

The sale then began. Oxford Witch, 12 years old, and four months gone in calf, led off with only 38 guineas. Next came a cow which Mr. Moore bought at Winterfold sale in 1872 for 900 guineas, but which, having proved sterile, realized only 59 guineas now! This was an illustration of the risks of short-horn breeding. But No. 6 afforded a more striking example the other way. Grand Duchess of Oxford Eleventh, a glorious red cow, a perfect Oxford, calved in 1867, was bought by Mr. Moore last year, from the Duke of Devonshire, for 1000 guineas. Yesterday Sir Curtis Lampson secured her for 2000 guineas, and her calf, two months and a half old, was bought for the Duke of Devonshire for 1000 guineas! We annex the results of the sale, and therefore need not particularise them here, further than to say that they must be very satisfactory to Mr. Moore. Men of experience say it is the best sale yet held; the Wild eyes and Kirklevington tribes made more money even than at Dunmore.

The 27 cows and heifers in the catalogue realised close on 9800 guineas, or an average of about 326 guineas each. The seven young bulls brought 223 guineas.

We append the return:—

COWS AND HEIFERS.

Lot.	Gs.
1. Oxford Witch, red and white, calved January 9, 1863,—sire Imperial Oxford 18084, dam Lancashire Witch by John O'Gaunt 16322—Mr. Kitchen	38
2. Maid of Oxford 5th, roan, calved August 30, 1865—sire Seventh Duke of Airdrie 23718, dam Oxford 20th by Marquis of Carrabas 11789—Mr. C. W. Wilson, High Park, Kendal	59
3. Rose Gwynne 4th, roan, calved June 22, 1866—sire Duke of Cumberland 21584—dam Rose Gwynne 2nd by General Jackson 2nd 17954—Professor Lawson, for Nova Scotia, Canada	50
4. Oxford Donna, red, calved August 14, 1866—sire Didmarton Duke 21546, dam Lady Oxford by Imperial Oxford 18084—Mr. Jonathan Rigg, Wrotham Hill, Kent	72
5. Rose Gwynne 5th, roan, calved June 7, 1867—sire Fair Lad 23905, dam Rose Gwynne 2nd by General Jackson 2nd 17954—Mr. Kitchen	43
6. Grand Duchess of Oxford 11th, red, calved July 6, 1867—sire Grand Duke 10th 21848—dam Grand Duchess of Oxford 5th by Priam 18567—Sir Curtis Lampson, Rawfoot, Crawley, Sussex	2000
7. Duchess, red, calved November 1, 1868—sire Fifteenth Grand Duke 21852, dam Countess by Knightley Grand Duke 24268—Mr. Rigg	375
8. Rarity 3rd, roan, calved January 12, 1869—sire Costa 21487, dam Ruby by Lord of the Harem 16430—Mr. Rigg	225
Calf by lot 8 (not in catalogue)—Mr. Wilson, High Park, Kendal	11
9. Sweetheart 31st, roan, calved June 6, 1869—sire Patrician 24728, dam Sweetheart 10th by The Baron 13833—Mr. C. Barnes, Soulsbridge, Hertfordshire	55

