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## Editorial.

An Improvement Necessary at Some Small Fairs.
It has, of late years, been seriously questionnd whether many of the local shows are worth ex money such cost on them. We have heard it time and pended on them. We have asseverated that the little shows aro "no good," and that such might just as well i,e der yet one to which color is given, unfortunately, by the small shows themselves. At many of the little shows-this year's as in ornd in the prome vision made for showing stock, by the absence of well-constructed rings to show the animals in and keep the onlookers out, and also in the man ner in which the live stock is presentaly, is faul udges: in
Some people seem to think that " to exhibit means letting the judge sce you have an animal
of the species or kind called for, and that is all. If societies are going to permit cattle to be shown loose, why not construct strong corrals, have the catteral cases this season judges sent out b the Manitoba Department of Agriculture had to wait until a class-was herded, or assin the chase of an animal. Such work the people a show ; in fact, tends to disgust the people. the directors should at least insist that the stock be presented in a proper manner, and if an animal is too wild to be properly shown no prize should, in any case, be awarded, or injustice to others (exhibitors or spectators) will be done, because if any animal is too wild to be properly shown it is impossible to properly judge as its merits, compared with others in the class. In many cases, directors, being local men, not care to be hard-and-fast in their rulings, eseither by a rule or by a proviso, should be insisted upon by the Depart mision is Agriculture that, unless proper prant will either be reduced or cut off altogether. Western agriculture has now reached too high a plane to permit of old-time methods such as were allowed in the wild woolly days.

## Speculative Investments.

$\qquad$ that is making millions for the fortunate ones who purchase a few shares of the precious stock. One time it is a rubber plantation-undis:overed as a moneymaker heretofore, now shown to pos sess marvellous wealth ; then some fortunate man finds an oil well, a proposition in which capitalists are tumbling over each other to invest their surplus funds, but, generous man (?), he wants to
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rn Canada will find their true source of increased rosperity and happiness in the development of those industries with which their life-work has
made them familiar, leaving to those who have money to burn the business of investing in such doubtful propositions as are cencraliy peddled around the towns and country under various highsounding but perfectly meaningless names.

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## The Testimony of a Critic.

Sir,-I wish to express the high appreciation awakened by reading your issue of the 19th inst It is not all horses, or all cattle, or sheep or hogs, or any one thing, but covers the whole and the breeder s interest, the generale and the home wants. It is a remparehensiveness and fullness of interest ing matter. It is always a satisfaction to read your numbers from week to week. Somebody mus lie awake nights to get together so much interesting matter at such shom intervals. I wish plate as yon mate to the ane plate as you may be able ith arill for the same inustated on page 1088, wist your copabilities by such rich iscues of interesting matter, I remain issues of interesti

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## ress reports from Ottawa state that the pres

 ent Live-stock Commissioner is going to resign on account of ill health. In the July 19th issue Be new Assistant Live-stock Commissioner, $\mathcal{J}$ Whether the reports of the above resignation are Correct or not, this paper desires to point out how opportune is the time for the appointment of a Deputy Live-stock Commissioner who shall reside in the West. The Seed-grain Division has how two men looking after its work, Messrs, Murray and McKilligan, located at Winnipeg and Calgary, respectively. Surely the live-stock in terests of Western Canada are important enough to be enititled to a man who shall give his whole ne andertition ond hest quatifed to firt an important position, and est quace to 10 mor in (areig mport a man) is, we consider, George II. Greig, secretary of che Livestock section of ive-stock he Winnipeg Industrial. Mr. Greig, by training an erienceg and education, is far and away the best man for the work-work with which he is quite familiar, as is well known by all Western and many Eastern live-stock breeders. His appointment would be a great assistance to the we-stork interests, while his suavity and wellfar to placate the B. C. live-stock contingent, who, we have had occasion before to say, have not had justice in recent years.An Opportunity for Canada
$\qquad$ lines and in increase of national debt have been because of the war-and, remarkable as is Japan's power of endurance, such loss cannot but be con-siderable-there is no doubt whatever that, when the war ceases, the development of her trade with the world will be of phenomenal rapidity. ready her prestige has been firmly established and those nations which were before disposed to discriminate, are now inclined to sue. Of this we have an example in our own country
In 1894 Japan concluded commercial treaties with Great Britain, Germany, Austria-Hungary and France, each of which contained a most favored nation" clause, entitling these countrie to tariff preference. Canada was given two years to decide whether she would be a party the British treaty or not, and the time was afterwards exiended a year. Her decislon was that refuse. In the ars mish be hampered by her commercial dealngs might at time when , Chinese were alike dumped in one apanese "، undesirable," she wished to be free, if she chose, to restrict Japanese immigration.
As a not unnatural consequence, Ccnada's re asal did not pas unnoticed by the Japanese. Canadian goods met with speedy disfavor, and although their price was in some cases reduced 5 per cent to meet a 5 per cent. preferential tariff, granted by Japan to the United States, competition with American goods was found to be well-nigh impossible, and Canada lost opportunities of a considerable trade in such things as condensed milk, leather, horses, cottons, woollens, paper, rubber goods, enamelled ware, and wire of all kinds.
This year the question came up in the Canadian Parliament, and by that time Canada had learned to know that Japan was no longer a country to be discrimhat circle of the Mikado onger the obscure her crouched against and overscot-like from the far Asia, bu le leader western Facinc, brilant, progress and prosperity of an awakening Orient. Accordingly there was little surprise and some satisfaction when, a few weeks later, on June 22nd, the announcement was made in the House on the Hill that discrimination against Japan was a thing of the past, and that in consequence the Japanese had given assurance of their willingness to admit Canadian products to the advantage of her minimum customs duties In this arrangement Canada merely enters as party to the British commercial treaty, which has still six years to run.
That similar discrimination against the Chineste will have to be abandoned is not within the realm of the impossible. China awakening to the value of her resources, and her recent boycott of American goods show what hith turn the left cheek when the righ Once alvo to Such rapid development as Japa has male course scarcely to be expected China. Within the past ten or fifteen years Japan's foreign trade 'has increased in value by 230 per cent., her bank deposits by 360 per cent., savings 200 per cent., investments in various enterprises 220 per cent., railway mileage 80 per cent., and shipping 240 per cent.; and when the war is over and her fleet of transports can be turned to a carrying trade these figures will, doubtless, be advanced more rapidly still. But the fact remains that. even ith a comparatively slow development, there is an enormous trade to be built up with China.

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ocean from British Columbia, it would appea that Canada should be destined to no inconsider and, should no unfortunate national complications ensue, an increased prosperity for the Dominion would seem to be more by way of prospect tha dream. China is just beginning to take kindly to wheaten bread, and in this field alone ther should be scope for a tremendous exportation once the fashion becomes a broadcast one. Japan on the other hand, has already established regula steamship services to London, Bombay, Australia Seattle, San Francisco, Hong Kong and many Chinese ports. Has the Dominion of Canada no attractions which might also win from her the
beating a regular track across the sea?

The carloads of Boston schoolmarms who have recently done Western Canada, disentrained the new C. P. R. depot, which reminded some of
them of the Doge's palace, Venice, and them of the Doge's palace, Venice, and others the Vatican. Among other sights they were shown
the Winnipeg fair poster, which was looked at carefully through smoked glasses !

The attempt of an enterprising Yankee to shelved by some of the aldermin with an eye to abelection, who, though slightly discouraged
about municipal ownership owing to the week-end burnings of the civic asphalt plant, are yet

Visitors from the country to the fair admire
the water-power going to waste at the sulway urblnes all right.

vided, an
crowding.
The Department of Education may, we underand, get out a new text-book for the schools, if the Industrial Fair directors continue to dip into heathen mythology.

Winnipeg woman, in the Free Press, states that if Westen women only had figures to gaze upon such as Apollo or Mercury, a la fair poster be far better-looking. We can assure our readers that consultation of authorities, Thos. Shaw, Darwin, Huxley, et. al., inclines us to the idea
that the maternal-impression theory is exploded.

