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The splendid flock of "Thomas and Tanner" bred Shropshire sheep, owned by Mr. A. Rudell, of Hespeler, Ont., are at present in fine fit, the major part of them being in show-ring form. The flock, which now numbers about 65 head, was founded 20 years ago on imported stock. During all these years Mr. Rudell has continually striven to bring his flock to the highest standard of excellence, and to attain that result has used as sires nothing but the best imported rams he could procure. That he has succeeded is conclusively proven by his very successful tour of the fall shows, having won at Rockton six first prizes, three seconds and one third; at Galt, four firsts; at Berlin, six firsts; and at Guelph, six firsts. This season's crop of lambs are an exceptionally even lot, being sired by a ram bred on the estate of the late Wm. Nevill, Eng. The ram in use this fall is a grand model of Shropshire perfection, which was imported by Brethour.

CHOICE FARM FOR SALE.

Attention is directed to the advertisement, in another column, of the auction sale of the "Plains Farm," Arkell, Ont., owned by the F. W. Stone Stock Co., Guelph. This is a grand chance for any one wanting land of a high-class order, being used by the late F. W. Stone for breeding pure-bred stock for over 10 years, and still used for the same purpose by the F. W. Stone Stock Co. This was the first farm owned in Canada by the late Mr. Stone, he having chopped down the trees and cleared it largely with his own hands, and it was retained by him when he sold to the Ontario Government his second farm, now known as the Ontario Agricultural College farm. The F. W. Stone Co. still have a fine herd of Hereford cattle, and are offering for sale some 30 head bulls, cows and heifers.

GOSSIP.

Mr. Jas. A. Cochran, Hillhurst, P. Q., writes:—"I have to report recent sales as follows: To C. E. Therrien, East Sherbrooke, the roan Shorthorn bull calf, Scottish Bridegroom, winner of first prize at Sherbrooke Exhibition, and to McKinley Bros., Charlotte-town, P. E. I., the roan yearling bull, Scotch High Ball, by Scottish Hero."

Mr. W. H. Beattie, Wilton Grove, Ont., the well-known breeder of Mammoth Bronze and White Holland turkeys, reports his winnings at three large shows: Toronto—7 firsts, 4 seconds, 2 thirds, also diploma for best pair, and bronze medal for best turkey in the show; London—7 firsts, 4 seconds; Pan-American—5 firsts, 5 seconds, 2 thirds. Have a choice lot to sell. Also Pekin ducks and Embden geese. Parties wanting some of the winners should look up his advertisement and write at once for prices.

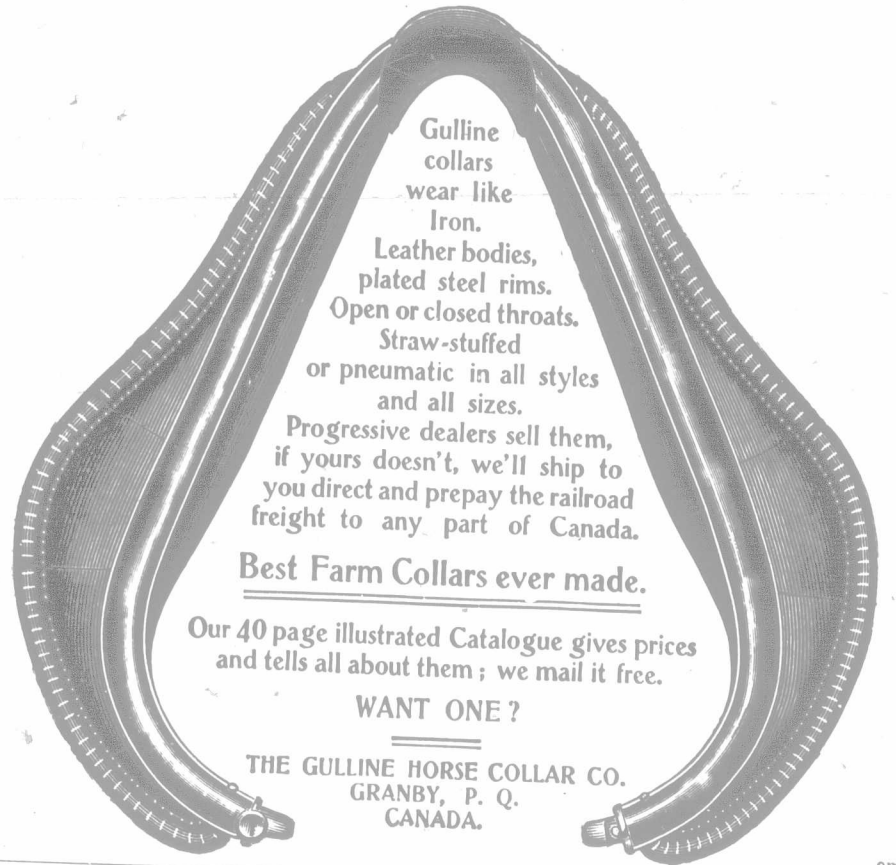
John Miller & Sons, Brougham, Ont., write:—"We have sold all the yearling rams advertised in your paper, and are now offering some extra good young Shorthorn bulls. We have one specially good calf from the Vice-Consul cow, Lydia 7th, that should soon be at the head of some good herd. Our Imp. Marr heifers are all safe in calf, and we are expecting something good from them. We will be pleased to send our catalogue upon application."

