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GOSSIP.

William Hodson, Myrtle, Ont., advertises in this issue Bronze turkeys, Toulouse geese, Cayuga ducks, colored Dorking and Plymouth Dark for the Rock fowls.

JAS. SMITH & SONS' SHORTHORNS. JAS, SMITH & SONS SHORTHORNS. Twenty years of steady and persistent prog-ress along one line, with unusually favorable surroundings for the breeding and rearing of Shorthorn cattle, in a large measure accounts for the comfortable home surroundings of Messrs, Jas. Snith & Son, at Inglis Falls, near Owen Sound, Ont. Possessed of a liberal edu-cation and a large fund of good common sense, the senior member of the firm has been called mon to shoulder the responsibility of numerous cation and a large fund of good common sense, the senior member of the firm has been called upon to shoulder the responsibility of numerous offices in church and state, which he has ably and creditably filled to the advantage of the community. The same wise judgment has been given to the breeding and care of his herd, only the most approved sires in breeding and quality having been used in the herd all along the line of its history. In examining the pedigrees of the two previous and present bulls, which form an important feature in the breeding of the younger matrons, we found that the bull, Janitor 2138, by Duke of Laven-der (imp.), and out of Julia (imp.), a member of the Jilt tribe, which John Miller & Sons im-ported, did valued service during his few years in the herd. Then came the Scotch-bred Scarlet Velvet 21446, by Golden Crown, and out of imported Selina, of the Kinellar Claret tribe. Folloying him is the present sire. Chief of the Clan 31123, by Clan Campbell (imp.), and out of Crimson Fuchsia 5th, with the imported sires Indian Chief, Premier Earl, Louis Arundle, and Scotsman 2nd uppermost in his pedigree, such

Crimson Fuchsia 5th, with the imported stress Indian Chief, Premier Earl, Louis Arundle, and Scotsman 2nd uppermost in his pedigree, such an array of imported top crosses as is seldom found in one pedigree. In Chief of the Clan we found a bull of even proportions, thick-fleshed and on short legs, possessing excellent charac-ter and type, and likely to make an impressive size. Of the young things sized by him their owners feel justly proud. The female portion of the herd, which now numbers about 20 animals, trace their origin to the Barrington and Lavinia tribes, the latter having the Ercildoune cross, while the former carry such blood lines as Vice Consul (imp.) and Victor Strathallan. They are a useful lot, of mostly red cows, in good breeding condition. A few choice young bulls, in good growing form, were shown us when we called, which, together with a limited number of young females, are included in Messrs. Smith's offer-ings.

HEREFORD SHOW AND SALE AT KANSAS CITY.

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The Hereford breeders made a mighty showing of their cattle at the great Kansas City Show, Oct. 22nd to 26th, the entries in most sections of the class being very large, in some running from 30 to 50 animals. The awards throughout the class were made by a jury of three, two of whom served as judges and the third as a referee, each member alternately serving as referee for a section. Judging from the criticism of onlookers, as expressed through the press, the decisions in many instances did not meet with popular approval. Following is the list of awards in the different sections, the judges being Messrs. W. S. Powell, Channing, Tex.; W. A. Morgan, Topeka, Kan.; and W. M. Atkinson, Roswell, New Mexico:
Bull, 3 years 1 Gudgell & Simpson, Independence, Mo., Dandy Rex; 2 T. F. B. Sotham, Chillicothe, Mo., Improver: 3 Clem Graves, Bunker Hill, Ind., Dale, Two years-1 C. G. Comstock, Albany, Mo., Gentry Lars; 2 J. Hooker, New London, Mo., Mark Hanna; 3 F. A. Bayless, Des Moines, Iowa, Dale 3rd, One year-1 Thos, Clark, Beecher, III, Perfection; 2 S. J. Gabbert, Platte, Mo., Lomax, Calf-1 T. F. B. Sotham, Thickflesh; 2 Lancaster & Son, Liberty, Mo., Anxious Lad; 3 W. S. Van Natta, Fowler, Ind., March On 12th, Cow, 3 years-1 W. S. Van Natta, Miss March On; 2 T. F. B. Sotham, Benison, Two years-1 Gudgell & Simpson, Blanche 13th; 2 O. Harris, Harris, Mo., Betty 2nd; 3 Thos, Clark, Peerless 5th, Eighteen months-1 W. S. Van Natta, Miss March On; 2 T. F. B. Sotham, Golden Lassie; 3 Gudgell & Simpson, Modesty. One year-1 Gudgell & Simpson, Iderison, Two years-1 W. S. Van Natta, Miss March On; 2 T. F. B. Sotham, Golden Lassie; 3 Gudgell & Simpson, Mischief Maker; 2 W. S. Van Natta, Miss March On; 2 T. F. B. Sotham, Golden Lassie; 3 Gudgell & Simpson, Mischief Maker; 2 W. S. Van Natta, Miss March On; 2 T. F. B. Sotham, Golden Lassie; 3 Gudgell & Simpson, Mischief Maker; 2 W. S. Van Natta, Miss March On; 2 T. F. B. Sotham, Golden Lassie; 3 Gudgell & Simpson, Mischi

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