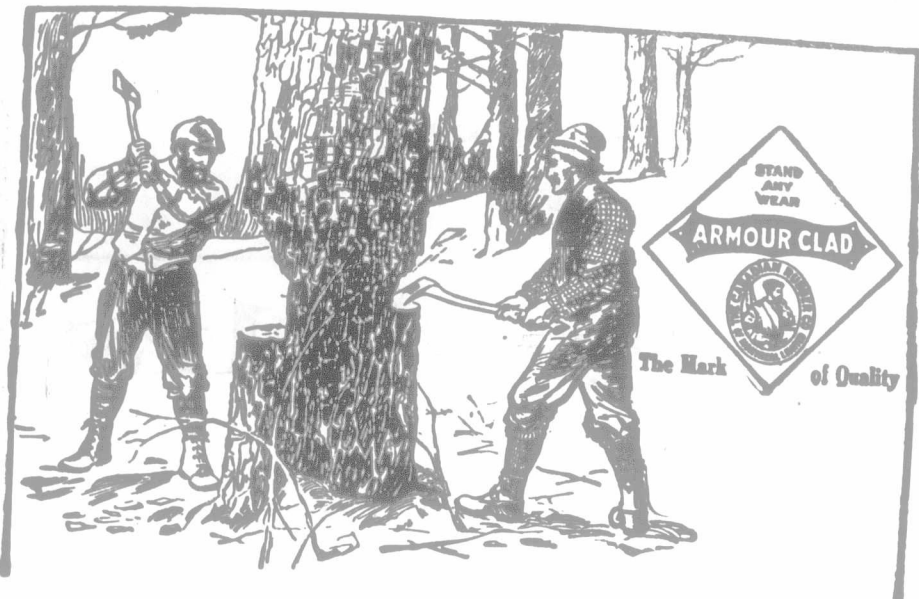


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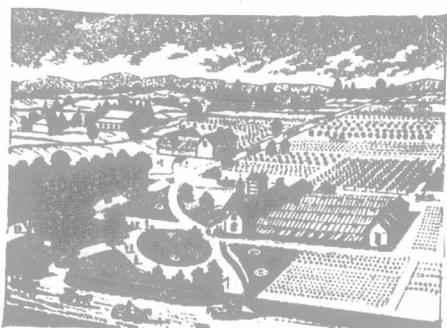
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WE HAVE TO THANK THE GUN.—In the terrible accident which occurred on the New York Elevated Railroad, September 11, there is one cause for congratulation. It was in the cool, self-possession of many of the women, who by their courageous exhibition of nerve, saved the situation from being even more disastrous. The American woman of today takes her place beside the men, and shows pluck, nerve and assurance which often puts the sterner sex to shame. One cause in bringing this about is the prevalence all over the country of healthy athletic pastimes, especially that of shooting.

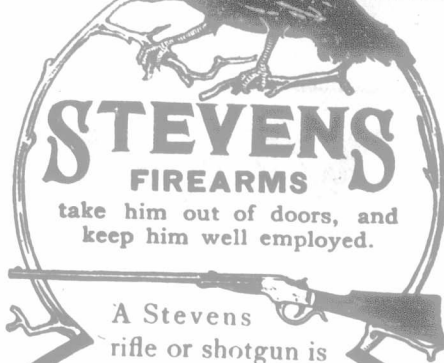
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