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GOSSIP.

THE HEIDELBURG HOLSTEIN SALE.

The dispersion sale of 37 head of Holsteins, on January 15th, the property of C. R. Gies, Heidelberg, Ont., was very successful and satisfactory to the vendor, who writes: "I am well pleased with the results 'The Farmer's Advocate' gave me. It brought me enquiries and buyers from all parts of Ontario, and also from Alberta. The females over one year averaged a little better than \$171, and those under one year, and as young as two weeks, averaged almost \$92. The males from one to thirteen months old averaged \$100. Following is the list of the females over one year old:

Toitilla, O. A. C., A. C. Hallman, Breslau	\$210
Posch Calamity Colantha, J. E. Whitney, Milverton	185
Netherland Mundella, W. Ebert, Nelles' Corners	180
Netherland Posch 2nd, Mitchener Bros., Red Deer, Alta.	150
Braemar Clothilde Pietertje, Mitchener Bros., Red Deer, Alta.	155
Braemar's Stamboul, Alfred Hutchinson, Mount Forest	200
Teake's Posch, Alfred Hutchinson, Mount Forest	220
Netherland De Kol Belle, Jesse Looker, Mitchell	150
Teake Fairmount Claxton, J. M. Boeckh, Concord	290
Black Beauty Zoze, J. M. Boeckh, Concord	210
Lady Elgin De Kol 2nd, A. L. Shantz, Heidelberg	207
Florence Wayne, Mitchener Bros.	185
Princess Wayne Johanna, Jesse Looker, Mitchell	160
Korndyke Wayne, J. E. Whitney, Milverton	180

Pauline Posch Kirkfield, Jno. Steinacker, Sebringville	147
Belle Flora De Kol, J. E. Whitney, Milverton	110
Wayne Posch Florence, Markle Bros., Hespeler	177
Johanna Posch Wayne, J. E. Whitney, Milverton	142
Princess Diotime, Michener Bros., Butter Queen Diotime, Geo. E. Wood, Mandago	105
Ava De Kol Pride, Michener Bros., Fairmount Clothilde, Anthony Gies, St. Jacob's	145
Irene Diotime, W. Ebert, Nelles' Corners	165
Heifer Calves Under One Year Old.	
Calf of Netherland De Kol Belle, 2 weeks old, Anthony Gies	62
Calf of Black Beauty Zoze, 3 weeks old, Dr. English, Hamilton	80
Fairmount Toitilla Cornucopia, 11 months old, W. T. Whale, Goldstone	115
Posch Calamity Colantha 2nd, 8 months old, Dr. English	150
Netherland Posch Cornucopia, 8 months old, Anthony Gies	87
Fairmount Netherland Cornucopia, 5 months old, Anthony Gies	82
Aaggie Grace Cornucopia De Kol, 2 months old, Anthony Gies	65

Males.

Grace Fayne 2nd Sir Mercena, 13 months old, C. C. Kettle, Wilsonville	175
Sir Cornucopia Stamboul, 7 months old, A. L. Shantz, Heidelberg	57
Sir Cornucopia Pietertje, 9 months old, J. E. Whitney, Milverton	100
Teake's Pietertje, 8 months old, John Dittner, St. Agatha	67

Gabe—What is culture?
Steve—Culture is when you speak of the House Beautiful when you mean the beautiful house.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

TRADE TOPICS.

TOUR WITH THE MASONS.—The St. Patrick Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, Toronto, have accepted invitations extended by the Grand Chapters of Ireland and Scotland, to visit them in the early part of 1913, and to carry the plan through to a successful conclusion, have arranged with the White Star Line for an interesting and unusual tour to the Old Country. The party will leave on the "Teutonic," May 3rd, and land at Queenstown by special arrangement with the Company. The points to be visited include Cork, Bantry, Glengarriff, Killarney, Dublin, Belfast, Ayr, Glasgow, Edinburgh, Melrose, Keswick, Grasmere, Windermere, Bournemouth, Chester, Stratford, Kenilworth, Leamington, London, Paris, London again, and then Liverpool, to connect with the "Teutonic" June 14th, Quebec, and Montreal.

WIRE-FENCE MANUFACTURE.—Few lines of endeavor have seen such rapid progress during the last decade as the manufacture of wire fencing. Years ago, the old rail and stump fences were the only fences used generally on the farms of Canada. Saw mills became more common, resulting in such a decline in the price of lumber, so that board fencing came to be used practically everywhere. But gradually the forests grew thinner and the price of lumber grew higher. A cheaper material must be found. The result was the advent of the barb wire. The sale of this for a time was enormous, but the number of animals annually destroyed or injured with the barbs was appalling. "Necessity—the mother of invention," produced the modern, woven-wire fencing. Properly made, of good material, it can be constructed to hold any domestic animal, and the price is not excessive. Some of the best woven-wire fencing is Canadian-made. Every rod of fencing that leaves

the plant of the Banwell-Hoxie Wire Fence Co., Ltd., Hamilton, Ont., whether it be poultry fence, stock fence, ornamental fence, or gates, is built on honor, and guaranteed. Those interested in the purchase of fencing should not fail to secure their catalogue and prices.

GOSSIP.

James Begg, breeder of Ayrshire cattle, St. Thomas, Ont., writes that 1912 was another successful year of sales, he having sold young bulls to G. F. Douglas, Staples, Ont.; Nell Sinclair & Son, Coldstream, Ont.; John Robertson & Sons, Northwood, Ont., and B. Hewitt, Marshville, Ont. Mr. Begg intends making additions to his stable this spring, and he will sell any of his cows, as he has a number of heifers coming on. He reports seven heifer calves in succession. Look up his change of advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

James Douglas, Caledonia, Ont., proprietor of one of the oldest and yet up-to-date herds of Shorthorns in the Dominion, in ordering a change of advertisement, states that his Willow Bank herd of Shorthorns and flock of Leicesters are all looking exceedingly well, and he has the very best lot of young bulls of serviceable age that he has ever had, some from imported dams, such as Jilts, Prides, Marr Beautys, Nonpareils, including an extra good one by Imp. Joy of Morning. Also some choice cows and heifers, and bred to the imported Butterfly bull, Roan Chief =60865=.

"More tough luck," whispered his wife.
"Well, what now," he muttered.
"You know Miss Green never sings without her music?"
"Yes."
"Well, she's brought her music."—Detroit Free Press.