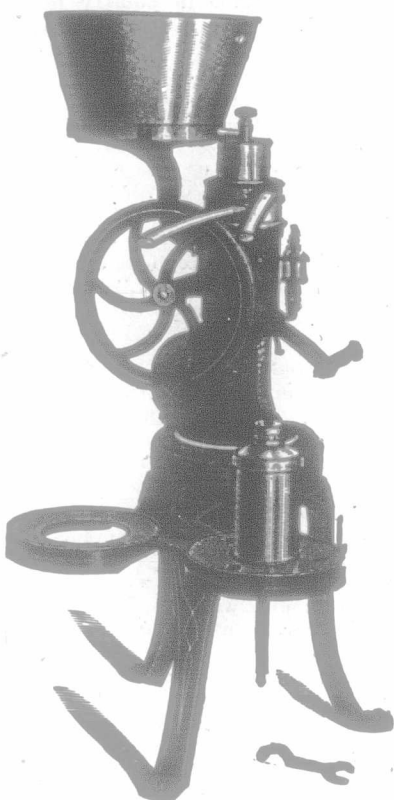


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GOSSIP.

Mr. H. W. Hodgkinson, who was a highly successful exhibitor at the Brandon Provincial Poultry Show, in the Barred Rock class, writes us to say that his hen was awarded first prize in the section, which in our report, in last week's issue, gives Mr. A. J. Carter the premium place.

We desire to call our poultry-fancying readers' attention to the advertisement of Mr. E. Scarlett, Oak Lake, Manitoba. Mr. Scarlett has had great success at the recent Provincial Poultry Show, held at Brandon. His pullets not only won the prizes, but won them with such high scores as are seldom attained by highest prizetakers. Mr. Scarlett has been engaged in the poultry-raising business for upwards of six years. He is a true lover of the craft, and is one of those who are satisfied with nothing short of perfection, and a look over his birds in the poultry-yard at Oak Lake would convince all capable of judging that if his aims be high, his attainments in the raising of birds to an ideal are relatively high accordingly. Call on him, or write if you need anything in his line. See advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

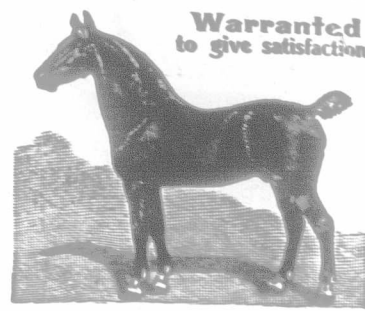
TRADE NOTES.

OCCUPYING A HIGH POSITION amongst the mechanical inventions applicable to farming industries, we find the ingenious device for shearing sheep. Amongst the most successful makers of such machines, the Chicago Flexible Shaft Co., of Chicago, take a prominent place. The latest machine put on the market by this enterprising firm is one that for its cost will be perhaps the greatest success yet obtained. It can be run by hand, and may be manipulated by a small boy as a man shears the sheep. The machine costs only \$17.00, and it certainly has claims worthy of the attention of small flockmasters.

THE STORY OF SUCCESS is always interesting reading. We are pleased to note what an unqualified success Flintkote Roofing has proven. It has given general satisfaction throughout the Canadian Northwest during 1903, and seems admirably adapted to our extremes in temperature. The manufacturers seem justified in making strong claims for it. Messrs. Mackenzie Bros., of Winnipeg, the Western agents, report large sales and satisfied customers last year, and they predict a greatly increased use of this material during 1904. It is now carried in stock by hardware and lumber merchants in almost every town from Port Arthur to the Rocky Mountains.

\$100 IN PRIZES.—As the season for seeding the soil approaches, it is timely to consider the claims put forward by our advertisers for the patronage of the farmers in selecting the season's seed. The Iowa Seed Co., Iowa, are calling attention to splendid results in the growing of tomatoes, and so confident are they in their seed that they are offering samples free, and also, to those who take advantage of these free samples, they are giving the privilege of competing for \$100 in prizes, which the company are offering to all who wish to compete by growing and producing the best tomatoes from seed sold by them.

A. E. MCKENZIE & CO.—We have before us a copy of the beautifully-designed and well-arranged catalogue issued by A. E. McKenzie & Co., seedsmen, Brandon, Manitoba. The booklet is in itself valuable from an educational point of view, and we would heartily recommend a perusal of its pages to all farmers and horticulturists. The varieties of seeds embrace farm, garden and forestry, and the number of varieties in each class is extensive. It is one of the catalogues of the season, which should be ordered by mail from Messrs. McKenzie and read before the farm and garden seeding commences. Messrs. McKenzie are well known as thoroughly honorable in their dealings and prompt and reliable in every transaction, and those dealing with them will have every reason to be satisfied.



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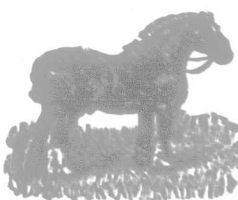
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