

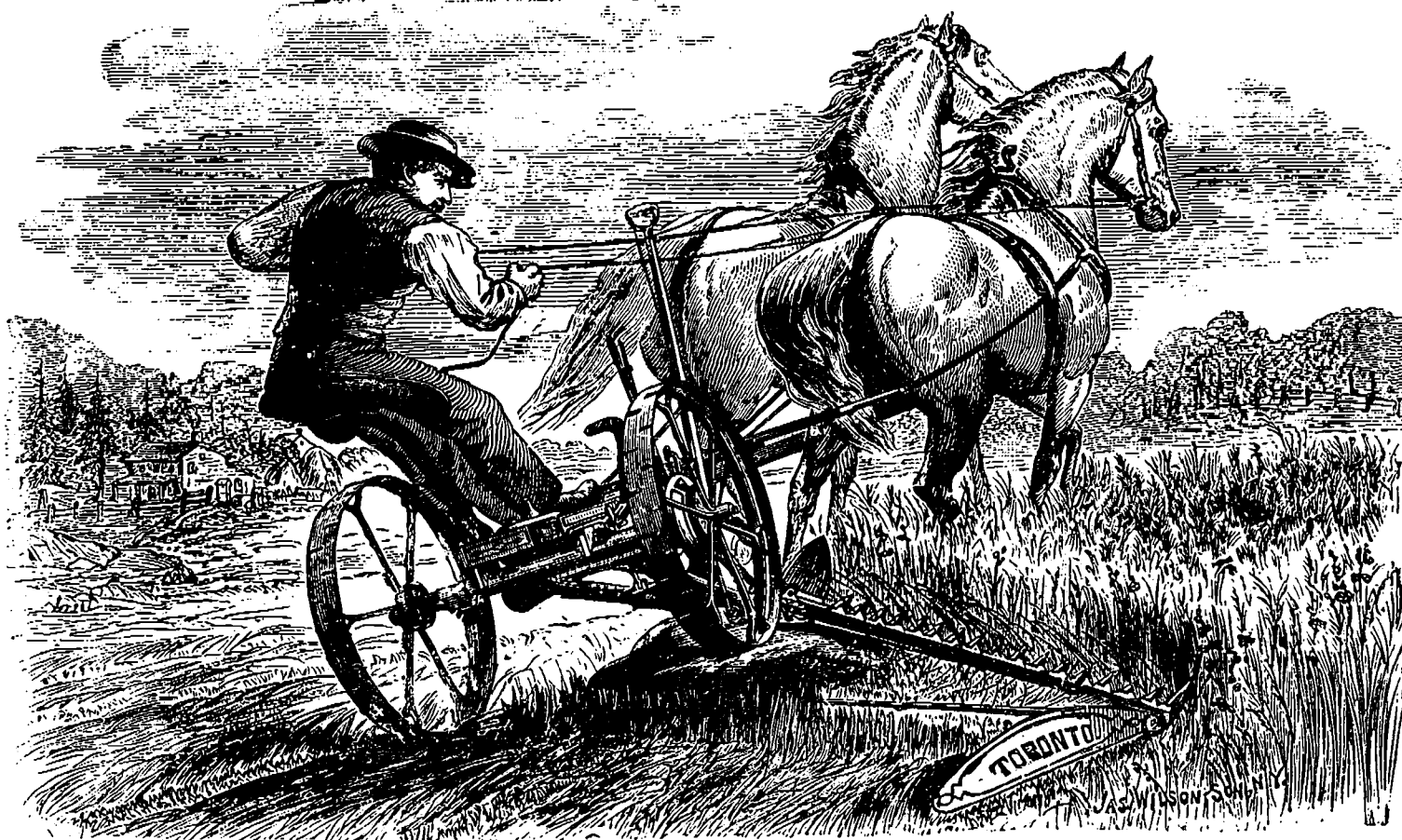
The Toronto Mower

Still carries the Colors:

The Most Popular Mower
in the Market!

UNEQUALLED IN
QUALITY,
SUPERIORITY
AND
DEMAND.

Over 9,000 Sold since 1877.
2,200 being made for 1883.



THE TORONTO MOWER IN THE FIELD.

The Draught of this Machine is very light ; in operation, it is noiseless, and its adaptation to various kinds of work most extraordinary. The operator has the most perfect control of the Machine when at work.

