

Sales by Auction.

BARNARD CASTLE & TENSDALE FARMERS' AUCTIONEERS, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29TH, 1916. The usual fortnightly sale will be held, when there will be forward the usual large supplies of DAIRY COWS and HEIFERS, FAT and STONE CATTLE and SHEEP.

FAT STOCK.

1 Fat Heifer, Mr. J. J. Bell-Irving
2 Fat Heifers, Mr. Wm. Oliver
3 Fat Heifers, Mr. John Robinson
4 Fat Heifers, Mr. John Jackson
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STOCKS.

6 Bullocks, Mr. T. Allison
2 Heifers, Mr. T. Allison
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Sale in both rings at 10-30 a.m.

20 Shares in Cow Ring at 1 p.m.

The Annual CHRISTMAS PRIZE SHOW AND SALE

Will be held

On Wednesday, December 6th, 1916.

SCHEDULE OF PRIZES.

CATTLE.

1st, 2nd, 3rd.
1-Best Fat Bullock, any breed 30/- 20/- 10/-
2-Best Fat Heifer, any breed 30/- 20/- 10/-
3-Best Fat Heifer, not exceeding 15 stones live weight, any breed 30/- 20/- 10/-
4-Best Pair of Fat Bullocks or Heifers (3 Entries or no prize) 20/- 10/-

SPECIAL PRIZES.

1-The Manufacturers of Messrs. Robinson's Compound Feed Cake will give a piece of Plate, value 2 guineas, for the Best Bullock or Heifer fed on this Cake.

2-Messrs. W. A. Temperley and Company, Newcastle-on-Tyne, will give 20/- for the Best Heifer fed on Cakes or Meals supplied by them, and 10/- for Second Best.

3-The Waterloo Cakes and Warehousing Company, Limited, will give a Special Prize of 1 guinea for the Best Fat Heifer fed on Waterloo Round Feeding Cakes.

4-Messrs. Olympia Oil and Cake Company, Selby (Representative, Mr. G. T. Fawcett), will give a Special Prize of 4/- for the Best Fat Heifer fed on Cakes supplied by them, 2/- to be given to the best Heifer fed on Cakes supplied by them, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th.

5-Messrs. E. K. Kelghley and Company, Limited, will give Special Prizes for Best Fat Bullock or Heifer fed on Cakes supplied by them, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th.

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UPPER DALE NOTES.

[BY OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

A further meeting of Middleton Parish Council and the Ladies' Red Cross Working Party was held on Wednesday night to receive reports from the collectors for the Christmas parcels fund. The inhabitants of the parish had responded in a most liberal way, and a good sum had been obtained, but, as there are considerably over 100 belonging to the parish serving with His Majesty's forces, more funds are still needed. The relatives of all men who are serving at home or abroad are requested to send their addresses to Miss Hynlop or Miss Dent before Saturday, December 3rd, so that the parcels can be forwarded.

Mr. Wm. Jackson, Station-road, Middleton, received official information last week that his son, Private W. M. Jackson, was killed in action on July 10th. He was attached to the Yorkshire Regiment, and enlisted in January. Previous to joining the colours he was employed at Messrs. Ord and Middleton's quarries, at Middleton, as a self-maker. The deceased soldier, who was 21 years of age, was of a quiet disposition, and was held in high esteem by his fellow-workmen and also at Middleton.

An entertainment was given in the Wesleyan school-room, Middleton, on Friday evening, in connection with the Wesleyan Girls' Guild. The proceeds were in aid of the National Children's Home and Orphanage. A capital and appreciative audience was present, and the following programme was rendered:—Pianoforte duet—Queen's review—Misses N. Gibson and M. Dent; duet—Convent bells—Misses A. Morton and H. Robinson; solo—The drum major—Mrs. H. Jones; recitation—The shipwreck—Miss A. Anderson; duet—The spider and the fly—Mr. and Mrs. Jones; solo—Far away—Miss A. Morton; recitation—Charlie Latham's pard—Mrs. Martin; part song—O! who will o'er the dunes? duet—Rippling wavelets—Misses A. Westwood and G. Dent; solo—Absence—Miss M. Dent; pianoforte solo—Miss Dent; solo—The crown—Mr. Jones; recitation—The flower girl—Miss M. Morton; solo—The flower garden—Mrs. Jones.

