

THE STALLION "SCOTLAND."

How much the name has to do with it we cannot say, but certainly, go where you will, no stallion can be found with the magnificent contour of form, free and easy action when called upon, or fine trotting gait, if urged, equal to the stallion of above name, bred and owned by Mr. Battell of Middlebury.

Mr. Battell keeps here four stallions, all of them valuable and all young; but none of them equal to the one first mentioned, which, so far as we know, every one who has seen, without hesitation, declares to be the handsomest horse in the World. No exceptions are admitted.

But, perhaps, better than this is the fact that his first colts, only two years of age, and of which there are but three, excel equally in their ability to trot.

Scotland has a full brother of about the same size that perhaps may equal Scotland's gait, but cannot surpass that of his colts.

SALISBURY.

Mrs. E. R. Ryder and daughter have returned after spending a few weeks at Mrs. Ryder's former home.

Fred Hatton of Massachusetts with his family are spending some time at Lake Dunmore.

Walter Thomas of Brandon is spending some days with his daughter, Mrs. F. J. Sumner.

The Lake Dunmore creamery is having a prosperous season under the management of F. B. Nelson as buttermaker.

Miss Dorothy Coulter, who was badly poisoned by ivy, is again able to resume her duties at the Mountain Spring hotel.

E. C. MacMurtry and family are spending a few weeks at the home of T. J. MacMurtry, who is recovering from a recent operation.

Miss Cornelia Waterhouse, a granddaughter of Mrs. H. A. Waterhouse, is reported very ill in Brooklyn. She was recently operated upon for appendicitis.

Miss Dorothy Leonard of Poultney, who has been the guest of Miss Gladys Young, has returned to her home.

Charles P. Holland is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. F. L. Hamilton.

SHOREHAM.

The missionary meeting at the home of Mrs. F. E. Douglas was attended by 28 ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Welcome and niece of Jackson, Mich., are visiting their sister, Miss May Welcome.

A severe thunder storm passed over here Friday afternoon, doing more or less damage. Henry Wright lost a valuable cow.

Mrs. Campbell and niece of Ripton are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Malcolm Douglas.

Miss Katherine Baldwin is the guest of Miss Mable Towner.

L. E. Moore returned from Watertown, N. J., Monday.

Mrs. C. H. DeLong is ill.

Dr. and Mrs. Sharn and Mr. and Mrs. John Moore spent Sunday in Brandon, making the trip in Dr. Sharn's car.

Mr. and Mrs. Preble, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Platt and daughter are touring the State in Mr. Platt's car.

The Rev. Simpson will preach at the Congregational church the next two Sundays.

BRISTOL.

Mrs. A. W. Gove returned Tuesday from a visit of several days in Lincoln.

Among those to attend the funeral of Miss Florence Edmunds Tuesday from away were Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Dike of Northfield, Mrs. Rebecca Fay of Burlington, and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Wyman of Starkboro.

Byron Ray, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. C. V. Ray, has returned to Framingham, Mass.

Miss Mabel Eddy of Monkton has been the guest of Mrs. Sarah Dumas.

J. W. Page of Burlington was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roscoe have been visiting in Addison.

MONKTON.

There was a large attendance at the Methodist church Sunday morning to hear the sermon by the Rev. Dr. Charles Everett Hesselgrave, D. D., pastor of a Chatham, N. J., church. He is now instructor in Biblical history at the Middlebury Summer school. Miss Minnie Hayden of Steinhart hall, Boston, sang. They were guests of the Rev. and Mrs. C. Cornell Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Rathbone of Bristol is at home on a visit.

Madam Elizabeth Cornell has gone to Argyle, N. Y., to visit her daughter.

LEICESTER.

The Misses MacFearn returned to New York city last Saturday after visiting Miss Gladys Jennings for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Johnson and children spent the week end in Ripton, guests of Frank Mills and mother.

Miss Ruth Sawyer of Sudbury is visiting Miss Inez Ayer.

Miss Sara Sparks, who has been spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Sparks, left Friday for Soledad, Cal., to resume her teaching for another year. The schools in California open the first of August.

At the meeting recently held by the school directors at Andace Ferson's, Mrs. Lenora Morse was chosen superintendent of schools in place of Mrs. Carl Williams, resigned.