Lot.	Gs.
10. Flighty Gwynne, roan, calved February 2, 1870—sire Grand Duke of Lighburne 26290, dam Fairy Gwynne by Fifth Grand Duke 19875—Mr. Rigg	400
11. Wild Maid, red, calved November 5, 1870—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Grand Duchess 6th by Duke of Geneva 19614—Sir R. C. Musgrave, Edenhall	450
12. Fantail 6th, roan, calved January 3, 1871—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Fantail 5th by Royal Cambridge 25009—Mr. Ashburner	310
13. Siddington 9th, roan, calved March 22, 1871—sire Second Duke of Tregunter 26022, dam Siddington 2nd by Fourth Duke of Oxford 11387—Rev. P. Graham, Turncroft, Lancashire	850
14. Graceful Duchess, roan, calved January 23, 1872—sire Baron Oxford 4th 25580, dam Duchess lot 7, by Fifteenth Grand Duke 21852—Sir W. Lawson	500
15. Polly Vaughan, roan, calved January 30, 1872—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Rose Gwynne 4th lot 3, by Duke of Cumberland 21584—Professor Lawson	51
16. Oxford Lass, red, calved April 24, 1872—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Oxford Witch lot 1, by Imperial Oxford 18084—Major Thompson, Milton Hall	50
17. Fickle Gwynne, red and white, calved May 10, 1872—sire Nineteenth Duke of Oxford 28431, dam Flighty Gwynne lot 10, by Grand Duke of Lighburne 26290—Mr. Robert Spencer, Pleasington, near Blackburn	54
18. Lady Worcester, 10th, red, calved July 18, 1872—sire Eighth Duke of Geneva 28390, dam Lady Worcester 2nd by Charleston 21400—Mr. Beauford, Northamptonshire	760
19. Lally 16th, white, calved September 9, 1872—sire Third Duke of Claro 23729, dam Lally 9th by Seventh Duke of York 17754—Mr. H. W. Beauford	470
20. Sweet Lips, red and white, calved September 17, 1872—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Sweetheart 31st, lot 9, by Patrician 24728—Mr. W. H. Brown, Shropshire	155
21. Red Duchess, red, calved July 9, 1873—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Duchess lot 7, by Fifteenth Grand Duke 21852—Mr. Wraith, Lancashire	300
22. Lily Gwynne, white, calved July 5, 1874—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Flighty Gwynne lot 10, by Grand Duke of Lighburne 26290—Earl of Bective, Underley Hall	515
23. Oxford Queen, red, calved November 8, 1874—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Oxford Donna lot 4, by Didmarton Duke 21546—Mr. John Hope, Canada	71

Lot.	Gs.
24. Baroness Laly, roan, calved April 11, 1875—sire Sixth Baron Oxford, dam Lally 10th, lot 19, by Third Duke of Claro 23729—Mr. William Ashburner, Nether Houses, near Ulverston	315
25. Roan Duchess, roan, calved May 16 1875—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Duchess lot 7, by Fifteenth Grand Duke 21852—Mr. Holford, Papillon, Leicester-shire	320
26. Grand Duchess of Oxford 31st, red and white, calved June 20, 1875—sire Fifth Duke of Wetherby 31033, dam Grand Duchess of Oxford 11th lot 6, by 10th Grand Duke 21848—Duke of Devonshire, Holker Hall	1000
27. Lady Mild Eyes, roan, calved July 8, 1875—sire Eighth Duke of York 28480, dam Lady Worcester 10th lot 18, by 8th Duke of Geneva 28390—Mr. Holford, Papillon	285
Ripe Strawberry, white heifer (not in catalogue)—Mr. Jefferson, Prestor Howe	34

BULLS.

28. Gwynne of the Forest, roan calved August 22, 1873—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Flighty Gwynne lot 10, by Grand Duke of Lighburne 26290—Professor Lawson, for Nova Scotia	40
29. Viscount Oxford, roan, calved August 21, 1874—sire Sixth Baron Oxford, dam Graceful Duchess lot 14, by Baron Oxford 4th 25580—Professor Lawson	50
30. Skiddlaw, roan, calved January 17, 1875—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Sweetheart 31st lot 9, by Patrician 24728—Professor Lawson	40
31. Lord Vaughan 3rd, roan, calved April 4th, 1875—sire Seventeenth Duke of Oxford 25994, dam Rose Gwynn 4th lot 3, by Duke of Cumberland 21584—Mr. Howard Grey-stoke	40
32. Oxford Fantail, roan, calved April 7, 1875—sire Twenty-second Duke of Oxford 31000, dam Fantail 6th lot 12, by 17th Duke of Oxford 25994—Mr. Hewson, Micklethwaite	28
33. Lord Vaughan 4th, roan, calved July 15, 1875—sire Cambridge Duke 28120, dam Polly Vaughan lot 15, by 17th Duke of Oxford 25994—Mr. Robert Blaimre, Close, Bolton	9
34. Star of the West, red and white, calved June 20, 1873—sire Eighth Duke of York 28480, dam Sweet Lips lot 20, by 17th Duke of Oxford 25994—Mr. Thomlinson, Crook-dale Hall	16

THE River John Agricultural Society, County of Pictou, not having been in very active existence at the time when the subscriptions to the Provincial Exhibition of 1874 were being collected, omitted to contribute to the Prize Fund. We are pleased, however, to see a sign of reviving