

The Elgin Pure-bred Breeders' THIRD ANNUAL COMBINATION SALE

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Wednesday, November 13th, 1918

46 Shorthorns

24 OXFORD SHEEP

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13 bulls, large boned, low-down and smooth 13

12 choice Oxford ewe lambs 12 12 Oxford ram lambs 12

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IONA, ONT.

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Auction Sale

Owing to scarcity of stable room I am obliged to offer by public auction, at my farm, lot 30, first concession N. R. R. Charlottenburg, 3/4 mile east of Martintown, Glengarry Co., 6 miles south of Apple Hill, on C. P. R.

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sending both bulls and heifers. William Waldie, who has a habit of topping the sale is preparing some excellent stuff, which he will offer on November 6, including some of the progeny of his stock bull, Hillhead Chief. The young stuff brought forward by Kyle Bros. is always appreciated at this sale, and this fall they will offer some young bulls and heifers which they showed at the 1918 exhibitions. They will bring mostly heifers. R. & S. Nicholson always have a good consignment, and this year they are bringing forward a number of heifers, mostly by their well-known sire, Best Boy. Bulls and heifers from this herd in the past have been much sought after at the London Sale, and this year's contribution will be just as good. E. Brien & Sons are sending a good bunch of females, some of which are by Sea Foam. F. W. Scott will bring a couple of young bulls by Captain Rosebud. Herb. Lee will offer three good young heifers, one of which is a richly-bred Augusta. J. T. Gibson will have a small consignment of good stuff, while R. S. Robson & Son will offer a few desirable cows with calves at foot. Oestreicher & Sons are selling half a dozen, including a choice young bull, Rockefeller, of Rosalind breeding. This young bull was champion Shorthorn at the Exeter show, and is a good prospect for anyone in search of something extra. We have not mentioned all the contributions nor does space permit of a detailed description of the individuals making up this entire offering of sixty-five choice young cows and heifers and twenty bulls. Breeders in Canada and the United States, however, are now well enough acquainted with the Western Ontario Consignment Sale to know that many desirable Shorthorns will be offered them. The sale is to be held at the barns of the former Fraser House, one block north of the G. T. R. Depot. The Secretary and Manager of the sale, Harry Smith, Hay, Ontario, will forward a catalogue and all information. See the advertisement elsewhere in this issue, and when writing please mention The Farmer's Advocate.

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P. N. BROWN, Homewood Ave. Peterboro, Ontario

As will be seen in the advertisement in this issue, Weldwood Farm is now offering some choice young Yorkshires from the fall litters. The breeding females are particularly large, typey sows, weighing 500 and 550 lbs. in ordinary breeding condition. Four of the breeding sows are daughters of O. A. C. 2305, a sow of the Cinderella breeding and one which it is hard to fault. These sows have been mated with a hog of the Fame breeding, sired by Oak Lodge Masterpiece 13th. Thus it will be seen that two popular and valuable strains of Yorkshires are combined. The young hog at the head of the herd is particularly well proportioned, and of excellent type. The young stuff which

is being offered this fall are thrifty, typey youngsters that should make good foundation stock.

Markets

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per barrel, in bags, ex-track, and 15c. more to city bakers, with 10c. off for spot cash. Ontario winter wheat flour \$11.60, in new cotton bags; rye flour and oat flour, \$12 per barrel; Graham, \$11.30 to \$11.50; white corn flour, \$10.20; barley flour, \$10; mixed corn flour, \$9.20 per barrel, in bags, delivered to the trade.

Millfeed.—Bran was firmer at \$37.25 per ton; shorts, \$42.25 per ton, including bags, ex-track. Pure grain mouille, \$68 to \$70; feed cornmeal, \$66; barley feed, \$62 to \$63; mixed mouille, \$55, delivered to the trade.

Baled Hay.—No. 1 timothy, \$25 to \$26; No. 1 light clover mixed, \$25 to \$26; No. 2 timothy, \$24 to \$25; No. 2 clover mixture, \$23 to \$24; No. 3 timothy, \$22 to \$23.

Hides.—Veal skins were down to 35c. per lb., grassers to 25c.; kips, 20c.; and lamb skins were \$3.25 each; cow hides, 19c. per lb.; bulls, 17c.; steers, 24c. per lb., flat; horse hides, \$5 to \$6.75 each. Tallow, 3 1/2c. per lb. for scrap fat; 8c. for abattoir fat, and 16c. to 16 1/2c. per lb. for rendered.

Chicago.

Hogs.—Butchers', \$17.25 to \$18.15; light, \$16.75 to \$17.90; packing, \$15.65 to \$17; rough, \$14.50 to \$15.25; pigs, good to choice, \$14.50 to \$15.25.

Cattle.—Compared with a week ago better grades of medium and Western steers 25c. to 40c. higher. Common, light, 25c. lower. Beef cattle and canning stock unevenly steady to 25c. lower. Bulls, 25c. to 50c. lower. Calves, 75c. to \$1 lower. Feeding cattle, 25c. higher.

Sheep.—Compared with a week ago fat classes 25c. to 50c. lower. Feeding and breeding stock unevenly 50c. to \$1 lower. Ewes declining most.

Cheese Markets.

Watertown, 32 1/2c.; New York, special, 33c. to 33 1/2c.; average run, 32c. to 33c.; Montreal, finest easterns, 24 1/2c. to 25c.; St. Hyacinthe, Que., 24 1/2c.; Belleville, 24 9/16c.; Vankleek Hill, 24 5/8c.

Gossip.

