FARMING AND LIVE STOCK PAGE

Ontario farmers leaving for the western provinces or for New Ontario. What's

We have heard a great deal about the prosperity of the farmer. He has een pointed out as the one member of the community who was making money. But is he? Is he as well off now as he was thirty years ago?

True, he has more creature comforts He has finer surrounding. The telephone, the telegraph, the daily paper, the rural post, and electric roads, are youth getting out?

Why is land that sells for \$100 per acre looked upon as a wonderful thing esting. by the farmer and the bait too tempting

Why will our farmers sell out a fifty

Farm products have been uniformly

than the life on the farm, by the man who loves the farm with its live stock, was sent there for distribution crop rotation, plant growth and orch-

It is high time the agricultural department of the government of this duct of the hatchery. It is the expectagreat province was doing something more radical to infuse life and activity to the dormant, listless acres of our ferthe soil in Ontario.

mers as to the life possessed by these red bodies in the grain box.

ronto tells The World that he could go out to-morrow and purchase thousands of the thru the thin shell of the eggs. of bushels of red clover seed, but he would not and could not handle it, hecause of the weed seeds present and the low quality of the seed. He moreover are wrong. The 50,000 received last stated that all their seeds were being week came in 12 trays, each one foot the square and one inch in height, the bot-

trade and deal among themselves for their clover seeds this spring more than ever before. The result will likeds of weed seeds of trouble. It is therefore necessary that farmers examine, very carefully, all the seeds they contemplate sowing. A recleaning several times these spare days will do no harm, for it is better to throw away the small undeveloped a box about two feet square and packand debatable portion than to risk a ed thoroly with shavings. On the top seeding with them. It is poor policy to the shipping station, which gives exfight weeds all summer and sow them plicit directions to express messengers.

Alfalfa is a coming crop for Ontario Alfalfa is a coming crop for Ontario.

This seed is scarce and its high price right side up, away from heat, and to may deter many from trying it on their keep a watch over the shipment on farms this year. This again will be long jumps and see that all the ice. farms this year. This again will be poor economy. For there is no better box. thrift shown by the Ontario farmer than in the sowing of clovers, and especially alfalfa, which is feed for everything and a builder up of the soil. By all means try a small piece of alfalfa this season and give it a fair chance to live.

HOLSTEINS AT AUCTION.

About the last chance for farmers this spring to secure a high-class Holstein cow, is offered in the advertise-ment in this issue of Messrs R. S. Stevenson and Son of Ancaster, Ont.

Brookholme Stock Farm occupies lots 41 and 42,con. 2, of AncasterTp., and has produced Holsteins of the highest-class for a number of years. They have been supplying milk and cream to the City of Hamilton for the past fifteen years, and the city inspector's reports show 3.60 per cent to 4.20 per cent butter fat

In all 43 head will be sold, and 14 head of these females are of the celebrated Aaggle family being descended from Aaggie's 3rd Prince. The grandy bred young stock bull "Gano's Faforit Butter Boy," whose dam, "Sher-wood Gano," No. 1930 C.H.B., produced to twelve months, under Dominion twelve months, under Government supervision, 17,619 lbs. of milk, containing 657 lbs. of fat equal to 821 1-4 lbs. of butter, and whose sire's dam "Faforit 5th" produced under advanced registry supervision 550 lbs. of milk, making 26 lbs. of butter in seven days, will be sold. Six cows challenge cup, silver plate and medal and seven helfers have been bred to "Gano's Faforit Butter Boy," all other females have been bred to "Panarista's Pauline Dekol King," No. 2104, C.H.B. Here are some of the milk records, found in their neat folder catalog which von should send for at once Patsy Fifth-9150 lbs. in 9 mos; Patsy Sixth-7150 lbs. in 7 mos; Brada Tenson 1301 lbs. in 30 days; Patsy Fifth Five Spot-12050 lbs. in 12 mos; and others equally as good.

The sale will he held under cover at farm buildings, located on lot 41, Con. 2. Ancaster Township, one-half mile west of Village of Ancaster, on Mineral Springs Road, and one-half mile north of Stop 11, on Brantford and Hamilton Electric Railway. Electric cars leave both Hamilton and Brantford to Stop 9 or Stop 11 (1-2 mile from barns) at the following nours : 6.30, 7.45, 9.00, 10.30, 12.00 a.m., 1.30 and 3.00 p.m.

