

experimental work here will be satisfactory to the authorities at Ottawa.

Wolves are doing a great deal of damage this summer, killing stock right in the barnyards and by the stable doors. There is hardly a colt left in the country, and a good many large horses and cattle have been killed. Up to this date there is evidently no move made toward paying a bounty on either timber wolves or coyotes, and yet we are told that we are included in Alberta and have a rightful share of what bounty money there is going. I have myself killed two timber wolves and several coyotes, and never got a smell even of a five-cent piece for bounty.

One word more and that about our post office. The people of Vermilion are obliged to cross a river as large as the Mississippi after their mail, or even to mail a letter. The post office is situated on the opposite side of the river to Fort Vermilion. Why? Simply for the accommodation of the Revillon Bros., who have their trading post there. Just fancy the people of Ottawa rowing a skiff (when they can find one) across to Hull with the river at flood height to see if the mail has arrived, or to mail a letter or a postal card, and yet we do it several times every month so as not to get left when the mail does arrive; and we are expected to be thankful for the privilege. F. S. LAWRENCE. Fort Vermilion, Peace River, August 7th, 1907.

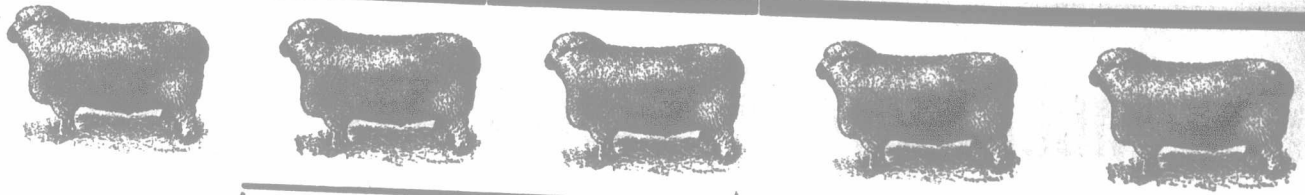
GOSSIP.

At the auction sale, on Sept. 17th, of a portion of the Aberdeen-Angus herd at Alvie Mains, Strathspey, Scotland, the top price was 85 guineas for the yearling heifer, Erica Fairy 5th, and three others made 60 guineas each. The average for the 30 head sold was £40.

At the Ayr ram sale, the highest price for a Border Leicester shearing ram was £20, and the highest average, £8 7s 6d. (Auchneel). For ram lambs, the highest price was £20 10s. (Skerrington Mains), and the highest average, £7 5s. At this sale, 285 Black-faced shearing rams sold for an average of £7 8s., the highest price being £88. One hundred and nineteen Border Leicester shearing rams averaged £6 11s. 10d.

LAST CALL FOR THE GUELPH SALE.

Wednesday, Oct. 23rd, will be an interesting day for Shorthorn fanciers and breeders in Canada. There are few better herds of royally-bred Scotch Shorthorns in the country than those from which representatives will be sold at the Guelph sale, namely, those of Messrs. Geo. Amos & Son, W. R. Elliot & Sons and A. E. Meyer. The Amos herd, the bulk of which are imported, are of the very thick-fleshed, good-doing sort, many of the younger ones being by the Toronto grand champion bull, Old Lancaster (imp.), which, as a show bull and as a sire of show stuff, has had few equals in the annals of Shorthorn history in Canada. The herd of A. Edward Meyer, of Guelph, many of which are also imported, ranks among the very best, and represents in breeding practically all the strains that have made modern Shorthorns famous as ideal beef cattle, early maturing and easy feeding. The bulk of his offering will be by the Rosary-bred bull, Scottish Hero (imp.); the Cruickshank Clipper bull, Chief of Stars (imp.); the Golden Drop bull, Imp. Royal Prince; the Miss Ramsden bull, Imp. Prince Ramsden, etc. And the herd of W. R. Elliott & Sons, Guelph, imported and Canadian-bred, are nearly all of the excellent Mayflower, Fashion and Daisy strains. This is one of the thick-fleshed herds, whose breeding is gilt-edged. The representatives to be offered are the get of the Claret-bred bull, Scottish Rex (imp.); the Lavender-bred bull, Wanderer's Star, a son of the Missie-bred bull, Wanderer's Last (imp.), and Royal Hero, son of the Golden Drop bull, Imp. Royal Prince. All will either have calves at foot, or be in calf to this year's Toronto first-prize senior yearling bull, Rosa Victor 64835. The sale will commence at 1 p. m., sharp. Terms will be cash, or six months' at 5 per cent. All interested should lay out to attend this sale, as, without doubt, it will be one of the very best of the year, and no place in Canada has better railway connections than Guelph.



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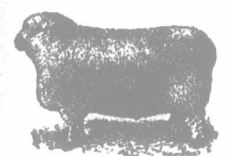
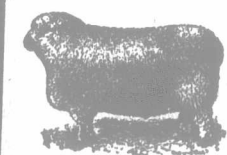
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