The by-law admitting English-bred Jerseys to the American Jersey Cattle Club Herd Register has received the necessary number of votes to carry it, the vote being 157 for and 13 against, and in consequence English-bred Jerseys can now be recorded in the A. J. C. C. subject to the terms of the by-law which reads as follows: "Cattle imported from the Island of Jersey and from Great Britain to the United States of America and to the Dominion of Canada, without change of marks or ownership while in transit, their descendants, and the descendants of animals heretofore entered in the Herd Register, and no other, may be entered in the Herd Register on proof either of their exportation from the Island of Jersey or of their purity of descent, to the satisfaction of the board of directors."

The young Shorthorn bull, Bonnie Lad, illustrated in this issue, bred and owned by Mr. H. Smith, Hay, Ont., is of the proper pattern individually, and comes by his excellence honestly, being bred in the pure line. His sire, Imp. Knuckle Duster, bred by Mr. Bruce, Inverquhomery, was a prizewinner in Scotland and first at London in 1899 over the Toronto winners without special fitting. His dam, Bonnie Brae, of the Cruickshank Queen of Beauty tribe, was also the dam of Bruce, the champion of the Provincial Fat Stock Show, 1897, of Bannockburn, first-prize yearling of the same show, and of Barmid, sweepstakes female at the Winter Show, 1900. He has for grandsire Prince Albert, by Barmington Hero, who is his great grandsire, and back of that is Imp. Stanley, bred at Sittytton. If blood and individual merit of ancestry count, then Bonnie Lad should prove a prepotent bull.

At the Kansas City Cattle Show last month a splendid exhibition of the beef breeds was made, there being over 1,000 head in competition for exceptionally large cash prizes. The leading awards in the Shorthorn class were as follows: Aged bull—First, C. E. Leonard's Lavender Viscount; second, Ryan's Young Abbotsburn, a 5-year-old son of the World's Fair champion; third, Thompson & Son's Gallant Knight; fourth, Robbins' Lad for Me. Two-year-old bulls—First, Harding's Golden Victor; second, Hanna & Co.'s Inglewood; third, Geo. Bothwell's Nonairell of Clover Blossom; fourth, Warrall's Valley Count; fifth, G. M. Casey's Scottish Lavender. Aged cows—First, Harding's Rose Princess; second, Casey's Miss Mayflower; third, Robbins' Young Robust; fourth, Casey's Princess Violet; fifth, Harding's Senior yearling heifer—First, Purdy Bros. Lovely 30; second, Harding's Golden Fame's Lady; third, Junior yearling—First, Robbins' Clarissa; second, Peak & Son's White Rose. The winners of the sweepstakes are: Senior sweepstakes bull, two years old and over—Lavender Viscount, owned by C. E. Leonard, Bell Air, Mo. Junior sweepstakes bull, under two years old—Nonairell of Clover Blossom, owned by George Bothwell, Nettleton, Mo. Senior sweepstakes cow or heifer, two years old or over—Roberta, owned by J. G. Robbins & Son. Junior sweepstakes heifer, under two years old—Clarissa, owned by J. G. Robbins. The Armour Packing Company's special for best bull any age was won by Gold-Victor, owned by Geo. Harding & Son, Waukesha, Wis. Prize, the Armour trophy, —Roberta, owned by J. G. Robbins & Son, Prize, \$200. In the contest for aged heifer, J. G. Robbins & Son were placed first, George Harding & Son's second, G. M. Casey third.

