

Here it is—No Sagging or Warping!

THE CUTTING APPARATUS

USED ON

TORONTO LIGHT BINDER.

We guarantee it to be unequalled by any other in the world.

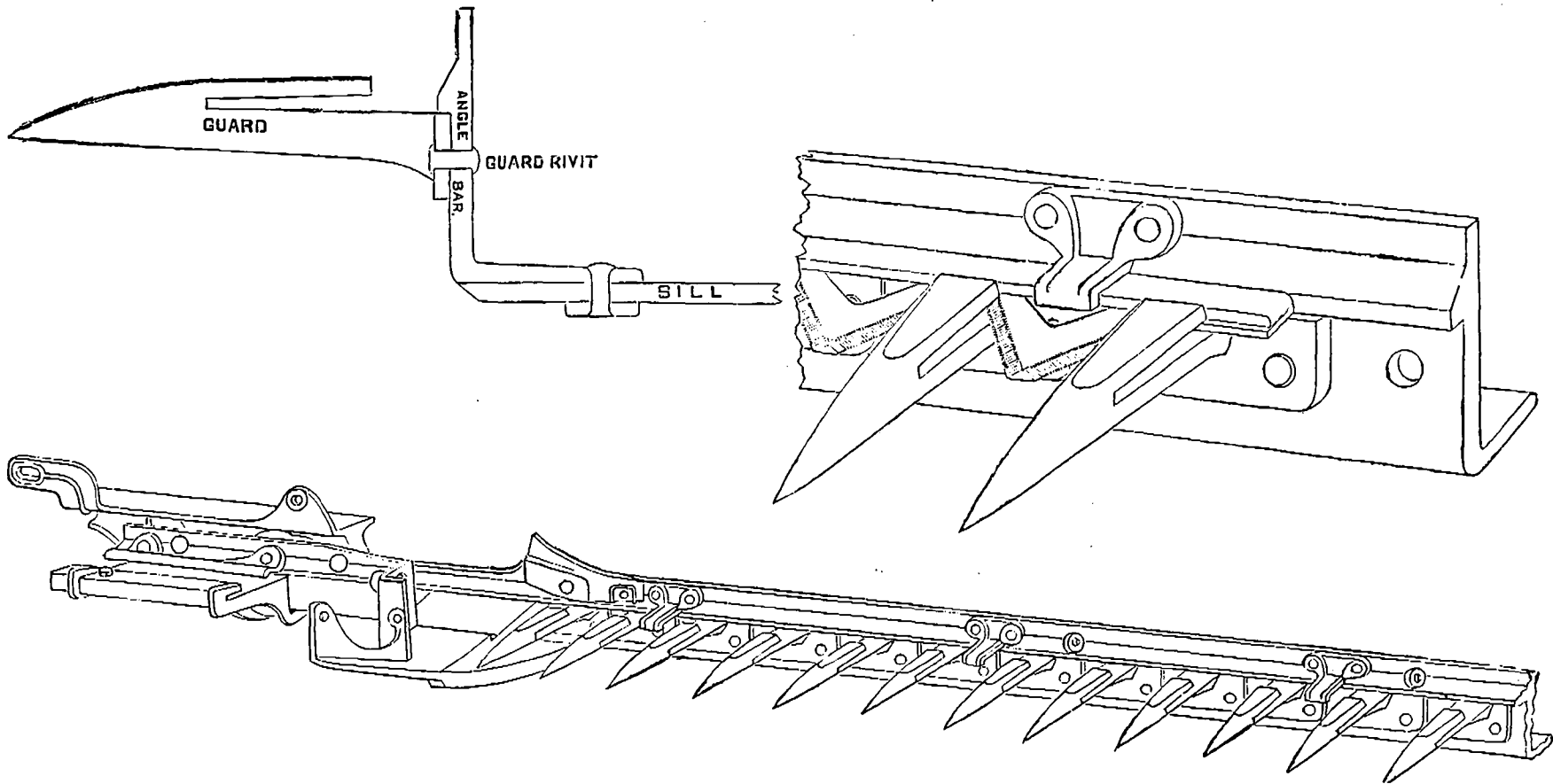
The Toronto Knotter with the only Adjustable Stripper and Cord Knife.

