

CATALOGUE

OF

THOROUGH-BRED

SHORT-HORN DURHAM

Bulls, Cows and Calves,

Imported from England per S. S. "Brooklyn" by the CENTRAL BOARD
OF AGRICULTURE OF NOVA SCOTIA,

TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY

PUBLIC AUCTION,

AT THE

Railway Cattle Sheds, Richmond Depot, Halifax,

ON

THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1881.

Sale to commence at Twelve o'clock precisely.

By direction of the Central Board of Agriculture of Nova
Scotia, under authority of the Provincial Government and
Legislature.

J. DUGGAN & SONS, Auctioneers.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

At the option of the Board, approved joint Notes at 9 months, discountable at any Halifax Bank, and payable to the order of the Board of Agriculture, will be accepted in payment from individual purchasers. Societies desirous of making available for this sale their Annual Grants for 1881 (payable at the end of December) may arrange to do so by previously applying to the Secretary of the Board. A discount of 4 per cent. will be allowed on all payments in cash at time of sale.

All the Cattle are required to be kept for service in the Province for a term of five years, and purchasers will be required to sign a bond to this effect before delivery.

In order to encourage the more general diffusion of Thorough-bred Stock throughout the Province, the Board have determined to allow a discount on the sale prices of 10 per cent to all purchasers from the Island of Cape Breton, and of five per cent. to other purchasers who reside at a distance of not less than twenty miles from a Railway Station. No discount will be allowed upon animals purchased for

localities within a distance of twenty miles from a Railway Station, except that of 4 per cent. for cash. Should any animals not be taken forthwith to the localities for which discount is allowed, purchasers will be required to refund whatever amounts of discount they may have been allowed.

Animals must be taken charge of by the purchasers immediately after the sale.

All the animals are in a perfectly healthy condition; none of them have been fed up for competition or sale. In the case of animals of sufficient age, the greatest care has been taken to select only those actually known to be fertile and free from all ascertainable faults.

For convenience, and in the interest of purchasers, the fullest information that can be obtained is given in this Catalogue, nothing whatever being withheld that might affect—either beneficially or injuriously—the value or utility of any of the Stock; but the animals will be sold entirely at the risk of the purchaser, with all faults and errors of description, should any appear.

Any further information may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Board of Agriculture, Professor Lawson, Dalhousie College, Halifax, or the Auctioneers.

No delivery of animals will be given, or transfers of pedigrees made, till terms of sale are complied with to satisfaction of the Executive Committee of the Board, who will be in attendance at the sale.

These animals were selected in England by John Thornton, Esq., the well-known Short-Horn Auctioneer, and forwarded from Liverpool per steamship "Brooklyn," to Halifax, where they arrived in November. They were all inspected in England and reported healthy, and as coming from districts where no cattle disease prevailed. They were again inspected at Halifax on arrival, and reported healthy. In accordance with Quarantine Regulations of the Dominion they were placed in quarantine for ninety days. At the expiry of that period, they were again reported healthy and released so as to mix with other cattle. They are now offered for unreserved sale, to be kept in the Province for breeding purposes for five years.

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SHORT-HORN DURHAM BULLS.

LOT NO.

1—Young Ebor, (mark on horn $\frac{1}{2}$). Roan. Calved July 3rd, 1879. Bred by Mr. W. G. Garne, Broadmoor, Northleach, Gloucestershire. Sire Ebor 41499.

Dam Lady Like by Ranger 35203,
gr d Lady Day by Duke of York 23804,
g gr d Village Miss by Captain Cherry 31363,
g g gr d Village Girl by Sheriff 18822,
g g g gr d Bonhill Lassie by Booth 14180,
g g g g gr d Orphan by Lord Raglan 13246,
g g g g g gr d Maid of Aln 2nd by Crusade 7938,
g g g g g g gr d Maid of Aln by Regent 2517,
g g g g g g g gr d Edith by Borderer 3191,
g g g g g g g g gr d Eclipse by Eclipse 1949,
g g g g g g g g g gr d by Togston 5487,
g g g g g g g g g g gr d by Bolingbrook 3184,
g g g g g g g g g g g gr d by Son of Midas 435,
g g g g g g g g g g g g gr d by twin brother to Ben 660.