

POULTRY AND EGGS

Condensed advertisements will be inserted under this heading at two cents per word each insertion. Each initial counts for one word, and figures for two words. Names and addresses are counted. Cash must always accompany the order for any advertisement under this heading. Parties having good pure-bred poultry and eggs for sale will find plenty of customers by using our advertising columns. No advertisement inserted for less than 30 cents.

BARRED ROCKS—Utility-bred, on free range, from heavy-laying stock. Vigorous, growthy cockerels, \$1. J. M. McIlquham, Lanark, Ontario.

CHOICE TOULOUSE AND EMBDEN GEESE, \$2.50 each, if taken this month. Emerson Tufts, Welland, Ontario.

FEATHERS WANTED—We pay highest prices for Goose, Duck, Hen and Turkey Feathers, Furs, Hides, Wool, Beeswax, etc. Prompt returns. Send for price list. The Canada Fur & Feather Co., Dept. 2, 605 Ontario St. E., Montreal.

PRIZEWINNING Brown and White Leghorns, Rose and Silver-comb Black Minorcas, Silver-laced and White Wyandottes, Barred and White Plymouth Rocks. Please state your wants. One pair Rose-comb White Leghorn and Black Orpingtons. C. Day, Highgate, Ont.

PURE-BRED RHODE ISLAND RED PULLETS AND COCKERELS from superior, prizewinning stock. Pullet one dollar and fifty cents, cockerels one dollar, trios three dollars. H. E. Williams, Knowlton, P.Q.

POULTRY WANTED

We are in the market for your poultry, either

Alive or Dressed

And are in a position to pay the highest prices for all shipments from points west of Hamilton, Ont. If we have no representative in your section, write us direct for prices. We supply crates and remit promptly.

FLAVELLE-SILVERWOOD, LTD.
London, Ontario

LIVE POULTRY

For best results ship your Live Poultry to us, also your Dressed Poultry, Butter and Eggs.

Crates Supplied. Prompt Returns.

The Wm. DAVIES Co. Ltd.
TORONTO

PLEASANT VALLEY FARM

One hundred White Wyandottes and S. C. White Leghorns, cock birds and cockerels, from prizewinning matings, the latter from 1st-prize cockerel, C. N. E., Toronto, 1910; good colors; price \$3 to \$5.

GEO. AMOS & SONS, Moffat, Ont.

VILE PUN.

He—How clean the surf keeps the seashells.

She—Yes, you know the sea is very tidy.

'PHONE IN THE FARM HOUSE.

Mrs. Giles (at the 'phone while the baby cries on the floor)—"Deary me, you don't say so, Mrs. Brown. Well, as I says, I never did like 'er," etc., etc.

Farmer Giles (aside)—"There she is at it again. I haven't had a decent meal since that blessed telephone got in the house."

GOSSIP.

The Bureau of Colonization of the Department of Agriculture of the Province of Ontario is sending through the Province a Demonstration Car, exhibiting samples of the grains, roots, vegetables, etc., grown in the Great Northland—The Temiskaming Land.

The car will be at the following points on the dates mentioned:

October 12th.....	North Bay.
" 13th-14th.....	Pembroke.
" 16th.....	Cobden.
" 17th-18th.....	Renfrew.
" 19th.....	Arnprior.
" 20th.....	Carp.
" 21st.....	Kinburn.
" 23rd.....	Galetta.
" 24th.....	Almonte.
" 25th.....	Carleton Junction.
" 26th.....	Stittsville.
" 27th-28th.....	Smith's Falls.
" 30th.....	Winchester.
" 31st.....	Cornwall.
November 1st.....	Brockville.
" 2nd-3rd.....	Perth.
" 4th.....	Sharbot Lake.
" 6th.....	Sydenham.
" 7th-8th.....	Kingston.
" 9th.....	Napanee.
" 10th.....	Belleville.
" 11th-13th.....	Peterboro.
" 14th.....	Port Hope.
" 15th.....	Cobourg.
" 16th.....	Bowmanville.
" 17th.....	Sunderland.
" 18th.....	Cannington.
" 20th.....	Beaverton.
" 21st.....	Woodville.
" 22nd.....	Lindsay.
" 23rd.....	Kinmount.
" 24th.....	Gelert.
" 25th.....	Uxbridge.
" 27th.....	Stouffville Jct.
" 28th-29th.....	Markham.
" 30th.....	Unionville.

The car is in charge of two attendants, who will supply all information, and the farmers of Old Ontario should make it a point to visit the car and see for themselves the resources of this Land of Promise.

BOOK REVIEW.

MANUAL OF FARM ANIMALS.

