THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE.

GOSSIP.

A teacher of a class was disturbed by giggling among certain boys, and called upon one of the culprits to tell him, the cause. " Please, sir," responded the lad, "Turner says he knows of a baby who

was fed on elephant's milk and gained ten pounds a day." "Turner," said the teacher sternly, "you should not tell lies." "But it's true, sir!" rejoined the pupil. "Whose baby was it?" The elephant's, sir," replied the lad.

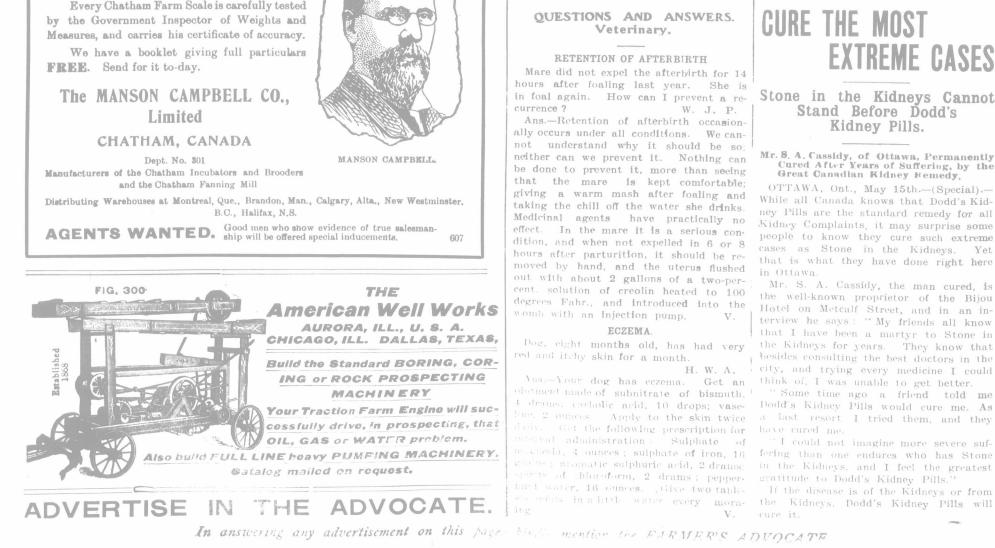
During the period from April 14th to April 16th, 1905, records of eighty-two Holstein-Friesian cows were confirmed by the American Advanced Registry. Seventy-eight made seven-day records that averaged as follows :- Twenty-seven full-age cows: age, 7 years 3 months 19 days; days from calving, 25; milk, 439.1 lbs., quality 3.35; fat, 14.650 lbs. Thirteen four-year-olds : age, 4 years 6 months 5 days; days from calving, 20; nálk, 421.8 lbs., quality 3.39; fat, 14.302 lbs. Thirteen three-year-olds : age, 3 years 6 months 3 days; days trom calving, 33; milk, 378.2 lbs., quality 3.63; fat, 13.644 lbs. Twentyfive classed as two-year-olds : age, 2 years 1 month 18 days; days from calving, 25; milk, 296.7 lbs., quality rich, red blood. 3.3; fat, 9.783 lbs. The cow making the largest seven-day record in the fullage class was 5 years 5 months 2 days 3.88; fat, 18.779 lbs. The cow making the second in size was 12 years 26 days She produced 479.4 lbs. milk, old. quality 3.78; fat, 18.136 lbs. The cow making the third in size was 6 years 4 lbs. milk, quality 4.29; fat, 18.085 lbs.

A good anecdote is related of a young minister who was supplying the pulpit of the Wrentham Congregational Church during the absence of its pastor, the Rev. Elisha Fisk, better known as "Priest Fisk," whose pastorate in this church are on every box. covered a period of 56 years.

Upon . opening the Bible, the young minister came across the following notice, which he read : "Mr. Libbius Porter desires the prayers of the congregation, that his loss may be sanctified for his good."

Signs of repressed merriment appeared through the congregation, but the cause was a complete mystery to the young minister, who, upon arriving at the home of Mr. Fisk for lunch, inquired of Mrs. Fisk the cause of the unseemly hilarity. She informed him that he had read an

old notice used by her husband as a book-mark. It had been presented by Mr. Porter a year or two before upon the death of his third wife. Mr. Porter, with his fourth bride, sat in the congre-



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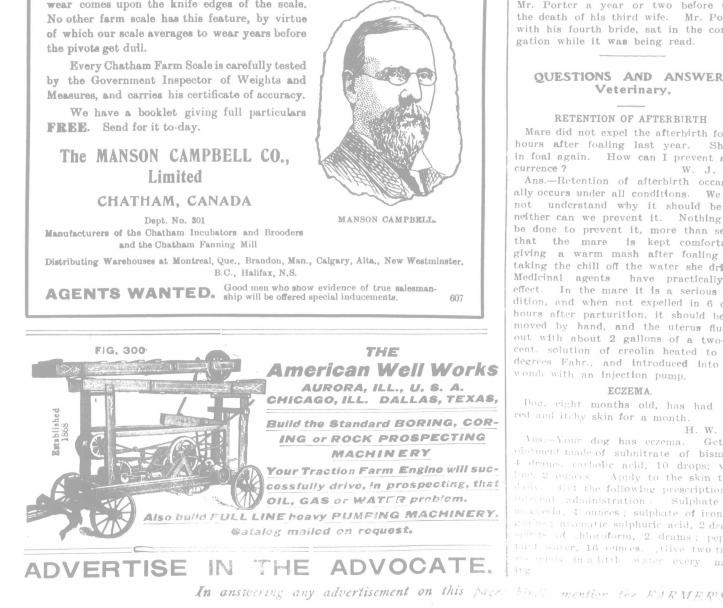
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