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THE HOLSTEIN ASSOCIATION AND THE NATIONAL RECORD BOARD

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"did not ask me to make any estimate "on what the work would cost them here, "nor supply me with any information as "to what it cost them at St. George.

"They asked for information about the "Ayrshire Association. I told them Ayr-"shire transactions, that is, registrations, "transfers, membership, etc., cost the as-"sociation for 1912, about fifteen cents "each. Take this basis of figuring from "the Holstein Association's detailed "statement: Registrations 7,104, duplicate "certificates 59, new certificates 21, trans-"fers 6,705, new members 544, annual dues "$1,158, total 15,291, at 15 cents each, "$2,293.65. Allowing $1,500.00 for office "work, and it is very safe to say that "the actual cost of 1912 office work was "more than this, balance allowed for sec-"retary's outside work, you can figure: "Office salary $1,500.00, audit $50.00, post-"age $553.00, office supplies $371.00, esti-"mated cost of stationery and forms, "one-third printing, $1,000.00. Total, "$3,574.00.

"I figure that in this office one man at "$1,000 per year to start with and one "girl at $500, and one girl at $400, would "do all Holstein recording work. Put "the accountant's work at $700, total "$2,600, 50 per cent—what it would cost "the association—of $2,600.00, $1,300.00.

"We know, for the sake of making a "comparison, that they have one man "who gets a good salary, and they also "have one or two girls working in the "office all the time, so that we say it "must be and is absolutely impossible for "them to do the work as cheaply as we "are doing it for the other associations "that came in under the National Record "System."

The Discussion

Mr. W. W. Ballantyne: "Mr. Miller, you must remember that their man is also secretary, he is doing the secretary's work."

Mr. Miller: "We have no way, of course, of determining the sums that were paid him as secretary and as registrar, but we know that the work as it is done in the Record Office makes the secretary's work outside the office very light. The remuneration paid to the secretaries of some of the associations is a very small sum. The Shorthorn Association pay their secretary $300 a year. In the Ayrshire Association you ask your secretary to do a great deal of work that can scarcely be called work that a secretary should do. Your secretary, Mr. F. P. Crispin, does splendid work, but it is not the usual work asked of a secretary; it is more the work of a field man or a general manager. Some associations have found it to their advantage to pay a large salary to such a man. Mr. Clemons, I understand, does not do work of that character; that he is in the office and that his work is simply work that a secretary can be called on to do in an office

Criticism Invited

"We are, as I said before, ready for fair and liberal criticism. We are ready to meet any man who feels that we are at fault in any way, and listen to his complaints. In fact, we are anxious to have complaints of that kind made as long as they are straight and reasonable judment is used in making these complaints to us. I don't think there is a member of this board who would be opposed to adopting any change that would be to the advantage of the association that he represents. If there is a man of that kind, his association should not send him here as representative any longer. We treated the Holstein breeders very liberally when we offered to give them all the benefits that we worked so hard for, and when they come to our office, on our invitation to look into our books, and we give them as much assistance as they liked to ask from us, they ought to go away from our offices and make a fair report.

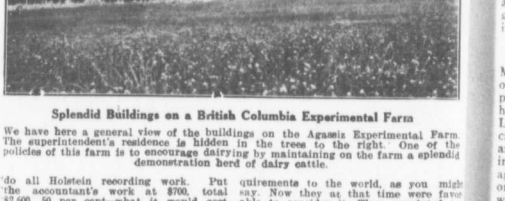
"That is all I wish to say. I don't know that it will be necessary to take any action, but I think that it is only right that our opinion of the reports that these men have made, should gain publicity."

Mr. J. E. Brethour, Burford: "I believe that the National Record organization has been of great benefit to us all. Now I don't think there any division of opinion among the affiliated associations or any desire to break away from the organization, which we have established. I, a year ago, took it upon myself personally, to attend the Holstein Breeders' Association meeting, and there was a good deal of discussion there in regard to appointing a secretary. They were a little unsettled as to whom they would select. I took the opportunity to present to them the advantages of joining with the other associations so that we would present a united front in Canada. I said to the Board that I did not think that the Record Board had any desire to coerce them or inveigle them in any way into this organization, but we thought if we were all united in a solid front that we would be stronger in presenting our requirements to the world, as you might say. Now they at that time were favorable to consider it. They appointed three members as a deputation to investigate the conditions of the National Record and as to the cost.

"Dr. English, who is a prominent Holstein representative and Mr. Mallory were in Ottawa two or three months after, or a short time after anyway, and they said to me, 'We would like to go through the Record Offices and see how things are conducted.' I said, 'We will be very pleased to take you down and introduce you to Mr. Brant.' I took them down and Mr. Brant took them through the office and showed them our system. After they had gone through it carefully, they said to me they were very much pleased with the manner in which the business was conducted, and which they had no authority officially, not being representatives, they were certainly pleased with the way the work was conducted, and they thought it would be a good move if they could bring their record to Ottawa.

"I had a talk also with the representatives. They said they hadn't yet had an opportunity to investigate the cost of various pedigrees, but they were going to do so, and they would report at the annual meeting. The next thing I saw was the report that was published in Farm and Dairy. I was certainly surprised to see the report, and in making inquiries of Mr. Brant, I found that they had only asked practically one of the two questions. They wanted to know the cost of recording pedigrees of the Ayrshire association. Now when Mr. Brant gave that cost, he took into account all the cost, whereas when they made the comparison between the cost of their pedigrees they simply took only the salaries, didn't take into account stationery or any other of the contingent expenses. That is not a fair comparison.

"There is another point. That is the each individual breeder or man who is recording with us has the right of privilege of free postage, which would amount to a large item to a man who made a lot of entries, especially if he made a lot of mistakes. I think it is rather an unfair report, and I think the should be asked to make a fuller investigation and put this matter right before the public. It is a serious matter to this association if, with the united force which we have and the system which we have in the office, that we cannot furnish the work at a better rate and cheaper than it is being done by the associations such as they have. I think that some steps should be taken to see that the report is thorough."



Splendid Buildings on a British Columbia Experimental Farm

We have here a general view of the buildings on the Agassis Experimental Farm. The superintendent's residence is hidden in the trees to the right. One of the policies of this farm is to encourage dairying by maintaining on the farm a splendid demonstration herd of dairy cattle.

A Richly Bred Youngster

SIRE—Prince Hengerveld of the Pontiacs, who is a brother to the new World's Champion, K.P. Pontiac Lass, 44.18.

DAM—Hulda Wayne of Manor, A.R.O. 2 yrs. 6 mths. 6 dys., Milk 396.2, Butter 20.81. This heifer is still in test, and will make a very creditable record for 30 days, as she is averaging over 4% fat. She is a daughter of Korndyke Johanna De Kol, one of the greatest sires in Canada to-day. He now has 11 A.R.O. daughters. The entire 11 average over 15 lbs. butter in seven days, all as two-year-olds. Her Dam a good producing daughter of Victor De Kol Pietertje, who is a brother to Hengerveld De Kol and Pietertje Hengerveld Count De Kol and also De Kol Burke, and they together are the Sires of 296 A.R.O. daughters, 28 with records averaging greater than 30 lbs. This breeding is hard to beat. This young fellow is more black than white, and is a dandy in every way. If interested, write for pedigree and photo.

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