MASSEY'S ILLUSTRATED.

This being the seventh season, the "Toronto" has been thoroughly tested.

It can be instantly and easily adjusted while in operation to cut low or high grass.

The Bar may be lifted to an upright position to pass 7a tree while the knife is in motion.

The steady, powerful and easy movement of the knife, resulting from the wonderful noiseless gear fascinates all who witness it.

There is no pitman to become obstructed among stumps and stones.

When out of gear no cogs are in contact, hence miles of travel on the road cannot injure the gearing in the

THE TORONTO MOWER

Has the most extensive sale of any Mower in Canada.

OVER 13,000 NOW IN USE!

3000 more being made for 1885.

Examine the peculiar features noted on this and the following page.

It is light in weight and very light in draught.

The Knife will run at any angle and in any position it can be placed.

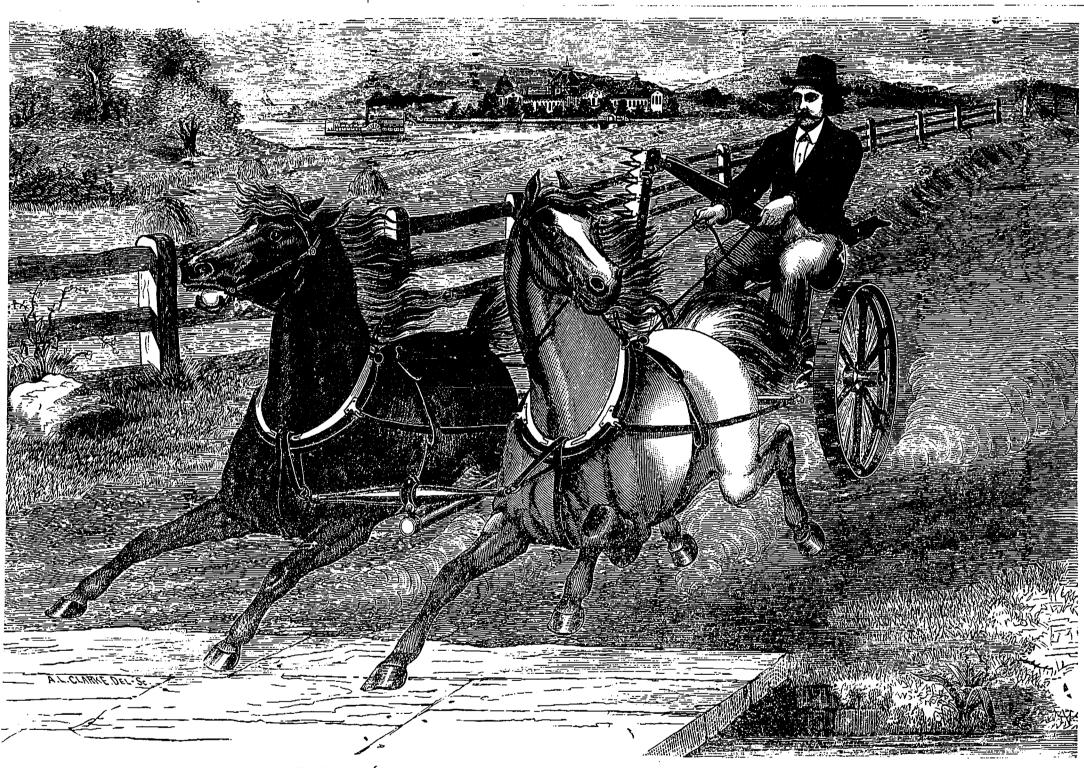
The beautiful, puzzling, but simple gear is a charm itself.

The Knife connection used on this Mower is the most perfect in use.

Eleven cogs are driving at once on the "Toronto," instead of three as in ordinary gear.

The loss of power by friction in the new mechanism is very small, and the wear is almost imperceptible in machines that have seen many years' service.

Where other machines fail to cut, the "Toronto" does its work.



THE TORONTO" ON THE ROA.D.

This Peculiar Mower

is unlike any other made. The new mechanical movement used in driving the knife at first appears to be something very extraordinary, though in reality its working is very simple. A description of the gear will be found on the opposite page.

There are many valuable points resulting from the use of this new method which give the "Toronto" great advantages over all other makes of Mowers. All quick running gearing formerly used on mowing implements is done away with. All the machinery there is consists of two cog wheels, the size of an ordinary dinner plate, and one small fly wheel, together with a triangular drive arm which serves to impart the motion to the knife. Hence, less machinery gives less weight, and there being very little loss of power by friction, the draught is rendered lighter. The fact that eleven cogs at once are doing the work that three have to do in other mowers, commends itself. Slight strain; very little wear; slow motion; direct communication of power. It runs noiselessly and very smoothly. It can be thrown into or out of gear with the foot and when out no cogs are in contact. Hence no injury accrues while on the road.

mowers. Slack caused by wear can be taken up continuously and the bearing be as good as new. It is the only perfect ball and socket knife connection. The entire machine is admirably fitted with neat contrivances for regulating its various parts.

The operator has perfect control when at work. Either end or both ends of the cutter bar can be raised at pleasure while cutting, to pass obstacles, or for cutting high or low. The bar can also be raised from the ground to an upright position or any angle between, while the knife is still in motion, to pass a tree, stone or any similar obstruction. The machine can be put in working order in a moment's time without leaving the seat or stopping the team. Being strong and durable it works equally well over the roughest ground, among stones or stumps, on heavy hill-sides, or any place where two horses can draw a mowing machine. The reputation of the "Toronto" now extends from coast to coast, and it continues to grow in favor. No Mower so popular, and none so widely sold.

BUY a "Toronto," and you will not have to cry for

A CHURCH had been erected, when a dinner was given at the conclusion of which the health of the builder was proposed, when he rather enigmatically replied that he The knife connection is by far the best in use for | was "more fitted for the scaffold than for public speaking."

Oueer Advertisements.

WANTED.—A woman able and willing to wash iron and milk three cows.

Wanted.—By a German girl just landed in a private family a situation with or without children.

WANTED.—A comfortable room for a young man four feet by ten.

WANTED.—Boy to milk and mow lawns.

A rather singular announcement appeared in one of our city papers:

A large blue gentleman's overcoat lost in the vicinity of the market.

To RENT.—An elegantly furnished room to gentlemen already heated.

"Shure, Mrs. McGinnis, an' it's rather poorly you're lookin' this mornin'." "Indade, thin, Mrs. Malloy, an' it's good raison I'm havin' to look poorly. Here's the postman just been to the doore to tell me there's a dead letter waitin' fur me at the post-office, an' I can't fur the life of me think who it is that's dead."

THE Pacific Law Journal says the following occurred in a San Francisco court: "Have you," asked the judge of a recently convicted man, "anything to offer the court before sentence is passed?" "No, your Honor," replied the prisoner. "My lawyer took my last cent."