Judge John Gardhouse will take a course in lassoing cattle at Calgary or some other ranching center before he again essays to judge cattlc at some of the local fairs.
John Barron, of Topsman fame, thinks, if he had had fourteen years to do it, he could have
drained the Winnipeg fair grounds. John mas be an authority on Shorthorns and draining a municipality, but when it comes to working a ity council-oh no. John

Winnipeg set the pace this year by rounding up the toughs before the show, and gave them twenty-four hours to leave the town or-go on the Midway

Anxious Reader" enquired : "Is it in accord with your code of morals for fair managers keep his eye skinned reader, we do not consider it good form at all to mix with such gentry; we would remind you that birds of a feather flock together, and orcasionally prey upon one another
Editor Barclay, of Souris, whom our civiliza tion, as seen on the Midway, oppresses, endeav ored to get a touch of "the simple life" by
coming to Winnipeg Fair by boat. He got here.

The exhibition board played a trick on the Winnipeg kiddies which will not soon be forgotten
by the kids. Children's Lay was set this year to be before the

## Forses

## The Cleveland Bay at Home

visitor to the Royal show last week must have heen very much struck with two things. First, column I have nothing to do with nnything this horses, and to the representative character of the horse show 1 wish to iear tribute. The general public know and care nothing much about Clevenot know the difference between them; it does not want to know the difference. There is a difIerence, and a great difitrence, between the Cleve-
land Bay and the Iorkshire Coach horse, though in appearance they are very similar, and the Cleve-
land lays that are on the light side-hanging more to quality than to substance-are frequently found winning in Coach-horse classes. o insist in oue quarters that a be formed by an claborate system of crossing cal is perhaps necessary to point out that the purity
of the older bieed should te ver cost. It is really a matter of serious itm English horse-lineeding has suffered to a serions ${ }^{\text {- It }}$ is a pity there are not more of them than act that the coond "ouldeveland it were not for th lact that the gond Cleveland Bay mare will bread a purebred animal if crossed with cither the
Hackney or the Thomughored, and in consemence of this many grod mares have heen kept lmondine cross-bred anmals, with the result that mero-hred worker on the tam that there is no need to places where "he hept in adrantage in many
tock Cleveland Bay, a cher would tend to our advantage as a horse-breedin " What I would particularly wish to draw ention to in the Cleveland Bays is the improve ment which has taken place in quality and actio os not been like some so-called improvements in tock, which are really changes rather than in provement. The modern Cleveland Bay has pr erved the character and substance of his an

## Unsound Horses at Local Shows.

ory that "like produces like.

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$$ lural shows care to observe, and in doing s mply repaid for their effort by the number striking illustrations of the above law that will be seen. Last week I had occasion to be called to judge horses at a local show, held in the rrincipal town in a Manitoba district, that I premens of man's most noble friend, but to my surprise I found that. in breeding the horses which paid to selecting a sire, and probably had bee choice of a dam. Of seven teams that came into the ring in one of the heavy classes only one piti was perfectly sound. Three had one horse with one spavin ; one had a bad bog spavin; a fourt ad one wive with, and the firth showed was a case where only one prize was justifia! but, considering the future interests of the agr cultural society, it was decided to award the sed hey and third, as no judge is justified in awarding a prize to a unsound animal.

Coming to the classes for brood mares, u sequently, not to be wondered that it was, con third of the young stock, including yearlings an two-year-olds, were unworthy of being considered because of faulty conformation. At the sam while both were-draft stallions were shown, an were alike in being extremely plain close to the ground. There was, in fact, an almost tota absence of quality. The bone was lacking short and upright, and the hocks narrow wert

After having one or two rings of horses of this class come before him a judge is apt to give ven tinue coming, if he is a student of human they cor his disgust gives way to sympathy. When on cannot example of this kind of horse-breeding he horses have believing that those who own the a knses have not had an opportumity of obtaining reasonable to arrive at a conclusion of this kind but there is little doubt that it is the case. On
the other hand, these instances show conclusive evidence of men who have appaiently little de a few animals because they are useful in breeding of many farmers of mature years, as stated in these columns a few issues ago, and to improve their knowledge of horses and anxious breeding, and it seems to me the great lesso
which there inust be drawn from such a case is that judging, and for information in the laws of breed ing that will guide in the selection of sire and

Horses on the Holmes Ranch.
horses, published in our July 5 th number, Mr
W. J. Holmes, the owner of Old Wives' Creek
"In 1887 I purchased from Jas. Barnard, o head of mares and geldings: some of tha, fift had foals at foot-1 think about of the mares
In $1: 88$ I sold the geldings, which head secenty-five mares. They were all small from started to use a French-Canadian stallion fors. dales. I increased those 25 mares to 50 Clydes during the dull times from 1887 to 1900 , and as and sold all my geldings. I have now my bunch head-the picks of everything I have raised-and The above horses winter are held in pastures from 1 st May to 1st, Sep -ourse, I have to keep up my stallions am ahne pot all their feed rustling. that am ahle to run this husiness with two men and
each, and have sold several weighing from 1,600 ished he will be a grand horse. One seldom
to 1,700 pounds, which were shipped to the coast and have got first prize with my horsts in competition with the best Eastern horses, in both

## Stock.

## Winnipeg Industrial Exhi bition.

The display of horses was rather variable al through. Some classes were large, and requited
close analysis to pick the most deserving, while others were so small that all the prizes were not
lifted. As for the average qualiiy taking the lifted. As for the average quality, taking the
classes of the heavy-draft breeds, it was not a rood as might be expected at a show the size of he Winnipeg Industrial. This lack of good quality was of stallions and three-year-olds and aged stallions, being most made up of imported horses, were naturally strong, but not so much so as in some previous
recent years. The absence of exhibits from Mc Millan's, Mutch Bros.', Turner's and Andrew iraham's stables doubtless had its effect both up-
on the numbers and quality of the display in the horse-ring. The Shire exhibit was made chiefly by John Stott, of Brandon.
Mr. John Cardhouse, of Highficld, Ont., who did the juaging heneral-purpose agricultural lifetime's experience, and while his favorite breed is the Shire, he showed no partiality to the Shire type, but made his decisions with a clear under-
standing of the requirements and demands of each breed. Of course, everyone was not satisfied ut, as at other shows, those who were loudest in their protests against his judgments were genypes is most limited. and continued throughout the brecd, Shires being next, and this order of udeing was followed to completion. The first class called, that of Clyentries, and contained the champion of the show Barrowman, owned by a syndicate at Treherne,
Man., imported by Alex. Galbraith \& Son. He is Man., imported by Alex. Galbraith \& Son. He is
a black-roan horse, not overly large, but big enough for ordinary draft purposes. As an inand feet, with long, springy pasterns. His body is nicely turned, but he might be improved with $\mathrm{F}_{\mathrm{c}} \mathrm{r}$ a champion, too, he should possess a little his cannon is flat and a good size. He is a son foodend Gartly, the Napinka horse who stood hext to him in his class. Woodend Gartly, being loom, and as he has always been in demand as a stock horse, is consequently not as fresh as his son. He still has those beautiful, clean flat
legs and true action which will always be his. His place in the ring is more or less of a criterion for, although he was a vear younger with last, and shown to as pood advantage as this year, he was
only allowed fourth place. herefore, connoth year. he has improved. hut rather that competition was Tre third-prize horse was Nick $O$ '
Time. owned ,y T. F. M. Banting, of Banting, Man rood quality to he rather low-set, but he has and is very proudl-spirited. He has a particular carries considecrable good hard flosh. Clanyard. imported b. Iohn (Fraham, of Carberry, Man., hut was not in show hloom. The last horse
within a the of horse within the money was Village Boss, owned by R. (.) Willis, of Boissevain, Man. He is by the
rood stock horse Prince Pleasing. T. Hicks, of Mitchell. Ont.. and Dugald Ross, Streetsville,
Ont. showerl (limax Sparrow Hawk (imp.), by Lord Stewart, re pecThe thre-yrar-olds did not make as large a
lass as their soniors, and after the four winners iell off suddenly in quality. In a new country
this is this is only th he expected, as most of the horses
imported ap to date have heen either for service or farm "ork, very few mares as yet being
hrought in for the purpose of breeding pure-bred
ofor stock. and what have heen imported have been hy some of the best sires of the ciass were hores
Baron's namely haron's Pritw. Wondend Gartle, Marcellus, Up-
to-Time, Sir llugo and Prince Shapely. The
second Second and furth horses wrere hoth by woodend \& Son. wht first. He is by ip-to-Time. and is
one of the higgest Clydesdales in the country Probably that is why he did not win the chamlooks a lith has scarcely whe he has the underpinning
sees a horse of his size and weight move as ligh and his feather is just sufficient to finish his legs. Cadet, the Woodend Gartly colt, exhibited by J Bros., of Ontario, is a horse hard to fault. He is a big average size, has plenty of hard, clean hut is perhaps a trifle long in the hack. Next


Mr. John Gardhouse, Highfield, Ontario.

