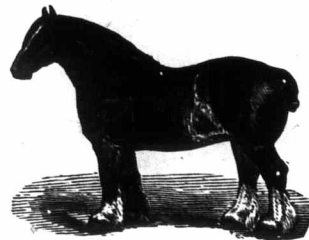


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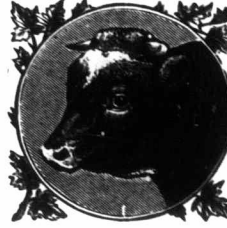
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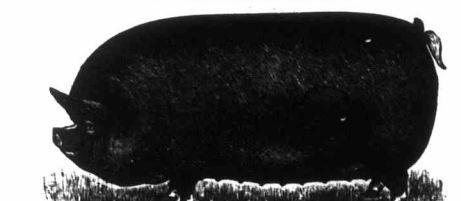
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## NOTICES.

The United States Minister of Agriculture has relaxed the quarantine regulations relating to Mexican stock so that they may, after inspection, enter Texas and California.

As our readers are aware, Good, Shapley & Muir Co., Brantford, do a large business in the manufacture of bee-keepers' supplies, and also publish the Canadian Bee Journal. They have recently purchased the apiary publishing and manufacturing outfit of Mr. C. A. Onellette, Tilbury, Ontario, who issued the Practical Bee-keeper.

## HOW TO GET "SUNLIGHT" BOOKS.

Send twelve "Sunlight" Soap wrappers to Lever Bros. (Ltd.), 43 Scott St., Toronto, who will send post-paid a paper-covered book, 160 pages. By leaving the ends of the parcel open, it will go for one cent postage. Remember "Sunlight" now sells at six cents per twin bar.

## SPAVINED HORSES.

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## PREPARE FOR HAYING.

If the season continues as it promises, we cannot fail to have an immense hay crop, which will be ready to harvest in good time. Every farmer that has not all ready a satisfactory horse-fork and sling should see about it at once, because the time slips away more quickly than one is apt to notice, and there is no extra expense in having things all ready to go to work a little before they are needed. The horse-forks and slings manufactured by J. W. Provan, of Oshawa, Ont., have had an immense sale during the last few years, and are giving entire satisfaction everywhere. The apparatus handles sheaves as well as hay and peas, and is a great success as a stacker. The manufacturer makes a business of sending his machine to fair-minded, responsible farmers, to be put up and used by them on trial until the harvesting is half over, when they are required to decide whether they will keep or return it. If the latter, the return freight charges are paid by Mr. Provan. This is an opportunity to secure what will be perfectly satisfactory, or no sale need be effected. See Mr. Provan's advertisement in this issue.

## HOW TO BUILD WALLS, FLOORS, ETC., PROPERLY.

Mr. Isaac Usher, of Thorold, Ont., manufacturer of Queenston Cement, gave the Advocate a passing call the other day. During the coming fortnight he visits the Counties of York, Wellington, Waterloo, and Bothwell, giving personal instructions, without charge, in the construction of barn and silo walls of cement-concrete, stable floors, troughs for pigpens, etc. An immense amount of such work is being done this season, and he finds it most desirable in sections where it is a new thing, and persons are unacquainted therewith, to see that a proper start is made. The permanent success of cement-concrete depends on the work being thoroughly done according to personal instructions, or what has appeared from time to time in the Advocate, or in the little pamphlet which Mr. Usher has issued, entitled "Practical Hints on the Use of Queenston Cement," and which may be obtained by sending a post-card to Isaac Usher & Sons, Thorold, Ont. By giving him, say, ten days' notice, Mr. Usher will gladly visit and give any of his new patrons a start in the work. He guarantees his cement to be fully equal to any of the Portland cement for any of the purposes referred to above; in fact, he regards a pure rock cement, such as his, more valuable in the end, as its tensile strength keeps on increasing with age, a statement borne out by Government tests reported in the pamphlet referred to.

## BOOK TABLE.

Among the numerous pamphlets lately received is the 35th Annual Catalogue of Hlymyer Iron Works Co., Cincinnati, Ohio. It is a catalogue of sorghum and sugar-cane mills and evaporators, illustrations and explanations of which are fully given. Send to the firm and secure a copy free. Our fruit-producing readers will be especially interested in it.

Vol. XII. of the English Hackney Stud Book - being the number for 1895 - just to hand, contains the pedigrees of stallions Nos. 5078 to 5476; of mares, Nos. 7885 to 8615; and of pony mares, 14 and under, foaled on or before 1890. Inspected and allowed to pass as suitable for breeding Hackneys, Nos. 591 to 1029. The work has two very fine illustrations of noted Hackneys. The 1894 London Show champion, Gany-mede (whose photo-gravure graced the first page of the Nov. 1, 1894, issue of the "Advocate"), and a portrait of Mr. H. Livesey's Orange Blossom. A short note about the London Show of '94 gives evidence of the high percentage of sound animals to be found in the Hackney breed, there being only 13 disqualified as unsound out of 217 candidates. The record of transfers given and the reports of sales kept, show that many Hackneys are going into new hands, which proves the growing popularity of the breed. It is worthy of mention that no less than 529 certificates of transfer have been issued since the publication of Vol. XI. Of these, 453 were for the United Kingdom, and 71 for foreign countries and the colonies, 9 of which we notice came to Canada, and 20 to the United States. The volume shows careful work in preparation and finish, and is indeed a credit to the society of which Henry F. Karen, 12 Hanover Square, London W., is the secretary.

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