

STOCK GOSSIP.

In the August number we intend to publish a list of the dates of holding the various exhibitions and fairs throughout the Dominion. Secretaries kindly send along the desired information.

In a business letter received from Mr. James Russell, Richmond Hill, he adds that "I have sold eleven bulls this winter, and twenty-five Cotswolds to an Ohio breeder last fall, besides several Cotswolds through Ontario."

Sir.—Please accept thanks for the beautiful engraving, "Canada's Pride." It surpasses anything of the kind I have ever seen. I am proud to know such a work of art can be executed in Canada.—John Jackson, breeder and importer of Southdown Sheep, Abingdon, Ont.

NOTICES.

In another column appears the advertisement of J. C. Millson, of Glanworth, who has a number of very fine Shropshire sheep.

We direct our readers' attention to Rigby & Burling's advertisement of potato digger. This digger appears to be very highly spoken of, but we have not had the pleasure of seeing it at work.

Messrs. Everest & Kerr, of the Ridgemere Stock Farm, Reaburn, have dissolved partnership. Mr. Everest will remain at Ridgemere and keep the Holstein cattle and all the Clydesdale horses except Granite City. Mr. Kerr takes the farm at Burnside. Mr. Kerr takes all the Hackney horses, including Jubilee Chief, Firefly and Conquest; also the grand Clydesdale stallion Granite City.

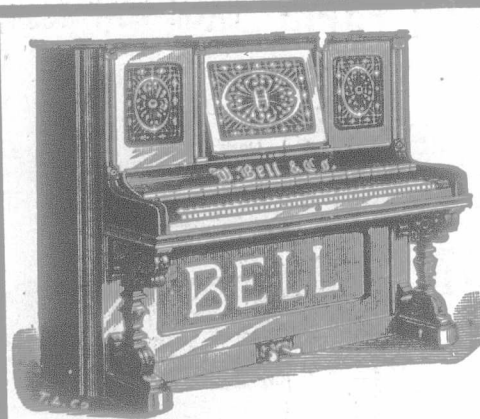
LONDON MUTUAL.—We beg to direct attention to the advertisement of this company in this issue of the ADVOCATE. This company was established over thirty years ago by the farmers of the county of Middlesex. The proprietor of this paper took out one of the first policies and the property has been insured with the company ever since. This shows practically our confidence in the institution. The company are now located in their handsome offices on Richmond street, a very good out of which appears in the advertisement.

THE TOLTON PEA HARVESTER.—Peas are one of our staple crops, and doubtless much of the success in stock raising in Ontario may be credited to feeding this grain. Canadian sheep would never have attained their present prominence across the lines had not this crop formed part of the rations, and it is doubtful if sheep raising can be brought to as high perfection without it. The dread of harvesting this crop by hand, the amount of waste by shelling and dirt accumulating by the use of the horse-rakes, have prevented many from growing peas. By using this machine we can keep up to the times, as by its use peas can be expeditiously handled while the straw is in the prime, and without waste and dirt or any of the drawbacks attending the old-time methods, so that we can with confidence pronounce this harvester as well up in its line for the purpose as the mowing machine or self-binder are for theirs. For particulars see advertisement.

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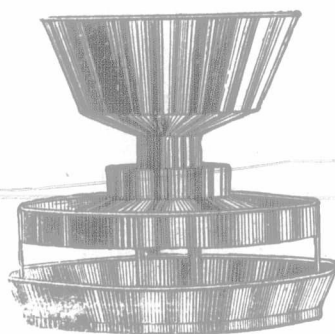
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