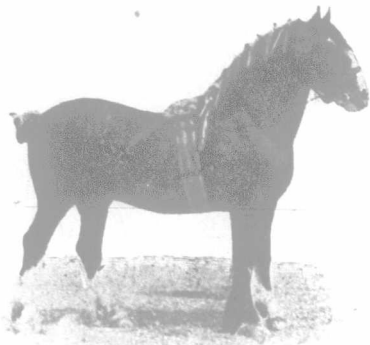


TRAYNOR BROS.' CLYDESDALES



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IRRIGATION OF ALFALFA.
The importance of alfalfa to western farmers cannot well be overestimated. A single ton of alfalfa may save the lives of many head of stock by providing feed during short periods of cold, stormy weather. Alfalfa can not be excelled as a preparatory crop on soils that have long been unproductive. Likewise it maintains the fertility of soils naturally rich in plant food, and if used as a base of rotation makes possible abundant crop yields of various kinds. Notwithstanding its present importance and great value in irrigation farming, the profits on the area now in alfalfa can be greatly increased if more care and skill are exercised in growing alfalfa. Abundant sunshine, a high summer temperature, sufficient moisture, and a rich, deep, well drained soil. All of these essentials, save moisture, exist naturally in the arid regions of the United States, and when water is supplied, it makes the conditions ideal. Although alfalfa can be grown under a wide range of soil conditions, yet all western lands are not equally adapted to its growth.

How to determine the suitability of land for growing alfalfa under irrigation, as well as how to prepare the land, is told in Farmers' Bulletin 373, "Irrigation of Alfalfa," recently issued by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The bulletin discusses the various methods of irrigating the crop and gives much useful information in connection therewith.

Seed fair dates arranged in Manitoba are: Birtle, December 23; De-

loraine, January 5; Boisbervain, January 6; Cartwright, January 7; Stonewall, January 7.

Clarence was usually so restless and fidgety in church that his mother was obliged to reproach him from time to time. One Sunday he was so quiet and well-behaved that his mother noticed it and spoke approvingly:

"What a good little boy Clarence was in church to-day," she said. "Mamma was so proud of him."

"Well," said Clarence, "I had to be. The choir looked right at me, and sang over and over again, 'Please be still, please be still!'"—Youth's Companion.

JOHN GRAHAM'S CLYDESDALES

On another page of this issue appears notice of the offering of Clydesdales fillies and stallions which John Graham, Carberry, Man., has recently brought over from the old country. This makes Mr. Graham's third importation since the beginning of 1909 and is one of the best lots of Clydesdales ever brought into Manitoba. The importation arrived in Canada some weeks ago and the lot is now installed in the barns at Carberry. Mr. Graham's stud is about as well located as any in the country to be conveniently reached by buyers. Situated on the main line of the C. P. R. and connected by a branch with the main line of the C. N. R. buyers from any part of the west can reach it easily and without undue delays.

Mr. Graham held over in the East a portion of this last importation and made an exhibit at the International

in Chicago. As report of that exposition appears in this number attention is directed to the winnings of the first exhibit of Clydesdales ever made at the International by a breeder in Western Canada.

Attention is directed to the breeding of the mares and stallions which Mr. Graham's advertisement calls attention to. Slight acquaintance with Clydesdale names and Clydesdale lore is sufficient to convince anyone of the excellency of the breeding of this importation.

HANDLED FIRST WHEAT OF WEST

Ever since Western Canada became a factor in grain production, the Ogilvie Flour Mills Company has been a power in agricultural development of this great wheat growing country. With a beginning when the prairies were first given over to crop it was necessary to have a line of elevators to which farmers could take their grain for sale. There are about one-hundred of these warehouses. Not only is grain accepted but flour and other products of this great milling concern are distributed. From the start Ogilvies laid down the principles of spot cash for everything they bought of the farmer, thus the Northwest escaped that system of barter which often restricted the development of many a fertile district of the country in bygone days. This year has again witnessed a continuance of the company's policy of expansion in this respect, and about twenty buildings have been added to the line of elevators. Ogilvies were the shippers and the owners of the first wheat taken from Western to Eastern Canada. This was so short a time ago as 1878. A shipment of 800 bushels was loaded on a Red River steamer and taken up the Red river to Fisher's Landing, then the

terminus of northwest railway development in the United States. It was here transhipped and taken by car to Duluth, where it was carried by one of the small boats then sufficient to meet the requirements of lake shipping to the east, to be ground in one of the Ogilvie mills.

Recent development has been rapid. The mills of the company at Winnipeg, Fort William and Montreal have a total daily capacity of 15,000 barrels of flour, besides feed, rolled oats, pot and pearl barley, cornmeal and similar cereal products. C. R. Hosmer is president of the company, and F. W. Thompson, vice-president, and W. A. Black, general manager of the company in the west.

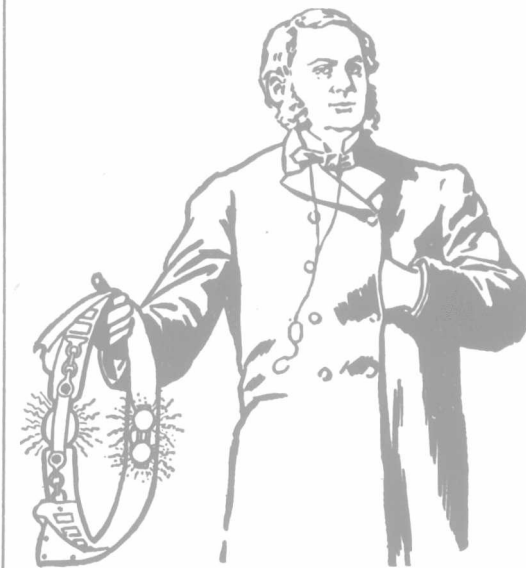
HOGATE'S CLYDESDALES

The offering of Clydesdales, Percherons and Hackneys of J. B. Hogate, Brandon, Man., is advertising in another column of this issue, is one of the most representative which this well known breeder has yet had in his Brandon barns. Mr. Hogate has recently brought in a large and select consignment, and buyers would be well advised to look his stock over before making a purchase. No word is necessary to introduce Mr. Hogate to the public of the West. No name is better known in horse affairs, and no breeder and importer enjoys, in a larger measure, the confidence and respect of those with whom he has done business. Breeding and importing horses has been Mr. Hogate's business for quite a number of years, and his stud at Brandon is conveniently reached by buyers in any part of the West. At present, the stables are full with a choice selection, mostly imported. Visitors to Brandon, both to conventions and to the Winter Fair should not fail to visit Mr. Hogate's stables.

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