

What Farmers ^{AND} Dealers Know About



KEYSTONE DISC HARROWS,

—BY—
DEALERS WHO HAVE SOLD THEM,

—AND—
Farmers Who Have Used Them.

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KEYSTONE MANUFACTURING COMPANY,
STERLING, ILLINOIS.

KEYSTONE
SINGLE LEVER DISC HARROW.
NO SCRAPERS.



In order to meet the demand for a

Lower Price Disc Harrow,

We offer this year

A SINGLE LEVER DISC HARROW

Which is equal to any Single Lever Disc Harrow now in the market.

It will not work where the ground is sticky, but in a sandy loam soil, or where the ground is dry enough, it will give

Good Satisfaction.

WHAT THE Keystone Disc Harrow Will Do:

1. *It will level rough ground.*
2. *Grain can be put in the ground without plowing.*
3. *It will break the lumps on sod ground.*
4. *It makes the best possible land tiller for grain on fall plowing.*
5. *It covers the seed to a uniform depth.*
6. *It works on uneven ground as well as on smooth ground.*
7. *It will mix manure into the soil.*
8. *It lifts and turns the soil to the action of the sun.*
9. *It works without packing the under soil as the plow does.*
10. *It cuts and covers weeds and grass like a plow.*
11. *More grain can be raised to the acre in spring crops by putting it in with the Disc Harrow instead of plowing the land.*
12. *Grain after it is grown will not fall down or rust when put in with the Disc Harrow as when plowed.*
13. *It will save the price of itself in one year over the former mode of cultivation.*

INTRODUCTORY.

TESTIMONIALS setting forth the value of farm implements are usually dry reading; but the testimonials we herein present, as coming from the *fountain head*, are refreshing to read. No testimonials have ever been put before the public in which so much enthusiasm and good cheer are manifested, as in those pertaining to the Keystone Disc Harrow. Read them and interest yourselves in them, by buying and using no others. After reading, hand it to your neighbor.

Loves It.

Windsor, Mo., July 21, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Co., Kansas City, Mo.

Gents:—In reply to yours of the 18th in regard to the Disc Harrow, we have sold three of them and I find they give the best of satisfaction. I waited a few days before answering your letter to try and see a Mr. Anderson, who bought one last spring. He had used one of the "Keystone" of his neighbor's, and says "to know it was to love it."

COLBOW & LEWIS.

What Farmers Say.

Cisca, Ill., July 21, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Co.:

Gents:—In our estimation your Disc Harrow cannot be excelled for light draft and excellence of work. We have used several others, but the Keystone is our choice.

JACOB WIGGINS,
WARREN D. HINSON,
ADAM DAN.

Sold by HAMILTON & WALKER.

It is Perfection.

Lane, Kansas, July 8, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Co., Kansas City, Mo.:

Gents:—The Disc Harrow I bought of Messrs. Crow Bros., your agents, is the best of the kind I have ever seen. It is SIMPLY PERFECTION IN ITSELF.

Yours respectfully,

JNO. T. BAKER.

Best Implement on the Farm.

Meadville, Mo., July 20, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Co., Kansas City, Mo.:

Gentlemen:—Four years ago we bought a Disc Harrow from you and as there hadn't been any used here before, we had hard work to get them started. We finally loaded it into a farmer's wagon, and told him to see what there was in it. The next time we saw him he told us it was the **best implement he ever had on his place**. It is no trouble to sell them now, and we never sold one that did not give satisfaction.

Yours truly,

ABELL & LOOMIS.

Keystone the Best in the Market.

Holdrege, Neb., July 20, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gentlemen:—It is with pleasure that I recommend your Disc Harrow: have been selling Disc Harrows ever since in business, and believe the **Keystone** is the **best in the Market**, and best seller. You can expect a good order from me for coming year.

Yours,

J. A. BURNETT.

No other Harrow Compares with It.

