

GOSSIP.

Mr. John Kerr, Redhall, Wigton, Cumberland, has sold a couple of big-sized, good horses to Mr. Thomas J. Berry, Hensall, Ontario. These are Scotland's Stamp (11522) and Champion Again (12522). The former was bred by Mr. Alexander Wilkie, Pitlandie, Stanley, and got by Montrave Kenneth, out of a Juryman mare, while Champion Again was bred by Messrs. Wood, Glencogo, and got by Neil Gow, out of a Royal Champion mare. They are of a size and class which would suit this country, but their advent in Canada may bring increased orders here, so says the Scottish Farmer.

CLYDESDALE STALLIONS FOR CANADA.

Mr. Walter S. Park, Hatton, Bishop-ton, has sold three well-bred stallions to Mr. T. H. Hassard, Millbrook, Ontario, Canada. These are all of good breeding and quality, and like suiting the foreign demand. Amongst them is the Hiawatha horse, Braes o' Yett (11282). He was bred at the farm of that name by Mr. Andrew Douglas, and through his dam, Lady Caroline, traces back to the celebrated breeding horse Gartsherrie. Royal Errant (12326), which accompanies him, was bred by Mr. D. R. Christie, Broughmore, and was sired by Royal Favorite, out of a Knight Errant mare, while the third animal, Good Quality (12591), was bred by Mr. Thomas Pate, Wester Middleton, Gorebridge, and got by Royal Hampton, out of a mare by M'iver. These are thick, blocky horses of a good type, and we trust Mr. Hassard will be lucky with them.—[Scottish Farmer.]

Messrs. R. Mitchell & Sons, Nelson, Ont., write: "Recent sales of Short-horns from our herd are: To J. C. Littlejohn, Highgate, Ont., one of the best bulls we have ever bred. This calf is by Greengill Victor (imp.), and out of Imp. Rosy. To Walter Renwick, Huntingfield, Ont., a very promising ten-months-old bull calf, by Imp. Strawberry Chief, and out of Imp. Augusta Girl, of the Bruce Augusta tribe; to John Hise, Castown, Ont., a fourteen-months-old bull, by Greengill Victor, and out of Imp. Princess Victoria. This bull is a very showy, blocky one that will make a getter of the right kind, being of the Cruickshank Victoria family. To Geo. McKee, Winthrop, Ont., our herd bull, Imp. Greengill Victor, the best stock bull we have ever owned, being a richly-bred Princess Royal, sired by Lavender Victor, and out of Princess Royal 52nd, by Sea King. Mr. McKee also selected from our herd the imported cow, Merry Princess, a Campbell Clementina, by Scottish Prince. This cow is forward in calf to Greengill Victor, and is one of the choicest individuals, being the best heifer calf in our 1901 importation."

The excellent herd of Scotch and Scotch-topped Shorthorns belonging to Mr. David Birrell, of Greenwood, Ont., was recently seen by a representative of the "Farmer's Advocate," and found in fine condition. This herd was established over 30 years ago, and has had the benefit of a long list of high-class imported sires of the most approved Cruickshank and Campbell, of Kinellar, breeding, mated with females of similar breeding and character. The present stock bull is Imp. Royal Prince (41490) of the favorite Golden Drop family, bred at Kinellar. This grand stock bull was the sire of most of the splendid young things in the Thistle Ha' dispersion sale in January last which brought such high prices. A few excellent young bulls of serviceable age are offered for sale, sired by Imp. Blue Ribbon, of the choice Rosemary tribe, and from the Crimson Flower and other families, which have produced winners of championship honors at Toronto and other leading shows. Some capital heifers and young cows are also being offered. Parties looking for young bulls of the right stamp should write Mr. Birrell for prices, or better still call and see the stock at his farm near Claremont Station, C. P. R., or Pickering, G. T. R.

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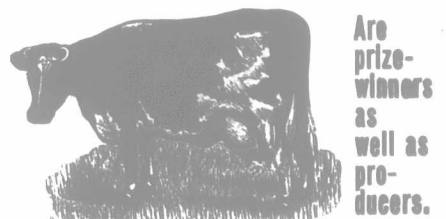
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"Hello," said the first merchant, "how do you find business?" "By advertising," replied the up-to-date man. Same with the stockmen.

