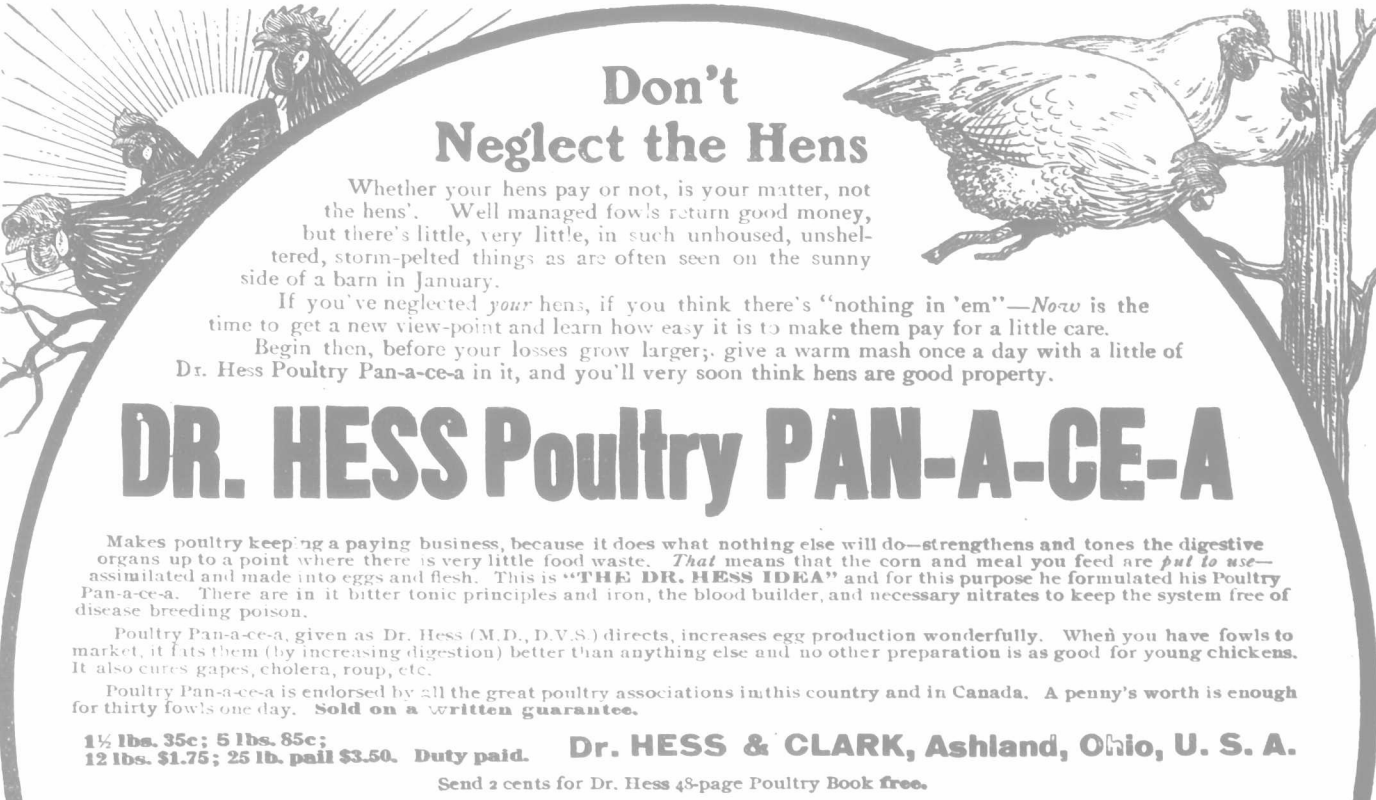


GOSSIP.

A deputation from the Galt Horse Show waited on Miss K. L. Wilks, Cruickston Park Farm, the other day and presented her with a beautifully-illuminated address testifying appreciation of that lady's great services to the horse-breeding industry of Canada. It praises her liberality and discrimination in stock purchased, and congratulates her on the signal successes at recent great horse shows. Miss Wilks gracefully acknowledged the tribute.

THE GREAT SHORTHORN SALE.

