

the following preamble and resolution were moved and adopted: Whereas, it is desirable and important that all live stock organizations in the United States unite their efforts in all matters calculated to improve the various breeds of domestic animals, and advertise the excellence of the stock bred in America, and whereas, a number of Live Stock Associations have recently appointed Committees to confer with similar Committees, to be appointed by this and other organizations, concerning the feasibility of holding annually a National Live Stock show at some central metropolis, therefore be it resolved, that a Committee consisting of the President and two members of this Association to be selected by him, be appointed to confer with the committee of the National Live Stock organization, in reference to the feasibility of holding the proposed show. It is pleasing to us to inform our readers, through a note from the Secretary of the Association, Mr. J. H. Pickrell, that the President has chosen as one of his associates on this important committee, our friend and interesting contributor, Mr. Richard Gibson, Belvoir Stock Farm, Delaware, Ont. This choice will receive the hearty endorsement of all Canadian Shorthorn breeders, for we know of no one better equipped for such an honorary and important position than Mr. Gibson, who is thoroughly informed on all Shorthorn matters, either present or historical.

Preparing for Winter.—We have called to our attention again the specialties for winter trade in their line as manufactured so largely by the J. B. Armstrong Manufacturing Company, Limited, of Guelph, Canada, for their Canadian trade, and for foreign countries using winter goods. The steel cutter and bob sleigh gears made by this firm are winning their way to popularity amongst the driving public. Prejudices against them, on account of novelty in appearance, are being overcome, this being only a question of time with any line of goods that have genuine advantages to back them. These improved gears have been thoroughly tested now, and all the objections ever offered against them, overcome by their practical usage. The Armstrong Company continue making improvements in these, as in other lines, and will offer only goods that will take care of themselves, and bring further trade when running. We would ask our readers' attention to present advertisements appearing in our columns, and to their monthly changes, calling attention to different specialties, as they will study their own interests watching closely the improvements and new lines offered by this firm. There are thousands of the cutter and bob sleigh gears running now in Canada. The repairs called for these are reported by The Armstrong Co. as simply nil. No complaint from five hundred gears running. This speaks volumes for what they will do under most severe tests. The Armstrong Company are pleased to mail descriptive circulars describing to inquirers. The carriage makers are supplied the goods in the white, and finish for use. Correspondence solicited from sections where these are not represented, and sample jobs wanted running in every town ship in Canada.

Agricultural and Arts Association.—The annual meeting of this Association was held on Dec. 17th, in Toronto, the President, Mr. J. C. Rykert, M.P., in the chair. The following members of the Council were present: Hon. Chas. Drury, Crown Hill; D. McPherson, Lancaster; J. C. Snell, Edmonton; N. Awrey, M.P., Binbrook; Wm. Dawson, Vittoria; Jas. Rowland, M.P., Dunblair; A. Rawlings, Forest; P. R. Palmer, Belleville; R. Vance, Ida; Ira Morgan, Metcalfe; Joshua Legge, Gananoque; and Mr. Wade, the Secretary. Among the resolutions carried were the following:

That the council of the Agricultural and Arts Association, of Ontario, having visited and inspected the handsome new Veterinary College, erected by Dr. Smith, desires to record its pleasure and satisfaction at the wonderful progress made by this institution, which, under the supervision of Dr. Smith has attained a continental reputation as a school of the highest standing. It is a matter of special gratification to the council of the Association, to know that an institution which was inaugurated under its auspices, has been attended with such signal success.

It was also moved by Mr. Morgan, seconded by the Hon. Chas. Drury, and carried:

That this council having heard with deep regret of the death of the late Lionel E. Shipley, who was a member of the board for over twenty years and an ex-president, and took during that time an active interest in the affairs of the association, do now take this opportunity to express our sympathy with his bereaved wife and family.

The members of the council expressed themselves as being in favor of Chicago as a site for the coming World's Fair, and this was embodied in their minutes. It was also decided by the council to drop the educational scheme, owing to the lack of encouragement from those it benefited. The question of awarding some of the grant given the association for the purpose of holding a Fat Stock show, was also decided upon favorably.

Publishers' Column.

Our Holiday Number.—Our Holiday Number, we feel quite sure you will admit, is a good one, but it is only an earnest of what we intend to do this whole year through.

Read the Advertisements.—We venture to say that never before were so many interesting advertisements gathered together in any one issue of any Canadian agricultural paper. We thank our friends for their patronage, and trust their enterprise in advertising may secure them many sales.

Our Space is Enlarged.—The severe crowding our columns have suffered from advertising and other matter has forced us to add eight more pages to our space. We don't mind it, however, if it pleases our patrons.

Our New Subscribers.—With this number of THE JOURNAL our list of readers is extended to thousands who, until now, have been strangers, both to it and to us. We bid you all welcome, new subscribers, and trust you will co-operate with us

Advertisements.