McCook, Neb., July 17, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Co., Council Bluffs, Ia.:

Gents:—The Keystone Disc Harrow in this section is a grand success. It works equally as well on sod as on old ground. **No Harrow we have ever seen can begin to compare with it.**

Very truly,

SPANOGLE & RINKER.

Put in Flax on New Breaking.

Canton, Dak., July 18, 1885.

Keystone Mfg Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gents:—The Disc Harrows I bought of you last spring gave good satisfaction, especially for **putting in flax on new breaking**, as the crop is equal to that of old ground. By using the Harrow you get a good stand of flax all over the ground, while otherwise it only grows up in the seams. The Harrow must be used lengthwise of the breaking to get best results.

Yours &c.,

O. A. RUDOLPH.

Cannot be too Highly Recommended.

Dakota City, Dak., July 10, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Co.:

Gents:—Having purchased one of your Disc Harrows of your agent, Ed. Anderson, of Dakota City, I can recommend them in the highest terms; in fact, **they cannot be too highly Recommended**, no matter whether you want to use them on old ground or sod.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS RINEHART.

Sold on their Merits.

Keokuk, Iowa, July 17, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gents:—In reply to yours of June 29, will say that for several years we sold the Keystone Disc Harrows, and have placed many of them with farmers on their merits, to be approved by them before settlement, and they have given satisfaction. We regard them as valuable and successful machines.

LOURIE, BOWMAN & BOYER.

Would not take Twice what I Paid for It.

Dakota City, Dak., July 8, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Co.:

Gents:—Having bought one of your Disc Harrows of Ed. Anderson, your agent at Dakota City, Hutchinson Co., D. T., I would not be without one, and *would not take twice what I paid* for mine if I could not get another. Mr. Anderson tells me you are going to put a seed sower attachment to your Harrows for the next season. I think that will be a grand improvement if it does not make them too expensive.

Respectfully yours,

A. L. AMMONS.

Gives Universal Satisfaction.

Dakota City, Dak., July 8, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Co.:

Gents:—Having sold your Disc Harrows for four years, and as they have given universal satisfaction to all my customers, I can recommend them for any use to which a farmer can put such implements. I can especially recommend them for cultivating young corn; in fact, I do not handle an implement of any kind that is more useful to the farmer.

Respectfully yours,

ED. ANDERSON.

It Never Fails.

Hurley, Dak., July 14, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gents:—Referring to yours of July 2, 1885, we have sold your Disc Harrow exclusively this year, and propose doing the same the next year.

Those sold by us this season have given perfect satisfaction, while others have failed and been returned. We anticipate a very large sale of your machines next year.

Yours truly,

LAMSON & SMULLIN.

Would not do Without One.

Tekamah, Neb., July 10, 1885.

Marsh McLean, Tekamah, Neb.:

Sir:—I have used the Keystone Disc Harrow for three years, and consider it one of the best implements on a farm. **Would not do without one.**

T. D. HAMILTON.

It Took the Lead.

Stoughton, Wis., July 11, 1885.

Keystone Mfg Co.:

Gents:—In answer to your inquiry how I like the Keystone Harrows, I would say that they give entire satisfaction so far as I have inquired. I could have sold more if I could have got them. This is the first season they have been sold in this place, and I had all other kinds to contend with. But wherever the Keystone went into the field, it took the lead and farmers told me they liked them better than any other kind. I would like to get the exclusive sale for this territory.

Truly,

R. B. McCOMB.

Most Useful Implement on the Farm.

Fredonia, Kas., July 17, 1885.

Keystone Mfg Co.:

Gents:—We have sold a few of your Keystone Disc Harrows, and while we found them somewhat hard to introduce, on account of our farmers never having had any experience with them, we are happy to inform you that they have given entire satisfaction, and the parties purchasing them say they are by far the best and most useful implement on their farms. We would say that the Disc Harrow is something that every farmer should have, and if the farmer consults his best interests, he cannot longer do without a Disc Harrow on his farm.

Respectfully,

PITNEY BROS.

The Best in the Market.

