



THE MIGHTY HARVEST FIELD MONARCH'S Brilliant Achievements.

Returns from the Australasian Harvest Fields.

THE TORONTO LIGHT BINDER

HAS BEEN AWARDED

The Victorian Grand National **GOLD MEDAL** for Reapers and Binders

THE TORONTO WINS EIGHT FIRST PRIZES
and Two Seconds,

defeating every Machine of any note on the face of the Globe.

REPORTS OF THE TRIALS.

ST. ARNAUD, held Nov. 30th, 1888 } TORONTO, 1st Prize; McCormick, 2nd; Buckeye, 3rd; Howard
(Grand National Trial) } 4th; Deering, 5th.

NHILL TRIAL, held Nov. 15th, 1888 TORONTO, 1st Prize; Hornsby, 2nd; McCormick, 3rd; Deering, 4th.

STAWELL TRIAL, held Nov. 22nd, 1888 TORONTO, 1st Prize; Hornsby, 2nd; Buckeye, 3rd.

MURCHISON TRIAL, held Nov. 21st, 1888 ... TORONTO, 1st Prize; McCormick, 2nd; Osborne, 3rd.

LITTLE RIVER TRIAL, held Oct. 12th, 1888. TORONTO, 1st Prize; Buckeye, 2nd.

ARARAT TRIAL TORONTO, 1st Prize; Buckeye, 2nd; Deering, 3rd; Osborne, 4th.

ALBURY TRIAL, held Dec. 12th, 1888 TORONTO, 1st Prize; Hornsby, 2nd; old style Toronto, 3rd.

WHITTLESEA TRIAL, held Dec. 13th, 1888. TORONTO was awarded all three Prizes, 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

CHARLTON TRIAL, held Nov. 19th, 1888 Hornsby, 1st Prize; TORONTO, 2nd; McCormick, 3rd.

BALLARAT TRIAL, held Dec. 10th, 1888 ... Hornsby took 1st Prize, the TORONTO, owing to prejudice, being placed after the Hornsby, but nevertheless defeating the Woods, Buckeye, Howard, and Deering.

A REMARKABLY LIGHT-DRAFT MACHINE

The average draft of the Toronto Light Binder, as registered by the dynamometer at all the great Australasian field trials was 155 lbs. lighter than the average registered draft of the Deering Binder (as per the judges' reports); 131 lbs. lighter than the average draft of the McCormick Binder; 100 lbs. lighter than the Osborne; 90 lbs. lighter than the Buckeye; and 95 lbs. lighter than the Hornsby—a marvellous record that proves the "Toronto" to draw one horse lighter than any other Binder.

The Toronto has achieved a brilliant success in every country where it has been introduced.

HO! FOR TASMANIA!

Verbatim report from the *Launceston Examiner* of Jan. 12th, 1889:—

MASSEY'S TORONTO BINDER.

A trial of Massey's Toronto Reaper and Binder was held yesterday on Mr. John Boucher's farm, near the Hagley railway station, in the presence of several leading and experienced agriculturists. The trial was thoroughly satisfactory, as the machine worked in excellent style, and the general opinion was that it is the most complete Reaper and Binder which has yet been introduced into Tasmania. To sum up briefly, the opinion seemed to be that the machine was one farmers have been long looking for.

HAGLEY, TASMANIA, January 11, 1889.

The Massey Manufacturing Company:

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned farmers of the district, having witnessed a trial of your Toronto Light Binder, under the superintendence of your Messrs. Yott and Shields, at Mr. Jno. Boucher's farm at Hagley to-day, wish to express our satisfaction at the manner in which your machine has done the work. The cutting was very clean, and as low as any mower could have done it; the binding was excellently done, the sheaves being well tied, and not likely to come loose. The gearing of the machine is strong, but at the same time appears to run light. We believe that the provision of the third packer in the place of the butter, and the relief rake at the end of the knife are great additions to your machine, and a saving of labor, which is not to be found on any other maker's machine. The mechanical construction pleases us, and the machine appears to be light of draught and easy to handle. In conclusion we may say that the machine pleases us in every respect at this, the first trial of your machines in Tasmania, and we think the purchaser will find he has got value for his money.

We think your transport a perfect arrangement—one man unloading the machine and fixing the pole ready for work in less than five minutes. We think it is next to perfection.

Yours truly,

WILLIAM BADCOCK,
JOHN FRENCH, J. P.,
THOMAS GILES,
HENRY MITCHELL,
J. P. NEWTON,
J. CHINGLEPPER,

ERNEST BADCOCK,
ZACHARIAH DENT,
ANDREW H. HINGSTON,
JOHN BOUTCHER,
ROWLAND R. FRENCH,
GEORGE SCOTT.