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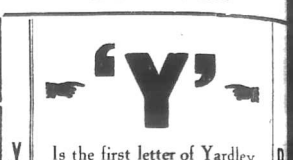
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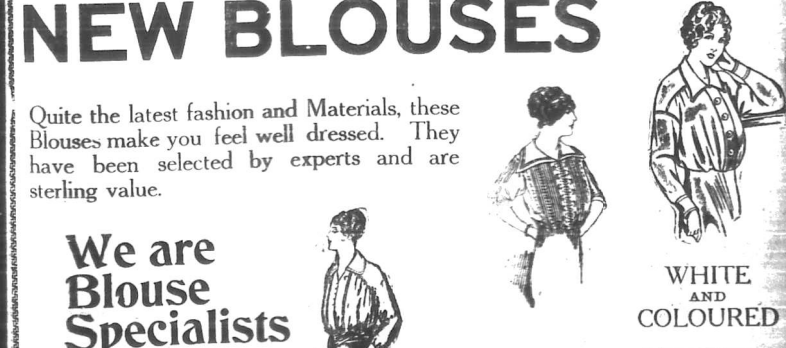
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Stockholm, 12 Sept. 1917. "To M. Fosen, at Krossdahl (via Helmsborg). "The commission has been executed. The proceeds, and the sum mentioned, 207,000 marks, to the order of your M. Lemne, specified in your letter, have been sent to the persons indicated. The choice is approved by His Excellency, the Minister Plenipotentiary. The arrival of the persons indicated is confirmed as well as the delivery of their receipts. With respect, "Svensson."

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STANDARD NOTES

We learn that a well-known settler has accepted Sergt. Munday's challenge to contest the heavy-weight championship.

It will be seen from an advertisement appearing in the "Wanted" column that the unusual request is being made for the supply of two giraffes.

The referee of the boxing match between Mr. M. T. Keppel's silver cigarette case for the day is not far distant when East Africa will see the day of its own Head Book and much would be saved to its complex breeders who have placed in record in their private files the pedigrees of the stock used in their herds.

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FAMINE OUTLOOK

Suggestions by Chamber of Commerce

The sub-committee appointed by the Nairobi Chamber of Commerce to interview Col. and Mrs. Ainsworth, Chairman of the Famine Committee, and to take such action as the Famine Committee may think fit, issued the following report to the Chamber yesterday.

The Sub-Committee, consisting of the President with Messrs. Turlon, M'Gowan, Nixon, and Newmark, interviewed Col. and Mrs. Ainsworth at 10.30 a.m. on the morning of Friday, July 26th, Col. and Mrs. Ainsworth gave a most full and interesting explanation of the whole situation, and after the interview with Col. and Mrs. Ainsworth the following Resolution was unanimously passed.

"The Sub-Committee having received from Col. and Mrs. Ainsworth a most full and courteous account of the present position with regard to Foodstuffs are unanimously of opinion that a grave situation exists, and that the present problem may be greatly accentuated if there is any failure of the October rains.

"They therefore recommended that with a view to greater co-operation with the Public Health Executive the Acting Governor be requested to strengthen the Famine Committee by the appointment of at least three unofficial Members, one of whom should be nominated by the Nairobi Chamber of Commerce.

"The Sub-Committee also recommends that immediate steps should be taken by the Famine Committee to make sure by advertising in the local papers that the requirements of employers of labour for the next few months have been ascertained so far as is possible."

that we seek the co-operation of all concerned. The British Government has an splendid example which we trust will be emulated throughout the Empire

THE NAIVASHA SALE

Thoughts and Hints on Pedigree

FAMOUS ANCESTORS

(By J. H. D. BEAVERS)

Few probably, of those assembled at the Government Farm sale at Naivasha, last Friday realised the importance of the event in that they were taking part not just of that crowd representing the cattle-breeding industry of the country, attended the sale solely because they wanted sires to head their herds and so long as a moderately good looking bull could be obtained, they could not pay too much regard to its breeding.

The result of this was that every bull offered, good, bad or indifferent (and there were some of all) found a purchaser at prices which must have proved satisfactory to those responsible for the operation. The scramble for bulls could have left but little time to give to the epoch-making character of an event which in days to come will stand out as a landmark in the annals of cattle breeding as being the day on which a quantity of new blood which was available for the improvement of the stock of the country.