Attention is again directed to the Ontario Agricultural College Sale of Breeding Stock to be held at the College, Guelph, on October 31. An attractive selection has been made from the well-known herds and flocks of the institution. Four Shorthorn bulls out of Augusta, Lavender and Roan Lady cows should prove attractive to anyone in need of a herd header. A number of choice Shorthorn females are also in the offering. Two choice Aberdeen-Angus bulls are offered for sale. Dairymen will find something choice in young bulls of Holstein and Ayrshire breeding. A large number of sheep and swine are also in the sale. For particulars consult advertisement in this paper and write Prof. W. Toole, or A. Leitch, O. A. C., Guelph.

New Importation of Southdowns for Alloway Lodge.

Hearing that Lt.-Col. Robt. McEwen, of London, R. R. 4, had just added an importation of Southdowns to his already strong flock, a representative of "The Farmer's Advocate" paid a visit to Alloway Lodge Stock Farm late last week in order to see these sheep in their new home. Included in this new importation were 10 field yearling ewes which have been added to the breeding flock, 5 ewe lambs, 4 yearling rams and 4 ram lambs. They were selected from well-known English flocks, as those of McCalmont, Lady Werhner and Lady Fitzgerald, and thus represent some of the best breeding in the native country of the Southdown. In brief, they are a typey, well-fleeced, high quality lot of sheep, just as one would expect from these noted flocks. It was noticeable though how well they blended with the home-bred stuff, there being no difference in type between that bred at Alloway Lodge and the imported individuals. On second thought this is not remarkable for the 50 ewes which make up the breeding flock are all imported or from

imported stock, and the stock ram himself was a winner at the Royal. A type or ideal has been established for this farm, and the home breeding as well as the importations most conform to it. As proof that this standard of excellence is in accordance with popular demand, one only has to refer to the winnings made in recent years at the larger exhibitions. Alloway Lodge Stock Farm has the enviable record of an unbeaten flock on either side of the line since 1913, and they have been shown at such fairs as the International at Chicago, Canadian National, Toronto, New York State, at Syracuse, and one year the flock went as far south as Memphis in search of new fields to conquer. Last year's Toronto and Syracuse champion ram, which was again champion at Toronto and London in 1918, was seen in the pens, and this year's lamb crop was much in evidence, it being a very successful season for the flock. What would interest breeders generally, however, was a group of 45 held yearling rams running at pasture. These were selected from the choice of last year's crop of lambs, and they were all sired by the best imported or Canadian-bred rams that could be purchased. They are indeed a uniform and typey bunch of big, strong, lusty shearlings, every one of which is ready to go into any flock and give satisfactory service. They have been brought along properly for the mating season, and they are now being offered at reasonable prices to make room for the younger stuff coming on. Anyone looking for a stock ram would do well to see these or write Col. McEwen about them.

While at this stock farm, where Aberdeen-Angus cattle are carried in considerable strength, we had the opportunity of seeing the progeny of the Queen Mother bull, Queens Edward. The sire himself was just in nice breeding condition, but his good type and quality which made him a first-prize winner at the Indiana State Fair is always in evidence. He has winning blood in his veins, too, for his dam was out of an international champion. Fortunately his individuality and breeding are being evidenced in the young stuff he leaves, for in one pen were two bulls which stood first and second in the junior calf class this year at the Western Fair. The larger of these two, "Tro Pride of Alloway," was also junior champion, and it must be remembered that the same keen competition existed at London as at Toronto the week previous. He is of Pride breeding and a very promising herd-sire prospect. He is a well-balanced youngster in every way but excels in scale, top, quarters and Angus character. His pen-mate is a month younger and a very attractive calf. These with a nice bunch of younger bull and heifer calves are sufficient evidence that the stock bull is mating well with the herd of breeding females, which is made up of Blackbirds, Ericas, Queen Mothers and Prides.

Sale Dates.

Oct. 29, 1918.—Alex. Shaw, Lakeside, Ont.—Holsteins.

Oct. 30, 1918.—Ellsworth Dunnett, Scotland, Ont.—Jerseys.

Oct. 31, 1918.—Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, Ont. Sale of pure-bred Live Stock.

Nov. 5, 1918.—Wm. D. Munro, Lot 30, 1st concession, N. R. R., Charlottenburgh, —Jerseys.

Nov. 6, 1918.—Western Ontario Consignment Sale, London, Ont.—Shorthorns. Harry Smith, Hay, Sec'y.

Nov. 13, 1918.—Elgin Pure-bred Breeders', St. Thomas, Ont.—Shorthorns and Oxford sheep. Jas. Page, Sec.

Nov. 20, 1918.—Fred. E. Hilliker, R. R. No. 2, Norwich, Ont.—Holsteins.

Nov. 27, 1918.—London District, Holstein Breeders' Club, London, Ont. Sec. Fred. Bodkin.

Dec. 3, 1918.—Arbogast Bros., Sebringville, Ont.—Holsteins, sale at Union Stock Yards, Toronto.

Dec. 5, 1918.—Elgin Pure-bred Holsteins, St. Thomas, Ont. E. C. Gilbert, Sec.

Dec. 11, 1918.—Niagara Peninsula Holstein Breeders' Club, W. C. Houck, Sec., sale at Dunnville.

Dec. 17, 1918.—Oxford Holstein Breeders' Club, Woodstock, W. E. Thomas, Sec.

Dec. 13, 1918.—Ontario Hereford Breeders' Assoc., Guelph, Ont., Sec. Jas. Page, Wallacetown.

Dec. 18, 1918.—Brant District Holstein Breeders' Club, Brantford, N. P. Sager, Sec.