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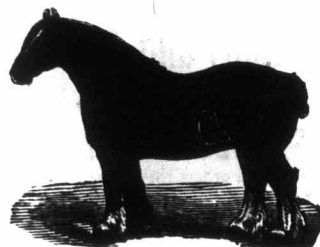
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### GOSSIP.

W. G. PETTIT & SON'S HERD OF IMPORTED AND HOME-BRED SHORTHORNS AND SHROPSHIRE.

On page 465 will be found the new and enlarged advertisement of imported and Canadian-bred Shorthorns of W. G. Pettit & Son, Freeman, near Burlington, Ont. This old and reliable herd has recently been strengthened by the addition of twenty newly-imported Scotch-bred Shorthorns, two bulls and eighteen heifers, which were selected by Mr. George Campbell, of Kinellar, from a number of standard Aberdeenshire herds, and are richly bred in the blood of many of the best of the Cruickshank, Kinellar and Upper Mill tribes. A look over the cattle reveals that they are, as a lot, uniform in type, and that the most popular and approved type, being of good medium size, straight, smooth and well covered with a good quality of natural flesh evenly distributed. They have evidently not been forced, but kept in good thrifty, growing condition, and they show robust constitutions, strong backs, straight top and bottom lines, have handsome heads, neat horns, and quiet dispositions, and many of them, if fitted, would make show animals. Of the two bulls in the importation, Matabele Chief is a very handsome and stylish red two-year-old, with straight outlines, deep forelegs and flanks, long level quarters, a handsome head showing much character and carried proudly on a strong crest, giving him a spirited and vigorous appearance, combined with a good temper. He was bred by Mr. Wilson, Pieriesmill, Aberdeenshire, and his sire, Senacherib, was by Sovereign, and out of Sensation, of Mr. Cruickshank's Secret tribe, by Roan Gauntlet, the sire of William of Orange and Field Marshal. His dam is May Queen 4th, of the Moss Rose tribe, by Boulevard, by Royal James, bred by Mr. Cruickshank. The younger imported bull is Red Light, a red yearling, bred by Mr. James Black, Bartholomew, a deep-bodied, blocky, low-set bull, of fine character and quality, with forelegs and flanks well let down, a handsome head, smooth shoulders, level quarters, and long, wide thighs. He was got by the Upper Mill bred Captain Ripley, who was by Captain of the Guard, dam by William of Orange. Captain of the Guard was bred by Mr. Cruickshank, and used for several years in the herd of Mr. Deane Willis, where he left many prize-winners, including the champion group of five bull calves at the Birmingham Show. The dam of Red Light was Lustre 16th, of the Duke of Richmond's crack family of that name, by Richmond, bred at Sittytown. Of the 18 heifers imported, fourteen are two-year-olds and four yearlings; thirteen are red and five are roan. Among the lot there are seven straight Cruickshank pedigrees, and the balance are deeply bred in the blood lines of the Sittytown and other leading Aberdeenshire herds. There are five substantial red heifers, got by the Gordon Castle bred bull, New Year's Gift, (by Knight of the Garter), and out of dams of the Jealousy, Mysie, Minerva, Lily of Towie, and Lady Annie families. The Jealousy two-year-old, Rose of Towie 3rd, is an exceptionally wide and thick heifer, out of Rose of Towie, by the Collingie-bred Coming Star, a grandson of Field Marshal. Lily of Towie, out of Lily of Towie 2nd, by Jasper, by Sittytown Fame, is of similar pattern. The granddam of these, Japonica 4th, was sired by the Highland Society prize bull, Lord Chelmsford, to whom a number of the heifers are related. A beautiful roan, Lady Mary 16th, comes from the Nether Auguston herd of Mr. A. W. Still, sired by Maximus (by Massena, dam Mademoiselle 7th, by Master of Ceremonies, of the Missie tribe), and out of Lady Mary 14th, by Mountain Gem, bred at Upper Mill, from William of Orange and Coquette 3rd. Susanna Rowena and Coquette are a trio of sonnie heifers of the Sittytown Secret, and Brawith Bud families, bred by Mr. Jamieson, Mains of Waterton, and sired by the Bruce-bred bull, Hallmark (by Royal Robin, and out of Augusta 7th, by Privy Seal). Their dams are by Topsman, bred at Kinellar, a son of Gravesend and Maid of Promise 6th, granddam by the Cruickshank Victoria bull, Vermont. Lilly Perier is a handsome roan, by Cassimer Perier, bred by W. S. Marr, and got by William of Orange.

