

known amongst New Zealand Friesian breeders as that of any other bull of the breed. Despite the fact that his daughters were represented in a considerable number of herds, few have been tested for a record. He has five C.O.R. daughters, four of which have qualified at the Weraroa Experimental Farm, and one at Mr. C. Hopping's.

The record of Longbeach Ideal is the most outstanding amongst Van Tromp's daughters. This cow as a three-year-old produced 633.85 lb. butter-fat, and has been purchased by Mr. C. A. Hopping from his father. Lenore has the best record of the four C.O.R. daughters at Weraroa. She was in milk 365 days, and has a record of 481.29 lb. butter-fat. Gretchen has the next-best record. She was in milk for the comparatively short milking-period of 314 days, and produced 426.81 lb. fat. Other C.O.R. daughters are Julia and Dominion Domino's Pride, neither of which milked the full year, but produced 380.47 lb. and 372.80 lb. fat respectively. The Weraroa productions were made under herd conditions, with twice-per-day milking.

The pedigrees of Longbeach Ideal and Dominion Domino's Pride are very good examples of line breeding. In each case the transmissible factors of a sire named Thumper have been concentrated. Breeders will recognize in Thumper the sire of Domino III, the latter a name well known among the fanciers of black-and-whites.

*Netherland King.*—Netherland King also was bred at Longbeach, and doubtless this bull received from his ancestors many hereditary factors similar to those received by Longbeach Van Tromp. Both of these bulls are, through various lines, rich in the blood of such progenitors as Taureau (Imp.) and Netherland Queen (Imp.), and have at least 50 per cent. of their breeding in common. Netherland King was purchased by Mr. John Donald, of Westmere, who used him as the head of his herd for some time. All the C.O.R. daughters of Netherland King were tested young, and none were milked their full 365 days, the average milking-period being 310 days. The best record is held by White Rosette, with a credit of 423.75 lb. fat in 292 days, as a three-year-old. Netherland Pauline, as a three-year-old, in 322 days produced 380.41 lb. fat. Netherland King's other two C.O.R. daughters are Netherland Pride, with a record for 308 days of 331.71 lb. fat, and Netherland Duchess III, with a record of 319.84 lb. fat in 317 days. Each of these is in the three-year-old class.