Herd Book

To the student of pedigree the catalogue was disappointing in that the breeding of comparatively few of the animals offered for sale was available beyond the grand-dam, in far too many instances the all important particulars were hidden under the inconclusive statement that the animal was sired by "an imported C. H. B. Bull" (which is the more so regretted (unless the grand pedigree is obtainable from the breeders) in that the distribution of these bulls throughout the Protectorate should have afforded an excellent opportunity for the inauguration of a systematic record.

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Some of the Bulls

Some of the bulls sold at the recent sale are sprung from the best blood in the world and it would be nothing short of a calamity should their breeding be forgotten by the owners on the part of their owners to record their pedigree.

In no animal was this more marked than in the case of Rictorville Berofoff bought at the top price of the sale, by Mr. Mervyn Ray for use with the pure bred cows owned by the Nijard estate. This bull is the Red Gaultier by Mr. J. Murray's Poimaise Lord Alstair, was of pure Scottish descent, having been bred by the Hon. Sir James Sivegrist at Tulliallan, Firshire, where are to be found records of the Eliza Carnarvon, Mrs. Langley, and other noted tribes to say nothing of the Lancasters which originated with Wilkinson of Lenton, one of the early improvers, who obtained the stock from Robert Colling himself.

The dam Rictorville Berofoff, was a Maid of Underley, a family which has achieved fame in the hands of Lady Henry Cavendish Bentinck for its dual purpose qualities. In passing it may be interesting to recall the fact that a former owner of Underley Hall, the late Earl of Bective, was one of those enthusiasts who considered no figure too high to pay for clean bred Bates cattle and heifers averaged over 25c.

It was this same Lord Bective who, at the New York Mills sale in 1873, paid £650 for Tenth Duchess of Geneva and £268 for her Georgian daughter figures which will stand as the record for a shorthorn cow and calf.

SUBMARINE FEAT

Austrian Ship Sunk in Mine Area

ITALIAN SUCCESS

(FROM OUR SPECIAL AGENTS.)

London, August 21. An Italian submarine reported that on July 17 it crossed the enemy mine area in the Upper Adriatic and entered the Gulf of Quarnero, where she torpedoed and sank a large Austrian steamer. Her afterwards returned safely to her base.

Two Austrian submarines were located at Bari and subsequently fell into the sea where they were captured.

An Italian official despatch stated: "We repulsed strong attacks on Corone up our line on the southern slopes of Sasso-Rosso, inflicting heavy losses."

Mr. Ray's second purchase, Forest Prince, was another bull whose breeding is interesting in that his sire, Forest King, was a grand sire of the late Lord Roschild's wonderful old cow Darlington Cranford 6th, whose milk record over a period of ten years averaged over one thousand gallons.

Darlington Cranford 5th was herself the daughter of a cow of that name, the owner of which was late Mr. George Taylor's whose herd at Middlesex, was famous at the world over for its deep milking Bates-bred cattle. Forest Prince has also some Scottish blood in his veins through his dam whose sire Nonpareil Chief was presumably a member of the Crutchkank Nonpareil family.

Pedigree Wanted.

It is unfortunate that the pedigrees of the first three bulls in the catalogue were not given in extenso for this appears to be the owner's loss than average interest. The handsome old bull, Merry King bred by the East African Syndicate should breed dual purpose cattle, in sire, Boganhan Caprice, bred by Mr. S. Minto, the owner of Scottish pedigree, must the dam was in all probability one of those typical dual purpose cows for which Camberland has always been famous.

Bibington Favourite, the sire of the handsome roan bull Leap Year, bought by Lord Delamere, won honours in English show yards for his breeder, Mr. R. J. Baldwin, Biskington Abbey, Kent, before he was exported to South Africa. Mr. W. West the breeder of the sire of the Hon. Galbraith Cole's famous, breeder of his sire, a small herd in Co. Fermanagh which contained cows of the noted Ophan Marigold and Luxury families, all celebrated in Ireland for their typical shorthorn character.

The sire of a well bred sire was plainly visible in the style and gaiety of lots 14 and 15 which, coming after three low priced animals, jumped up to £130 and £110 a fact which would have delighted the heart of Mr. W. J. Hosken of Hayle, Cornwall, breeder of his sire. A leaflet distributed with the sale catalogue gave the information that the animals obtained from Messrs. King & Sons and the African Farms Ltd. were descendants of bulls the sires of famous herds of shorthorn in Shorthorn circles, but as particulars of their maternal ancestry were not provided, their present owners would be well advised to make further enquiries from their breeders. The pedigree of the Ayshin, Friesian and Scotch herd sires were more or less complete whilst the single representative of the Aberdeen Angus breed showed by his lineage that some of the best blood is combined in his veins, the sires of famous herds of Sir George Macpherson Grant and Sir George Cooper both being represented in his immediate ancestry.

