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cellent legs and feet, and he looks well worth the 600 guineas he cost at Sir Berkeley Sheffield's sale at Peterborough. In two-year-olds Lord Rothschild won with Orford Blue Blood, a bay of remarkable quality and substance. It would be difficult to find a horse more perfect in his points and ankles. His bone and feather are excellent, but he seems a little light in the neck. Sir Arthur Nicholson's Leeke Redlynch, which was a very good second, has exceptional masculine character, good collar-filling shoulders, and is a big, powerful young horse, with good limbs and excellent action.

Great interest centered in the class for three-year-olds, in which last year's champion, Sir Walpole Greenwell's Champion's Goalkeeper, was entered. The crack made a fine show, and he has grown into a big, fine horse, fulfilling all the great expectations which were formed of him last year. He made a really great show, and looks like holding his own during the season. First prize in four-year-olds went to James Gould's Snowdon Menestrel, who has grown into quite a good horse, with beautiful limbs and plenty of size and power. Sir Arthur Nicholson's Tandridge Forester, who was second, has scarcely the character and quality of the winner, but he is the better mover. H. H. Smith Carrington's Ivy Victor Chief won in stallions under 16.2, with Barber's Thanet King, a powerful horse for his inches, second. Potter's powerful Monnow Drayman won in over 16.2 hands stallions, and the Duke of Devonshire was second, with Warden Draughtsman, the champion in 1912. Best of all the aged stallions was F. E. Muntz' Danesfield Stonewall, now ten years old. He is a majestic horse, with a leonine head and crest, and a gaiety of motion that is astonishing in a horse his size and weight. The junior cups for stallions went to Sir W. Greenwell's Champion's Goalkeeper, with Lord Rothschild's Orford Blue Blood reserve, but many preferred Potter's King's Choice, the winning yearling. Muntz' Danesfield Stonewall won the cup for older stallions easily enough, with J. Gould's Snowdon Menestrel reserve. But there was a struggle for the actual Challenge or Championship Cup, opinions being pretty evenly divided outside the ring. Finally Champion's Goalkeeper won, with Danesfield Stonewall reserve. The reserved seats applauded the winner, but the grooms cheered for the latter. H. M. the King visited the Show on the second day and presented the prizes.

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G. T. BURROWS.

H. F. Patterson's Sale.

An admirably managed sale was that of Mr. H. F. Patterson, on Thursday, March 12th. Comfortably seated in a large tent, protected from the cold March winds, the several hundred breeders and others present were in a position to appreciate the excellent qualities of the animals as they were led before the auctioneer's hammer, and the splendid prices paid showed that to get the best out of a man he must have a full stomach and a warm pair of feet. The offering, as a whole, was of a high individual standard with remarkable uniformity, and they were brought out in nice condition. Many of them have proven by official test to be exceptionally heavy producers. Only about half the offering was sold before we were compelled to hie to the train. Of the 17 sold, two years of age and over, the splendid average of \$236 was realized, the highest price being \$380, and 13 of them sold for \$200.00 each and over. Four heifers made an average of \$131.25, and seven bulls from calves up to 15 months made the average of \$86.00. Following are those selling for \$100.00 and over:

Madeline Roxie; F. Hamilton, Niagara Falls.....	\$100.00
Butter Queen Hilda; W. F. Clark, Powassan.....	245.00
Prairie Flower's Butter Queen; R. Lawless, Thorold.....	240.00
Sevangeline 2nd's Snowflake; W. G. Bailey, Hamilton.....	325.00
Sevangeline 2nd; W. F. Clark.....	105.00
Blanch Kay; W. W. Hurd, Onondaga.....	175.00
Blanch Kay Beauty; F. Hamilton.....	285.00
Breta; W. G. Bailey.....	315.80
Breta's Nellie; A. E. Condwell, Norwich.....	230.00
Hulda's De Kol Princess; J. F. Goodall, Bellwood.....	250.00
Hulda's De Kol Princess 2nd; T. W. Craig, Brantford.....	380.00
Hulda's De Kol of Riverside; W. F. Clark.....	255.00
Hulda's De Kol Riverside 2nd; J. Moote, Canboro.....	230.00
Duke of Brant; Chief Smith, Six Nations Indians, Brantford.....	250.00
Lillie Kay; C. Allardyke, Rockton.....	200.00
Snowflake Three Spot; W. B. Mason, Cainsville.....	275.00
Peninsula Laura De Boer; L. H. Lipsitt, Straffordville.....	165.00
Nellie Claire; E. G. Brown, Ancaster.....	105.00
Alice Margery; J. Moote.....	115.00
Luella De Boer; G. Durham, St. George.....	287.50
Topsy Canary De Boer; W. H. Johnson.....	115.00
Lady Canary De Boer; N. Edmunson, Brantford.....	140.00

Brandon Winter Fair.