The following notes will give a limited idea of the high-class character of the breeding of the Shorthorns to be sold at the Union Stock-yards, West Toronto, on Thursday, February 4th, by the Millers, Arthur Johnson and David Birrell, in all 23 females and 8 bulls. From the herd of Miller Bros., Brougham, there will be two bulls, one a 10-months-old Lady Ann, by Uppermill Omega (imp.); the other a roan 14-months-old Campbell Mina, by Mistletoe Eclipse. Of the four females from this herd, one is a roan 3-year-old Campbell Mina, by Imp. Precious Stone. This cow has a roan bull calf at foot. Another is a red 11-months-old, by Uppermill Omega (imp.); she belongs to the favorite Village tribe. Another is a red 2-year-old Lady Ann, sire Strathallan's Royal; this is a show heifer. Another is a roan 2-year-old Rose of Autumn, by same sire; this is an essentially high-class show heifer, was never shown, but fit to go in any ring. From the herd of Robert Miller is the grand champion female at Toronto last fall, Pleasant Valley Jilt, a red 2-year-old Jilt, by the Toronto grand champion bull, Old Lancaster (imp.). This is certainly one of the best heifers on the continent, and promises to capture the grand championship of America this year. Another is a red yearling, Rose of Strathallan, by Heatherman. From the herd of John Miller, jr., are some grand thick things, put up on show lines. They are: In bulls, one red 15-months-old Victoria Royal, by Village Secret; this is something extra good. In females there is a red 3-year-old Roseberry, by Prince Gloster. She has a bull calf at foot. Another is a roan Golden Drop, 15 months old, by Rosebud Champion, a very choice heifer. Another is a roan 5-months-old, out of same dam, and by Royal Clare, will make a show heifer. Another is a red 11-months-old Bessie, by Lancaster Champion. Another is a red 2-year-old Ruby, by Golden Carol. Another is a red Missie senior yearling, by Rosebud Champion. Another is a red 2-year-old Bessie, by Village Secret; she has a heifer calf at foot. Another is a roan 17-months-old Lady Madge, by Lancaster Champion. Another is a roan yearling, Village-bred, by Glamis Duke. From the herd of Arthur Johnson are: In bulls, a red 18-months-old Lavender, by Lancaster Champion, a thick, good sort. Another is a white 2-year-old Missie, by Imp. Butterfly. Another is a red 3-year-old of the noted Lindy tribe, and sired by Imp. Cyclone; this bull won third prize at Toronto last fall. From this herd in females are a roan 3-year-old Wedding Gift, by Imp. Scottish Hero. Another is a red 16-months-old Lady Eden, by Imp. Choice Coral. Another is a red 7-months-old Lavender, by Royal Clare. From the herd of David Birrell, in bulls, there is a roan 11-months-old C. Battersby, by Imp. Royal Prince. Another is a red 11-months-old Duchess of Gloster, by same sire; here is a pair of herd-leaders. In females there is a red 2-year-old Crimson Flower, by same sire; a red 4-year-old Crimson Flower, by Imp. Blue Ribbon; a red 2-year-old Duchess of Gloster, by Royal Prince, a roan 2-year-old, by Butterfly, by same sire. From the herd of John Miller, Brougham, a roan yearling, Village-bred heifer, by Mistletoe Eclipse, the whole making an offering of high-class cattle, of choice breeding and in excellent condition, including a number of showing quality cows, will not disappoint visitors to the sale. All animals sold to go to the United States will be recorded in the American Herdbook. This sale will commence at 10 a. m. on Thursday, February 4th, as advertised.



Don't Neglect the Hens

Whether your hens pay or not, is your matter, not the hens'. Well managed fowls return good money, but there's little, very little, in such unhusbanded, unsheltered, storm-pelted things as are often seen on the sunny side of a barn in January.

If you've neglected your hens, if you think there's "nothing in 'em"—Now is the time to get a new view-point and learn how easy it is to make them pay for a little care.

Begin then, before your losses grow larger; give a warm mash once a day with a little of Dr. Hess Poultry Pan-a-ce-a in it, and you'll very soon think hens are good property.

DR. HESS Poultry PAN-A-CE-A

Makes poultry keeping a paying business, because it does what nothing else will do—strengthens and tones the digestive organs up to a point where there is very little food waste. That means that the corn and meal you feed are put to use—assimilated and made into eggs and flesh. This is "THE DR. HESS IDEA" and for this purpose he formulated his Poultry Pan-a-ce-a. There are in it bitter tonic principles and iron, the blood builder, and necessary nitrates to keep the system free of disease breeding poison.

