

AUCTION SALE

OF FARM MACHINERY AND CATTLE

The undersigned have received instructions from

DONALD E. ORR

To sell by public auction at his farm, lot 24, S.D.S., Township of The Gore, County of Huron, 3 miles west of Oakville, on Road 14, between Highway No. 2 and Queen Elizabeth Way, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 15

Commencing at 1:30 o'clock the following:

CATTLE—1 reg. Guernsey cow (Brookside Provost Betty), fresh, 5 yrs. old; 1 grade Guernsey cow, due April 12, 7 yrs. old; 1 grade Jersey cow, 4 yrs. old; 1 grade Jersey cow, in full flow, 4 yrs. old.

POWER MACHINERY, ETC.—M.D. tractor, model W30, heavy duty delivery rake; 2 M.H. 4-5-5; Cockshutt grain grinder; Int. heavy duty 8 ft. disc, almost new; Int. steel threshing machine; 22 1/2 ft. with Rowal shredder, seed cleaner, 14 ft. elevator, extension blower pipe and bagger; very good condition; 100 ft. 7 in. belt, M.H. hay tedder; Cockshutt power grain binder, 10 ft. M.H. grain binder, 6 ft. Int. single plow; M.H. 4-5-5; 2 wheel, Int. corn sheller; 2 wheel, Int. corn sheller; 2 horse corn sheller; 2 M.H. 1-horse corn shellers; M.H. steel land roller; 40 ft. ladder; Ferguson side delivery rake; 2 section spring rakes; Ferguson weeder; Int. stiff tooth cultivator; 10 ft. wide; 14 ft. flat wagon; rubber tires, very low like new; seed cleaner; 34 ft. trail-cow wagon; very low rubber tires; Ford 1 1/2 power mower; nearly new, heavy duty snow plow; electric fence; 2 section seed harrows; 2 24 ft. ladders; 2 section spring tooth cultivator; M.H. seed drill; 15-disc; Graham 6 in. chisel plow; nearly new; M.H. circular saw and saw blades; 2 Buckeye 1,000 chick coal brooders; Stewart Chipmaster chipper; quantity of single wire; saws; shovels; chains; small tools; etc.; hay forks; rope; full slings; bale har; straw; steel wheel wagon; quantity of Carter oats.

TERMS: Cash with clerk on day of sale.

No reserve as farm is sold.

HINDLEY AND ELLIOTT,
Auctioneers,
Geo. Currie, clerk. b-38-2

CLEARING AUCTION SALE

OF POWER IMPLEMENTS, DURHAM AND HOLSTEIN CATTLE, POULTRY, SEED OATS AND FURNITURE.

The undersigned have received instructions from

W. R. HUME

To sell by public auction at his farm, lot 8, con. 6, township of Nelson, 3 miles S.W. of Milton, on the Appleby Line, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 19

Commencing at 12:30 o'clock the following:

CATTLE—1 Durham cow, calf at side; 2 Holstein cows, due time of sale; 1 Durham cow, fresh 6 weeks, not bred; 2 Holstein cows, in full flow, not bred; 1 Durham cow, in full flow, bred in Nov.; 1 Holstein cow, in full flow, bred in Nov.; 1 Holstein cow, due in May; 2 Durham steers, rising 2 years; 2 Durham heifers, rising 2 years; 1 Holstein steer, rising 2 years; 1 Holstein heifer, rising 2 years; 2 Holstein steers, rising 2 years; 2 Durham calves; 4 Holstein calves.

POULTRY AND POULTRY EQUIPMENT—175 Hybrid hens; colony house 10'x12'; coal brooder; feeders; fountains, etc.

GRAIN FEED AND FERTILIZER—ER-400 bus. oats; 300 bus. feed oats; 1 bus. Timothy seed; 16 bags fertilizer; quantity of cow mineral.