The Cutting Apparatus on the Toronto Binder, which is the vital part of any harvesting machine, is vastly superior to that used on any other Binder. The Cutter Bar being made of steel and planed perfectly true and straight, by the use of such a bar all danger of sagging or warping is entirely overcome. The canvas is also allowed to run within about 1/4 inch of the back of the knife, and instantly removes all short grain. This cutter bar is not attached to a wooden bar and placed there merely to strengthen a wooden cutting apparatus, but is solid and supports the whole platform and is able to withstand any pressure brought to bear on it without danger. It will not sag; it will not warp; it will not rot from exposure. The guards are of the very finest

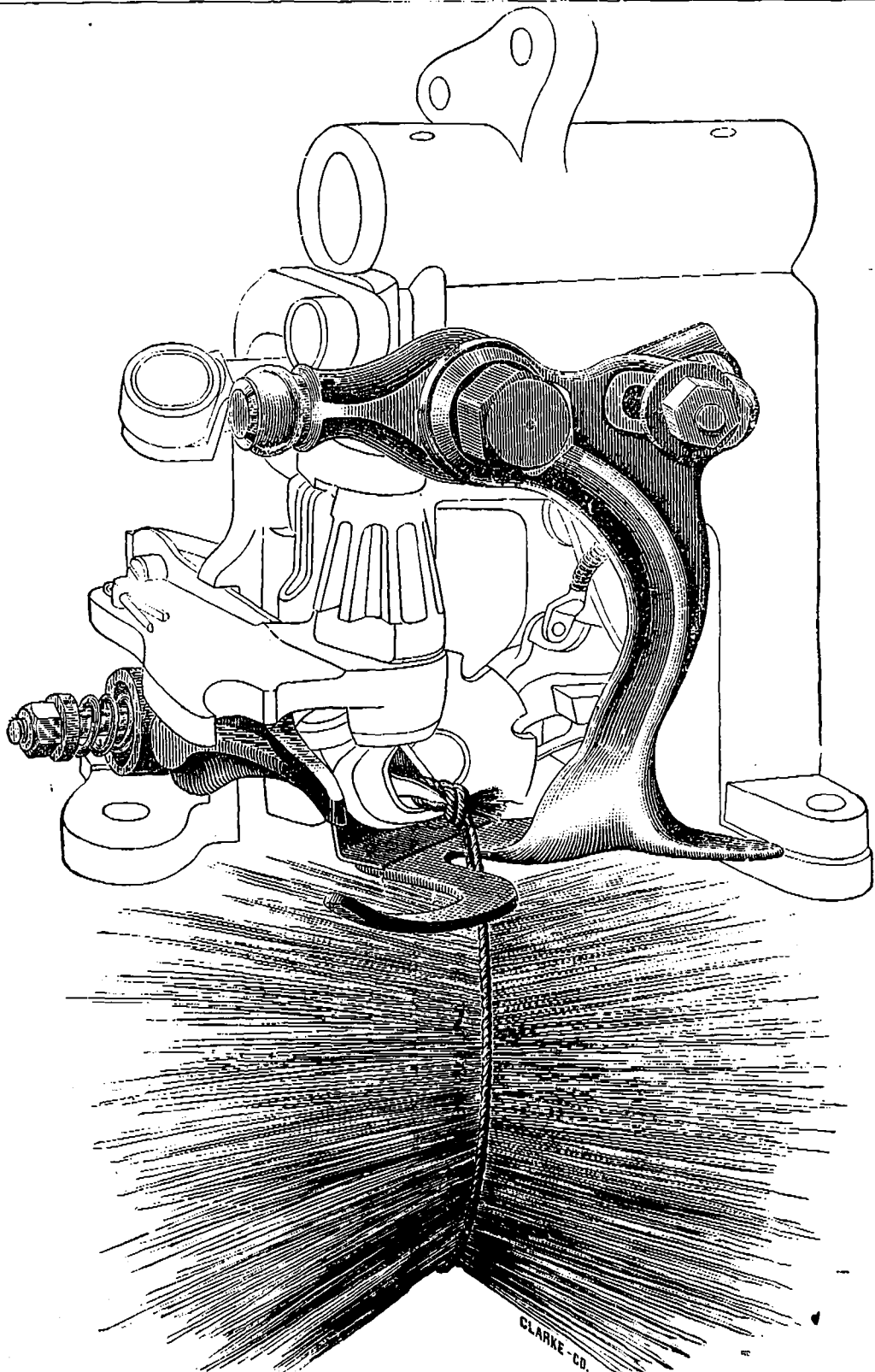
quality of wrought-iron forged solid, and the slots through which the knives pass are sawed out of the solid metal. They are case-hardened, converting the cutting edges into steel. The Pitman is driven in a straight line with the knife the same as a mowing machine and has the famous "Toronto" connection. This makes the best cutting apparatus ever produced, whilst other harvester binders use a wooden cutter bar or combined with wood and iron, which will always causes considerable annoyance in rotting, sagging and warping, and heavy running of the knife.

