

GOSSIP.

Cooper's sheep dip, which has a world-wide reputation as a convenient and effective application for the destruction of ticks on sheep and lice on cattle, is advertised in this issue. The agents in Canada are named in the advertisement, which readers interested will do well to look up.

Mr. L. K. Weber, Hawkesville, Ont., advertises for sale five young Shorthorn bulls of Scotch breeding, twelve to twenty months old; also, a number of females. See his ad., and write him for prices. Hawkesville is near St. Jacob's Station, on the Galt and Elmira branch of the G. T. R.

Remember the date, May 3rd, of the dispersion sale, by auction, of the entire herd of Shorthorns (25 head) belonging to Mr. H. S. Fallows, Evelyn, Ont., some ten miles from the city of London, and near to Thorndale, G. T. R., and Thamesford, C. P. R., where teams will meet the morning trains. A useful lot of cattle is included in this offering, a number of the females being descended from an imported Marr-tred cow, and all of which are Scotch-topped in breeding. Many of the cows are excellent milkers, filling the bill for the dual-purpose cow. The stock bull, Mina Boy 10th, is straight Scotch, and is of the favorite Kinellar Mina family. A half dozen well-bred young bulls are also in the offering. The winter being well over and grass in sight, no better time could be desired to secure stock for the improvement of a herd, or as a foundation for one. The location of this sale is convenient to all of Western Ontario, and only four hours from Toronto and two from Sarnia.

Maple Shade Farm, Brooklyn, Ont., the property of the Hon. John Dryden & Son, situated near Myrtle Station, C. P. R., and Brooklyn, on the Whitby & Port Perry branch of the G. T. R., is well stocked with high-class Shorthorn cattle and Shropshire sheep. The Shorthorns number about 100 head, with three noted bulls at their head, viz.: Collynie Archer (imp.) =28860=, by the noted Scottish Archer, and out of a Missie dam, Prince Gloster =40998=, of the Cruickshank Duchess of Gloster family, winner of second prize in three-year-old class, Toronto, 1903; and Clipper Hero, =44785=, a son of Imp. Collynie Archer, dam a Cruickshank Clipper cow. Clipper Hero won the Junior Championship at the Dominion Exhibition at Toronto, 1903, in a very strong class, and was considered one of the best bulls bred in Canada. The Maple Shade herd is strong in straight Scotch females, exceptionally smooth, thick-fleshed, deep-bodied animals, together with a few of a family that has been bred continuously on this farm for forty years, the Lady Edens, with which Cruickshank sires have admirably nicked, producing many successful show animals and good sellers. The calves sired by Collynie Archer and Prince Gloster, of which several are on hand, are of the right stamp, as also is a very nice one from Bertie 4th, by Clipper Hero, the Junior Champion. Among the bulls ready for work is a yearling by Collynie Archer that has not been forced, and should do well in any man's hands. King Lavender, by Cruickshank Lavender, a rich red half-brother to the yearling heifer sold by Mr. Dryden at Chicago last year for \$625, is a bull of good quality and true type. Many of the best and most popular families are represented here, viz.: the Glosters, Clippers, Lavenders, Victorias, Missies and others. This firm has recently sold several head to Mr. Panolet, of the Argentine Republic. This firm is also well known throughout the American Continent as in the front rank of breeders and importers of Shropshire sheep of the very best quality. The flock numbers about 100 now, not including young lambs, and a heavier or better-covered lot of breeding ewes it would be difficult to find. A bunch of these are also sold to go to South America. Messrs. Dryden last year built a very commodious and well-arranged barn, equipped with all the most modern improvement, both in the stables and overhead. We hope to be able to give our readers a description of it at some future time.

16 Shorthorn Bulls

All pure Scotch, two imp. in dam, 7 from imp. sire and dam, others by imp. sire and from Scotch dams of popular families. Herd numbers 72; headed by Imp. Greengill Victor, a Princess Royal; bred by W. S. Marr. Present offering also includes a number of Scotch heifers and imp. cows in calf. If you want a herd header, or cows that will produce them, write us.

R. MITCHELL & SONS,
Nelson Ont., Burlington Jct. Sta.

ONLY THE BEST.

Eight young bulls and 10 heifers of the purest Scotch breeding and of the low-set kind, as good as I have ever offered, for sale at prices that will induce you to buy. Most of the heifers are in calf to imported bulls that stand as high as any in the world in breeding and individual excellence. High-class Shropshires for sale as usual.

ROBERT MILLER, Stouffville, Ont.
Representative in America of Alfred Mansell & Co., Shrewsbury, Eng. The largest exporters of live stock in the world.

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(ESTABLISHED FORTY YEARS.)

SHORTHORN herd numbers 30, with Imp. Scottish Hero (Missie) and Broad Scotch (Sittytton Butterfly) in service. Some choice young bulls and heifers for sale, by Joy of Morning, Scottish Beau, and Lord Mountstephen, from imported and Canadian-bred dams of **HAMPSHIRE** flock 80 ewes; milk strains. 13 lambs all sold.