Mrs. Matilda Henderson has returned from Brandon, after spending several days there as the patient of Dr. Hayden Woodard of New York. Dr. Woodard treated Mrs. Henderson's eyes for cataracts.

Miss Martha Treck of New York city, a music teacher of note, has arrived in town and is the guest of Mrs. Lenora Morse.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

MACDONOUGH CENTENNIAL.

(Continued from Page 1.)

National and State Officials. Afternoon at Vergennes: Dedication of the Memorial to Commodore Macdonough and his copatriots; Addresses by State and National officials; Historical sketch by Rodney Macdonough. Evening at Vergennes: Pageants and fireworks on the river; Carnival Night; Merry Masqueraders; Band Concert and festival on the city park; Banquet at city hall.

The celebration at Plattsburgh will be Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 9, 10 and 11. Special rates and accommodations on the Rutland railroad. Special excursion boats for Fort Cassin on Naval Day. The Macdonough commission will arrange an excursion to Plattsburgh Friday, the 11th.

BRANDON.

A musical service will be held at the Methodist church Sunday evening. The choir will be assisted by Harold Scales, pianist, of Troy, and Kenneth Brown, violinist, of Troy, and other visitors in Brandon.

The condition of Hiram S. Buttle was not so favorable Wednesday.

Pearl H. Washburn of Newport, N. H., is at E. D. Blackwell's.

Mrs. Mills, wife of the Rev. Albert R. Mills, has returned from Worcester, N. Y. The two sons have also arrived from Nunda, N. Y.

The Rev. and Mrs. Robert W. Buchanan and daughter of Petersburg, N. Y., are spending a month at Frank Chandler's at Silver Lake.

Leon W. Bentley of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. R. H. Washburn.

Mrs. Carl J. Williams of Rutland is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maria F. Ferris.

E. H. Harrington of West Rutland, a former resident, is at C. E. Connell's.

Mrs. R. B. Huntley of Portland, Me., is visiting Mrs. Florence Hammond.

Mrs. W. Carlos Gipson has returned from Burlington.

BRIDPORT.

Mrs. Walter Carr and two children of Waterbury are visiting in town.

A barn belonging to M. F. Wolcott was struck by lightning and burned Friday.

There will be a lawn social at Thomas Nadeau's Thursday evening, August 6.

Alice Hemenway is at home from her school at New Jersey.

Mary Wilkinson was an Addison visitor Friday.

John Murdock and Ralph Murdock of Crown Point were in town Sunday.

STATE NEWS.

John Stratton of South Newfane was seriously injured the other day when kicked by a lively horse which he was trying to unhitch. He was hit in the chest and sent across the stable, where he was found unconscious. His sternum was injured, three ribs broken and his right shoulder dislocated.

The following changes in commissioned officers of the 1st Infantry have been announced by Lee S. Tillotson, Adjutant general of the V. N. G., Captain Karl A. Pember, Company G, 1st Infantry, having voluntarily resigned, and his resignation having been approved, has been relieved from command, and will be honorably discharged upon satisfactory settlement of his accounts. The following officers of Company G, 1st Infantry, having been duly elected on July 16, 1914, have been temporarily commissioned accordingly with rank from the date of their election: Ralph W. Boyce, captain; Carroll F. Bennett, 2nd lieutenant.

The contract for erecting the new Barre City hospital has been awarded to J. E. Cashman of Burlington and the work of excavator for the foundations will begin next week. The contract calls for the completion of the work by April 1, 1915. The new structure will stand about 50 feet back of the present hospital building. It will be 14 feet long and 40 feet deep and will be fire-proof. The building will contain accommodations for 50 patients.

The following table gives the names and records of the cows in the association which have produced more than 30 pounds of butterfat during the period of 30 days ending July 15, 1914.

Miss Olive Barter has returned from Plainfield.

Misses Alice and Emma Easton are at Long Lake, N. Y., for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Woodward and daughter of Warrensburg, N. Y., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Rawson Myrick, who were married a few weeks ago, have returned from their wedding trip which they passed at Lake Averill. They will be located at 48 East State street, Montpelier.

Ellen MacKirdy of Newark, N. J., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Calhoun of South street.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Boudreau and Mrs. Jessie Mack visited in St. Albans Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Merritt and Miss Merritt of Shoreham, who have been the guests of friends here, have returned.

