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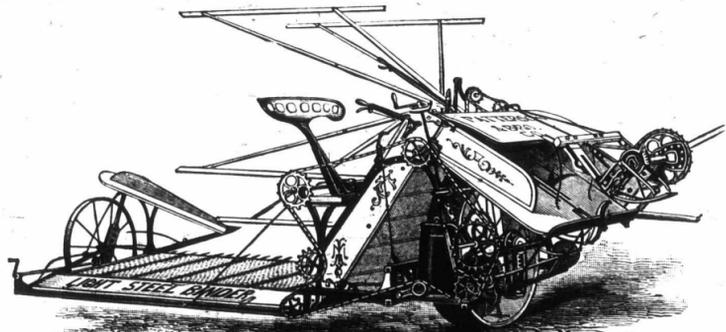
CLYDESDALES FOR CANADA.—From the North British Agriculturist.—We learn that Mr. Peter Crawford has just sold to Mr. Sorby, of Guelph, Canada, a grand lot of Clydesdales, numbering thirteen in all, and including some of the very best specimens of the breed. One of these is the M'Camon yearling filly Sunrise, which gained the first prize for Mr. Lumsden at Inverurie and Aberdeen last week. Another is the two-year-old filly Soudie, which also gained first honors for Mr. Lumsden at Aberdeen on Thursday. Mr. Crawford bought both these grand fillies at the Aberdeen Show, and passed them on to Mr. Sorby. Among the other animals sold to Mr. Sorby is Lalla Rookh, a five-year-old, bred by Mr. Marr, Cairnbrogie. This horse was sold as a yearling at Glasgow, where, by the way, he defeated the champion horse Cairnbrogie Stamp. He has the Upper Nithsdale premium of this year, and has given great satisfaction there. The consignment also includes a two-year-old colt, bred by Mr. Sinclair Scott, and got by Newtonaids, out of a Roseberry mare; and a two-year-old, bred by Mr. Hood, Balgredan, and got by Macpherson, a son of McGregor, while his dam is the dam of Oliver Twist. Amongst the others is a splendid yearling colt, bred by Mr. Hislop, got by Mr. Wm. Kenwick's stud horse, Knight of Lothian, out of a Lord Lyon mare. This is one of the most promising animals in the whole consignment. Among others are three yearling M'Camon colts, bred by Mr. Garland, Ardlethen; one by Darnley King, two by Lord Erskine, and one by Granite City. The consignment also includes Mr. Stevenson's prize-winning mare which was first as a three-year-old at Bishopbriggs. The consignment is a very valuable one, and Mr. Sorby is to be congratulated on having secured such an excellent lot.

Mr. Robt. Miller, jr., Brougham, Ont., shipped four well-bred horses at the same time. Two of these—Pride of Troon, 723, and Forest Monarch, 573—were purchased from Mr. Snodgrass, Portmald, Inchnan, and are well bred blocky horses. Glenconnell, a thick, strong colt, got by Lord Glasgow, 4180, was purchased from Mr. James Andrew, Bashes Farm, Paisley, but the pick of the lot was the two-year-old colt Sir Edward, purchased from Mr. Armstrong, Thornhill, Ayr, and got by Mr. Kilpatrick's prize horse St. Blaise, out of a mare by Old Times. This beautiful colt has inherited much of the style and quality of the Prince of Wales' tribe, and was greatly admired by the throng of horsemen who lined the quays on Monday week. He has fine clean, flat bone and good feet and pasterns, and with depth of rib and substance to correspond, he must be regarded as one of the best two-year-olds shipped this season. He was commended in a good class at Ayr in April.

By the same vessel Mr. James Hunter, Alma, Ont., shipped a choice colt got by Lord Lynedoch, and purchased from Mr. James Wolf, Sandlands, Lanark. This colt had first-rate feet and legs and promises to make a horse equal to his sire. To Mr. Wm. Jeffrey, Whitby, Ont., Mr. Ferguson, Renfrew, shipped a thick, low-set horse named Scottish Leader, 7243, got by the prize horse Strongbow, 4045, and, like him, a typical Canadian horse.

MR. ROBERT BEITH'S HORSES.—The tenth annual shipment of Clydesdale horses made by Mr. Robert Beith, Bowmanville, Ont., sailed per the Corean on Friday last. It numbered seventeen head, all of which were purchased from Mr. Peter Crawford, Eastfield House, Dumfries. What sort of material this shipment was composed of may be inferred from what follows. Amongst aged stallions were Sir Maurice, 4721, winner of fourth prize at the Glasgow Spring Show in February, the Brechin premium this season, the Duke of Hamilton's premium last year, and the Clackmannan premium in 1887, when he stood far forward in the short list at the Glasgow Stallion Show. He was second at Dalbeattie when a yearling, and second at Glasgow when a two-year-old, being only beaten by Cairnbrogie Stamp. The advantage to the breed of the importation of such a horse into Canada cannot be over estimated. Another notable aged horse is Paragon, 7096, one of the short leet horses at the spring show, and the Mill-Calder premium horse this season. Amongst three-year-olds Sir Walter, the Buehan premium horse of this season, and the beautiful colt Crosby Challenger, 5678, which had many admirers at the spring show in 1888, are especially worthy of mention. The two-year-olds are a first-rate lot. Chief amongst them we notice the finely-bred horse Eastfield Chief, 6713, a son of Prince Lawrence, which gained second prize at Ayr, first at Edinburgh, and third at Glasgow this season. Eastfield Laddie, 6719, a son of Old Times, and last year winner of a prominent prize at Wigtown Show. MacCalman, 6965, by Master of Blantyre, winner of prizes at Lanark, as well as being out of a Lanark first prize mare, and Lord Gray, 6866, a colt by King of the Forest, which Mr. Crawford purchased from Mr. Houston, Overlaw, in whose possession he gained fifth prize at Kirkeudbright. Mr. Beith also shipped a few superior mares, of which a Sanquhar mare, bred by Mr. McGibbon, Campbelltown, and at one time owned by Mr. Robert Kenwick, Dalmuir, merits more than passing notice. She is a finely-modelled specimen of the breed, and gained prizes in Dumbarthshire. There is also in the lot a beautiful yearling filly, got by Master of Blantyre, for which a still price was paid, as she is expected to make a first-rate mare.

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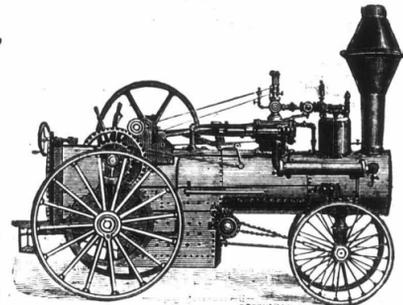
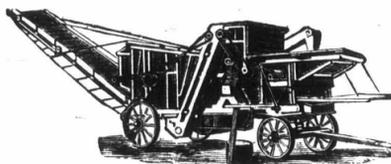
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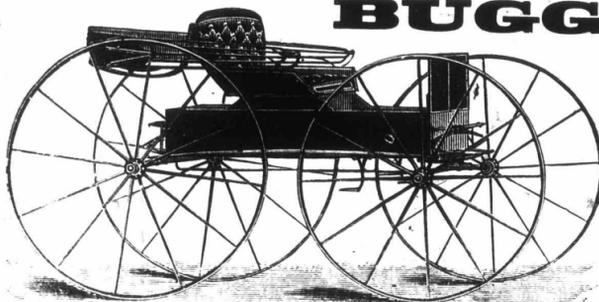
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