The annual Winter Fair at Brandon, Manitoba, closed with the week ending Saturday, March 7th, and opens the season, as it were, for the shows of 1914. In a country like the Prairie Provinces it is not marvelous that this fair should, each year, eclipse all previous records, for radiating from that city is a country that is just awakening to the value of live stock in building up the agricultural wealth of the provinces and maintaining the fertility of the soil, that heretofore has been exported to other provinces and countries in a thoughtless and prodigal manner.

The Winter Fair just closed was favored with agreeable weather, and this combined with an efficient Fair management made a success that marks an epoch in the history of the Brandon Winter Fair. The various breeds of live stock were well represented. In horse flesh Clydesdales and Percherons were strongest, and the quality was such that the judges had no easy task to place the ribbons. Fat cattle, sheep and hogs were in every way superior to the exhibit of previous years, and the display of poultry was unique.

CLYDESDALES.

The progress of the Clydesdale in Western Canada is phenomenal, and the exhibit here

finally went fourth because he did not supplement his good quality with the same amount of substance as did the three foregoing horses.

A past was considered when the high quality two-year-olds came into the ring. There were noted individuals among them for such young horses, and they had won enviable places at such shows as the International. Among the winners were Glendale Squire, Sinton's growthy stallion with straight action, and Fyvie Emperor, second at Chicago, also owned by Sinton. Gallant Buchlyvie, which took third place at Chicago for W. H. Bryce, Arcola, Sask., was also in the ring along with Charnock, the junior champion at Chicago in 1913, owned by Alex. Galbraith, of Brandon, and John Graham's Border Forager. Finally Gallant Buchlyvie won; Glendale Squire was second, Fyvie Emperor was third, Charnock was fourth and Border Forager fifth.

In yearling stallions, Regal Sensation, by Royal Salute, won first for Robt. Leckie, of Arcola, and won like honors at Chicago in 1913. Sinton's Heathcote, by Mendel, was second, while third prize went to Bryce on Doune Lodge Revelanta Again, by Revelanta's Heir. The stallion foal class was made up of a promising bunch, but an offspring of The Bruce was first in The Bruce of Hilcrest for R. H. Taber, of Condie, Sask. Golden Youth, a growthy youngster with good limbs, by Baron Brougham, won the blue ribbon for Sinton, while Bryce was awarded the white ribbon on Doune Lodge Romeo, a smaller foal of the right kind.

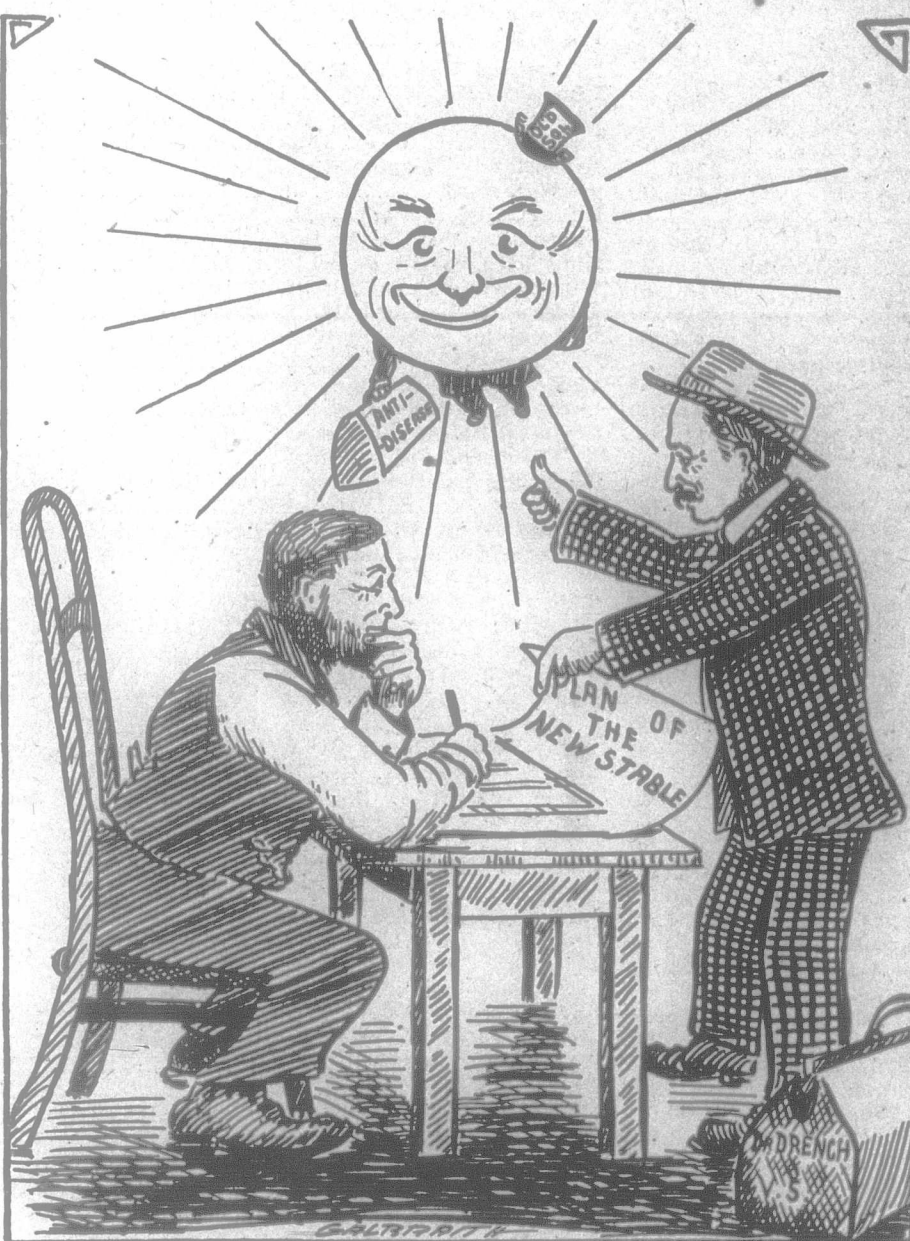
Regal Sensation was awarded the grand championship ribbon, while reserve place went to The Bruce of Hilcrest.

