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☛ The Editor of the Herd Book (Captain Davy) will be ready to supply Gentlemen in America, or elsewhere, with Devons from his own Herd; or, if desired, obtain them from other Breeders.

## PREFACE.

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TO THE SUBSCRIBERS TO  
THE "DEVON HERD BOOK."

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MY LORDS AND GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to offer you the third volume of "Davy's Devon Herd Book," and venture to hope it may be as useful as the former ones. Having carried out my expressed intentions "To obtain my information from the most authentic sources, to ascertain truth and obviate error," probably I may be excused for observing that the first volume contained the pedigrees of 132 Bulls and 483 Females; and the second those of 221 Bulls and 657 Females; that it is gratifying to me, and must be satisfactory to the public to know, that in no case has the pedigree as given in the Herd Book been disproved, or even questioned. Those anxious to know the history of the importations of Devons into America will find a full explanation in the preface to the second volume, as well as my opinions on the colour of the Devons. I cannot conclude without quoting from Mr. R. Smith's "Report on the Exhibition of Live Stock at Chester," *Royal Agricultural Journal*, vol. 19, part 2. Mr. Smith was a very celebrated

breeder of Shorthorns and Leicester Sheep. At page 370, he says, "The Devons were justly designated the *elite* of the yard." I conclude these remarks with the words of a Shorthorn friend who accompanied me through the Devon classes. He exclaimed, "I am delighted. I find we Shorthorn men have yet much to learn of the true formation of animals; their beautiful contour and extreme quality of flesh surprise me." Again, Mr. Smith writes—"As converters of vegetable into animal food—breed against breed—they are found to *return as much per acre*, or for *weight of food consumed*, as any other breed;" he might have added, and are well adapted to live on poor pastures in exposed situations. The Editor (Capt. Davy) will be happy either to assist gentlemen in their purchases, to supply them from his own herd, or to purchase animals from other herds, charging a moderate commission for the latter.

I have the honour to be,

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

J. TANNER DAVY.

Rose Ash, Southmolton, Devon,

1st August, 1859.



## ADDRESSES OF CONTRIBUTORS,

WITH

THE NAMES AND NUMBERS OF THE ANIMALS

THEY HAVE ENTERED.

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Animals registered in the last Volume are not re-entered in this.

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*H. R. H. the Prince Consort, of Windsor Park, Windsor, Berkshire.*

BULLS.—The Colonel (387), Prince Arthur (492), Saracen (520a), Sunset (532), The Zouave (556).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Alboni (1146), Azalia (1160), Balsam (1161), Crocus (1236), Chere Amie (1204), Dahlia (1258), Gentianella (1371), Gardenia (1365), Hyacinth (1407), Ilex (1408), Kalmia (1425), Kathleen (1428), Lilac (1443), Lily (1451), Lobelia (1455), Minnie (1498), Narcissus (1507), Nugget (1592), Orange Blossom (1526), Myrtle (1504), Pansy (1528), Pictes (1541), Rosa (1607), Salvia (1632), Spot (1650), Snowdrop (1645), Sweetbriar (1669), Vanilla (1698), Veronica (1708), Viola (1714), Wallflower (1719).

*Anglessa, The Most Noble the Marquis of, Beaudesert, Lichfield.*

BULL.—Havelock (427).

*Andrew, Mr. John, of East Putford, Devon.*

BULL.—Devon Buck (398).

*Anstey, Mr. Samuel, of Menabilly, near Fowey, Cornwall.*

BULLS.—Albert (358), Forester (415), Luney (453), Menabilly (456), Prince (487), Sultan (528).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Alma (1151), Cheerful (1202), Cherry (1205), Countess (1237), Curly (1242), Young Dahlia (1254), Emma (1305), Fairy (1314), Young Fairy (1317), Gem (1370), Happy (1333), Kitty (1429), Lily (1444), Lady (1431), Myrtle (1501), Madeline (1468), Pet (1538), Playful (1553), Placid (1551), Prettymaid (1560), Primrose (1576), Rosy (1621), Stately (1652), Young Topsy (1684), Venus (1702).

*Beck, Mr. E. P., of Sheldon, New York, America.*

BULLS.—Coke (386), Rob Roy (512).

*Bodley, Mr. John, Stockley Pomeroy, Devon.*

BULLS.—Albert (380), Albert II. (381), Havelock (421), Monarch (460), Napoleon (462), Napoleon II. (463).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Crafty (1236), Duchess (1292), Miss Nightingale (1496), Pretty (1558), Stately (1653), Topsy (1677).

*Brent, Robert, Esq., M.D., Woodbury, Exeter.*

BULLS.—Nemo (469a), Tory (538).

*Chambers, James, Esq., South Australia.*

BULLS.—Alfred the Great (363), Havelock (423).

*Conger, Hon. A. B., of Waldberg, near Haverstraw, Rockland Co., New York.*

BULLS.—General (417), Norfolk (471), Owasco (475), Prince (488), Rob Roy (511), Rob Roy (512).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Crotonia (1240), Deva (1280), Droophorn (1290), Dora (1297), Effie (1301), Gazelle (1369), Guisla (1382), Maud (1478), Olive (1526), Princess III (1583), Princess VI (1584), Rosetta (1620), Selia (1639), Spirea (1647), Sultana (1660), Vesta (1700).

*Corner, Mr. Richard, of Torweston, near Williton, Somerset.*

BULLS.—Briton (376), Comet (390), Don Juan (401), General Havelock (419), Hopeful (437), Nimrod (470).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Amy (1154), Cherry (1208), Curly (1243), Dairymaid (1257), Daisy (1265), Dinah (1284), Eva (1309), Fancy (1323), Topsy (1378).

