

desire to separate or to place in rivalry the 'life and works' of women and of men, let it be understood that our classification is only for convenience, but that our hope is rather in that growing sense of mutual need which is drawing men and women into closer companionship, and is sending them out, not singly, but together, for the help and salvation of the world.

We do not know if this valuable handbook can be purchased, but we believe that wherever there is a public library, several copies should be found upon its shelves, so as to be at the disposal of every loyal son, as well as of every daughter of Canada.

Recipes.

TO PRESERVE HERBS.

Mint, parsley and other herbs may be thus preserved for winter use. Take a good-sized bunch of herbs, wash in cold water, then shake until nearly dry. When the oven is cool, cover the shelves with thick paper, and let the herbs dry on it till crisp. This is best done at night, when the fire is low. It may be necessary to bake several times before they are crisp. When cold, place in wide-mouthed bottles, cork tightly, and store in a dry place.

HOW TO SALT ALMONDS.

Shell and blanch the almonds, spread them out on a bright tin pie-plate, add a piece of butter the size of a hickory nut, and set them in a hot oven until they are of a golden brown hue. Remove them from the oven, stir well, dredge thickly with salt and turn them out to cool.

CARAMEL PUDDING.

One quart milk, 1 cup brown sugar, 4 tablespoons cornstarch. Brown the sugar in a frying pan until it looks like taffy, keep stirring and do not let it burn, put into the milk, and add the cornstarch wet with milk. Put in a mould; when cold turn out, and eat with whipped cream.

GOSSIP.

W. G. PETTIT & SON'S SCOTCH SHORTHORNS.

One of the largest and best herds of Scotch Shorthorns in Canada is that of W. G. Pettit & Son, of Freeman, Ont., close to Burlington Junction, and 8 miles from the city of Hamilton. The private catalogue of the herd, recently issued—a model catalogue, by the way—contains the pedigrees of 94 animals, alphabetically arranged, while recent births run the number in the herd up to over 100 head. Of this number, 54 were imported this year, having been carefully selected personally by the senior member of the firm from reliable Scotch herds of the most approved character. The majority of these are young cows in calf to high-class bulls in Scotland, and their calves, which are coming together with a number of the importation of 1899 still remaining in the herd, make the number of imported animals on the farm in the neighborhood of 75 head, the balance being made up of members of some of the most popular families of Scotch-bred cattle and of deep-milking tribes, topped by high-class Scotch-bred bulls. Mr. Pettit's extended experience, having been a breeder of Shorthorns for over 30 years and acknowledged to be one of the very best judges in the Dominion, enabled him in selecting the importation of this year to secure typical Scotch Shorthorns of the most useful and desirable class, and realizing the pressing need in this country of a good class of young bulls to supply the demand for that sort, he brought out and now shows in good condition over 20 imported bulls, ranging in age from 10 to 15 months, most of which are nice, soft-handling reds and mossy-coated roans of approved breeding and type, being low-set and compact, with strong, well-fleshed backs, deep ribs and flanks, level quarters, and big buttocks and thighs, and standing well on strong legs of the best quality of bone. With the largest number of high-class imported bulls in any one herd in America, the Messrs. Pettit are well prepared for the increasing demand for the right class of sires, though they are in no hurry to dispose of them, as they are daily growing better and worth more money, but they are certainly worth looking after by breeders in need of fresh blood in the best class of individuals. To be properly appreciated they must be seen in the flesh, and we feel safe in saying they will bear inspection and meet any reasonable expectations. The limited space allotted to our stock notes forbids the attempt to give anything like a detailed description of any considerable number of the individual animals, but to give some idea of the class of families represented in the herd and of the sires that have contributed to the personal excellence of the animals, we mention a few of the young bulls, with a brief summary of their breeding.

