Stock Notes.

The Messrs. A. C. Hallman & Co., New Dundee, Ont., report as follows: "Our Holsteins are doing exceptionally well this season, considering the drought and intense heat. Our young cows have made records which surprise even old dairymen. Our calves were never finer and show very plainly the characteristics of their sire, Prairie Aaggie Prince, Vol. 1, No. 2, H. F. H. B., which many Holstein funciers pronounce the best buil of his age in the Dominion. We did not exhibit at the Industrial, Toronto, this year, owing to the difference of opinion in regard to herd book. Our stock are all registered in the American herd book, and unless the Industrial gives us stricter rules and regulations in regard to registration, we cannot patronie it. Had we been there no doubt the honor prires would have been differently divided, and not so much glorying by certain parties at the results. We made an exhibit at the Western Fair, London, of to head, and took is prizes, 6 ist.; 2 and, and diploma on best buil any age, and diploma on herd. By special request of the president of the Huron Agricultural Society we made an exhibit at Goderich and left a very favorable impression in that section. Parties waning good foundation stock cannot do better than give us a call."

Sheep.

Mr. James Tolton, Walkerton, Ont, reports sales as follows, made since 1st September: "Two-year-old Oxford ram, to Mr. Johnston, Vork State, U. S.; 1-year Oxford ram, to Mr. Jonson, Jarvis; 1-year Oxford ram, to Hy. Willis. Bentinck; Oxford ram lamb, to Messrs. Lattle & Rowand, Brant; Leicester ram lamb, to T. Guest, Kinloss, and a Shorthorn bull calf, to S. Avery Kincardine Tp."

Mr. Abrain Rudell, Gourock (near Guelph), Ont., writes: "My flock of Shropshires have proved to be a good investment. I have now a fine flock of good heavy ewes in excellent condition for breeding purposes. There has been a good demand for this class of sheep the present year. Have sold all my ram lambs early and at good figures."

Messrs. T. Harcourt & Sons, of St Anns, Lincoln county, Ont., have purchased a flock of Oxford Down strep from Messrs. Henry Arkell and Hugh Whorton, noted Oxford Down breeders, near Guelph. The lot consists of 1 yearling ram and 8 ewest, one of which is imp. and the others first cross from imp. stock on both sides. We are glad to find that good stock is thus being taken to a new centre.

Messrs. John Millar & Sons, Brougham, Ont., report the sales of Shropshires this year as very good indeed. As they had a very large flock, both of home bred and imp., they have still a fine lot of ram and ewe lambs for sale. It was the flock of the Messrs. Millar that won the 1st special in the contest of medium and short wool sheep at Toronto.

Mr. Robt. Shaw, Glanford Station, reports that during the present year at the three shows of Toronto, London and Hamilton, he realized in prizes on Southdown, \$116. On an exhibit of about 14 head at the shows he attended he captured 22 1818, 27 2nds and 17 3rds and took in prizes \$225.

Mr. Hugh M. Matthewson, of Darien, Clark Co., Dakota, writes under date of 11th Oct., 1837: "Have just got home from the tour of the fairs with the sheep I brought from Canada and have been very successful. We won altogether some \$355, besides making some quite remunerative sales. There is quite a boom in sheep here and a good deal of stock could be sold at prices that would pay handsomely if Ired here. I could have sold a large lot of shearling rams if I had had them. The Shropshires among sheep are the favorites here.

John Dryden, M. P. P., Brooklin, Ont., reports sales of Shropshire sheep as follows "D. D. Wilson, Seaforth, 1 ram; C. A. Phelps, Ind., 5 ewe lambs and 1 ram lamb; A. Hagar, Plantaganet, 1 ram lamb, Uriah Priveit, Indiana, 4 ewes; J. Talcott & Son, Rome, N. Y., 1 ram and 2 ewes; W. Colegrove, Correy, Pa., 1 ram and 10 ewes; T. A. Bixhy, South Haven, Mich., 1 ram; W. J. Miller, Keene, Ont., 1 ram lamb; D. Dyer, Enfield, Ont., 5 ewes; John Lander, T. unton, 10 ewes; John Abbott, Lapeer, Mich., 1 ram; N. C. Henry, Bissell, Ohio, 1 ram. Rams all sold and only a few ewes left. Americans scouring the country in search of yearling bucks and ewes, Canadian bred.

John Campbell, jr., of Fairview Farm, Woodville, Ont., has found the demand for Shropshires this season better than during any previous year, and though prices are not fancy, such as they were some years ago, they are quite satisfactory, because profitable. His rams which he cared to part with were all sold feacept one), before the close of the Industrial Exhibition, Toronto, and ewes have been disposed of to such an extent that the flock is below its usual averare in numbers. Sales have been as follows: To Matthewson Bros., Dakota, 10 ewes and rams; Mr. Harrison, Dakota, 6 ewes; Editor Live-Stock Journal, theatling ram; A. Edwards, Chatham, shearling ram; F. Jones, Belleville, sheatling ram; J. T. Dickson, Seaforth, ram lamb; Geo. Brown, Jasper, ram lamb; R. Renelson, Gali, ram lamb; D. Galtraith, Pailey, 2 Shearling rams: W W. Hal lantyne, Stratford, ram tamb and 2 ewe lambs; W. & M. Bell, Spingford, a two shear ram; J. H. Carnegie, Coloconck, a two shear ram, and 3 ewes to J. A. McGillivray, of Unbridge.

Mr John Jackson, of Abingdon, has again made the usual round of the shows with the Woodside flock of Southdowns, and with strong competition has kept well to the from: He secured the following prizes At the Toronto Industrial, 8. Provincial. Ottawa, 14. Great Central, Hamilton, 0. Great Northern, collingwood, 22. St. Catharines (Lancoln Co.), 9. Smithville, Wellandport, 16: Abingdon, 13; including the two Jubilee silver medals at Ottawa for best imp. flock, also for best flock silver medals at Ottawa for best imp.



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Swine.

Mr Geo Green, Fansiew, Ont, has been very successful this year again at the shows with his Berkshires. At both Toronto and Ottawa he carried tet on boar syear and on boar under 6 months, along with a number of other prizes. Nearly all of those exhibited as also those at home were home bred, but from



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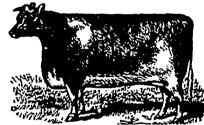
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