The Smithfield of Canada **GUELPH CHRISTMAS** FAT STOCK and POULTRY SHOW.

he seventeenth annual Christmas Fat Stock and Poultry Show, under the auspices of the neigh Fat Stock Club and Gueiph Poultry sedication, will be held in the Victoria Curi-ing and Skating Rink, in the City of Guelph, on uesday, Wednesday and Thursday,

DECEMBER 6th, 7th and 8th, 1898. Prize lists on application.

JAMES MILLAR, JNO. M'CORKINDALE, President. -0 Secretary. President. -0 Secretary.

All animals entered to be in the rink by 1 p.
m., on Tuesday, December 6th.

FOR SALE:

IMPORTED and CANADIAN BRED

Clydesdale Stallions

from one to four years old. Also



Several Three-yearold Fillies.

all registered and warranted sound. Inspection invited.

ROBT. DAVIES, Thorneliffe Stock Farm, TORONTO.

W. D. FLATT,

Hamilton P.O. and Telegraph Office,



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Ten Choice Shorthorn Bulls from seven to twelve months,

Fifteen Cows and Heifers.

served by imported bull, Golden Fame =26056=; also, a few cows with calves at foot. Farm 6 miles from Hamilton. Catalogue cent on application. Catalogue ent on application. Visitors met at G. T. R. or C. P. R. if notified.

Arthur Johnston, Greenwood P. O. and Telegraph Office,



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17 FIRST CLASS SHORTHORN BULLS Big, Good and in Fine Form.

Also cows and heifers of various ages. All of which will be sold at moderate prices. Berkshire Boars and Sows for Sale SEND FOR CATALOGUE.

Claremont Station, C.P.R. Pickering Station, G.T.R. -om

HAWTHORN HERD

of DEEP MILKING SHORTHORNS. For sale: 4 young bulls of the choicest breeding and good quality, and from A 1 dairy cows. WM. GRAINGER & SON,

Londesboro, Ont.

GOSSIP.

The President of the Guelph Fat Stock Club writes us that one of the rules of the Club relating to the coming Fat Stock Show requires that all animals entered be in the rink by 1 p. m., on Tuesday, December 6th.

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Messrs. Henry Stevens & Sons, Lacona, N. Y., make a change in their advertisement of Holstein-Friesian cattle in this issue, in which they make a special offer of sixty head of registered cows, heifers and calves of richest breeding and large producing strains. Their farm is easy of access from Canada, and there is no duty and no quarantine delay in shipping under present regulations.

H. Bollert, of Cassel, Ont., writes that his Holsteins are going into their winter quarters in fine condition, and are milking well. He offers a few very richly (butter) bred bulls for sale. Individually they are all one can desire and would naturally expect from such breeding. He also has some well-bred and grandly marked B. P. Rocks. Any of this stock should make a marked improvement wherever introduced.

Mr. Robt. Miller, Brougham, Ont., writes;

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Mr. Robt. Miller, Brougham, Ont., writes:
"In addition to the 28 Shorthorn bull calves I selected and shir ped to the Cochrane Rauch.
Alberta, in October. I shipped, Nov. 21st, 29 Shorthorn cows, heifers and bull calves which I had assisted Thos. Andrews & Son to buy for their herd at Cambridge, Nebraska.—a very nice, straight lot of well bred cattle. Shropshires have sold well this season. Since August my sales have included 48 imp. rams. 19 imp. show ewes, 65 Canadian-bred rams, 65 yearling ewes, and a few ewe lambs. I have also helped Messrs. Harding, of Waukesha, Wila, to buy a great many good Cotswolds this season.

R. J. & A. Laurie, Woolverton, Ont., write,

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R. J. & A. Laurie, Woolverton, Ont.. write, in sending change of advertisement:—"Our fall litters of Tamworths are coming strong, and are mostly sired by the Industrial Fair winner, Sandy 3rd 639, the rest by Oak Hill Toby, a local fair prizewinner under a year. We also offer a few boars and sows, ready for breeding, of nice quality; also some good cockerels and pullets of Barred Plymouth Rocks, Silver and White Wyandottes, Red Caps; also Rouen and Pakin ducks and Toulouse geese. Our stock was very successful at the shows this fall, winning prizes wherever shown.

shown.