The oldest bull in the herd is the roan 2-year-old *Prince Cruickshank*, who has been the chief stock bull since last spring, and is a lusty, good-handling bull with grand head and hind quarters, and the character one likes to see in a stock bull. He was bred by Mr. Marr, Cairnbrogie, and sired by Emperor, by the Sittytown Cattle Co., Coldstream; his dam, of the Lovely tribe, by Mr. Duthie's Master of the Mint, with five straight Cruickshank crosses in her pedigree. *Scottish Champion*, calved in October, 1899, is a thick red bull on short legs, well filled in all his parts, and a safe one to tie to for show and stock. He was bred by Mr. Watson, Auchronie, of his excellent Matilda tribe, and sired by Clan Alpine, head of Sittytown, and got by the Braith Red Bull, grand sire, out of a grand daughter of the great old cow, *Princess Royal*, by Champion of England. *Clan Prince*, a rich roan, of the favorite *Kinellar* tribe, and sired by the Duthie-bred *Prince of Arches*, by Scottish Archer, and half brother to the Royal champion, *Maver*, is of the same good quality, lengthy, smooth, and all balanced. *Prince George*, red and a little white, and born in April, 1899, was bred by Mr. Campbell, of Deystone, and though in moderate condition, is lengthy, straight and smooth, and of the *Kinellar* tribe, sired by *Director*, a well-bred *Princess Royal* bull by *Clan Horner*, by

William of Orange, and his dam by Sittytown Sort, of the Braith Red family. *Pure Gold*, a red Braith Red, born in January, 1899, got by Cyprus, of Mr. Duthie's breeding, a Cruickshank Cattle by William of Orange and out of Golden Thought, by the Sittytown-bred Spicy bull, *Steadfast*, a son of the Cruickshank Cattle, per se, *Standard Bearer*, is a lengthy, straight bull with a good head, horn and crops, very deep fore ribs and flanks, and long quarters. *Scotland's Pride*, a rich roan 17-months-old son of the great sire, *Star of Morning*, and of the Cruickshank Cattle, sired by his dam, *Side*, is one of the last calves of the old bull, and is of the same family as his sire, the famous *Pride of Morning*. This is a lean bull, having been in service in the pasture, but he has quality and character, and looks like coming out right, both for a sire and a show bull. *Scottish Hero*, another rich roan, calved in January of this year, and bred by Campbell, of Deystone, is of the *Kinellar* Cattle family, and sired by Count Amaranth, a Duthie-bred bull by Count Arthur, and out of Sittytown Amaranth, by Master of the Realm. He has grand quality, a mossy coat of hair, and will make one to depend on for show or stock. Another *Scottish Hero* is a red 8-months-old son of the Duthie-bred *Scottish Prince*, of the popular *Princess Royal* sort, by Captain Ripley, by William of Orange, and his dam of the Duke of Richmond's Jilt tribe. He is blocky, compact and of approved type. *Scottish Pride*, a red and white, calved last February, another son of *Scottish Prince* and of Mr. Marr's *Uppermill Roan Lady* tribe, is of the same pattern, and promises well. *Spicy Count*, a red Feb. calf, by the Marr-bred *Spicy King*, of the *Uppermill* Golube tribe, and a son of the great William of Orange, is a smooth, even young bull, with nicely laid shoulders, soft handling skin and good quarters and thighs. *Carnforth*, a red 10-months-old son of *Spicy King* and of Carnation, of Mr. Shepherd's Clarks, is one of the most taking young bulls in the importation, being compact and well proportioned, with a strong back and good crops, ribs and thighs. *Clan Fleming*, a red 7-months son of the Sittytown-bred bull, *Clan Alpine*, and of the Matilda tribe, is among the very best ones, being very thick-fleshed, with deep chest, fore flank and underline, and has all the elements of a show bull in him, besides being from a capital breeding family. *Ed. Robert*, a red calf of March last, with three good Duthie-bred bulls on the top of his pedigree, and the Cruickshank Gravesend next below these, is out of a Queen Bess cow, and is a lengthy, straight, smooth young bull, with a good head and long level quarters. His sire, *Fire King*, is out of a daughter of *Star of Morning*, and his dam by Cash Box, a son of *Scottish Archer*.

These are but sample copies of the score of imported bulls, which will be found to be one of the very best lots ever brought to this country. Our space will not admit of even a partial review of the two score and more imported females in the herd, which comprise young cows of similar breeding and a dozen or more capital yearling and 2-year-old heifers in calf, among which are members of such favorite families as the Cruickshank Cattle, *Sever*, *Orange Blossoms*, *Lovelies*, and *Braith Buds*, the *Uppermill* Roan Ladies, the *Kinellar* Cattle, *Urys*, *Miss Ramsdens*, and *Jealousies*, Mr. Manson's Beauties, and many others bred on the same or similar lines, and having for their sires such noted bulls as *Star of Morning*, *Sittytown Prince*, *Clan Alpine*, *Craibstone* and *Prince Horace*, by William of Orange; *Cornerstone*, *Sittytown's Farewell*, *Spicy King*, the Duke of Richmond's New Year's Gift, *Moss-trooper*, *Halfmark*, the Marr *Missie Lord* Hampton, the Duthie-bred *Brave Archer*, *Emancipator*, etc. We need add no more than that the Messrs. Pettit are a thoroughly reliable and trustworthy firm, standing firmly on the solid ground of an unblemished record, and holding a high place in the esteem and regard of the stock breeders of Canada.

