

GOSSIP.

As advertised in this issue, E. F. Osler, of Bronte, a station half-way between Toronto and Hamilton, Ont., will hold a sale of high-class registered Holstein cattle and Clydesdale mares, on March 25th, further notice of which may be looked for in these columns later.

ORMSBY GRANGE, THE NOTED CLYDESDALE CENTER.

Ormsby Grange, the beautiful home of Dr. D. McEachran, (late Chief Veterinary Inspector for Canada), has, in the short space of five years, become recognized as the great Clydesdale center of the Province of Quebec, and second to none other in the whole of Canada. Situated near the town of Ormstown, about fifty miles south of Montreal, in one of the most prosperous agricultural districts of Quebec, Ormsby Grange Stock Farm of five years ago, and Ormsby Grange Stock Farm of to-day, would not be recognized by any of its former owners. Under the expert direction of the present owner the transformation has been radical and complete. To-day, modern wire fences have replaced the unsightly rail fences of former years, up-to-date sanitary farm buildings stand where once stood the pioneer buildings that in their time did good service. The stables of today are large, roomy, well lighted and well ventilated, cement and iron being principally used in their construction, the whole fitted with a complete system of electric lighting, the power being generated from dynamos run by a gasoline engine, which also supplies power for the cutting and crushing machinery. And still the work of improvement goes on, the Doctor being continually devising ways and means for the safety and comfort of the stock, and economy in time and labor in their care. An idea, which, so far as we have been able to ascertain, is one of the Doctor's origin, and which struck us as being of incalculable value to every farmer in the country did he but put forth a little energy to carry it out, was a well-drawn chart, or plan, of the farm, in which every field and paddock, together with the buildings, was drawn. The principal object the Doctor had in view was to ascertain at a glance what crop was grown on any field the previous year, the yield of each field, the amount of manure used, etc. By this simple plan, a perfect system of rotation can be carried out, and any deficiency in the producing power of any particular field or part thereof can be known and the proper remedy applied. This winter, outside of the Clydesdale end of the business, the Doctor is busy with steer feeding, about forty being fed, part of them loose and part of them tied. They are fed on scientifically-balanced rations, carefully weighed, the result of which the Doctor will make known through these columns later. Dr. McEachran is one of the most extensive importers of Clydesdale horses in the Dominion, his life's experience particularly fitting him for the work. He has already made several large importations, which, owing to their high-class quality and breeding, have found ready sale. In his stables at the present time are a number of mares and fillies, from foals up, but principally the brood mares used in the farm operations, the big demand of the last few months having left the stock on hand pretty low. Several of the foals are the get of the principal stallion in service, Imp. Selburne, a horse of magnificent type, style and quality, and acknowledged by all who have seen him as one of the best Clydesdales ever imported. As an example of the high-class character of breeding selected by the Doctor in Scotland, we have only to mention an exceptionally big, choice Yearling son of the great Royal and Highland winner, Silver Cup, his dam by the H. & A. S. champion, Rosedale, and granddam by the H. & A. S. first-prize horse, Sanquhar. This is one of the great colts landed in Canada in recent years. In the early spring months the Doctor intends to sail for the land of his birth for another and larger importation, which will be personally selected, particulars of which will appear in these columns on arrival.

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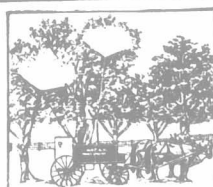
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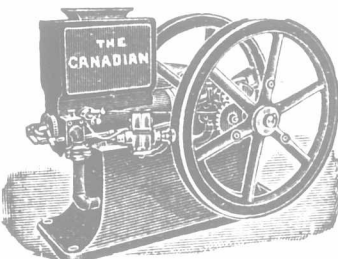
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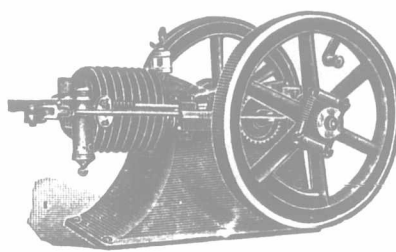
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