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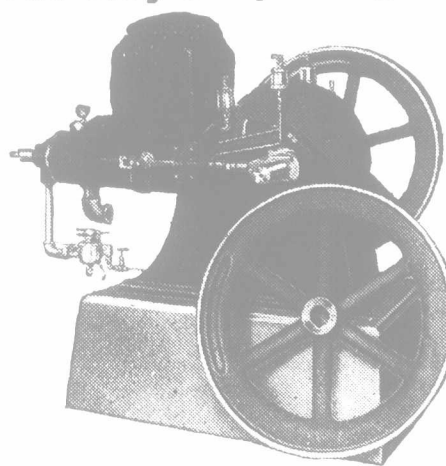
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cessively annoyed at all this enthusiasm in behalf of Pierre Philibert.

"Nay, I will tell no more fairy tales out of school, but I assure you, if our wishes had wings, the whole class of Louises would fly away to Belmont to-day like a flock of ring-doves."

Louise de Brouague noticed the pique of the Chevalier at the mention of Philibert, but in that spirit of petty torment with which her sex avenges small slights, she continued to irritate the vanity of the Chevalier, whom in her heart she despised.

His politeness nearly gave way. He was thoroughly disgusted with all this lavish praise of Philibert. He suddenly recollected that he had an appointment at the Palace which would prevent him, he said, enjoying the full hour of absence granted to the Greek class of the Ursulines.

"Mademoiselle Angelique has of course gone to Belmont, if pressing engagements prevent you, Chevalier," said Louise Roy. "How provoking it must be to have business to look after when one wants to enjoy life!" The Chevalier half spun round on his heel under the quizzing of Louise's eye-glass.

(To be continued.)

GOSSIP.

An average of nearly \$300 each was realized for the dairy Shorthorn herd of Geo. Taylor, at Cranford, England, on May 6th. The three-year-old cow, Darlington Cranford 21st, brought 340 guineas (\$1,735), and Oxford Belle sold for \$1,070. On the following day a draft of 39 head from the herd of Robert Hobbs, at Kelmscott, sold for an average of \$205, the highest price being \$525.

Eighty-two head of Jerseys, property of Drs. Still & Laughlin, sold by auction at Kirkville, Mo., on May 12th, brought an average of \$169.88, the highest price, \$500, being paid by G. G. Council, for the yearling heifer, Interesting Pomona (imp.), sired by Noble of Oaklands, dam Magnate's Interest. Only five sold for less than \$100, and a dozen others brought from \$250 to \$445 each.

John McFarlane, Dutton, Ont., whose advertisement of Shorthorns appears in this issue, writes us that he has a number of young bulls on hand, sired by Imp. Protector, and will pay freight charges on any under one year, to any part of Ontario. See the advertisement and write for particulars.

R. T. Brownlee, Hemmingford, Que., reports having made sale to A. L. Pomroy, of Compton, Que., of the Clydesdale stallion, Gallant Robert of Brookdale [4166], a horse of very thick, blocky type, and sired by the well-known horse, Gallant Robert [3658] (10317), by Prince Robert, by Prince of Wales (673). The people of Compton are very fortunate in securing the use of so well-bred a horse as this.

TRADE TOPIC.

The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of the "British Treasure" range, a highly-finished stove, made to last a lifetime, advertised in this issue. If interested in steel ranges, "Treasure" steel ranges will be found to suit the requirements of every farm house, large or small. Most of the nickel is removable for blackleading and cleaning. These goods are manufactured by The D. Moore Company, Hamilton, and special attention is called to the high grade and superior working qualities of "Treasure" stoves and ranges. The castings are smooth, and made exclusively of high-grade pig-iron while the nickel-plating is white, bright, and lasting, produced by special process. "Treasure" stoves and ranges are sold by leading stove-dealers all over Canada, and the manufacturers would be very pleased to advise you of their nearest agent, or mail descriptive matter in relation to any lines, on application. Mention "The Farmer's Advocate" when writing.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

1st.—Questions asked by bona-fide subscribers to "The Farmer's Advocate" are answered in this department free.

