

Warrior Chief.

It is with pleasure we call your attention to another of Canada's successful sons of toil. Mr. M. Richardson commenced his farming operations 21 years ago with \$1,300; now he owns a 375 acre farm. He has one of the largest and highest barns we have yet seen; the height is 50 feet, the ground floor about 100x100, for his stock, with floor above; the manure all kept under cover; water at all convenient places. What is most remarkable is, he has his dairy in the barn close to the cows, and so arranged by ventilators as not to hinder his successful cheese manufacture, which he has profitably carried on almost since he commenced. He never attended a cheese convention, and yet he has commanded

waste money on the turf, and has not prepared his horse "Warrior Chief" for it, still, he let him go on two occasions, and he has a record of 2.57, which itself is not bad for a horse of his size and weight, being 1,400 lbs., and 16½ hands high. He is from the Royal George stock. There are not many horses that we have seen in Canada that would surpass him as a producer of the fine class of carriage horses now in such good demand.

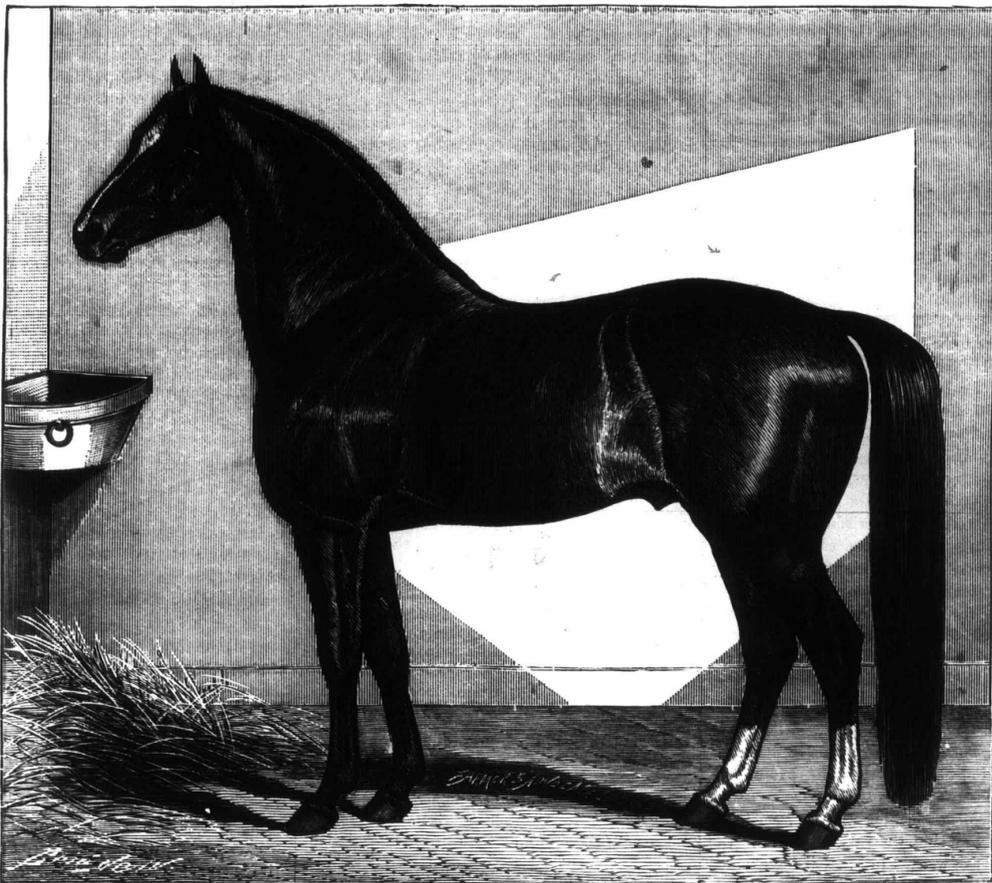
Mr. Richardson's farm affords another pattern for you to follow, namely, he has two large pasture fields, or rather wood pastures, thick with shade trees, located on two distant parts of the farm. He follows a rotation in farming, and has his fields so arranged that from any field when so desired, the cows, in the heat of the day, can

the city can lavish. Farmers' daughters, learn how to make good butter and good cheese; do not be led away by the flippant dandy or the painted, fastidious gowks that you may possibly see.

Meeting of Shorthorn Breeders.

The advertised meeting of Shorthorn breeders was held in Toronto on the 24th ult. We attended the meeting, but owing to its being held so late in the month, and the pressure of matter upon our columns, we are unable to give a full report in this issue.

The by-laws of the Dominion Shorthorn Breeders' Association, section 14, reads as follows:—
"No animal shall be admitted to registry in the Dominion Shorthorn Herdbook except those whose pedigrees trace in all their crosses to im-



"WARRIOR CHIEF," THE PROPERTY OF MAT. RICHARDSON, ESQ., OF CALEDONIA, BRANT CO., ONT.

the best average prices for his cheese. He keeps a good herd of cows, and makes cheese all the year.

He would not take his milk to the factory if there was one on an adjoining farm. He would not wish to mix everybody's milk with his; he can make as high an average from his cows as any he reads of. He does not believe in running headlong into debt; he has not everything in the order he would wish, but is getting things in order as he can afford. He prefers an improving farm to a degenerating one, and has more pleasure with it. He would not farm if he could not make it pay.

He also has some good horses. This cut represents one of them—one of the right kind to make money from. Mr. Richardson does not

always go into one or other of his shaded pasture fields, as they all connect direct or by a lane. In the luxurious shade on such farms as these, with such a pattern to follow or to lead them on, young men can learn how to earn their own bread without the expectancy of becoming leeches on their father's purse or the Government exchequer. This man is happy, independent and prosperous, and has made what he has himself with the aid of his wife, who is the dairymaid and makes the cheese. We would rather take that man's position this day than the position of Czar of Russia, or any other official, and believe his wife has more happiness and contentment than any gilded, jewelled, painted lady, with one or a dozen footmen, and all that the art of

ported cows, registered in the English Herdbook. Registration in the English Herdbook of stock imported previous to 1865 will not be required. No recorded animals that have not ancestors on record previous to Vol. 21 will be admitted. Those imported since 1846 must trace to ancestry distinctly designated, but owing to the difficulty connected with keeping proper records prior to that date, it will be sufficient to know that the ancestry has been imported."

The discussion was confined to this section. Those members whose animals were recorded in the Canada and British-American Herdbooks, but were declared ineligible for the Dominion Herdbook, attempted to amend this section so as to include animals recorded in the American Herdbook. After a heated discussion, the motion to amend the section was lost by a vote of 74 against 10. We reserve comment for our next issue.