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THE BURDEN BEARERS OF THE FARM IN THIS AGE OF MACHINERY

Crop experts tell us that the major crops of the farm can be produced now with about one-seventh of the human labor required to produce the same crops in 1850. This greatly increased efficiency of human labor has been accomplished by making the horse the burden bearer of the farm through the use of improved machinery. Hence the horse is a much more important factor in farm economy nowadays than ever before. The coming type is changing to meet the demands of heavier machinery. The draft team of Isaac Holland, Oxford Co., Ont., here illustrated, is the type that is demanded for both farm and city work.

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