

STOCK GOSSIP.

In our article, "Our Subscription Picture for 1890," a typographical error gave "Honest Tom (1848)," it should read "Honest Tom (1811). This horse is the sire of King of the Castle (1811) the celebrated prize winning Shire stallion, owned by Mr. James Gardhouse, Highfield, Ont. We understand this horse is for sale. It is in the interest of Canadian Shire breeders that this stallion should stay with us, and if sold we hope the purchaser may be a Canadian.

George Weeks, Glanworth, has received through W. S. Hawthorn, the following Cotswolds, bred by Mr. Russell Swanwick, Clonmace, Gloucester, England: Ham, sired by a son of the famous Donner, who, at five years old, was sold at 70 guineas. Ewes, sired by Jacob, used by Mr. Swanwick for five years, from which many of Mr. S's prize sheep came. Such as 1st, 2nd, 3rd at Windsor, 1889, with the largest class of Cotswolds shown for years, besides cups and medals. This flock has won over £1,100 in the last five years.

Mr. Samuel Johnston, of Fordwich, Ont., has recently purchased from Mr. Arthur Johnston, of Greenwood, Ont., the young Scotch Shorthorn bull, Vice Admiral, sired by the well-known imported Cruickshank bull, Vice Consul, winner of first prize and diploma at the Toronto Industrial Exhibition in 1888. Vice Admiral's dam was imported Clara, bred by Mr. Sylvester Campbell, of Kennellar, Aberdeenshire, Scotland. It will be thus seen that Vice Admiral combines the blood of the two most famous herds in Scotland.

Mr. Arthur Johnston, of Greenwood, Ont., reports the sale of an exceedingly good young bull of the imported Lancaster tribe to Mr. H. K. Fairbairn, of Theford, Ont. This young bull, though at present only in nice keeping order, Mr. Johnston thinks the making of a hard one to meet in the show ring. Enquiries for good young bulls are coming in somewhat earlier than they did last year. New catalogues for 1890 are now ready, and they will be mailed promptly to any parties wishing to inspect them, business or no business.

NOTICES.

The Knabe Pianos which I did not know before, have been chosen for my present concert tour in the United States by my Impresario and accepted by me on the recommendation of my friend, Bechstein, acquainted with their merits.

DR. HANS VON BULOW.

The Canadian Poultry Review, the leading poultry publication of Canada, recently added to itself a kennel department. The patronage extended has encouraged the publisher to issue a special kennel paper, which will be called the Kennel Gazette, and be devoted entirely to the interests of the "doggy" men.

New oats, new wheats, new potatoes, new plants and bulbs, are offered in the 1890 Catalogue of The Steele Bros. Co., Toronto. It is the largest, the handsomest, the most modern, and fullest in matter and illustrations of any we have yet seen. Canadians should be proud of a firm of such enterprise, energy and high standing. They offer the Banner Oats, that yielded 90 bush. per acre in York county; nine new varieties of potatoes; new clovers for the Northwest, &c., &c. The catalogue is priced at 25c., which may be deducted from first order sent in, or they will send 1 lb. of Banner Oats by mail prepaid, or 5 packets of vegetable or flower seeds and catalogue included for a remittance of 25c. It will pay every amateur, gardener, florist and farmer to send for it.

That Canadian farmers are not slow to avail themselves of the most improved appliances in carrying on the operations of the farm is evidenced by the very extensive sale of the Steel Hoosier Drill, manufactured by The Noxon Bros. Manufacturing Co., Ingersoll, the advertisement of which will be found in this issue of the ADVOCATE. Judicious discrimination on the part of a farmer in the selection of implements indicates that he is fully alive to the advantages of procuring such appliances as give the best results in conducting the operations of the farm, and to this is to be ascribed the great popularity of the Hoosier Drill. Its many advantages, as set forth in the advertisement referred to, are well worthy of the attention of intending purchasers of one of these useful and necessary implements.

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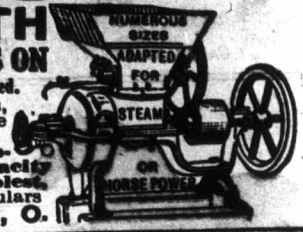
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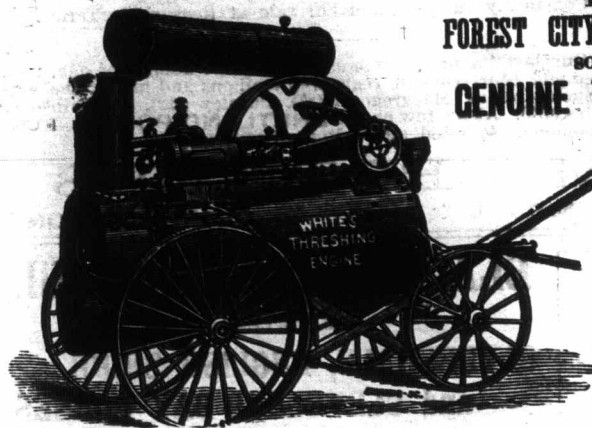
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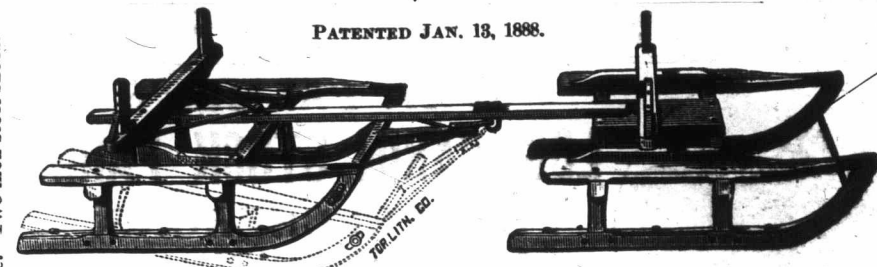
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