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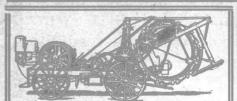
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#### BOOK REVIEW.

A GOOD BEGINNING.

One might suppose from the number of excellent poultry books already in use that there was no place or need for another. But it is a mistake to suppose that the last word has been said, or said in the best way on any subject. This is proven by a new work called "The Beginner in Poultry," by C. S. Valentine, author of a former book called "How to Keep Hens for Profit." We are agreeably disappointed in the new volume. It is by no means an amateurish treatise, but it starts out by discussing the making of a poultryman from a new standpoint, viz., that of the birds themselves. In education, it is now well recognized that the most important stage is in the primary class, and it is there that the best teachers are required. So with this book. Though written in an easy, conversational way, it embodies a world of poultry experience in its thirty-four chapters, covering 450 pages, and four score instructive illustrations, many of which display a great deal of originality. Experienced poultrymen will find the book well stored with valuable technical information, embodying the results of experiments and demonstrations. To digest its pages thoroughly will save many an over - enthusiastic beginner from a lot of costly blunders, and it is full of practical hints, which he or she will find helpful from the first to the last day of any undertaking in the poultry business. Copies of this excellent work may be secured through this office, at \$1.65, postage paid. The Macmillan Co., Toronto, Canada, are the publishers.

#### GOSSIP.

The annual combination sale of highclass registered Shropshire and Southdown sheep, 75 yearling ewes, 40 ewe lambs, and 20 rams, to take place on January 14th, at Burford, Ont., near Brantford, opens a rare opportunity to secure good foundation stock, or to improve and increase a flock with up-to-date material, on easy terms. See the advertisement.

Official records of 259 Holstein-Friesian cows were accepted for entry in the American Advanced Registry, from November 10th to December 7th, 1912. This herd of 259 animals, of which nearly one-half were heifers with first or second calves, produced in seven consecutive days, 104,255.9 lbs. milk, containing 3,672.087 lbs. of butter-fat; thus showing an average of 3.52 per cent. fat. The average production for each animal was 402.5 lbs. milk, containing 14.178 lbs. of butter-fat; equivalent to 57.5 lbs. or over 27.38 quarts milk per day, and 16.54 lbs. of the best commercial butter per week.

A GREAT LINE OF SHORTHORNS,

That blood will tell, and that the superior qualities of some lines are prepotent enough to transmit those qualities from generation to generation, was again exemplified at the late Guelph show, when four first-prize winners in the Shorthorn classes proved to be grandsons and daughters of that renowned bull Gold Drop =43723=, that for so many years, at the head of the Springhurst herd of Harry Smith, of Hay, Ont., produced for him more prizewinners than any other bull in Canada, imported or Canadian-bred, ever produced. The Guelph winners were: Ben, first-prize two-year-old steer, sired by Ben Wyvis 72869; Jim, first-prize yearling grade steer, sired by Viscount Vanity 72870; Lancaster Lily, first in the Shorthorn heifer calf class, sired by Mutineer 80006; Mischief E., first, Shorthorn yearling class, also won the Prince of Wales prize and grand championship over all breeds for the best fat animal of the show, sired by Village Bridegroom 72868. All these great sires were bred by Mr. Smith, and for this season he has about ten young bulls for sale of a quality never surpassed in his many years of successful breeding, and bred on the same prizewinning lines that has many times proven its superiority. Parties wanting a herd-header should make a note of this.