## SUPERIOR GRAIN DRILLS.

# A New Departure.

THE MASSEY MANUFACTURING Co. have recently completed arrangements with Mr. C. E. Patric, of the Superior Drill Co. of Springfield, Ohio, for the manufacture of their celebrated

### "Superior" Grain Drills & Broadcast Seeders

which they will be prepared to supply for the Season of 1890.

The Superior Drills are well and favorably known in all parts of the United States. They embody the best principles, are the simplest, surest, and most easily operated Seeders and Drills known. The newest and latest designs have some entirely original and most valuable features never before introduced, and it was their intrinsic value that induced THE MASSEY MANUFACTURING Co. to add to their regular line these special Seed Drills.

The Combined Grain Drill and Broadcast Seeder is in every sense a "Superior" machine.

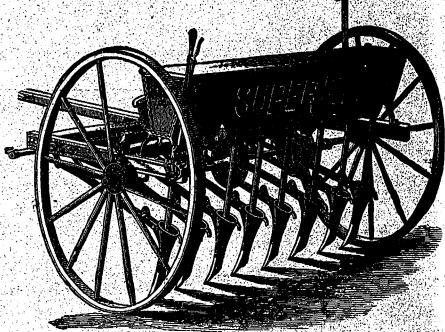
The Improved Double Force Feed Grain Distribution used on all the "Superior" Drills greatly excels anything heretofore known.

The New Superior Press or Shoe Drill actually plants the

grain, evenly, and at a uniform depth, and presses the earth over it, thus doubly insuring the crop from being uncovered by wind or rain storms.

### The "Superior" Plain Drill.

This latest improved Drill is furnished with our Patent Double Distributer, which has two channels for sowing grain. The smaller one is intended for sowing wheat, rye, buckwheat, flaxseed, and other small grains. The larger channel is adapted to sowing oats, beans, peas, corn, pumpkin seed, and other coarse, bulky grains. The New Double Distributer is absolutely Force Feed, and delivers the grain in a uniform, unbroken stream, always in the desired quantity, and through all the distributers alike. The axle on this drill revolves, each ground wheel being independent, keeping up the seeding equally well when turning the drill. The Seat is attached only when ordered, and is charged for extra.



Improved Superior Combined Drill:

With Double Force Feed Distributers and Disk Wheels for Driving Grain, Grass Seed and Fertilizer

## The New Superior Shoe Drill

The only Shoe or Press Drill having Independent Action and Independent Adjustment of Shoes.

No Change of Gear Wheels—A Rear Lift Mactine, with every Operation in Full View of the Operator.

#### Positive Double Force Feed Distributer.

A thorough examination of the New Superior Shoe Press Drill will convince the farmer that the SUPERIOR has points of merit not possessed by any other machine of its class in the market. It is the lightest draft machine in the market, and will not clog or choke up.

The Runners or Shoes open the ground for the reception of the grain, which is evenly distributed in the bottom of a transh

The Press Wheel, or Pressure Foot, following in the rear, perfects the planting. This Drill will do good work even in

trashy ground. The merits of this New Shoe Drill for spring seeding appear not only in the perfect and regular sowing of the seed, but especially in the protection of the crop from the ravages of early frosts.

A most important advantage of the New Superior Press Wheel Attachment for pressing the soil over the sown grain is that the seed germinates sooner, grows more rapidly, and matures from two to three weeks earlier than by the old method, enabling the grain to get a good start before the weeds come up, and thus more effectually choking down the rank growth of the latter.

#### Points of Superiority.

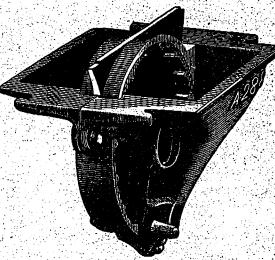
It packs the earth around the seed.

Sows always at the same depth.

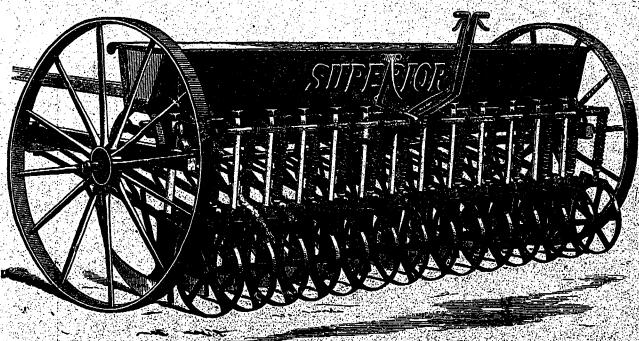
Not obstructed by trash of any description. The Press Wheels will effectually cover the seed.

The grain sprouts from six to ten days in advance of other methods.

Every runner and wheel perfectly independent, accurately lalanced, simple and perfect in construction, and easily operated.



Improved Superior Double Force Feed Distributer.
Used on all Superior Plain and Shoe Grain Drills.



The New Superior Shoe Drill

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