Farmers, examine thoroughly before you buy. A Binder is an expensive article and judgment should be

used in purchasing. Whilst we do not pretend to offer you a machine at as low a figure as many others you may be able to purchase, yet we do guarantee the "Toronto" to be a superior machine every way, and is worth fully seventy-five dollars more than any other in the market, and those that use them will say so. We use steel where others use wrought-iron. We use malleable iron where others use cast iron. We use hard wood where others use soft. Every farmer will admit that these materials are far the most expensive in use and that they are better and more durable. And we again repeat that the "Toronto" (whilst not lowest in price) is the lightest, strongest, most compact and perfect working Binder in the world, and a machine that never refuses to handle any grain that grows under all circumstances.



THE TORONTO BINDER CUTTING APPARATUS.



The above cut is intended to represent the special features of the Toronto Knotter, viz: The Adjustable Stripper, the Knife after the cord has been taken off, the Stripper in the act of stripping the knot from the Bill Hook, while the adjustable cam is held firmly against the roller or bill hook tongue by the pressure of the spiral springs used for that purpose.

The Toronto Knotter.

The Knotter on the Toronto Binders is the most simple, reliable and complete arrangement, combining the advantages of the single yielding disc in connection with the Cord Finger. The Stripper used on the Toronto Knotter is the only adjustable stripper with cord knife attached used on any Binder, and the only Stripper which can be adjusted to lay the cord at any desired point upon the bill hook or so that the cord knife will cut the cord at the exact time desired. Whilst the Knotter is originally of the Appleby Tyer, we have added many valuable features and improvements not used on any other machine.

NOTE.

We claim to have adopted the only complete system of duplication in the manufacture of harvesting machines and we challenge the world on that point. Each part of the machine is made in duplicate, each piece a fac-simile of the other. They are all interchangeable and no fitting is required when it becomes necessary to replace parts that may be broken or worn out—an important feature in getting repairs, and should not be forgotten.

CARBERRY, MAN., June 4th, 1884.

T. J. MCBRIDE, ESQ.,

Manager The Massey Mfg. Co., Winnipeg:

DEAR SIR,—Our attention has been drawn to several testimonials in A. Harris, Son & Co.'s circular condemning the Toronto Binder and giving the "Brantford" the preference. Our experience has been the reverse. We purchased one of your Toronto Cord Binders in 1882, cutting a harvest of 170 acres. Last season we bought one of the "Brantford's" and ran the two machines together all through the harvest. The "Toronto" cut fully a foot wider and ran just as light. There are several points in the "Toronto" we like better than the "Brantford," namely, the Reel, and the way of raising and lowering the machine. We could never cut full with the "Brantford," without walking one of the horses in the grain. We believe the "Toronto" is a better built machine and made of better material. We think it is good for ten or fifteen years. If we were buying another Binder we would certainly buy the "Toronto."

Yours respectfully,

JNO. MCLAREN,
DOUGALD MCLAREN.