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## GOSSIP.

R. Honey, Warkworth, Ont.,—"My stock is wintering well and there seems to be a great demand for it. Since returning from Institute work I have answered numerous letters inquiring for stock and have made a number of sales. Many of these are due to my ad. in the FARMER'S ADVOCATE. Some of the sales are as follows: Yorkshires—2 boars, 1 sow, Jas. Russell, of Precious Corners; 1 boar, E. Stockton, Annagance, N. B.; 1 boar, D. Nill, Fenella; 1 boar, D. Campbell, Norwood; 1 boar, H. Chesterfield, and 1 boar to C. Hutton, both of Dundonald; 2 boars and 1 sow, Wm. Stead, Herron's Mills; pair to Peter Sanford, Madoc; also, pair to R. S. Allen, Cooper, and to Thurston Bros., Warkworth; also pairs to each of the following: L. Peart, of Holstein; J. E. Brethour, of Burford; and Wm. Bell, Kars. Holsteins—Bull calf to John Pickering, of Quebec; 1 bull and 2 heifers, R. S. Allen, of Cooper; 1 bull and 1 heifer, P. Sandford, Madoc; pair to John Flannagan, Avonmore; bull to W. Losie, Warkworth; and 1 bull and 5 heifers to Wm. McKay, Morewood. In Cotswolds have sold 3 rams to W. Gregg, Rose-neath; 1 to M. D. Geddes, Midlothian; 1 to Thurston Bros.; 2 rams and 1 ewe to C. Mutton; 4 ewes, R. S. Allen, Cooper; 1 ewe to J. Y. Walter, Blantyre; 1 ewe to Jas. Dalmas, Wooler; and 2 ewes to A. Hoar.

Mr. W. D. Flatt, Hamilton, Ont., reports the following recent sales from his Trout Creek herd of Shorthorns: To Geo. Leslie, Acton, Scottish Lad, a red bull, one year old, sire Scottish Pride (imp.), who is half-brother to Mr. Duthie's stock bull, Scottish Archer. Percy T. Martin, Princeton, Trout Creek Lad, a roan eight-months bull, a very thick, low-down calf, sired by Carlisle 2208. J. C. Mills, Preston, Missie, a King and Roan Rose. C. D. Wagar, Enterprise, Mariner, a red bull about one year, will make a very good one. Wm. McKenzie, Gravenhurst, Stanley, red bull, one year, a really good bull all around. James Graham, Grand Valley, Roan Duke, a bull one year old, an excellent one; also Ethel Buckingham 15324, a large, smooth cow, and well bred, tracing direct to Amos Cruikshank's herd. Thos. Sime, Grand Valley, Lady Lucy, by imp. Viscount; also her heifer calf, Trout Creek Lucy; this is a good, large, smooth cow, and a promising calf.

Alex. Turnbull, Cranston, Scottish Duke, sire Scottish Pride (imp.), a large, strong, sappy bull, one year old, and a worthy son of his sire, who is half-brother to Scottish Archer, one of the favorite sires of Mr. Duthie's famous Aberdeenshire herd. J. E. Rowland, Newry, "Wentworth," red nine-months bull by Halton Duke, by imp. Prince Royal, and tracing to imp. Jenny Lind, a 1st prize Provincial winner. Hugh Bertram, Vinemount, Scottish Fawn, a really good bull sired by Scottish Pride (imp.). D. Lyson & Son, Killarney, Man., Lady Isabella and Mountain Beauty, an excellent pair of heifers. Alex. Duncan, Ancaster, Jewel, of the Roan Duchess family, by a son of imp. Indian Chief; also bull calf, Trout Creek Victor. John Ramsay, Priddis, Alta., Milton Rose, Halton Rose 4th, Milton Rose 5th, Mina Rose, Ross, Warkworth, N. S., one yearling bull. D. M. and two good, strong, yearling bulls. Mr. Flatt adds: From the last eighteen cows which have dropped calves sixteen have bulls. How is this for a record?

JOHN A. GORDON'S SHORTHORN SALE.

As per advertisement in March 15th issue of the FARMER'S ADVOCATE, Auctioneer Thomas Ingram, of Guelph, conducted the auction sale of John A. Gordon's (Acton, Ont.) herd of Shorthorns. The following is a list of the sales:

Females.

Lilly Barnes 2nd, 6 years old; P. S. Kennedy, Acton; \$98.

Ethel Newcome, 8 years; Norris Black, Rockwood; \$78.

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Maid of the Wolds 3 years, with calf, Hustler; A. & J. Mann, Acton; \$130.

Maid of the Wolds 2nd, 2 years; P. S. Kennedy; \$80.

Lady Ethel, 4 years, with calf, Royal Prince 2nd; Richard Graham, Ashgrove; \$125.

Ethel Newcome 2nd, 2 years; Greenleaf Bros., Milton; \$100.

Princess Ella 2nd, 2 years; Donald Mann, Acton; \$56.

Lady Roy 4th, 1 year; P. S. Kennedy, Acton; \$69.

Lady Ethel 2nd, 1 year; Wm. Mullin, Acton; \$55.

Bulls.

Roan Duke, 1 year; Wm. R. Elliott, Hespeler; \$78.

Strathallan Boy, 3½ months; R. F. Reid, Georgetown; \$35.

Gordon Hall Lad, 5 months; H. Tuck, Trafalgar; \$52.

Duke of the Wolds 2nd, 3 months; P. S. Kennedy, Acton; \$40.

ONTARIO VETERINARY COLLEGE—GRANTING OF DIPLOMAS TO GRADUATING CLASS.

The annual closing exercises of the Ontario Veterinary College at Toronto were held March 23rd. The graduating class was a large one, as usual, numbering about fifty, and the pass list shows a large proportion of students from the United States as well as several from Great Britain. W. J. K. Fowler, Searforth, Ont., won the gold medal offered by the Ontario Veterinary Association for best general examination.

NOTICES.

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GOSSIP.

Capt. Thomas Robson, of Iderton, Ontario, has recently sold to George Harding & Son, of Waukesha, Wis., the following Shorthorns: Two-year-old heifer, Myrtle 6th, by imported Royal Member, with heifer calf at side, one of the first-prize herd at Toronto in 1898; Daisy of Strathallan 19th, thirteen months old, by imp. Blue Ribbon; Lily of Strathallan, four years old, by Greenhouse 6th, a sweepstakes bull at Toronto Exhibition. Also 110 Lincoln sheep to the same buyer.