

Albert's Gem, 34006, heifer, calved Dec. 12, 1884—W. C. Whitney, Washington, D. C.	\$340
Albert's Bess, 34003, heifer, calved Nov. 6, 1884—J. D. Ripley, New York City.	215
Edith Darlington, 4th, 34005, heifer, calved Dec. 8, 1884—Same.	155
Albert's Annie, 34011, heifer, calved Feb. 4, 1885—Same.	110
Albert's Frankie, 34017, heifer, calved March 17, 1885—A. B. Darling.	280
Rose Bunker, 3407, heifer, calved Dec. 23, 1884—J. D. Ripley.	150
Exiana, 34009, heifer, calved Jan. 24, 1885—F. R. Procter, Utica, N. Y.	120
Bessie Pearl Rex, 34012, heifer, calved Feb. 7, 1885—J. D. Ripley.	200
Dell Rieter, 34013, heifer, calved Feb. 15, 1885—B. F. Case.	310
King Rieter's Miss, 34014, heifer, calved March 8, 1885—A. B. Darling.	320
Lily Rieter, 34015, heifer, calved March 9, 1885—Same.	385
Witch of St. Lambert 2nd, 34020, heifer, calved April 10, 1885—B. F. Case.	460
Lady Ann Rieter, 34021, heifer, calved April 28, 1885—D. F. Appleton.	260
King Rieter, 4th, 15112, bull, calved March 22, 1885—Charles Holt, Wilburtha, N. J.	150
First Call, 26953, cow, calved April 6, 1881—Moulton Bros.	180
Cultured Cream, 29196, cow, calved April 30, 1883—J. B. Pomeroy, West Stockbridge, Mass.	330
Copyright, 32358, heifer, calved Feb. 9, 1885—J. V. N. Willis.	140
Liberette, 20324, cow, calved May, 1881—G. L. & A. C. Davis, Port Jefferson, L. I.	130
Coquette Minnie, 34323, heifer, calved Oct. 27, 1884—A. B. Darling.	200
Allie Lorne Pogis, 34324, heifer, calved Jan. 15, 1885—J. H. Walker.	160
Lady Lorne Pogis, 34325, heifer, calved March 11, 1885—A. B. Darling.	110
Lorne Pogis, 3rd, 15119, bull, calved Jan. 31, 1885—H. A. Palmer, New York City.	105
Queen of Powhatcong, 17334, cow, calved Feb. 26, 1882—Moulton Bros.	525
Quarter Albert, 23221, cow, calved Sept. 21, 1883—Same.	165
Weitmamoo, 34192, heifer, calved Sept. 1, 1885—J. Henry Gest, Cincinnati, O.	140
Ella Roserie, 27882, heifer, calved Dec. 5, 1883—W. A. Wood.	140
Kitty Ward, 27887, heifer, calved March 18, 1884—W. Carpenter, Jun., Salem, N. J.	160
Princess Chrysantha, 34191, heifer, calved Sept. 7, 1885—D. F. Appleton, Ipswich, Mass.	380
Hawthorn Pansy, 27879, heifer, calved June 4, 1884—A. S. Hawes, Providence, R. I.	110
Una Pogis, 34441, heifer, calved Nov. 23, 1884—J. H. Walker.	140
Hawthorn Leaf, 34442, heifer, calved Jan. 20, 1885—J. A. Frye.	220
Dian Pogis, 34444, heifer, calved May 20, 1885—Same.	190
Betsy Hugo, 34445, heifer, calved July 17, 1885—J. L. Shallcross.	170
Euroletta, 34447, heifer, calved July 16, 1884—J. H. Walker.	170
Redbreast, 17436, cow, calved Feb. 27, 1880, —E. Worth, Wawa, Pa.	120
Columbine of Maple Grove, 14379, cow, calved May 5, 1881—J. H. Van Schoik, Jr., Farmersdale, N. J.	110
Lass Edith 3rd, 10038, cow, calved May 3, 1880—James Buchanan.	120
Fancy of Brierclyff, 26622, heifer, calved May 13, 1884—C. B. Wood.	105
Fancy Alpha, 13890, cow, calved May 29, 1881—B. Thayer.	190

