

Stewart Sheaf Loader Co.

Incorporated under the Manitoba Joint Stock Company's Act

LIMITED

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL \$200,000.00
Divided Into 2,000 Shares of \$100.00 EachPRESENT ISSUE \$100,000.00
1,000 Shares of \$100.00 Each

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WINNIPEG, CANADA

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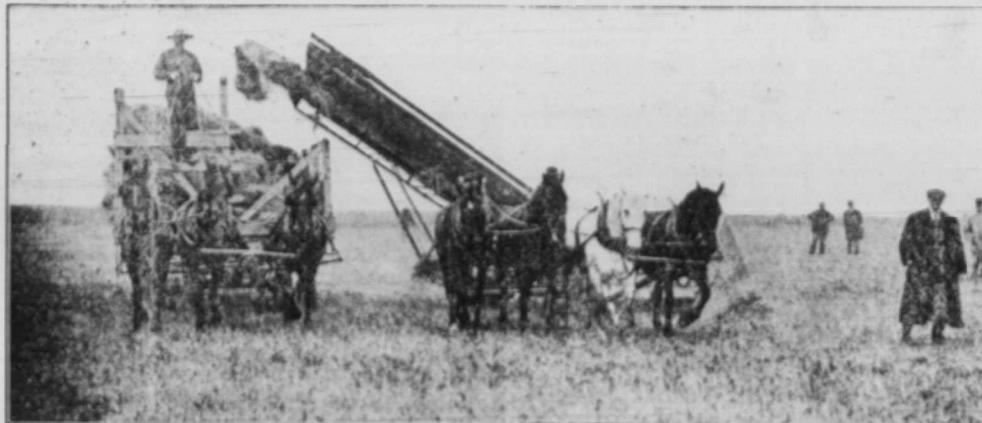
MULOCK, LOFTUS, ARMSTRONG & LINDSAY,
McArthur Building, Winnipeg.

BANKERS:

TRADERS BANK OF CANADA

FINANCIAL AGENTS:

W. SANFORD EVANS & COMPANY,
Members Winnipeg Stock Exchange, Winnipeg, Canada.



DESCRIPTION

The above is a cut of the Stewart Sheaf Loader, a machine, as the name implies, for loading sheaves from the stook into the wagon, and which is destined to revolutionize the old method of threshing. The machine itself resembles somewhat in size and general appearance the modern binder. It is constructed almost entirely of steel, hence will withstand the rigorous climate and an immense amount of hard usage. It weighs about 2,000 pounds, and three horses operate it easily. It is positive in action, pitching as accurately as a man with a fork over his shoulder. By a system of pick-up consisting of rows of teeth placed upon a cylinder with an ingenious delivery, the sheaves are gently and smoothly lifted and deposited upon a carrier which elevates them so that they fall into a box rack whence they are delivered to a stack or threshing machine.

CAPABILITIES

It will pitch the sheaves either when stooked or loose upon the ground. It will handle short grain much better than a man, and places a load in a wagon in around three minutes, frequently less time. It is acknowledged by farmers, threshers and agents in the West to be the only practical positive acting machine in existence that will do the work under all conditions satisfactorily. For years attempts have been made, both in Canada and the United States, to make such a machine as the Stewart Loader, but all attempts have heretofore been failures when applied to every day conditions.

FROM THE FARMERS' AND THRESHERS' STANDPOINT

To the farmer and thresher it appeals for various reasons. It supplies the place of Eastern laborers, who can no longer be obtained in sufficient numbers to harvest the crop expeditiously. It is a fact that although the acreage of Western crops is increasing every year, the number of available farm hands is not only relatively but absolutely decreasing, hence the necessity and demand for any device that will lessen labor. It ensures to the farmer the safety of his crops in a wet season, saves to the thresher in operating expenses from \$25.00 to \$35.00 per day, and saves the farmer the expense of boarding a large gang of men, and the farmer's wife the worry of providing the board. As the cost of the machine to the thresher is estimated at \$350.00, it is thus seen that he can reasonably expect to save the price of the machine in from 15 to 20 days' work. Where a couple of farmers join together to buy one of these loaders they can complete harvesting operations in but a fraction of the time taken by the old way, and weeks are left for the carrying on of the other farm operations. The introduction of the Stewart Sheaf Loader can be safely said to go a long way in solving the Western labor problem.

