit for their success to the practice of refusing on every occasion to use anything but the best bulls; both individually and in breeding, that could be procured, no matter how far they had to go in miles or in money.

The herd of W. C. Edwards has been headed by Marquis of Zenda, a full brother to the Missie cow that sold for W. S. Marr in Chicago for \$6,000.00. Missie Champion, one of her sons, was another bull used. Village Champion helped them wonderfully, and now they have Royal Favorite, Bapton Mandolin, and Gold Sultan—the best from Great Britain, the United States and Canada. Such sires, with a herd of the best cows to be bought in Scotland, should produce something. You get the best of it at Toronto.

Miller Bros., the third generation of breeders, started right when they took control of the herd, by placing at its head the great Uppermill Omega. No male animal of any kind has forced himself into prominence more determinedly than has this bull. He was the last calf bred at Uppermill. Before the dispersion of the herd he had one of the best cows in the herd for his mother, and his sire, with the immediate grand sires, were of the richest Cruickshank blood that could be found. His bulls have sold for big prices by private treaty, and his heifers have been retained for this sale in every case, and have in the past sold for an average over \$1,000.00. All the heifers in the herd, old enough, will be sold this year as in the past; they are phenomenal and worth seeing sold. There will for the first time be several calves at foot, and several cows and heifers in calf, by Uppermill Omega.

J. A. Watt, one of the second generation of breeders by choice, goes to prove that the short road to success is through laying a good foundation of matrons, and then, disregarding all else, get the sires. Bampton Hero would make a herd. Young Abbots-



Choice Gloster and Pride of Gloster 6th. Will be included in sale.

burn, Royal Sailor, Jilt's Victor helped to put on the finishing touches. Now the great Gainsford Marquis, just purchased at a very big price, will do his part to keep it in the front rank. The keystone of success in the Watt herd has been a sire of outstanding merit in both form and breeding.

The Thistle Ha' Herd has been known for seventy-five years as the home of the best bulls in the land; nearly every bull used to any extent in that time having been a champion. Primrose Day, the latest sire, was bred almost the same as Pride of Avon, used by Mr. Duthie, his calves making record prices in his October sales.

John Miller, Jr., the fourth generation, has it headed by the imported bull, Choice Archer; a good one and a proven sire; his calves will show for themselves.

Robert Miller's herd has been headed for two years with one of the best sons of Whitehall Sultan, "Superb Sultan," a straight-bred Cruickshank Secret, from a dam by Baron Lavender, which bull, as well as Whitehall Sultan, was imported by Robert Miller. Superb Sultan is fast coming to the front as a sire; his bull calf last year made a record at these sales. This year there will be three bulls and one heifer by him, and they may be noticed. There will also be about ten cows and heifers in calf to him.

Write for the Catalogue, showing the pedigrees of the most select lot of Shorthorns ever offered by auction in Canada.

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### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

#### APPORTIONMENT OF TAXES.

A bought a piece of land from B, getting possession of it the end of May, nothing being said about taxes at time of buying. What portion of taxes would A be liable for? Kindly answer in "The Farmer's Advocate."

A SUBSCRIBER.

Ans.—The taxes ought to be apportioned between A and B, according to their respective periods of tenure.

#### METAL SILOS.

Could you give me some information about metal silos, as the wooden silos are usually short-lived, and I would have to draw gravel about ten miles for cement silo? I am expecting to erect one of some kind next summer. Kindly give me the name of some manufacturer of them.

G. W. S.

Ans.—Metal silos have been advertised in this journal by the Waterous Engine Works Co., Ltd., of Brantford, Ont. As yet, they have not been sufficiently tested to enable us to pass a final opinion on them. Fairly satisfactory results have been obtained, but the chief difficulty has been to get a substance with which to coat the inner surface to prevent rusting.

#### DUTY RATES.

1. I intend to get a magneto from the United States. How much duty would there be on it if it cost \$15?

2. Could I get a booklet or pamphlet on duty rates? If so, please state where I could obtain it, and at what price.

J. B.

Ans.—1. The duty on a magneto coming to Canada from the United States is 27½ per cent, which would make \$1.13 on one of \$15 value.

2. The Canadian Almanac, price 50c., gives these rates, and much other valuable information. This is sold at many book stores, or may be purchased from the publishers, The Copp Clark Co., Ltd., Toronto.

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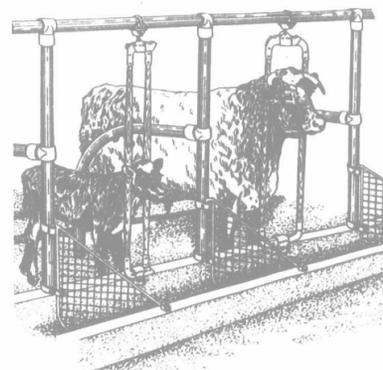
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