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County of Napierville—Percheron, Brilliant Blue (19862) 7; left April 23, returned August 1. Number of services, 70.

County of Gaspe—Percheron, Eventail (32195) 6; left June 1, returned September 6. Number of services, 107.

County of Missi-siquoi—Norman, Marquis de Puisage; left April 26, returned August 11. Number of services, 79.

County of Vaudreuil—Percheron, Joly (15168) 2; left April 26, returned July 30. Number of services, 37.

County of Chicoutimi—Clyde, 7726, Galant Modele; left May 16, returned July 30. Number of services, 37.

County of Three Rivers—Percheron, Bontemps (20828) 3; left April 29, returned August 17. Number of services, 55.

County of Bellechasse—Percheron, Boston (19863) 8; left June 1, returned September 4. Number of services, 59. This stallion was sent by way of en couragement to horse breeding.

Percentage of colts born in 1892, Haras National, Province of Quebec, 61.62.

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Percentage of colts born in 1892, Haras of Germany, 53.30.
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Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa — Normand, Holopherne: left April 19, returned August 26.

Number of services, 74.

Experimental Farm at Nappan, N. S. — Norman. General Frette; left April 19, returned August 26, Number of services, 96.

Experimental Farm at Brandon, Man. — Percheron, Clement [32172] 4; left April 16, returned August 9.

Number of services, 39.

Experimental Farm at Indian Head, Assa. — Clyde, James Arthur [1874], 5888; left April 16, returned August 9.

Number of services, 63.

Experimental Farm at Agassiz, B. C. — Clyde, Barlocio [1667] 7461; left April 16, returned August 9.

Number of services, 27.

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