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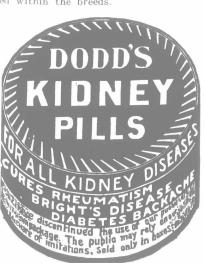
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#### GOSSIP.

INTERNATIONAL LIVE-STOCK EX-POSITION, DECEMBER 1 TO 8, 1906, CHICAGO.

Dean Curtiss, of Iowa Agricultural College, was asked to write an article on the International, and here follows his testimony

"The educational influence of a great live-stock show, such as the International, can not be fully estimated. The success of the International has been phenomenal. Each year it appeals to a wider constituency. It is truly interna-tional in its scope. The magnitude and The magnitude and excellence of its exhibits has been a marvel to foreign visitors. The magnificent year, and the ring has been extended to make room for the coming show. No other show on either continent brings together such an array of superior breeding stock and prime animals fit for the block, as may be seen at this show. This feature is particularly interesting and instructive. The block test furnishes the final proof of excellence, and affords a standard to measure the value of types and breeds. This is the one great contest where breeds meet in competition after individual excellence has been measured within the breeds.



battle royal is the work of the foreign judge, who annually passes on the championship classes. For this exacting task, the most competent judges of Great Britain have been selected. swine measure strength for supremacy in the show-ring and on the block. In the carload classes, the competition is equally as sharp, and here, again, animal excellence is measured by the practical

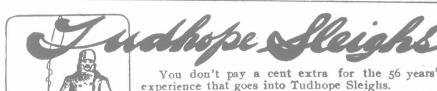
standard of market demands. "Probably the keenest and most inspiring battle of the show is seen when the great draft horses in harness, of all breeds and all countries, meet on the tanbark, clad in the armor of peaceful though mighty warfare. It is this final of breed to breed, in the form of an ultimatum following the scrimmages down the State fair circuits, that gives an intense interest to International rings. The 1906 International promises to be in every way a fitting climax to a show season of unparalleled records.'

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