HORSES IN THE COUNTRY HIGH.

Henry Sanderson of Weston, unde the direction of William Doherty of Agincourt, has been thru Scarboropy chasing Clydesdale fillies and paying! good prices.

The Spawn Are Protected and Sent 500 Miles to Lake Michigan to Stock Fresh Water.

The management of fish hatcheries workings of a fish hatchery. A visit to the state hatchery at Havana, Ill., says an American exchange, is inter-

been in progress, the attention of the attendants being directed to some 3000 young white fish which are being held the water in which they are kept upon ature of the water in which they are There is something wrong in the now living being several degrees warmagricultural life, the agricultural re- er than that in which the variety turns or in our education. Which is the custom to "plant" the product of the white fish eggs as oon as the hatching is finished, tiny babies being less than half an inch long at the time of hatching. inch long at the time of hatching. They are sent to Waukegan, Ill, where they are dumped into Lake Michigan Can anyone name a more ideal life and left to care for themselves, and the winter of 1908, numbering 2,000,000

offered during these years were won

At the Provincial Winter Fair the pacon contests are perhaps the sever-

of these were under 12 months. Oak Lodge Frederick, the barrow from this

herd, won the grand championship, showing against the 8000. All known

tion held during the last twenty years, the lion share of the best premiums

The sale list comprises: Mature

reeding sows, imported and Canadian

bred; stock boars, imported and Can-adian bred; sows and boars of breeding

A registered certificate, and in case

of a sow in pig a certificate of service, will be furnished for each pig. Each pig will be crated and delivered

at express office without extra charge Single fare return tickets can be pro-cured at all railway stations, good on

Tillsonburg Junction and at 11 a.m. from Brantford, and leave at 5 p.m.

or Brantford and 6 p.m. for Tillson-

ourg, giving ample time to attend the

sale and return the same day. Oak Lodge Farm is one-half mile south of

the Grand Trunk Burford Station.

NOVA SCOTIA AGRICULTURE.

The annual report of the secretary

of agriculture for Nova Scotia is to

hand. The work is a most creditable

one indeed. It is well illustrated thru-

out and shows that the province down

by the sea has been doing something

agriculturally since the new head took

charge of the affairs. Mr. Cummings

of the Truro Agricultural College has

been doing valuable work for the farm-

on the dairy breeds have been collect-

ed here, and as they are written

by men who know their breed at its

best, the information will be of much

decide upon their breeding operations

other breeds predominate, yet I ven-

ture to say that from Prince- Edward

Island to British Columbia, the Short-

tor in the milk supply for family use

Nova Scotia agriculture in all its

A PROGRESSIVE MOVE.

Prof. Weed addressed a full house at

Whitby last Tuesday evening, when he

gave an illustrated address on the de-

corations of school gardens, town and

The lecturer was most enthuslasti-

cally received and the ideas thrown out

were along the right lines for the

Messrs.J. Lockie Wilson, superintendent

NEW HOLSTEIN BREEDER.

Charles Watson & Sons of Agincourt

have purchased a pure bred Holstein

bull to improve their already choice

herd of Holstein matrons. The Holsteins

boro Township.

MILKING MACHINE AT WORK

agricultural societies, and George

city property and private grounds.

any other two breeds combined.

branches is forging ahead.

service in enabling young farmers to

Speaking to the question of the milk-

Some especially interesting articles

day of sale and two following

unch at noon

ers of that province.

has been secured by this herd.

est tests of the relative merits herds competing. In eleven annual contests this herd has secured first

contests this herd has secured first and championship on pen of export bacon hogs nine times.

At the World's Fair, St., Louis, 1904, this herd won 54 prizes, including two grand championships, two reserve grand championships, four championships, and the premier championship for breeders of Yorkshires. At this fair there were 10 000 prigs on early Pike perch, more familiarly known as "wall-eyed perch, or salmon," were hatched out in great numbers last seafor breeders of Yorkshires. At this fair there were 10,000 pigs on exhibition of the different breeds, and 8000 pigs on exhibition of the different breeds of the dif by the first of April he will have received 30,000,000 pike perch eggs from the government fish bureau at Washington, D.C. The eggs will be secured originally from Lake Erie, which is ceded to be the best breeding place of the variety.

showing against the 8000. All known breeds of pigs were represented. Every pig shown by them at this fair was bred at Oak Lodge with one exception. At the World's Fair, Chicago; the Trans-Mississippi, Omaha; the Pan-American, Buffalo; in fact at every world's fair and international exhibition held during the lest twonty years. Ontario. It was a dry rainbow trout eggs being hatched, and as the eggs of this variety are much larger than those of most others the count of the ability of the uniniat ed to to see the different points of development. For instance, the 50,000 eggs just received are called "eyed" rainbow trout eggs, because they have been so far developed at the governnent hatchery that it is already pos age, and a large number of younger plgs of different ages.