Hugo, a Sir Everard horse, shown by T. H. Has his points until we come to his hips, where hal his points until we come to his hips, where he is
a little plain, but there is no noticeable fault to find with him in the critical places. The Oak River syndicate owned Kenneth, the winner of will do with a little more size. He is a nice, true mover, and is well put up all over. Fallacy the Marcellus colt, is considerably undersized for a draft horse, hut is a regular model
in conformation, clean in his bone and ribbed up snug. $\qquad$


Kelston.
Champlon Tharoonghtrod stallion. Winiper Extibition, 1.ass. Owned Tavish, shown by the Arctic Ice Company, and There
his strong points were his smoothly-turned body, stallions even quarters, good feet and proud carriage. His clean. J. B. Thompson. of Hamiota, won second on Standard, by Prince l)electathe, he by Cedric. This is a very nice colt, but rathereen, and at
present a little awkward in his gait. Weardale present a little awkward in his gait. Weardale
King. shown by E. B. Armstrong. of Grenfell, a

Mack, won third. J. D. Fulford, of Mather Mather, an American-bred colt, very nith Pride of way except that he was a little stiff on one of hi hind fetlocks. He, however, has good hard Four yearling stallion colts made a vory good display, the first-prize animal being a particular ly fine specimen. He was shown by J. Bennett,
Napinka. Banker is his name. He is by the renowned stock a mare named Shapely I ady. Une seldom sees a colt of more promise than l3anker-growthy clean-legged, and well balanced in body, shoulders
and quarters. The second prize went. to H . V Clendenning on Llewellyn, a colt that to H. V over the body, but is scarcely straight enough in
his hind legs. John Graham, of Carberry, won third and fourth on a pair of colts lately im ported, and taken direct from the field to the
show, and consequently lacked in bloom and flesh otherwise they are a splendid pair. $\quad$ Fa Females.-The brood-mare section was a large one, but the real contest was between Meg Mer Van Horne, and Princess Superior bred sir wm Hayfield Minnesota, and shown by Wm. Black, o time before fina The judge deliberated a long mare first, and this was one of the decisions with disagree. The mares were sli $\mathrm{h} \mid \mathrm{y}$ different in type, the Van $H$ Horne mare being big, roomy, and broody-looking, while Black's mare was closer knit, shorter in the neck and quarters, and thicka gelding more than a brood mare. she resembled moved about equally well, and both were rather off in the bocks. If Black's mare could have cient to have offset her competitor's pral conformation, but when critically gex amined, she was but very little improve ond. J. Bennett grio mare, so had to take sec Attractive Bell, she being somewhat smaller show than those above her. J. B. Thompson on the foal mares in this class, winning second Supdrior's foal being first, Macgregor, Princess Meg Merrilie's and two of her offspring won the progenv prize, with Adeline Macgregor in second The three-year-old filly section brought out the Flower, shown by Alex. Galbraith \& Son. This filly has most splendid underpinning and nice quarters, but might be a little thicker through the heart and heavier in the body. No doubt in both respects. John Wishart, of Portage Prairie, won second on a filly of his own breeding, by Prince of Eden Grove, and John Graham
cot third on May Lady, a filly without any show first-class filly, May Darnley, shown by M. E. Sutton, of Roland, led in
the two-year-old class. This filly has a model front end, being deep in the breast, thick in the chest and
with long, sloping shoulders, but in clines to be a little higher behind Wm. Black's filly, Lady Strathmore out of Princess Superior, a rather Graham's Bonny Lass (imp.) stood John Wishart was first in the yearling class with Jewel of Prostypical Clydesdale filly. John Stott of Brandon, stood second with Hand
some Princess, a clean little mare and Wm. Black was third with Lady hocks. For mare any age, eight came
out, but the competition was really between only four of them, namely Ara's Jewel, shown by J. A. Mitch13. Thompson. Out of this lot it settle upon Galbraith's filly, as the them. Woodend Gartly won the stallion and-progeny prize, with Prince Delectable. owned by I B. Thompson, exclusively, but as hefore mentioned and Clydesdales the open championship, Shires would be well to make provision for clydesdale hampionship, in case a Shire should win in th SHIRES. SHIRES:-John Stott and Thos. Newton, both
Brandon, were the chief exhibitors of Shires
which were by no means numerous. Stott's cloughton Advance was alone in the aged class, with legs much cleaner than one conmmonly see in this breed. Newton showed a nice clean imported two-year-old, Salwick Hero, and a yearmare prize, the brood-mare-and-progeny prize and the foal prize, while Dugald Ross, of Streetsvill a big, broody-looking mare, Nateby Kitty (imp.) This mare also won the special offered by the vance won the same honor for stallions. He and three of his get also won the group prize. The
special for best mare and foal, any breed, was won by Sir Wm. Van Horne.
PERCHERONS.-The French drafters made for stallions four vears and over and three onl old. Alex Galbraith \& Son won in the first seo Wion with a big, massive black, Farceur, R. B. and F. A. Thompson, Melita, third. In the junior secti
HACKNEYS.-The English carriage breed wer only fairly well represented in the breeding se the harness buckney grades were quite prominent in Ferris, of Windsor, Ont., who gave general Tatis faction in most classes. Dr. Henderson, of Car
berry, and John Wishart, of Portage la Prairi berry, and John Wishart, of Portage la Prairie,
were the chief exhibitors. The aged stallions were the strongest class in the breed, the first place being taken by British Yeoman, a winner of
fourth at the London Show. He is a beautiful horse in all his lines, and moves with perfect down for championship in favor of Borrow turned Meteor, the dissent from the talent was quite general. He was imported and exhibited by $T$ H. Hassard, of Millbrook, Ont. Imperialist, a light chestnut, shown by A. A. Perley, o none too nice a head, got second, and Stuntne Pharaoh, shown by John Wishart, a big, strong horse, came third. Dr. Henderson's Borrow mover, was alone in the Lighting, a nice little same exhibitor won first and second on yearlines with Seham Graphite and Scham Goldsmith. In the female and foal sections there was but one
entry in each, made by John entry in each, made by John Wishart, but the in-
dividuals were of quite a superior class Henderson's Gambling Gay was the champion Hackney mare, but at a show of this size the championship prize should have been taken by an animal with a little more merit.
THOROUGHBREDS
also few in numbers, notwithstanding able prominence was given to the breed on th race-track. In the aged stallion class the winner by Dale \& Pulford, of McLean, Assa. It is sel-
dom one sees a more perfe:t horse than this is Kentucky bred, and shows indications of royal
ancestry. He is now being used in the stud with ancestry. He is now being used in the stud with
the idea of producing mares for foundation stock for carriage-horse breeding, and also for running purposes. W. Sporle, of Winnipeg, got second
place on Copper King, a California-bred horse. beautiful in his conformation and a sire of some, repute, having sired a winner of the California
Derby. Abbeywood, by Glenwood Dale and Pulford, a horse built more on racing lines, got third place. Anderson \& Co.. of Indian Head; J. R. Hand, Hudson, N. D.: and Frank
Norris. Rosswood Man Norris, Rosswood, Man., were the other exhibitors of stallions, while J. Millidere, Moissevain, took nearly everything in the female sections.
Kelston was descrvinely made champion,
STANDARD-13RFDS. - The Standard-breds were STANDARD-13REDS:-The Standard-hreds were
guite strong in the breeding sections, and in the The prize list made provision for a display of carriage and driving horses, but the very poorest accommodation exists at the rxhilition nark for
such a show. Dealers in this class of horses must be given a chance to display their animals hefore the public, in order to make it worth show of fancy harness, driving and saddle horss when it is held where they can watch it comortablv: but instead of making arrangements management have confined the distlay to a small
ring beside the stables, while the occumants the stands are "\& treated" to Acrobatic frats. vear, acain. the same difificulty existed of statis the racing horses with the hreding stork, and care lest fire should break out in the stables SHORTHORNS - BY CATTLE. excellence of exhibit the Shorthoris tority and palm this year in the livestock department and falling off in numbers and chuality from considerahle
reds, whites and roans not ony came forward, but beam forward has a smoothness very attractive
did so with an exhibit superior even to last year. and was in Intarest was added to the competition by the had many admirers, got in third place, and was Watt invasion from Ontario, which resulted in a presented in splendid fit, handing. a hit and "as good many prizes going to the Salem herd. T Robson, of Jiderton was in vogue, Cariont work in a most satisfactory manner, the principle


