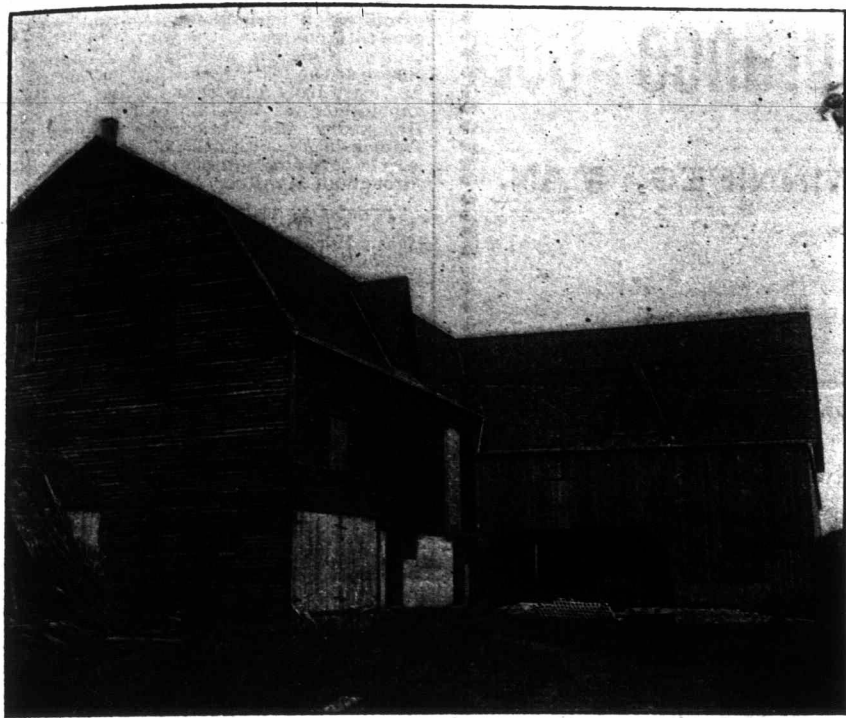


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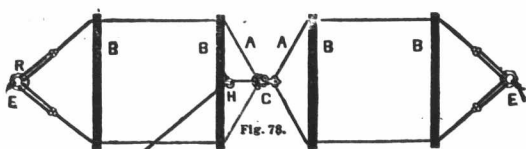
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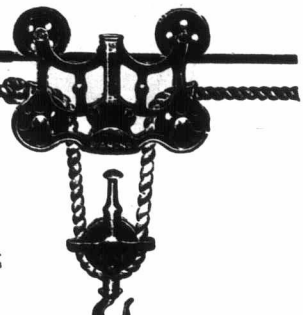
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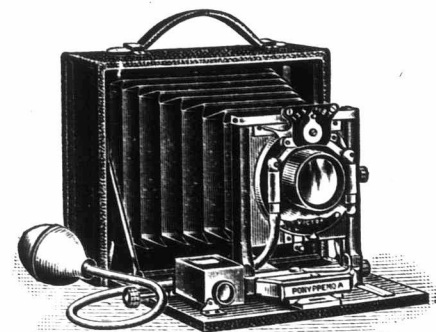


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GOSSIP.

F. Bonnycastle & Sons, Campbellford, Ont., breeders of Shorthorns, Cotswolds and Berkshires, in ordering a change of their advertisement in this issue, offer bull calves, heifers and heifer calves, and young pigs, at reasonable prices. They report their stock looking well, and prospects for business very encouraging.

Mr. E. Dool, Hartington, Ont., breeder of Yorkshire pigs, in ordering a change in his advertisement, writes that he is finding a fair demand, and is better prepared than ever to fill orders with good stock. His imported boar has done well, and his progeny is just the right type for the trade, and with such sires as he and Champion, we can get pigs to please, and can supply pairs not akin.

Mr. Horace N. Crossley, Sandy Bay Farm, Rosseau, Ont., writes:—"Just a line to say that I have sold the three-year-old Shire stallion, Rosseau Royal Albert, whom I imported last summer. The purchaser is Mr. Reid, Medonte Tp. Since being in my possession this horse has won first as two-year-old at the Toronto Industrial in 1898, and first as three-year-old at Canadian Horse Show in 1899. Rosseau Royal Albert has been standing at Orillia, where he has made an excellent season, a large number of mares having to be turned away, as he is too young to take them all this year without injury."

Mr. G. W. Clemons, St. George, Ontario, in ordering a change in his advertisement of Holstein-Friesians, writes:—"Have just recently shipped four nice young Holsteins to Dr. A. Racicot, of Montreal, for his farm in Bagot Co., Que. The bull calf, Lady Akkrum 2nd's Colanthus, one of the best I have ever raised, and three heifers, Mary Mechthilde, Madge Merton 5th, and Inka 5th's Mercedes. I notice that in a stock note in the last issue of the ADVOCATE, when speaking of my young bull, Daisy Teake's King, you say that his half-sister, Daisy Teake's Queen, made 2.62 lbs. butter in one day in Winnipeg test of 1895. This should read 2.62 lbs. of butter-fat. The ADVOCATE had this mistake in the first report of that test, but it was corrected by Mr. Glennie in a subsequent issue. I believe Daisy Teake's Queen is the only four-year-old cow that ever produced 2.62 lbs. fat in a fair-ground test."