Great Bend, Kas., July 25, 1885.

Keystone Mfg Co., Kansas City, Mo.:

Gentlemen:—We have sold a large quantity of your Disc Harrows last season, and in our opinion they are the best in the market. All who used them speak in the highest praise of them, and we anticipate a big trade in them this year.

Yours truly,

G. N. & E. R. MOSES.

The Boss Machine.

Hawkeye, Ia., July 10, 1885.

Keystone Mfg Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Dear Sirs:—Your Disc Harrow gives universal satisfaction. All the farmers who have used them call them the "boss machine." Expect a good trade next season.

Yours truly,

G. H. ELLIOTT.

Gives the Best of Satisfaction.

Evansville, Wis., July 6, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gents:—Yours of July 3d at hand, and in reply would say that your Disc Harrows have given the best of satisfaction with our customers.

Respectfully yours,

F. A. BAKER & CO.

Put in Grain without Plowing.

Montrose, Mo., July 21, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co., Kansas City, Mo.:

Gents:—The Disc Harrows you sent us are giving good satisfaction. Farmers worked them on fall breaking, reversed sod, and on the wheat lands. Where wheat had frozen out in this section some put in their flax and oats. USING NO OTHER IMPLEMENT, among corn stalks at that.

Respectfully yours,

JOHNSON & BUCK.

Used for all Purposes.

Yates Center, Kan., July 10, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co., Kansas City, Mo.:

Gents:—The Disc Harrows purchased of you have given splendid satisfaction. For CULTIVATING, FALL PLOWING, PUTTING IN SMALL GRAIN, PREPARING SOD, OR CULTIVATING OVER CORN LAND FOR SECOND PLANTING, as was the case this year, they cannot be excelled. We expect an increase in our trade in the Keystone Disc Harrow.

VANSLYKE & SHANNON.

What Farmers Say.

Gilman, Iowa, July 3, '85.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

Gents:—I purchased one of your Disc Harrows of Sutherland & Pierce, and would say that it gives entire satisfaction. Am well pleased with the work of it. It does better work in corn stalks or on fall plowing than any one can do with corn plow.

RICHARD PARKER.

The Keystone the Best Made.

Nashville, Tenn., July 3, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co., Sterling, Ill.:

We have found that the Keystone Disc Harrow always gives satisfaction to the purchaser. We have been told by a great many men to whom we have sold them that they would not be without them for any reasonable amount, and everybody in this section CONSIDERS THE KEYSTONE THE BEST ONE MADE. We consider it one of the best implements we ever sold.

Respectfully,

G. W. STOCKELL & CO.

What Farmers Say.

Gilman, Iowa, July 3, '85.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

Gents:—The Disc Harrow we purchased of Sutherland & Pierce has given the best of satisfaction. We put in 140 acres of small grain, all in good shape. We think it is one of the best implements a man can have on his farm. Works well in corn stalks, fall plowing or any other place.

W. A. GREEN.

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Speaks in the Highest Terms of Them.

Wellington, Kansas, July 16, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

Gentlemen:—It gives me great pleasure to state to you that I can only SPEAK IN THE HIGHEST TERMS OF THE DISC HARROWS which I purchased of you last season. They far more than fulfill my highest expectations, and they have given my customers excellent satisfaction.

Yours respectfully,

A. GRAFF.

Pulverizes New Breaking.

Wakefield, Neb., July 22, 1885.

Your letter duly received. Will say that the Disc Harrow I bought of Keystone Mfg. Co. has done above what was expected. Think it has no equal. I CUT 40 ACRES OF SOD TWICE OVER IN THE SPRING, and made it very fine. Besides, my neighbors use it for putting in oats on stalk ground without plowing. It can not be beat. Needs no further talk. It speaks for itself.

Yours truly, S. M. ANDERSON.

Puts Sod Ground in Fine Condition.