Capt. T. E. Robson, Ilderton, Ont.
underlying his decisions being that "winners should be selected of the right type to breed."
The contest opened with the call Shorthorn bulls, nine veterans entering the list making up the stiffest class of bovine stud males ever seen at the Industrial-'twas a battle of giants. Winnipeg fame. Prince Surquis, of Toronto and Toronto, of the Van Horne herd, champion of white bull from Salem : Nobleinan, form the Fain dian, shown by Geo. Iitille, and Scottish Canathe runner-up of the two previous vears, whos persistency was at last rervarded by his winning not soon to be forgotten. The judge evidently ignored previous owners or winnings, and decided the place of each individual on its merits. Scottish Canadian, after considerable delibera-

Balcray
mported Clydesdale stallion. First in three--ear-old classat Winnipeg Exhibition, 1:

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llome herd, and
Lame Lauretta Gem from
the Fairview herd.
As Prof. W. T.
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Mayflower 3rd was senior champion, and also steins) were out in force from A. B. Potter' after a stiff contest with the junior champion. Queen Ideal be accounted for by the fact that she was not pushed for show when young."'-Thos. day's work for the judge? Next noonday saw the agony at an end, Mayfower 3rd leading off as best he aged herds brought out a lot of good with Prince Sunbeam, Mayflower 3rd, Mar chioness, Collynie Bushful (imp). Spicy Duchess Spicy Marquis, Matchess, the blue ribbon and second 58th. Watt gith Valasco 40th, Olga Stamford, Queen Ideal, Tena Maude and Matchless 30th; fourth going to Barron for Nobleman, Laura, Louise, cicely, Lauretta, Gem 3rd and Daisy Bell. nen from Ontario who had so vaiiantly invaded new territory to them. The first-prize bull calf, Queen Ideal, viliage Queen and Superba an-
nexed the red ribbon, the East Selkirk herd getting the blue on Royal Marquis, Spe The white ribbon landed on the Carberry herd, consisting of Meteor, Daisy Bell, Gipsy Queen 5th and Kerfoot Beauty; Ayearst (Mount Royal) got fourth with and Crimson Gladioli. The awards for three bull calves under a yea
(Gladstone and Barron. That for bull and two of get was earned by Spicy Marquis, who, lame and defeated,
repeated former victories with his get. It was a grave error of judgment that exposed this veteran to defeat, but not dishonor, the young Spicys bidding fair to keep their sire's name before the public. The prize for three get of one sire went (Watt), Nobleman (Barron), and Captain Jack (John Graham). That for cow and two of her progeny went to the Salem cow, G. L. Ferguson, Souris, getting second. Home-bred herds wam And this closed another chapter of Shorthorn history in eeflern other than Shorthorns were judged by Leslie Smith, st. Cloud, Minn., and HEREFORDS made a fairly good showing, J. A. Chapman, Beresiord, Man., being out strong,
and getting the bulk of the money and ribbons. Bing \& Wilson, Glenella, Man., made their debut, and are to be commended for the way they
brought their cattle forward. The Wallace herd from Cartwright, in the hands of herdsman Waldie, were also to the fore, and got a fair share of the plums. The judge was much pleased with the Chapman herd, which was headed by the
seven-year-old imported Albert. Evidence of Albert's value as a sire was seen in the way his
son Sampson, of the Glenella herd, bid for the senior championship, the sire winning.
Shakespeare makes one of his characters to Shakespeare makes one of his "characters
says in " Much Ado About Nothing," that "a curst cow is a short-horn cow, and that a too-caken as pretty good evidence that the bard of Avon cattle put up by Sam Martin, of Rounthwaite, the Manitoba herd of Blackshins had no opposilion, but it would have required a strong herd to
have downed them. They are easily Canadian champions, and no one regrets the lack of con-
testants more than their owner if Wetern testants more than their owners. If Westery
Canada wishis to produce good steers, fed to a Canada wish's to protluce good stecrs, fed to
finish. Angus blood will have to be dipped in.
No Galloway herds were shown, the dispersion of the St. Jean herd having removed the repre as a heavy falling off in the dairy breeds competition, the year than int 1903 . The classification might well moneys offered for Jorsys and (in- nsers and
adding it to the shorthom section, where competition is havy and where stock far superior
to that thw in sume of the thairy classes cannot carn their expenses. The fair board has in
consider these matters from a business point view. and also from the educational effect, and should alst ater to the hreds suited to the
country. The ee tion which this fair caters to country. The se tion which this fair caters to
can well
hreede able, manline the sale of surf on its Winnipeg value. and to those who know it sives the impression th t any stuff can win at the hig fair
of West on Canada. Judve Tolmie worked con-
 Challentivn Mracionally, as did w. M. Smith, the
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herd, Montgomery, an occasional rival getting a
piece here and there, but not giving the Assini-
hoia betition.
large exhibit of Jerseys, Smith, of Gladstone getting a look-in often enough to prevent him getting thoroughly chilled. In spite of the fact
that there threatens to be a milk famine in Winnipeg, the clairy breecls make only a mild bid


Dr. Tolmie, Victoria, B. C.

SHEEP
From the standpoint of numbers the exhibit of the muttonmakers was disappointing, and may we taken as a pretty lair indication of the state
of the sheep industry in this country. It has been rumored that the Industrial Board may be expected to cut out the sheep sections altogether, case where be a decided mistake. Here is a either to the breeders, the consumers of mutton, and Western agriculture generally. It would do no harm, as a compromise, if the Lincoln and schedule of tho one to serve for the two. Southdowns


Mr. Thomas Teasdale, Concord, Ont.
incto erstions clats for Angora goats. The sugmen here siar arter sear, and also in, the tuality 1 eicesters descrece to be We only wish the came could he caill for the


sheep sem coms, were deleted entirely. Our sug industry. and womld save the Association money and cock pavilion. had their exhihits in fine form, howing Oxford and Shropshires, tespective W. I. Trann, -in orcasionali:. I Nolle had it all to himself in Lincolns, his sheep heinging their wool to
town with them : if shorn here and the wool sold. he would beat the C. P. FR. on freight.
Jasper, Harding. see-sawed with Smith all the a. monopoly in Southdowns. In Cot having Preston, of Pilot Mound. contestecl it with Park, the Ontario man having the best of it.
The fat-sheep prizes were annexed by the Down pens were not filled, and the competition was no as keen in some sections as last year, when the the falling off in exhibits may be that the list in some sections. swine.
Although an off year in some classes of stock he pig pens wat proty well occupied, the oc upants being quite up to former years in quality hew or the olde beoles, with Kenzie. Greenway and Brown, of the Berkshire con Andrew Graham \& J Thompson and Greenwa Yorkires, and Baldwin in Tamworths, ye For all, the judge, Mr. Thos. Teasdale, Concord part of Tuesday of the show, withal leaving a lot and well-merited placings. Numerically Yorkshires had it over the dark skinned Berkshires, but were run hard for numbers by the red fellows. The American breeds of lard hogs scem to be but an incident, and it js just a question if the exhibition board would not be justified in taking a broad view of things by cutting the prize list down still further for *wine, except for the thrce brceds above named diand their grades, lavorice not only with Cana ish oreeders. but also with he home and Brit pizers. As Chester Whites lard breeds of hogs-Foland Chinas, to injure the pork output of several sections, and therefore, of the whole of the country, because a use boars of the lard breeds, and if a few mex use boars of the lard breeds, and if a few men
do it in a neighborhood the quality of that dishave liberty to use or breed whatever stock h prefers, but should not be encouraged to breed stock of a class and character known and ac-
cepted as detrimental to the commercial interests little use wasting printer's ink or lecturer's words describing how successful the Danes are, when as sociation funds, derived, in a measure, from Gov ernment grants, encourage the very opposite o Berkshires were first called, J. M. Ewens. Min nedosa, having to fight all the way with W
Siaples, of Souris, a new exhibitor who made Staples, of Souris, a new exhibitor who made a
specially strong fight with young stuff. In Yorkshires competition was keener than
the blacks Mortson, Brandon. Hardy Roland Potter, Montgomerv, Assa.; Clendenning, Harding Dumn, Niepawa: Price, Winnipeg; Inch, Middle
church, all serving to make it intoresting The competition in Yorkshires was probably years and over, the Dunn entry, which by an
yuror of judgment hadl got only second at Neep-
awa. came to the front. followine up his sucose by winning senior and later the grand champion length and quality, The Poter entry, S. S
Iicador, a fine rig, wit a widre, Wicker animal and not so true to type as his successful rival
was second. Three entries came forward in th ${ }^{\text {class. }}$ In the Tamworth classes, A. W. Caswell, Neep awa; Gilennic, Mardonald, Trann, Crystal City and T. F. Manting, Ranting, made the fight
the awards heing pretly well divided among the compotitore. The decisions of the judge seemed
$\qquad$ Mardy, ine lard hog sections. W. L. Tram and w Minnedosa held a waŕy successful show .July is



Queen Ideal.
Junior champion Shorthorn, Winnipeg Exthibition, 1905.
Uwned oy R. A. \& J. A. Watt, Salem, Out. Well-digging.
and it is wisdom for British Columbians that every Manitoban who settles here is a satis
fied settler. Being so, he is one of our chic
assets, and the most valuable advertising arenc assets, and the most valuable advertising agenc
we can have. MARTIN BURRFLL.

