

Mr. Jos. Redmond, of Peterborough, Ont., writes under date of 20th inst. "I have sold to Wm. Wilson, of Brampton, the grand young bull Gold Finner and. He was bred by Mr. J. Bruce, of Scotland, dam, Princess of Wales 7th. The sire of this bull was sold at the Burnside sale for 100 gs., when good bulls were plentiful. His g-sire was the great show bull, Gold Finner (1879). Gold Finner gained the following prizes as a yearling in 1883, 1st at Banff, 1st and cup at Aberdeen, 1st at Tweeddale, gold medal at Inverness, at H. A. S. 1st and two cups, at Elgin 1st, and challenge cup at Spey, Avon and Tiddich. As a two-year-old, 1st at H. and A. S., at Edinburgh 1st, special prize at Elgin, and 1st and cup at Huntley. He was then sold to Mr. Hill, of Minnesota, for a very large sum, and has never been beaten in any show yard. I also hold Wimple 17th, bred from the bull that got 1st as a 2-year-old at Kingston last fall. She is a grand calf.

Herefords.

Mr. Jas. O'Brien, secretary Windsor Agricultural Society, writes us: "I do not know anything that has created such an interest in a better class of stock among our members, as the reading of the STOCK JOURNAL. For we now have in this district two imported Hereford bulls, Master Jack and Milton Boy owned by the society, the A. J. C. C. bull Scotia's Eddington, owned by Chas. Haley; the pure-bred Jersey, Earl Rieter and, and two imported Galloways, Kitty's Valentine and Pride of Tarbrooch, owned by Wm. O'Brien, who also owns the pure-bred Clydesdale mare Blackhill Kate, weight 1700 lbs, lately imported from Scotland. She is in foal to St. Nicholas, and is pronounced by competent judges to be the best Clyde mare in the maritime provinces."

Mr. F. A. Fleming of the Park, Weston, seems to have been very fortunate with his calves this winter. In a letter to us just received he says: "I have raised since fall twenty-three calves from twenty-three cows and heifers; the only loss was the death of one calf at time of calving, but as the cow dropped twins the average of one live calf to each cow calving was kept up. Out of these 23 calves there are only 7 bulls, leaving 16 heifers. All these calves are doing remarkably well, in fact I never had a better lot of young things looking and doing so well at this time of the year. I have sold this month to a gentleman from London, 16 very nice young animals to take out to his ranch in Montana, 2 of them being bulls and 14 heifers, all of my own breeding. I have still a few choice young bulls left, and expect to sell all I can spare before long. I am receiving numerous letters enquiring about Herefords."

G. S. Benson, Cardinal, Ont., under date 27th March, writes as follows: "Our stock has come through the winter very well this year and most of the animals look in far better condition than last spring. This is no doubt owing partly to the unusually open winter that we had down East this year, and the absence of the usual extremely cold weather. Feed is scarce in our neighborhood, especially hay. Our own crop was light and we had not much to spare, but we raised an excellent crop of turnips, and this, with our usual supply of ensilage, has given us lots of feed. I should like to call attention to my notice of our Shorthorn sale on page —, and trust that we shall not be entirely forgotten on the 1st of May, although we are a little further east than most breeders. Cardinal is, however, not at all an out-of-the-way place to get to and contains two very fair hotels. Moreover, I shall be delighted to try and accommodate as many visitors as I can in our own house."

Jerseys.

On another page Mr. John Fennell, of Berlin, Ont., offers for sale or exchange a pure bred Jersey bull, Canada First No. 16999. A. J. C. C. He was sired by the celebrated Canada John Bull, and out of a daughter of Faith of Oaklands. The latter has an official test of 17 lbs. 4 ozs., and the sire's dam, Nymph of St. Lambert, that tested 24 lbs. 24 ozs. in one week.

Ayrshires.

Mr. Thos. Guy, of Sydenham Farm, Oshawa, Ont., reports the following sales, viz. "To Mr. Geo. Steele of Glenboro, Man., the following Ayrshires: two young cows, Lady Wallace and Star, both in calf, four two-year-old heifers all in calf, and the yearling bull Northern Hero. Also to Mrs. Amelia Teffe, N. Y., the first prize bull calf, Prince of Sydenham, all at satisfactory prices."

Holsteins.

John Ferguson, of Wyoming P. O., Ont., is of the opinion that Holsteins are the *dux qua non*, and has followed out his idea by investing largely in this valuable dairy breed. His stock bull is Promiss, out of good milking strains. He lately imported a cow, Aggie, that is thought highly of by all who have seen her. He also purchased from Mr. Millman, of Woodstock, an imported French Coach Horse, Sir Edwin.

The Wyton Stock Farm (W. B. Scatcherd, Wyton, Ont.), is now stocked with 66 head of Holstein cattle, which originated all from imported stock. Their foundation consisted of 24 head of females and 3 males, imported in 1883. The males are Sir James of Aggie Moore, Hartog 3rd and Konig Nicholas. They have the pure Aggie strain on both sides, which are far and wide noted for their milk and butter producing qualities. They are now preparing for their 5th semi-annual sale on the 19th of April, and we are sure that they will meet with every encouragement, judging from the high standard of their past annual sales. They have endeavored to establish a reputation for the holding of first-class sales, and their efforts have met with every success, as attested by past purchasers.