Clinton, Mo., July 17, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co., Kansas City:

Gentlemen:—The Keystone Disc Harrow that I bought of your agents here, Wilder Bros., is all you claim for it. I have put 150 acres of sod ground in FINE CONDITION FOR CULTIVATION IN CORN, and when done I sold it to my neighbor for the same price that I paid. Shall buy another one next spring.

ROBERT SMITH.

There is None That Will Compare With It.

Akron, Iowa, July 20, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

In reply to yours asking in reference to the Keystone Disc Harrows, will say: Everybody says they can't be bettered. Won't have any other. THERE IS NONE THAT WILL COMPARE WITH THEM. They come to the front every time.

W. L. DISBROW.

Farmers All Like It.

Quincy, Ill., July 30, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

Gents:—In reply to yours of the 16th, would say that we inquired of a number of farmers in regard to the working of the Disc Harrow, and THEY ARE ALL WELL PLEASED WITH IT. Mr. Robt. Inghram said that he could not plant all the corn he did plant if it were not for this Harrow. We asked him for a testimonial. He said: "Write it out yourself. You can't say too much about it. It is the best implement I have on the farm." We think they will come more in use right along. Yours truly, WENZEL & KELLER.

What Farmers Say.

Oelwein, Ia., July 10, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

Gents:—I purchased one of your Disc Harrows of your agents, J. B. Kingsbury & Son, and will say that it has done all that is claimed for it. I cultivated my corn ground with it before planting, and never had my corn as free from weeds as now. On rough or sod ground it is perfect.

Yours respectfully, WM. LUCAS.

It Takes the Cake.

Rock Valley, Iowa, July 18, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Dear Sir:—Yours of the 6th received and contents noted. We will say for your Disc Harrow that it gives perfect satisfaction here, works fine and promises to be durable, and in fact, it takes the cake over anything on the market in its line.

Yours very truly,

IRA LAMB & SONS.

It Beats Them All—All Failed to Give Satisfaction Except the Keystone.

Monroe, Mich., July 11, 1885.

Arbuckle, Ryan & Co.:

Gents:—I have sold four Keystone Disc Harrows this season, and have had two trials where they had the Acme Harrow, the Wolverine Spring-tooth and the Robinson cultivator, where they all failed to give satisfaction except the Keystone Disc Harrow, which was sold at each place. I will recommend it to any farmer who has hard and tough ground.

Yours truly,

JOHN B. FOX.

Works to Perfection—Would Not be Without It for Five Times The Price.

Carrollton, Mo., July 20, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

Dear Sirs:—I have been using one of the 16-inch Disc Harrows on my farm for several months, and I cheerfully say that it is one of the finest farm implements that I have ever used; does the work for which it is intended to perfection, and I would not be without it for five times its price. I would advise my fellow-farmers to try it.

Truly, SAM'L B. ROBERTSON.

Farmers Speak in the Highest Terms.

Clinton, Mo., July 17, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co. Kansas City:

Gentlemen:—In reply to your favor of the 13th, will say that we never have sold any kind of machinery that gave as much satisfaction for the money invested as your Disc Harrow. All parties that we have sold speak in highest praise of them.

Yours truly,

WILDER BROS.

Used for Leveling Sloughs and Putting in Timothy.

Oelwein, Iowa, July 10, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gentlemen:—We sold last spring quite a number of your two-lever Disc Harrows, and must say that we never sold an implement that gave more universal satisfaction. As a cultivator for sod ground or cultivating fall plowing for corn, they are perfect. One customer is using his Disc Harrow to smooth his sloughs and get them seeded to timothy and clover. It is a matchless implement.

Yours truly,

J. B. KINGSBURY & SON.

Just What the Farmers Want.

Yankton, D. T., Nov. 23, 1886.

Wilcox & Williams:

Gentlemen:—The Keystone Disc Harrow purchased of you last spring has given me good satisfaction, and I think they are just what the farmers in this territory need, especially for preparing sod ground for flax, and pulverizing old ground.

ISAAC S. WILLIAMS.

Puts in Grain on Stalk Ground Without Plowing.

