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GOSSIP.

In writing to advertisers, mention the "Farmer's Advocate."
The English horse business is in a healthy condition. A Shire stallion of Harold blood sold lately for 1,000 guineas at Lord Liang-atook's sale, and forty-three stallions, colts, mares and fillies yielded the splendid average of 186½ guineas.

A. J. Cotton, of Treherne, Man., has threshed from 47½ acres over 12,350 bushels of No. 1 hard wheat. The yield on the whole field averaged 26 bushels to the acre. In addition to this, Mr. Cotton succeeded in marketing quite a large bulk of the grain early in the season, and will realize from it about \$9,500. He will clear \$5,000 or \$7,000 for his year's crop.

The annual "round up" given by the Frank E. White Co., Chicago, to agricultural advertisers and publishers, some 300 of whom were present, was a unique social and intellectual occasion. After an elaborate banquet, speeches were delivered by a number of men, including N. B. Crichtfield, State Senator, Penn.; Ex-Gov. Hoard, of Wisconsin; and others. Before parting the guests extended a cordial vote of thanks to the Frank E. White Co.

Volume XI of the Standard Poland-China Record, being the number for 1897, is a huge and well compiled and bound publication of some 1,150 pages, which is to some extent a criterion of the popularity of this American breed. The pedigrees contained are of boars 2,174, numbering from 18825 to 17825; of sows 5,085, numbering from 37251 to 42336. The president of the Association is Grant Hornaday, Fort Scott, Kansas, and the secretary, Geo. F. Woodworth, Maryville, Mo.

A beautiful specimen of the Douglas fir has been shipped from New Westminster, B. C., to Kew Gardens, London, England, the great botanical and forestry display center. The actual length of the tree was over 250 feet from ground to top, and 118 feet from the base to the first limb. Owing to large roots at the base, the tree had to be felled some eight to ten feet from the ground to get a clear section and as perfect a circle as possible. The section was seven feet in diameter.

The annual meeting of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association will be held in the town of Waterloo, on December 15th and 16th, commencing at 9:30 a. m. of the former date. Papers and discussions have been arranged for on the subjects of "Spraying of Fruits," "Cold Storage of Fruits," "San Jose Scale," and numerous other live subjects to fruit growers. The president of the Association is Mr. W. E. Wellington, and the secretary Mr. L. Woolverton.

Mr. W. E. H. Massey, Toronto, has in quarantine a choice yearling Jersey bull selected for him on the Island of Jersey by the expert judge and importer, S. Peor, Mt. Morris, N. Y., who writes: "I believe this to be the very best bull on the Island at the time. He won first prize in the parish where raised. His dam is a noted winner in the showing and at butter tests as well. He has back of them a long line of great prize-winning animals, male and female."

One of the greatest sales of harness horses and carriage stock on record was conducted at the American Horse Exchange in October by Mr. W. D. Grand for Mr. O. E. Belmont, Mr. Marion Story, Mr. John Arthur and other contributors. The total of the day's sales was \$29,790. The top price of the entire offering was \$4,400, which was bid by Mr. Eben D. Jordan, Boston, for Leader the Scotchman. Sundown brought \$2,800. Mr. Belmont's average on twenty head was \$945.

The FARMER'S ADVOCATE had a pleasant call recently from Mr. J. J. Edgerton, farm superintendent of the Iowa State Experimental Station, who had been visiting the farm in connection with the Agricultural College of Guelph, with the appearance of which, and Mr. Rennie's methods, he expressed himself very much pleased. He also visited the farms of D. & O. Sorby and D. McCrea, Guelph; H. Arkell, Arkell; and E. D. Tillson, "Hisonburg"; gathering points which he will utilize at the Iowa Station, the farm of which covers some 900 acres.

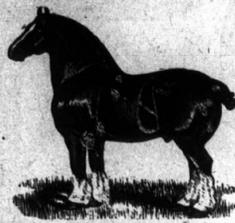
Miss Maidment, lecturer on dairying, poultry rearing, etc., for the County Council of Durham, has just returned from a tour in Canada and the United States, where she has been studying the methods adopted by the different governments and other bodies for providing education in agriculture and dairying, and also the manufacture and transportation of butter, cheese, and other farm produce. Among other institutions she visited the Ontario Agricultural College, the Central Experimental Farm, and various dairy districts, including those of Manitoba.

YORKSHIRES AND DUROC-JERSEYS AT HERMANVILLE FARM, P. E. I.

Hermanville Farm is situated eight miles directly north of Souris, P. E. I., on the north side of the Island. The farm fronts on the shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, the spray from the Gulf often fungoiding the crops growing on the farm. The nearest R. R. station is Harmony, on the P. E. I. railroad. Mr. Herman McDonald, manager of the farm and father of the proprietor, Mr. J. A. McDonald, has had a wide experience as a breeder of thoroughbred hogs, and is generally employed at the autumn fairs as an expert judge. For a number of years pure-bred swine from his herd have been disseminated throughout the Island, to the great improvement of the pig stock. The breeding animals now on farm are of a very high order of individual excellence and breeding. They are all Island-bred from imported stock. One of the matrons of the herd is the Yorkshire Duchess of Hermanville—2377—, undoubtedly one of the best sows in America. In 1895 she captured first prize at Charlottetown, when she was considered the finest Yorkshire sow of her age (seven months) ever exhibited on the Island.

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