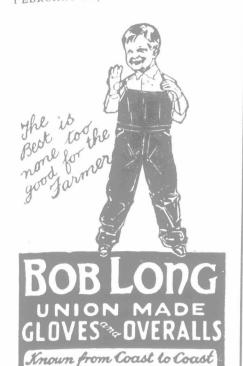
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Ontario Provincial Sale of **Shorthorn Cattle**

An Auction Sale of Shorthorn cattle (male and female) under the auspices of the ONTARIO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE and the management of the GUBLIPH FAT STOCK CLUB, will be held in the

WINTER FAIR BUILDINGS, GUELPH

Wednesday, March 7th, 1917

commencing at one o'clock p.m., at which will be offered about fifty (50) head, carefully selected, good individuals, many of them fashionably bred animals.

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Also 2 red shad 3 roan bulls, smooth and fleshy. We invite impection. JOHN SENN & SONS, Caledonia, R.R. 3, Haldimand Co., Ont.

field has been gone over with this planker or road-drag as you call it, fitting and seeding will require just four operations First, a two-horse cultivator is run in about the same manner as when growing corn is being cultivated. This stirs the soil between the rows of stubble to a depth of four to six inches, but the stubble is not torn out. Next comes the spring tooth harrow, crossing the work of the cultivator at an oblique angle, and does very effective work in pulverizing the soil Some of the stubble is pulled out, but not enough to cause any inconvenience. Then the field is gone over a second time but in an oblique angle to the first, producing such a good condition of tilth that the disk drill completes the job satisfactorily and sows the seed at the same time. Of course, mark you, if this land were a heavy clay it's doubtful if I could get off so easily, but being a sandy loam why not take advantage of every thing that will lessen the labor and at the same time

bring down the cost of production." "Got any figures?" enquired another of the Jonesville deputation, evidently interested. "I don't doubt your word, but I'm just enough of a doubting Thomas to do a little diggin' into it. They say you've got to eat a pudding to prove that it's good.

"You're on," replied Jones. "That's the kind of a question I like, for it shows a man is willing to do a little thinking himself and so give the other fellow a square deal. I've had plenty of critics around here, but they didn't want me to prove anything. They're simply sore if you do a job at all different than grandfather did it. See?"

Referring to a small memorandum, he continued: "Let us take that ten-acre field just across the lane, where I had oats last year. Using the methods I have been describing it took an even four days to put that crop in. According to the regular scale of prices in this locality for man and team labor, the total cost of fitting and sowing was but \$14 or \$1.40 an acre. If the same field had been plowed, allowing \$2 an acre for the plowing, the cost would have been increased to \$34 or \$3.40 an acre. More than that, the plowing would have taken within a fraction of six days plus about the same fraction of six days plus about the same amount of work that it did get, so there you have a whole working week saved on ten acres alone, besides twenty dollars in hard cash that I don't have to hand over to some fellow as wages. The same principal is applied to all my spring grain crops, which are always sown on land that was in corn the previous year and is perfectly clean.

"If you can reduce the labor necessary to growing a crop, to the lowest possible extent, and at the same time maintain a good average yield you are exercising a powerful influence in helping along the recruiting campaign with a minimum of sacrifice to yourselves

'I guess that hits me," grinned Dave Smith who had been an attentive listener to Bob's pointed remarks. "There are hundreds of jobs around the farm that might be shortened or pitched overboard altogether. I generally count on needing a couple of hands to get over the work at my place. This year I'm going to try the Jones' brand of philosophy and cut down on the help supply, mainly because I've got to. By the way, I calculate it won't hurt us fellows t 'grey matter' with what elbow-grease we

lows A hearty "you bet, Dave" came the response to this declaration of policy. Jonesville had awakened.

can get. There's where we're rusty fel-

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Shorthorn Cattle and Oxford Down Sheep.

Anyone interested in Shorthorn cattle or Oxford Down sheep should not fail to get particulars regarding W. J. Abernethy's sale, near Bradford, on March 9. Some choice Shorthorn females descended from the Duthic-bred cow Collynie Mistletoe, are in the offering, while younger cows from these dams and winte younger cows from these dams and by Scottish Crown will be sold. There are eight bulls being offered. Several Clydesdale mares, and 22 pme-bred Oxford Down ewes with the stock rain will go to the highest bidder. Catalogues are ready. Write to Mr. Abernethy at Beeton, R. R. I. Ont. See the advertisement elsewhere in this issue. ment elsewhere in this issue.



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Friday, March 9th, 1917

Although numbering less than 30 head, this is one of the best little Shorthorn herds in Ontario. The foundation cows are large and smooth and nearly all excellent milkers. Many are choicely bred Missies, descended from the Duthie-bred cow, Collynie Mistletoe Imp. The younger cows are from these dams and by Scottish Crown, by Ben Lomond.

There are 8 bulls (including calves) by the present sire, Lawender Premier. Many of the females will be calving around sale time to this bull. Everything, including the herd bull, will be sold.

SEVERAL CLYDESDALE MARES, 22 PURE-BRMD OXFORD EWES and the STOCK RAM will also be in the offering.

CATALOGUES READY FEBRUARY 20TH.

TERMS OF SALE: Cattle, grain and pigs will be cash. 9 months' credit will be allowed on horses, sheep and implements to those furnishing approved notes.

Trains will be met at Beeton, C.P.R., Bradford, G.T.R. and Schomberg (York Radial) on day of sale. Implements, Grade Cattle, Hay and Grain will be sold in forenoon.

W. J. Abernethy, Prop., R. R. No. 1, Beeton, Ont.

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Young Bulls of serviceable age. Young cows with calves by their side and rebred. Heifers well on in calf. A few good Shropshire ewes bred to good rams. A nice bunch of ewe lambs.

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Pleasant Valley Herds —For sale: Several good young bulls, reds and roans, of the very best breeding; also females of all ages; all the leading families represented; 100 head to select

from, Inspection invited. Farm 11 miles east of Guelph, C. P. R., ½ mile from station.

Imported Shorthorns 40 more imported Shorthorns have arrived home from quarantine. We now have 18 heiters in calfa and 19 cows with colves at foct, also a few good imported balls. They are all good individuals, and represent the cheaves threeling. We can meet visitors at Burlimeton Jet, at any time it notified.

Geo. Amos & Sons, Moffat, Ont.

The Manor Stock Farm Balls all sold, except the four listed in the London Sale, March 28-a Rosemary, a SHORTHORNS Wimple, a Mina and a Julia.

SHORTHORNS John T. Gibson, Denfield, Ont.