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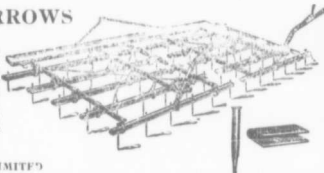
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The manufacturer who would furnish to potato growers the best digger, must build it upon the actual experience of a potato man. It can be said of the famous Hoover Digger that it grows directly out of the experience of Mr. T. W. Hoover, president of the Hoover-Prout Company. He was a large potato grower in Northern Ohio, and had been for 20 years, before he perfected his digger. He invented it originally for his own use. To-day it is in use by potato growers all over the country. There have been vast improvements in the Hoover Digger in later years. In 1905, the 22-inch elevator, with its large separating surface, was brought out. This improvement, together with its lighter draft, placed the Hoover in the very front rank of diggers. The manufacturers have made it a strong, durable machine—one that growers do not hesitate to put to work in any kind of soil. It can be depended upon to get all the potatoes, and a point that everybody appreciates is that it delivers them in fine shape, clean and uncut, in straight rows on top of the ground, where they are easy to pick up. If you are in need of a digger, don't place your order until you have written to the Hoover-Prout Company, Avery, Ohio, for their catalogue, and learned the merits of the Hoover Digger.

A Progressive Firm

Among the other places of business at which our representative has called during the past couple of weeks is that of Tolton Bros., Limited, of Guelph, Ontario, and he was very pleased to see everything running full force, and that business seemed to be in a very flourishing condition with them. All hands were busily employed putting up machines to fill orders for hay carriers, harrows, pea harvesters, pulpers, etc. He also learned that during the past three years their business has increased fully fifty per cent, which speaks very forcibly regarding the high quality of the machinery they are turning out. People are more convinced than ever that it is more economical to pay a fair price for good goods than to buy the low class for less money. It might be worthy of note to say that our representative was more than surprised at the valuable improvements being made in the different implements they are manufacturing, which will tell in bringing them many orders for their goods.

The present season bids fair to be more active than any in the history of the firm and we feel assured that a bright future is ahead of them.

An Improvement in Barn Door Latches

We wish to draw the attention of our readers to a new barn door latch which has recently been brought to our notice. This latch, made by the Albany Hardware Specialty Manufacturing Co., of Albany, Wis., seems to have a number of new and important improvements.

It automatically catches and holds the door either closed or open. It is attractive in design, material and finish, and seems to be amply strong for all purposes.

One of the most essential features of a good latch, and one which is usually found wanting, is that it shall have no projecting points that will either catch in the harness or injure the animal itself when passing through the door.

It is claimed, and we believe justifi-