## Plant Trees.

fail fo notice the absence of trees and lawn: around what would otherwise pass for comfort-
ableq homes. And yet the people love trees; they want to have them, and will willingly pay mor
ior a house surrounded by a greensward and few poplar and spruce trees; but still they seem unwilling to pay the forfeit in care and attention
and enjoy the signt' of seeing them grow. Realand enjoy the signt oi seeing them grow. Real
estate dealers claim that trees form almost as valuable an asset in the sale of a house as sound
timbers and convenience of location, and that thi expense of setting them out is a profitable in vestment. both from the cconomic and wastheti ern part of our country do not ihrive well. W have certainly seen a sufficient number of succes.
ful plantations to prove the absurdity of claim, and the number of abortive attempts at
tree-planting only goes to show that here tree-planting only goes to show that here as
elsewhere trees cannot be grown successfully by pulling a young sapling from its native hour breaking half the delicate little roots in the proc
ess, and then shoving it in a hastily-dug hole, and leaving the rest to nature. of her laws, and a few simple precautions are
necessary to secure her favor. Select trees that necessary to secure her favor. Select trees that those too closely sheltered by heavy timber.
move them carefully, breaking possible, and as soon as they are out ground cover the roots to prevent drying. This is especially needful in the case of evorgrens, a they will never grow if the roots are once allowad or the reception of the trees should have been
summer-fallowed the previous ycar - at least it must have received good cultivation to kill a'l grass and weeds. Then, dig the holes considerthe roits carefully, tramp the soil solidly around hem, and leave a surface mulch on top.
After cultivation-and this is cruelly neglected a nearly every case of failure-consists in mainand weeds, as nothing should be allowed to grow leet on either side of a newly trans. por of fate we met one man who claimed that the
or of grass growing vigorously round his rapidly-dying
trees and pumping the needed moisture from their ooots, really held the water, and thus aided the trees to grow. This fallacy will cost that man
the life of his trees ; it may cost you the same Plant trees; plant them carefully, but above to it that, by proper care, you keep them growing, and they will soon become in very truth a yourself, but to your children and your children

## Dairying.

## Milk Test at the Royal

ate show of the Royal Agricultural Society, at Park loyal, London, ninety cows in all, repreentatives of ten different' breeds, eighty of which
qualified under the rules, competed. qualified under the rules, competed. Prizes of mals in each breed obtaining the greatest number of points, which were awarded as follows: One oint for every pound of milk, one point for every days, maximum lactation points, 12 ; four points age of the morning and evening milkings. Cows hose milk showed less than an average of three qualified.
Of the 18 Shorthorns in the trial, Mr (a Taylor's Melody, 10 years old, was awarded first milk, her record, eight days after calving being fat percentage, 3.55 . The first-prize Jersey cow ( 20 competing), the Bishop of Ipswick's Lady Teasel, 8 years old, 73 days in milk, gave 52 4.20. The first- testing a fat percentage of Lieut.-Col. Ferguson-Buchanan's Auchentorlie 2nd 5 years old, 15 days in milk, yielded 47 pound 12 ounces, testing 4.37. The first-prize Guernsey ( 9 competing), Sir H. Leonard's Lady 77 th, 7 years old, gave, 93 days after calving, 39 pounds
10 ounces milk, testing 500 open to all breeds (prizes offered by the English Jersey Socicty), Lady de Rothschid's Jersey,
Lady Lady Dora, 6 years old, won first prize, 14 com-
peting Shorthorns, Jersevs. Lincoln Reds and
Kerry was 47 founds 14 yild, 163 days after calving,

Jersey cow, Wild Teasel 2nd, fs years old, her all the Chinese shons refue yield 161 days after calving heing 41 pounds 8 including Standard Oil, and all the schools and colleges
ounces, testing 5.42.
have decided to discord linital Ste

Mixing Brains with Work


The Dairy Building

## W aere the work of clariffing, parteurizing, coolinz

Whole outfit is as clean as the proverbial new pin iation.
 ent a patch of rape is growing near the barn and means of portable pens, and when one patch is
cleared it is The pigs thrive well on this, and, comlinect with economical method of roduction. Thic Yoar Mr Try a most This year Mr. Tregillus has planted some trees, and on clean ground with scarcely a weed, they
look like a success. A little patel of alfalfa is growing near the barn, and also a few hills of
corn. We shall watch theso crons and tho on Rosca rock Farm with interest. for it is the
pioneer alonk new lines that sets the people think-

## Events of the World.

## Canadian.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell has resigned
the Conservative party in the Senute
Major Jarmes Morrow Walsh, well known throughout Hon. S. N. Parent, ex-Prime Minister of Quebec, has been appointed to the chairmanship

The steamer Anglo, the first of the Canadian-Mexican line, sailed from Halifax July 27 th. She was heavily

British and Foreign.
I'ort Arth
Japanese.

A conference between the Czar' and Kaiser William took place on July 23rd on board the Kaiser's yach Hohenzollern. Therd are, many surruises as to the ob-
ject of the consultation, which may possibly portend
important developments in A Chinese mission is to leave Pekin soon, for the purpose of investigating the working of constitutiona
institutions in institutions in foreign countries. The Japanese press prise on the part of China.
$\qquad$ churia. The heaviewt rains of the season in Mave oc
curred, and the Valley of the Tumen, where the Russians have been holding important outworkse is flooded

## Fielà Notes.

A small community of Doukhobors in Eastern
Siberia, is preparing to come to this country to form

## Winter Fair Dates Changed.

to the undesirability of a possible interferenc of the Chicago International Live-stock Show being tor Fair at Guelph, previously fixed, the dates of the latter have been changed from the 4th to 8th of DecemThis year's fair will be the first at which there will be classification for seed-grain competitions. Prizes to the value of $\$ 200$ have been arranged by the Farmers institute branch of the Agricultural Department, an fied, including fall expected. Many varieties are classi black oats; barley, six and two rowed; field peas, lucerne, red clover, alsike, timothy, and both flint and
dent in the ear
About the same value in specinl prizes will also be these will be confined to members of the association

## Differs with the Nurse

I shall be grateful for the privilege of replying, in as few words as possible, to the attack made upon the
armers of Canada, as published in your issue of July 12th, and signed ". Nurse." Probably it has not ocalong of what she saw and heard on the other side of the question ; or else she has wilfully kept her eyes and ood-for-nothing women number of worthless, trifling, ing, kind and indulgent men. I do not claim to have ravelled very extensively, but one does not need to
ravel far to ompetence, extravagance and virulent tongues, contrive to make home a hell upon earth to their husbands. I ara persomally acquainted with a man who, comdirty, untidy house, squalling children, and a slovenly omplaining woman, too worthless to get supper withI know another man who is always in delt through funcy on her frequent trips to town. This wo he tongue is the terror of the countryside. Yet another
limes in lied in the morning while her foolishly indulgent pouse gets the brent and her a cup of ted instances, mind-crowd intot my head quicker than I can
thall them, bul one or two more is all I shall inflict There is an intelligent, well-educated man, to whom the dispusting, filthy habits of his wife are a continual (1) keep the fowl out of the house. I have seen her mixing bread and two or three hens, one after another,
"y on the table and tramp through the dough, which
$\qquad$ makn their husbands' lives a burden, by the incessant
"himing and nagering which is so intensoly irritating to Th. opposite sox. Ther are women-not one or two hustramels, should they indulge in a convivial glass, and "t thesce same women will buy beer and whiskey, and (2) extreme of making cleanliness at mania are also far too plentiful. Home should.
Al,own all thinks, he comfortable to the man who procilles it and that it comfortable seareely to the man who pro
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one that $\underset{\substack{\text { farm tab } \\ \text { These }}}{\text { un }}$


