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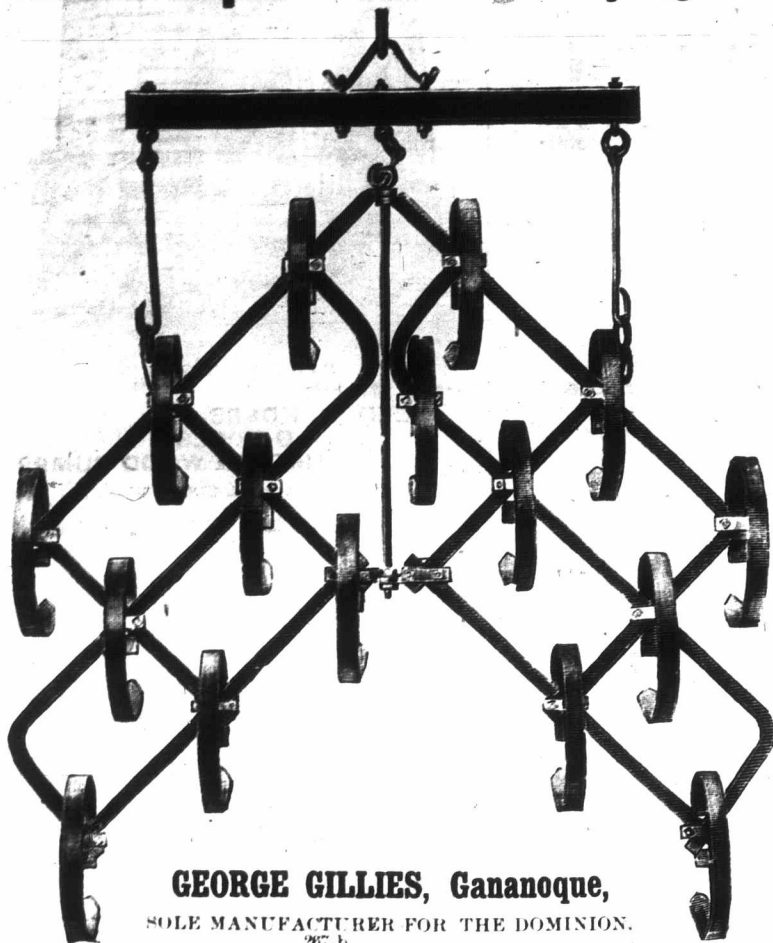


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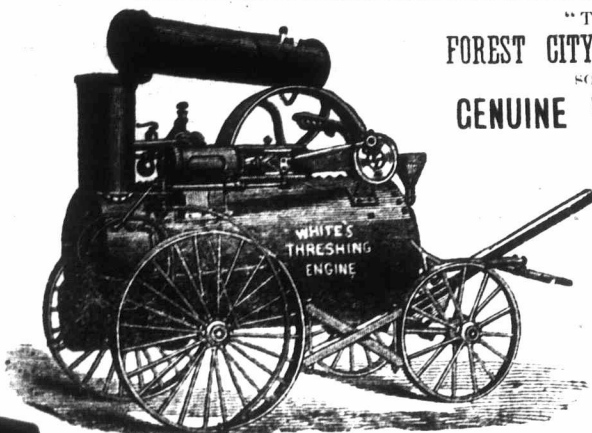
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Stock Notes.

The spring show of the Clydesdale Horse Association, will be held in Hay Market Square, Toronto, on Wednesday, March 14th.

From the present aspect of affairs with reference to the Breeders' Live Stock Association sale, which takes place on the Exhibition Grounds in this city, on April 3, 4, 5 and 6, we hear that its success is already fully assured.

Messrs. T. & A. B. Snider, of German Mills, inform us they have arranged with the Grand Trunk Railway and Canada Pacific for single fare and one third return tickets, from any one station along their lines of railroad where ten people buy tickets to attend the sale on the 14th day of March.

Mr. D. T. Rogers will dispose of 25 head of Jerseys in the City of Guelph on March 9th. Messrs. Dawes & Co., of Lachine, P. Q., are offering a large number of their choice Herefords and Aberdeen Angus bulls for sale. They are very extensive breeders and have many of the most noted strains in their herds. The stock is all in excellent condition. See advt. in this issue.

Mr. Wm. Rennie, of Toronto, reports having sold the following imported Clydesdale fillies to John E. Smith, Beresford Farm, Brandon, Man.:—Lady Kenmuir, vol. 10, foaled June 9th, 1886, sire Kenmuir Prince (1459), sire of dam Darnley (222). Carry of Glengall, vol. 5, foaled 26th May, 1886, sire Cromwell (3542), sire of dam Old Times (597). Mayflower, vol. 9, foaled 24th May, 1886, sire Laird Darnley (3748), sire of dam Darnley (222).

Mr. J. S. Smith gives a general invitation (see his advertisement) to all farmers and others wishing to view the fertile farms located in the best 100 square-mile block of farming land on this continent. This offer is a good opportunity, as he has just the stock that is suitable for this locality. Remember the date is changed to the 29th March. We will endeavor to be there.—Ed.

While in Guelph we visited the farm of Mr. Thos. McCrae, who is probably the most extensive importer and breeder of Galloway cattle in Canada. His recent importation of 22 head are in good health and condition. He has made quite a number of private sales in Canada and the United States at paying figures, and he does not complain of depression, as is the case with the importers of other breeds. We confess that we never saw a herd of such uniform quality, and it would require an expert to make a choice. Judging from the ages and weights, we cannot see that the other beef breeds have much advantage. Mr. McCrae is not a heavy feeder. His ration is uncut straw with 1 to 1½ lbs. of oil cake per head per day, and 30 to 40 lbs. of roots. This ration keeps the stock in good condition and in excellent health.

Mr. Jno. Hope, manager of the celebrated Bow Park Herd of Brantford, writes: Our show herd have arrived home from the Point Edward quarantine, and are looking fine. Our stock is going through the winter in splendid shape, sales are good, and we never had as many inquiries for bulls, and never had as good a lot to choose from. Among recent additions Fame 7 has a CC, Darlington 28 a red BC, Roan Duchess 25 a red BC, Bushbury Countess of Barrington 2 a white CC, Havering Nonpareil 2 a roan BC, Waterloo Duchess 5 a red CC, Welcome 9 a roan CC, Marnhull Duchess 5 a red BC, Blanche 14 a roan CC, Knightly Grand Duchess 13 a roan CC, Lady Isabel a roan BC, Kirklevington Duchess 36 a red BC, Duchess of Clarence 18 a red CC, Lady Aberdeen 5 a red CC, Isabella 2 a roan CC, Roan Duchess 35 a red BC, Roan Duchess 28 a red CC, Roan Duchess 36 a red CC, Duchess 46 of Woodhill a red roan CC, Evenlode 10 a roan BC, Roan Duchess 29 a roan CC, Julia 21 a roan BC, Julia Baroness a red and white CC, Wave Foam, a roan BC, Waterloo Duchess 3, a roan CC.