

Oxford County Notes.

We have had beautiful weather and the work is well forward. There were not many apples in our neighborhood and they are mostly picked. We took the hoops off a nail keg, and sewed one hoop on the mouth of a two-bushel bag, put a strap across the center, and then fastened the end of a longer strap to the middle of the first one, and the other end to the lower corner of the bag. This strap goes over the shoulder, and we find this arrangement much more speedy and convenient than baskets or pails. Our apples were not good this year. We are now busy at the mangels. They are a very fair crop; but the turnips have not done well. The weather was rather dry, and the turnip louse was very much in evidence. The potatoes were generally rather small, although the quality is good and not much signs of rot generally. The corn is a pretty good crop. Those of us who do not have silos are trying to get as much as possible husked in the field. The cows have generally dried up very much in the milk; ours have good pasture, but at this late season they ought to have a good feed of greystone turnips or mangels once a day. We are feeding cut corn as it grew, but they don't eat it very well. They ought to have some succulent, juicy feed at this season of the year.

Cheese has kept up in price. Our last shipment went at 11c., and the ratio for September was only 10.32, which was a very good showing.

Live hogs were \$6 this week off the farmers' wagons.

Wheat keeps from 70c. to 75c. Threshing is pretty well completed, and can be all done by the middle of November. We will soon have to commence to use coal for the engine at threshing time, as the wood is getting scarce. Most of our cheese factories are now burning part soft coal and part wood in their engines, and many of the farmers burn coal all through the winter in their homes.

Claiver Ha' Lea. JONAS.

The Georgian Bay Canal.

If the great need of the Georgian Bay Canal, from Georgian Bay via the French River to the Ottawa River, is felt now, what will it be a few years hence, when the great bulk of the grain shipments will have increased to such an extent that they will be forced to go from our Northwest wheat lands via American ports, owing to the impossibility of moving it through Canadian routes between harvest time and the close of navigation, and even via our winter ports and open water of succeeding spring and summer. If it be true that the Government intend to build the Montreal, Ottawa and Georgian Bay Canal, it will undoubtedly prove the best and most important waterway, connecting the head of the Great Lakes with the foot of navigation at this port; and will settle at once and forever the project of any other new canal route being built from the lakes to the seaboard, either in Canada or the United States. No time, therefore, should be lost in carrying out this important national waterway, and it is to be hoped that the Government will be brought to see that unless they build this great belt-line canal which is bound to control the great bulk of the vast carrying trade of the American and Canadian Northwest, it may fall into the clutches of the great carrying companies of the United States that are now diverting such a large proportion of the grain carrying trade of Canada to American ports. Besides, this important route, as repeatedly stated in these columns, has been mapped out by the Imperial authorities as an important strategical waterway through all British territory, and its construction would, we are sure, meet with every encouragement from the Imperial authorities, and probably financial aid, if required. Sooner or later the Montreal, Ottawa and Georgian Bay Canal will undoubtedly be built, and it is of great importance that it should be constructed as early as possible—[Montreal Trade Bulletin.

**SAWMILL MACHINERY.**—Many of our readers will be interested in the advertisement of American Sawmill Machinery Co., 113 Hope St., Hackettstown, New Jersey, which appears in this issue. This company has again increased the number of distributing points by adding to their lists, Portland, Oregon, and Vancouver, B. C.

Lincoln and Cotswold Rams Wanted

1 and 2 years old.

Quote prices delivered Ilderton, London, Huron & Bruce R.R.

J. H. Patrick, - Ilderton, Ont

**FAIRVIEW SHROPSHIRE**  
Have retired from showing at fall fairs. 2 years and over show ewes **ONLY** now offered. For 22 years won more firsts than all competitors. At St. Louis won more than any three flocks. Including champion ram and reserve to same. All making the greatest winnings on record. Have now the best breeding stock ever offered. Who want good ones to strengthen their flocks?

**JOHN CAMPBELL,**  
Fairview Farm. o Woodville, Ont

DORSET HORN SHEEP and SCOTCH SHORTHORNS

The latter representing the Nonpareil, Miss Ramsden, Missie and Gloster families exclusively, and the former comprising more Royal winners and more St. Louis prizewinners than any other flock in the world. Stock for sale always on hand.

**JOHN A. MCGILLIVRAY,**  
North Toronto. - Ontario.

Lincoln Rams

I am offering a grand lot of ram lambs, from imported and home-bred ewes, and from imp. Dudding ram, at very reasonable prices. Also ewes and ewe lambs for sale. **SHORTHORNS** of the Marr Roan Lady, Broadhooks and Missie families.