POWER MACHINERY, ETC.—Cockshutt S.P. 110 combine; M.D. tractor, model H, on rubber, with lights and tires loaded, like new; J.D. model D tractor on steel with new motor; Gehl hammer mill; M.D. cutting box with outside and inside pipes; circular saw and frame; 10' buck rake, suitable for row crop tractor; line shaft with pulleys and hangers; power emery; 75' drive belt; Cockshutt 10' grain grinder; Cockshutt 7 power mower; implement trailer; Hart grain elevator; Int. rubber tired manure spreader; De Laval power cream separator; Int. hand power separator; rubber tired farm wagon with flat hay rack; extra large hay rack; Dane hay loader; M.D. dump rake; M.D. side rake on rubber; M.D. hay tedder; M.D. power lift grain drill; 15 run, J.D. double disc, 16 plate; M.H. 3 section drag cultivators; M.H. 3 furrow tractor plow; M.D. 3 furrow tractor plow; 4 walking plows; Deering corn binder; 2 row corn sheller; power lift; 4 section seed harrows; M.H. steel land roller; fanning mill; 1941 Chev. truck, 2 ton, with stock racks and new platform; Universal milking machine with motor, 2 units and piping; sloop sleigh; Hardy orchard sprayer with 120 gal. tank; stock rack; barrel weed sprayer; one and three quarter gas engine; 1 1/2 air cooled gas engine; turnip seeder; cutter; almost new set of double harness; quantity of 3" lumber; 5 cement tile, 24"; roll of snow fence; cyclone seeder; 2 large sugar kettles; hog crate and scales; double pulleys; fence stretchers; 2 single row scufflers; 5 water bowls with floats; 2 extension ladders; 3000 lb. scales; root pulper; bench tool grinder; forks; shovels; tools, chains and numerous other small articles.

FURNITURE—Oil space heater; chest of drawers; cook stove, enamel finish; 8 lids and reservoir; couch; odd tables; 2 for the iron beds, with springs and mattresses; 2 wood beds, springs and mattresses; odd dishes and other household effects.

TERMS: Cash with clerk on day of sale.

Nothing to be removed until set-aside.

Mount Union W.I. catering.

No reserve as farm is sold and the proprietor is giving up farming.

HINDLEY AND ELLIOTT,
Auctioneers,
Fred Egberts, clerk. b-41-2

FARM NEWS

From Halton's Farm Lands
QUALITY OF HALTON COUNTY HERDS
ATTRACTS TOURS BREEDER GROUPS
The Swine Industry

Recent tours to Halton County by two different breeder groups is indicative of the high standing attained by many Halton herds and also of the high regard in which they are held elsewhere in the province.

The first group on its journey to Halton in 1955 was that of the Grand-Norfolk Jersey Club. Their first stop was made at Avonlea Farm, owned and operated by Featherstone Bros. near Trafalgar. Here they were met by President Mac Alexander, of the Halton Club, and then with Bill and Jack Featherstone in charge they made a tour of the 70 odd head of Jerseys which won for their owners the Constructive Breeder award.

Call on President - Then on to Laidlaw Farm, where they inspected some 30 head which were the Constructive Breeder award for M. C. Beatty.

Their third stop was to inspect the herd of Halton's third Constructive Breeder, namely Ken Ellis and Sons.

Following this, they visited Halton's oldest established herd, namely that of Gerald R. Graham, at Ashbridge. On visit of such a group would be complete without a call at the home of Halton's general president, Mac Alexander. Here they saw the Jersey herd being built up by the big hatchery with its 50 brood sows; and herd of goats which is rapidly winning fame for the Alexander family.

Judging by the comments which we overheard, the visitors were more than delighted by what they saw; not to mention the hospitality extended.