2nd.—Questions should be clearly stated and plainly written, on one side of the paper only, and must be accompanied by the full name and address of the writer.

3rd.—In Veterinary questions the symptoms especially must be fully and clearly stated, otherwise satisfactory replies cannot be given.

4th.—When a reply by mail is required to urgent veterinary or legal enquiries, \$1.00 must be enclosed.

Miscellaneous.

A HIRING AGREEMENT.

A hires to B for 12 months. A is married man and owns his own furniture. B makes a bargain to go to town to live as soon as A gets settled in the house. A works three months and B will not go to town to live. A tells B several times that if he does not go to town to live he will break his bargain, as A's wife is keeping house for B and getting nothing for it, as there was no bargain made for A's wife to keep house for B. A quits the farm, and B will not pay any wages. Can A collect wages from B for the three months he has worked?

Ans.—We think so.
Ontario.

BREEDING FOR MILK.

As I have been breeding Shorthorn cattle of the milking strain for the last ten years, would it be advisable to cross those cows with a registered Holstein bull, as I am convenient to a cheese factory and would like to have more milk.

G.McK.

Ans.—Mated with a good Holstein bull, these cows ought to produce calves which should acquire themselves with great credit in dairy work, and if the owner has no thought of producing registered-pedigree stock, the plan proposed would be commendable. But if the present herd of Shorthorns are registered, or eligible to registration, and the owner is willing to invest with a view to future business, it would pay to secure a pedigreed Shorthorn bull of deep-milking strain, even importing from England, if necessary, and breed the cows to him, thus developing a superior registered herd of milking Shorthorns, a class of cattle for the bulls of which there is springing up a remunerative demand. The cattle must, however, not merely be milkers, but must possess the cardinal features of good beef from being thick, deep-bodied, long-quartered animals, with a tendency to milk well during lactation and flesh up when dry. To develop such a strain requires enterprise, judgment, painstaking, and perseverance.

Veterinary.

EMBOLISM.

Last December, mare took some trouble resembling azoturia. She suffered acutely, and looked as though she would lose the use of her hind legs. I sent for my veterinarian, but she was all right and eating when he arrived. She has had several attacks since, but was always better before my veterinarian arrived. Last week she was turned out in field for an afternoon, and just before being brought in she galloped some and had another attack, but it did not last long.

J. C. McL.

Ans.—The symptoms indicate embolism (a partial plugging) of the iliac artery. In these cases an animal is all right when at rest or slow work, but when exercised smartly, which increases the circulation, the attacks appear. In some cases the administration of 1 dram iodide of potassium three times daily for a month or two, will effect a cure. In other cases a cure cannot be effected. Try the iodide of potassium treatment. If it causes loss of appetite, reduce the dose to 10 grains. Of course, she must have rest, but may be turned to pasture.

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Sixty-seven stallions and mares from Scotland and Suffolk were shipped from Glasgow to Alberta, Canada, by A. Mansell & Co., of Shrewsbury, England, on May 8th.

WANTS & FOR SALE.

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 50 cents.

HELP WANTED—Female—Reliable, steady woman as general help in family of two only. Good home for right par. v. Box 62, Southampton.

HERDSMAN DISENGAGED—Late of Isleigh Grange Farm, Danville. Expert fitter for show or sale. Life experience in feeding and breeding. Address: Donald Livingston, Brunswick Hotel, Richmond, P. Q.

LAND FOR SALE—Veterans' Script entitles holder to three hundred and twenty acres of unlocated Dominion lands in either Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta, at less than three dollars per acre. This is your opportunity. Write us for full particulars. National Realty Co., 47-49 Richmond Street, West, Toronto.

