

teen varieties were tested to see which produced the largest yield of hay, with the result that Japanese "White panicle" and Japanese "barnyard" stood first and second respectively.

#### ONTARIO VETERINARY COLLEGE.

The closing exercises of this well-known and valuable institution for the season of 1898-99 were held on Thursday of last week. The college has had a very successful year, and the graduating class compared favorably with the classes of previous years. As is usual a large number of the graduates are Americans, who evidently know a good institution.

#### Stock Notes

MR. GEO. B. ARMSTRONG, of Bowhill farm, Teeswater, Ont., is advertising a purebred Shorthorn bull, fourteen months old, for sale. He comes from good stock, as will be seen by reference to the advertisement.

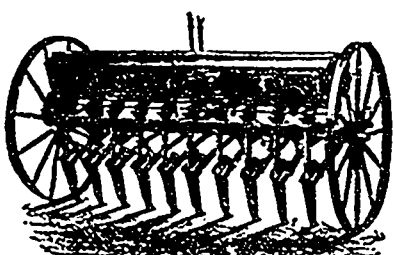
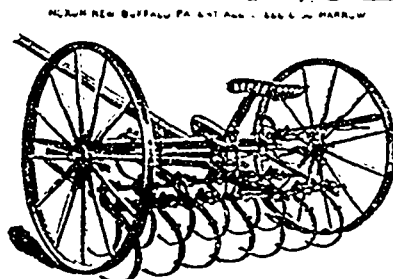
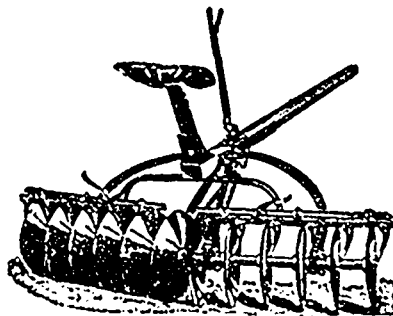
MR. T. A. COX, of Brantford, Ont., is not a little proud of his record as a prize-winner at the poultry shows. Any man who can win 495 times with the competition he meets in the poultry exhibitions of to-day is entitled to all the credit he is likely to get, and to a diploma as past grand master in the art of breeding and fitting poultry for show purposes.

In addition to being one of our largest breeders of purebred Tamworth swine Mr. John Bell, Amber, Ont., is a breeder of heavy draft and carriage horses. At present he has nine very choicely bred Clydesdale stallions and one hackney. The hackney is said to have no superior in his class.

W. R. BOWMAN, of Mount Forest, Ont., writes: "During the past few weeks sales have been so brisk that we are once more compelled to change our ad. Since January 1st, 1899, we have disposed of 12 Shorthorn bulls, 11 females, between 30 and 40 boars and sows, and have shipped stock to different points in Canada, including a good number to the Northwest and the United States. We are now booking orders for spring litters. We have three Yorkshire sows due to farrow shortly from which we hope to have something choice, and for which we should have ready sale. Our Berkshire sow, bred by Snell, of Edmonton, from Star One (imp.), is suckling a litter of ten which will soon be ready for shipment. We believe our success is due mainly to advertising in the farm journals."

MESSES. W. & H. JONES, of Mount Elgin, Ont., report that their stock of Poland China swine has never wintered so satisfactorily as it has this year. The sows are dropping good litters of strong, lengthy pigs, especially the yearling sow of '98. She had a fine litter of nine pigs on the 5th of March, all of them being strong and well. It is the finest litter they have ever had. The sire of the litter is Klondike, a litter brother to the grand sow, Lady Klondike, the pair never having been beaten in the show ring. They are in grand shape now, and they as well as their progeny will be able to maintain the reputation they have established and repeat their past successes in future competitions. Besides these Messrs. W. & H. Jones have several sows in pig and can supply any reasonable demand for choice Poland China stock. They have also a number of December and January pigs in pairs and twos which they will part with at reasonable prices. See their advt.

MR. JOHN DYMENT, of Hickory Hill Farm, Clappison, Ont., has a number of exceptionally good individuals in his herd this year. His stock bull, Drummond—2036—, is a fine big fellow of the true dairy type. He has proved himself to be a sure getter and capable of reproducing the right kind of stock, his progeny, without exception, having turned out exceedingly well. Last year's crop of calves was in all respects most satisfactory.



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