Miss Lula Woods is the guest of Miss Lucy Palmer of Addison for a few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wooster have returned from Rutland, where they have been visiting for a few days.

George Steele has returned from Burlington, where he underwent a successful operation for the removal of a tumor near his left ear.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Tyrel, Mrs. Julia Carroll and Miss Julia Carroll and Philip LaFleur will leave Saturday morning for a week's auto trip to Providence, R. I.

Arthur C. Tabor and John H. Lovett visited their families at Queen City Park Sunday and Monday.

Miss Mary Sullivan is the guest of friends at Queen City Park.

Miss Fannie Cook of Baltimore, Md., and Miss Valeria Seward of Rutland are at the Hotel Logan.

Mrs. Stafford and daughter, Lillian, of Essex are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Douglas in East Middlebury.

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MIDDLEBURY LOCALS.

Ray L. Fisher, who has been at his home here for a few days, joined the New York American team on Thursday preparatory to their going West.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sanborn of Sacramento, Cal., who have been visiting John Manney and family for a week, have returned to their home.

A string of 18 automobiles passed through Middlebury Friday afternoon on their way to Sudbury advertising Chautauqua week in Brandon, August 8-14.

Walter Harrington has returned from a visit at North Ferrisburg.

John Sears, who has been sick for the past year is very low again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jenkins of Dumont, N. J., have returned home after spending two weeks with relatives in town.

Miss Stella and Isabella Taylor are visiting in Rutland.

Dean Cady spent several days in Brattleboro with his family.

Mrs. Peter Stone and daughter have returned from a visit in Vergennes.

George Sears had the misfortune to lose two fingers recently.

Mrs. Homer Stewart of Fishkill-on-the-Hudson is visiting for a few days at the home of ex-Gov. J. W. Stewart.

Mrs. Myron T. Bristol and Miss G. E. Kingsland of Vergennes were the guests of the Misses Jennie and Ada Bristol over Sunday.

At a recent meeting of the prudential committee of School District No. 4 Ira H. LaFleur was elected chairman and Dr. E. H. Martin clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Arnold of Lowell, Mass., who have been in Vergennes, came Tuesday night to visit relatives here previous to their return home.

H. P. Clement of Fair Haven, who has been in town, has returned to Fair Haven and with his wife and two children is now at Lake Bomoseen in Castleton for two weeks.

Road Commissioner Hartwell Daneyau returned Tuesday from Burlington, where he has been under treatment for a serious injury to his left side.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Burns and children of the Hotel Logan went Wednesday to West Rutland for a brief visit.

Patrick Colley, some years ago a well known resident of Weybridge, later of New Haven and now of Addison, was in town on legal business recently.

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Charles B. Rowe of Manchester visited his brother, Frank Rowe, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gorham and sons, Eril and Kenneth, spent the week in New York city, the guest of William Gorham.

The next band concert will be given in the Addison house park Tuesday evening, July 28, weather permitting. The change from Wednesday to Tuesday evening was made necessary as several members of the band have engagements elsewhere on Wednesday.

Miss Mary Gee has returned from a several days' stay in Canada, during which time she visited the shrine of St. Anne de Boupre, Quebec, Berthier, and Montreal.

Manager Bentley of the opera house will present Daniel Frohman's dramatic favorite, John Barrymore, in the great comedy romance, "An American Citizen", a photo drama in four parts, Tuesday July 28. Two shows 7:40 and 9:20.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Fletcher and daughter, Mary, have gone to Clarendon Springs for a visit.

Miss F. Wissel, who has been visiting in Burlington, has returned to her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Heustia visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Preble in Bridport recently.

Miss Lucy Grosvenor is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Alice Hough, in Bridport.

Miss Doris Wright has returned from a short visit with relatives in Shoreham Center.

Mrs. Frank Ashley and children are spending a week with Mrs. Fred Daniels in Whiting.

Mr. and Mrs. George Champagne, Mrs. Ellen E. Wright, Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Peter Field attended the funeral of Mrs. S. D. Miner in Vergennes Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Blackmer returned Thursday evening from a trip to Albany, N. Y.

FOR CLEAN STUFF.

