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THE FIRST HARVEST OF THE YEAR IS IN FULL SWING ON MANY CANADIAN FARMS. A noteworthy feature of the maple syrup industry of to-day is the modern equipment that is rapidly displacing antiquated methods of handling the sap. Farmers, even those with small maple orchards, who a few years ago strongly contended that the old way was good enough, and that the expense of installing modern equipment would not be warranted, have changed their views. Each year sees a larger number of sugar camps fitted out with evaporators, improved spiles, buckets, and other paraphernalia, and the best thing about it all is that it pays. Photo taken in Mr. L. C. McConnell's sugar bush, Elgin Co., Ont.

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