## When to Cut Rusty Wheat

authority, that rust is showing in some portions
Manitoba, being now in the red stage, we submit with Prof. Bolley's (North Dakota Experiment Station)
opinion as to the best time to cut whent affected with this bad fungus. this bad fungus.
In conversation with the winner of the second prize
for Red Fife wheat at Winnipeg, A. Titus, Napinka, he expressed himself emphatically in favor of leaving the ting means taking two chances against a good sample, the rust and immaturity. If rusted he prefers to take
 many questions concerning the proper procedure in har cut green rather than wait for it to ripen or matur 2o avoid shrinking $q^{\prime \prime}$ There have been no reliable e
periments pullished upon this point. We have veriments pubisher upon this point. We have thus it has seemed to us that to cut the wheat too green was to place two factors against its chances of filling
It is a broad. important It is a broad, important question, and careful tests
have been made this season. There was much conhave been made this season. There was much con-
troversy upon the point at harvest time, and it is now evident that many farmers injured their crop by cutting
 did not possess a sufficient rust attack to materially
shrivel the grain.
Others
greatly and quality of their grain by allowing it to stand and
bleach and weather on the straw. The following is an
 sized bundles were cut with a sickle, tied and shocked
in field as is usuanty , one to coro The conditons
would in every sense be similar to ordinary field work would in every sense be sim
as illustrated in shocks matl

