

STOCK GOSSIP.

Mr. Martin, proprietor of Hope Farm, St. Jean Baptiste, Man., is now in Scotland, and while there will purchase additional Galloway cattle and a consignment of Clydesdales. Mr. Brown, manager of the above farm, reports a lively demand for the Galloways.

Here is another claim the Cotswolds are putting forward, that of "multiplying and replenishing" in as rapid a manner as any other breed. The Messrs. Snell, of Edmonton, report the birth this spring of 26 lambs from 8 ewes—seven sets of triplets, and a litter of five. Who can beat this? Next!

As per advertisement, the third annual Stallion and Fat Cattle Show of the Portage and Lakeside Electoral Division Agricultural Society, will be held on the agricultural grounds, Portage la Prairie, on Saturday, April 19th. The prizes offered are liberal, and the success of the past leads to the expectation of an excellent show.

Messrs. Green Bros., of Glen Stock Farm, Innerkip, Ont., write us that their Shorthorns are doing well, especially their young stock, amongst which they have some fine young bull calves and heifers. The demand from the States for Shire horses still continues good, and last week they sold their massive yearling filly, Gipsy, sired by William the Conqueror 570, out of imported Lacey, to go to Polk County, Oregon, U. S.

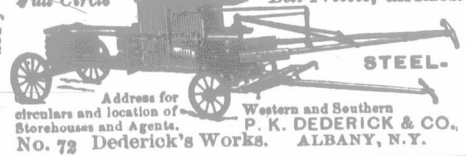
We regret to chronicle the loss of two valuable Shire stallions by Messrs. McGregor & Co., of Brandon. One died on the water, the other after reaching their stables at Brandon. This is three they have lost out of the last twelve importations. Temptation 2nd 8592, who died in transit, was an especially fine horse, and a winner of several good prizes in England. Bay Prince 4th 5276 died in his stall of indigestion. He, too, was an excellent individual, and had a royal lineage.

NOTICES.

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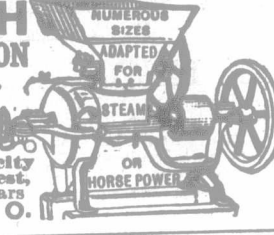
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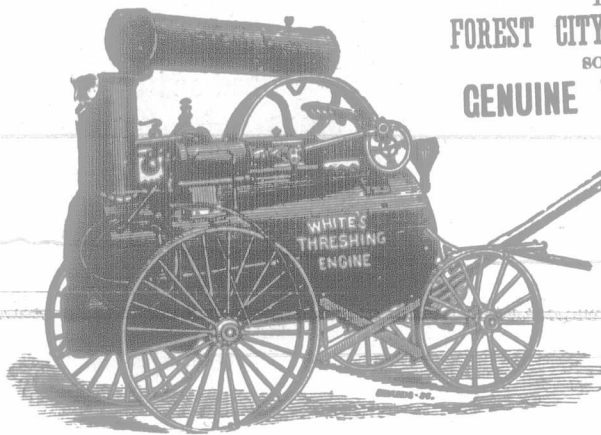
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