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At a combination auction sale of Herefords at Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 19th and 20th, comprising drafts from six herds, 101 head sold for an average of \$27.

### GOSSIP.

At the auction sale of Berkshire hogs drafted from the Biltmore Farm's herd at Biltmore, N. C., on Feb. 12th, 31 head sold for an average of \$102. Prices ranged from \$51 to \$250, the highest price being paid for Luster's Topper II, by Guy C. Barton, Omaha, Neb.

C. S. Barclay & Son, West Liberty, Iowa, on March 14th and 15th, sold at auction 90 head of Shorthorns, at an average of \$288, the 73 females averaging \$308. Two cows sold for \$1,000 and \$1,110, and only one animal sold below \$100, and 15 brought over \$300 each. Twenty-seven Scotch females made an average of \$253, and 10 Scotch bulls an average of \$226.

Mr. Alex. Galbraith, Janesville, Wis., whose advertisement of Clydesdale stallions is running in this paper, writes us that, for the convenience of his Canadian customers, he has opened a branch sale barn at Woodstock, Ont., under the management of Mr. S. P. Thompson, a gentleman well and favorably known throughout the Province in connection with the stallion business. A few first-class stallions have already been sent there, and several others will follow in a few days. Those of our readers interested will do well to inspect these horses, which Mr. Galbraith says are all guaranteed and strictly first-class.

### SUCCESSFUL SALES OF SHORTHORNS.

At Kansas City, Mo., March 3d, was held a draft sale of Shorthorn cattle from the herds of Messrs. T. J. Wornall, West Liberty, Mo., and J. G. Robbins & Sons, Horace, Ind., the former selling 40 head at an average of \$366.12, and the latter firm 20 head at an average of \$376.50. The highest price, \$1,190, was paid by Mr. W. D. Platt, Hamilton, Ont., for Mr. Wornall's 4-year-old show cow, Lady Valentine, by St. Valentine, the champion show bull who was bred in Canada by the Messrs. Gardhouse, Highfield, Ont. Mr. Geo. E. Ward, of Hawarden, Ia., who owns her sire, was a competing bidder to the last. The second highest price, \$935, was paid by E. W. Bowen, Delphi, Ind., for the red 2-year-old Warden Secret, from the same herd. The third highest price was \$890, paid for Robbins' red yearling heifer, Imp. Graceful Rose, by Scotch Thistle, bought by H. Gilchrist, Hope, Ind. Eight hundred dollars was the highest price for a bull, and was paid by J. E. Prather, Williamsville, Ill., for the red 10-months calf, Secret Prince of Fairview, of Mr. Wornall's offering. Three hundred and fifty dollars was the next highest price for a bull.

On the following day consignments from the herds of Messrs. E. K. Thomas and Abram Renick, of Kentucky, were sold, the offering of the former, 13 females and 1 bull, making an average of \$271, and Mr. Renick's 21 head an average of \$163.30.

### USHER & SON'S SHORTHORNS.

Messrs. Isaac Usher & Son, on their 30-acre farm at Queenston, Ont., where they quarry and grind the famous Queenston cement at the rate of 400 barrels a day, have established a strong herd of about 70 head of registered Shorthorn cattle, at the head of which is the choice roan 3-year-old bull, Lord Gloster—28363, sired by the champion prize bull, Abbotsford, son of the imported Cruickshank cow, Village Blossom, dam of Young Abbotsburn, champion bull of all beef breeds at the World's Fair at Chicago. The dam of Lord Gloster is Gaiety, of the Cruickshank Duchess of Gloster family, and she was got by Prince Albert, a son of the famous Hampton Hero, who was himself a championship winner and sire of many champions. He was a pure Cruickshank bull, his sire and dam being bred at Stritton, the latter being a daughter of Champion of England, the greatest bull ever used in the Cruickshank herd.

Among the females of the herd are representatives of many well-known and favorite families of the dual purpose class, the cows as a rule being good milkers, and all of the good-feeding sort, which put on flesh rapidly when dry. The top crosses in their pedigrees show the names of many noted Scotch-bred bulls, such as the Kinellar-bred Killerby—637, imp. Cavalier—2203, by the Cruickshank sire, Stritton Chief, by Hospodar; Imp. Blue Ribbon—17065, bred at Kinellar; Strathclyde—20078, a Strathallan, by Imp. Duke Lavender; Crimson Chief, a Kinellar Crimson Flower, by the famous Imp. Indian Chief, bred by Cruickshank; Imp. Guardsman, noted as a sire of prizewinners; Mysie's Chief, a Kinellar Mysie, by a son of Indian Chief; and Mina King, a Kinellar Mina. Such an array of noted bulls, figuring in the breeding of a herd must necessarily have made a strong impression in shaping the type of their offspring, and their influence is plainly seen in the general character of the cattle. In the large new barns, with cement concrete walls from floor of basement stables to eaves of roof, provision is made for the healthy housing of a large herd. The Usher patented system of ventilation is in use, having been thoroughly tested and found entirely satisfactory. This system, which has been frequently discussed in the Advocate, consists of a series of tile pipes running through an opening in the wall at the end of feed passage. This tile pipe is tapped opposite the manger of each stall by a gas pipe which opens at the partition between each pair of cows, and these pipes are covered at the openings with perforated caps which admit the air by a spray. As the temperature rises in the stable, the heated air escapes by the 4x10-inch ventilators running up through the roof, thus making room for more fresh air. The stable, when all doors and windows are closed, has been by this system kept at a uniform temperature of 45 to 55 degrees during the present winter. Mr. Usher, Sr., has built and occupies an elegant dwelling house, the walls of which from cellar floor to chimneys are built of cement concrete, which is durable, dry and in every way satisfactory, drafts at sides of doors and window panes being entirely avoided, as the concrete is closely pounded down to the frames and sets solid, leaving no air spaces. Cement is evidently bound to be more largely used than ever in the construction of farm buildings, floors and silos, and the demand increases each year. Messrs. Usher, on application, send circulars giving full instructions for mixing and building with concrete, and also prepare plans for laying out stables either in new or old buildings. See their advertisement of cement and Shorthorns.

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The partnership heretofore existing between J. H. Patrick and Eugene Patrick, of Ilderton, Ontario, as to the management of Fairfield Stock Farm, has been dissolved. J. H. Patrick again resumes full management at Fairfield, and Eugene Patrick taking charge at Lincoln Grove, Tecumseh, Idaho. **om**

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