Following are the principal awards on Herefords at Kansas City Show: Aged bulls—First to Gudgell & Simpson's Dandy Rex, second to W. H. Currie's Prince Rupert, third to Sotham's Improver, two-year-olds—First to Sotham's Checkmate, second to Kinsell's McKinley, third to Harris' Lomax. Yearling bulls—First to Gudgell & Simpson, on Martinet; Sotham second, on Thickflesh; Currie third, on Beau Donald. Aged cows—Harris first, on Bettie 2nd; Gudgell & Simpson second and third, on Mischeyous and Dolly. Two-year-old heifers—Gudgell & Simpson first, on Modesty; Sotham second, on Golden Lassie; Harris third, on Theresa. Senior yearling—Gudgell & Simpson first, on Miss Caprice; Stewart & Hutcheon second, on Queeny; Sotham third, on Galatea. Junior yearling—Harris first, on Kattie 3rd; Stewart & Hutcheon second, on Tempter's Queen; Gudgell & Simpson third, on Gypsy Lady. Senior sweepstakes bull, two years old or over—Prince Rupert, the second-prize aged bull, owned by W. H. Currie, Eminence, Ky., the sweepstakes prizes being awarded by a different committee from that acting in the class awards. Junior sweepstakes bull, under two years—Goodenough 3rd, the Harris, Harris, Mo. Senior sweepstakes cow or heifer, two years or over—Harris' Betty 2nd, the first-prize cow. Junior sweepstakes heifer—Gudgell & Simpson's Miss Caprice, the first for best female any age went to Betty 2nd. Best aged herd—Gudgell & Simpson; second, Harris; third, Sotham. Young herd—First to Harris, second to Gudgell & Simpson, third to Stewart & Hutcheon.



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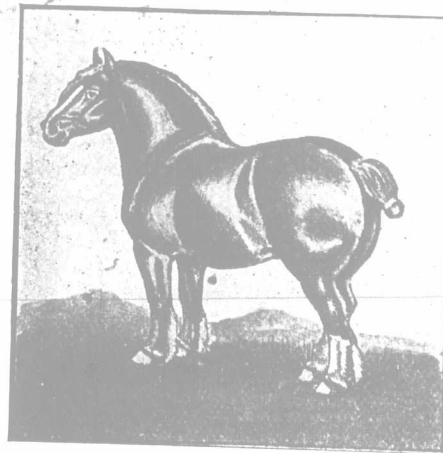
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GOSSIP.

Trout Run Stock Farm is situated in the County of Norfolk, about two miles from the village of Lynedoch and seven miles from Delhi station on the G. T. R. The owner, Mr. Wm. Thorn, is somewhat extensively engaged in the breeding of Ayrshire cattle, and pure-bred poultry. The Ayrshire herd was founded eight years ago, on animals purchased from the noted herd of David Morton & Sons, Hamilton, and included the cow Lottie, sired by Royal Chief (Imp.). This well-balanced cow has a milk record of 64½ lbs. of milk per day, and a butter record of 11 lbs. 7 ozs. in five days. One of her produce, Lottie 2nd, is a splendid type of Ayrshire perfection, showing that depth and breadth of hind quarters that make the record breakers. Another of the foundation cows is Norval Rose, by the same sire, also a big, fine type of milk-producing animal. Since then additions to the herd have been made as necessity demanded; notably among them was the purchase of the cow, Verona, by Byron of Park Hill, bred by the late Thos. Guy, of Oshawa; also the cow, Belle of Rosmond, bred by Michael Ballentyne, of St. Mary's. These cows have done not a little towards bringing the herd to its now high standard. Among the earlier sires was the bull, Bob Brown of Barmoorhill, sired by Imp. Monarch, dam Maggie Brown. This bull, being a splendid, evenly-built individual, has left many valuable additions to the herd that are a credit to him as a sire and a profit to the owner. The present stock bull is the grandly-built prizewinner, Royal Star of St. Anne 7916, by Imp. Glencairn 3rd, dam Marjory of Williamstown, by Duke of Park Hill. As above intimated, this bull is an exceptionally well built animal. In the prize-ring he was first at Toronto and first and sweepstakes at London in 1898. The young ones sired by him and out of the splendid cows of the herd are all that could be desired. The winnings of the herd this fall at the county show are first on cow, first on 3-year-old, first on 1-year-old, third on cow, and 2nd on both a heifer and bull calf. In poultry, Mr. Thorn excels, showing B. P. I., W. Wyandottes, Indian Games, B. Minorcas, and Cochins, D and L. Brahmas, Pekin ducks, and Toulouse geese. In poultry Mr. Thorn has literally swept the board at the county show this fall, winning in almost every class. There is young stock for sale in all the breeds, as per his advertisement.

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