

hose ceased to play on the smoking embers ere the long-distance telephone was made to do duty, and telegraph messages, too, were sent hither and thither, purchasing



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a full line of the newest and best machinery and tools, also fresh supplies of raw material. This new machinery was erected in the large buildings not long since vacated by the Bain Waggon Company, Limited, on account of their removal to more commodious premises at Woodstock. In these newly equipped premises Verity ploughs were again being turned out in three weeks' time from the day of the fire—a marvellous achievement.

It is a matter for patriotic pride that the Massey-Harris Company, Limited, a truly Canadian industry, has carried off the highest prizes in the severest test of international field trials and exhibitions in various parts of the world. The company has the largest foreign trade of any existing agricultural implement manufacturers. It exports its implements largely to Great Britain and Ireland, Australia, Tasmania, New Zealand, Austria, France, Russia, Germany, Hungary, Holland, Belgium, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Greece,

Switzerland, Turkey, Roumania, Bulgaria, Algeria, Tunis, and several of the countries of South America and South Africa.

The works at both Toronto and Brantford were never busier in their history than the present season. For many weeks there have been over 1,000 wage earners in the Toronto works alone, and the Massey-Harris Company, Limited, is paying over \$2,500 per day in wages. This does not take into account the head office staff of officers, clerks, accountants, of nearly a hundred men. For weeks the works have been turning out a complete machine or implement ready to hitch to the team in every two minutes, i.e., more than 300 per day of ten hours. This increase in business is largely due to foreign trade, though the home trade is also reviving.



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By the business ability that has built up this great manufacturing