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

The Machine will work with equal facilities over stones, stumps, among trees, on heavy hill-sides, through gullies, over ridges, in swampy marsh, over bogs and wherever horses can travel, in the shortest and down grass, whether laying to or from the Machine, and in the tallest crop to be cut.

The Machine can be instantly adjusted while in operation, to cut low, take up lodged and very short grass, or to cut over rough grounds, anywhere it is desirable to cut the crop high, and both ends of the cutting apparatus may be carried entirely above the ground, at any distance from an inch to one foot.

Either end of the cutting apparatus may be lifted at pleasure, at any angle or position when cutting, to pass over cut grass or obstructions.

The Bar may be lifted up to a perpendicular position to pass a tree, to remove any lodgment or to free the guards.

The Machine can be instantly thrown out of gear and the bar quickly folded for transportation, without stopping the team.

The Machine can be put into working order in a moment's time, and without the operator leaving his seat or stopping the team.

One of the most distinguishing features of this Mower, is the New Mechanical Movement for producing the rapid reciprocating motion of the Knife with the least possible number of parts.

In Use Three Years and no Signs of Wear.

NORTH ELIX, P. Q., Dec. 5th, 1882.

Massey Manufacturing Co.:

GENTLEMEN,—I bought a Toronto Mower from your agent Wm. McEville, of Roxton Falls, P. Q., three years ago, and have used it on all kinds of rough and uneven land, and I consider it the best Machine made. No signs of wear yet.

WILLIAM JAMIESON,
Farmer.

By reason of its Light Draught and simplicity in construction, this Mower has rapidly become the Favorite.

ANDERDON, ONT., Nov. 28th, 1882.

The Massey Manufacturing Co.:

GENTLEMEN,—The Toronto Mower and Sharp's Horse Rake I purchased from your agent, Mr. P. McQuaide, have given the best of satisfaction, I cannot speak too highly in their favor.

Yours truly,
JOHN WARNER.

Both shoes on the Finger Bar, are malleable iron. The Guard Fingers are bolted on to the Bar and can be easily and quickly removed to repair or sharpen as desired.

The Guards are all alike upon the Bar, and upon any Machine, and are perfectly interchangeable.

WHY NOT SAVE MOTHER?

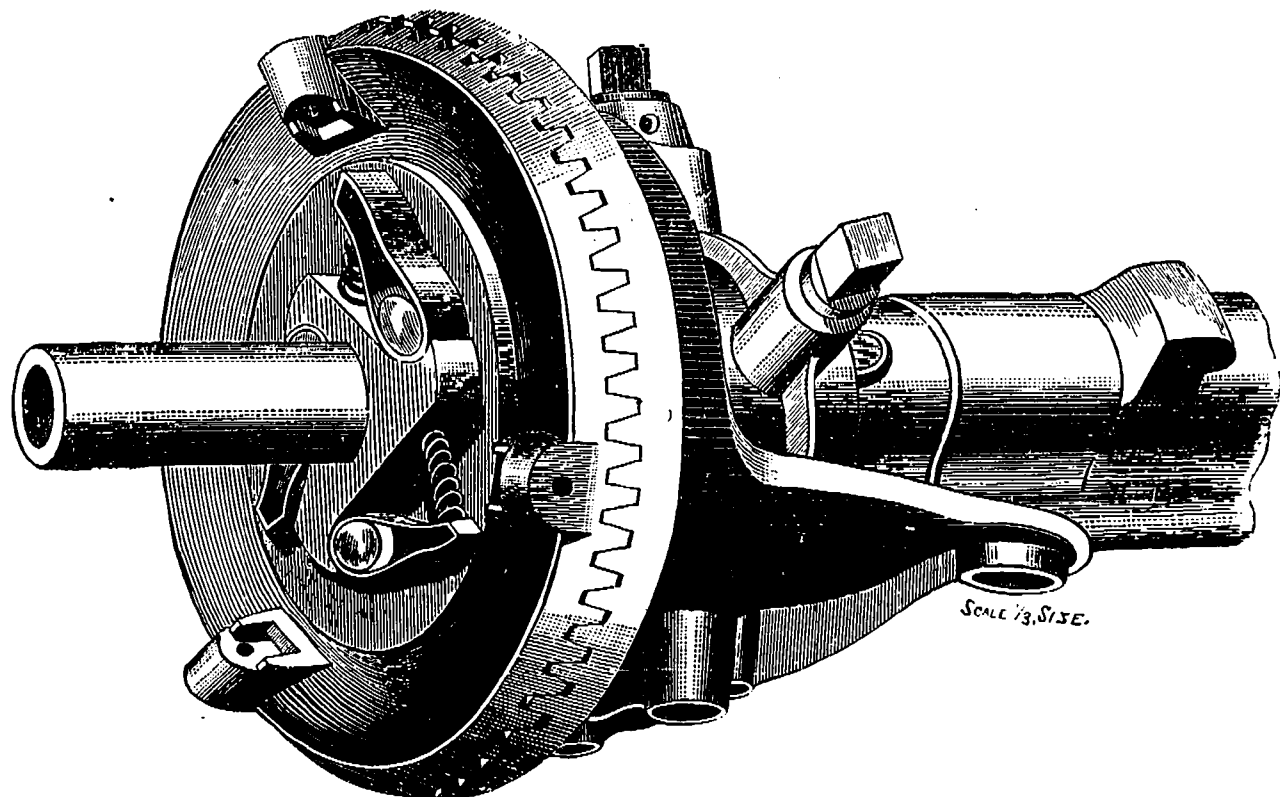
The farmer sat in his easy chair,
Between the fire and the lamplight's glare,
His face was ruddy and full and fair,
His three small boys in the chimney nook
Comed the lines of a picture book ;
His wife, the pride of his home and heart,
Baked the biscuit and made the tart,
Laid the table and steeped the tea—
Defly, swiftly, and silently ;
Tired and weary, weak and faint,
She bore her trials without complaint,
Like many another household saint—
Content, all selfish above,
In the patient ministry of love.