But quite enough has been written to indicate that East African breeders have at last obtained possession of a good blood and it will be a thousand pities if they fail to keep exact and permanent records of the produce of these bulls, produce which in days to come will be the foundation of families as celebrated as some of those mentioned above. Blood will not come later or later and the breeder who can trace the descent of his cattle back to the earliest days will in the long run secure the best price for his cattle.

E. A. CASE

Officers in the Army

the Enemy

DECREASE IN

The following names E. A. Campaign on Italian

C.S.M. killed in action

Prisoner

Capt. F. E. Brown

K.A.R.

Leut. M. C. H. H. H. H.

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C.Q.M.S. H. H. H.

K.A.C.

Capt. Thurgor. H. H. H.

Warrant Officer

Captain F. H. H. H.

Dist.

M/176318, Pte. A. A. A.

A.S.C.

195218, Sgt. H. H. H.

R.E.

M/840317, Pte. H. H. H.

A.S.C.

785, C.O. W. H. H.

M/188906, Pte. H. H. H.

A.S.C.

S/Sgt. P. W. A. H. H.

Serpt. T. G. H. H.

Missing

400040, Corp. F. W. H.

Leut. C. K. H. H.

4354, Sgt. C. G. H.

817, Sgt. J. H. H.

Platoon

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A.S.C.

M/190221, Pte. H. H. H.

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8039, Pte. H. H. H.

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HAIG SPRINGS A SURPRISE

BYNG'S FAMED THIRD ARMY SCORES AGAIN

LONDON, August 20. (By Agence.)—The British High Command... We captured a number of field guns... We captured the village of Vauxcelles...

...The German infantry... We captured a number of field guns... We captured the village of Vauxcelles...

The March of France

A French communiqué says: Between Metz and the Oise we continued to progress and captured... We captured the village of Vauxcelles...

Scarpe Advance

and fighting on both banks... We captured the village of Vauxcelles... We captured the village of Vauxcelles...

The Marsellaise

A French Communiqué to-day continues: South of the Aisne... We captured the village of Vauxcelles...

Attack at Dawn

LONDON, August 22. (By Agence.)—The British High Command... We captured the village of Vauxcelles...

Gen. Byng's Boys

...We captured the village of Vauxcelles... We captured the village of Vauxcelles...

Utter German Defeat

A late dispatch adds: "Between the Oise and Aisne the enemy made... We captured the village of Vauxcelles..."

Nancy Bombed

German aeroplanes bombarded Nancy last evening at 6.30; a number of civilians were killed or wounded.

Hamilton, Cooper, Parr, Thomson Goldberg, Ward, Clark, Nixon London, Thomas, Rigby, Tate Vincent.

Many interesting subjects were discussed, and amongst the foremost was the question of Nairois fighting. Full particulars of the... will appear in our issue of tomorrow.

QUEER SURCHARGES.

Criticism by Nairobi Business Men. COMMITTEES' REPORT.

Least March, Nairobi Chamber of Commerce appointed the following committee to examine the Government proposals in regard to surcharges when they come to land and to report to the Committee: The President, with Major Grogan, Messrs. T. A. O. Grant, W. J. Moyah, L. J. Taitton, E. Nixon, R. W. Playfair, T. A. Wood and A. C. W. Marshall. This Committee brought to report to the Chamber yesterday, as follows: "On the 17th April, 1918, the Committee met, and it was agreed that two sub-committees should be appointed. A to draw up a report on the principles of the surcharges and the principles of possible alterations. B to draw up criticism on the details of the surcharges as at present applied. After some time had elapsed, due to absence of its members, the first sub-committee reported that since receiving their special instructions they had reported to the Legislative Council was willing to take evidence from all and sundry on possible sources of revenue. In view of this action the members of the Legislative Council were invited to the Chamber to proceed further in this direction until such time as the findings of the special Committee are received. The second sub-committee furnished the report on April 20th last. The Committee as a whole met on July 1st, August 1918, and agreed to accept the report of the first sub-committee. The Committee has therefore confined its attention to a criticism of the method of charging, but no action applied and hopes to report as follows: We are unable to understand that the basis of the surcharge is an equitable distribution of the burden on the population. Assuming this to be the case, we are at a loss to understand...

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TRUTH FOR ALL

South African Journalists in Britain PRESS MISSION

(BYRONNE BOSTER'S AGENCY.)

LONDON, August 20.

