GOSSIP.

PINE GROVE YORKSHIRES.

The wide renown of excellence, honors won, of the Pine Grove herd of Large English Yorkshire swine, the property of Jos. Featherston & Son, of Streetsville, Ont., has created so great a demand for breeding stock from practically all over Canada, that the firm has been compelled to very largely increase the number of brood sows, and have now in breeding no less than twenty-six, the whole making an aggregation of breeding sows the equal of any lot that could probably be found on any one farm in any country. Ten of these will tip the scales at 700 lbs. each, the balance, which are younger, will average about 425 lbs. each. This, coupled with their ideality of type, and smooth, choice quality, make them an exceptionally high-class lot, many of them being Toronto, London, Ottawa and Guelph winners. These great sows, bred to the firm's quartette of prizewinning stock boars, are the kind of stock from which the young things are being bred that go to fill the orders received from the far East to the far West, as well as from the United States. The many years in which the Messrs. Featherston have been importing and breeding Yorkshires, and the enormous trade worked up, held, and continually added to, is certainly the strongest kind of testimonial of straight, legitimate dealing and honest representation. On hand are a very large number of youngsters of both sexes, up to three months of age, for which orders are now being booked.

OAKLAND SHORTHORNS.

In the county of Huron, 1½ miles from the town of Hensall, G. T. R., is the splendidly-equipped stock farm, Oakland, the property of John Elder & Son, breeders of dual-purpose Shorthorn cattle. The appointments on this grand farm are essentially the production of Mr. Elder, the stables being a model for convenience, light, sanitation, ventilation and comfort, and are well worth a visit by anyone contemplating the building or remodelling of a stable. The herd is a large one, and one of the best in the noted Shorthorn county of Huron, the major part of them belonging to that great dual-purpose strain or tribe of Waterloos, the original being Waterloo of Hillsdale =24010=, by Royal Saxon, dam Lady Waterloo of Neidpath, tracing to Lady Waterloo (imp.). They are an extra thick-fleshed tribe, good doers, and many of them heavy milkers. Another tribe represented goes to Lady Jane (imp.), the foundation cow being May Rose, Vol. 20, by Roseville Abbott, dam Mayflower, by Hopewell. Still another strain goes to Young Mary (imp.), the foundation cow being Bessie Bell, Vol. 19, by Prince of Orange. It will thus be seen that the whole herd are bred from what is known and what is becoming more and more popular as dual-purpose cattle, possessing a good thickness of flesh, easy-feeding qualities, and, withal, having a capacity for milk production that would show a profit on the right side of the ledger. The first stock bull was the well-known Duke of Hensall =28601=, a son of the famous bull, Riverside Stamp, dam a descendant of the cow, Imp. Yorkshire Belle, breeding that only intensified the tendency for milk production. The present stock bull is Scotch Grey =72692=, a Lady Ythan, by Golden Emblem, a son of Imp. Golden Drop Victor, dam Lady Jane (imp.), by Count Amaranth, grandam by Clan Alpine. He is a roan cow in type, very thick of flesh, mellow, and is nicking remarkably well with the herd. His predecessor in service was Count Sylvanus =56908=, a Marr Clara, by the Clara-bred bull, Imp. Spicy Count, dam Coronation (imp.). This bull is sire of a large number in the herd over twelve months of age, the present stock bull being sire of all under a year. There are a number of one, two- and three-year-old heifers that are for sale as well as about twelve bulls, from them two years of age, five of the yearlings, the balance under a year. It is not need to be said that, with so large a selection, there must certainly be some nice ones, and there are, level and good depth of rib, nice, even flesh, and bred from big milking cows on that line of breeding, they are as good as can be got in the country, and sold so quick at the prices asked.

Lakeview Holsteins

ARE HEADED BY THESE TWO BULLS:

COUNT HENGERVELD FAYNE DE KOL

PIETERTJE HENGERVELD'S COUNT DE KOL, 16 A. R. O. daughters, including:
De Kol Cream Girl, 30.96 lbs. in one day, 19 lbs. milk in one day, 783 lbs. in seven days, 1,007 lbs. in 30 days.
Francesta Hengerveld De Kol, 3 yrs., 27.75 lbs. butter in seven days.
Blanch Lyons De Kol, 30.2 lbs. butter in seven days; 18 daughters with butter records over 25 lbs. in seven days.

GRACE FAYNE 2nd, 27.51 lbs. butter in seven days, 107.31 in 30 days, dam of:
Grace Fayne 2nd's Hengerveld, world's champion butter cow, 35.55 lbs. butter in seven days.
Grace Fayne 2nd's Girl, 18.48 lbs. butter in seven days.
Sir Fayne Concordia, three A. R. O. daughters, sire A. R. O. son.

