

## GOSSIP.

At the dispersion sale of the small Jersey herd of Mrs. Greenall, Walton Hall, England, March 15th, the cow, Longueville Brownie 5th, sold for \$525, and the entire herd averaged close to \$200 each.

Hector Cowan, Pauline, Iowa, held a successful sale of Shorthorns on March 20th, the 12 head selling for an average of \$242, the 31 females averaging \$277. Martha 6th, an imported five-year-old cow, brought the highest price, \$935, and was bought by E. R. Shandland, Marathan, Ia. Nancy Lee sold for \$700 to Claus Johnson, Rolfe, Ia.

Walpole Bros., Rock Valley, Iowa, sold 48 head of Shorthorns by auction in the following week at an average of \$192.50. The highest price, \$425, was made by the yearling heifer, No Mistake, bred by John Davidson, Ashburn, Ont., and sired by Sittytown Hero. Indian Lass, a yearling, sold for \$395, the second highest price, to G. E. Ward, Hawarden, Ia.

A. W. Smith, Maple Lodge, Ont., writes: "We have recently added to our herd of Shorthorns the young imported Cruickshank bull, Sir Wilfred (imported by Messrs. Cargill), to assist imp. Knuckle Duster. The youngster is very promising, has the right kind of covering of flesh and hair, an excellent head and shoulders, thick at the heart and crops, good back and loin, and deep, full quarters, a rich red in color. Got by the Sittytown Victoria bull, Scottish Victor (08557), by Scottish Archer (59893), dam, one of Mr. Cruickshank's Strawberry tribe, by Mr. Bruce's Mazurka by Rosenoble (61661); granddam, British Leader (60417), by William of Orange (50694), etc.

The following paragraph from the London *Live Stock Journal* indicates pretty clearly the impression the action referred to has created on the other side of the sea:—"Considerable disappointment has been occasioned among breeders of Shorthorn cattle by the report that the American Shorthorn Breeders' Association have decided to make a charge of £20 for the admission of each imported animal into the Herd Book for the breed in the United States. Considering how severely breeders in this country are already handicapped by transport charges, quarantine costs, etc., it is difficult to see any necessity for this additional impost. The plea for it, we suppose, is that it is intended to prevent the importation of moderate and inferior animals, but here it will be generally regarded as a form of protection to American breeders, and it will certainly have an adverse influence on the export trade. A similar policy was adopted by the Hereford breeders in the United States some years ago, and it had undoubtedly that effect. As the trade in Shorthorns was likely to grow into considerable dimensions just now, it is to be regretted that any measure should be adopted to check it, and if the reported adoption of this policy is correct, it is to be hoped that it will soon be abandoned."

## HOLSTEIN BUTTER TESTS OF 1900.

The current official year for Advanced Registry tests began May 16, 1900. The tests are all conducted under the supervision of Experiment Stations. The best weekly records for the period thus far are the following:

Lilith Pauline De Kol 43434, owned by H. D. Roe, Augusta, N. J.; age 4 years 5 months; product of butter-fat 22,588 lbs.  
Katy Spofford Corona 50663, owned by E. H. Knapp, Fabius, N. Y.; age 3 years 1 month; product of butter-fat 20,822 lbs.  
Susie De Kol 33888, owned by A. A. Cortelyou, Neshanic, N. J.; age 7 years 8 months; product of butter-fat 19,216 lbs.  
Aaltje Posch 4th 23176, owned by Jas. Bettie, Norwich, Ont.; age 10 years 10 months; product of butter-fat 19,095 lbs.  
Roxie Wayne 25207, owned by H. D. Roe, Augusta, N. J.; age 9 years 9 months; product of butter-fat 18,441 lbs.  
Duchess Clothilde 24893, owned by Gillett & Son, Rosendale, Wis.; age 9 years 7 months; product of butter-fat 18,424 lbs.  
Clothilde Artis Topsey 37522, owned by Don J. Wood, West Exeter, N. Y.; age 6 years 3 months; product of butter-fat 18,337 lbs.  
Here are seven Holstein-Friesian cows which have each produced, in a seven-days test, an average of 19.38 lbs. butter-fat, equivalent to 24 lbs. 7 1/2 ozs. of butter 80 per cent. fat.

## BRITISH COLUMBIA STOCK SALE.

The consignment of pure-bred stock purchased in Ontario in February, for the Dairymen's Association of British Columbia, was sold by auction at New Westminster on March 15th, by L. W. Paisley, the capable and accomplished auctioneer, from Chilliwack, and brought fairly good prices. The catalogue included 25 Shorthorns, 3 Ayrshires, 5 Southdown sheep, 5 Shropshires and 4 Oxfords, 11 Berkshire pigs, 2 Tamworths, and about 100 head of poultry, composed of B. Plymouth Rocks, S. L. and White Wyandottes, and Light Brahmas. The 8 Shorthorn bulls brought from \$160 to \$265, the latter figures being paid by Mr. Alex. Ewen, of Westminster, for Lucky Jim, a light roan 9-months calf, bred by Jeffrey Bros., Whitby. The second highest price, \$180, was paid for Prince of Malton, a red 16-months bull bred by W. J. Watson, Malton, and bought by George Banford, Chilliwack. The 20 females sold at prices ranging from \$85 to \$145, the highest price being paid for Kate Carnegie, bred by Wm. Paterson, Denfield, and bought by John Chapman, Chilliwack. The Ayrshire bull, Stanley, 5 years old, bred by Jas. McCormack, Rockton, and sired by Jock Morton, sold for \$130 to Mr. McClure, Matsqui, and the two Ayrshire cows brought \$130 and \$135. Two Southdown rams brought \$30 each, and 2 ewes \$25 and \$24. The Shropshires sold at from \$30 to \$45, with the exception of one ewe, which brought only \$15. The Oxfords brought from \$20 to \$35 each, the Berkshires \$20 to \$30, and the Tamworths \$18 and \$20 each. The poultry was eagerly bid for, and sold well, trios bringing from \$4 to \$7.50, the highest price being realized for the Wyandottes. The expenses of the importation were necessarily heavy, though very much less than they would have been but for the reduced rates granted by the C. P. R. for breeding stock, and the advance received over the cost will not be much, but it was estimated that when all claims are settled there would be a balance in favor of the Association that would about cover the loss on the first sale, held during the fair week last fall.