W. A. REBURN & CO.'S SALE OF ST. LAMBERT JERSEYS.

When the noted St. Anne's herd of pure St. Lambert Jerseys was sold by auction in 1896, a number of the best were purchased by some of the members of Mr. Reburn's family, and in the summer of 1897 they purchased a farm in Hadley Township, Stansfeld Co. Que., and removed the herd to it. Jolie of St. L. 4th, Jolie of St. L. 3rd, Jolie Queen Vic of St. A. 3rd, Pet of St. L. 3rd, Queen Bess of St. Anne's, Dora of St. Anne's, and six or seven other cows that had won honor upon honor at all the leading fairs in Canada, and competed and won every dairy prize that they had entered for, not only winning over cows of every dairy breed that had won similar prizes in previous years, but scoring away above all former scores and breaking all previous records. These cows that made the old St. Anne's herd famous in days gone by were selected and retained by their present owners to start the foundation of the herd that is now advertised to be sold on the 2nd of August next. Jolie of St. Lambert 3rd's Jolie, who for many years carried off first honors, is with her yearling daughter by Lady Fawn of St. Anne's Son, among the lot; also Jolie's Juno, first at Toronto, London, Ottawa and Quebec; her three daughters and two granddaughters, all grand dairy animals and perfect types of the old St. Lamberts. Queen Vic of St. A. 3rd, a fifty per cent. pure Victor Hugo cow, and her yearling son by Lady Fawn's Son, having over forty-eight per cent. Victor Hugo blood, winner of first honors in his class at Sherbrooke last year, and from all appearance will again win a similar prize. Jolie Fawn, a granddaughter of Lady Fawn and Jolie of St. L., winner of first honors at Montreal and Ottawa (beating the Toronto winner), awarded by that expert judge, Mr. F. S. Peer, has just calved, and her immense udder, which is an exact reproduction of her great-grandmother's, Lady Fawn, proves that the judge had done wisely in placing her twice at the head. Her two daughters, both golden-fawns, show a striking resemblance to their dam. Among the younger cows, an exceptionally fine lot, are Hebe of St. Anne's, a two-year-old daughter of Victor Hugo of St. Anne's, fifty per cent. V. H., and out of a daughter of Romeo of St. Lambert, fifty per cent. Stoke Pogis 3rd, Jolie of St. L. 2nd by Stoke Pogis 3rd, and Jolie of St. L. Hebe won first last fall at Quebec, and her full sister, owned by Mr. R. H. Pope, won first at Sherbrooke in 1897 and 1898, and was sweepstakes female same place. Hebe shows great udder development, and is a heavy milker for one so young. Another two-year-old, a daughter of May Pogis of St. Anne's, she by Lorne 2nd and Jolie of St. L. 2nd, shows great milking qualities, and bids fair to follow the footsteps of her triple great-grandmother, Jolie of St. L. Two first and second prize daughters of Pearl of St. Anne's, a granddaughter of Cheerful of St. L. (a twenty-pound daughter of Stoke Pogis 3rd), and Hebe of St. Lambert, three daughters of Pet of St. L. 3rd and 4th, all sired by Jolie of St. L. 3rd's Son's Pet of St. A. 2nd, a granddaughter of Pet of St. L. and Romeo of St. L., and her two daughters by Jolie of St. L. 3rd's Son.

The present stock bull, Sir Wilfred of St. Anne's, a son of Hebe's Victor Hugo 2nd, who for many years won the sweepstakes and first prize at the leading fairs in Canada, has already won five first and second prizes in strong competition. Sixteen of his daughters, with two exceptions, are solid light golden-fawn, and being out of the above lot of grand dairy cows and prizewinners, ought to sustain the reputation won by their ancestors in the showing and elsewhere.

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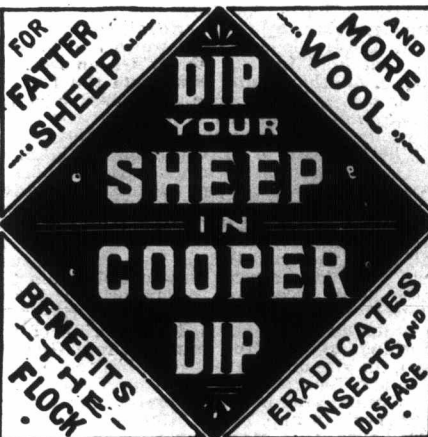
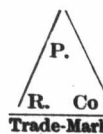


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