Morrison, Ill., July 9, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gents:—We have been selling your Disc Harrow for a number of years, and the popularity of the machine and number of sales has been growing every year, which is good evidence to us that the machine is appreciated among the farmers. We think the Disc Harrow to-day is the most popular, and is held in higher estimate than any agricultural implement the farmers use. They subdue sods and other stubborn soils effectually. A great many farmers in this vicinity use the Disc Harrow for putting in small grain in stalks without plowing the ground.

Resp'y yours,

S. W. ROBINSON & BRO.

Disc Harrow and Seeder.

Clark, Dak., Dec. 2, 1886.

Keystone Mfg. Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gents:—Farmers who have used your Disc Harrow with Seeder attachment speak of it as being far superior to any of the old style seeders and cultivators.

Yours truly,

S. N. BROWN & CO.

Wants Only to be Known to be Appreciated.

Nevada, Iowa, July 14, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

Gentlemen:—I have sold several of your Disc Harrows during the past two or three years, and they give entire satisfaction. I have also used one of them on my own farm for two seasons, and find it to be a perfect pulverizer, and think your Disc Harrow only needs to be known to bring it into use on every farm. It prepares the land perfectly for seeding with grain.

Respectfully yours,

J. C. MITCHELL.

Gives entire Satisfaction---What a Farmer Says.

Stoughton, Wis., July 11, 1885.

Keystone Mfg Co.:

Gents:—I take pleasure in informing you that I bought one of your Keystone Pulverizers from your agent, R. B. McComb, in Stoughton, and can say that it gave ENTIRE SATISFACTION. It is the best I ever used. Can recommend it to any farmer who wants a first-class machine.

Yours truly,

O. H. HEMSING.

It keeps Corn Ground Clean.

Oelwein, Iowa, July 10, 1885.

Keystone Mfg Co.:

Gentlemen:—We have one of your two-lever Disc Harrows that we have used two years, and now we do not see how we could get along without it. We cultivate from 200 to 250 acres for corn each year, and go over all the ground with the Disc Harrow, and it pays.

Res'p, JAMES BROS.

Prepares new Breaking for Corn.

Webster City, Iowa, July 3d, 1885.

Keystone Mfg Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gents:—The Disc Harrow I bought of S. J. Root this season proves to be an entire success in the test I gave it. I PUT IT ON TO THIS SEASON'S BREAKING, AND PREPARED THE LAND FOR CORN so I could plant it with a horse planter, and the corn looks as well to-day as any corn on old ground in my neighborhood. There is 40 acres of it.

Yours truly, GEO. HUGHES.

Farmers speak in Highest Terms.

Deer Lodge, Montana, July 26, 1885.

Messrs. Keystone Mfg Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gentlemen:—We are pleased to say that we have heard nothing but praise for the Disc Harrows sold by us, and which were purchased from you. They give perfect satisfaction, and sell readily over all other makes in the market, several kinds of which are sold in this Territory. IN EVERY CASE FARMERS SPEAK IN THE HIGHEST TERMS OF YOUR HARROW.

Very truly yours,

BENNETT BROS.

Good for preparing the Ground for Wheat.

Beardstown, Ill., July 20, 1885.

Keystone Mfg Co., St. Louis, Mo.:

Gents:—The Disc Harrow gives good satisfaction. We have sold quite a number, and the farmers speak in the highest terms of them. For PREPARING THE GROUND FOR SOWING WHEAT THEY EXCEL ALL OTHERS.

Respectfully,

BEATTY & HAMMER.

Beats anything ever Invented for Pulverizing Land.

Capron, Ill., 7, 2, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Company, Sterling, Ill.:

Replying to yours of 6-30, we would say that your Disc Harrow gave perfect satisfaction wherever used. Ole Ellinson says he would not take \$100.00 for it if he could not get another like it. Mell Cornwell says they will beat anything ever invented for pulverizing land.

Respectfully yours,

CORNWELL & KELLOGG.

Could not get Enough this Year to Supply the Demand.

