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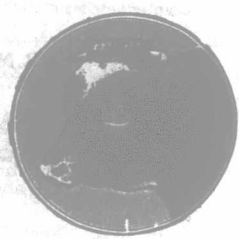
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To-day witnesses the coming of the draft horse with action. About ten years ago, the fashion in draft horses, at all events for the English market, was a horse with weight, not so much stress being laid upon how fast he was able to move, or in what particular manner. Nowadays, however, the ideas of buyers for town work have altered entirely. They have altered, we may say, with the coming of the motor, and not only must an animal walk its four and a half miles an hour, but it must be capable, under certain conditions, to do, perhaps, six or seven at a pinch. These are facts which every large auctioneer is willing enough to vouch for, and it is just as well that breeders should realize the fact that weight is not everything, particularly when it is not allied with action. The show-yard has always made a strong feature of draft-horse action, and a slovenly mover is generally penalized to an extent which illustrates the importance which pedigree breeders attach to action. On the other hand, we have seen not a few animals which were comely enough when grown up, and exhibiting some of the best points of the Shire horse, quite high enough in the prize-list on account of their really indifferent action. The short, mincing step, which suggests a shoulder-tied or straight-hocked animal, has no place in the demand of the city buyer to-day. He wants the long, sweeping stride, and the well-flexed hocks, knowing that as age creeps on there will be more work in the animal than if he is unable in his prime to utilize his hock joints as he ought. The demand for action is founded upon other than economic reasons. More work is demanded nowadays of a horse than used to be the case. He has longer distances to traverse, and speed is becoming a necessity. Moreover, the horse with action is invariably the horse that lasts. Where there is any defect of action, particularly where the pastern joints are short, the wearing life of the horse is considerably curtailed. The jar and shock consequent upon weight and speed are not conducive to longevity, or roundness of the foot. It is this fact, no doubt, that has induced the Clydesdale breeder to carry joints and quality to an extreme. Shire breeders are following in a more leisurely way in their footsteps; but they hold, of course, that weight must have more consideration than has been given in the curriculum of the Clydesdale breeder. The oblique pastern should not be too long, otherwise it becomes a source of weakness.

There are little errors in action which are reprobated by every breeder, but in varying degree, according as importance is attached to it. The ordinary disheer suggests a waste of muscular energy, besides being unsightly. The converse, which is the open-kneed horse, is extremely unsightly, and never quite suggests safety, as it not invariably happens that when old age creeps over a horse, a prelude to the broken knee is the open knee. Then there is clicking, or forging, and its attendant discomfort perhaps to the horse, and at all times to his owner. One sees it very frequently in the show-yard, but, as a rule, it is due to the fact that the shoeing has been very generous, and judges, as a rule, unless they see some evidence of brushing or forging, overlook it. The remedy is the exact converse of what the show man does. There are many horses which walk well, but do not flex their hind joints. It is highly important that the hocks should be flexed and kept close together. Shire breeders within the past fifteen years have consistently endeavored to secure a closer moving horse, and we think they have succeeded. In the olden time, a good deal of power was wasted, because the animal did not keep its hocks close enough together. That charge cannot be laid against most of the best Shires of to-day. The propulsive power comes from the hind limbs, hence the importance attached by the breeders to the use of the hocks.

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