

WANTS AND FOR SALE

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This department is for the benefit of paid-up subscribers to the FARMER'S ADVOCATE, each of whom is entitled to one free insertion of a notice not exceeding five lines. Notices exceeding five lines will be charged two cents per word for each additional word, payable in advance.

STRAYED from the premises of the undersigned, one bay pony branded 25 on left hip and Y. B. on left shoulder; last seen south of John Cochrane, Oakville, Man. 8

STRAYED—On July 13 from Lot 23, Kildonan, two mile road [McPhillips street], a brown mare six years old, with halter and heavy rope on neck, left hind leg branded figure 2. Also colt about 2 weeks old, brown, with black spot on forehead. Any information leading to recovery of same will be rewarded at above address or 120 Aikins St., Winnipeg. 22-tf

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A. & J. MORRISON, Glen Ross Farm, Home-wood, Man., Clydesdales and Shorthorns. 13-11

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SHETLAND PONIES and Hereford cattle, finest in Canada, also Berkshire pigs. J. E. Marples, Poplar Park Farm, Deleau, Man. tf

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JAMES WILSON, Grand View Stock Farm, Innisfail, Alta.—Breeder of Shorthorns. 13-6

R. A. & J. A. WATT, Salem, Elora Station, G. T. and C. N. R.—Champion herd of Toronto and New York State Fairs, 1905, also Grand Champion females, including both senior and junior Honors at both fairs. Write your wants. 13-12

BROWNE BROS., Ellisboro, Assa.—Breeder of Polled Angus cattle and Berkshire swine. Stock of both for sale. 13-3

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GOSSIP

A certain drill sergeant, whose severity had made him unpopular with his company, was putting a squad of recruits through the funeral exercise. Opening the ranks so as to admit the passage of the supposed cortege between them, the instructor by way of practical explanation, walked slowly down the lane formed by the two ranks, saying as he did so:

'Now, I am the corpse. Pay attention.'

Having reached the end of the party, he turned round, regarded them with a scrutinizing eye for a moment or two, then remarked:

'Your 'ands is right, and your 'eads is right, but you 'aven't got that look of regret you ought to 'ave.'

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FACTS AND FIGURES ABOUT THE WORLD'S HORSE SUPPLY.

The total number of horses in the world is estimated to be about 80,000,000, of which number 40,000,000 are in Europe, 11,000,000 in Asia, 25,000,000 in the American continent, and 1,250,000 in Africa.

According to the returns for 1907 of the Board of Agriculture there are in Great Britain and Ireland just about 2,000,000 horses used for agriculture, unbroken horses and breeding mares. It is estimated that there are also about 950,000 for business or pleasure purposes, and there are nearly 35,000 cavalry horses, making a total of about 3,000,000 horses in the United Kingdom.

Germany possesses, according to a census taken in 1900, 4,184,000, and has to import a small number to complete her requirements, so there is no surplus available for sale.

France has 2,900,000 horses, and wants them all. In Algiers there are 205,000, and in Tunis 35,000. For mobilisation, the number required would be 577,620, and in peace the army uses 122,700. In case of war there would be great difficulty in collecting the necessary number of suitable animals.

Italy has 720,000 horses. About 40,000 are yearly imported, chiefly from Hungary. Great efforts are now being made to increase the production, so as to make the country independent of foreign supplies.

Austria-Hungary has 4,020,000, of which Austria possesses 1,711,000, and Hungary 2,309,000. The Hungarian horses bought for our use in the Boer War proved very unserviceable. To the surprise of our experts.

Russia.—In Russia there are more horses than in all the rest of Europe together. According to official returns there are 21,740,474 in European Russia, 1,316,558 in Russian Poland, 1,273,522 in the Caucasus, and 4,781,230 in Siberia and the Steppes. During the Boer War we used 40,000 Russian horses, and they answered very well for our mounted infantry, especially the half-wild, small animals from the Steppes.

Every six years all horses are examined and registered. Russia can supply eight horses for every man in the army.

Sweden has 525,000 horses, and Norway 151,000. In both countries the breed is being much improved by the importation of English horses.

RAILROADING WANTED FIREMEN AND BRAKEMEN for all Railroads.

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