To Advertisers.—Advertisements of an appropriate nature will be inserted in the JOURNAL at the following rates: For a single insertion, 18c. per line, nonpareil (12 lines make one inch); for three months, 15c. per line each insertion; for six months, 12c. per line each insertion; for one year, 10c. per line each insertion. Cards in Breeders' Directory, not exceeding five lines, \$1.50 per line per annum. Copy of advertisements should reach us not later than the 25th of each month (earlier, if possible). If later, it may be in time for insertion, but often too late for proper classification. Transient advertisements payable in advance. No advertisement inserted for less than 75c. Contract broken by in-olveny or otherwise will revert to the casual rate of 18c. per line each insertion. Advertisers desiring to obtain extra copies of the JOURNAL may do so at the following rates: Per dozen, \$1.00; per 100, \$7.50 (in lots of not less than 25). A reasonable number of copies will be sent at these rates to any address supplied by an advertiser, with the advertiser's own advertisement marked, and a notice on the wrapper calling attention to it. In this way the advertiser will be saved the trouble and expense of addressing and mailing.

HORSES FOR SALE.

Champion Clydesdales.

Woodside Farm,
The Home of the Champion Clydesdales of the Province.
"JAMES ARTHUR,"

at the head, sire, McGregor, sire of dam, Prince of Wales (673), Taking 15 first prizes and 5 seconds at the principal shows this fall, beating all prize winners of the Province at the Montreal Exhibition.

All for Sale at Low Prices.

Correspondence and inspection solicited.

ROBERT NESS, Woodside Farm, HOWICK P.O. Que.
Jam.

English Shire Stallions

CHEAP

WE have a few very nice colts left rising two, three, and four years old. We want to sell and as we have facilities for buying in England that cannot be surpassed, we are able to offer stallions and fillies at exceptionally low figures, in part, before Spring. We have first and second prize winners at Buffalo, Toronto, and Hamilton in our stable.

ORMSBY & CHAPMAN,
Springfield-on-the-Credit, Ont.

STATIONS—Streetsville on the C.P.R.
Port Credit on the G.T.R. jats.

GRAND'S REPOSITORY,



12/1/10
ADELAIDE STREET, TORONTO.

We have much pleasure in announcing to our many patrons that our first

Large Special Auction Sale

for 1890 will take place

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, AND THURSDAY,
JANUARY 14th, 15th, and 16th.

When we shall offer upwards of 200 Young Heavy Draught and General Purpose Mares, Geldings, and Stallions. Also several Roadsters, Drivers, and Carriage Horses. This will be one of the most important Sales of the Season.

Entries should be made at once to appear in Catalogue, which will be published in a few days.

Manitoba, Montreal and American Buyers please note the dates. Sale will commence each day prompt at 11.

W. D. GRAND.

Regular Auction Sales of Horses, Sleighs, Carriages, etc., EVERY TUESDAY and FRIDAY throughout the year at 11 o'clock. jam

Always mention the Canadian Live Stock and Farm Journal when corresponding with advertisers.

"Clear Grit" AND "John A"

Two "Clear Grit" Stallions, coming five and four years old for sale. "Clear Grit" took four first prizes and two seconds at the Industrial and Provincial Exhibitions. "John A" took two seconds at same exhibitions.

I have also for sale best Dederick Perpetual Hay Press for Steam or Horse Power, and Three-Ton Hay Scale. All bargains. Address:

JOHN A. MACKENZIE,
Presque Isle P.O., Co. Grey, Ont.

FOR SALE

Clydesdale Stallions Fit For Service.

and Young Stallions of Superior Quality and Breeding.

Mares and Fillies of different ages.

Morgan colt to the celebrated Sire, Little Jack Elliot (3768). I have also for sale or exchange for an animal of equal merit, The Noted Durham Bull

"KOSSUTH"

One of the best bulls in Canada.

A few of his get also offered. Nothing inferior offered. Buyers don't fail to see my stock.

THOS GOOD, Shamrock Avenue Stock Farm,
Richmond P. O. Ont.

Eight miles from Stittville Station, C. P. R.

CLYDESDALE STALLION

I offer for sale the Imported Clydesdale Stallion

12/1/10
RISING SUN (No. 62.)

Sired by Prince Edward of Wales (1255)

Dam by Young Lord Haddo (1368).

Price reasonable. Address

ROBT. BLAIR,

jam.

Almonte, Ont.

TO EXCHANGE.

Thoroughbred Stallion "Jack Frost"

Thoroughbred Holstein-Friesian Bull 18 mos. old

I am prepared to exchange either of the above animals for any other of equal value, either heifers, steers, cows, sheep or pigs. I have no use for either of them any longer. Both guaranteed all right every way.

N.B.—Write at once. This adv't will not appear again.

GEORGE BUNBURY, Suffolk Lodge, Oakville, Ont.

FOR SALE.

Standard Bred Trotting Stallion

WESTERN SPRAGUE 2289

Sired by Governor Sprague, 444 Dam by Allie West, 745.
Record 2:20 1/2 Record 2:25

He is a sure getter and his stock are very promising. Will sell him cheap, and no reasonable offer will be refused.

THOS. J. KELLY,

West McGillivray P.O., Ont.

GEORGE C. STEWART,

Howick, Province Quebec, Canada,

Importer of High Class Pedigreed Stud Horses and Fillies. A large assortment of all ages always on hand, and for sale on most reasonable terms. For more particulars see regular advertisement in Live Stock Journal.

Correspondence solicited and visitors welcomed. jam.



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