

on pasterns, and is in her three-year-old form, having been foaled in April, 1898. She was bred by Col. Robt. Holloway, Alexis, Ill.; sired by Startle 2726, 6127, and her dam is Cherry Sweet 2787, 4092, by Cedric, by Prince of Wales, granddam Cherry Ripe. Cherry Startle has had a brilliant career as a prizewinner, having won in 1900 first prize as a two-year-old at Toronto and Ottawa, and in 1901 first prize as best three-year-old and the championship for best Clydesdale mare any age at the Toronto Industrial, the Ottawa Central and the Pan-American Exhibitions. At the International Live Stock Show at Chicago in the present month she won first prize in the three-year-old Clydesdale mare class, the silver medal for the best mare, any age, bred in America, and the grand championship for best mare, any age, imported or American-bred; also first for best mare or gelding in harness to cart. She is a large and beautiful mare, of the highest type of Clydesdale character. Her sire, Startle was got by the great Cairnbrogie Keir, out of the Highland Society first-prize and champion female, Damsel. Her dam, Cherry Sweet, was second at Toronto in 1901 in her class, and first for best mare and two of her progeny. Her granddam, Cherry Ripe, won second at the World's Fair, Chicago, for mare and two of her colts (Prince Charming 5647 and Princess Charming). Her half-sister, Cherry MacAra, out of Cherry

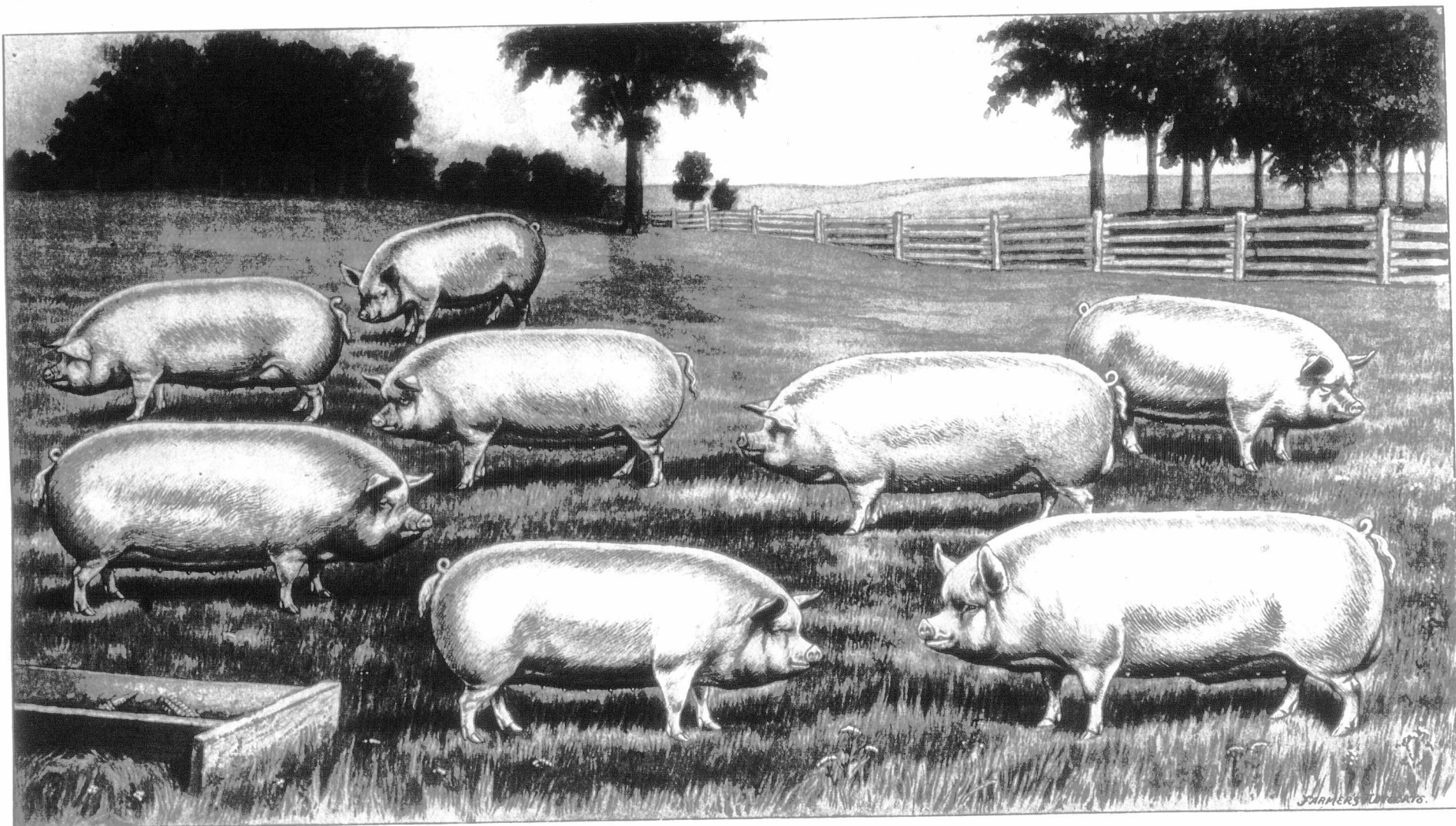
The Craigie Mains Clydesdale Stud.