The most successful handling of live stock requires a wide and varied knowledge, and new problems are ever confronting those engaged in the breeding and feeding of each of the different classes of animals kept on the farm. Any new and valuable information should be and is welcomed by those interested in the business, and the subject has by no means been exhausted. Many new ideas, based on the sound foundation of practical knowledge and experience, are brought out in a new book, entitled "Manual of Farm Animals," by M. W. Harper, Assistant Professor of Animal Husbandry in the New York State College of Agriculture at Cornell University. This handsomely-bound volume of upwards of 550 pages, and containing a large number of high-class illustrations, is published by The Macmillan Company of Canada, Ltd., Toronto. The characteristics of the different breeds are best brought out in the illustrations, the author's main purpose being to discuss the general care and management of farm animals, rather than the breeds themselves. Common practical matters are taken up in detail, and are discussed in the light of the best accepted and most capable knowledge of the present day. Each of the four main classes of farm stock, horses, cattle, sheep and swine, has a part of the book devoted to it, and special stress is laid upon the choosing, breeding and management. A feature of the book is an explanation, accompanied by illustrations, which clearly show how to tell the age of a horse, cow or sheep, by the teeth. It is important that everyone engaged in buying and selling farm stock, as nearly every stockman is, should be able to tell the age of animals, and the teeth offer the most accurate and convenient means of doing this. This is simply one of the many outstanding features of this new work, which contains an abundance of valuable information on foods and feeding, judging, breeding, care and management and diseases, and their treatment. The book may be had through this office for \$2.25, postpaid.

BOOK REVIEW.

DAIRY CATTLE AND MILK PRODUCTION.

The dairy cow is a machine concerning the intricate workings of which the best posted and most widely experienced dairyman has but a limited knowledge. Students of agriculture and dairy farmers have spent years of work and study in order that the output from the dairy might be increased, and still there is a vast amount of knowledge to be gained. In dairying, as in every other occupation in which the human race engages, we may learn by the experience of others. Clarence H. Eckles, B. S. A., M. Sc., Professor of Dairy Husbandry, University of Missouri, presents in printed form in his new book, "Dairy Cattle and Milk Production," which has just come from the press of The Macmillan Company of Canada, Ltd., Toronto, valuable material on dairying, which has been gathered by him during the past ten years. The author has had charge of a herd of from thirty to fifty cows for fifteen years, and this, together with his scientific knowledge, enabled him to put forth a volume of over 350 pages, every one of which contains some good hints on dairying. Besides relating his own experience, he has gathered together and placed in concise form much information which had hitherto been accessible only as it was scattered through reports of experiment stations, Government reports, and the agricultural press. It is a book for the student, and every dairyman should be a student of his own business. The book is well illustrated and nicely bound, and contains a wealth of information on all subjects pertaining to dairying. Copies may be had through this office, at \$1.75, postpaid.

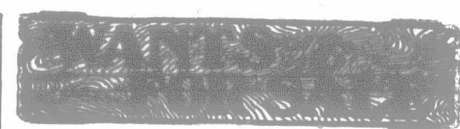
TRADE TOPIC.

BOOK CENSORSHIP IN RUSSIA.

The spirit of enlightenment seems at last to be penetrating the circle of Russian officialdom. This appears to be indicated by the significant announcement that the new edition of the "Encyclopædia Britannica" has been allowed to enter Russia "without any mutilation," this being the first instance on record of a work of such comprehensive importance being admitted scatheless. It is not so long since the visitor to Russia, if he received his foreign books and newspapers at all, had to accept the "blackening-out" of whole columns or sheets at the hands of the censor as a mere matter of course. The recipient was allowed to read only what was not deemed to be "pernicious" matter, and frequently there would be next to nothing innocuous left for him to peruse. Since the revolution of 1905, a milder and more intelligent attitude towards the diffusion of knowledge has been apparent. Evidently, too, the officials are a good deal less "touchy" than formerly. It is a little amusing to find the "Britannica's" article on Russia stating, in reference to the judicial system, that in 1880 "the fines inflicted by the courts were commonly paid in 'vodka,' which was consumed on the premises by the judges and parties to the suit." This statement had not ruffled the censor, and even the further suggestion that this amiable custom has not yet been altogether abandoned, seems to have been viewed with quite a tolerant eye. It is piquant also to find that Prince Kropotkin, the famous revolutionist, who escaped from Russia in 1876 after two years' imprisonment, and who, as much as anyone, has experienced the obstacles to the diffusion of knowledge in his native land, is himself a contributor to the "Encyclopædia Britannica." Not only does the distinguished exile write on topographical, geological, and historical aspects of Russia, but he is also responsible for the article on "Anarchism." Of all the many contributors to the "Britannica," probably no one regards its free admission into Russia with greater satisfaction than the author of "Memoirs of a Revolutionist."