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Hints on Health.

A cold bath every morning or a sponging with cold or tepid water, followed by a vigorous rubbing with a crisp bath towel, gives tone to the system and proves a great safeguard against colds. Those who cannot stand a cold bath will benefit greatly by regularly dashing cold water over the chest.

THE CARE OF THE EYES.

There is no field in which what is called "domestic medicine" runs rampant more typically than in attempts to doctor eye troubles, and many are the cases which surgeons see of eye ailments that have been rendered much worse by delay in seeking competent advice and by the use of unsuitable remedies.

People who would not attempt to drive an engine, or to meddle with astronomical apparatus (for the plain reason that they know nothing about either), will, unhesitatingly, doctor themselves and others, and meddle with organs and parts of the structure and ailments of which they are certainly as woefully ignorant as of steam or star-gazing instruments. This is not rational, and it is as irrational to trust oneself to the mercies of a quack who may be as ignorant of medical knowledge as the patient. If anything seems seriously wrong with the eyes, seek the advice of an educated surgeon, instead of doing foolish things prejudicial in the highest degree to the chances of recovering the health of the organs of sight.

To Cure a Stye.—A stye should be bathed very often with warm water; if very painful, use warm poppy-water. On no account rub or irritate the eye. When the stye has broken, smear along the edge of the eyelid an ointment composed of one part of citron and four parts of spermaceti. If the stye is frequently and carefully bathed as soon as it makes its appearance, it will probably disappear without coming to a head.

Dalgely Bros., London, Ont., change their advertisement in this issue, and now refer to a new importation of weighty Clydesdale stallions that have just arrived from Scotland in good form.

D. J. Gibson, Bowmanville, writes: "My Tamworths are in grand shape at present. My offerings in this issue are very choice. Intending purchasers will do well to place their orders at once."

Mr. F. S. Peer, Mt. Morris, N. Y., who makes frequent trips to England, Scotland, and the Islands of Jersey and Guernsey, for the selection and importation of high-class cattle, horses, sheep, and pigs, announces in our advertising columns that he will sail on Nov. 10th, and will be pleased to execute commissions from Canadian breeders. Mr. Peer is a fine judge, especially of light horses, dairy cattle, and sheep; has had much experience and success in bringing out prize-winning stock, and is thoroughly reliable.

A desirable farm in the pleasant and picturesque neighborhood of Compton, in the Province of Quebec, is advertised in this issue of the *Advocate*. It is only 11 miles from the prosperous town of Sherbrooke, and is said to be good farming and grazing land, well watered, while the buildings are ample and nearly new, and provided with such modern conveniences as a water supply and electric light. Look up the advertisement, and apply to the Toronto General Trusts Company for particulars.

NOTICES.

"Greatest Medicine Ever Made."

Maple Creek, Ont., Sept. 14th, 1900.

Lawrence Williams Co., Toronto, Ont.

Enclosed find express order for \$3.00, for which please send me two bottles of Gombault's Caustic Balm. Have been a constant user of this for a number of years, and think it is the greatest medicine ever made. Yours truly, W. A. DOUGLAS.

Brantford Roller-Bearing Windmills.—The Gould, Shapley & Muir Co., Limited, of Brantford, tell us that there is a constantly increasing demand for their popular roller and ball bearing Steel Windmills. The "Steel King" pumping mill and the "Ideal" power mill are the great favorites, and every month this year has shown a healthy increase in sales over last year. In addition to their Canadian trade, covering every province, the Company are making regular shipments to Australia, South Africa, Russia and elsewhere. Practically their whole output is fitted with their roller and ball bearings, which are absolutely and fully guaranteed, and which are thoroughly successful and satisfactory. The Gould, Shapley & Muir Co., Limited, recently obtained authority to increase their capital stock from \$100,000 to \$250,000, and are again enlarging their plant and increasing their output. Like many other Brantford manufacturers, they are enterprising and thoroughly reliable, and well deserve the success they have won.

FOR SALE:

FOUR FIRST-CLASS Stock and Grain Farms,

Close to the City of Guelph and O.A. College, containing, respectively, 70, 100, 124, and 131 acres—all first-class land, and good buildings. Will sell all together or separately.

