AYRSHIRE BREEDERS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA ORGANIZE

Another Ayrshire club has been organized, which makes five such clubs now in Canada. This time it is the Ayrshire breeders in British Columbia that have organized, and from what we know of the Ayrshire breeders there they are a wide-awake, energetic lot of men, and we expect to hear good reports from the sunset province.

Where such clubs have been organized for any length of time there has been a marked progress made and increased interest in the high-class cattle. We look for several such clubs to be organized in Eastern Canada and the Middle West during the coming year.

The club just organized in British Columbia has a membership of about 35, with the following officers:

Hon. Pres., A. C. Wells, Sardis; Pres., S. H. Shannon, Cloverdale; Vice-Pres., E. A. Wells, Sardis; Sec.-Treas., Joseph Thompson, Chilliwack; Hon. Director, W. T. MacDonald, Victoria; Directors—G. Mutter, Duncan; T. Cunningham, Nanaimo; Geo. Sangster, Victoria; S. P. Chaplin, Agassiz; H. W. Vanderhoof, Huntingdon; J. H. Campbell, Nelson; N. C. Calder, Revelstoke; J. A. Pringle, Cranbrook.—W. F. Stephen, Secretary-Treasurer, Huntingdon, Que.

SALE DATES CLAIMED

Clearing auction sale of 32 head, high grade Holsteins, Villa View Farm, Sebringville, Ont. Arbogast Bros., March 3.

Sale of choice high-grade Holstein and Durham dairy cows, horses and farm implements, Eugene Lange, Berlin, Ont., March 3.

Sale of 26 Holsteins March 11th. W. H. Murphy, Laureldale Farm, Oxford Mills, Ont.

Norfolk Holstein-Friesian Breeders' Club, Simcoe, Ont., March 10th.

Dispersion sale, March 5th. P. D. Ede, Woodstock Ont., registered Holsteins.

R. O. P. Holsteins. Geo. H. McKenzie, Thornhill, Ont., March 11th.

H. F. Patterson, Alford Jct. Ont., Holsteins, March 12th.

Prize-winning R. O. P. Holsteins. Wm Watson, Pine Grove, Ont., March 18th.

March 25th dispersion sale of Holsteins, J. C. Bales, Lansing, Ont.

Oxford District Holstein Breeders, Woodstock, March 28th.

Gordon S. Goodersham, Bedford Park, May 26th, Holsteins.

Dispersion sale of 35 head of Holsteins on March 26th. W. A. Hartley, R. R. No. 3, Woodstock.

Dispersion sale of Holsteins, April 9th. P. J. Salley, Lachine Rapids, Que.

A NEW RECORD

I am advised by preliminary reports that the Holstein-Friesian cow, Glen Cayare De Kol No. 131499 has broken the record for fat production in the senior three-year class of both the seven-day and 30-day divisions by producing in seven consecutive days 27 675 lbs. fat from 615 lbs. milk and in thirty consecutive days 111 855 lbs. fat from 2 492 lbs. milk. She freshened on January 1st 1914 at the age of 3 years 11 months 3 days.

Her sire is Sir Johanna Canary De Kol No. 44934; her dam is Glen De Kol Artis 2d No. 68827. She was bred by Mr. G. L. Miller, Northfield, Minn; and she is now owned by Mr. E. C. Schrader, Meadowed Minn. In the seven-day division she displaces Johanna Korndyke Aaggie, No. 139481, whose record for seven days is 27 451 lbs. fat from 592.4 lbs. milk and in the 30-day division she displaces May-flower Lillith Pauline 2nd, No. 153993, whose record for thirty days is 107 503 lbs. fat from 2 193.4 lbs. milk.—Malcolm H. Gardner, Supt. A. R.

"SOUR GRAPES"

Francis M. Jones, of Clinton, N.Y., developed and sold for $10,000 the first 44-lb. cow. He then turned around and paid $15,000 for the son of his cow, Spring Farm Pontiac Cornucopia, at the New York State Breeders first consignment sale. Shortly after this transaction the Three Farms had one of their spicy little ditties revised to date as follows:

"A fox, seeing a large and luscious cluster of grapes hanging at the top notch of a vine far beyond his reach, cried: 'The grapes are sour!'—and went his way without any. But there were other foxes, more foxy than he, who didn't cry, 'Sour grapes!' for they saw many bunches that were within reach, though not so big and ripe because they were partly hidden and had less sun. And in time these grew to be very good grapes, indeed some of them were almost as fine as the cluster that hung so high; and then the foxy foxes, who had marked them for their own, gathered them and sold them in the market. Thus envy goes fruitless while patience reaps reward. Moral: Don't cry 'Sour grapes!' because a $15,000-bull is or a 45-lb. cow seems out of reach—here are mighty fine grapes lower down!"

BUTTER-MAKING IN HOLLAND

According to the Practical Dairyman dairy conditions are changing in Holland. Heretofore cheese-making has been the main industry. There are many excellent cooperative creameries in Holland, and as a consequence more butter is being made than ever before for the British market. It is said that the Hollander is paying a great deal of attention to an increased fat production on the part of cows, and a great number are now testing around 3.5 per cent fat and quite a number 4 per cent. The dam of one young bull, shown at the Leeuwarden fair in October averaged 4.33 per cent; of another has a record of 30,590 lbs. milk with an average of 4.23 per cent. These are not forced records, but are made under normal farm conditions with six months in the pasture and six in the stable.—W. A. Clemons, Secretary

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