Middleton Baptist Christian Endeavour society celebrated their anniversary services last week-end. A social evening was held on Saturday night, under the presidency of the Rev. W. Samner (Pastor). Short addresses were delivered by Mrs. C. Pettit and the Rev. J. Gyles Williams, Leeds. Solos were sung by Miss Dobson and Mr. H. Jones, and recitations were given by Misses Race and Wheeler. A trio was rendered by Misses Walton (2) and Gowing. Refreshments were handed round during the interval. On Sunday morning and evening special sermons were preached by the Rev. J. G. Williams. A solo was sung by Miss Benson. Good companies assembled at all the services.

The Middleton Wesleyans were favoured with a visit on Monday of the Rev. J. T. Wardle-Stafford, D.D. (Chairman of the Newcastle-on-Tyne District), who preached in the afternoon, taking for his text, Psalm 137, i.e., "How shall we sing the Lord's song in a strange land?" and in the evening gave his popular lecture, "When the boys come home."—Dr. Beadle presided, and said almost every family in the dale would be touched in some way by the war. He feared it would be a long time before the boys came home, and he hoped the lecturer would have some word of cheer for them.—The lecturer said he was afraid the Germans were responsible for the war. Prussian militarism must be put down for ever. He believed this to be a Christian war. We were fighting for righteousness and justice. What sort of an England would the lads come back to? The churches in the past had been losing their grip, and in the future they must wake up to their responsibilities. The churches now must be co-operative, aggressive, and, above all, evangelistic.

Another meeting in connection with the British Farmers' Red Cross Society was held on Saturday at Middleton, when it was decided to hold the sale on Saturday next, December 2nd. Messrs. J. Smith, T. Addison, and W. Tarn are to be asked to be the auctioneers. Mr. Ward had kindly placed the Cleveland Arms Hotel yard at their disposal, and, if the weather is unfavourable, the sale-room will be utilised. The following secretaries for the various districts are arranged for the districts: Middleton: Messrs. W. Brown and G. A. Thompson; Egglestone: Mr. C. Thompson; High Force: Mr. T. Risco; and Lunedale: Mr. T. Walton.

Khaki Wedding at the Wesleyan Church.

A military wedding took place on Monday afternoon, at the Wesleyan Church, Barnard Castle, the contracting parties being Company Sergeant-Major Jim Stenbridge, of the 1/6th Durham Light Infantry, son of Mrs. Stenbridge, King-street, and Florence Taylor, youngest daughter of Mr. John Taylor, Galgate. The bridegroom, who is on leave of absence from the front, was formerly employed at the local co-operative stores. The dress of the bride was of white silk, with veil and orange blossom, and she carried a bouquet of lilies and chrysanthemums. The bridesmaids were Misses N. Stenbridge, W. Taylor and F. Wild, and Mr. J. Taylor, of Galgate, was best man. The Rev. E. G. Gatehouse and R. W. Young (Stalldrop) officiating ministers. Mr. J. G. Williams presided at the organ. The honeymoon is being spent at Redcar. Included among the presents is an inland clock, with silver plate for names of donors (Battalion Sergeant-Majors, Company Sergeant-Majors and Company Quartermaster-Sergeants of the 1/6th Durham Light Infantry).

The Zealand forbears will meet on Thursday at Stalldrop, and on Saturday at Middleton Lodge, each morning at 11 a.m.

The Rural Tribunal (BARNARD CASTLE).

Young Single Men's Certificates Withdrawn.

Lord Barnard presided over a meeting held on Thursday, when there were present Messrs. R. Armstrong, G. R. Dent, T. Tarn, J. W. Davidson, J. P. R. Risco, J. E. L. F. J. P. T. W. Baldwin (clerk), F. Stobbs (military representative), W. Woodhead (clerk to the military), and V. Hodgson (representative of the Board of Agriculture).

The Resolutions of the Newcastle Conference.

The resolutions passed by the local and appeal Tribunals of the Northumberland and Durham Conference held at Newcastle on the 28th of October, were under consideration at the previous meeting, and the Clerk again referred to the subject at this gathering. On the receipt of a letter from the Town Clerk of Newcastle, who intimated that it had not been advisable formally to present the resolutions in London by deputation. Directions had been given by the War Office to facilitate the