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J. O. DUKE.
H FRUITS AND
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(20 acres), and as
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Bush Fruits," by
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9 x 18? Is our
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S. B.

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crowding.
H. L. HUTT.

DOES YOUR HEAD

Feel As Though It Was Being
Hammered?

As Though It Would Crack Open?
As Though a Million Sparks Were
Flying Out of Your Eyes?
Horrible Sickness of Your Stomach?
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GOSSIP.

The Mitchell Poultry and Pet-stock
Society intend holding their first annual
show at the town of Mitchell, on Jan.
14th, 15th and 16th, 1908. As this is
their maiden effort, special efforts are
being put forth by the committee to
make it a pronounced success. A large
number of valuable prizes will be offered
for competition. Entries close Jan. 10th.
Full information may be obtained by
writing the secretary, Mr. Wm. Martin,
Mitchell P. O.

Mr. Geo. A. Brodie, Bethesda, Ont.,
the well-known importer of Clydesdale
horses, has lately sold to Mr. F. Rus-
sell, of Mount Forest, the high-class,
quality stallion, Baron Hugo, a son of
the great Sir Hugo; dam by Prince Al-
bert of Rosehaw, a son of the £3,000
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ever saw, intensely sweet of mould,
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such a horse. Other sales are: To W. G.
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Faris, Aurora, three fillies; to R. M.
Holby, Manchester, one filly; to a Mr.
Boreland, two fillies.

THE GREAT BERKSHIRE SALE.

This is the last call for H. M. Vander-
lip's great Berkshire sale, to take place
on January 8th, at his farm at Cains-
ville, Ont., near Brantford, where, with-
out doubt, the grandest lot of Berk-
shire hogs will be sold ever offered in
Canada. They represent the best blood
on show-ring lines in England; the get of
such world-famed stock boars as Baron
Kitchener, several times champion of
England, and the sire of perhaps more
winners than any boar ever owned in
the home of the breed; Dancesfield Robert,
winner of many first prizes; Highmoor
Mikado, winner of twenty-two first
prizes and seven championships; Oxford
Emperor, also winner of many first
prizes and championships; and several
others of more or less note as prizewin-
ners in England. A number catalogued
for sale are sons and daughters of sows
sired by the great Baron Kitchener, and
themselves sired by the noted champion,
Oxford Emperor, all imported in dam,
breeding that cannot be improved upon.
Ten of the sows are imported, represent-
ing in blood lines such fashionable
strains as Dancesfield Duchess, Compton,
Highmoor and Highclere, recognized, in
England, as the very best blood lines of
the breed, the whole making an aggrega-
tion of high-class Berkshires, the equal
of any herd in the world. Very many of
these were imported by Mr. Vanderlip the
past summer at prices probably never be-
fore paid for Berkshires for importation
to Canada; and now Canadian breeders
are to get the benefit at their own
prices. It is only to be hoped Mr.
Vanderlip's enthusiasm and efforts for the
benefit of the breed will be appreciated.
All told, about one hundred will be sold,
so that all may rest assured of getting
what they are looking for. On the same
day, he will sell his Shorthorn stock
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by the great Star of Morning, dam
Estelle of Sylvan (46623), by Imp. Blue
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Challenger. He is a low-down, thick,
sappy bull, and has proven a sire of
sterling worth. Remember the date,
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two miles from Cainsville Station, and
five miles from Brantford.

Not long ago a young lady of Macon,
Ga., visited the home of her fiance in
New Orleans. On her return home an
old colored woman, long in the service
of the family, and consequently privileged
to put the question, asked:
"Honey, when is you goin' to git
married?"
The engagement not having been an-
nounced, the Macon girl smilingly re-
plied:
"Indeed, I can't say, auntie. Perhaps
I shall never marry."
The old woman's jaw fell. "Ain't dat
a pity, now!" she said. "But after
all, missy, dey do say dat ole maids is
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