How Shipped.
The method of shipping fish eggs is toms of the trays being of cotton flan-nel and the sides of wood. In every them, and then protected from will be sold as clover, and these in wooden sides of the tray by a soft their turn will produce a big harvest cushion, a mosquito bar only separating them from contact with the tom of the tray over them. The top tray is left empty; and over it is placed a three-inch perforated wooden box filled with ice, which keeps the eggs from becoming overheated.

The stack of trays is then placed in concerning the proper way in which these consignments should be handled, does not melt out of the top of the

The rainbow trout eggs traveled 500 miles and arrived in splendid condi-tion. Upon their arrival at their destination the temperature of the box was taken and the eggs transferred to water of that temperature. Gradually ing Shorthorn, a writer says: "Granted the temperature was altered until the that in the distinctly dairy districts, thermometer registered 50 degrees, the difference having been six degrees. Sudden change in the temperature is very dangerous to the hatching pro- horn has a wider recognition as a faces and is always avoided.

The eggs of all salmon and trout are than any other breed, or, perhaps, than a beautiful pink in color. trout eggs are one-sixth of an inch in diameter, the size increasing slightly near the time of hatching. The young fish has a food sack attached t his belly which supplies him with nourishment for a or eight weeks, after which he must look out for himself. It requires only about 35 or 40 days to hatch them, and it is estimated that the ones just received are abou

J. C. BRETHOUR'S YORKSHIRE SALE Just now, when the price of hogs is soaring, farmers will be glad of chance to purchase some good ones at

auction Brethour's success in the Oak Putnam, superintendent of farmers' in-Lodge herd in the show ring was stitutes, were present. menal from the beginning. At the Toronto Industrial in 1891 section where Oak Lodge Yorkshires were shown they won first with but one exception. During eleven consecutive years the herd prize was won herd of Holstein matrons. The Holsteins nine times and added to this every are rapidly coming to the front in Scar-

IMPORTANT SALE OF LARGE YORKSHIRE HOGS

Mr J. E. Brethour

THURSDAY, APR

One hundred and seventy-five of his choicest animals, from the best strains of Oak Lodge herd, including Brood Sows, Young Sows and Boars, both imported and Canadian-bred.

The Oak Lodge Herd is the Pioneer Herd of Yorkshires in America, as well as the largest and most complete collection of this breed on the Continent.

In founding the Oak Lodge Herd, the object in view was the production of Prolific, Hardy, Easy Feeding Pigs, whose carcasses would take highest rank when judged by the consumer in the British or American markets. That this object has been accomplished is attested by the large shipments made annually to all parts of Canada and the United States, as well as by the success of this herd in the show ring.

Oak Lodge Julia VII., which won the championship at the Pan-American, was sold by auction for \$325.

All pigs registered and crated for buyers.

TERMS—Credit of six months on usual items.

TIME—At 1 o'clock sharp.

RAILWAY RATES—Single fares for the return trip are good returning as late as April 12.

NOTE—Orders for the purchase of any pigs will be taken by Mr. F. M. Chapman of The World, who will attend sale. All care will be taken if limits of price and requirements are mailed him to The World Office before WELBY ALMAS, Auctioneer.

J. E. BRETHOUR, Prop.

IMPORTANT DISPERSION S

Holstein Cattle,

Thursday, April 1st, 1909

herd consists of 32 head of registered cattle and ten grades. grandly-bred young stock bull Gano's Faforit Butter Boy, whose dam, Sherwood Gano, produced last year 17.69 lbs. of milk, containing 657 lbs. of fat, under Dominion Government supervision. Sale will be held at the farm, lots 41 and 42, con. 2, Ancaster Township. Hamilton and Brantford electric cars stop every hour one-half mile from buildings. Purchasers can get off car at Ancaster Village or Station 11. Send for catalogue. TERMS-Eight months on approved joint notes, or 5 per cent. per annum off

for cash. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p.m.

