

DISPERSION SALE —OF— Scotch-bred Shorthorns

Wednesday, Nov. 22, AT MY FARM, 4 MILES FROM FERGUS, ONTARIO, ON G. T. R. AND C. P. R.

I will sell at auction my entire herd of Scotch-bred and Scotch-topped Shorthorns, consisting of
10 BULLS and 25 FEMALES.

The whole will be sold without reserve, as I am retiring from farming. Catalogues will be sent on application. Terms of sale: 12 months' credit on approved joint notes; 6 per cent. off for cash.

DAVID REA, FERGUS, ONTARIO.

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90 HEAD of registered stock, at Maple Cliff Farm, Hintonburg, within one mile of the City of Ottawa (electric cars to farm), Tuesday, Nov. 28th, 1890, at 10 o'clock, consisting of 10 Ayrshire bulls, 20 Tamworths, 20 Improved Yorkshires, 10 Large English Berkshires, 10 Chester Whites, 12 Duroc-Jerseys, 8 Poland-Chinas. No reserve. Write to the proprietors for catalogue.

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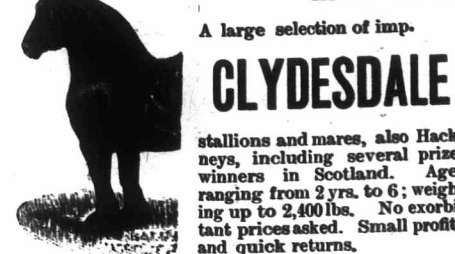
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GOSSIP.

A herdsman and a stableman and gardener are wanted. See advertisement in this issue.

DAVID REA'S SALE OF SHORTHORNS.

On Wednesday, November 22nd, at his farm, four miles from Fergus, on the G. T. R. and C. P. R., fifteen miles from the City of Guelph, as will be seen from his advertisement in this issue, Mr. David Rea, having determined to retire from farming, will sell his entire herd of Shorthorn cattle without reserve. Mr. Rea has been breeding Shorthorns for over thirty years, and has for several years been a member of the Board of Directors of the Dominion Shorthorn Breeders' Association. The herd was founded on a selection from what is known as the Syme family of Scotch Shorthorns, imported by the Millers, of Markham and Pickering, from the herd of Mr. Robert Syme, Redkirk, Dumfries, Scotland; a thrifty, good feeding, and thick-fleshed class of cattle, which made their mark for many years as prizewinners at the Provincial Fairs in the hands of the original owners, and later in the herd of the Hunters, of Alma, whose famous Queen of the May family, a branch of the Syme tribe, made a sensational record in the showing in the eighties, winning the Prince of Wales' prize for the best herd on two occasions. There are two subsections of the Syme family in the Fergus herd, the Oxford Rose and the Samanthas, the former having the benefit of the blood of such noted bulls as George Miller's imported Prince of Wales—204—, three times a champion at Provincial Fairs, and of Messrs. Hunters' imp. Knight of Waraby—147—, himself a grand bull, and the sire of a long list of first prize winners and champions. The Samanthas have, in addition to these, a cross of Cruickshank blood directly through the grand old champion and sire of champions, Bampton Hero—324—, while both of these branches, as well as the Hebes, another deep-milking family represented in the herd, and descended from imported Beauty, by Snowball, have in them top crosses from the fine Scotch-bred bull, Aberdeen Baron—642—, a son of the imported Cruickshank bull, Baron Linton, and of the imported cow, Rose of Aberdeen 3rd, by Gladstone, which Mr. Rea bought at \$400 at the dispersion sale of Mr. J. C. Snell's herd in 1886. This bull proved so successful and satisfactory as a sire, that he was retained at the head of the herd till he was nine years old, and the bulk of the best things in the sale are sired by him or are his grandsons and granddaughters. The cows are large, smooth, thick-fleshed, and broody-looking, while the heifers are strong, straight and thrifty, several of them being now about three years old, and due to drop their first calves soon. The ten young bulls are blocky, straight and smooth, and most of them a good age for going into immediate service, and should find ready purchasers. The females of breeding age are mostly in calf to the high-class two-year-old bull, Hesper Hero—2519—, by Robert Bruce, son of imported sire and dam, who was sold for \$350, to go to Nova Scotia, where he won second prize at the Provincial Exhibition this year, heading the first prize herd, and being beaten for the championship only by his half-brother from the same dam. The dam of Hesper Hero is descended, on the side of her dam, from the excellent imported cow, English Lady, by the famous Heir of Englishman. Mr. Rea will sell his farm implements, work horses, etc., in the forenoon of the day of sale, and will offer his fine farm of 300 acres, in one of the best farming districts in Canada. A full set of Dominion Shorthorn herd books will also be sold, and a choice lot of Light Brahma fowls. The terms of the sale are liberal, and those who know the man will have no apprehensions but that everything will be as represented. Catalogues will be sent on application to the owner.

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It is expected that a carload of thoroughbred stock will be shipped, under the auspices of the Dominion Live Stock Association, to Manitoba and the Northwest, early in November. Applications have already been received for considerable space, but there is still room for several animals. Full information as to rates, etc., will be given upon application to the secretary, Mr. A. P. Westervelt, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

N. Dymont, Clappison, Ont., breeder of Ayrshire cattle, writes:—"As the shows are over, I report my stock doing well; the cows are milking well in spite of the dry summer. The young things are doing well, and will be in good shape for the winter. Have had good success at the fairs this fall, having won fifty-five prizes, thirty firsts, sixteen seconds, eight thirds, and one fourth. Among the prizes won are diplomas for bull, female any age, four firsts for best dairy cow any age or breed, two being silver medals. Have some good dairy bulls for sale at reasonable prices, or will exchange for fresh milch cows, if taken at once."

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NOTICE.

Patent Dog and Poultry Food.—Spratt's Patent food and supplies for dogs and poultry is advertised in this issue. The firm also supplies crushed oyster shells for fowls, veterinary antiseptic soap for disinfectant purposes and the destruction of lice and other parasites on fowl or other stock. They have agents in several Canadian cities. See the advertisement.



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