Situated about eight miles from Lumsden, on the Prince Albert branch of the C. P. R., and twelve miles from Pense, on the main line, is the large farm of A. & G. Mutch, who are rapidly coming to the front as breeders of Clydesdales. At the head of the stud is Prince Stanley 2443, bred by D. & O. Sorby, Guelph, by Grandeur, out of Miss Stanley, she being a daughter of the \$2,000 mare, Lillie MacGregor, the sweepstakes mare at the World's Fair. This horse has quite a reputation, being first in Toronto as a yearling and second in Winnipeg as a three-year-old, besides winning at all the local shows. As will be seen by the engraving, Prince Stanley is a horse of considerable substance, with good legs and feet; he is also a free mover. Grandeur, his sire, is a noted winner in the eastern show-rings, and a getter of winners. The stud females comprise a bevy of mares which includes Lady Charming 2509, the bay mare with off fore and hind legs white, who is by the noted Lord Charming (2664), and out of imported Sunbeam of Cults (1925), who was second at the World's Fair, and is a granddaughter of the noted Darnley. Lady Charming has a record as a winner in the two-year-old class, Winnipeg, 1900; first in the three-year-olds at Winnipeg, and also sweepstakes

Oats yielded 70 bushels, the third crop on stubble, 240 acres being sown to this crop. The commodious brick house, and large barn, 102 ft. by 53 ft., with frame superstructure, 16-ft. posts and 28-ft. purline posts, with windmill and crusher, are evidences that the farmstead is up-to-date. Tree-planting and the erection of a large horse barn and a piggery are among the next year's plans. The Mutch Bros., on account of the heavy crop, bought a large-sized complete threshing outfit, the liability for which will be nearly wiped out from this season's operations.

Maplewood Yorkshires.

Firmly grounded in the conviction that the Large English Yorkshire sow fills the bill for the bacon type, and proves a profitable producer of large litters of the proper stamp of pigs, and makes a matchless mother, providing marvellous supplies of milk to give the youngsters a good start in life and a firm foundation of the best quality of bone, Mr. Ira Johnson, of Balmoral, Ontario, has established, under exceptionally favorable circumstances, a herd of hogs which if high-class breeding and superior individual merit count for much, should take its place in the first rank of American breeding establishments of the kind. Mr. Johnson started right by buying the best that could be bought, both of sires and



TYPICAL YORKSHIRES IN THE "MAPLEWOOD" HERD OF IRA JOHNSON, BALMORAL, ONT.

