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GOSSIP.

Messrs. O'Neil Bros., of Sunnyside Stock Farm, Southgate, Ont., breeders of high-class Herefords, advertise for sale 18 choice young bulls, from 10 to 22 months old, and a dozen choice cows and heifers, bred in their fine herd, consisting of some 90 Herefords, headed by the grandly-bred stock bulls, Onward and March On. Messrs. O'Neil report their herd in fine condition.

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Though some there are who mock,
We know what it's done for you and me,
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That lifted you up from a siege like death
When the night all around was black.
That carried me through like an angel's breath
When my hold on life seemed slack.

'Twas full five years ago, wife,
That time of trouble and pain,
When we thought no power could win the strife
Nor life in our bodies retain,
But came a rift in the clouds, wife,
When Vitæ-Ore to us was brought,
Hope in our bosoms again was rife,
To win the struggle bravely fought.

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The executors of the estate of A. McKillop, West Lorne, Ont., have decided to close out all their Shorthorn cattle and Standard horses at a dispersal sale to be held March 3rd, 1904. This stock-farm has a continental reputation for its horses, time after time taking premium prizes at the Toronto Exposition, Western Fair and local fairs. They exhibited at the World's Fair, Chicago, against the best Standard-breds Kentucky could produce, and came out with flying colors, securing second prize on their colt, the only one shown by them. They also gained a first and a third on the only two animals shown by them at Toronto last fall. The first-prize winner will be offered for sale with the rest on March 3rd. For a period of fifteen years Lorne Stock Farm has been quietly but steadily contributing to the building up of the cattle of West Elgin, along with the other noted Shorthorn breeders of that district, until to-day there is in West Elgin a marvellous advance in the kind and quality of cattle bred there. Intending purchasers of Shorthorns should not fail to attend this sale. For catalogue, address A. & J. A. McKillop, of Lorne Stock Farm, West Lorne, Ont.

Messrs. Wm. Willis & Son, Pine Ridge Farm, Newmarket, Ont., breeders of Jersey cattle, Yorkshire hogs and Cotswold sheep, write: "Our cattle are doing very nicely this cold winter, and are milking well. We have a nice lot of heifers to part with, having only had three bull calves since Jan. 1st, 1903, and 15 heifers. They are sired by Ida's Sonny, a son of Count Oxford's Ida, an imported cow once owned by Mr. W. E. Fuller, and afterwards by the late Mr. Wm. Rolph. She had an official record of 20 lbs. 6 ozs. in 7 days, and was a cow Mr. Fuller thought so much of he would not put a price on her so long as he stayed on the farm. She lived to be 19 years old. The young bull so far has proved a getter of heifers. The ages of these range from 1 to 14 months, and two are from the first-prize three-year-old cow at Toronto last fall. We have a good yearling bull, and an excellent bull calf, 6 months old, the dam I sold to go to Conn., and the granddam made over 500 lbs. of butter last year; and a fine bull calf, a month old, from Mima of Pine Ridge, which made the above record of 500 lbs. A letter from Conn., where we shipped 6 cows last fall, says they are very satisfactory. In Cotswold sheep, we have some very fine shearing ewes to part with, of great quality and covering. Also some fine ewe lambs from the same sire, with beautiful fleeces and covering. Have also some Improved Yorkshire boars, 3 months old, from Platt and Brethour stock.



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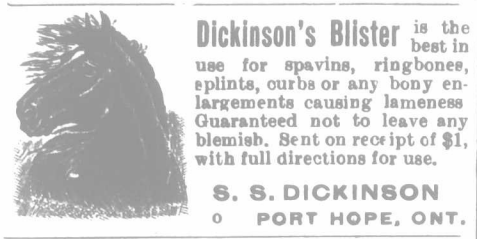
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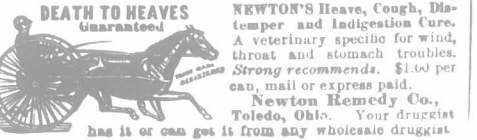
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GOSSIP.

Mr. Spurgeon was once travelling in a railway carriage, the only other occupant of which was a maiden lady of somewhat severe aspect, and to pass the time he entered into conversation with her on various topics.

The train happened to pass Kelvedon, in Essex, where Spurgeon first saw the light, and the preacher, who dearly loved a joke, pointed from the window and remarked:

"A very great man was born there—Mr. Spurgeon, the eminent preacher."

The lady looked at him with a stony stare for some time, and then replied:


"If St. Paul had been passing his birthplace he would have said, 'A very great sinner was born there,' Mr. Spurgeon."

It was the first intimation which the preacher had that he had been recognized by his travelling companion.

Messrs. F. Martindale & Son, York, Ont., write: "Our Shorthorns and Berkshires are doing well. Our second crop of calves by Bandoleer 40106 are arriving and are coming better than ever. Among our cows just calved are some extra heavy milkers, of some of which we are attempting to make records. We are offering four young bulls for sale, also one two-year-old. The younger ones are by Bandoleer 40106, and are of the blocky type. The choice of the four is seven months old, a roan of the famous dairy family, the Waterloo Daisies; he is very straight, also well-ribbed and deep-bodied, and is covered with a skin and hair of best quality. Our females are all breeding regularly and are just in right breeding condition. We are offering some young cows with calves at foot or in calf, also some two-year-old heifers, just bred, that would be a credit to any herd. Our Berkshires are growing well. We have a few young sows three and five months old ready for shipment. They are of the lengthy, bacon type and contain some of the best blood. We have just imported the Berkshire boar, King Highclere, to head our herd. He is a son of Storm King, dam by Highclere Topper. Following are some recent sales: One bull to Harvey Clark, Cranston; one boar to John Weir & Son, Northfield Centre; one boar to M. Anderson, Slocan Jct., B. C., and one sow to Ezra Hill, Fulton.

DISPERSION SALE OF SHORTHORNS AND SHROPSHIRE.

On Thursday, March 3rd, at his farm, 3 miles from Walkerton, Ont., Mr. M. Thompson, of that place, having disposed of his farm, will sell at auction his entire herd of twenty-five registered Shorthorn cattle and flock of thirty Shropshire sheep, besides grade cattle, horses, swine, implements, &c. The Shorthorns are of excellent Scotch and Scotch-topped families, the principal stock bull being the two-year-old Robbie Buckingham, of the good Cruickshank Buckingham family, a massive, thick, even-fleshed animal, with a good coat of hair, and a good getter. Among the females are three of the Maud tribe, 8th, 9th and 12th, by such excellently-bred bulls as Baron's Heir (imp.) =28854=, bred by Mr. Shepherd, of Shethin, Aberdeenshire, and sired by the noted Prince of Fashion 2nd; Orange Duke (imp.) =28872=, bred by the Duke of Richmond, Fochaters, Scotland, and Prince Royal (imp.) =40411=, bred by Mr. W. S. Marr, Uppermill, and of his favorite Princess Royal family. There are also two of the Myrtle tribe descended from Myrtle 3rd (imp.), by Arthur Johnston, and bred by Mr. Main, of Banffshire, with first-class Scotch top crosses. These are young or in the prime of life, and are but specimen numbers of the herd. Among the young bulls is a very promising calf coming a year old in May, the making of a show bull if properly cared for. He is sired by Prince Comet =41299=, by Imp. Prince Bosquet =32080=, of the favorite Princess Royal family. The Shropshire sheep should form an attractive feature of this sale, as the demand for this class of stock is growing, and will undoubtedly continue to grow in view of the recent rise in cotton.



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