

SUMMARY

The role and importance of harness transport in the peasant economy

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The harness transport used by peasants of the Kvėdarna region is analyze in the paper: its use for work and go-to-meeting, the ways of its acquisition, horse shoeing dynamics in the 2nd half of the 19th – 1st half of the 20th centuries, the fit-out of the upper part of harness with respect to the needs, the role of transport in the peasant economy and everyday life.