Sittyton Hero, the fine Shorthorn bull represented in the illustration of a pair of Shorthorns in this issue from the herd of James I. Davidson & Son, of Balsam, Ontario, is a typical representative of the breed, combining size and scale with correct outline and fine quality of flesh. He was a clear winner in a strong class at the Toronto Industrial Exhibition of 1898 as a two-year-old, and was sired by Earl of March, a son of Barmpton Hero, the great old champion and sire of champions, and of imported English Lady 3th, and his dam was by imp. William Rufus, bred by E. Cruickshank. and traces to Carmine Rose by Champion of England. The heifer calf, which won first prize in her class at Toronto, is a daughter of Sittyton Hero and is of the famous Duchess of Gloster family, one of the most popular of the Cruickshank tribes.

Mr. W. G. Laidlaw, Ettrick Farm, Wilton

Duchess of Gloster family, one of the most popular of the Cruickshank tribes.

Mr. W. G. Laidlaw, Ettrick Farm, Wilton Grove, On ario, whose first prize yearling bull, Prince Frank's Son, is illustrated in this issue, has a capital herd of Jerseys, richly bred in the blood of the St Lambert and St. Helier families and well up to the standard in points of excellence and as producers. This young bull, Prince Frank's Son, won first prize as a calf in 1897 at the Western Fair, and repeated the performance this year as a yearling in the strongest competition ever seen here. He is model Jersey bull, but the picture does not do him justice. He has ideal dairy conformation and breed character, and great richness of color and his breeding is of the very best, his sire having twice won the championship at the Western Fair, and his dam, a pure St. Lambert, was sired by One Hundred Per Cent, and his grandam by Sweet Briar's John Bull, whose dam made a record of 22 lbs. Bull, whose dam made a record of 22 lbs butter in seven days.

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Mr. Fred. S. Black, Amherst. N. S., owner of the first prize herd of Ayrshires open to all, and of the first prize for herd not over two years, at the New Brunswick Provincial Fair at St. John, and also the first prize young herd at the Nova Scotia Provincial Exhibition at Halifax, isan enterprising young breeder, who has shown good pluck in entering the field as an exhibitor, and good judgment in his selections and breeding. The stock and show bull at the head of his herd is Matchless 2nd, winner of first prize as a yearling and sweepstakes as best bull of the breed any age at both shows above mentioned and illustrated on another page in this issue. He was sired by Matchless, who is a son of imported Glencairn 3rd and imported Nellie Osborne, a pair of the most famous representatives of the breed, and Matchless 2nd shows his breeding in individual excellence, being true to the highest type of dairy conformation and showing the breed characteristics as nearly to perfection as they are found in one animal. He should prove an impressive sire and we predict for him a very successful career.

Means H. Cargill & Son. Cargill, Ont., ad-

successful career.

IMPORTED SHORTHORNS.

Messrs. H. Cargill & Son, Cargill, Ont., advertise in this issue eight high-class young bulls recently imported from Scotland, of the best breeding. These have been selected in person from the best herds, and are said to be such as will do the country good. A few home-bred bulls and a number of cows and heifers are also offered. See their ad.

CATARRH CAN BE CURED. CATARRH CAN BE CURED.

Catarrh is a kindred ailment of consumption, long considered incurable; and yet there is one remedythat will positively cure catarrh in any of its stages. For many years this remedy was used by the late Dr. Stevens, a widely noted authority on all diseases of the throat and lungs. Having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, and desiring to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge to all sufferers from Catarrh, Asthma, Consumption, and nervous diseases, this recipe, in German, French or Euglish, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing, with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. Noyes, 920. Powers Block, Rochester, N. Y.

VIM, VIGOR, VITALITY

The man of vigor, the woman of energy, are the winners in life's race. The struggle is hard and tiresome but DR. WARD'S BLOOD AND NERVE PILLS will give you energy, vigor, health and strength to conquer obstacles and make life happy and healthy. Here is proof;

Gentlemen: I have been troubled with kidney complaint for several years. I sent for a box of Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills, and they did me more good than all the doctors and medicines combined. I would have been in my grave long ago if thadn't been for Dr. Ward's Pills I am 70 years o'd, and I am sure I owe my lite to this medicine.

