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Meadow King Rake!

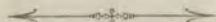


GREGG & CO.,
TRUMANSBURG, N. Y.,
GENERAL AGENTS

FOR THE UNITED STATES.

Norton & Conklin, Prs, Ithaca.

The Meadow King Rake.



 HIS Rake is very simple in its plan, and durable in all its parts. It has no ratchets, springs, or friction devices for dumping, which are liable to break or get out of order; and for ease of handling, and for doing good work is unequalled by any **SULKY RAKE** in the market. In proof of this we will give some of its distinctive features which we warrant to be as described.

THE CLEANER.

This effectually cleans the Teeth every time the Rake is dumped, without binding.

This can be done neither by strippers nor by a cleaner rake resting on the teeth. With strippers the grass is gradually woven in the teeth in the most kinds of raking, greatly to the annoyance of the operator, and when the rake is heavily loaded there is a shearing motion between the teeth and strippers and consequently a heavy bind.

With a cleaner-rake resting on the teeth there is always a loss of power by friction when the rake is dumped, and, too, there is a heavy bind in dumping when the rake is heavily loaded, caused by the cleaner-teeth being pressed back against the gathered load.

This *friction* and *bind* always increases the labor of dumping, and in *horse-dumps* often makes it impossible to dump by horse power, and renders their dumping attachment very liable to break.

These prominent objections to all other Sulky Rakes have been entirely overcome by our *new device for cleaning.*

THE DUMP.

The weight of the Driver does the work.

This rake is so constructed as to be easily adjusted so that the weight of the operator, be he man or boy, will as nearly counterbalance the weight of the teeth as is desirable, and as the *bind* has been done away with, it dumps easily in heavy as well as light grass, so that a boy who is large enough to drive a horse can work the rake with ease in *all raking.*

THE HOLD-DOWN.

No more Labor in Holding Down.

While the teeth in all other Sulky Rakes are held down either by the constant pressure of the driver's foot on a lever or *rigidly*, by a lock lever, in the Meadow King this is *automatically* done without any labor or supervision on the part of the operator. This rake is

not only so constructed that the weight of the driver as he sits upon an easy seat does the work of dumping, but is also so made that this same weight automatically adjusts the teeth to the varying surface of the ground when raking, and still the teeth are under the perfect control of the operator.

THE TEETH.

While the teeth of most Rakes have a vertical vibratory motion with nothing to hold them down but their weight until they strike a pressure-bar, the teeth of the MEADOW KING are so constructed and hung that each is separately held to the ground by gentle pressure derived from its own spring, which is sufficient to make it rake in any grass; while a tooth which has nothing but its own weight to hold it down will in fine and damp grass, raise up and gather the grass on its point and slip over it. It has twenty steel teeth tempered in oil, all of which are alike, and any one of which can easily be taken out or replaced.

THE MEADOW KING.

THE SIMPLEST.



MOST DURABLE.

Branch Offices: 30 Rose St., Kalamazoo, Mich., and Morristown, Tenn.

THE
Meadow King.

**The only Rake that can always be
Dumped with Ease.**

*Requires no labor in perfectly adjusting the
Teeth to the varying surface of the ground.*

Its device for Cleaning Teeth is unequalled.

**The only RAKE that never
binds in Dumping.**

**In Durability, Simplicity and Adaptability
to all kinds of Raking, without a Rival.**

SEE IT! TRY IT!! BUY IT!!!