

Souvenir
Calendar
and
Memorandum
Book



Compliments
of

McCormick Harvesting
Machine Co.

CHICAGO, ILL.

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THE WINNER OF THE GRAND PRIZES ALL 'ROUND THE WORLD

McCormick Mowers have established their great superiority on these three points: Durability, Convenience and Light Draft. This has been repeatedly proven and can be proven again at any time.

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For year 1894	
1 box shoelace	10
1 lb. shoe in tobacco	40
2 pair socks	20
1 pants	100
1 pair shoes	200
1 scarf	125
1 pants	60
1 color	20
1 lb. tobacco	40
1 pair gloves	120
1 lb tobacco	40

The harvest season is brief. Promptness is of prime importance. A day's time lost in tinkering a machine may mean the loss of many acres of grain. It certainly means the difference in price between the McCormick and a cheap machine.

More than one-third of all
the Grain and Grass harvesting
machines sold each year are of
the McCormick make.

JULY						
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Cyrus Hall McCormick invented the first successful reaper in 1831. This was the first machine having a platform, with reciprocating knife, a divider and reel, all arranged on a side-cut machine, to successfully harvest grain. These features are found in all modern grain harvesters.

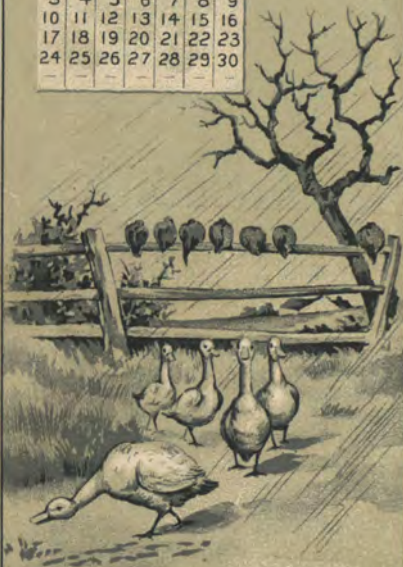
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2 pair Sloghens	25
1 lb tobacco	20
1 pair overall	90
tie	45
1 lb tobacco	40
br ten	60
barber soap	10
1 lb tobacco	45
jacket	75
color	25
hat	250
over all	90

At the World's Fair in Paris in 1855 the Jury of Awards gave the Gold Medal to the McCormick Reaper and asserted that "on the McCormick invention all other grain cutting machines are based," and that "not one of the imitations equals the original."

The late Hon. Wm. H. Seward said, in 1859, that "owing to Mr. McCormick's invention, the line of Civilization moves westward thirty miles each year."

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Nearly forty years ago the Hon. Reverdy Johnson said: "The McCormick reaper has already distributed an annual income to the whole country of fifty-five million dollars, which must increase through all time."

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Tobacco	20
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toe	110
Colours	110
Cotemflen	65
overall	90
Coat	1.75
Hat	1.10
1 lb tobacco	50
far overshoot	140
overall	90
2 par dress	120

The cold rolled finger bars of the McCormick Mowers make them equal to the severest tests. They also have the strongest main frame, the only perfect foot-lift and the simplest gear of any grass cutter.

The name "McCormick" has never been identified with that which was second rate. The name guarantees the quality.

AUGUST						
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The Simple Knotter used on the McCormick Binder has saved thousands of dollars to the agriculturists of the world. It always ties.

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per Robo bot	3 75
1 lb tobacco	B10

In our grand display of Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals at the Columbian Exposition, we show only those awarded us at World's Fairs, International Shows and other equally important exhibits. No other manufacturer of harvesting machinery could make so elaborate a showing of important medals.

Fifteen thousand tons of McCormick Binding Twine will be used in the harvest fields of 1893. This twine is made by one of the largest and best equipped cordage plants in America and it is in great favor with the grain growers of the land.