Jas. A. Cochran
HILLHURST P. O., o COMPTON CO. P. Q.

SHORTHORNS

For sale: Two choice bulls, 10 and 11 months old, got by imported-in-dam bull. Also Yorkshires, imported and home-bred. Write to **C. & J. CARRUTHERS, Cobourg, Ont.**

WILLOW BANK STOCK FARM

Established 1855.

SHORTHORNS AND LEICESTERS
A grand lot of young stock for sale, rich in the blood of Scotch Booth and Bates families. Rosicrucian of Dalmeny 45220 (imp.) at head of herd. We breed the best to the best Leicester sheep of rare breeding and quality. Address:

JAS. DOUGLASS, Proprietor,
P. O. and station, Caledonia, Ont.

CHAS. RANKIN, WYEBRIDGE, ONT.

IMPORTER AND BREEDER OF

SHORTHORN CATTLE and OXFORD DOWN SHEEP.

Herd headed by Pride of Scotland (imp.). **FOR SALE**—Females and bulls of all ages, from noted Scotch families.

Shorthorns, Cotswolds, Berkshires

FOR SALE—Seventeen bull and heifer calves, from 6 to 11 months old, from \$55 to \$60 each. Registered, and freight paid to any part of Ontario and Quebec. Also a few young cows and heifers. A few young boars and sows, from 3 to 6 months old.

F. BONYCASTLE & SON,
Campbellford P. O., Ontario.

SCOTCH SHORTHORNS

Twelve blocky, sappy young bulls, 10 to 14 months old, reds and roans, sired by the Princess Royal bull, Imp. Prince of the Forest =40409=, and out of high-class Scotch and Scotch-topped cows. Also ten thick-fleshed heifers, in calf to Imp. Prince of the Forest, placed at head of herd at cost of \$650. Come and see, or write for prices.

J. & R. OHINNICK, Chatham, Ont.

FLETCHER'S SHORTHORNS

Comprise Cruickshanks, Orange Blossoms, Nonpareils, Crimmon Flowers, Mysies, Langshires, Butterflies and Jessamines, and are headed by the noted Duthie-bred bull, (Imp.) Joy of Morning (76929), winner of 1st prize at Toronto Exhibition, 1903. Several choice heifers and young cows bred to Joy of Morning, also bull calves suitable for herd headers, for sale.

GEORGE D. FLETCHER,
Erin Shipping Sta., C.P.R. o Binkham P.O.

GLENAVON STOCK FARM.

FOR SALE:

SHORTHORN BULLS

2 two-year-olds, both of good breeding and deep-milking strains; and heifers also. Have Berkshire boar open for services.

W. B. ROBERTS, PROP., SPARTA, ONT.

Scotch Shorthorns and Berkshire Swine

at **VALLEY HOME STOCK FARM.**

For sale: 3 young bulls of superior breeding and quality, from 10 to 18 months old, the low down sort and good heavy animals; will sell cheap to make room for our increase in young stock. Also Berkshires of all ages, 3 young boars and a fine lot of sows, due to farrow in one month's time. Stations Meadowvale or Streetsville Junction, C. P. R., and Brampton, G. T. R. Visitors welcomed. Address **S. J. PEARSON, SON & CO., Meadowvale P. O. and Telegraph.**

Scotch-bred Shorthorns

5 bulls from 12 to 20 months old, of good Scotch breeding, size and quality, at let-live prices. Also several females, re's and roans.

L. K. Weber, Hawkesville, Ont., Waterloo Co.

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The 10th Canadian Horse Show is slated for the dates April 27th to 30th, at the Armories, Toronto. The prize list has been increased, and the prospect is for a record show in all the classes of light horses, while good prizes are also offered for heavy draft mares, singly, in pairs, and in teams of four. The horse show at Toronto is always a great success.

The Thoroughbred stallion, Governor Grigg, No. 519, advertised for sale by Dr. G. J. Fitzgerald, V. S., London, Ont., champion hurdle horse of America at 1½ and 1¼ miles, 168 lbs. up and 167 lbs., won second prize at Western Fair, London, 1902 and 1903. He has proved a successful sire of quick-selling saddlers and hunters; is guaranteed quiet, sure and satisfactory, and is offered for sale solely on account of difficulty in securing a suitable groom.

