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AUCTION SALE PRICES.

COMMENDS THE WORLD.

ENGLISH PRICE REGULATIONS A

MYTH.

F. L. Green, the big miller and stock farmer of Greenwood, Ontario County, speaks of the situation. He breeds and sells hundreds of pigs annually

and knows what his pigs cost him. He places the cost of feeding pigs in winter at five cents per pound if pigs

"At present time (in November) pork prices in the U.S. are higher than here.

The U.S. export to the same market as our packers do, and do not command

as good a price there as Canadian ba-

con does, consequently they must be

losing money or our packers are making too much. This

regulatin of prices paid here by the probable prince in England

six weeks hence, is all a myth. If Brit-ish markets drop to any extent to-day

down go our prices at once; they do

SIX OR SIX-FIFTY.

the uniform prices. He says:

for our hogs the year round.

Jno. Scott of Altona rather favors

think we should have 6 to 6 1-2 cents

it that pork always takes a drop at this time of the year? The packers

say it is caused by the over supply.I say

time of the year when farmers have

notes to met and rent to pay, and have

They know well that this is the

not wait to estimate prices there six

say:

are thrifty.

weeks hence."

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orth upon many an occasion. quality of our cheese has already of the markets. made the province enviable in the eyes of the world. Our purebred stock has hown to the world, at Chicago, what ntelligent breeding and the vigorous limate of Ontario can do in the production of the best blogi.

me of Ontario has been blazoned

at Guelph this week. Already in the

gricultural forum of the world the seen in almost any direction now.

And now the visitors at the Fat Stock Show at the seat of the agricultural university, are a credit to any country. The display of animals, the multiplicity of interesting debates on wives delving into the secrets of how o make the homestead more useful

humanity; and the experimental

few grew before. No visitor can be

GOOD JUDGMENT ACQUIRED.

It has been often remarked that poets are born not made. Many'try to apply this dictum, as an axiom,

to every profession and activity of life. And to a great extent it is true that the fitness for any particular sphere in life is predestined by a rights. The parliament ought to make skilful and wise Creator. But to err into the belief that whatever is will te, works a fatalism that is ruinous to enterprise and progressive endea-

vor. For already too many of our farmers and other citizens excuse themselves for their failures by the for their work.

This excuse is to a large extent a very lame one, and is made to cover a multitude of shortcomings. The mechanism inside a man's head is of wonderful construction. No business is too severe a strain for one calling himself worthy of the name that

boasts of Shakespeare. So that persistent application by even the dullest will work wonders in any vocation. "Give me," remarks one, "the man slow of understanding, but a plodder,

patience, often in this old world, does accomplish more than gifts. The man who is favored with a particular gift

depends upon his endowment too much.. The dullard knows he has to climb and is surprised when he of reaches the top, to see the downfall of News.

so many of his quondam associates. Nowhere, more than in agriculture, does this gospel of work need to be heralded forth - It is the constant intelligent forging ahead that makes for success. By this we'do not mean that the physical straining of the muscles for sixteen hours in a day is the panacea, but the capable and nal. thoughtful approach to an end. Get

the end in view, and then push for The production of the best feeder,

the model bacon type of pig, the best grain, and the most service-

market reports misses the exact state Some more opinions of the breeders of hogs appear in this issue.

Railway construction work can be

Agitation of the farmers' interests will bring about their wants in time. Ottawa politicians seem anxious to show their love for agriculture now.

on Friday is easily reached by street cars up Yonge-street, Toronto.

multiplicity of interesting debates on farm topics, the conclave of farmers' the Ontario men "tendenfeet" are now returning to the old home for Christmas. It speaks louder than words. Herald.

See Hogate's sale announcement in set enthused in their laudable work of making more bushels grow where

Matt. Richardson and Son of Cale so insensible to material things as to be unmoved by the display of farm and field that is now at Guelph-We would call the attention of the milkmen to this chance, as nearly every cow in this herd will produce more milk and butter than three ordinary cows bought on the Toronto market. The buying moral is plain.

Transportation is everything to the armer. The way his goods are cared farmer. The way his goods are cared for by the railways is shameful at times. It is a continual fight for their as easy as possible to get these rights.

It is a queer commentary on our law systems that a person has to pay \$1200 costs to get \$600 of his rights.

Any farmer who knows what is the best thing to do will not mortgage his threadbare apology of not being fitted farm to invest in the mining companies which are springing up like mushooms these days.

The discussion of the farmer's flock of sheep seems to be the order of the institute meetings these days. The sheep is one of the paying animals on the farm in more ways than money returns. Every man should keep a few sheep

An account of some of the winnings at Chicago appeared in the Saturday issue of The World. We congratulate our Ontario stables on their successes

James Brodie of Bethesda has just ple." The truth is that work and stalled in his farm buildings. The water is forced 1500 feet to a height of 60 feet. John Gerow of Claremont super-intended the construction of the same.