Sweet, was the first-prize winner in the two-year-old class at the World's Fair.

These are but samples of the best of the Cairnbrogie stud, which has proved itself up-to-date in quality and excellence, not only by the winnings of the few animals above named, but of a number of others which have scored well in the prize lists in the present year, among which may be mentioned the two-year-old Premier Prince, first in two-year-old class at Toronto, Ottawa and Buffalo, and second at Chicago; Macqueen's Best, first for foal of 1901 at Toronto; Glenfyfe, first in yearling stallion class at the Pan-American; Glenmorris, second in yearling class at Ottawa. Charming Lady was second to Cherry Startle in three-year-old class at Toronto, and this firm won first at the Toronto Industrial for best stallion and four of his progeny, with the matchless old Macqueen, besides a number of notable prizes in the Canadian-bred class, including the sweepstakes at Ottawa for best mare any age with Jessie May, and second for two-year-old stallion with Eastfield Prince.

In Hackneys they won first at Toronto this year in one-year-old stallions with Lord Brilliant, second in foal class with Storm King, third in brood mares with Trinket, and first on Hackney pony 14 hands and under with Lord Rattler. This record stands unequalled this year in this country, and speaks volumes for the character of the Carnbroog stud. See cuts, page 832

mare, any age, over Shires and Clydesdales. Charming Star, a big brown mare with white hind legs, is the stamp of mare of which there are far too few; weighing 1,500 pounds at two years old, she has, in addition, lots of style and quality, and is also by Lord Charming. Her dam, Starlight, was a sweepstakes winner at Toronto. Charming Star was first in the yearling class at Toronto in 1900, and first as a two-year-old at Winnipeg. Lady Eva 2867, was first-prize year-old at Winnipeg, 1901; a full sister, Eva Charming 2733, a sweet mare, and a typical Clydesdale in character, was got by Lord Charming, out of Eva (2277), and is a dark bay, with stripe on face, and white hind legs. Lady Eva is a bay, with off fore and both hind legs white. Eva Charming was a winner in the two-year-old class at Winnipeg in 1901, and first as yearling in 1900, same exhibition. Another attractive mare is Charming Lassie 2712, by Lord Charming, out of Sonsie Lass 2313, the well-known eastern winner.

In addition to large dealings in pure-breds, the Mutch Bros. handle a number of Western-bred drafters, and retail them to farmers after thoroughly breaking to harness.

The raising of pork is given considerable attention, as is seen from the transaction in swine last summer, \$600 worth being sold at one time. This year the firm had 640 acres in crop: 400 in wheat, which yielded $37\frac{1}{2}$ bushels to the acre.

dams. The sows being mated with the best class of boars and themselves being of the most approved type and quality, the character of the produce is practically assured. In securing for one of the heads of the harem the magnificent young boar, Oak Lodge Commissioner 6390, winner of the first prize at the Pan-American Exhibition in the class over six and under twelve months, and the reserve number for the male championship of the breed, Mr. Johnson showed good judgment, for it is rarely indeed that one is found that measures so fully up to the standard of the breed in conformation, type and quality of flesh, combining smoothness with length of sides, spring and depth of ribs, fulness of hams and a fine disposition. An able lieutenant in service is Summerhill Rule 3955, first-prize yearling boar at the Pan-American, a son of the great prizewinning boar, Look-Me-Over, that sired the Pan-American champion. He has quality, character and constitution in splendid combination, with strength of loin and back packing to please the most fastidious judge, and cannot fail to make his mark on the character of his progeny for good. The imported boar, Oak Lodge Royal King 3041, bred by Mr. Daybell, of Nottingham, England, a Royal winner, and first at Toronto and London, is another of the noted string of sires in service, and one that has proved his value as a breeder by siring some of the most successful show stock in Canada. Maplewood Dalmeny Doctor, bred by