**A. D. MCGUGAN,**  
Glencairn Stock Farm. Rodney, Ont

100 Shropshires & Cotswolds 100

One hundred head for sale. Ten yearling rams, fifty ram lambs, and sixty yearling ewes. Rams are good enough to head any flock. The ewes are a choice lot and will be bred to imp. ram.

**John Miller, - Brougham, Ont.**

BROAD LEA OXFORDS.

Present offerings are: Ram and ewe lambs of the low-down, blocky type. Also Yorkshire boar and sows five months old, of improved bacon type.

A number of nice Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels at reasonable prices. Correspondence promptly answered.

**R. R. Stations:**  
Mildmay, G. T. R. o **W. H. ARKELL,**  
Teeswater, C.P.R. o Teeswater, Ont.

SHROPSHIRE RAMS AND FWES

**From the Best Breeders.**  
Home-bred Rams and Ewes, both Shropshire and Cotswold, of the best breeding. Great sappy strong fellows that will breed well, and at prices that cannot be anything but satisfactory. Write me.

**ROBERT MILLER, Stouffville, Ont.**

Linden Oxfords

Some good yearlings and ram lambs. Also a fine imp. 2-shear ram for sale. Write or come and see.

**R. J. HINE, - Dutton, Ont.**

Hides, Skins Tallow, Wool, Etc.

Consignments solicited. Top prices.

**E. T. CARTER & CO., Toronto.**

SHROPSHIRE FOR SALE

A good bunch of lambs of both sexes. A few yearling ewes. The right type. Prices moderate. Come and see.

**WM. D. DYER, - Columbus, Ont.**  
Brooklin Sta., G.T.R. Myrtle Sta., C.P.R.

**Champion Dorsets**  
Dorset ewes in lamb; also ewe lambs for sale. Prices low, considering quality.

**R. H. HARDING,**  
Mapleview Farm. Thorndale, Ont.

SHROPSHIRE

Choice-bred ones at reasonable prices, some in show shape. White Wyandotte cockerels now ready. **W. D. MONKMAN, Bond Head, Ont.**

Oxford Down Sheep

Choice rams and ewes, any age, for sale. Reasonable. For particulars, apply to **PETER ARKELL & SONS,** Summer Hill Stock Farm, o Teeswater, Ont.

ONTARIO VETERINARY COLLEGE.

The opening lecture of the Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto, Canada, was delivered by the Principal, Prof. A. Smith, F.R.C.V.S., Oct. 11th. The college opened under most favorable auspices. A large and intelligent class of students was present from the various parts of the Dominion, the United States, Argentine Republic and the West Indies.

Dalgety Bros., London, Ont., report the sale of the two-year-old imported Clydesdale stallion, Baron Hunter, Vol. XXVIII., got by the noted Baronson (10981), he by the noted Baron's Pride, to Mr. David Nairn, Shakespeare, Ont. This colt should take well, as he has size, quality, and the best of breeding. They also report the sale of the imported two-year-old stallion, Imperial Rozelle (12605), by the prizewinning Rozelle, he by the noted Baron's Pride, to Messrs. F. Tremblé & Co., Aylmer, Ont. This colt is of big size, quality, and the best of breeding.

F. H. Neil & Sons write that they are getting together a shipment of stock for State experimental purposes, which will embrace a splendid lot of yearling and two-year-old Lincoln rams. They have also bought all the registered one- and two-year-old Cotswold rams they know of, and have, besides, some grand Shropshires, secured from some of our best Canadian breeders, as well as some Tamworth hogs. Their aim is to ship nothing that will not make an advertisement of the breed they represent. Although they will be shipping all their surplus yearling and two-year-old Lincoln rams, they have a lot of choice ram lambs with which they are prepared to fill orders on short notice, and also have some good ewe lambs and young ewes, and can supply customers with ewes and rams not akin.

ENGLISH ROMNEY MARSH SHOW AND SALE.

The ninth annual show and sale of the English, Kent or Romney Marsh Sheep-breeders' Association, was held at Ashford, Kent Co., on September 29th. The entry was 364, as against 320 last year, and the average of merit was fully maintained. The attendance of buyers was large, and the demand keen. Quite a number of export buyers were on hand. The highest price ever made at these sales was the 56 gs. paid for J. E. Quested's champion ram, by the Liebig Extract of Meat Co., Ltd. In all 347 rams were disposed of, at an average price of £11 18s. 10d. The names of the contributors are: J. E. Quested, F. Neame, C. File, A. Amos, J. B. Palmer, W. Millen, Lord Harris, G. Farmer, J. D. Blount, G. Buley, Capt. S. Webb, H. Rigden, S. Kingsnorth, F. de B. Collard, F. File, W. E. Long, E. Hambrook, G. E. Hawkins, and Messrs. F. A. and E. H. M. Denny.