Juaging Competition at Winnipeg


```the list of entries was not large. The competition was
in charge of Mr. W. J. Black, Deputy-Minister of Agriculture for Manitoba, who had the competitors place
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```er's Advocate" gave a gold medal, valued at twenty
five dollars, while the money prizes in each class wereten, eight and five dollars. The successful competitor
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```Beef casomin, N.-W. T.; R. D. Laing, Stonewall.Baker.Dairy cattle-J. C. Yule, R. D. Laing, w. T. Baker.
Mutton sheep-G. G. White. W. T. Baker R
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Depaty Minister of Agriculture for Manitoba.
Races at Winnipeg Industrial Open to Suspicion.

rules or would repeat their performance of Wednesday, and whip jast for them, however, and only one of the pair ev showed. There was comparatively little betting on this fore by the samo game. Bhy, having been worked be the judges wele asked to take some action with regard to coupling the stable entries, but did not seem to know how far their power extended.
[This paper hus no sporting editor on the staff, anul thentiy does not assume preternatural knowledge wers. satisfactory character of the races, and quote above what we presume are the ideas of the sporting editor

## An Injustice to Breeders.

## aces my views on the subject of the Industrial Exhib

It is just about time that more suitable accommo-
far for fourtecn years, spending much time year aft
year for fourteen years, spending much time and money
and the accommodation to-day, both for the animals
and the men who attend upon then, is worse than it
was ten years ago. The stables are situated in the
most undesirable spot in the whole grounds; they are
remote from where the largest crowds assemble. and
this year, owing to the rainy season, were surrounded
by a veritable quagmire. They are so arranged that
should fire break out in any one of so arranged that
and horses could be got out.
At the time the exhibition is held it is not possible
to make an exhibit of the grains of the country and
to make an exhibit of the grains of the country, and
only a very limited supply of the vegetables. The horses, cattle, sheep and swine are the only thing about
the exhibition that are of real value to the west as an immigration drawing feature. It would seem reasonable, therefore, that it should be so placed that it would
be in sight of every visitor. I make the statement without fear of contradiction, that taking one class with
another, Winnipeg has this year put up a better show another, Winnipeg has this year put up a better show
and larger, both of cattle and horses, than any exhibi-
tion of its size on assertion, that nowhere on the continent will be found city show grounds in such a disgraceful condition.
The exhibition board have known from the first year hey held the grounds that if it rained the grounds wer
quagmire; then why, in the name of common a quagmire ; then why, in the name of common sense,
have they not devoted their expenditures to the improvement of the grounds, filling them in with gravel
where necessary, and providing a permane able judging pavilion, instead of moving us about from Where to place so that half the time no one knows
whe present arrangement is most un suitable, the ring where the horses are judged cannot possibly be made fit for horses to stand properly, and
though the judging ring for the cattle has the tage of a board floor it is so cattle has the advanhardly room for the judges to pass behind or in front about so that their best points can be seen. The ac commodation tor spectators is too limited, and the
passages for promenade so small passages for promenade so small that they are co
stantly congested.
The grant of $\$ 50,000$ from the Dominion Gover ment made last year to the Dominion Fair, was, so
understand, to make the fair draw immigration. I cannot imagine any visitor from o the Canadian West by the grounds in their present rondition. We were nssured that the fair last yearenas
money-maker, and if so why has not some of that mooney been expended in putting the cattle barns, horse
stables and judging rings in proper shape? Breeders
have put up with ring
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ompe than for an industrial fair at which horses and


Winnipeg Fair Attendance, 1905

Manitoba Vets. Appro lations

Winnipeg Exhibition Dairy Exhibit.


Manitoba and the Cahadian West is for a record crop.
 Wheat is now all headed out, and most of it at the
filling stage. The past week's favorable weather over the Northwest has calmed to a great extent the apprehension about rust damace, and, as a consequence,
American markets have also callmed down, cash prices American markets have also calmed down, cash prices
being 3c. to 4c. Lower, and futures about unchanged being 3 c . to 4c. Cower, and futures about unchanged
from a week ago. The weather during the week has also been favorable in the winter wheat country, has the movement of new wheat is very liberal, and the
(uality of it much superior to lost yeur's wheat. The quality of it much superior to last yeur's wheat. The
European situation is unchanged on the week, supplies being ample for the present and near future, and crop
conditions same as a week aco. The visible supply decreased 464,000 bushels last week, against a decrense of $1,084,000$ bushels the previous week, and a decrease were 930 bushels last year. The world's shipments wrevious wrel and 8050 agan $9,432.000$ bushels the world's visible supply, according to Bradstreet's, The creased $1,293,000$ bushels, against a decrease of 2,700 ,000 bushels the previous week, and a decrease of 2,
370,0 ,
 vo. $4,73 \mathrm{c}$ : No. 5 wheat, 63 k c., epot or Aurust do No. 4. 73 c ; No. 5 wheat, $63+\mathrm{c}$, spot or August do-
livery. All prices in store, Fort william or liort coarse grains.

Sats-No. 2 white, 42c.; No. 3, 40 c . feed grades, Barley-No. 3. 40.c. No. 4. 37c. per bushel.
Hay-Fresh baled, in car iots on track 88

> DAIRY PRODUCE. Cheese-Manitoba, 11c.

Butter-Choice creamery, 17 c . to 18 c . lricks, 18 c 19c.; dairy grades not in demand ; choice tubs, 12c. Kgs-lin demand, at itc., delivered here.


## Montreal.

Best cattle sell at about 5c. per pound, and about O head were bought by shippers at from 4ic. to near that were culled out of cattere from the Northwest about 4c. per pound; pretty good cattle sell at 3 tc: to 4 c c., and common stock at 2 fc . to 3 c . per pound. pound, to be sent out to pasiure for some 2ye. per Shippers paid 4c per pound tort good some months.
 2.75 to $\$ 1.75$ each.

## Chicago

Chicago--Cattle-Good to prime steers, 85.25 to 85.90 ; poor to medium, 83.75 to $\$ 5.10$, stockers and
feeders, $\$ 2.25$ to $\$ 4$ Hoys-Mixed and butchers', 85.50 to 86.20 ; good to choice, heavy, 85.95 to 86.15 ; heavy rough, 85.50 to 85.85 ; light, 85.80 to $\$ 6.25$; bulk of sales, 85.75 to $\$ 6.10$. Sheep -10 c . higher ; lambs, 15 c . higher ; good to choice wethers, 84.50 to $\$ 4.85$; fair
to choice, mixed, $\$ 4$ to $84.50 ;$ native lambs $\$ 5$ to

## British Live Stock Markets.

The Queen for the Horse.
Queen Alexandra is throwing all her weighty
influence on the side of the horse versus influence on the side of the horse versus the
motor. Her Majesty was present at the meet of the Four-in-Hand in Hyde Park last week, and later on at the inter-regimental polo match at Hurlingham, It is an open secret that Her Majesty hearti'y approved of tho edict which drove
the motor cars from Hyde Park during the hours when society parades itself in all its magniffcence. Quen Alcxandra is a great lover of animals, and is jealous of thoir honor and glory. She is the
president of the Ladies' Kennel Club, that institu tion which Lady Aberdeen has manared to sot upon a solid financial basis.



Life, Witerature and Education.

## The Question of Where to Liv

The great cuestion of to-day Where shall I live?" A politica issue might interest some, but this social question is on the lips of al a second nature.
A short solution of the difficulty might be found in this one sentence 'Live where you can feel happy.' This even, does not take us down to the seat of the trouble. It does not axplain much we did not know before Anyone could tell you when you happily, to stay there; but there are very few who can give you the key happiness. Without that key plete man, his work in the world cumstance drives him; beyond cir there is no trace of full-spirited work. The world owed him a livbeing consulted, he eats as though he had come to a hotel and paid in advance, and thankfully passes out he displaced while aimlessly wair through it roll gently in behind him, and his track through life is covered to show that he he has left no sign than to simply live Ned other of tracks remain to show that he had ever stopped to think-his course through life was one straight line was no mistaking the tomb. There warrow, straight, walled high on either side, it was long, food sufficient for the day hung before him ; he had a haunting conviction that such an irresponsible task as only providing the physical necessary for
existence. He could see he was not doing right, and that in the end he Away down in the dusky, dim, ever narrowing avenue of life he could almost read something; it hung illegible by reason of its distance, but
after 50 or 60 years of travel he read the world's last and sad messate him : "Here is the end of all 1 owe you; below here is your grave. He begins to get unhappy he does not want to die on the brink of the cateract that sucks and lashes his this is no place to diclivion. If this is no place to die, is it any
place to live? Is it down this narow footpath of life that we should
ive? Since the day parents. support he has worked on the treadmill of life that turned the speed he worked at was governed bv his personal wants. and watch the facial expression of
those who walk past. One has just passed the point when he
been a scholar. and he seas ithe larew he micht have made for
stretching off from the path
silver tracery against the
side. Up ! Up ! Up! Until at the
end of your term of off into the pit of oblivion.
It is up these side-roads we wa
o live. Just past the point at whic if they had turned, they could have been full men and women, are seen times flood with tears, anguish all along the life of selfishness. But, oh ! the pangs they feel, the despair all gone- find retreat cut off-life to swallow them up. How many different types of men we have : Onc goes blindly forward in quest of his meals ; in short, a living with as sible.
Could one find a better place to how than where he could show men heart and cound be happy by going that is far-reaching some occupatio its application? It does not follow that because ignorance is bliss it is
folly to be wise. Bliss flowin from ignorance is only such bliss a omes from knowing such bliss a the Indian's bill of fare was good to his caste only until he was invited We see some fat, apparently happy specimens strolling eilons reasonable to suppose that they have some remorseful hours. We have also the man who takes a turn up the byways of life in search of money bargains, is the vest-pocket friend people until they refuse to deal with install he now gets his first feels out of his element ; he is no place for his element, this no demand for his wares, he has no love for his work, he depends on the money in the job for his happiness; world. Happiness then comes from the love of work that will make the wan do is the place to tive best advantage I never was so proud of the man
who works to make the world better as I was last winter. I happened to be with two doctors from North were hard workers ; had put in 22 years of hard driving on those cold, wind-swept prairies. Their shoulders were rounded from heavy coats and
rough drives, necks weather-beaten and tanned by the winds, a crow's foot on each eye, while numerous had wrinkles told that their faces storms, often when there was driving in it. When we cot down amongst Chicago, who, perhaps. harl wiever lives, and whose skin was in their fresh at $6 C$ years of ace I thonst
to myself that my frimic. a little lehind the times. Th ell
the truth, I minht savin of them. But this of thoughtity they had For the thke of human-



The Place and Value of Conversation.

## Someone has said that it should le

 man's desire to excel other men in is, in his excels the brute; that this be the case, should noech. Now, if versation receive more coreful contion than it dore? Parents sped large sums of money in having spend children trained to waintor or sinc, while they quite or 10 四 have them cultivate the art versation. The greatest care is give versation. The greatest care is given strange to say, the style in which trange to say, the style in which known through make themselves wite innord ords Indeed so $f$Indeed, so far has this gone, that early date bids fair to be, at a lost arts. Fven how host the a a hostess d partain leaving her guests to change of ideas, and the free must provide amuseinent for the n the way of then pastimes. Should not such beguilement be provided, in too many rases hours dull, drags, the guests feel the when they can retire without seem such rude. The talk indulged in on as to cause one to accept any mak shift for whiling the hours rather kind. endure another evening of tha The need of the cultivation of the rated if you listen is further illus made by the members of almost any casual group, and it does not make made up of the delegates to the supreme court of a church or a frater-
nal society, or of the workers at a quilting or threshing bee. In many cases a listener is intupressed with the fact that the group is talking