My wife has also derived great benefit from Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills, her trouble My wife has also derived great benefit from Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills, her trouble being dyspepsia, liver complaint and a run-down system. Since using your remedy she is now being dyspepsia, liver complaint and a run-down system. Since using your remedy she is now being dyspepsia, liver complaint and a run-down system. Since using your remedy she is now being dyspepsia, liver complaint and a run-down system. Since using your remedy she is now being dyspepsia, liver complaint and a run-down system. Since using your remedy she is now being dyspepsia, liver complaint and a run-down system. Since using your remedy she is now being dyspepsia, liver complaint and a run-down system. Since using your remedy she is now being dyspepsia, liver complaint and a run-down system. Since using your remedy she is now being dyspepsia, liver complaint and a run-down system.

Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Fills are sold at 50c. per box, 5 boxes for \$2 at druggists, or mailed on receipt of price by THE DOCTOR WARD CO., Limited, Dept. F. 71 Victoria Street, Toronto, Book of information free.

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8 HIGH-CLASS YOUNG SHORTHORN BULLS

OF THE BEST SCOTCH BREEDING,

TOGETHER WITH A FEW HOME-BRED BULLS AND A NUMBER OF

COWS and HEIFERS BOTH IMPORTED AND HOME-BRED.



CORRESPONDENCE OR A PERSONAL VISIT SOLICITED.

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Cargill Station and Post Office on G. T. R., within half mile of barns.

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IMPORTED

The undersigned will offer by public auction at his farm, 1½ miles from Markham Village, on January 11th 1839, 10 bulls and 20 females, recently imported and selected from the best herds in Aberdeenshire, Scotland; also a few Canadian-bred. They include such families as the Nonpareils, Rosebuds, Minas, Bessics, Claras, Gold Drops, and Violets, and other noted families. Farm twenty miles north of Toronto. Catalogues on application.

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MARKHAM, ONT.

Auctioneer, BRAMPTON, ONT. GUERNSEYS. The grandest of dairy breeds; good size; hardy, persistent producers of the richest colored milk and butter when fed in the stable. A few young bulls and heifers from prizewinning stock for sale.

CHESTER WHITES. The farmers' favorite; easy feeders, early maturers, good breeders, giving satisfaction bred as pure or as cross breds. The largest prizewinning herd in America to select from.

DUROC-JERSEYS. Easiest fed, easiest fattened; will do the best when fed on forage crops. Sweepstake herd to select from. Seventy now for sale.

TAMWORTHS. The ideal bacon hog; two boars fit for service; 10 sows (bred) some prizewinners included. Write

WM. BUTLER & SONS, Dereham Centre, Ont.

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Yorkshire Hogs LARGE, LENGTHY, ENCLISH TYPE.

Among them being the undefeated prizewinning boar, "LOOK ME OVER" 2602. Also Royal Duchess, a first prize sow at the Royal Show of England in 1898, and several choice young sows bred to Look Me Over; also, young stock of both sexes; single or in pairs, not akin. We ship to order, prepay express charges. Guarantee stock as described.

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SHORTHORNS

Crimson Flower and Minnie Strains



And from such sires as Scotchman 2nd, Duke of Lavender, Premier Earl, Indian Chief, and Clan Campbell. A few splendid young bulls ready now. Cotswold Sheep.

DAVID BIRRELL,

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Shorthorn Cattle and Lincoln Sheep

Imp. Baron Blanc 11th at head of herd. Seven young bulls for sale-good ones. Also are few females. Stud rams all imported from H. Dudding, Esq; the same blood as the 1 000-guinea ram.

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LEICESTERS—A splendid lot of ram lambs and ewes. Both the open pen and pen bred by exhibitor came to our flock this year (1898) at Toronto and London. We had first prize flock at Toronto and London in '95, '96, 97. We import and breed the best and have them for sale.

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Shorthorn Cattle and Lincoln Sheep. Herd prize and sweepstake at Toronto Industrial Exhibition, 1897 and 1898. Herd headed by Imported Blue Ribbon = 17095 =, and the famous Moneyfuffel Lad = 20521 =. High class Shorthorns of all ages for sale. Also, prize winning Lincolns.

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