*Courtois, Mr. C., Darlington, Upper Canada, North America.*

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Beauty (1165a), Graceful (1379a), Stately (1652a).

*Davy, Capt. J. Tanner, of Ross Ash, South Molton, Devon.*

BULLS.—Alfred (362), Athelstane (364), Brigadier (373), Dandy (396), The Druid (403), Ensign (411), Gamaster (416), Stanley (527), Tory (538), Volunteer (546), William (550).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Beauty (1166), Buttercup (1197), Daisy (1272), Damsel (1275), Dairymaid (1258), Fancy (1327), Flora (1344), Flora (1345), Flower (1353), Floweret (1358), Helena (1388), Lady (1432), Lofty (1456), Jenny (1412a), Mayflower (1482), Modesty (1496), Pearl (1532), Picture (1542), Pink (1545), Princess (1579), Rarity (1602), Ross (1613), Ruby (1627), Salvia (1633), Substance (1659), Trusty (1688), Tulip (1691), Virgin (1717).

*Davy, Mr. James, of Flitton Barton, Northmolton, Devon.*

BULLS.—Baldon (366), British King (374), Champion (381), Conqueror (391), Constitution (394), Correction (395), Derby (397), Digby (399), Young Eclipse (409), Hero (428), Holkham (434), Honiton (436), Le Blanc (446), Monarch (461), Napoleon III., Davy's, (464), Young Napoleon (465), Palmerston (476), Poltimore (481), Portman (485), Prince Alfred (491), Prince of Prussia (497), Prince Town (498), Silifant (520), Sloman (525), Young Sultan (529), Symmetry (533).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Ashford (1156), Beauty (1165), Beauty (1167), Cherry (1207), Countess (1226), Curly (1244), Duchess (1293), Empress (1307), Fancy (1331), Fortune (1360), Young Fat Rump (1389), Young Flower (1357), Floweret (1359), Gaylass (1367), Young Matchless (1476), Neatness (1509), Pink (1544), Young Picture (1543), Princess (1577), Princess of Prussia, (1588), Primrose (1566), Primrose (1568a), Primrose (1569), Purity (1593), Princess (1535), Stately (1654), Temptress (1672), Treasure (1685), Tulip (1690), Tulip (1690a), Young Queen (1696), Symmetry (1669).

*Digby, The Right Hon. Earl of, The Castle, Sherborne.*

BULL.—Digby (399).

*Faile, Mr. E. G., of West Farms, West Chester Co., New York, America.*

BULLS.—Columbus (388), Mohegan (458), Mohawk (457), Otsego (474), Pontiac (483), Roanoke (506), Tioga (536), Tecumseh (535).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Amy (1153), Droophorn (1291), Effie (1301), Eleanor (1304), Fleda (1343), Kate (1426), Lola Montes (1457), Nina (1518), Pinta (1548), Pansey (1527), Pawnee (1529), Rose of Baltimore (1614).

*Farthing, Mr. Walter, Stowey Court, Bridgwater, Somerset.*

BULLS.—Alfred the Great (363), Havelock (423), Leopold (447), Lord Quantock (452), Pedro (479), Rufus (516).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Alice (1143), Beatrice (1164), Bell (1175), Cherry (1208), Dairymaid (1259), Dina (1285), Duchess (1294), Eva (1310), Fanny (1332), Flora (1346), Julia (1420), Lady (1433), Lovely (1459), Laura (1439), Maud (1479), Nelly (1512), Nancy (1505), Princess (1572), Rose (1611), Sylph (1607), Venus (1701).

*Fortescue, Right Hon. Earl, K.G., Castle Hill, Southmolton, Devon.*

BULL.—Flittow (414).

*Fouracre, Mr. T. W., of Durston, Taunton, Somerset.*

BULLS.—Havelock (422), Nelson (468), Napoleon (462), Wellington (549).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Abbees (1142), Camilla (1200), Young Cowslip (1234), Magnolia (1469a), Prettymaid (1561), Young Prettymaid (1565).

*Garbutt, Mr. William, of Wheatland, Monroe Co., New York, America.*

BULLS.—Coke (380), Tom (537).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Crescent III. (1237), Silvy III. (1642), Silvy (1643), Tidy (1674), Tip (1676), Topsy (1679).

*Halse, Mr. Philip, of Molland, Southmolton, Devon.*

BULL.—Young Sultan (531).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Duchess (1205), Young Peggy (1533).

*Halse, Mr. John, of Molland, Southmolton, Devon.*

BULLS.—Earl of Essex (407), Prince (489), Sultan, Junior (530).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Beauty (1168), Birthday (1183), Buttercup (1198), Cherry (1209), Cheerful (1203), Costly (1226), Claret (1218), Fancy (1324), Favourite (1340), Jessica (1416), Juno (1424), Jessamine (1415), Mayflower (1483), Pretty (1559), Princess (1582), Prettymaid (1562), Primrose (1570), Prize (1591), Playful (1554).

*Hals, Mr. William, of Hannaford, Barnstaple, Devon.*

BULLS.—Hotspur (440), Ibel (441), Junius (443), Victor (542), Zebu (552), Zedlitch (553), Zeluco (554), Zeno (555), Zarof (557).

COWS AND HEIFERS.—Aconite (1143), Court Nez (1230), Fatima (1337), Flora (1347), Heloise (1398), Heroine (1399), Io (1409), Jessie (1417), Juno (1423), Lady Mayoress (1435), Marmoset (1475), Principessa (1589), Rosabella (1609), Sappho (1635), Zaidée (1737), Zara (1738), Zelia (1741), Zephyr (1742), Zebetta (1745), Zoe (1746).