TRUE PHILOSOPHY.

"Just as good" is seldom good and never just. Pride is always too big for its shoes and not large enough for its hat.

Man was created first, but woman came a second after and asked him how long he had been waiting.

Some men are born rich, some achieve riches, and some are related to presidents of insurance societies.

If the plutocrats keep on giving money back to the public, we may yet be able to call this the new age of restoration.

A salesman who never opens his sample-case soon fails at business. But that is the way some persons carry around their religion.

One man takes his work as a stone around his neck and sinks to apathy. Another takes it for a stepping-stone and mounts to success.

An ordinary man, obliged to choose between two paths, saw approaching on the one a candid friend and on the other a bitter enemy. Which did he take?—Richard Junior in Saturday Evening Post

"What Are Piles?" You May Ask.

AND WHY ARE THEY ALWAYS RELIEVED AND CURED BY THE USE OF

Dr. Chase's Ointment

The itching, burning sensations of piles or hemorrhoids, the feelings of uneasiness and discomfort, and the loss of blood, are familiar to many who may not know the name or nature of their ailment.

Piles are small tumors, which form at the opening of the rectum, and are described as itching, bleeding or protruding, according to the symptom that is most prominent.

The cause of greatest suffering is the intense itching, which is an almost constant symptom, while the greatest danger arises from loss of blood. You can scarcely imagine one in greater misery than the victim of a severe case of piles.

By reason of its remarkably soothing effect, Dr. Chase's Ointment brings almost instant relief from the dreadful itching. It heals the ulcers, stops the loss of blood, and makes a thorough cure of this obstinate and loathsome disease.

The old idea of a surgical operation, with all the accompanying pain, expense and risk, as the only cure for piles, has given way before the extraordinary success of Dr. Chase's Ointment, which has demonstrated its power in thousands of cases where operations had failed.

Do not make the mistake of dropping this treatment as soon as the itching stops. Make the cure lasting by persistent use. Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

NEWCASTLE HERD OF Tamworth Swine and Shorthorn Cattle

We have for quick sale some 50 head of Tamworths, consisting of boars ready for service, young sows bred and ready to breed. A whole lot of beauties, from 6 weeks to 3 and 4 months old, both sexes. Pairs not akin. These are nearly all the direct get of Colwill's Choice, our sweepstakes boar at Toronto for several years. Also a beautiful red Shorthorn bull calf, ready for service. Several calves of both sexes, and a number of heifers about ready to breed, and others well forward in calf. All at moderate prices. Daily mail at our door. All correspondence answered promptly. Write for what you want—we can generally supply you.

**COLWILL BROS., Newcastle, Ontario.**

TAMWORTHS & HOLSTEINS

Present offerings are: Two boars sired by Colwill's Choice, boars fit for service, sows bred and ready to breed, and a choice lot ready to wean. Pairs not akin. Also cows and calves of the deep milking strains. All at moderate prices. Write or call and see my stock.

**BERTRAM HOSKIN,**  
Grafton Sta., G.T.R. The Gully P.O.

**TAMWORTHS**  
2 fine boars fit for service; also a choice lot of both sexes, from 2 to 4 months old, of good breeding stock. Prices reasonable.

**Glenairn Farm. Jas. Dickson, Orono, Ont.**

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For Sale, all ages, from imported prizewinning stock, of both sexes. Pairs not akin.

**GEO. M. SMITH,**  
Haysville P.O., Ontario.

Oakdale Berkshires

Of the largest strains. Imported fresh from England. The produce of these and other noted winners for sale reasonable. Let me book your order for a pair or trio not akin.

**L. E. MORGAN, Milliken Stn. and P.O.**  
**LARGE ENGLISH BERKSHIRES**

A number of nice young sows, bred to my imported boars. Also a few boars ready for service. Have some nice things 3, 4 and 5 months old, of both sexes. My herd won all the champion prizes at Dominion Exhibition in 1904.

**William Wilson, Box 191, Brampton, Ont.**

Rosebank Herd of LARGE ENGLISH BERKSHIRES

Present offering: Choice stock from 6 weeks to 5 months old, sired by Concord Professor and Willow Lodge Crown Stn. Can supply pairs and trios not akin. Satisfaction guaranteed. Express prepaid.

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