For particulars, apply to James McNaughten, Gourock, Ont. Wellington Co.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE.

Answers to Sept. 1st Puzzles.

- 1—Stab-ling.
- 2—Moose Jaw, Alberton, Chatham, Dunmore, Kincardine, Norway House.
- 3—Show-bread.
- 4—Seven-even-even.
- 5—Heart.
- 6—A bald head.
- 7—m o n t h
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SOLVERS TO SEPT. 1ST PUZZLES.

"Diana," "Sartor," Mrs. Annie Rodd, "Grace," J. G. McLean, "Ike Icicle."

ADDITIONAL SOLVERS TO AUG. 15TH PUZZLES.

J. G. McLean, "Eneri."

COUSINLY CHAT.

"Eneri." We have from time to time some cousins from Nova Scotia. The very cleverest we had when I contributed, several years ago, was from your Province. I often wonder where Harry Albro Woodworth has gone—do you know him?

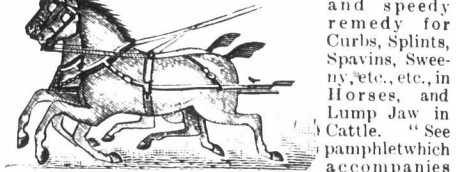
"Sartor."—There has been some mistake; you will certainly receive the book. I expect you will try the new competitions. Cousins all—I hope to be able to continue our little chat, and shall be pleased to deliver short messages from one to another of the chatters. I know of very pleasant and lasting friendships which have sprung from a paper acquaintance. Hurrah for the new contests! Be sure to make it interesting for those who are going to win.

L. B. F.—My letter, in this issue, explains the non-appearance of your puzzles, but perhaps you will try your luck under the new departure.

I am sorry to hear that Nonie Cowan, Pilot Mound, Man., did not receive the badge sent to her months ago. I am sending another, also returning the second lot of stamps she sent. I hope this one will reach you, Nonie. This is the second badge that has gone astray in Manitoba. C. D.

Important to Breeders and Horsemen.

Eureka Veterinary CAUSTIC BALSAM.



A reliable and speedy remedy for Cuts, Splints, Spavins, Sweaty, etc., etc., in Horses, and Lump Jaw in Cattle. See pamphlet which accompanies every bottle, giving scientific treatment in the various diseases. It can be used in every case of veterinary practice where stimulating applications and blisters are prescribed. It has no superior. Every bottle sold is guaranteed to give satisfaction. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Guaranteed remedy for sterility in cows, with full instructions. Price, \$2. Prepared by THE EUREKA VETERINARY MEDICINE COMPANY, London, Ont.

—SALE OF—

Valuable Thoroughbred Holstein Cattle.

THERE WILL BE SOLD by public auction, on Friday, the 5th day of October, 1900, at 1 p. m., on Lot One in the Third Concession of the Township of Yonge, in the County of Leeds, at the late residence of C. M. Keeler, insolvent, his complete herd of thoroughbred Holstein cattle, all of which are registered, or eligible to be registered, in the American or Canadian Holstein-Friesian Herdbooks, and number over twenty-five, young and old. Full particulars as to the individual animals will be given on application to the assignee. Place of sale about 3 miles from Lyn Station, which is 5 miles west of Brockville.

Terms: Cash. Good approved notes at 3 and 6 months, with interest at 6 percent, will be accepted. Dated at Brockville, Ont., Sept. 25th, 1900. GEO. A. DANA, ASSGNEE.

For Sale.

The Samuel Hanna Estate, at Griswold.

As this estate must be closed out, it has been decided to offer for sale all those splendid farms owned by the late Samuel Hanna, and comprising about seventeen hundred acres within a few miles of Griswold. The land will be sold in parcels. It is highly improved with buildings, fences, and cultivation.

A great opportunity is here offered to any one desiring a first-class farm.

For particulars apply to

Or to Edmund W. Hanna, Coldwell & Coleman, Box 243, Brandon.

Barriers, GRISWOLD.

In quarantine at Quebec at the present time are 19 head of Short-horn cattle for H. Cargill & Son, Cargill, Ont.; 8 Short-horns for Stephen Nicholson, Sylvan, Ont.; and 2 Short-horns for Arthur Johnston, Greenwood, Ont., being a later shipment and in addition to the 27 head previously reported as brought out by Mr. Johnston in his first shipment.

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