At last between the clouds of smoke
That wreathed his lips, the farmer spoke ;
"There's taxes to raise and interst to pay,
And if there should come a rainy day
'Twould be mighty handy, I'm bound to say,
T' have something put by. For folks must die ;
An' there's funeral bills and gravestones to buy—
Enough to swamp a man, purty nigh ;
Besides, there's Edward an' Dick an' Joe
To be provided for when we go,
So, if I were you, I'll tell you what I'd do ;
I'd be savin' of wood as ever I could—
Extra fires don't do any good ;
I'd be savin' of soap, and savin' of ile,
And run up some candles once in a while ;
I'd rather be sparin' of coffee and tea,
For sugar is high
An' all to buy,
And cider is good enough drink for me ;
I'd be kind o' careful about my clo'es
And look out sharp how the money goes—
Gewjaws is useless, nater knows ;
Extra trimmin'
'S the bane of women.
I'd sell the best of my cheese and honey,
An' eggs is as good, nigh 'bout as the money ;
An' as to the carpet you wanted new—
I guess we can make the old one do ;
And as for the washer and sewin machine,
Them smooth-tongued agents, so pesky mean,
You'd better get rid of 'em slick and clean.
What do they know 'bout women's work,
Do they calkilate women was made to shirk ?"

Dick and Edward and little Joe
Sat in the corner in a row,
They saw the patient mother go
On ceaseless errands to and fro ;
They saw that her form was bent and thin.
Her temples gray, her cheeks sunk in ;
They saw the quiver of lip and chin—
And then, with a wrath he could not smother.
Outspoke the youngest, frailest brother :
" You talk of savin' wood an' ile
An' tea an' sugar all the while,
But you never talk of savin' mother!"

"Uncle Ben," said old Bob, "Here's dat \$10 what yer lent me about a year ago." "Brudder Bob, I is greatly surprised at de course what yerself is now takin." "Fore de Lawd I neber spected ter git dat money again, an 'I'd dun thought dat I had gin de money ter yer." "Ef dat's de case, Uncle Ben, I'll jes put it back inter my pocket. I always make it a rule neber to disappoint a man."

Daniel Murphy, who died at Hancock, Mo., recently, was the largest landowner in the world. He owned 200,000 acres in Nevada, 6,000,000 in the State of Durango, Mexico, and large tracts in Arizona and California, all devoted to stock raising.



Examine the Mechanical Gear used only on the Toronto Mower and Reaper.