

PREMIUMS! SECURE NEW SUBSCRIBERS TO THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE PREMIUMS!

THE BELOW DESCRIBED GRAINS ARE OFFERED AS SUBSCRIPTION PRIZES:



SELECTED CANADIAN THORPE

BARLEY.

SELECTED CANADIAN THORPE (Two-Rowed).—This barley was first generally introduced two years ago, and has proved beyond doubt the best two-rowed barley in cultivation in Canada to-day. It closely resembles the English Thorpe in some respects, but is a much superior variety and very much better suited to Canadian soil and climate. It grows an abundance of straw, which stands as well and stiffly as the best sorts of wheat. Stools very freely, and will outyield any six-rowed sort. It is a very upright grower, and the heads never droop. We have never seen it lodged. Five pecks to one and a-half bushels per acre of seed is quite sufficient. Its color is as bright and nice as the best Six-Rowed when carefully saved, and will outweigh any of the English sorts that we have seen. It will do well wherever the Six-Rowed succeeds; has done remarkably well in Manitoba and the N. W. T. Every farmer should try this variety. Our stock has been grown on the shores of Lake Ontario, the best barley country in America, and is absolutely pure. The extra yield of this barley over any other makes its purchase a good investment, if only grown for feed.

We will express one peck of this variety to any old subscriber who sends us one new name accompanied by \$1

OATS.

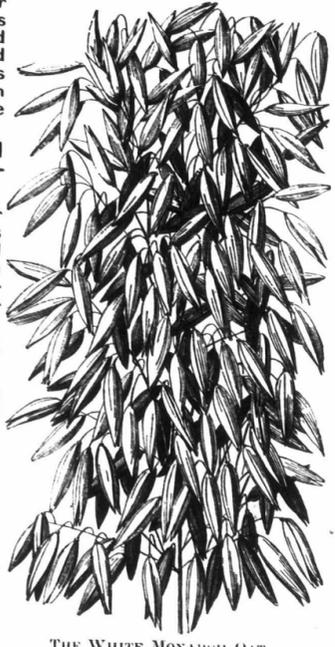
THE WHITE MONARCH OAT.—This magnificent white oat was grown for us by one of the best farmers of Ontario, and has given the greatest satisfaction. Our stock is grown from imported seed sent out by one of the best English seedsmen, and is a cross-fertilized variety produced by this gentleman. It has given the very best results in England, where it has been thoroughly tried. Its English introducer, in writing of it, says:—"It surpasses all others for earliness, while its productiveness may be realized from the fact that it yielded from eighty to one hundred bushels to the acre. The straw is frequently six feet to six feet four inches in height; of a splendid quality; large, close panicles, completely clothed with grain of the finest quality and very hardy. It has a wonderfully thin skin, and is consequently much appreciated and valued by millers." A leading agriculturist, who has tested it for two years, says:—"I find this oat is much thinner in the skin than any of the sorts we have been growing. From its appearance and character, I judge it will be a valuable addition to the varieties we have in this country." We have carefully tested it for two years, and like it well. With us it has grown a fair amount of straw and yielded very well. The grains are thin in the skin, and the fleshy parts heavy. With us it has done MUCH BETTER than the Gothland, and we prefer it to the Golden Giant, though the last named has done well with us.

We will send one peck of this oat to any old subscriber who sends us one new name accompanied by \$1.

BLACK TARTAR OATS. Imported from one of the most reliable European firms. ONE PECK BY EXPRESS FOR ONE NEW NAME ACCOMPANIED BY \$1.

N. B.—We do not prepay the charges on any grain or goods sent by us as subscription prizes. If our friends desire grain prepaid, we will do so by reducing the amount sent from one peck to five pounds. This amount can be sent by post.

We also call your attention to the page of premiums on page 19, January 1st, and page 39, January 15th issues. Everyone is delighted with them.



THE WHITE MONARCH OAT.