Robert Miller of Pickering has sold Claret Princess IV., a beautiful red Shorthorn cow, to E. Wilson and Son Brougham, says The Pickering

Arthur Boyes of Pickering has pur chased the 63-acre farm from Arthur Ridley of the second concession for over \$50 per acre.

W. H. Weber of the 17th concession of Howick, the Shropshire sheep man of that district, recently sold 22 of his flock to a Yankee buyer and realized about \$500, says The St. Mary's Jour-

Robert McDonald of the 9th concession of Grey recently purchased a nne Shorthorn bull from Andrew Sloan, the well-known breeder, in Blyth.

A Missouri girl married a young guide, who, after the wedding, took

this size in Guelph Township, says The Guelph Mercury. It is only 2½ miles from the city; has good soil, fine buildings, and is well appointed in every way. Mr. Barclay has sold on account of ill-health, and intends mov-

J. M. Barclay has sold his farm of

133 acres to Andrew Shearer of the Waterloo-road for \$10,000. This is per-haps the highest price for a farm of

ing into the city. During the season just closed there were 34.035 cheese offered for sale on McGillivray's sale at Bedford Park average cheese at 85 lbs, the total weight of cheese sold would be 2,892,-975 ibs. or about 14461/2 tons, which

at an average price of 11½ cents would amount to \$318,227.25. We believe, however, that the average price would exceed 11½ cents in the most factories for the season's make, says The

No one is so independent as the farmer, remarks The Parkhill Post; he doesn't have to truckle; if he is

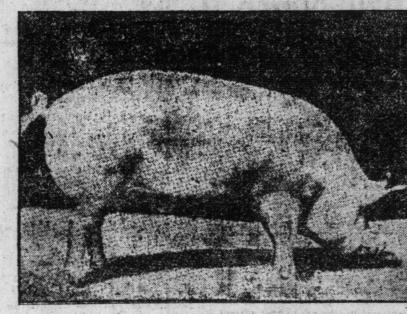
insulted he can recent the insult without fear of losing trade, and there is out fear of losing trade, and there is no earthly reason, with the improved farm machinery he has in use, why he should not have as much leisure time each day for reading and study as would make him one of the best informed men in any calling.

Have you ever sworn to quit raising road horses around where there are barb wire fences?. One can rear a dozen draughters and never get a mark on them, but just as soon as you de-cide to raise a good driving horse you find that the barb wire fence is his enemy right from the start. A man

ought to have woven wire fence or go out of the business of producing standard horses. A great many farmers in the district

east of Toronto are complaining about the late shipments of sugar beets. They say that they will not continue to grow them unless the company con-tracts to have the shipments made before the middle of November. It is an extra trial to the farmer to have to draw his beets in cold weather and at a time when the winter feeding de-

mands' so much attention.



## The Typical Hog for the Canadian Bacon Trade.

In the accompanying illustration of the good underline. The medium bacon hog, the main points as re-long legs, well standing up, on good

tice in Friday's paper are well brought out, note even shoulder, long side, rounded back and bear-like ham, with

John A. White of Brougham writes: "On October 18th, one Forkshire grade sow with 10 pigs 3 weeks' old sold at a sale here for \$17. Dry sow's sold at my sale for \$17 to \$20 and sucking pigs brought \$2.75 each in November, and 751b, shoats \$6.00." ized a favorable report on the nor ation of William H. Moody, the sent attorney-general, to be an sociate justice of the supreme co of the United States. WORLD'S FARM CALENDAR. Fat Stock Show Guelph closer to

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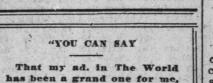
late justice of the supreme court

Fat Stock Show, Guelph, closes Dec. Walkerton Xmas Fair, Dec. 12.

Col. McGillivray's Shorthorn Sale, Colwill Bros., Newcastle, in writing Bedford Park, Dec. 14. Hogate's Clyde Filly Sale, Weston, We admire the stand The World has always taken in the interests of the farmer. May you continue in the good work until ideal conditions prevail be-tween the producers and the packers."

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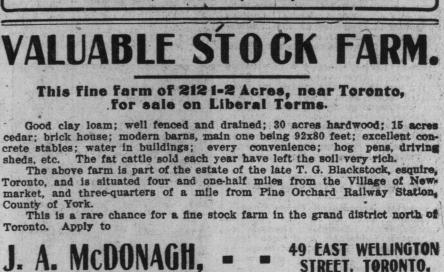
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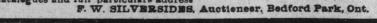
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