Paxton, Ill., July 3, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Company:

Gentlemen:—You ask our opinion of your Disc Harrow, and we will say that we have sold them now for the past two seasons, and every one has given the very best of satisfaction, and we have not had enough this year to supply the demand for them.

Respectfully,

HOPKINS & CO.

Could get testimonials from all who have used them if we could see the parties.

Increase the Crop \$2.00 per Acre.

Clarence, Iowa, July 6, 1885.

Keystone Mfg Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gentlemen:—In answer to favor of June 30, will say your Disc Harrow has given splendid satisfaction. Our customers all speak in the highest terms, and some have said their CROP HAS BEEN INCREASED AT LEAST TWO DOLLARS PER ACRE BY THE USE OF THE DISC HARROW.

Yours respectfully,

W. H. WHITNELL & BRO.

Farmer's pronounce it A No. 1.

Hayes, Huron Co., Mich., Aug. 1, 1885.

Keystone Mfg Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gents:—The Disc Harrow I got from you did splendid work. All those that have used it, and those who have seen it work pronounced it A No. 1.

Yours truly,

C. F. LEIPPRANDT.

They have given the Users Good Satisfaction.

Minneapolis, Minn., July 3d, 1885.

Keystone Manufacturing Company, Sterling, Ill.:

Dear Sirs:—In reply to yours of 26th: We have sold quite a number of your Disc Harrows, and they have given the users good satisfaction, and as they become known more we look for a larger trade, in Minnesota and Dakota.

Yours truly,

DEERE & CO.

Requires no Weights to Force It into the Ground.

Jacksonville, Ill. July 22, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

Gents:—Your Disc Harrow gives very good satisfaction, requiring no weights to put it into the ground, but drawing into the ground something like a plow.

Yours respectfully, S. B. GRAY.

It is the Best Farm Implement I Have on the Farm.

Rickwood, O. 7—17, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

I could not have got my corn ground in order to plant after the heavy rains last spring without the aid of one of your Disc Harrows. It is the best farm implement I have on the place.

A. C. BROWN.

The Best on the Market.

Wymore, Neb., July 27, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

Gentlemen:—Your Disc Harrow that we bought of you in the year of 1885 has given entire satisfaction. They do the work nicely, easy and good. The people that we sold to say that they do the best work of any machine they ever had in their fields. We, as dealers, recommend it as the best on the market to-day.

Very respectfully BAKER BROS.

The Most Useful Tool on the Farm.

Beulah, Kansas, Aug. 4, '85.

Keystone Mfg. Co., Kansas City, Mo.:

Gents:—I have sold several of your Disc Harrows and they have given universal satisfaction. Have used one of them myself and regard them as one of the most important implements used on the farm. I have 40 acres of sod corn that is better than old ground corn, prepared by the Disc Harrow. It has more than paid for itself in that one job. It is the very best and most useful tool on the farm.

Very truly yours, H. T. POTTER.

It Throws the Dirt to the Center.

Kenney, Ill., July 30, 1885.

Keystone Mfg. Co., St. Louis, Mo.:

The Disc Harrows we sold this season are giving most excellent satisfaction, and the farmers give as one reason WHY THEY LIKE THE KEYSTONE BETTER THAN OTHERS, THAT IT THROWS THE DIRT TOWARD THE CENTER, not leaving any space uncultivated, as with those throwing the dirt away from the center. The large Harrow is a perfect favorite in this neighborhood. It now looks as though we might sell a dozen here next season.

Yours resp'y,

SPILLMAN & BUCHANAN.

Will Yield a Better Crop Without Plowing.

Jordon, Ill., Sept. 11, 1883.