Poultry Pan-a-ce-a, given as Dr. Hess (M.D., D.V.S.) directs, increases egg production wonderfully. When you have fowls to market, it fits them (by increasing digestion) better than anything else and no other preparation is as good for young chickens. It also cures gapes, cholera, roup, etc.

Poultry Pan-a-ce-a is endorsed by all the great poultry associations in this country and in Canada. A penny's worth is enough for thirty fowls one day. Sold on a written guarantee.

1½ lbs. 35c; 5 lbs. 85c; 12 lbs. \$1.75; 25 lb. \$3.50. Duty paid. Dr. HESS & CLARK, Ashland, Ohio, U. S. A.

Send 2 cents for Dr. Hess 48-page Poultry Book free.

DR. HESS STOCK FOOD Here is the prescription stockmen need to prevent indigestion and loss of appetite in animals. Digestive disorders are a common trouble when feeding for market, because animal organs are not strong enough to bear unaided the heavy strain put on them by double rations. This is "The Dr. Hess Idea." He believed it possible to give a tonic that would maintain digestion at a maximum performance, which of course means a steady gain every day. Thousands know by experience that this is so. The best medical men in the country endorse Dr. Hess Stock Food and it is sold on a written guarantee. The dose of Dr. Hess Stock Food is small and fed but twice a day. **100 lbs. \$7.00; 25 lb. \$2.00.** Smaller quantities at a slight advance. Duty paid. Send 2 cents for Dr. Hess Stock Book, Free.

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Advertisements will be inserted under this heading, such as Farm Properties, Help and Situations Wanted, and Pet Stock. **TERMS**—Three cents per word each insertion. Each initial counts for one word and figures for two words. Names and addresses are counted. Cash must always accompany the order. No advertisement inserted for less than 50 cents.

CHOICE farm for sale, County of Welland, 117 acres; 25 acres in bush. Brick house (eleven rooms) and outbuildings in good condition. Well watered. Possession arranged. A bargain. R. F. Argles & Co., 6 King St., West, Toronto.

CHATHAM Cuban Land Co., Ltd. (Dept. C), Chatham, Ont., have 4,000 acres of Cuba's choicest pasture, fruit and grain land at very moderate prices. Government guaranteed. Perfect climate, free from frost or excessive heat. Many opportunities for any ambitious man. A rare chance at your very door. Ask for free illustrated prospectus.

ENERGETIC man wants situation with farmer. Address: Box 75, Cedar Springs, Ont.

FARMS FOR SALE—50 acres; 8 miles to London market; good buildings. 25 acres; 3 miles to London market; good buildings; good garden land. 5 acres; 1 mile to London market; 10 minutes' walk to street cars; a fine home. 10 acres; 1 mile from London market. 100 acres; 4 miles from London market. 150 acres; 6 miles from London market. 40 acres; market garden; 3 miles from London. 320 acres of land near City of Moose Jaw, N. W. T.; lovely house and bank barn; good water; 5½ miles from Town of Luskford; no better section; well settled; will exchange for small farm in Middlesex. 100 acres, County of Lambton, Township of Inniskillen; good buildings; good land. If in want of a farm, large or small, we can suit you. Apply: London Real Estate Exchange, Room 12, Green Swift Building. Auction sales promptly attended to. J. A. Lawson, Auctioneer.

FOR SALE—Three-horse Bell tread power. Nearly new. Will sell cheap. Apply: Carpenter Bros., Fruitland, Ont.

RESPONSIBLE agents wanted for unallotted territory. Complete line of all No. 9 woven and coiled wire fencing, gates and fire escapes. National Wire Fence Co., Prescott, Ont., Hamilton, Ont.

TELEGRAPHY and Railroad Work quickly and thoroughly taught on railroad main-line wires. Railroad co-operation and thorough office training insures positions. Write F. E. Osborn, Melson's Bank Bldg., London, before closing with any school.

WANTED, about May 1st, a first-class farm hand. One thoroughly competent to care for prize horses, and accustomed to the care of a station. No other need apply. J. H. M. Parker, Willowdale Stock Farm, Lennoxville, Que.

WANTED—First-class stockman and general man by the year. Would prefer man and wife without children, and engage both. Good place to live well. All advantages. Apply: Thos. L. Roberts, Lynedoch, Ont.

WANTED Hard maple logs, 22 inches and over diameter small end, 10 to 16 feet long. Will inspect, pay cash at railway track. Bradley Company, Hamilton, Ont.