CLEARING AUCTION SALE
IN THE TWP. OF BRANTFORD
OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND FARM EQUIPMENT

The undersigned has received instructions from

G. R. GADD

To sell by auction at his farm, lot 32, con. 2, situated on the first line, second farm north of No. 7 Highway, 2 miles west of Acton, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 19

Commencing at 1:30 o'clock sharp the following:

Solid wauhat dinner wagon; 2 studio couches; 9 piece dining room suite; small tables; glass; crockery; antique glass; Coleman electric heater; 2 burner oil stove; coal space heater; large mirror; 2 Congoleum rugs 6x9; end tables; antique curio; 2 tubular bedsteads; springs and mattresses; chest of drawers; floor lamp; hall rack; card table; Morfat 4 burner electric range; white enamel cooking range; vacuum cleaner; electric mixer; quantity of dishes; bedding; Easy washing machine, like new; bathroom scales; Westinghouse combination clock and radio; Stromberg cabinet radio, like new; waterproof tent, like new, with steel poles and pegs; folding camp beds; chairs, etc.

EQUIPMENT—Pair Stewart cow clippers; dual heaters; electric brooder; poultry drinking fountains; fountain heaters; set heavy duty tractor; tire chains; fence stretcher; electric fence; truck axle with spare wheel and tire; electric cream separator; J.D. P.T.O. tire pump; 200 gal. tank with pump, like new; milk can cart; 4 Betty steel barn posts with end plates; churn; rubber tired steel wheelbarrow; wooden wheelbarrow; 2 wheeled steel cement cart; large windows; extension ladder; quantity water pipe and fittings; new and used, various sizes; quantity used bricks; piles scrap iron; forks; shovels; garden tools; seeder; wheel hoe; numerous other items.

TERMS: Cash. Positively no open house till sale day.

W. M. A. GIBSON,
Auctioneer.

Notwithstanding the fact that 1954 marketing was recorded in all provinces except Ontario and British Columbia, Ontario marketing in 1954 showed a drop of 3.1% from 1953; and approximately 31% below those of 1952.

An Ontario last year's marketing showed a drop of 10.9% below those of 1953, and 48.8% below those of 1954. The quality of Canadian and Ontario hogs dropped for the eighth successive year. Ontario's percentage of A's for 1954 was 29.9%.

To show the seriousness of this decline in quality we would point out that Waterloo County had the highest percentage of A's with 34.9% in 1954. 25 counties had over 40% A's. This past year Halton stood in 13th place from the standpoint of quality as a matter of fact only thirteen counties in Ontario had over 30% A's. 1954 marked the first year since rail grading became official that Ontario had less than 30% A's.

Livestock Commissioner

Exports amounted to the equivalent of between five and six hundred thousand hogs. This represents at least 10% of the total number marketed. On the other hand domestic disappearance amounted to approximately 66 pounds per capita.

Getting back to quality the percentage of C hogs (fat hogs) in 1954 was 7.09% as compared with 2.54% C hogs in 1950. "The time for reversing the trend in the quality of Ontario's hogs is long overdue," recently stated W. P. Watson, Ontario Live Stock Commissioner, who is to be the chief speaker at Halton's Seed Fair and Bacon Show in Milton, this month.

The carcass cutting demonstration will be a real eye-opener to many. In this demonstration one side of an 'A' hog and one side of a 'C' hog will be cut into domestic cuts. Those who think that all pork cuts irrespective of quality sell at the same price at the butcher shop are going to have to find another "excuse" for marketing poor quality hogs when this demonstration is over.

AUCTION SALE

(CHARRING)

Of Farm Mach. Power Machinery, (Irish Thresher, Hay and Peatry,

The undersigned have received instructions from the estate of the

LATE CHARRING HALL.

To sell by public auction at lot 10, con. 4, township of Trafalgar, 2 miles south of Horsey, corner of 7th line and 10 sidewalk, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 21

Commencing at 1:30 o'clock, the following:

CATTLE—1 reg. Holstein cow, due in April; 1 reg. Holstein cow, due in May; 1 reg. Holstein cow, 13 mos. old; 1 reg. Holstein calf, 9 mos. old; 1 Holstein cow, calf at side; 3 Holstein cows, bred; 1 Hereford cow, bred; 2 Hereford heifers, 3 yrs. old, bred; 2 Durham heifers, 3 yrs. old, bred; 1 Durham cow, bred. These cows are bred to Maple Hill sire and breeding data will be given day of sale.

