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## THE FIRE AT THE TORONTO ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY'S WORKS.

On Thursday morning, Jan. 21st, a most disastrous fire occurred at the works of the Toronto Electric Light

site some ten years ago. At that time it was considered quite a building, and amply large enough for the work for many years to come, but the rapid extension of the business of incandescent lighting and motor power



VIEWS OF THE TORONTO ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY'S PREMISES, PREVIOUS TO THE RECENT FIRE.

Company, which resulted in the total destruction of the arc lighting plant. The building, which was a trame iron-clad structure, was the first building erected on the

necessitated other and larger buildings, notably the one completed but a few weeks before the fire—an entirely fire-proof structure, containing two one-thousand horse