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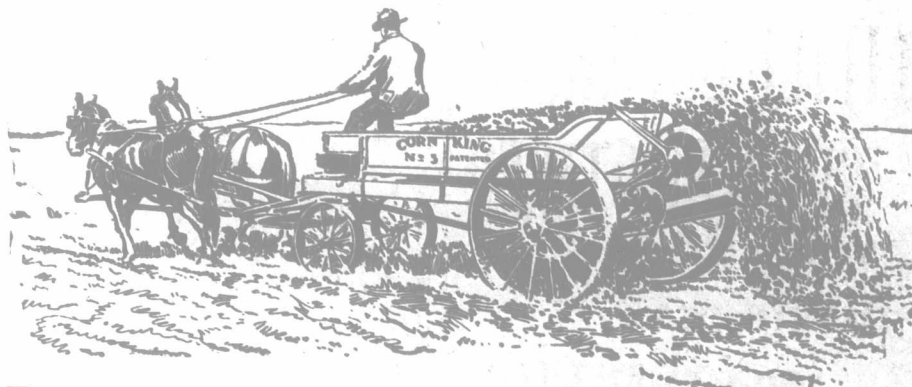
GOSSIP.

SPRING VALLEY SHROPSHIRE.

About four miles from Bradford Station on the east, and a little farther from Beeton Station on the west, lies the well-arranged stock farm, Spring Valley, the property of Thos. Hall, breeder of Shropshire sheep. Few men in this country are capable of sizing up the breed characteristics and fine qualities of sheep with Mr. Hall, whose whole life has been intimately associated with their care and breeding, and in his splendid flock of Shropshires is ample evidence of his expert knowledge in the selection of breeding stock and their care and fitting. Founded on imported sheep of Cooper & Mansell breeding, and others imported in dam of Miller importation, and headed by carefully-selected imported stock rams, the flock has always been kept up to a high standard. Among them just now are the second-prize pen of ewe lambs at Guelph last winter, and from the flock has also been produced a number of Toronto and London prize-winners. Many of those now on hand are the get of that great ram, Ashland's Monarch (imp.), winner of first prize at the Royal. This year's lambs are by a Cooper-bred ram, also a Royal winner. For sale, are shearing rams and ram lambs, shearing ewes and ewe lambs. Selections are made and orders booked as received. Write Mr. Hall to Bradford P. O., Ont.

PERFECTION IN SCOTCH SHORT-HORNS AT SUNNYSLOPE.

Wallowing in pastures such as few farms in Ontario can produce, the high-class herd of Scotch Shorthorns belonging to A. E. Meyer, of Sunnyslope Farm, Guelph, Ont., was found loaded with beef from the heels up, on the occasion of a visit by a representative of this paper a few days ago. Representing as they do the most popular blood of the breed, and receiving the care and generous rations befitting a herd of their standard of excellence, they are always found in the nicest kind of condition, and ready for inspection by the breed's most severe critics. Although Mr. Meyer is not a show man, he generally has a few on hand to pull out as a surprise to the visitor looking for something above the average, and the present time is no exception to the rule, whether the visitor is looking for mature females for a herd foundation, or an extra nice heifer or two, or a coming herd-header. Of the former, an extra good, thick cow, is a roan Marr Missie, carrying a wealth of flesh, evenly distributed. At foot she has a heifer calf, sired by a Missie-bred bull, that looks good for a coming topper. Here are a pair for a herd foundation that are sure money-makers. Another grand cow is a Cruickshank Jealousy, sired by a Strathallan-bred bull. She is one of the big, thick kind, that win in the show-rings. Still another is a roan Broadhooks, sired by the Missie bull, Imp. Merchantman. This is a combination of the most popular blood of the breed, and shows itself in the big, massive, quality cow that carries it. These are a fair representation of the many high-class breeding matrons of the herd. In younger ones, a show proposition is a red yearling Bruce Mayflower, sired by Janitor, a son of the great Uppermill Omega, her dam being by the successful stock bull, Imp. Scottish Hero, a Shethin Rosemary. Another exceptionally choice three-year-old is a red Campbell Bessie, sired by Imp. Scottish Hero, and dam by the Golden Drop bull, Royal Prince. Still another is a roan Cruickshank Village heifer, sired by Gloster King, a son of the champion sire, Prince Gloster. Still another is a Marr Roan Lady, by Scottish Hero. In young bulls the supply is limited, as Mr. Meyer has a big demand for herd-headers sired by his famous bull, Imp. Scottish Hero. The oldest is a red, six months, out of Imp. Lettice, a Lovelace-bred cow. He is sired by Scottish Hero, and is the making of a good one. Another is a three-months B. Mayflower, sired by Janitor. Anything in the herd is for sale. The farm is only about one mile from Guelph Station, and is connected with long-distance phone.



What Is Soil Fertility? How Does It Interest You?

WHAT is soil fertility? Why is its lack considered so serious a matter? Why is it that authorities on better farming agree in considering it one of the most important questions requiring solution by farmers today? The answer is found in the small average yield of farms in this country as compared with those of other countries where correct fertilizing is practiced, and in the rapidly decreasing quantity of available new land. There are two things that every farmer can do, both of which will make his farm more productive. One is to practice a proper rotation of crops; the other to buy and use an

IHC Manure Spreader Corn King or Cloverleaf

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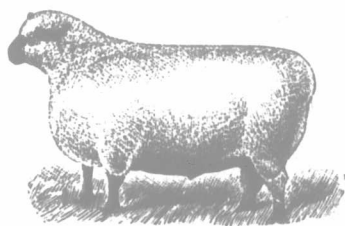
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Shropshires and Southdowns

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I am offering for sale shearing and ram lambs, shearing and ewe lambs, of highest quality and breed type. Prize-winners among them. Bred from imported stock. Order early.

THOS. HALL, BRADFORD, ONT., P. O. & STA.