far below its privileges. jects discussed are unvorthy, some
times malicious, times malicious, and often are which one gentleman theserve with of the affairs of another who is absent. Worse still, the ma-
licious acts of some public mr private acts of some public or
preceant are discussed with an unblushing frcedom and apparent relish that is simply sickening. In listening, and the remarks of their seniors might excite a curiosity that edge is won that may end in ruin and despair. should be the case when that this many things that are really worth
discuscing once the sparkle and the value of at the diamond. Small talk is the output mouthed and the cossipy are the Woral cesspools of the social life
Wh., hrm. should honorable men and
him-ind
ness and poverty of our conversa tion by saying that the lives of the majority of us are commonplace, and
that our time is largely spent in the discharge of duries that have lit the in them to inspire us with eithe lives of the average farmers in this country are rich in every way in peasantry of Burns' day yet whotch picture he gives us of one of their family gatherings in his matchless Night." There is tar's Saturday for you. Yet, notice how hom life were the subjects discussed. The simple duties of a servant to his master; the thrifty duties of the busy housewife ; the delight the holy joy of pureheartew goon the glory of family worship, though it be conducted by a peasant in his peasant home-these and kindred themes are here, and of them Burns
(ike these old Scotia's grandeur springs,
That makes her loved at home, revered
abroad..

It was the spirit in these good
cottars that ennobled their artless conversation till it touched the in

## With the Flowers

The Garden Magazine gives the fol lowing hints for August work among the trees and flowers.
Plant evergreens the last week in August. The ideal way to trans plant an evergreen is to have the oots surrounded by an unbroke all of clay wrapped in a bag s the air cannot dry out the root which are far more sensitiv han those of deciduous trees. loont Bermuda lily bulbs for win lum for and bulbs of Lilium Candi Sow primers next summe cinerarias for the spring-windo Take cuttings of heliotrope an geranium for the winter window gal Sow pansy and English daisy sec Dutch buom in cold frames sus and hyacinth) that bloom narcis doors year after your hoom out planted occasionally to get the best results. August is the time to do the bulbs will have made root growth by handling. $\quad$ Hecessarily be damaged year, deep dried, and replanted every be four inches or so that there will butbes. Plant tulips three to five and narcissus three three inches deep. Fo have plenty of flowers in freely, (2) Pick all growing plat. and you will have more flowers. If flowers are few scatter some

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The New Scale Williams Piano at St. Mary's Acadory, Winnipeg. Most of the world's greatest masterbeen produced under religious influence. turies fostered all that is best in music and it is well known that their Religious Colleges and Academies contain some of thusiasts. That the New Scale Williams Piano has been selected as the best for their purpose by the St. Mary's Academy,
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Canadian pianos. The following letter explains itself.
St. Mary's Acedemy, Crescentwood
 the New Scale Williams pianos, and are hapoy
lo testify to their mannonicent tone qualties,
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ments made in the construction of these pianos.
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THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE.


A New Member and a New Subject.
 over and over, and all I can say is I able buildings, etc... but to show our
think they are fine; they are so helpful. young ladies that if they would give
I, too, am one who is glad to say she their aid, they might be the quickest
 Dear friends, it is not the fault of the notice, when a young man is struck by
Carm that people can't get along. In cupid, how soon the '. top ", buggy comes
this day tarm that people can't get along. In cupid, how soon the "top " buggy comes
this day, I don't think people consider about, and the straightening up of him-
thoughtfully enough who will be their self and things in general. I hope this


## Steedman's Powders

Relieve FEVERISH HEAT

showed as lovers. A man seeks for for-
tune, for space in the world's thoughts, and dominion over his fellow men; but a
woman's whole life is a history of the
affection affections. The heart is her world; it matrimonial hporsible in in the to start a
s. Farmer's
s there her ambition strives for empire; Advocate," Weary Bachelor, even in the kindness. She nature seeks for love and
kerks her whole soul in affection, and if shipwrecked, her case
is sometimes hopeless, for it is the bankNow, a few words more, although you may think my subject a queer one. I
don't think any young man should pay
attention to a girl for abtention to a girl for any length of
line without some understanding if he
never intends never intends to marry her. Girls look
at things more seriously than boys do, as boys are more indepent than one girl has put an end to her
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life life for just a small act like that.
disappointment in love is harder to get
over over than any other. The passion itself
so disables it from struggling or bearing up
ngainst the woes and distresses which be fall it. Hoping this letter doesn't reach
the W. P. B., I remain,- CARMEN What do our girls thaink abour the last
part of this letter ? Do you think girl should let herself "a gounder," no
matter how bitterly she has been disappointed in love?
From a Northwest Bachelor fome letters I read in a recent issue city. I am sure in the West here, we
cannot spare one girl, as there are so many young men here who, pe haps, have
not yet got the large house, or the two-
story barn, etc.; but would be far more
likely to have these if they had the help of a young wife and the necessary com- young men of either west or East find
forts to make a young man ambitious. mo far as their matri
monial prospects are concerned.


 A Small Hero. It was a very hot day in August when water. It was deep water whto the
Winlie and Ethel were tired of the heat.
fell in, and willie couldn't see a sign of They sat and talked of what they her. He made a jump, sprang into the
would do. At last, a bright idea came water and in a few minutes found Ethel
into would do. At last, a bright idea came Nater and in a few minutes found Ethel.
into little Willie's head, and he said: He caught hold of the stone Ethel had
"n in know what to do." "I know what to do."
"On! what is it?". rried cager litule Ethel. been standing on and pulled her up on
". Well," said When he carried Ethel home as fast
it." now we'll go as he could and brought her right to ". Well," said willie, "now we'll go as he could and brought her right to
dishing down to the river, and it will be mamma. Mamma took her and told
woillie to run for the and cool thare too
 first, said little Ethel.
They ran off to ask mamma if to mamma, and then she asked him how
(hey could go, and she said they might. it all happened. Willie told her all
Then they dug att it and Then they dug a canful of fish worms about it, and then mammald said that
and got their fish pooks and started. It Willie was her little hero. You nay the nem into the water. Fooks, and threw
Fithel saw a large
tonc out a little way in the river, so



Ine addressed by "Nurse" to the men.
Inhould just like to say here, though,

is willing to put up with a small house, and a small barn, and a topless buggy,
until better times come, for the sake of the man she really cares for. What slie
does demand, though, is refinement of
manner and thought, manner and thought, kindness, out-and-
out manliness. It is simply impossible for any girl of the right stamp to care for a man whose leading characteristics are
hoorishness and coarseness. We think
Nurse" has been rather in the farmers she has met. unfortunate
we have known many who wers we have known many who were as
fastidiously careful of speech and man-
ner. and as careful as far as nossible about personal cleanliness, as any town that there are many, not all confined to
the country either, to whom the bath and tooth brush are not as familiar as
they should be in this civilized age. Agrson, the quiet voice, gentle manner nd manly hearing that comes of a fine,
open, manly character, count much more o the girl. of to-day than the big house
nd fine o place." and the sooner tha Beef

Perfectly cooked. Deli ciously sea soned bone, no waste

. Saves time when work is pressing. Saves going to the store when roads are bad.
A delicious and nour-
ishing dish.
It is Canadian Beefpacked in Canada.



Exhblte of 祭erit-Contloued Monat factory has a capacity of fourteen her day, and the demand is much greate Everyone who saw the exhibit of Moffat stoves went away with a feeling of en-
tire confidence that they were dependable tire confidence that they were
and artistic in every respect.

CLARE \& BROCKEST
The Well-known Stove, Furnace and Metal A large and very attractive showing of furnaces, stoves and ranges was made in the Manufacturers' Building by Clare \&
Brockest, Western agents for Clare Bros. \& Co., of Preston, Ont., and also for the Metal Shingle and Siding Co., of the same place. The company's down-town
offices are at 246 Princess St., corner of Alexander, Winnipeg, and possess every ap-to-date appointment and modern facil ity for the quick transaction of business
The Hecla Furnaces, which occupied a large part of the firm's exhibit, are well known to be the most widely sold hotair furnaces in Canada. Among other features they possess a patent fused joint
which makes them absolutely dust, smoke and gas proof. The Peninsular Ranges shown by this
firm included the three favorites, the firm included the three favorites, the
Home, the Granite and the Crystal. The first named is well adapted for country
or city use, burning as it does eithe wood or coal. The second is the acme of mechanical science as far as the con-
struction of stoves is concerned. No more than this can be said of any manu is a specialty in four-hole ranges, embodying superior constructive features and
suberlative beauty of design. superlative beauty of design.
In addition to a full line of stoves and furnaces, Clare $\&$ Brockest carry a wid
variety of metal roofings and sidings, for which there is an extensive demand throughout Manitoba and the Territories.
In fact, the metal building material trade is increasing so fast that the company are working on plans for the construction of a large factory in Winnipeg, on Mc-
Phillips Street, near Logan. One buildPhillips Street, near Logan. One build-
ing is already completed, and a private track run into the property. With a purely Western plant turning out metal
rofing and siding exclusively, Clare \& roofing and siding exclusively. Clare \&
Brockest should be in an enviable posiBrockest should be in an enviable posi-
tion to meet the requirements of their customers "Farmer's Advocate " to write this com-
pany at once, for full information regardpany at once, for full information regard-
ing their many lines. Prospective customers can rest assured that they will
receive the most courteous attention and the most dependable goods.

THE AMERICAN STOCK FOO An extremely favorable impression was American Stock Foods and Stock Reme dies, which was located next to the fire
hall, in the heart of the grounds. These preparations, which are nanufactured by
he American Stock Food Co, of Fremont, Ohio, have whieved a world-widd
reputation for absolute reliability. They are put up with the utmost care by of the business, consequently the goods can be counted upon to give the maxi
mum of satisfaction. The different prep and Condition Powder, the great fattener and flesh producer : American Horse PowRemedy, for horses: American Lice Rem
cdy, for hogs, sheep, and all other stock cay. for hogs, sheep, and all other stock.
as well as for poultry: Bavarian Horse ings. Lameness and rhcumatism: American
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Registrar H. G. Wade, of the Shorthorn Association, announces that the
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AYRSHIRES AT GLASGOW. The show of Ayrshires at the Highla Society's Show ths year was the best seen out in many years. The aged cows prize were espectally grand. The irst prize went to Mr. Robt. Whson's noted was also the champion Manswrae, who the President's prize as the best antmal of the breed. The as the best animal to Dr. Douglas ene secand, award went Blossom, Douglas, M. P., Yor Heather was third and firth. Theo yearold cows in ilk in bo Neil's Topsy 2nd of Barleith. Mr. Jas. Kerr, of Old Gretne, were second with Sonsie 6th, the third going to Mr. Robt. McAlister's Queen I. The class for oowe Royal winner, Lady Jane of Knoclodon Mr. McAlister was second with Ardyne Fairy, and Mr. Wm. Brown's Kate o Springs was third. In the Derby for
three-year-old queys, Mr. first and third with Topsy 2nd and Hover-a-Blink, and Messrs. Kerr second with Sonsle 8th. In two-year-old heirers, Mir. Jas. Howio, Hallhouse, was Mr. Robt. Osborne was second with Se lina Sedilia, by Grgantic Stunner, and Mr. Andrew Mitchell third with Handsome Nell, bred by Mr. Jas. Howie. In
yearing heifers second for Whinflower and Semolina, and the third went to Mr. Robert Osborne for Faustima Scaife, by Wynholm Dunning. champion was Mr. Jas. Kennedy's maur year-old, Safoguard of Glenshemrockr;
Mr. Jas. Howie's three-year-old, Wynfette, being second, and Mr. Andrew
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