

STALLION SHOW

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MANITOBA.

The Fourth Annual Stallion Show will be held at the town of Portage la Prairie, Man., on Saturday, the 11th day of April, 1891. The prize list is as follows:—

	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
Thoroughbred Horses.....	\$100	\$—	\$—
Cleveland Bay (registered).....	100	—	—
Yorkshire and French Coach.....	50	35	20
Clydesdales.....	50	25	—
Any other Pedigreed Draft Horse.....	20	10	—
Agricultural and General Purpose Horses.....	20	10	—
Roadsters.....	20	10	—
Standard-bred Roadsters and Hackneys.....	50	25	—

For circular containing prize list, rules, etc., address
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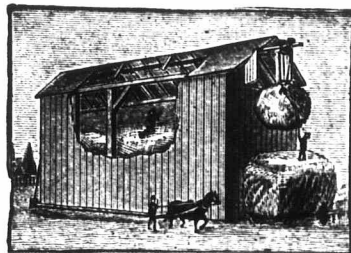
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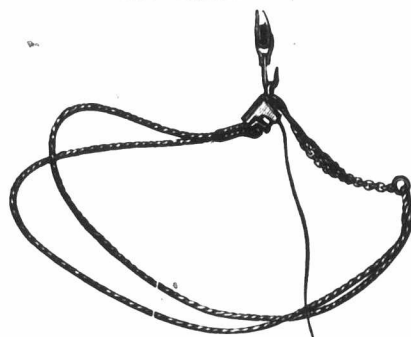
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STOCK GOSSIP.

In writing to advertisers please mention the Farmer's Advocate.

SUFFOLK PUNCH AND HACKNEY HORSES.—J. & H. Beck, Thorndale, Ont., recently sent us the following:—"Our stock of Suffolk Punch and Hackney horses are looking first-class. Our stock of Suffolks are much reduced in numbers by recent sales, yet what remains are of the very best. We sold to Messrs. Mossom, Boyd & Co., of Bobcaygeon, Ont., the following Suffolk horses:—One aged mare, two two-year-old fillies, one yearling filly and one yearling stallion. They were all shown at the Toronto Industrial, except the yearling stallion, and took the following prizes:—Aged mare, Blossom, imported, 1st prize; two-year-old filly, Maud, 1st prize and silver medal as best mare any age; in class two-year-old filly, Primrose, 2nd prize; yearling filly, Princess, 1st prize. We had only a small lot of Suffolk horses at the Toronto Industrial. They took the following prizes:—For stallion three years old and upwards, 1st prize and silver medal with Enterprise, being only three years old and imported in Sept. 1889; 2nd prize on Vanity for mare with foal by her side, the only time she was ever beaten in the show ring, having won three silver medals and five diplomas in good company. First prize on Duke of Thorndale, foal of 1890. At the Western Fair, London, took the following prizes:—For Suffolk Punch stallion, three years old, 1st prize on Enterprise, 1st prize on Vanity, 2nd prize on Patch, 1st prize on Duke of Thorndale as foal of 1890, 2nd prize on Perfection of Thorndale as foal of 1890. The first Hackneys we imported was in the fall of 1889. This was a two-year-old stallion named Perfection (well if he is not Perfection itself he came pretty near it) and we thought very well of him. He is a dappled brown in color, stands about 15.3 hands high, has plenty of bone, of good quality and is an excellent mover. We imported another Hackney stallion in the fall of 1890 named Sir Garnet, also a dappled brown. He is three years old and stands nearly 16 hands high and is a model horse. He took 1st prize at the Western Fair, London, Perfection taking second place. This breed of horses is used in England for various purposes, hence the name Hackney. We have some of the above breeds of horses for sale. They are all registered and are highly bred. We have had many inquiries since advertising in your valuable paper, although only in the breeders' directory.

Mr. J. C. Snell, Edmonton, Ont., reports an active demand for Jerseys and a growing interest in the production of high-class butter, for which extra good prices are freely paid by special customers in the cities and towns. The County of Peel is noted for this specialty, and Jerseys are proving very profitable property. The Cotswolds and Berkshires at Edmonton are wintering well, and a good steady demand has kept business moving quite satisfactorily. The prospect of a good crop of lambs and pigs is also very encouraging.

Mr. Wm. Davies, Markham, Ont., writes: "I am pleased to say that the Guernseys and Yorkshires at Kincaid Farm are doing well. Since my last I have made sales of a heifer to I. T. Wilkinson, British Columbia, and bulls to J. Neil, Collingwood, and Isaac Hilborne, Elmira. I have now thirteen cows and two bulls in service, and a fine bunch of heifers coming on. Though but few of the fawn and white are owned in Canada, they are much appreciated by those who know their merits, not the least of which is the impressiveness of the sires, hence their suitability for grading of ordinary dairy stock. I give you below a few sales of pigs, which have given great satisfaction to purchasers:—Boars to Wm. Ward, Solina, W. Hayward, Kenilworth; Geo. Inglis, Maple Hill; F. Heynton, Dollar, York Township; I. Flack, Banda; Wm. Payne King, Oakwood; J. Lennox, Churchill. Sows: O. Hayward, Kenilworth; Levi Pike, Locust Hill; W. C. Huff, Mountain View, and several others. Last but not least, an imported sow to the Experimental Farm at Ottawa. We have now scattered these pigs from Prince Edward Island to British Columbia, and think that the pork packers, who have been agitating for long lean hogs, will soon be gratified, as the the hogs so scattered will soon make their mark.

NOTICES.

Little's Sheep Dip is advertised in our columns. This is a good mixture, and should be used in every flock in Canada. Data concerning it will appear in our next issue.

Be sure and read the advertisement sent us this month by the Hon. H. M. Cochrane. This gentleman offers for sale his entire herd of noted Herefords. Write him for particulars and a copy of his catalogue.

The Belleville Business College and Shorthand University of Belleville, Ont., we are pleased to say, is meeting with great success. The attendance at this institution this year is more than double what it was last season. Mr. Robt. Bogle, the proprietor, is a practical accountant and a good business man, and no doubt pupils under him will receive a thorough training.

J. O. Winer & Co., Brantford, manufacturers of agricultural implements, advertise in this issue a new implement, called the Favorite Cultivator and Broadcast Seeder. This is simply the well-known Favorite Cultivator, with a Seeder Box, and as it is sold without a grass seeder, the price is very low. The firm guarantee satisfaction, and are able and willing to back up any guarantee they may give.