About four miles from Brighton Station, G. T. R., lies the farm of Mr. R. O. Morrow, Hilton, Ont., where he is making a success of breeding Holstein cattle, Cotswold sheep and Tamworth hogs. The Holsteins are headed by Jack Horner, by Emperor, from Rose Evergreen, full sister to the noted sweepstakes cow, Carman Sylva. Among the matrons we found some fine ones, notably one newly arrived from the herd of Mr. A. C. Hallman, Lilly Acme and Lady Acme's Pearl. Lady Acme has a milk record of 40 lbs. as a two-year-old, on grass alone. The Tamworths are headed by a choice individual, viz., Sandy, bred in the noted herd of Colwill Bros. He is a fine specimen of the breed, and appears to be transmitting his good qualities to his offspring. Among the sows having litter at foot, we noticed a Blain-bred sow that was full of quality. There were two boars for sale, ready for service, that should please the purchaser. The Cotswold flock, although not large in numbers, is good in quality. The foundation of the flock was laid with Rawlings stock, headed by a Ross ram, a Rawlings ram being lately introduced into the flock. There is also a team of black horses here rising three years that should make a fine horse team when they get a little older. See Mr. Morrow's advertisement.

Mr. J. G. Truman, Bushnell, Illinois, writes: "Never in the history of the Trumans' Stud Farm, which means for the past twenty-six years, have we been able to show the public as strictly good a collection of Shire stallions as we have at the present time."

Our Mr. W. E. Truman arrived from New York with our last shipment by express on April 3rd, and they are certainly better than I thought could be found in England, and that could be purchased at a price that would warrant their being exported to this country, but my father, Mr. J. H. Truman, has taken lots of time in picking them up all around the county in which he lives, and they all certainly do him great credit as a judge of Shire horses.

To anyone wanting a show stallion of the Shire or other breeds that we handle, I would say come here to Bushnell and take a look at our horses, and I will pay your expenses here if you say, after I have given you one of our horse shows, that you have seen a better lot.

We have all ages, from two years to seven, and not a horse on our farm but that when matured will weigh the ton and over, and more of them will now weigh 2,000 pounds than under, that are from four years and upwards.

We have just issued this week a new catalogue, making the second one this season, and shall be pleased to mail it to any of your readers that will mention they saw our advertisement in your valuable paper.

It would be well to state here that we are charging no more for these first-class fresh horses than others will charge you for horses that have been picked over all through the fall and winter seasons.

Come to Bushnell and see more quality on more horses of the draft breeds, which includes Shires, Percherons, Belgians, Suffolks and our high-stepping Hackneys, than can be found at any establishment in the United States or Canada.

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Suffered From Nervousness and Extreme Physical Exhaustion, Now Recommends other Women to use

DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD.

Many women date their illness and suffering from the period of change of life.

It is a trying time to all women, and a time when Dr. Chase's Nerve Food will prove of incalculable value.

By supplying an abundance of rich, red, life-sustaining blood, this great food cure helps women to pass in safety the periods of trial in their lives. It strengthens and invigorates the delicate feminine organism, and builds up the whole system.

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The "STAY THERE"
Aluminum Ear Markers
are the best. Being made of aluminum they are lighter, stronger and more durable than any other. Fit any part of the ear. Nothing to catch on feed trough or other obstacle. Your name, address and any series of numbers on each tag. Sample tag, catalogue and prices mailed free. Ask for them. Address **WILCOX & HARVEY MFG. CO., 104 Lake St., Chicago, Ill.**

SHORTHORNS AND BERKSHIRES.
4 extra good bulls from 7 to 9 months old, by Bandoleer =40106=; also 1 2-yr-old. Cows and heifers, with calves at foot or in calf, heavy milkers in herd. Berkshires—young sows 3 and 5 mos. old, lengthy bacon type, and with pedigrees of best breeding. Prices reasonable. o **F. MARTINDALE & SON, York, Ont., Caledonia Sta.**

Shorthorns and LEICESTERS. Present offering: Young bulls, cows and heifers of the best Scotch families. Also a number of Leicesters of both sexes now for sale at reasonable prices. Address **W. A. DOUGLAS, Tuscarora P. O., Ont., Station—Caledonia, Ont.** o

SHORTHORNS. 8 young bulls, 11 heifer calves, yearlings, two-year-olds and young cows for sale. Several Miss Ramadens and the very best families represented. Prices moderate. o **G. A. BRIDIN, Bethesda, Ont., Stouffville Station.**

SPECIAL OFFERING IN JERSEYS
1 cow, Zinka Nuna, 8 years old, fresh; 1 cow, Mid-day, 3 years old, fresh; 1 cow, Miss Midget, 3 years old, in calf; 1 bull, not akin to cows, 18 months old; 1 bull, not akin to cows, 16 months old. Special prices if taken at once, either one or more. For particulars write

W. W. EVERITT
Box 552. o Chatham, Ont.
Jerseys
AND
Yorkshires
Cows, heifers and young bulls from high-testing stock. Boars and sows, 3 to 6 months old. Orders booked for pigs from spring pigs. Good young Cotswold ewes for sale. o **WM. WILLIS & SON, Newmarket P. O. and Sta.**
JERSEYS For quick buyers, we are going to sell 15 bulls and 25 females. Owing to the natural increase of our herd and so many heifers coming into milk, we make the above offer. Stock of all ages. State what you want and write to-day to **B. B. BULL & SON, om C. P. R. and G. T. R., Brampton, Ont.**

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