ORGANIZATION

The Stewart Sheaf Loader Co., Ltd., is taken over as a going concern. The directors have made arrangements to proceed at once to the erection of a plant in the City of Winnipeg and to commence the manufacture of these machines, so as to have a good number ready for next harvest. The directors will use their greatest endeavors to keep pace with the demand, and from their success during the past year there is no doubt that hundreds of the machines could be disposed of. The Company has secured from Stewart Bros. of Listowel, Ontario, the inventors, the patent rights for Canada, which patents Nos. 96478 and 123,243 have been examined and pronounced valid by the most experienced patent firm in Canada, Messrs. Featherstonhaugh & Co., of Toronto, and Mr. D. A. Stewart, one of the inventors, will superintend the construction of the machines in the Company's factory.

It is generally estimated that agricultural implements and machinery

of this kind are manufactured for five or six cents per pound, including manufacturers' profit. Now we propose to manufacture the machines ourselves. Add to the cost of manufacture 10 per cent. for selling and 15 per cent. for other expenses. This will show a good margin of profit. The Company is in receipt of numerous inquiries and orders for machines at \$350.00 each.

FORTUNES IN FARM IMPLEMENTS

During the past fifty years more money has been made from the manufacture of labor-saving agricultural implements than in any other one line of manufacture. We have fully investigated the merits of this machine, have carefully examined the record of its development for the past few years, and we are of the opinion that it is one of the machines which are badly needed, and has come to stay.

The practical use of the machine has been tested during the past year over several thousand acres of Western Canada land, and at the present time orders are on file for the entire output of 1911.

Owing to the limited stock issue, we suggest that you write or wire at once.

ONLY 50 PER CENT. OF STOCK CALLED, and we believe no further call will be necessary. Fill in the blank at the bottom of this page and mail it today.

W. SANFORD EVANS & CO.

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FARMERS' TESTIMONIALS

Wm. Woods, Emerson, Man., writes—I have no hesitation in stating this machine is the greatest labor-saving device I have ever seen. It will save to the thresher from \$15 to \$30 per day, according to the capacity of the threshing outfit. The loader has ample capacity to keep running any two threshing outfits and does cleaner work than pitchers by picking up the loose grain, and in my opinion will save to the farmer from \$1 to \$2 per acre.

Elmer Graham, Dominion City, writes—As for the saving the grain or shelling it, I cannot see that it shells any more or as much as the men do when pitching it. As to what it saves in wages is between \$15.00 to \$30.00 per day and hardly any men to board in wet weather. As to picking up the loose grain it beats men, as where men were used the farmers had to raise the field and where the loader was used they did not. If a thresher has a fairly good season that is over 20 days run it will pay for itself in one season. I would not thresh without one of these machines if it cost twice as much.

F. A. Curran, Emerson, writes—You watch a Stewart Loader for four or five hours and then watch the men putting on the loads with the forks—it makes a man's mind turn back to the day he went to see his neighbor's new self-binder working and then came home and tried to tie up by hand some short, over-ripe crop.

Date.

W. SANFORD EVANS & CO., WINNIPEG:

I hereby apply for shares in the Stewart Sheaf Loader Co. and will accept this or any less number that may be allotted to me. I enclose cheque for \$....., being ten per cent. on the value of the shares subscribed for, and will accept draft drawn on me with certificates attached for the forty per cent. due through

Bank at

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ADDRESS

NO APPLICATION WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR MORE THAN TEN (10) SHARES