

# The Notice You Have Been Looking For!

## ANNOUNCING THE GREAT DRYDEN-MILLER SALE OF IMPORTED SHORTHORNS

SELLING AT THE UNION STOCK YARDS

TORONTO, ONT., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23rd, 1918

90 Head  
of which  
80  
are FEMALES

The Most Promising  
Lot of  
Breeding Shorthorns  
Ever Consigned to a  
Canadian Sale Ring.

Mr. Dryden's contribution will number 60 head—50 newly-imported ones and 10 from his Maple Shade Herd. The imported cattle will include 25 cows that have calves at foot to British service. The 10 home-bred cattle are choice selections from the Maple Shade herd, and nearly all are sired by the great sire and show bull, Archer's Hope (Imp.).

John Miller, Jr., of Ashburn, Ont., strengthens the offering with 30 choice selections. 25 of the total number in this consignment are also imported. Like the former offering, the majority of the breeding cows will sell with calves by their sides. In fact, it is doubtful if any other sale in years, in either the United States or Canada, has brought forward such a high percentage of cows who will also have their calves in the sale ring. Mr. Miller's home-bred females also include some of the strongest show material that will go through any sale ring this year.

10 BULLS. The bulls in this sale are rather limited in number (10 only being catalogued), but with three exceptions are all imported, and among these are prospects for not only sires of sterling worth, but youngsters that have exceptional promise for the coming shows. It will be noted that with the exception of the two-year bull, Cluny Nonpareil Brigadier (Imp.) 107624, who is the sire of a number of calves in the sale, all bulls catalogued are around 12 months of age.

Breeders of international reputation have openly pronounced these cattle to be one of the strongest importations the American continent has seen in years. This refers to individuality as well as breeding. Among them are bulls and females that are at present strong prospects for the show rings of the coming season, and drawn as they were from such herds as those owned by Sylvester Campbell, Lady Cathcart, A. T. Gordon, A. Campbell, Lord Lovatt, Jas. Durno and others who are contributing to the best of the breed in Britain, it would be quite disappointing if this offering on February 23rd was not a little above the ordinary. We think they are—and, just once more, count up the number of females that will have calves by their side on sale day. Not one breeder of Shorthorn cattle—from British Columbia to Nova Scotia—should miss this sale.

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Mention the Advocate when writing. Address:

W. A. DRYDEN, Brooklin, Ont. : : : : JOHN MILLER, JR., Ashburn, Ont.

### Questions and Answers. Veterinary.

#### Dressing for Horse's Feet.

Clydesdale mare has hard, brittle feet. I have used most of the Commercial Foot Dressings on the market without satisfactory results. What is the best composition to soften the feet? At this season we cannot get clay. Is Neats foot oil good? G. A. F.

Ans.—The feet require moisture. Water kept to the feet is the better plan. This can be done by poulticing or wearing soaking boots or soaking pads, or by packing the feet with a clay or rock especially put up for the purpose and which can be purchased from most high-class harness makers or dealers. Pure Neats foot oil gives better results than the foot dressings you refer to. V.

#### Partial Paralysis.

Three-year-old bull is all stiffened up and almost powerless. When attempting to serve he drops back on his elbows. The trouble seems to be in his back and hind legs. He walks with hind legs too far under the body and the feet incline to slip forward. He has been this way for a month. He eats well and is not losing flesh. I have been thinking of selling him to a shipper. J. R. H.

Ans.—This is due to partial paralysis. Purge him with 2 lbs. Epsom salts, ½ oz. gamboge and 1 oz. ginger. Follow up with 2 drams nux vomica three times daily. Feed lightly on laxative food and do not try to breed him until he regains control of his legs. As it is possible that treatment will be ineffective, the advisability of selling him should be considered. V.

#### Fatality in Horse.

Horse ate and drank little and lost flesh for some time. He died. A post-mortem revealed fluid beneath the skin of the hind legs. The penis was greatly

## Dual Purpose Shorthorns

Herd Headed By DOMINATOR No. 106224

whose grandam on his mother's side has an R.O.P. record of 13,535 lbs. milk, testing 3.90; and whose dam has an R.O.P. record of 10,689 lbs. milk, testing 3.88.