CANADIAN-BREDS.

The Canadian-bred stock featured in their numbers and quality. The line-ups were indeed pleasing, clearly indicating the extraordinary work being done by the home breeders. Hugh McLean won first on aged stallions on Prince Robert. Harry Martin won second on Grand Fashion, by Fashion's Pride, and D. McLean, Treherne, Man., captured third on Baron's Headlight, by Black Guide.

Hugh Gilmour's Bit of Fashion stood at the head of the three-year-olds, and next was Wyomyo's Heir, owned by Miller & Son, Oak River, Man. Watalanta's Heir took third for John Shields, Brandon, and fourth went to Hugh Gilmour on Marquis of Burnside. In two-year-olds Jas. Adamson, Gladstone, Man., took the premier prize on Royal Bob, and J. R. Scharf took second on Bobbie Concord. The yearling stallions were out to the extent of a score, and Bryce took first and second on Doune Lodge Revelanta Again, and Doune Lodge Reciprocity. Sixteen foals came forward and Taber easily won first on The Bruce of Hilcrest, while Bryce's stable supplied the second in Doune Lodge Romeo. Standing next was Royal Carruchan for Wm. Grant, of Regina, and Sweetheart's Pride for J. J. Miller, Myrtle, Man.

In females the prize list was composed largely of Canadian-bred fillies, but they were the right kind. In body they might be improved, but for quality of bone and snappy action they were hard to beat. Bryce's Doune Lodge Floradora landed at the head of the two-year-olds, and her nearest competitor was Craigie's Meral of Westholme, a property of the University of Sask. Hugh Gilmour's Baroness of Burnside made the contest interesting, but she finally took third place. First position in the yearling filly class went to Andrew Graham on Beautiful Countess, and second to Bryce on Doune Lodge Revelanta's Duchess. The third place was filled by Lady Grace, owned by Wm. Grant, and she was followed out of the ring by Andrew Graham's Countess May.



Let Him Into the Stable.

V. S.—Plan to let in old Dr. Sol as much as possible. His services come cheaper than mine.

brought out shows that quality of feet and underpinning with considerable substance is responsible for the ever growing favor which is being lavished on the breed. In the aged stallion class 18 came forward and furnished keen competition. In the conclusion, Prince Robert, the second-prize aged stallion at Chicago and owned by Hugh McLean, of Arcola, Sask., was left standing first. Geo. Gray, of Crandall, Man., had the second horse in Wyomyo, by Harvester, while third from the top was Evermaking, by Everlasting, the property of W. B. Gregg, of Maple Creek, Sask.

Ten stallions came forward in the three-year-old class, the best of which were worthy of a good place, while farther down the line the quality was less pronounced. Hail's Surprise, sired by Sam Black, and owned by R. Sinton, of Regina, was the best of the ten, but close to him came Norseman from the stable of John Graham, Carberry, Man. The latter horse was superior on top, but in action and at the ground he was excelled by Hail's Surprise. Paradox, by Castle Royal, secured the white ribbon for F. J. Hassard, of Deloraine, Man., and won on Clydesdale type and quality of limbs. Bit of Fashion, from Hugh Gilmour's stable, in Pasqua, Sask., gave his three betters considerable argument, but