Royal Fern, 29144, heifer, calved May 1, 1883—H. Pierce, East Baldwin, Me.	\$105
Gem of Franchville, 29163, heifer, calved Jan. 1, 1884—Wm. Carpenter, Jr.	150
Jersey Orange, 29167, heifer, calved Jan. 15, 1884—J. H. Walker.	170
Viviana, 29147, cow, calved July 26, 1884—G. F. S. Shenck, Freehold, N. J.	105
Elsprita, 18459, cow, calved March 20, 1882—B. Koffman.	270
Elsprita 2nd, heifer, calved Feb. 22, 1885—A. F. Ross.	185
Truelove, 22657, cow, calved April 2, 1880—E. Worth.	200
Thalma's Lucilla K., 26605, cow, calved Jan. 22, 1884—L. Cabot.	130
Fair Corinne, 31410, cow, calved December, 1881—R. S. Andrews.	250
Moggy Bright II., 2774, heifer, calved May 21, 1884—A. F. Ross.	130
Golden of the Valley, 31760, heifer, calved Nov. 1, 1884—S. W. Robbins, Wethersfield, Conn.	150
Belle of Wolcott, 8938, cow, calved March 21, 1878—Moulton Bros.	200
Jenninori, 30783, heifer, calved Feb. 24, 1885—A. B. Darling.	195
Fame of St. Peters, 14242, cow, calved 1876—Edward Worth, Wawa, Pa.	120
Lilly Lu, 7527, cow, calved May 25, 1877—A. J. Stack, Albany, N. Y.	110
Rustic Russey, 6501, cow, calved May 9, 1877—C. Wellington.	200
Isabelle of Avon, 13428, cow, calved Jan. 3, 1879—R. A. Potter.	110
St. Peter's Pride, 22046, cow, calved May 1, 1880—Sterling Farm, N. J.	145
Carlo Belle, 23091, heifer, calved Sept. 20, 1883—E. Burnett, Southboro, Mass.	170
Buffer's filly, heifer, calved March 10, 1885—A. F. Ross.	100
Buffer's Lily, heifer, calved March 10, 1885—J. H. Walker.	140
Heifer, calved January, 1885—B. F. Case.	300
Seaside Belle, 11665, cow, calved Feb. 16, 1881—Webster & Morrow, Columbia, Tenn.	230
Hilda, 2nd, 14967, cow, calved Oct. 21, 1880—Same.	120
Young Pedro 2nd, 15011, bull—N. Robbins, Metuchen, N. J.	115
Ben's Columbine, 10422, cow, calved Aug. 29, 1880—Moulton Bros.	125
Edith 4th, 817, cow, calved May 1, 1869—C. W. Mulford, Hempstead, L. I.	100
Pride of Richmond 2nd, 11257, cow, calved April 19, 1879—Moulton Bros.	160
Delaware beauty 2nd, 27921, heifer, calved Jan. 27, 1884—J. Kaemp, Great Neck, L. I.	130
Dr. Jump's Carrie, 30138, heifer, calved May 27, 1884—Webster and Morrow.	110
May Rose, 19606, cow, calved May 5, 1884—Moulton Bros.	140
Farmer's Tidy, 14432, cow, calved Feb. 12, 1880—Same.	245
Coomalpheia 22255, cow, calved Aug. 2, 1883—Webster & Morrow.	200

MR. BATES AS A BREEDER.

The following letters speaking of Mr. Bates as a breeder, found in the *London Live Stock Journal* of October 30th, will doubtless prove of interest to our readers. The first writer says:—

'Looking over some papers beside me, I find a letter from Mr. Bates, dated 1838, that has not yet been published. In it he remarked that his Duchess cow, calved 7th June, 1807, on grass, and going in a field with 19 other cows, and no other food but grass, made 14 pounds of butter per week (21 oz. per lb.), which was sold in Newcastle market at 2s. per pound; and with the sale of milk, giving 14 quarts twice a day, she made about two guineas per week, and she continued giving a great quantity of milk for ten months—making more money than I ever knew any other Shorthorn cow make.' These facts I am sure will be welcomed by Mr. L. F. Allen, as in his history of the breed he expresses regret that on this particular matter no details were available. In the same letter Mr. Bates observes, that Duke of Northumberland weighed 100 stones (14 pounds to the stone) when he left Kirklevington for York Show in August, 1838. He had been fed on tares, and with change of place and travelling he would eat nothing the first three days of his journey, when they obtained tares for him, and Mr. Bates hesitated whether he would show him or not. One would scarcely imagine that, accustomed to such accuracy in his proceedings as a breeder, Bates could have been altogether an indifferent farmer. It may be true that Duke of Northumberland was killed by injudicious diet. Does any one know differently? The Duke was calved in 1835 and died in 1845, so that he had reached a pretty good age before he became the victim of Mr. Bates' alleged incapacity."

"SIR,—Referring to the *Live Stock Journal* of October 23rd, under the heading 'Scraps—A Glimpse at Kirklevington,' and with reference to the bull mentioned, Duke of Northumberland, 1940, I may mention that I have the picture of this animal in my possession, and I should certainly say that he is one of the handsomest bulls that ever was bred. He appears to have been exhibited at the undermentioned shows only, viz.: 'This superb animal won the head prize of 30 sovereigns given at the English Agricultural Society's meeting held at Oxford, July 17, 1839, for the best Shorthorned bull, open to all England. Also the highest prize for the best two year-old bull at York, August 29, 1838. Premiums were likewise awarded to him as the best bull of any age at the Stockton and Cleveland meetings in September, and at Darlington in October, 1838, having only been exhibited on these four occasions. This noted Shorthorned prize bull was bred by and property of Thomas Bates, Esq., of Kirklevington, near Yarm, Yorkshire. Age three years and eight months. Live weight, 180 stone of 14 lbs. For pedigree, etc., see Herd Book, Vol. III., No. 1,940. HENRY SLEEMAN.'

"Parkhurst, Isle of Wight."

At the sale of Messrs. C. Taylor & Son's Shorthorns at Lincoln, Nebraska, Nov. 11th, twenty-six females averaged \$94.42½ and eight bulls \$76.

The sale of Mrs. E. J. Byram's herd of Shorthorns at Abingdon, Ill., showed an average of \$81 for 14 bulls, and \$111.55 for 32 females, the total proceeds for 46 animals being \$4,700.

The second annual sale under the auspices of the Inter-State Shorthorn Breeders' Association, was held at Kansas City, Nov. 3rd and 4th; 96 females averaged \$95.88 and 8 bulls averaged \$277.50.

The chief of the Bureau of Statistics reports the total value of exports of domestic cattle and hogs, and of beef, pork, and dairy products from the United States as follows: September, 1885, \$9,994,690; for 1884, \$7,509,246. For the eleven months ending September 30th, 1885, the value of exports was \$80,300,069; for 1884, \$77,552,936. The value of dairy products sent to foreign markets in the five months ending September 30th, 1885, aggregated \$6,553,446, while for 1884 the amount was \$9,426,739.