At a combination auction sale of Aberdeen-Angus cattle at Dexter Park, Chicago, the last week of March, 59 animals sold for an average of \$174. The top of the sale for bulls was \$710, paid by L. H. Kerrick, Bloomington Ill., for Imp. Lord Fretful 62284, bred by Sir George McPherson Grant, and owned by O. G. Callahan. The top of the sale for females was \$700, paid by C. J. Martin, Churdan, Ia., for Blackbird 28rd 44727, bred and owned by M. A. Judy.

Mr. James Bowes, Strathclair, Ont., breeder of Scotch Shorthorns, in ordering a change in his advertisement, writes that his herd has wintered well, and that sales have been very good. He has a herd of 45, comprising such well-known families as Marr Floras and Stamfords, Minas, Nonpareils, Crimson Flowers, any of which are for sale.

Mr. W. H. Simmons, New Durham, Oxford County, Ont., breeder of Holstein cattle, reports the following sales from his herd: "Three heifer calves to W. H. Kells, Queensboro, Ont., which were in the first-prize herd of four calves under one year at Western Fair, London, 1904. The first-prize bull calf at London went to head the herd of Mr. R. Honey, Brickley, Ont. Second-prize bull calf at Toronto went to Mr. S. Facey, Belton, Ont. This calf's dam is a Record of Merit cow, and her sire a Record of Merit bull. The third-prize bull calf at Toronto went to Mr. A. Irwin, Crumlin, Ont. His dam and her sire are also admitted to the R. of M. She made almost 18 lbs. of butter in 7 days as a four-year-old, second largest record made in Canada of her age in 1904. Another fine bull calf went to Mr. Howard Leavens, Chisholm, Ont. His grandsire is a brother to world's champion two-year-old, Altje Posch, 27 lbs. butter in 7 days; also Mercena 3rd, 26 lbs. butter in 7 days at four years old. All the calves mentioned were sired by Isoco Pride's Pan-Am. I have a few more bulls from this sire, one to six months old, whose dams are in the R. of M. I also have calves born in September, 1904, imported in dams, sired by Prince Calamity De Kol Paul, whose dam made 17 lbs. of butter at three years old, her dam, Calamity Jane, 25 lbs. butter in 7 days. The dam of the sire of this bull, Maple Croft Maid, official test 22.93 lbs. of butter in 7 days. I have also sold to Mr. W. A. Hartley, New Durham, Ont., a cow whose daughter made an official test of 18 lbs. butter in 7 days."

Mr. J. E. Brethour, Burford, Ont., breeder of Yorkshire hogs, writes: "Our winnings at St. Louis comprised 12 firsts, 14 seconds, 11 thirds, 5 fourths, 4 championships, 4 reserve championships, 2 grand championships, 2 reserve grand championships, and premier championship for breeder of Large Yorkshires. Every animal shown by us was bred and fed at Oak Lodge, with one exception, and this one traces back directly to stock from our herd. The winning of grand championship is a small thing to read about, but to produce an animal able to win, not only against other animals of his own breed, but against the pick of all other breeds, requires more than theoretical training. Oak Lodge Frederick, the grand championship barrow, was shown first in class for Yorkshire barrows, over 6 and under 12 months, here he won first, and afterwards won championship for Yorkshire barrow, any age. He was then pitted against the Champion barrows, over 6 and under 12, for each of the other breeds, winning the grand championship over all. He was also given reserve grand championship against all breeds and ages. The production of this barrow is not, by any means, a chance shot, but is rather the consummation of breeding to an ideal. A glance at his breeding shows him to descend through seven generations of Cinderella sows, perhaps the most celebrated family or strain of Yorkshire pigs in America. His sire is a member of that other noted family of Oak Lodge Yorkshires, being a son of Oak Lodge Julia 7th. The sire and dam of this wonderful pig are still in use at Oak Lodge."

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