HOGS AND POULTRY—1 mature York sow, bred Feb. 22; 0 York hams; 100 yr.-old hens.

HAY—8 ton baled hay, mixed, if not physically sold; 3 bus. alfalfa seed.

TRACTOR AND IMPLEMENTS, POWER MACHINERY, ETC.—J.D. tractor, model D, lights and power take-off, starter, 45 h.p., runs and looks like new; Ford tractor, in good mechanical condition; 1000 lb. ball threshing machine, 24-45, on rubber, with lateral feeder, straw cutter, grain thrower and reel; 2 furrow tractor plow, 2 1/2 ft. Cockshutt tractor disc; 3 section diamond harrow; 2 section seed harrow; 75 ft. endline drive belt, 7 in.; truck rake, mounted on truck; extension feeder for threshing machine; grain thrower with 40 ft. of pipe; 2 rubber; 2 iron wagons with flat hay rack and wagon box; 2 wheelbarrow trailer; electric motor, 3 T.P. new; 3-1/2 ft. McCormick mower; 3000 lb. load; M.H. hay tedder; 2 dump rakes; tarpaulin, 16 by 20; wire fence; 100 ft. of 30 lb. wire; window; single window; set of scales; 2 ton jack; extra large double blades; fanning mill; set of single block and tackle; forks; anvils; glass; blacksmith drill; slush scraper; snow fence; 100 ft. of one and a quarter inch rope; 100 gal. oil drum; oil pump; set of taps and pipe to half inch; brooder house 8 by 10 ft.; oil barrels; quantity of stove wood cut in ft. lengths; blow torch; logging chains; shovels; forks, bats, etc.

TERMS: Cash with clerk on day of sale.

No reserve as farm is rented.

Hornby W.I. will have a Booth.

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Geo. Currie, clerk.

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In the All-Canadian awards recently released by the Canadian Guernsey Breeders Association, the Twin Elms herd of Joyce Bros., Milton, is really in the news.

In short, they have two All-Canadian animals plus an Honorable Mention. Their Junior Heifer calf, Twin Elms Nimble Jessica is All-Canadian calf, and their senior yearling heifer, Twin Elms Mary Heires is the All-Canadian senior yearling heifer. Both animals were sired by their Honourable Mention aged sire, Fraserdale Merry Animal.

That the Twin Elms herd has production as well as type is substantiated by the fact that the dam of "Mary Heires", their All-Canadian senior yearling heifer, namely Twin Elms Bonnie has several outstanding R.O.P. records, one of which on two times milking in 365 days is 13,713 lbs. of milk and 792 lbs. of B.F.

We extend heartfelt congratulations to all members of the Twin Elms establishment on these outstanding achievements.

Halton Group Hears Dr. H. L. Patterson

"Better Farm Business Management" offers much to the individual farm operator who is desirous of improving his farm income, stated Dr. H. L. Patterson, head of the Farm Economics Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, when addressing the fifth and final meeting of the series on Farm Business Management sponsored by the Halton Soil & Crop Improvement Association.

Previously meetings had been held in Milton, Stewarttown, Brookville, and Nelson, where Agricultural Representative J. E. Whitelock had demonstrated how to detect the weak and strong features of a farm enterprise with the aid of the "Farm Business Analysis" (Short Form).

Following a visit to the farm, the business of which had been used for demonstration purposes at the preliminary meetings, Dr. Patterson on March 7 led a discussion on adjusting the farm business in order to improve the farm income.

Certainly those who attended these meetings found the subject a most interesting one and judging by the comments heard to date, a goodly percentage of those who attended are considering ways and means of adjusting their own respective farm businesses in order to meet the "Cost Price Squeeze".

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