TRACTION Engine for Sale—One New Ross 15-horse-power, cheap. Has not been in use yet; also 30-horse-power firebox boiler, tested 200 lbs. C. W. P. repairs, R. J. Black, Apply H. E. Jolliffe, St. Catharines, Ont.

TWENTY-FIVE-ACRE farm for sale, in good heart. Good house and good barn. Well fenced and watered. Location would make it a very desirable poultry farm or market garden. Full particulars given. C. Saunders, Real Estate, Etc., Burford, Ont.

WANTED—Persons to grow mushrooms for us at home. Waste space in cellar, garden or farm can be made to yield \$15 to \$25 per week. Send for illustrated booklet and full particulars. Montreal Supply Co., Montreal.

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 ROCK eggs reduced to seventy-five cents per fifteen. Safely packed in Morgan baskets. C. H. Chalmers, Smith's Falls, Ont.

BARRED Rock, Buff Orpington. Fertile eggs from best laying strains. \$4 per 100; \$1 per 13. Wilbur Bennett, Box 298, Peterboro, Ont.

BUFF ORPINGTON EGGS—\$1 per 15; 9 chicks guaranteed. Splendid selected stock for eggs and market purposes. Free illustrated catalogue. Hugh A. Scott, Caledonia, Ont.

BUY 95% FERTILE EGGS—That will produce winter layers. Ancona eggs, \$4 for 100; fifteen for \$1. Single-comb White Leghorn eggs, \$4 for 100; fifteen for \$1. Special price on larger quantities. Free circulars. Edward C. Apps, Box 224, Brantford, Ont.

CLARK'S BUFF ORPINGTONS—Oldest and largest breeder in Canada. 12 years specializing. Exhibition and egg production combined. Greatest winter layers in America. 11 breeding pens. Eggs from 1st 4 pens, \$5 per 15, infertile replaced free. Eggs from pens 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, from \$1 to \$3 per 15. 50 eggs, \$3; 100 eggs, \$5.50. Crates free. Illustrated catalogue free. J. W. Clark, Caledonia, Ont.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Barred and White Rocks, White and Silver Wyandottes, Black and Buff Orpingtons, Brown and White Leghorns, Black and Spangled Hamburgs, Houdans, Black Javas, Dorkings, Single and Rose Combed R. I. Reds. These birds won over 300 1st prizes at nine shows \$1 per fifteen eggs. F. W. Krouse, Guelph, Ont.

FOR SALE—Pure-bred S.-C. White Leghorn eggs. Settings, \$1 and \$1.25. R. Hughes, Collingwood, Ont.

GREAT reduction. Reds. Eggs from our grand exhibition and great egg-producing strain of R. C. Rhode Island Reds, only 75 cents. Bert Smith, Collingwood, Ont.

RHODE ISLAND REDS—Rose-comb. Bred ten years from carefully selected heavy winter layers of large brown eggs. Eggs, dollar half per fifteen. Satisfaction guaranteed. Jno. Luscombe, Merton, Ont.

SINGLE-COMB Brown Leghorns, free range, prompt shipment; twenty eggs, one dollar; fifty eggs, two dollars; one hundred eggs, three dollars. Isaac Reed, Ardrea, Ontario.

WHITE Wyandottes (Martin & Wright strain); eggs, \$1 per 15. John Morgan, Wales, Ont.

Single-comb White Leghorns

Bred from best prizewinning and grand-laying strains. Eggs one dollar per fifteen. A hatch guaranteed.

Geo. D. Fletcher, Binkham P. O., Ontario.
Erin shipping station, C. P. R.

Dressed in the latest and most approved motor-cycling costume, with goggles all complete, the motor-cyclist gaily toot-tooted his way by Regent's Park toward the Zoo. Suddenly he slackened, dismounted, and said to a small, grubby urchin: "I say, my boy, am I right for the Zoo?"

The boy gasped at so strange a sight. "You may be all right if they have a spare cage," he said, when he could find his tongue, "but you'd ha' stood a far better chance if you'd 'ad a tail!"

Answers