## Pyramid Pile Cure

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If we could sell one package of Pyramid Pile Cure to every person in America who is troubled with piles and who would gladly give the 50 cents to be rid of piles, we would have about ten million dollars. The only reason that we don't sell that many packages this year is that we will not be able to get ten million people to try it. Just one application will prove its merit, and amply repay the cost of the whole box.

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H. Stevens & Sons, Lacona, Oswego Co., N. Y.

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Registered Jersey yearlings and calves, heifers and bulls. Some pure St. Lamberts from heavy-milking cows, and sired by the pure St. Lambert bull, John Bull of Grovesend 45774, by Nell's John Bull, dam a 20 lbs. 12 ozs. cow, Nettie of St. Lambert 43675, by King of St. Lambert. Write for prices.

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One Jersey bull (16 mos.); also one bull calf. Correspondence solicited.

W. N. Haskett, "Avon Manor," Markdale, Ont.

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Breeders of Jerseys (St. Lamberts),

Offer for sale, cheap, 2 very fine young bulls, fit for service, out of prize-winning cows, to make room for more coming.

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For sale: Jerseys—6 yearling bulls; females any age. Tamworths—30 boars and sows, different ages. Shropshire sheep—rams and ewes of good breeding. Prices reasonable.

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For sale: 2 yearling bulls; 8 bull calves, sired by Brampton's Monarch (imp.), and out of first-class cows. A number of cows and heifers in calf. Also some unregistered cows and heifers, fresh-calved and springers—grand family cows.

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B. H. BULL & SON, BRAMPTON, ONT.

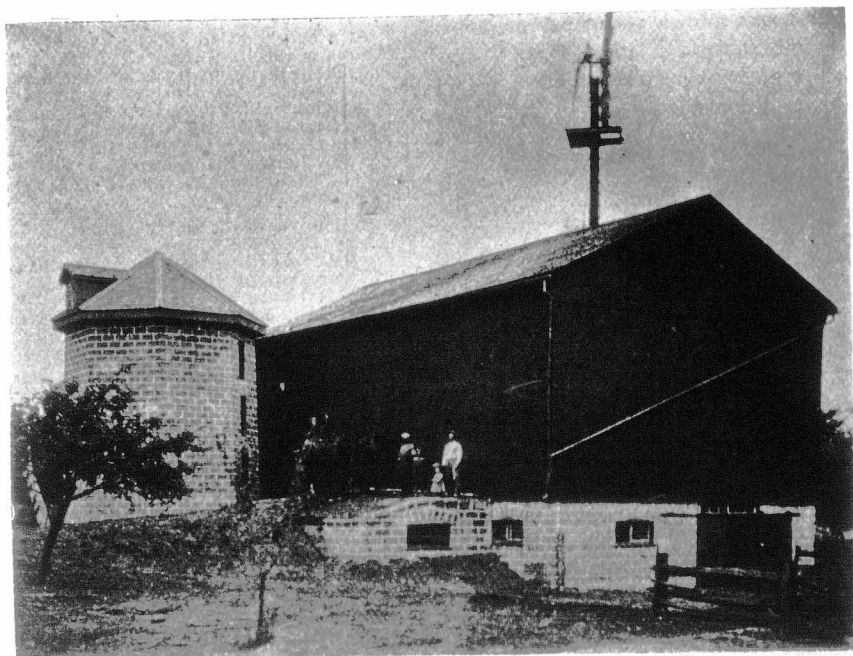


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MANUFACTURED BY THE Raymond Mfg. Co'y OF GUELPH, Limited.

## REPORT FROM WATERLOO COUNTY.

TO THE RAYMOND MFG. CO., Guelph, Ont.:

GENTLEMEN,—I wish to make a statement that should be of some encouragement to your firm just at this time when your Company is investing a large amount of capital in shops and machinery for the purpose of manufacturing the "National" Cream Separators. I bought a "National" in December, 1898, and received some practical instructions at the O. A. College, Guelph, in the way of making good butter and putting it in neat form for market. The first year I had nine cows and sold \$45.00 worth of butter from each cow, besides keeping the house in butter and having the skim milk fresh, sweet and warm for the calves. In 1900 I received higher prices for the butter, and made \$52.00 per cow from 12 cows, or a total of \$626.73. I market my butter in Toronto and Woodstock, and can find ready sale for more than I can make. Although I am a farmer, I have sold 93 "National" Cream Separators since I got my own, two years ago. The "National" is profitable to a farmer, whether he makes the butter at home or sends the cream to the creamery. I use a Babcock tester, and find the "National" cannot be beat at close skimming. Wishing you success, and hoping you will be able to supply your agents with machines as fast as we need them, I am,

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