Keystone Manufacturing Co.:

I bought one of your Disc Harrows last spring, and put in twenty acres of oats on corn stalk ground without plowing, on part of which I used a stalk cutter to cut the stalks before using the Disc Harrow, and a part I put in without cutting the stalks. I find cutting the stalks before using the Harrow is preferable. I had my grain in before any of my neighbors, who plowed their ground, and my oats came up early and kept ahead all the season, so I had my oats cut before any of my neighbors, and the YIELD PER ACRE WAS BETTER THAN WHERE THE GROUND WAS PLOWED, AND THE OATS DID NOT FALL DOWN LIKE MY NEIGHBORS'. I used it this fall for putting in rye without plowing where the ground was very dry. It worked splendidly and the rye came up without rain, for the Disc Harrow put the seed into the moist ground. It is the best tool I ever used, and I would not be without it. JOHN B. GILBERT.

Runs it with Two Horses.

Sedalia, Mo., Nov. 25, 1886.

Keystone Mfg Co., Kansas City, Mo.:

Gents:—Thinking a word in regard to your Disc Harrow and Seeder might be of some service to you, we would state that we had only one with Seeder Attachment, and we put it out on trial to Mr. J. H. Dorman, (a dairyman) and it is with pleasure we say he was the best pleased man you ever saw. He only used two (2) horses on it, and they pulled it without any trouble, and he would not part with it if he could not get another. We sold a number of your Disc Harrows and all gave the best of satisfaction, and we are satisfied that every farmer will soon be the owner of a Keystone Disc and Seeder. We could have bought others for less money, but did not like them as well.

Yours truly, MCCORMICK HARVESTING MACHINE CO.

FRANK CRAYCROFT, General Agent.

W. J. Anderson, of Axtell, Kansas, says: "Your Disc Harrows give perfect satisfaction."

B. J. G. Battleheim, of Brookfield, Mo., says: "I have sold your Harrow for several years. The farmers all like it."

Ira Lamb & Sons, of Rock Valley, Iowa, say: "'It takes the cake' over any other Disc Harrow in the market."

P. Speasmoker, of London, Ohio, says: "Farmers to whom I have spoken say: 'Write our names to as strong a testimonial as you can write. You can not say too much in their favor.'"

Morrison & Hamilton, of Streator, Ill., say: "It has given splendid satisfaction in every instance."

W. D. Rembert, of Brownsville, Mo., says: "Your Disc Harrow gives PERFECT satisfaction."

T. Pickerell, of Ottawa, Kansas, says: "Your Disc Harrow gives excellent satisfaction."

READ THIS.

Fairview Farm, Richland Co., Dak., Nov. 16, 1886.

Keystone Mfg. Co., Sterling, Ill.:

Gentlemen:—Yours of Nov. 6th at hand, in reply would say that we have fourteen of your Disc Harrows on our farm, which for cutting up and subduing our tough prairie sod has no equal. This last year we used them in place of harrows after our seeders, believing that they would put the wheat in in a more uniform depth and evenness on the ground. And the increase from 47,000 bushels of 1885, to that of 1886, of 58,000 bushels, we attribute mainly to the use of your Disc Harrows.

Yours truly, W. P. ADAMS, Agent.

Read What Farmers Say About The Combined Disc Harrow and Seed Sower.

Put My Grain In Without Plowing.

Dixon, Iowa, Nov. 12, 1886.

We take pleasure in saying, in reference to the Disc Harrow and Seeder combined, what a farmer said to us that purchased a Disc Harrow with Seeder last season. He said: "I was behind with my work at least three weeks. Was terribly worried how to get my grain into the ground. Hearing of the Keystone Disc Harrow and Seeder Attachment being sold in Dixon, Iowa, I went there and bought one of your Disc Harrows and Seeders combined, put two common farm horses on it and got my grain in before my neighbor, who was far in advance of me with his plowing before I purchased the Disc Harrow. I put my grain in without plowing. It left my ground in better shape and saved my horses the hard work of dragging the plow and I am positive I produced more bushels and better quality than any of my neighbors on adjoining farms." We look for a large trade in your Disc Harrows this spring.

Yours truly, KETELSEN & FLICK.

Could Not Get Along without It.

Hastings, Neb., Nov. 8, 1886.

Keystone Mfg. Co.:

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