The Bollert Bros., of Cassel, write under date of March 21st: "Our Holsteins are doing very finely this winter, calves are now coming almost every day. The demand for superior animals is constantly increasing, enquiries are coming in with every mail from all parts of Canada, indicating that great interest is taken in this so valuable dairy breed throughout the whole country. We lately sold a pair of extra choice heifers to Mr. C. C. Fry, Bright. One of them is sired by the great prize bull, Jumbo Boy, winner of first prize with 5 of his get at the last Michigan state fair, also winner of 1st prize in class. He is by Jumbo, winner of sweepstakes prize when only 14 months old, against all aces, competition open to all the Netherlands. The other is sired by Lytle, whose dam is a great prize winner in the States. She gave 63½ lbs. of milk in a day as a 2-year-old and her dam,

SHORTHORN BULLS FOR SALE

12 and 14 mos. old, one red, the other roan, sired by (imp.) BARON (5243). For further particulars apply to JOHN CURRIE & SONS, Everton, Ont.

SHORTHORN BULL FOR SALE

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Has taken the following prizes: 1st at London, 1886, 1st at Toronto, 1887, 1st at Kingston, 1888, besides eight firsts at central and local shows. He has never yet been offered anything but a first. For terms and particulars address

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SAMUEL STAPLES, IDA, ONT.

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One dark brown, 13-3 hands, 700 lbs., from T. B. mare and half Arab stallion. One light brown, 13 hands, 600 lbs., from a 4 minute trotting Exmoor pony mare, and a 14½ hands, Phil Sheridan stallion, 2400. Both very kind and nicely broken to saddle. Address,

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Four years old, bred by S. Campbell, Aberdeenshire, Scotland, has been our stock bull for three years, and is now for sale. Oxford is a grand bull, of great substance and good qualities. Warranted to be a sure stock-getter or no sale. Was never beaten in the show ring. Also four of his gets, from 13 to 22 months old. All registered in the D. H. book. They are a good lot of calves; all red in color. For further particulars apply to

SIDNEY BARCLAY & SON,

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Shorthorn Bulls

1 bull, aged 5 years; 1 bull, aged 19 months; 1 bull, aged 14 months; 1 bull, aged 12 months. All of Dom. S. H. B. registry, except the bull aged 19 mos., which is eligible to N. S. H. B.

A. C. BELL,

Troutbrook Farm, New Glasgow, N. S.

SHORTHORN BULLS.

FOR SALE—Four Shorthorn Bulls (Bates) from seven to eighteen months old, sired either by 5th Duke of Holker (imp.) = 1272 = (41687), or Duke of Salisbury (imp.) = 9180 = (53780). Excellent animals of good pedigree and chiefly red. Apply to JOHN IDINGTON, Stratford, Ont.

Meije, won a gold medal in Holland. Mr. J. Sylvester, of Ratho, took the yearling bull Oxford Billy. He is a very fine animal, of the Barrington strain. Mr. L. Lovell, of Wroter, Ont., selected one of our very choicest young bulls, acting on the principle that the best is the cheapest. He is sired by our silver medal bull Barnito, and out of a 2-year-old heifer, winner of 1st prize at our county show, competing against a heifer 6 months older than herself. She is out of our noted cow Sykje, winner of 1st prize in class, and diploma for best female any age, at the Provincial fair, 1885. Huron Co. should feel proud of such energetic men as Mr. Lovell, and of the stock he introduces."

Sheep and Pigs.

"Orders are coming fast for spring pigs of the Ohio imp. C. W. strain" writes Mr. Daniel Decourcy, of Bombala, Ont., "and will have over 100 young pigs to meet the spring trade."

Mr. E. D. George writes us, that the stock notes relating to sales, etc., credited to George & Sons, in our March issue, should have been credited to him. He says that his Chesters are doing well, the youngsters coming strong as usual.

Mr. W. J. Aikins, of Hilversum Farm, Cannington Manor, Assa, N. W. T., writes to make a correction of our notice of the importation recently made by him for the same, as detailed in our Feb. issue, page 50. Mr. Boissrain, the enterprising proprietor, manages the farm himself. The journey from the station to the farm occupied three days, not one as stated in our notice.

Mr. Henry Arkell, Arkell, Ont., writes us. "My stock are all doing well. I have made some good sales, quite a number going to the U. S. I have a splendid lot of young rams and ewes for the coming season of both Oxford Down and Cotswold, and am having good luck with the lambs and young Berkshires. The Shorthorns are doing well, although there has been great scarcity of hay in our section. I am pleased to see the JOURNAL doing such good work. I have derived a great deal of benefit since its commencement."

Mr. J. C. Snell, Edmonton, Ont., reports a steady demand for first-class Berkshires and Cotswolds, and among recent sales the following: to John Thompson, Uxbridge, boar; A. Young, Princeton, boar; J. S. Ross, Yeovil, boar; N. P. Wood, Kingston, boar; W. Spruile, Westbrook, boar; R. M. Brown, Briden, boar; A. Cochran, Almonte, boar; W. C. Edwards, M. P. Rockland, boar and sow; Ed. Horton, New Dublin, boar; C. S. Smith, Tilsonburg, sow; Isaac Devitt, Florida, boar and sow; W. H. Jacobs, Madison, Wis., 5 sows; 1 boar; E. V. Miller, Morley, Iowa, sow; W. I. Samuels, Bardston, Ky., 2 sows; 1 P. Foster, Hartford, Ky., sow; J. H. Reid, Girard, O., sow; I. H. Newland, Slick Rock, Ky., boar; L. P. Ford, Glasgow, Ky., boar; Bryan & Williams, Westchester, Ind., 1 ram, 4 ewes; 1 Runciman, Orwell, O., 5 rams, 4 ewes; R. H. Lide, Livingston, Ala., boar and sow; J. D. Burch, Aurora, Texas, boar and sow.

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