DUTCHLAND COLANTHA SIR MONA

COLANTHA JOHANNA LAD, six A. R. O. daughters, including:
Johanna Celeste, 26.05 lbs. at 4 years old.
Edgelake Colantha, 19.54 lbs. at 3 years old.

SARCASTIC LAD, 24 A. R. O. daughters; sire of:
Johanna de Pauline 4th, 25.46 lbs., and eight daughters over 20 lbs. in seven days.

COLANTHA 4th's JOHANNA, world's champion in 30-day and semi-official yearly test; 651.7 lbs. milk and 35.22 lbs. butter in seven days, 2,873.6 lbs. milk and 138.54 lbs. butter in 90 days, 27,432.5 lbs. milk and 1,247.82 lbs. butter in 365 days.

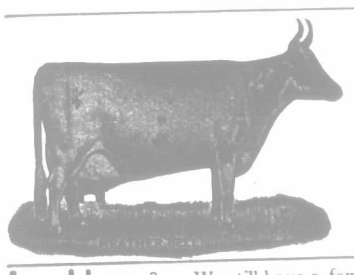
MONA PAULINE DE KOL, 26.93 lbs. butter in seven days, 4% fat; dam of:
Baroness Mona Pauline, 27.25 lbs.
Mona Veeman, 3 years old, 25.37 lbs.
Mona Veeman Pauline, 17.16 lbs.

DE KOL 2nd's PAUL DE KOL KING D, 14 A. R. O. daughters:
Ladoga De Kol Pauline, 30.80.
Mona Pauline De Kol, 26.93.
Idaline Pauline De Kol, 24.79.
Madge De Kol Queen, 24.67.
Ladoga Idaline 2nd, 22.44.
Ladoga Pauline Pieterje De Kol, 22.06.
Sire of Pietertje Madge De Kol Prince, who is the sire of De Kol Queen La Polka 2nd, 35.38.

MONA ARAH, 17.44, dam of a 26-lb. cow and of a 21-lb. cow.

NOTE.—The only three cows that have made 35 lbs. or over come into these pedigrees.

BULL CALVES FOR SALE. **E. F. OSLER, Bronte, Ont.**



BURNSIDE AYRSHIRES!
Fresh importation just landed in quarantine of 60 head. I have the choicest lot of 12 young bulls I have ever imported. From the best herds in Scotland, such as Auchenbrain, Osborne, Netherhall, Bargenoch, Barr of Hobsland, Mitchell of Lochfergus. All fit for service. A number of cows, 3-year-olds, 2-year-olds, and 20 choice yearling heifers. All are for sale.
R. R. Ness, Howick, Que.

Ayrshires and Yorkshires! We still have a few choice individuals of almost any age on hand in Ayrshires, and are always ready to price any. Other breeders in this section. Bull calves from Record of Performance cows. A few young Yorkshires on hand. Long-distance 'phone.
ALEX. HUME & CO., MENIE, ONT.

Ayrshires Bull calves, from 4 months to 9 months, from imported sire and Record of Performance dams. Records 50 to 63 pounds per day.
N. Dyment, R. R. No. 2, Hamilton, Ont.

HILLCREST AYRSHIRES.—Bred for production and large teats. Record of Performance work a specialty. Fifty head to select from. Prices right.
FRANK HARRIS, Mount Elgin, Ont.

Stonehouse Ayrshires 36 head to select from. All imported or out of imported sire and dam. For sale: females of all ages. Am now booking orders for bull calves.
Hector Gordon, Howick, Quebec.

Stockwood Ayrshires Imported and Canadian-bred. High producers and high testers. Females of all ages for sale; also several young bulls, from 8 to 13 months old. Imp. sires and out of imp. dams. Right good ones, and bred from winners.
D. M. Watt, St. Louis Station, Quebec.

We are in the Market for the Best
Holstein Bull
That money will buy to head our herd of over fifty registered females, several of whom are making good in the Record-of-Performance tests. Send description and breeding to: Monro & Lawless, Elmdale Farms, Thorold, Ont.

CRAIGALEA AYRSHIRES have won more money the last four years than all competitors combined. They are heavy producers and high testers; records of production given. Stock of both sexes for sale of show-ring form. H. C. HAMILL, BOX GROVE P. O., ONT. Markham, G. T. R.; Locust Hill, C. P. R. Bell 'phone connection from Markham.

Holstein-Friesians
FAIRVIEW FARM offers young bulls, sired by Pontiac Korndyke and Rag Apple Korndyke, without question the two greatest Korndyke bulls in the world, and out of cows with large A. R. O. records and testing 4% fat. Come and see them or write.
E. H. DOLLAR, Heuvelton, N. Y. Near Prescott.