LIVE STOCK

FOR 100 NEW SUBSCRIBERS at \$1.00 each we will give a young registered Bull or Heifer of any of the following breeds, viz.: Shorthorn, Ayrshire, Jersey or Holstein. For 30 NEW NAMES we will send a pure-bred Ram or Ewe Lamb of any of the following breeds: Cotswold, Leicester, Lincoln, Shropshire, Oxford, Southdown, or Horned Dorset, or a pair of young Berkshires, Yorkshires, Tamworths, Poland-Chinas, Chester Whites or Suffolk Hogs.

ALL STOCK SENT OUT BY US WILL BE REGISTERED AND OF GOOD QUALITY. ACTIVE AGENTS WANTED IN EVERY TOWNSHIP.

Imported Cotswold Ewes

In lamb to an English royal winner that has proved himself a great stock sire. Ram lambs and ewe lambs from imported stock, which will make good show sheep, for sale at hard times prices.

WM. THOMPSON,
MT. PLEASANT, Uxbridge Station, G. T. R.
9-1-y-om

SHEEP BREEDERS' ASSOCIATIONS.

American Shropshire Registry Association, the largest live stock organization in the world. Hon. John Dryden, President, Toronto, Canada. Address correspondence to MORTIMER LEVY-ERLING, Sec., Lafayette, Indiana. 13-1-y-om

IMPROVED SUFFOLK SWINE

Six choice young Improved Suffolk breeding sows for sale. They have all been successful prize winners at the late Fat Stock Show held in Guelph, and among them is the winner of the 2nd prize for best sow under six months at the Industrial Exhibition. Also one young imported Yorkshire boar, registered, and two fashionably-bred Shorthorn bulls, in color red with a little white, and sired by imported Cruickshank and Campbell bulls; they are choice animals. A. FRANK & SONS, The Grange, four miles from Cheltenham Station, C. P. R. & G. T. R. 21-2-y-om

YORKSHIRE PIGS

Of the best type and breeding. Pairs not akin for sale at all seasons. J. M. HURLEY & SON, Belleville, Ont. Box 442. 1-3-y-om

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Farm at Locust Hill Station, C. P. R. Registered Improved Large Yorkshire and Berkshire pigs. As we do not intend to exhibit, we will now sell a choice lot of show pigs of each breed. 17-y-om JOHN PIKE & SONS.

LARGE (WHITE) IMPROVED YORKSHIRES AND LARGE ENGLISH BERKSHIRES.

Please notice: All parties ordering pigs from us for the next thirty days will be allowed a reduction of from 25 to 30 per cent. off our regular prices. Our stock consists of a few hours fit for service at once; also some very fine Yorkshire Sows, last April and June pigs. We also have on hand a fine lot of young pigs, both breeds, send in your orders early, and get a genuine reduction in prices. Apply to WM. GOODGER & SON, Box 169, Woodstock, Ont. 11-1-y-om



MAIDEN (IMP)

IMPROVED: LARGE: YORKSHIRES

The largest and most carefully bred herd of this breed of hogs on the continent. Fifty sows are being bred for the spring trade. Stock of all ages for sale. A specialty made of smoothness and uniformity of type. All stock shipped to order are guaranteed to be as described. Personal inspection solicited. J. E. BRETHOUR, Burford, Brant Co., Ont. 3-y-om



MAIDEN (IMP)

THE HOME OF THE BERKSHIRES.

J. G. SNELL & BRO.,
Edmonton, Ontario.

We have some very promising young boars for sale from two to seven months old. Also twenty young sows, which we are now breeding to first class boars. Come and see our stock, or write for description and prices. Our station is Wrampton, G. T. R. and C. P. R. 2-y-om



BERKSHIRES

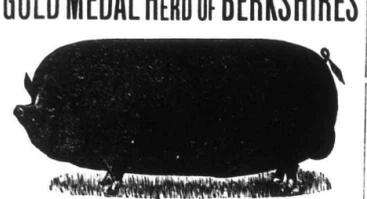
Of the best strains not connected, from a number of grand sows and three different boars. Fifty-eight prizes won last season. All ages for sale, including sows in farrow. 3-1-y-om WM. McALLISTER, Varna, Ont.



