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CANADIAN GOOD HOUSEKEEPING

A "homey" magazine—original, bright and full of good cheer is GOOD HOUSEKEEPING. It has a distinct flavor which fascinates and yet helps every member of the family—father, mother, daughter, son.

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The Oak Hall Clothing Co. commenced an advertising campaign in our paper with this issue—and a more propitious moment could scarcely have been chosen. The crops are in, and the crops are good; the weather is becoming quite chilly in the early morning and at evening. One begins to think of fall wear, and of winter wear. Then, the boys are returning to school, and no doubt there will be many a little pair of pants worn and tear of a grindstone, as depicted on page 592, but as the natural consequence of holiday romps. All that is necessary is to send for a measurement slip, at same time giving particulars of what you wish. When you get the slip, fill it in carefully and return to The Oak Hall. They will do the rest. See their ad.

Artillery's Work in War

That exhibition by Ottawa Field Battery men at the Central Canada Fair in Ottawa should be a thrilling and attractive one. The artillerymen are to give representations of artillery work in war and as men who will take part were in the rear guard action at Lilliefontein, where they saved their guns from the Boers, only by the most determined do or die work, there are none better qualified to give such an exhibition. This is the work over which Gen. Dundonald grew so enthusiastic at the recent camp at Deseronto. The Ottawa fair runs between the 11th and 19th of September and all indications are that it will be the best in the association's history.

The Provincial Winter Fair

The most sanguine person who attended the first annual Provincial Winter Fair, on December 14th and 15th, 1883, in the stables of the Commercial Hotel at Toronto, and there viewed the one hundred and thirty-four entries exhibited, could hardly have expected it to become the strong factor it has in the improvement of the live stock industry.

During the first ten years of its existence the Fair met with many reverses and continued to gradually decline, until 1891, when there were only eighty-one entries, with \$325 paid as premiums. The following year the Dominion Sheep and Swine Breeders' Associations joined with the previous management. This gave fresh impetus and resulted in increasing the number of entries to one hundred and seventy-one, and the amount paid in prizes to \$1,453. Since 1892 each year's show has shown a marked improvement upon its predecessor. Last year there was a total of 3,945 entries, and prizes to the amount of \$7,750 were offered.

For many years the show was transitory, being held each year in the town or city that offered the most favorable inducements. From its inception the Fair has received the hearty support of the County of Wellington and the City of Guelph, and in 1900 their continued interest was manifested by the erection of a magnificent stone structure, which is now the permanent home of the Fair. The location of Guelph being central with good railway facilities, the city is truly meriting its title of "The Smithfield of Canada."

The management of the Fair considers that the prizes now being offered are sufficiently large to bring forth the best fat stock that skillful breeding and feeding can produce, and the prize list for the next Fair, which has just been distributed,

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