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## TRADE TOPICS.

To-day and to-day and to-day is my motto.

The "to-morrow and to-morrow and to-morrow" people acquire their education, but fail to use it soon enough.

They acquire wealth, but forget to enjoy it.

They are like the Philadelphia social climbers who get into society just when they are ready to die.

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## STARTING A BALKY HORSE.

Not long since a typical crowd was gathered in a village street to see a balky horse, and all kinds of devices were tried to get the horse to move on, but all failed until an attache of a livery stable came out with a rope and looped it around the animal's right fore leg and then gave it a hearty pull, which brought the leg sliding forward. The driver scarcely had time to get hold of the lines before the horse was off and gone. Since then this method has been tried several times when animals have balked, and it has been successful in moving them in every instance. The animal can only think of one thing at a time, and while he is speculating on the intentions of the man with the rope he forgets his determination to balk, and is travelling before he thinks what he is doing.

## \$5.35 for Exporters.

A local paper reports the purchase of 54 prime export cattle by Henry Leslie, of Listowel, from Henry Smith, of Wallace. They were, the report says, as fine a lot as ever left Listowel. The total weight was 78,250 lbs., being just 50 lbs. short of averaging 1,450 lbs. The heaviest animal, a four-year-old steer, weighed 1,720 lbs. Several others went over 1,600 lbs. each. Three two-year-olds weighed 4,370 lbs., averaging 1,457 lbs. each, and another lot of two-year-olds averaged 1,377 lbs. each. The cattle were purchased some time ago at \$5.35 per 100 lbs. They netted Mr. Smith the snug sum of \$4,186. Mr. Leslie shipped them direct to London, England.

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## GOSSIP.

The "to-morrow and to-morrow and to-morrow" people are like Napoleon's Austrians in Italy. While they wheeled their army about he struck it twice.

A man addicted to walking in his sleep, went to bed all right one night, but when he woke he found himself in the street in the grasp of a policeman. "Hold on!" he cried. "You mustn't arrest me; I'm a somnambulist." To which the policeman replied: "I don't care what yer religion is—ye can't walk the streets in yer nightshirt."

Two candidates for office in Missouri were stumping the northern part of the State, and in one town their appearance was almost simultaneous. The candidate last arriving happened to stop at a house for the purpose of getting a drink of water. To the little girl who answered his knock at the door, he said, when she had given him the desired draft and he had offered her in recompense some candy: "Did the man ahead of me give you anything?"

"Oh, yes, sir," replied the bright girl; "he gave me candy."

"Ah!" exclaimed the candidate, "here's five cents for you. I don't suppose that he gave you any money?"

The youngster laughed merrily. "Yes, he did, too! He gave me ten cents!"

Not to be outdone, the candidate gave the little one another nickel, and, picking her up in his arms, kissed her.

"Did he kiss you, too?" he asked, genially.

"Indeed, he did, sir!" responded the little girl, "and he kissed ma, too!"

## IMPORTANT PURCHASE OF AYRSHIRES.

Mr. Robert Ness, of Burnside, Howick, Que., (whose father is well known as an exporter of high-class Clydesdales for the last thirty years), has been on a visit to Scotland for the last month, and returned to Canada by the Donaldson liner, Silacia, last week with a well-selected lot of Ayrshires. Mr. Ness is a thorough good judge of a dairy animal, and would look at nothing but what had a strong constitution, good tests, combined with the promise of being a good milker. When he got those properties to his mind he was not afraid to pay a good price to become possessor of the animal. He visited nearly all the principal herds in the south-west of Scotland, and selected 17 head. From Mr. Andrew Mitchell, Barcheskie, he purchased nine, including the bull he intends to head his herd, viz., the prize bull, King's Crest, which gained first prize at Castle-Douglas the day before sailing. This bull was bred by Mr. McKean, Dam of Aber, and was first at the Dumbarton and Stirling Shows, as well as first at the Southern Counties Shows at Newton-Stewart last year. For color, size and general Ayrshire character, this bull will be hard to beat in Canada. Two bull storks of Mr. Mitchell's own breeding accompany him, both out of very heavy-milking dams. In females, the selection from Barcheskie included the cow, Snowflake, that was first in the uncalved class, and first in pairs at Castle-Douglas. She was a well-known prize-taker last year at the principal shows. The promising three-year-old heifer, Irene, a daughter of The Master; the two-year-old heifer, Jean, that was first at Lanark, Leshmahagow, Hamilton, Douglas Water, etc., last season, and four Barcheskie-bred heifers, less than twelve months old, which have still a name to make for themselves, completed the Barcheskie contingent. From Mr. Wilson, Finlayston, he purchased a grand type of a cow that has been proving herself a splendid breeder, and two calves. From Mr. Duncan, Little Kilmory, two big, substantial, four-year-old cows, of the kind which are hard to find. One of them, besides other honors, was fourth in the Ayr Derby last year, and the other was first at the Highland, in milk. From Mr. Woodburn, Whitehill, he purchased the good four-year-old, Gipsy I., a daughter of Gay Gipsy, and by Traveler's Heir. From Mr. Logan, Barginoch, a good four-year-old cow. From Mr. Thomas Barr, Monkland, two particularly promising bull calves, one sired by White Cockade, out of Beauty of Orchardton, and the other, by Barcheskie May King, out of Snow White.—[Scot-tish Farmer.

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