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For year 1894

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For Horse. 44.00

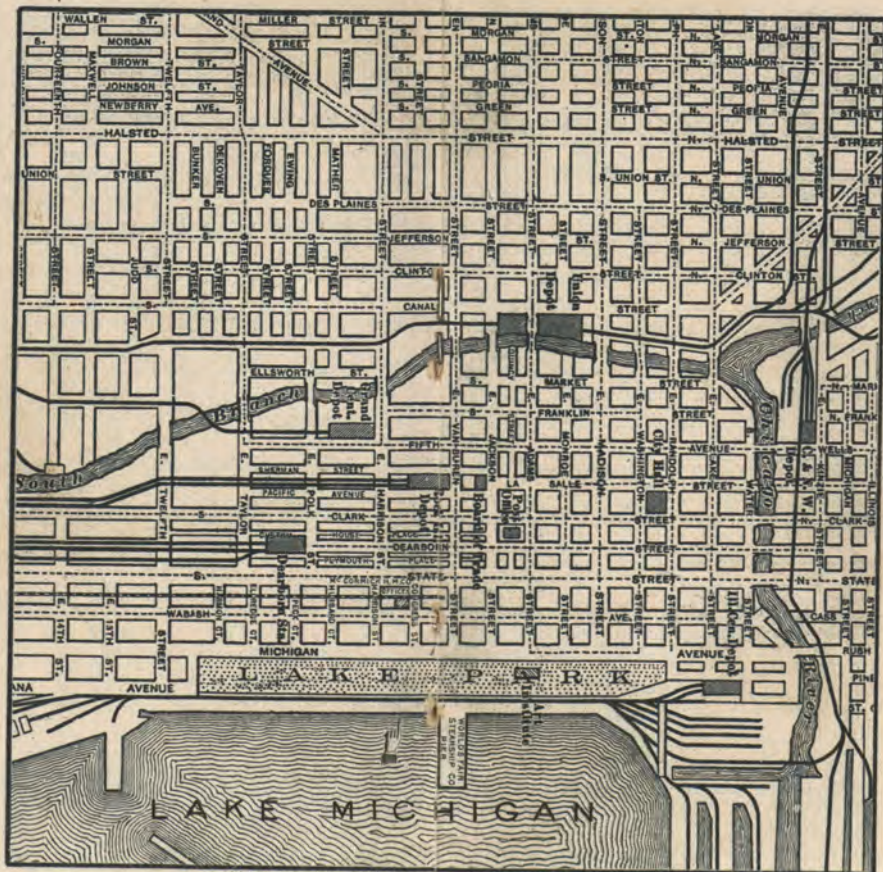
The devices found on the McCormick machines, the improvements which make them of such great value to the farmer, are all protected by letters patent and cannot be used by other manufacturers. Remember this when some agent tells you his machine "has the same thing as the McCormick."

The McCormick Reaper Works have a floor space of over fifty acres and employ an army of two thousand men. Last season they worked up 20,840 tons of special bar iron and steel, 2,800 tons of sheet steel and 26,000 tons of castings.

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Because our efforts are devoted exclusively to the manufacture and improvement of grain and grass cutting machinery, and because we have been "right at it" all the time for sixty-two years, we are in a position to lead all competitors in the quality of our machines.



MAP OF THE BUSINESS PORTION OF CHICAGO.

McCormick Machines are doing actual field service, somewhere, every day in the year. When it is Winter here, it is Summer somewhere, and there our Binders, Reapers and Mowers are at work. "The sun never sets on the McCormick."

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McCormick machines will demonstrate their superiority in the field at any time. It is a simple matter to make assertions as to what a machine will do. What it actually does is the point with the contemplating buyer.

"The man who has labored most in the general distribution, invention and perfection of the first practical reaper is assuredly Mr. Cyrus Hall McCormick, of Illinois."—(Report of International Jury, Paris Exposition, 1867.)

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Over one hundred and fifty thousand McCormick machines were sold last season, and still we were unable to supply the demand. The farmer of to-day is an expert judge of farm machinery and he demands the best.

