

STOCK GOSSIP.

The attention of our readers is directed to the announcement of Jas. Bawtinheimer, Blandford Station, who offers a very attractive and useful Suffolk Punch stallion for sale in this issue. Write him at once for particulars.

W. A. Pettit, of the Winnipeg White Leghorn Poultry Yards, writes us:—"My birds have wintered well, and are now in good breeding condition. At the recent show I took first prize on breeding pen, first on hen, first on pullet, and first and second on cockerels. The eggs for breeding, as advertised in this issue, are from my choicest females, including prize-winners mated to a cock from the stock of Knapp Bros., New York."

AYRSHIRES AT BURNSIDE.

Burnside Farm, Howick, P.Q., is the property of Messrs. Robertson & Ness. Derby Tom heads the herd; sired by Tom Brown, the sweepstakes bull at Chicago; dam, Derby of Bogside, a leading prize winner in Scotland imported by the late Thos. Brown. We will note a few of the females which impressed us most favorably: Nancy 3884, an excellent breeder, the dam of Tom Brown and Jessie of Burnside 6012, sired by Golden Guinea, secured first prize as a three-year-old at Chicago, and last season carried off the first prize wherever shown. She is a typical Ayrshire, with splendid head, neck and shoulders; she carries a beautiful udder, and is a good handler. Eva of Burnside 6242, a full sister of Jessie, is a promising young cow. Daisy of Burnside, also a full sister to the two former, is a promising young heifer. Lady Maggie 6013 is the mother of several choice ones, and has good individual merit. Among the younger animals, Bud of Burnside 6259, by Golden Guinea, was the first-prize heifer calf at Chicago, and first last fall wherever shown, including Sherbrooke and Ottawa. Queen of Burnside 6258 has also been a successful prize winner and a good milker. Lady Nancy and John Brown out of Nancy 3884, are two promising youngsters. We also noticed a very nice yearling heifer and calf out of Jessie. The calf is sired by Tom Brown, and is promising well. We expect to see her out at the leading shows next fall. Space will not permit of mentioning but a few of the numerous good ones in the herd, which present numbers 3884 to 6258. Sales the past year have been remarkably good, to all parts of the Dominion, but more particularly to the Maritime Provinces. The morning we were there we saw a good heifer calf shipped to Sweetburg, P. Q.

MR. G. W. CLEMONS' HOLSTEIN-FRIESIANS.

The farm on which Mr. Clemons is carrying on his breeding operations is located some three miles north of St. George. Here are to be seen some of the finest specimens of the Holstein-Friesian breed as we have had the pleasure of inspecting, many of the individuals being very choice and of the best breeding. Some of the young stock, as well as the older ones, have already made a good showing record, and give every evidence of repeating, if not excelling it in the future, and no doubt during the coming fall exhibitions they will carry many a well-earned trophy from the field. Mr. Clemons, although a very successful breeder and exhibitor in the past, is still desirous of building his herd up to a yet higher standard, and with this intention in view, he recently visited the famous Brookside herd of Messrs. H. Stevens & Sons, of Lacona, N. Y., from which he selected seven head of very choice Holstein-Friesians, which are now in quarantine at Pt. Edward. As Mr. Clemons visited the States with the view of purchasing some of the best good or nothing we expect to see something choice on their arrival. The famous herd of Messrs. Stevens, from which this importation was selected, secured sixteen out of a possible twenty-seven prizes offered by the American Holstein-Friesian Association, for the largest official butter records for a season. The greatest record made by any cow in these tests was that of Messrs. Stevens' great cow, DeKol 2nd, made ten days after calving, who produced 26.57 pounds butter in seven days. This cow made a record six years ago, under more favorable circumstances, of 33 pounds 6 ounces in seven days, the largest ever made by a four-year-old. Her daughter, DeKol 2nd's Queen, has a record as a three-year-old of 28 lbs. 7 ozs. in seven days, another daughter making 82 pounds 7 1/2 ounces in thirty days, as a two-year-old, which, considering age, are the largest productions on record. Mr. Clemons has secured as much as possible of the DeKol blood, which should be of great advantage in increasing the butter-producing qualities of Canadian Holsteins. The importation comprises the following animals:—The bull calf Sir Pietertje Josephine Mechthilde, by Empress Josephine 3rd's Sir Mechthilde, whose dam and sire's dam have a record of 36 pounds 11 1/2 ounces in seven days, his dam, Pietertje 3rd's Albino, being a daughter of Pietertje 3rd, which gave, as a three-year-old, 17,927 pounds milk in a year, and, as a four-year-old, 21,126 pounds, the largest record ever made by a four-year-old. If space would permit we could particularize further on the great milking and butter-producing qualities of the antecedents of this bull. This bull is said by Messrs. Stevens to be the best they have ever bred in all their long experience, and if he develops according to present promise, he will do credit to his high breeding. Inka 5th, an extra fine daughter of the famous old cow Inka, is one of the cows selected—record of 75 lbs. milk in one day. She is due to calve in May by the great butter bull DeKol 2nd's Paul DeKol. Lady Akkree 2nd is a beautiful cow, and is probably the finest butter cow of the breed ever brought to Canada; she has given 671 pounds milk per day, which tested 4.60 per cent. butter fat. She calves in April by DeKol 2nd's Paul DeKol. Queen DeKol, by DeKol 2nd's Netherland Alban, Inka Rose Pietertje DeKol, for which Mr. Clemons has already refused \$300, Lady Netherland DeKol and Mondamin's Daisy Barrington are all beautiful, nicely-marked heifers with records of from 50 to 75 pounds milk per day. The fourteen nearest female ancestors of the last mentioned heifer have milk records which average 82.5-14 pounds milk in one day. This heifer is bred to DeKol 2nd's Butter Boy, whose six nearest female ancestors average nearly 33 pounds butter for one week. This importation comprises the blood of the wonderful butter cows, Mechthilde DeKol 2nd, mingled with that of the Inkas, Pietertjes, Albinos, Netherlands, Barringtons, and other famous families.

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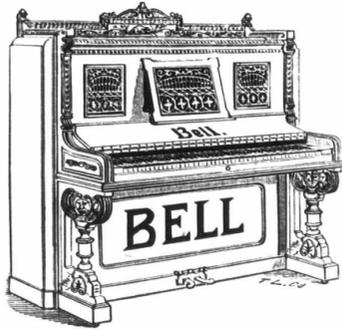
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