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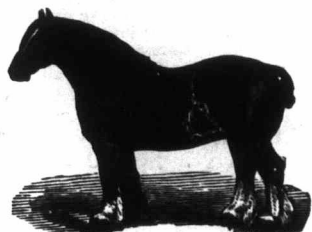
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As already foreshadowed in the FARMER'S ADVOCATE, Mr. C. M. Simmons, Ivan, Ont., has decided to disperse his Shorthorn herd on March 18th, 1898. The herd includes a score of breeding cows, a number of excellent heifers, imported Blue Ribbon, and a number of grand young bulls. See his advertisement in another column.

A. W. Smith, Maple Lodge, Ont., writes: "We have recently sold to Messrs. H. G. Arnold & Son, of Maidstone, Ont., the excellent bull 'Calliope,' a red son of British Flag, by Barnum Hero, and our grand breeding cow 'Constance 2nd of Maple Lodge,' by Conqueror. She is also the dam of first prize three-year-old heifer at Provincial Fair Show, Guelph, 1896; our first prize bull calf at Toronto 1897, and our present stock bull at 'Calliope'—22065—Messrs. Arnold have secured a worthy head for their herd of Shorthorns."

AYRSHIRE MEETING.

The American Ayrshire Breeders' Association held its 23rd annual meeting at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York, Jan. 28, 1898. The officers elected were as follows: L. S. Draw, South Burlington, Vt., president; Obadiah Brown, Providence, R. I., H. R. C. Watson, Brandon, Vt., E. C. Sears, Blooming Grove, N. Y., and John Stewart, Elburn, Ill., vice-presidents; S. M. Wells, Wethersfield, Conn., J. O. Magie, Elizabeth, N. J., executive committee; C. M. Winslow, N. Y., secretary and editor; Henry E. Smith, Enfield, R. I., treasurer; C. M. Winslow, Brandon, Vt., and J. D. W. French, North Andover, Mass., editing committee.

It was voted to conduct seven-day tests of herd and single cows for market butter and total solids.

It was voted to offer special prizes at fairs for largest quantity of butter-fat from one day's milking.

It was voted to hold the next annual meeting in New York at some time in January.

C. M. WINSLOW, Secretary.

SHORTHORN CHAMPION DEAD.

The notable roan Shorthorn bull, Young Abbotsford, 110673, died on February 4th at the farm of his owners, Messrs. T. J. Wallace & Son, Bunceton, Mo. He was bred by Messrs. J. & W. Watt, Salem, Ont., and calved in March, 1885. His sire was Abbotsford 47312, bred at Sittytown from Red Gauntlet, and his dam was Village Blossom, also bred by Mr. Cruikshank. Young Abbotsford was the monarch of American shows of 1890, 1891, 1892 and 1893, including the Columbian Exposition.

NOTICES.

The value of clover to the farmer is simply enormous. See what Dr. Saunders says of it in his letter in this issue. Not only do we desire a large acreage, but the largest possible crop, and this is much helped by the use of land plaster. The old-established Paris Plaster Mills at Paris, Ont., say something to our readers in advertising columns. Look it up and derive a benefit.

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CHEESE AND BUTTER MAKERS TO MEET.

The Ontario Butter and Cheese Makers' Association, which was organized in London on January 20th by Mr. James McAdam, of London, and others, are to hold a meeting in Woodstock on February 23rd and 24th. The object of this Association is to protect the makers from the unjust charges shouldered upon them by both dealers and patrons. The officers of the Association are: President—J. T. Henderson, Pine River; Secretary—T. H. Brooks, Holbrook; and Treasurer—W. A. Edgar, Culloden. Directors—Messrs. Conway, T. D. Barry, Ingersoll; T. E. Eager, Brownsville; W. A. Edgar, Culloden; and W. W. Brown, Attica.

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