

THE IMPLEMENT AGE

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MICHIGAN STATE FAIR.

The Michigan State Fair will be held at Pontiac, September 14th to 19th. The following list of manufacturers have sent as the list of goods they will display, together with the manager of their exhibit:

The Akron Cultivator Co., Akron, Ohio, the Kewanee, portable milky separator. G. A. Freder and E. M. Armstrong.

S. L. Allen & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., full size and 18 in., double and single wheel bores; corn-harvesters; rotary tillers; barrows; and potato diggers. E. E. Spring.

Anthony Finner Co., Tremont, Mich., worm-gear fence. John H. Condit, with the assistance of D. P. and C. B. Anthony.

Bucher & Gibbs Plow Co., Canton, Ohio, Imperial mold (chilled and combination plow); spring-mold harrow; spike-tooth harrow; disk harrow; one-horse cultivators; and land rollers. L. P. Gordon and W. B. Eklund.

The Champion Potato Machinery Co., Hammond, Ind., O. K. Champion potato planter and digger. Otto Kasperow.

The Haverhill Plow Co., Akron, Ohio, Haverhill potato digger. Wm. J. McClelland.

Hoar-Holmes Plow Co., Harvard, Ill., star hay carriers, truck, forks, pulleys, etc.; star steel disks and carriers; star hand-drawn harrows and truck; star wire meshers of all kinds; star tank wagon; star boxes; star wagons, etc. H. Berly and F. G. Hunt.

Kemp & Hays Plow Co., Lawrence, N. Y., Hays mower sprayer. C. A. Cropper and Floyd R. Todd.

La Rue Plow Co., La Rue, N. Y., full size of plow; Miller hay harrow; H. F. Colman.

P. P. Moss & Co., Springfield, Ohio, Buckeye grain drills, cultivators, etc. H. H. Sellers and W. H. Craig.

The New Era Gas Engine Co., Dayton, Ohio, New Era portable gasoline engine; Decker & Becker.

Ohio Gasoline Engine Works, Lansing, Mich., stationary and portable engines; full line of pumping engines. J. L. Ash, W. J. Dunbar and D. L. Wright.

Ohio Rake Co., Dayton, Ohio, Advance wood-train, spring-mold harrow; Ohio hay loader; side-delivery rake; Mowmen roller; Mowmen cultivator; ball center cut disk harrow; Chandy disk harrow; wood-hay fork-harrows; Lark harrow; Union Victor planter; and Quad spring-mold harrow. J. H. Isaac and A. B. Smith.

F. W. Ross Co., Springfield, Ohio, mangle rollers and roller assemblies. H. T. Mackinberg.

Randolph Mfg. Co., Randolph, Ill., full size hay presses; Chas. Searcy hay loader; and Southwick side-delivery rake. W. G. Adams.

The Standard Harrow Co., Union, N. Y., spring-mold harrow; spike-tooth and disk harrow; riding cultivators; weeders; potato harrows; and mowmen spreaders. L. D. Nunn, W. D. Cronan, Frank C. Wells and H. G. Hennessey.

Stewart Mfg. and Foundry Co., South Milwaukee, Wis., hay racks; Avery hay and corn perforator harrows; side wall and four rollers. W. L. Dyer.

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