MAJOR ALMAS, Auctioneers

R. S. Stevenson & Son, Props.

Ancaster, Ont.

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ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31st, 1909

The Property of MR. S. J. LYONS, Norval, Ont.

35 pure-bred Jersey cattle and 15 high-grade Jerseys, 50 head in all, including the great cow, Dinah of Lawnridge (127799), and three of her daughters, besides a number of other deep-milking and heavy butter-producing cows and helfers, the produce of such cows. Also three good young bulls. Farm three miles from Norval station, and about the same distance from Georgetown Junction, G.T.R. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock.

TERMS-Seven months' credit on approved joint notes. Trains from both ways met at Norval station morning of sale.

BENJAMIN PETCH. S. J. LYONS, Prop.

Auctioneer

Box 19, Norval, Ont.



SHORTHORNS CLYDESDALES YORKSHIRES

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Friday, April 9th, 1909, AT THE SALE PAVILION, MYRTLE STATION, ONTARIO

Under the Auspices of the Myrtle Sales Association

There will be sold by auction several imported and Canadian-bred Clydesdale stalfions, mares and fillies. An essentially high-class lot of big, well-bred quality Clydesdales. About thirty head of young Scotch-bred Shorthorns, bulls and heifers. Crimson Flowers, Duchess of Glosters, Marr Stamfords and Wedding Gifts. These are an extra good lot, in good condition. Also a number of young Yorkshire sows and boars. The whole making the sale of the year of high-class animals. The sale will be held under cover, commencing at 1 p.m. Terms-Cash, or six months on bankable paper at 6 per cent.

WM. SMITH, Pres. Fred. Silversides, Aug. A. QUIN, Sec.

LYON'S JERSEYS FOR SALE.

Our readers will find two particularly good opportunities in this issue to buy high class dairy cows. Mr. Lyons of Norval sells Jerseys and Messrs. Stevenson and Son of Ancaster sell Hol-

by auction his extra valuable herd of 35 Jersey purebreds and 15 high grade Jerseys. This herd has been selected and bred for business purposes, and comprises many choice dairy carrying well-halanced and husinesslike milk vessels of large size, with good-sized and well-placed teats. The grand cow, D'nah of Lawnridge and her three charming daughters in the

will others of similar type and charac er in the herd, while the young bulls, heifers and calves, bred from deep and rich milking dams, give promise of keeping up the reputation of the breed for high-class dairy production. Norval is a station on the G.T.R. main line, some three miles from the farm, while Georgetown Junction, G.T.R., is about On March 31st, Mr. S. J. Lyons of the same distance, but rigs will meet Norval, Halton County, will dispense the Norval trains on the morning of sale and every attention will be paid to the visitors' comfort. World readers will find here the cream that makes their home life valuable and these cows should be eagerly sought for. Get one anyway.

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Attention is directed in this issue to

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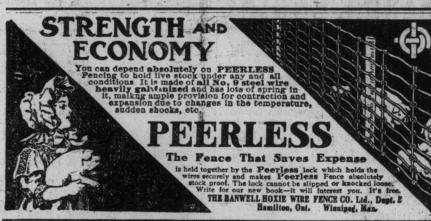
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The Milch Cows have just freshened, and the Horses are just right for spring work.

TERMS—Credit on usual items.

TIME—1 o'clock sharp.

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known as the Logan Farm. This farm situated about two miles from Pickering Station and was one time known as the best farm among the many good ones of the lakefront. But continual renting and no repairing has allowed the buildings to become run down, and the land neglected. But it is the makings of a fine old homestead with the expenditure of a little money. On the farm is a big stone house, frame barns, well, etc.

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cessful sale on Yonge-street on Tues- year-old Hackney, for \$240, and a day last. His horses were all in good chest jut diaught 3-year-old colt, for share and the work of the state ale, will prove attractive features, as the sale of 100 acres in Pickering, shape and brought good prices. The wey of Toronto,

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big prices. The farm teams sold for \$340, \$445 and \$417 each, while the yearling filly brought \$175. Mr. Routley of Brougham purchased the John W. Breakey had a most suc- horses, being one of the blacks, a 5 farm is sold to Mr. Trethe

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