THEY GO ON FOR EVER.

Military Instructor—"What is meant by hereditary enemies?"
Recruit—"Your relations."



Advertisements will be inserted under this heading, such as Farm Properties, Help and Situations Wanted, and Pet Stock.

TERMS—Three cents per word each insertion. Each initial counts for one word and figures for two words. Names and addresses are counted. Cash must always accompany the order. No advertisement inserted for less than 60 cents.

AGENTS WANTED—A line for every home. Write us for our choice list of agents' supplies. We have the greatest agency proposition in Canada to-day. No outlay necessary. Apply: B. C. I. Co., 228 Albert St., Ottawa.

BROOKBANK FARM FOR SALE—95 acres of A1 land. Farm has been heavily stocked for years, and is rich. Large barns; good stables; two silos; two dwelling houses; 1 mile from Currie's Station. Splendid chance to ship milk or cream to Toronto. Small woods; apple orchard. Six miles south of Woodstock; county macadam road all the way. Splendid chance for stock-breeder or general farmer. Apply to Geo. Rice, Prop., Tillsonburg, Ontario.

BELTING FOR SALE—Over 1,000,000 feet in rubber, canvas, etc.; all sizes and lengths, at 25 to 50% less than regular prices; also large quantities of iron pipe, fencing, etc. Catalogues sent on request. The Imperial Waste & Metal Co., 20 Queen St., Montreal.

ENGLISH CANADIAN, 26 years (single), good education, seeks situation as manager on grain or dairy farm. Good feeder, worker and milker. Apply: W., "Farmer's Advocate," London.

FRUIT FARM AND COUNTRY HOME FOR SALE—Owner advertises his large apple orchard, thirty acres, which includes about five per cent. of plums, pears and cherries. Nearly five acres of choice grapes in full bearing. Modern residence, eleven rooms; bath-room, hot and cold water; all modern conveniences; large verandah. Man's cottage, five rooms. Coach house, barns and extra good stables; ice house, etc. Twenty miles from Toronto; most convenient railway service to the city. Popular neighborhood; property increasing in value rapidly. Will sell buildings and orchard, including seventy-five acres, for \$350 per acre, or the whole 150 acres for \$175 per acre. Owner having gone into commercial line is unable to look after both. Twelve acres of orchard is bearing, balance five to eight years old. Address: Box S, "Farmer's Advocate," London.

GENTLEMAN, in Woodstock, Ontario, desires to engage a Canadian couple. Man must be temperate, understand the care of a horse, fowl and plain gardening; woman, cooking and general house service. Wages for couple, \$40.00 per month, with board and lodging. References required. Apply: Drawer 30, Woodstock, Ontario.

GUELPH FARMS FOR SALE—All sizes and prices. Near Ontario Agricultural College. D. Barlow, Guelph.

VANCOUVER ISLAND, British Columbia, offers sunshiny, mild climate; good profits for men with small capital in fruit-growing, poultry, mixed farming, timber, manufacturing, fisheries, new towns. Good chances for the boys. Investments safe at 6 per cent. For reliable information, free booklets, write Vancouver Island Development League, Room A, 23 Broughton Street, Victoria, British Columbia.

WANTED—Rock elm, maple and walnut logs. Bradley Co., Hamilton, Ontario.

WANTED—Married man for general farm work. Wife to board men. Must be a good cook. W. K. Gooding, Islington.

WANTED—Working foreman for dairy farm, married, who thoroughly understands all farm work. Good milker and feeder. Steady situation to right man. Apply to Box B, "Farmer's Advocate," London.

WANTED—First-class dairy farm hand, capable and ambitious. Wages, three hundred and board per year. Also woman or girl to assist with housework. Must be willing and trustworthy. Wages, one hundred and fifty and board per year. This is a splendid opportunity for a young man and woman to get a good situation with a good chance for improvement. Could be filled by a brother and sister who wished to be together on a first-class dairy farm in Oxford County. Apply: Box A. E., "Farmer's Advocate," London, Ont.

110 ACRES, Northumberland Co., clay loam, up-to-date buildings; good fences; fine orchards. For particulars apply to Alfred Deviney, Vernonville, Ontario.

HOW THE FIGHT BEGAN.

Violette—"I wish you would tell me how to get this pitch off my dress. I have tried everything I can think of."

Reginald—"You might try a song. You always get off the pitch when you sing."

"Why are people so anxious to find the South Pole?"

"It'll save a lot of money when they do."

"How?"

"There won't be any more expeditions to look for it then."—Pearson's Weekly.