"Equally, as a benefactor of humanity and as a skillful mechanician, Mr. McCormick has been adjudged worthy of the highest distinction of the Exposition." — Eugene Tisseraud, Director General Imperial Domains, Paris Exposition, 1867.

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Why do the best farmers buy the McCormick when other harvesters are offered them at prices ranging from \$10 to \$30 lower? It's because the best farmers want the best machines. Others may cut the prices but the McCormick cuts the grain.

Sixty-two years dealings with the agriculturalists of the world is our record.
The result is a mutual confidence which is worth more to us than money.

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When Mr. McCormick took his reaper to the World's Fair in London in 1851, the London Times called it a "cross between an Astley-chariot, a wheelbarrow and a flying machine." But when the reaper demon-

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strated its capacity to handle grain, thereby winning the Grand Council Medal, the *Times* again referred to it as the "most valuable contribution to the Exposition" and said that it was alone worth the entire cost of the great Fair.

One complete machine every minute.
That is the capacity of the McCormick
works. No other Manufacturing estab-
lishment on earth can equal it.

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Every season finds our corps of experts following our new improvements in binders and mowers in the field. This accounts for the fact that we anticipate the needs of the farmer and bring out patented improvements while others are waiting for their customers to tell them what is needed.

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While in Paris in 1878 the Cross of the Legion of Honor was conferred upon Mr. McCormick, and he was elected a corresponding member of the French Academy of Sciences, "as having done more for the cause of agriculture than any other living man."

There are more than seven thousand M^c Cormick agents throughout the country, besides nearly one hundred great distributing centres.

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"Cyrus Hall McCormick is an inventor whose fame, while he is yet living, has spread through the world. His genius has done honor to his own country and has been the

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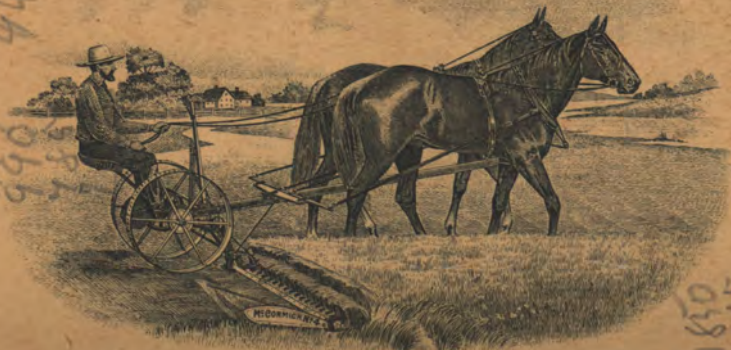
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admiration of foreign nations, and he will live in the grateful recollections of mankind as long as the reaping machine is employed in gathering the harvest."—D. P. Holloway, U. S. Commissioner of Patents, in 1861.

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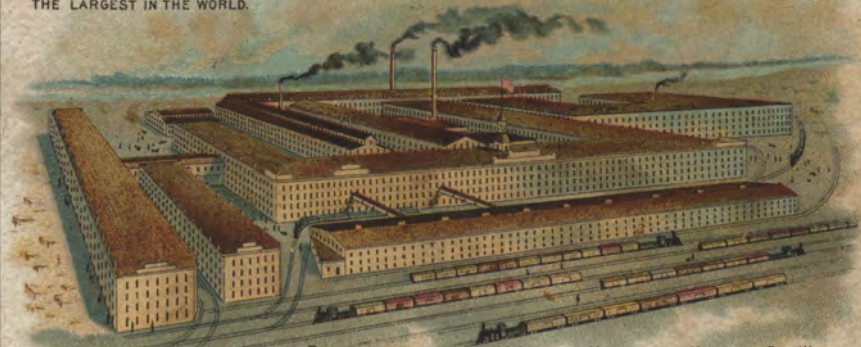
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THE MOST DURABLE AND LIGHTEST DRAFT MOWER ON EARTH.

IN CAPACITY
THE LARGEST IN THE WORLD.



BIRDSEYE VIEW OF THE MCCORMICK HARVESTING MACHINE CO'S WORKS.