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GRADES OF GRAIN.

Mr. W. H. Knowlton, the well-known commis-
sion merchant of this city, has published in
pamphlet form for free distribution the Grades of
Grain, as set forth by the new Inspection Act.

THE "CALGARY TRIBUNE."

The *Calgary Tribune* is a new candidate for
public favor. It is a neatly printed, well written
and carefully edited newspaper, of just the kind to
succeed in Alberta, or anywhere else where the
people are energetic, enterprising, and intelligent.
The *Tribune* is a capital paper with a first class
constituency, and it is sure to succeed.

MR. RENNIE'S HARVEST HOME.

Mr. Rennie invited to his model farm, Yonge St.
on Tuesday last, the Markham Farmers' Club and
a host of other friends. The farm was first in-
spected and admired by the visitors. Mr. Gibson,
president of the club, addressed the gathering at
length and paid a high tribute to the energy and
enterprise of their host; he was followed by Alder-
man Frankland, Prof. Brown of the Guelph Experi-
mental Farm and others. A vote of thanks was
proposed to Mr. Rennie and carried with enthu-
siasm. Mr. Rennie, in responding, said he felt
honored by the attendance at the meeting of the
Farmers' Club and at his harvest home, and if any
profit was derived from his mode of farming he
would be amply repaid. He concluded by inviting
the gathering to partake of his hospitality, which
was accepted with cordiality and thoroughly en-
joyed.

RED POLLED HERD-BOOK.

A new volume of the Red Polled Herd-book has
just been issued. The breeders of Red Polls have
not yet formed a society, as breeders of other stock
have done. The Herd-book is a private under-
taking of Mr. Euren, and he has the confidence of
the breeders and their acknowledged authority to
do the work. The introduction states that "the
first part of the third volume is the first of an
annual issue." Hitherto the parts have come out
from time to time, as they seemed to be required.
The first volume was published in 1874, and a
second part of it in 1877. Another volume, in two
parts, was brought out in 1881 and 1883. The
Red Polls have, since the first publication, increased
in numbers and importance. There were only 40
herds registered in 1874; 39 of these were in
Norfolk and Suffolk alone, and one in America.
There were none in other counties. In 1883, 92
herds had been formed, and of these 17 were in
America, and there were some in Essex, Surrey,
and Berkshire, besides Norfolk and Suffolk. There
are now 22 in America. They have extended into
Sussex, Oxfordshire, Middlesex, and South Devon,
but the whole number registered is rather less,
namely, 89 in all.

SHORTHORN SALE.

Attention is directed to an announcement else-
where in the CANADIAN BREEDER of Messrs. Cowan
and Patteson's sale of highly-bred registered Short-
horns and Shropshire sheep, on the 13th inst., at
"Clochmohr," Galt, Ontario.

Among the forty lots to be disposed of will be
found the famous Princess bull, 6th Earl of Antrim,
1212; several splendid cows of the Polyanthus and
Sanspareil families; others descending from Mr.
Cowan's great show bull, Oxford Lad, 24713, as
well as from his seven-eighths Duchess bull, Con-
stance's Duke, 7853; and others deep in the blood
of the famous old Princess cow, Red Rose 10th,
one of whose daughters and calf sold for \$5,500.
Most of Mr. Patteson's cows will be found served
by the Kentucky bred bull, Connaught Ranger,
son of the Filligree cow, Fame 3rd, and imp.
Wild Eyes Connaught. Connaught Ranger is
three-eighths Duke of Connaught, the highest-
priced bull ever sold, \$23,000 having been paid for
him by Lord Fitzhardinge to Lord Dunmore, a sum
which he fully earned in outside services while in
the Berkeley Castle herd. That grand cow Gunilda,
by 8th Duke of Airdrie, is in the list, and one of her
daughters, as are heifers by 5th Fordham Duke of
Oxford, from the daughter of a cow sold at the
sensational New York Mills sale, and several by
Baron Aylmer, he by 2nd Earl of Goodness, a son
of the celebrated 4th Duke of Clarence.

The Shropshire sheep will be rams and ewes
bred from the best imported stock, largely made
up of the prize-winning blood of Lord Chesham's
famous flock, crossed with representatives of the
Beach and Lovat flocks.

EXPERIMENT STATIONS AND PRIVATE EXPERIMENTS.

A French paper calls attention to the fact, though
the sum expended by the French Government on
agricultural education this year amounted to \$702,-
400, the work was being inadequately performed.
This sum, however, is much more than is
expended in England for a similar purpose, while it
falls considerably short of the sum devoted to that
purpose by Germany. In fact so far as agricultural
experiment stations and Government schools of