If a campaign which has been started by the Housewives' League in New York state succeeds the children of that commonwealth will get some instruction along the line of clean drinks, fees and candies that will tend to conserve their health. Volunteers have been asked for to talk to the children on their play and recreation grounds with the idea of forming them into a league for bringing about the desired objects. A circular is to be issued and among other suggestions will contain the following series of don'ts: "Don't drink soda out of dirty glasses; don't drink soda or eat ice cream in a hurry; don't buy candy exposed to dust, flies or insects; don't buy highly colored candies; don't buy in dirty stores." It would be well if the children of other states would be guided by these suggestions.

SOUR MILK FOR CALVES.

According to a bulletin recently issued by the department of agriculture, calves can do just as well during the warmer months of the year on sour milk as on sweet. However, exception is made of sour milk that is not produced and kept under cleanly conditions. In the course of experiments conducted by the department sour skim milk was fed to twenty-two calves of three different breeds at different seasons of the year. In no case did it produce digestive disturbances, even when the change from sweet to sour milk was made when the calves were but a few days old, and no bad results were noted when sweet and sour milk were used alternately. The calves did not seem to relish the sour milk as well as the sweet, but soon became accustomed to it.

INJURES POTATO SEED.

Some experiments which have been conducted by the farm crops department of the Iowa State Agricultural college seem to show quite conclusively that the use of formaldehyde gas on seed potatoes for the purpose of killing germs of the scab fungus tends to lessen the vitality of the treated seed very materially. When the formalin solution, made by adding one pint of formalin to thirty gallons of water, was used little damage was noted unless the tubers were left in the solution longer than two hours. It was also found that the damage was less if the potatoes were not cut up before treating and were spread out to dry as soon as they were removed from the solution.

NO CURE FOR GLANDERS.

As a result of extensive experiments which have been conducted with horses and other animals the bureau of animal husbandry of the United States department of agriculture has announced that no vaccine or serum yet discovered is effective in rendering horses immune from attacks of the glanders or curing horses that are already infected. Mallein was found satisfactory as a means of detecting the presence of glanders, but that was all. The only sure methods of combating the disease are isolation of infected animals and proper precautions in the matter of introducing infected animals into stables free from the disease.

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MORGAN STALLIONS.

SCOTLAND

SCOTLAND 5251. A rich chestnut; two white stockings behind; 1145 pounds; foaled June 25, 1906. Bred by Joseph Battell, got by General Gates, 666, son of Denning Allen, 74, by Honest Allen, 73, son of Ethan Allen, 50; dam Highland Mary (Registered Vol. 1), bred by E. Hasbrook, Benson, Vt., foaled the property of Joseph Battell, got by Lambert Chief, 1489, son of Daniel Lambert, 63, by Ethan Allen, 50; 2d dam Jessie Benson, (Registered Vol. 1), (dam of Mattie C. 2623 1/2) bred by M. Cullen, Wells, Vt., got by Highland Gray, 94, (2:28), son of Darkey, 93, by the Rounds Horse, 92 son of Black Hawk, 20. Traces nine times to the original Justin Morgan Horse.

BEN LOMOND

Full Brother to Scotland

BEN LOMOND, 3000. A beautiful, rich dark bay with star and white hind ankles. 1085 pounds six years old this spring.

Motion 2d, 5665

Chestnut, strip in face, three white ankles, 15 1/2 hands, 1050 pounds, foaled 1909; bred at the Bread Loaf Stock Farm; got by Victor 5500, son of General Gates, 666; dam Margurite, chestnut, got by White River Morgan, 482, son of Neshobe, 481, by Rutland Morgan, 479; 2d dam by Crocker Horse, 1377, son of Plato, 167, by Black Hawk 20; 3d dam by Churchill Horse, 1081 son of Black Hawk, 20 Motion 2d is a very elegant young horse with most remarkable trotting gait.

Vermont 5650

Bay, star, right hind coronet white, 1060 pounds; got by Gen. Gates; dam Maid of Orleans, got by Norris M. 5225, son of Molock 4800, by Stranger 100, son of Gen. Washington 76, by Gen. Knox 65.

Will be kept this season at the Bread Loaf Stock Farm Middlebury, Vt.

Terms

Scotland, \$30. Ben Lomond, \$25. Vermont \$20. Motion 2d, \$10.

With Privilege of Return if Mare Does Not Prove in Foal

Bills due when mare proves in foal. Mares disposed of to be considered with foal. All accidents and escapes at owner's risk. May 8, 1914.

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