S. COXWORTH, CLAREMONT, ONT.,

Breeder and Importer of Berkshire Hogs. Twenty young sows for sale, bred to my three stock boars, Highclere Prince, King Lee, and Champion Duke, Imp. Write for prices or come and see my stock. Station and Telegraph Office. CLAREMONT, C. P. R. 8-y-om

GOLD MEDAL HERD OF BERKSHIRES



Young stock of both sexes and of various ages for sale. Come and see, or address—

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EDMONTON, ONT. 32-y-om

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ISRAEL CRESSMAN, New Dundee, Ont.

Importer and breeder of Large English Berkshires. Young Hogs always on hand; got by imported stock. 4-y-om

Great Sweepstake Herd of Ohio Imp'd Chester White Swine,

our herd having won more prizes and sweepstakes than all other herds combined at Toronto Industrial Quebec Provincial at Montreal, and Western Fair, London, of 1893. Orders now booked for fall pigs in pairs or trios not akin. Also a number of young sows in farrow to an imported boar. Pedigrees furnished. Reduced rates by express. Write for particulars and prices. H. GEORGE & SONS, Crampton P.O., Middlesex County, Ontario. 5-1-y-om



IMPROVED CHESTER WHITE SWINE

DORSET-HORNED SHEEP

A SPECIALTY. Write for particulars, or call and inspect the stock. Visitors welcome. R. H. HARDING, Mapleview Farm, Thorndale, Ont., Middlesex Co. 7-1-y-om



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Importer and Breeder of Ohio Improved Chester White Swine. The largest and oldest established registered herd in Canada. I make this breed a specialty, and furnish a good pig at a fair price. Write for prices. 9-1-y-om



Duroc-Jersey Swine

are the best all-round hog known. No squealing; quiet disposition; good grazers; defeated Berks and P. C. on all points at Mich. Agr. Coll. test. Pigs for sale. Address PETER LAMARSH, Wheatley, Ont. 15-1-y-om

THE OXFORD HERD OF REGISTERED POLAND CHINAS

Our herd of Improved Poland-Chinas won 35 first, 18 second and 6 third prizes at Montreal and Toronto, for best boar and two sows; any age. Stock, both sexes and all ages. Pairs and trios not akin and sows safe in pig for sale at all times. Correspondence solicited or inspection of herd invited. 15-y-om W. & H. JONES, Mount Elgin, Ont.



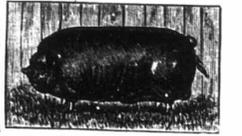
PINE GROVE HERD

POLAND-CHINAS

I am breeding and importing Poland-Chinas Pigs. Cornish and Teumseh strains a specialty. Pigs of this breed for sale; also plants, small fruits and honey. CAPT. A. W. YOUNG, Tupperville, Ont. 11-1-y-om

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Of Registered Poland-Chinas—A choice lot of young pigs for sale. Selected =48#, the great ribbon winner, at the head of herd, assisted by Rht's Chief, who weighs 1,000 pounds. Correspondence or inspection of herd solicited. J. J. PAYNE, Chatham, Ont. 8-y-om



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Fit to serve; young sows ready to breed. Also young Ayrshire Bulls and Heifers of deep milking strains. CALDWELL BROTHERS, Briery Bank Farm, Orchardville, Ontario. 23-1-y-om

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I have for sale a few choice Tamworth Boars, fit for service; also sows from four to seven months old. I am booking orders for spring litters. My breeding pens contain twenty typical Tamworth Sows and two Imported Boars, all of superior quality. I guarantee all stock sent out by me to be as represented. 1-y-om JOHN BELL, Amber, Ont.



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Eggs, \$1.50 per 13. Also B. P. Rocks, S. Wyandottes, B. Minorcas and B. R. R. Games. Eggs, \$2.00 per 13. Write for circular. J. E. McCOMBS, Ridgeville, Ont. 3-1-y-om