WANTED A DELHI TANNERY Hides, Skins and Furs to tan for Robes, Coats and Gaiters Mitts, etc. Tanned soft and pliable. Never set hard. B. F. BELL, DELHI, ONTARIO

PRICE OF FARM BOOK.

Attention is called to an error in our price-list of agricultural books offered for cash, or as premiums for new subscribers, appearing on the inside page of back cover of "The Farmer's Advocate" up to January 14th, the price of the book "Feeding Farm Animals," by Shaw, being quoted at \$1.35, which should read \$2.00.



Woodview Revelation.

First-prize Barred Rock cockerel, Jamestown Exposition, 1907; male in the first-prize breeding pen, Madison Square Garden, New York, 1907; first-prize cock, Toronto, 1908. Owned by John Pringle, London, Ont.

Mr. F. W. Scott, Highgate, Ont., writes: We have recently sold the following Shorthorns: To Wood Bros., Laingbank, the grand bull calf, Clan Campbell, sired by Lord Lieutenant (imp.); dam Jean Campbell, by Scotland Yet. To John D. McNeil, Button, the grand roan yearling bull, Roan Chief —39826—, by Lord Lieutenant (imp.); dam Cloris 4th (imp.). To John F. Stuart, Comber, the two-year-old heifer, Cloris A., by Favorite (imp.); dam Cloris 4th (imp.). To John F. Mitchell, Burlington, Missie Rose, nine months old; a good one, that will make a show heifer hard to beat. We still have some very choice, low-set, heavy, one, two and three year old heifers for sale. We also have four good young bulls on hand, all sired by Lord Lieutenant (imp.), and from good milking dams, that we will price reasonable, considering quality and breeding.



POULTRY AND EGGS Condensed advertisements will be inserted under this heading at two cents per word each insertion. Each initial counts for one word, and figures for two words. Names and addresses are counted. Cash must always accompany the order for any advertisement under this heading. Parties having good pure-bred poultry and eggs for sale will find plenty of customers by using our advertising columns. No advertisement inserted for less than 30 cents.

BREEDER of high-class Barred Plymouth Rocks. Choice stock for sale at times. Eggs in season. Leslie Kerns, Freeman, Ont.

BUFF Wyandottes for sale. A few choice cockerels at reasonable prices. Charles Hardy, Mandamin, Ont.

COLUMBIAN Wyandottes. Best fowl yet introduced. Also Toulouse geese. Emerson Tufts, Welland, Ont.

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorns, Barred Plymouth Rocks, and Black Minorca cockerels. Eggs for hatching in season. Address: Mrs. C. Day, Highgate, Ont.

MAMMOTH Bronze turkeys, bred from prize-winning stock. Fine heavy birds. Good plumage. Francis Docker, Dunnville, Ont.

MAMMOTH Bronze turkeys. Show birds. Bred from prize-winning heavyweight stock. Young toms 22 to 27 lbs. Pairs not akin. R. G. Rose, Glenworth, Ont.

OVER 400 Bronze turkeys have been shown at Guelph Winter Fair the past nine years by 25 exhibitors. I was awarded 30 first prizes, leaving only 24 firsts for the other 24 exhibitors. I have furnished first-prize winners at Dominion Exhibition (Calgary), Manitoba Poultry Show (Neepawa), and Winnipeg Poultry Show the past year, besides winners at Madison Square Garden, N. Y., and largest shows in Indiana. Choice stock for sale—all ages—at moderate prices, considering quality. W. J. Bell, Angus, Ont.

TOULOUSE geese, two dollars each. R. I. Reds, one dollar each. Emerson Tufts, Welland, Ont.

WHITE Leghorns—For sale: A number of cockerels, show birds; also some very choice pullets. Robt. Hughes, Collingwood, Ont.

WHITE Plymouth Rock cockerels. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. J. R. Dods, Alton, Ont.

Canada's Champion Barred Plymouth Rocks.

At Toronto, 1908, we won 1st, 2nd and 5th cock birds; 1st, 2nd and 5th hens; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th cockerels; 1st, 2nd and 3rd pullets. Two silver challenge cups. Our birds scored 39 points, all others shown only 21 points. One hundred cockerels from our best matings for sale at \$5 each. One hundred pullets \$2 each. Twenty hens \$2 each.

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A certain father who is fond of putting his boys through natural history examinations is often surprised by their mental agility. He recently asked them to tell him "what animal is satisfied with the least nourishment." "The moth!" one of them shouted confidently. "It eats nothing but holes."