Craibstone Beauty 5th, bred by Mr. Anderson, Old Meldrum, is a red heifer of fine presence and promise, sired by Craibstone, a son of William of Orange, and out of Meadow Beauty 5th, by Lord of the Meadow, by Field Marshal, granddam Lady Mysie, by Field Marshal. Craibstone was from the same family as Lord Caledon's champion bull, Sign of Riches, champion of the Highland and Royal Dublin Shows. Maude 10th, bred by Mr. Still, Strathray, is a capital red heifer, by Golden Casket, by Cap-

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Among the yearlings, Rosie, a red, bred by Mr. Watson, North Achrobie, is a heifer of beautiful pattern, lengthy, level and straight in her lines; sired by Reveler, by Allan Gwynne, and out of Snowdrop, by Prince Horace (a Marr-bred bull), by William of Orange; granddam by Heir of Englishman, the greatest of all Upper Mill sires.

Muriel is a red Mina of the good old Kenellar family of that name and is a worthy representative of the tribe, being blocky and deep, level and true in all her lines. She was sired by Star of Lancaster, a son of Star of the Morning, of Mr. Cruickshank's favorite Clipper tribe, sire of Mr. Duthie's famous prizewinning Pride of the Morning. The dam of Muriel was Myra, by Macaroni, by Clan Alpine, bred by Mr. Cruickshank, and out of the same dam as Mr. Duthie's 300-guinea bull at the October sale, 1896. Mysie 54th is a useful red yearling, bred by Mr. Webster, of Towie, Barclay, and sired by the Duke of Richmond's New Year's Gift, and out of Mysie 52nd, of the excellent family of that name. The greater number of these heifers were bred before shipment to Count Amaranth, a bull of fine character, bred by Mr. Duthie, and for which Mr. Campbell paid him \$500 when a calf. The balance are being bred to Matabele Chief and Red Light, and nearly all are believed to be in calf.

The original herd of some fifty head is made up of representatives of a number of standard families, some of which are bred straight from imported Scotch-bred stock, and only high-class bulls have been used. The herd, as now constituted, takes rank among the best and most up-to-date in the Dominion. Indian Statesman, by the well-known and successful sire Indian Chief, bred by Mr. Cruickshank, from his favorite Victoria tribe, and his dam of the equally meritorious Duchess of Gloster family, has been the principal sire in use the last three years, and has left a grand lot of heifers in the herd, while the young bulls sired by him have been of the right type, and have found ready sale at good prices. Messrs. Pettit make a specialty of supplying good young bulls of strong character and thriftiness, and have met with gratifying success in pleasing their customers in this line. A high-class flock of registered Shropshire sheep is also maintained on the farm, and a choice lot of yearling rams and ram lambs, sired by imported Flashlight, are held for sale.

#### THE CARGILL IMPORTATION OF SHORTHORNS.

The London *Live Stock Journal* of recent date says:—"Mr. S. Campbell, Kinellar, Aberdeen, whose father, the late Mr. Campbell, Kinellar, was one of the first exporters of Shorthorns to the Dominion, has just completed an important commission on behalf of Messrs. Cargill & Son, Cargill, Ontario, by the purchase of nine capital-bred Shorthorn bulls and twenty-one females. The bulls purchased by Mr. Campbell include the Collingie-bred Count Amaranth, for which Mr. Campbell, Dyston, gave 100 guineas at last year's Collingie sale; Count Sarcasm, also bred at Collingie and representing one of the most valued strains of blood at Sittytown; Coronet, bred at Balbegno, and a winner at local shows; and Prince Cruickshank, another very good bull, of Cruickshank type and breeding, which should prove an acquisition to his new home. The females in the lot include the Fingask-bred three-year-old cow, Morning Perfection, the Nether Dallachie-bred cow, Lady Miranda, and the Jackson-bred Clara Douglas. Included in the shipment were also twenty females purchased direct from Mr. Duthie, Collingie, and Mr. Marr, Upper Mill; ten from each. The whole consignment, both bulls and females, are of the highest merit alike, individually and in point of breeding. Mr. Campbell has also purchased six Clydesdales for the Messrs. Cargill, three being bred at Balmedie, while a fourth was the Coullie-bred Prince of Carruchan colt which was first at the Aberdeen Spring Show."

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