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THE FARMERS ADVOCATE.

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TRADE TOPICS.

AN AUCTION SALE OF PURE-BRED ANIMALS, male and female, in lieu of the sale formerly held under the direction of the live-stock associations, will be held at Guelph, on 16th March, 1904, under the auspices of the Guelph Fat Stock Club. Entries will be received until 30th Jan., 1904. Full particulars later. Apply for further particulars to John McCorkindale, Secretary, Guelph P. O., Ont. Advt.

B. C. YEARBOOK.—We beg to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of British Columbia's 1903 Yearbook, by R. E. Gosnell, Secretary Bureau Provincial Information. It is a well-bound volume of nearly four hundred pages, and is the best illustrated yearbook to reach our desk. It is well gotten up in every particular, being full of information from cover to cover, concerning the Pacific Province.

WHAT CATARRH IS.—Catarrh, as defined by Webster, is an inflammatory affection of any mucous membrane, any condition in which there are congestion, swelling, morbid action, or any alteration in the quantity and quality of mucus secreted. To successfully treat catarrh of any part it is necessary to use medicaments which possess the power of allaying inflammation, arresting morbid action and of purifying diseased mucus. Vitæ-Ore, the natural mineral remedy, which has been frequently offered in the columns of this publication on thirty days' trial, is recommended to cure Catarrh of any part of the body, used for the different conditions in the several ways prescribed. It is a natural astringent, immediately allays all inflammation, stops all morbid or irregular action on the membrane, eradicates all catarrhal conditions and places each organ in a natural, healthy condition, so as to faithfully perform its individual function and assists in restoring to a state of perfect health. Read the thirty-day trial offer made by Theo. Noel, Geologist, Toronto, Ont.

GOSSIP.

"Now, then, Charlie, don't you admire my new silk dress?"
Charlie (with emphasis): "Yes, mamma."
Mamma: "And, Charlie, all the silk is provided for us by a poor worm."
Charlie: "Do you mean dad?"

James J. Hill, the railroad magnate, unbends occasionally, and when he does he likes to tell a story of the days when the line with which he was first connected used to be called the slowest road on earth. One day, "Diamond Joe" Reynolds, the Mississippi steamboat man, offered to match one of his boats against one of Hill's trains for \$500 a side. Hill laughed good naturedly, but did not except the challenge. "Say, I'll race you up the stream," urged Reynolds. "Oh, thunder," said Hill, in well-simulated disgust, "If you're going to stick to the river you might as well drop the notion of a race. I thought you meant you'd bring your boat out on the prairie alongside the track and give me some show."

W. J. Bell, Simcoe Co., Ont., writes: "I was pleased to see such a full account of the turkey exhibit at Guelph Winter Fair given in your issue of Jan. 7th, but your reviewer in reporting the Bronze variety says: 'In hens, Bell, of Angus, and Ford & Sons, got first and second.' Now, there are three classes for hens, viz., two-year-old, yearling and young. I won first in every class, and all seconds but one. He says: 'Ford & Sons and Bell were the principal prizetakers in nearly all the Bronze classes.' Is it fair to couple any of the exhibitors of Bronze on an equality with mine, when the fact is I won four of the six firsts offered, and also four of the six seconds offered? Again he says: 'Beattie and McDougall getting some of the red ribbons also.' The latter got no firsts, nor second either, for that matter, and in using 'red ribbons' (plural) in connection with Mr. Beattie's name, he makes another mistake, as no exhibitor, except myself, got more than one first, or more than one second."

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High-class Shorthorn Bulls For Sale

Some Imp. and some from imp. cows, and sired by imp. bulls. Also cows and heifers. New importation came home Dec. 10th.

Arthur Johnston, Greenwood, Ont.

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GOSSIP.

A short distance from Iona Station, Ont., on a beautiful slope, is Prospect Hill Stock Farm, property of J. R. McCallum & Sons, where some sixteen years ago, a small herd of Shorthorns was established, upon which they have been steadily improving. The herd now consists of thirty-five head of the useful sort; the matrons carrying of the blood of such noted Scotch-bred bulls as Indian Chief (imp.), Warfare (imp.) and others. They have a few young bulls by Aberdeen Hero (imp.), but the sire of most of the young things is Royal Duke, of Watt's breeding, by Imp. Royal Sailor. He is still at the head of the herd, but Messrs. McCallum will dispose of him reasonably, as he is related to most of their heifers. Judging from the general make-up of himself and his stock, this bull is a very useful sire, and as he is only four years old, he is qualified to do some other breeder good. We are informed that a full sister of Royal Duke was sold at one of Mr. W. D. Flatt's Chicago sales for \$1,300. Anyone wanting to get blocky, smooth Shorthorns will do well to call upon this firm, or write them for further particulars.

The Linden flock of Oxford Down sheep, property of Mr. R. J. Hine, of Dutton, Ont., recently seen by an "Advocate" representative, number at present 100 head, twenty of the ewes being imported, the balance bred direct from imported stock. A bunch of imported ram lambs, from the Treadwell flock, selected by Mr. Carpenter and Sam Bradburn, that have just reached home from quarantine, are about as thrifty and well-covered a lot, with a superior quality of Oxford wool, as it has been the writer's privilege to notice. These rams may be heard from later. It is needless to say that this flock has won a large share of the prizes offered at the leading exhibitions whenever they competed. Several pens of them were winners in England. Mr. Hine has also a nice herd of twenty head of Shorthorns. Some of the Constance and other good families, topped with Scotch crosses, producing a lengthy, level, smooth, dairy type, that have the appearance of being heavy milkers. Mr. Hine reports his sales of Oxfords, in 1903, as the best in the history of the flock, and attributes this result largely to his little advertisement in the "Farmer's Advocate."

Near Rodney, Ont., it was the pleasure of an "Advocate" man to spend a little while at the farm of Mr. A. D. McGugan, an enterprising breeder of Shorthorns and Lincolns. His Scotch-bred Shorthorns, numbering thirty just now, are in a thrifty condition. The herd is headed by Imp. Aberdeen Hero = 28850 =, a remarkably smooth bull, bred by Mr. A. Watson, of Auchronie, Aberdeenshire, and closely related to Lord Banff (imp.), the \$5,100 bull sold by Mr. W. D. Flatt at Chicago. There are also several imported females in the herd of the Roan Lady, Miss Ramsden, Missie, Mina, Claret and Ury families, a combination of rich breeding. Mr. McGugan has ten heifers in calf to Aberdeen Hero. This bull weighs about a ton now, in good working condition. He has never been shown at the large exhibitions, but has a dozen firsts to his credit in three years at county and local fairs. He has never yet been beaten. Worthy of special mention is a Missie heifer, Lavender Victoria, a dark roan, mellow and blocky, and well covered with hair of good quality; also a Ramsden heifer, by the champion Abbotsford, used for several years in this herd. This heifer is a rich red, blocky, and of nice quality. A young bull of the Roan Lady family, dam Roan Lady 2nd (imp.), is also worthy of mention; in fact, the herd altogether is a real good, useful lot.

The Lincolns are also of high merit. Ten of them being imported from the far-famed flock of Henry Dudding, some of them being winners in England. The Dean flock is also represented in this flock. Having used an imported ram on these ewes, Mr. McGugan has built up a strong, well-covered flock that is being kept in thrifty breeding condition.



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