Representatives of the South African press have arrived in England and the most cordial reception has been extended to them. [The invitation to the press of South Africa to send a mission to visit Britain was conveyed by the Ministry of Information to the Premier of the Union. The members of the mission, nominated by the Newspaper Press Union of South Africa at the request of General Botha, were as follows: Cape Province, Mr G. A. L. Groves, editor of the Cape Argus. Transvaal Mr R. West, editor of the Natal Daily Mail, and Dr Josephson, editor of De Volksstem. Orange Free State, Mr T. W. Maclean, editor of the Bloemfontein Free Press, and Mr J. H. N. N. Natal, Mr David Pabek, editor of the Natal Advocate. Another Dutch journalist, besides Dr. Engelbrecht, was invited but was unable to accept the Premier's invitation. It is understood that the members of the mission will be given an opportunity of visiting the Ministry of Information in Britain, as well as of visiting the Western Front.] [The Ministry of Information, which is the original inviter, consists of the following: Lord Beaverbrook, Minister of Information, formerly the Canadian Minister of Information; Sir Robert Gifford, Director of Allied and Foreign Propaganda, and head of the Home Office; Gen. A. D. McEwen, Director of Administration, and Quarter Master General of the British Overseas Forces; and Lord Northcliffe, Director of Propaganda in the United States.]

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Enclosure. IMPERIAL INSTITUTE MEMORANDUM ON THE PREPARATION OF CITRUS PRODUCTS.

1. THE PREPARATION OF CONCENTRATED JUICE (ON LEMON) JUICE. There are two methods of concentrating lime (or lemon) juice: (1) by boiling it over open fires or (2) by boiling it in steam heated vessels.

(1) OPEN FIRE METHOD. The evaporation is carried out in two or more large hemispherical iron or copper pans, arranged over a furnace or over a fire, so that one for heat all the vessels. The pans are usually graduated in size, the juice being partly concentrated in the larger ones and then ladled into the smaller where the concentration is completed.

The pans should be so arranged that the smallest or finishing pan is furthest from the furnace. In this way, the risk of burning the concentrated juice is reduced. Although iron pans are sometimes used, copper pans are preferable because they are less liable to rust and thereby become slightly contaminated.

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The lime (or lemon) juice is filtered through filter-cloth or concentrated by either method until an ordinary glass hydrometer, graduated for use at an normal temperature of 60°F. when floating in the boiling hot liquid indicates a specific gravity of from 1.250 to 1.275. The concentrated juice is then transferred to a shallow wooden vessel, lined with copper, and allowed to cool. It is a dark thick liquid, which should be free from seeds and pulp, and should contain about 100 cwt. of citric acid per gallon. It is usually shipped from the West Indies in casks of 54 gallons each.

THE PREPARATION OF CITRATES OR LIME FROM JUICE (ON LEMON) JUICE. The juice for this purpose must be filtered in order to render it as clear and free from sediment as possible to allow the full percentage of citrate of lime in the final product or make subsequent filtrations difficult. The chalk or lime used for neutralizing the acid should be of very good quality; it must be free from magnesium salts and from more than mere traces of iron, aluminum or phosphates. The neutralization of the juice is best effected in a wooden tub furnished with an agitator and with a steam pipe leading to the bottom to heat the contents. If chalk or whiting is used the tub should be larger than if slaked lime is employed, so as to allow room for the effervescence due to the liberation of carbon dioxide. The lime should be added in a quantity which is sufficient to neutralize the acid. The process is carried out in a tub or in a shallow wooden vessel, lined with copper, and allowed to cool. It is a dark thick liquid, which should be free from seeds and pulp, and should contain about 100 cwt. of citric acid per gallon. It is usually shipped from the West Indies in casks of 54 gallons each.

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When lime is used, the juice is put into the tub and milk or cream of lime run in with constant stirring and being well agitated. Care should be taken to keep the tub as full as possible during the washing. The citrate of lime is soluble in cold water. After washing and draining, this residue of citrate of lime is freed from water in a press or centrifugal drier and then placed in thin layers on shelves to dry in a room heated by steam or fires. The citrate will bear a temperature of 212°F. quite safely. The levers should be raked over from time to time and when dry and cool the citrate is packed for export. Care should be taken that the citrate is thoroughly dry before being packed as it readily decomposes if left moist. Citrate of lime when properly prepared is a creamy white light powder and should give no marked effervescence when treated with an acid. It usually contains that equivalent of from 65.5 to 66.5 per cent of citric acid and should be in no case contain less than 64 per cent.

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