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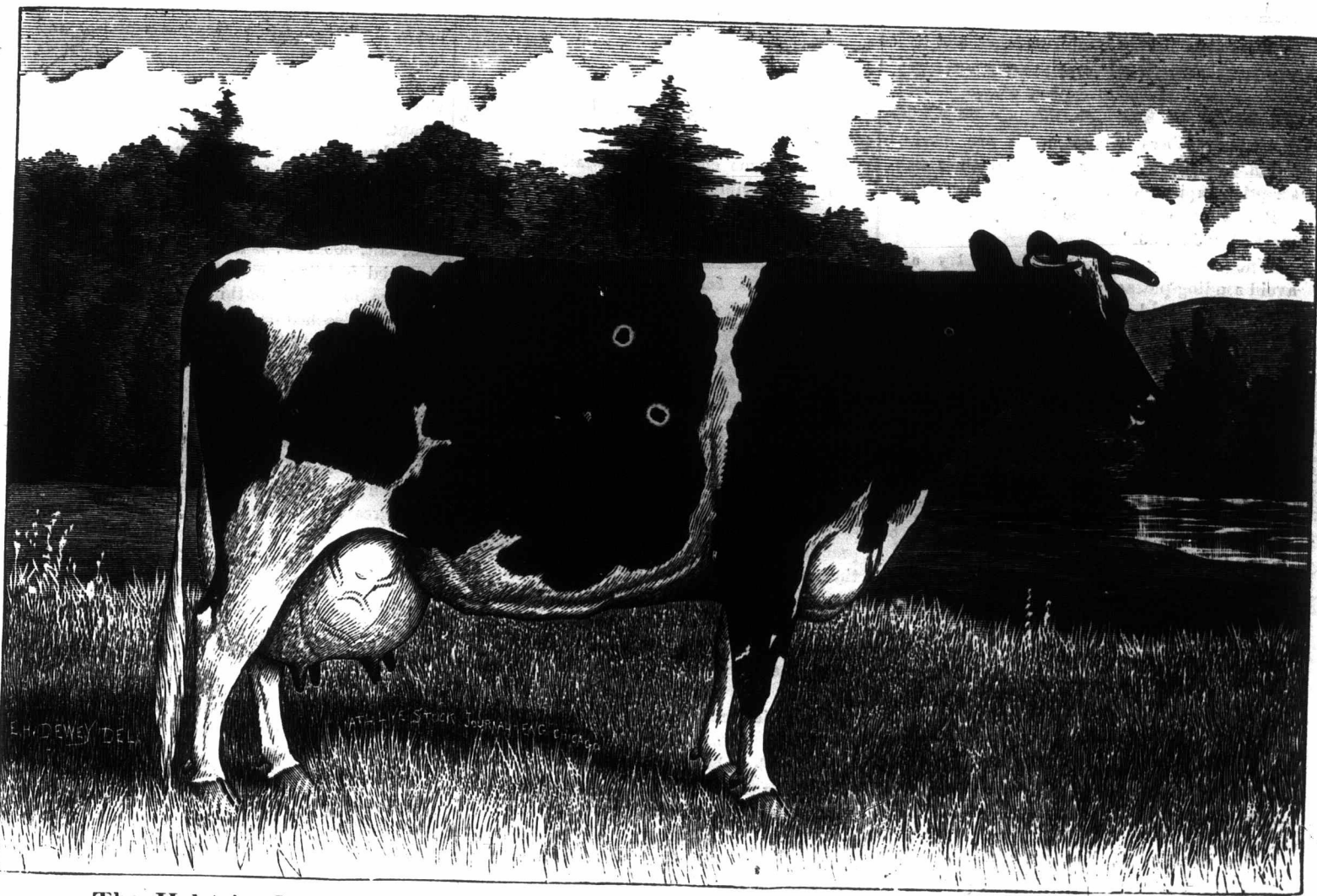
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The noted Holstein cow "Hamming," owned and imported by Messrs. B. B. Lord & Son, Sinclairville, N. Y., of which we herewith present an illustration, is a model of her kind. Her record is 99 lbs. of milk in a day. This breed is now well known throughout Canada, and are very popular wherever they have been introduced. Of all the milking breeds known to our farmers, it is best adapted to our climate, and it is not so delicate in constitution as many of its rivals. It does not require such attentive nursing as the male breeds, although it well repays generous treatment. It is a pro-

digious eater and utilizes coarser foods than any other breed. It has great impressive power and permanency of character, and will therefore rapidly improve our native herds.

Now see that your implements and machinery are thoroughly overhauled. While the sleighing is good you can travel with pleasure, cheapness and facility. Your manufacturer, blacksmith and carpenter are now waiting for jobs, and will do more satisfactory work now than in the busy season. If you are keeping accounts with your fields, it would be great injustice to them to charge the high price for repairs, which it would cost in the busy season,

when travelling is a slow and expensive business, and when you will perhaps have to wait half a day before you can get your little necessities attended to. Keep a supply of all sorts of repairs on hand, and see that your implements are in such a condition that they will not be liable to break on the least provocation. If time is money, it is particularly so during the busy seasons.

I am pleased to see that you are neither saving time nor money to make the ADVOCATE such as every farmer will want it.

JAMES I. DAVISON, Balsam.