The cows in our herd are large and strictly dual-purpose in type and performance, many of them have high milk records.

A few cows, heifers and young bulls for sale, three of the latter are out of cows in the herd which have given between 10,000 and 11,000 lbs. of milk each in one lactation period.

Weldwood Farm

Farmer's Advocate, London, Ontario

### SEVENTY-THREE HEAD OF SHORTHORNS

Ten young bulls of serviceable age, Nonpareil Ramsden =101081=, and Royal Red Blood =77521= at the head of the herd. The ten young bulls range in age from 8 to 15 months, and are for immediate sale. They are out of good dams which will bear inspection. Our cows and heifers will please, and you'll like the bulls. JAMES McPHERSON & SONS, DUNDALK, ONTARIO

### PLEASANT VALLEY FARMS

Herd headed by (Imp.) Newton Grand Champion and Belmont Beau. We have for sale a goodly number of real good young bulls that will suit the most exacting; also females. Inspection invited. Geo. Amos & Sons C. P. R., 11 miles east of Guelph Moffat, Ontario

### Imported SCOTCH SHORTHORNS

Our present offering includes 100 imported females and 12 young imported bulls, representing the most desirable lines of breeding. If interested come and see them. Burlington Jct., G. T. R. is only half mile from farm. J. A. & H. M. PETTIT, FREEMAN, ONTARIO.

### CLYDESDALES AND SHORTHORNS

I have on hand a number of real choice young mares and fillies. Eight excellent young bulls, from 9 to 12 months, of Right Sort and Royal Blood breeding; also a number of females. Inspection invited. J. B. CALDER, R.R. 3, GLANFORD STATION, ONTARIO

### ESCANA FARM SHORTHORNS

For Sale—2 herd-headers of serviceable age; one a Cruickshank Orange Blossom by Right Sort Imp. and one a Jilt, by Raphael (Imp.); also one good farmer's bull. Can also spare a half-dozen females and one a Jilt, by Raphael (Imp.); also one good farmer's bull. Farm, ¼ mile from Burlington Junction. J. F. MITCHELL, BURLINGTON, ONT. Farm, ¼ mile from Burlington Junction.

### FIFTY IMPORTED SHORTHORNS

I have fifty head of newly imported Shorthorns (42 females, 8 bulls) which are acknowledged to be one of the strongest lots that have left Britain this season. You should see these if you are wanting something choice. George Isaac, (All Railroads) Cobourg, Ontario.

swollen and inflamed, bladder greatly distended and full of very dark fluid. The whole tract from the penis to the kidneys was greatly inflamed and swollen. The stomach and intestines contained dark-colored fluid. Would the flesh when cooked be fit for hen feed? J. H. E. D.

Ans.—There was an obstruction either in the neck of the bladder or the urethra. If this had been located it might have been removed by an operation, but medicinal treatment would not have been effective.

The flesh, with the exception of the inflamed portions, would be fit for food for hens. V.

### Miscellaneous.

#### Hog Buying.

A engages to buy hogs for B, B to furnish all moneys or cheques in payment to farmers for their different or separate lots of hogs.

A buys hogs from C explaining that A is buying hogs for B and that C would be paid with cheque signed by B, A to fill out the amount.

C delivers hogs to station and A hands C B's cheque filled by A but not signed by A. C accepts same without protest for his load of hogs. It happens this particular week that B's finances become entangled and bank refuses to honor cheque signed by B, but handed to C by A in payment for hogs. "Amount being filled in by A."

B makes assignment, and C sues A for amount of C's hogs. Now C was told distinctly that A was buying for B at time of purchase. Only A and C were present when hogs were negotiated for.

1. Now is A liable for this loss to C?
  2. Is A termed as agent for B?
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Ans.—1. No.  
2. A is legally to be regarded as simply B's agent.