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writes : Few are now living who took an
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togaged in clearing the land, and ay. My reoollection is very distin as far back as 1841, and when I re-
flect on the past and on the primitive
tools they had to work with, I can they had to do. I propose to take up the different implements then in use nd compare them with the splendi from the early reaping, hook up to the
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nabled to swing the syt nd lay a pretty fair swath, which bound. By this o moro than two shearers, a decided until another penius conceived the
dea of putting in an upright standard near the heel of the sythe, and puttin in fingers, so as to secure the graii
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