Centre and Hill View Holsteins
We have added to head our herd a young bull from King Segis, world-record sire, and a 26-lb. 4-year-old dam. Have 2 bulls born in January from Bonheur Statesman. Their grandams have over 21 lbs. butter in 7 days. Also younger ones from good A. R. O. dams. These will be sold right, considering their backing.
P. D. Ede, Oxford Centre, Woodstock Stn.
LONG-DISTANCE TELEPHONE.

HOLSTEINS AND YORKSHIRES
We own the champion two-year-old of the world for yearly production. We own the champion Canadian-bred three-year-old and champion cow in the Record of Merit. We own the sire and dam of champion of the world and the champion three-year-old. We are breeding 30 heifers to this great bull, which are for sale. Also bull calves from high-record cows, and one two-year-old bull, dam's record over 27 pounds butter in 7 days. Trains met by appointment.
D. C. FLATT & SON, Millgrove, Ont. Farm 'phone 2471, Hamilton.
Hamilton Station.

Homewood Holsteins
We will be at Guelph Winter Fair. We will be pleased to meet our customers. We will offer cows, heifers and bull calves from cows of high per cent. fat. Call on us.
M. L. HALEY, M. H. HALEY, Springford, Ont.

Maple Hill Holstein-Friesians
Females all ages. Write for what you want, or come and see them.
G. W. Clemons, St. George, Ont.
Bell Telephone.

High-class Holsteins and Tamworths. [illegible] offering a number of two and three year old heifers, with official records from [illegible] days; also bull calves with rich backing. Tamworth boars from [illegible] sire and dam. A. C. HALLMAN, BRESLAU, ONT.

RIVERSIDE HOLSTEINS
8 choice bulls 6 to 9 months old, sired by Sir Pietertje Posch DeBoer and Prince DeKol Posch; latter is the only son of champion cow, dairy test, Guelph, 1908 and 1909, and out of R. of M. dams.
J. W. Richardson, Caledonia, Ont.
Haldimand Co. Long-distance 'phone.

WOODBINE FARM HOLSTEINS
Offers a number of fine bulls and bull calves, sired by Sir Creamelle, who is a direct decendant in two different lines of the great cow, Duchess Ormsby, 24.44 lbs. butter in 7 days, dam of five daughters with records that average 20 lbs. of butter in 7 days, the greatest producing family of the breed. Write for prices. Telephone connection. Shipping stations: Ayr, C. P. R.; Paris, G. T. R.
A. KENNEDY, AYR, ONTARIO.

The Maples Holstein Herd has still on hand for sale three sons of King Posch DeKol. All choice individuals and fit for service. All from Record-of-Merit dams. Seventeen females in the herd in calf to King Posch DeKol, bred to freshen between September and February. Calves of either sex, from any of these, for sale at reasonable prices.
Walburn Rivers, Folden's, Ont.

Fairmount Holsteins.
Have sold 29 head of cattle the last few months, but must still sell 9 or 10 more to make more room for spring calves. Also have two bull calves left, which will be priced right to quick buyers.
C. R. GIES, Heidelburg, Ont.

Elmwood Holsteins Choicely-bred calves for April and May delivery. Sired by imported Ykema Sir Posch and Pontiac Sarcastic, a grandson of Sarcastic Lad. Registered. Delivered. Express paid. Safe delivery guaranteed.
E. D. GEORGE & SONS, PUTNAM, ONT.

Holstein Cattle—The most profitable dairy breed. Illustrated descriptive booklets free. Holstein-Friesian Ass'n of America. F. L. HOUGHTON, Secy, Box 127, Brattleboro, Vt.

A Rare Chance to Secure a Great Sire.
To avoid inbreeding I must sell my son of Tidy Abbekerk; record, 27.28 lbs. butter. He is 10 years old. Easy to handle, sure, and as good a worker as a yearling. Or I will exchange for one of equal merit and breeding. H. Bollert, Cassel, Ontario.

Evergreen Holsteins For sale: 5 young bulls out of R. O. M. dams, and sired by Sir Mercena Faforit, whose two nearest dams' records average 24.60 lbs. Can also spare a few females. F. E. PETTIT, Burgessville P.O. and Sta. Oxford Co.

Ridgedale Holsteins—I have left three bull calves that will be priced right for quick sale; their dams are heavy producers, and their sire was bred right.
R. W. WALKER, Utica, Ont. 'Phone connection.

Glenwood Stock Farm—Holsteins and Yorkshires. Holsteins all sold out. Have a few young Yorkshire sows, about 2 months old, for sale cheap. True to type and first-class. Bred from imported stock.
Thos. B. Carlaw & Son, Warkworth P.O., Ont.
Campbellford Station.

DON'T Buy a HOLSTEIN BULL till you get my prices on choice goods from eight months down, from best producing strain. "Fairview Stock Farm." FRED ABBOTT, Harrietsville, Ont.

Please Mention Farmer's Advocate.