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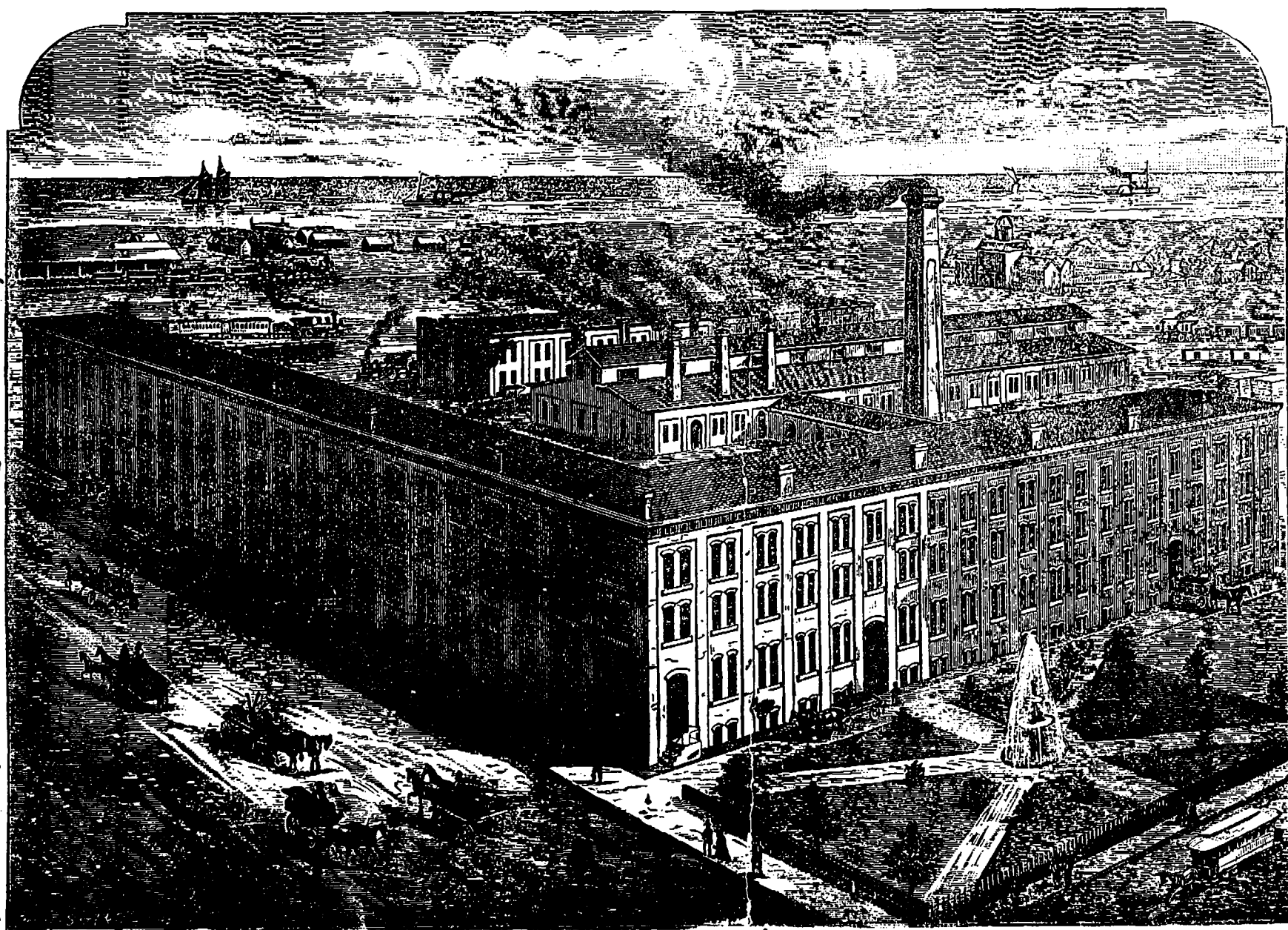
THE MASSEY MANUFACTURING COMPANY

Build double the number of Reapers, Mowers, Binders and Horse Rakes of any manufacturers in Canada.

10,300 MADE FOR 1883! - - - 11,500 to be Made for 1884!!

The greatest number of Machines ever built by any one concern in the Dominion.

We employ a Staff of over 400 men. We pay for wages about \$18,000 per month.



The Largest Factory and Best Equipped in the Dominion of Canada.

THE WORKS OF THE MASSEY MANUFACTURING COMPANY FOR 1883.

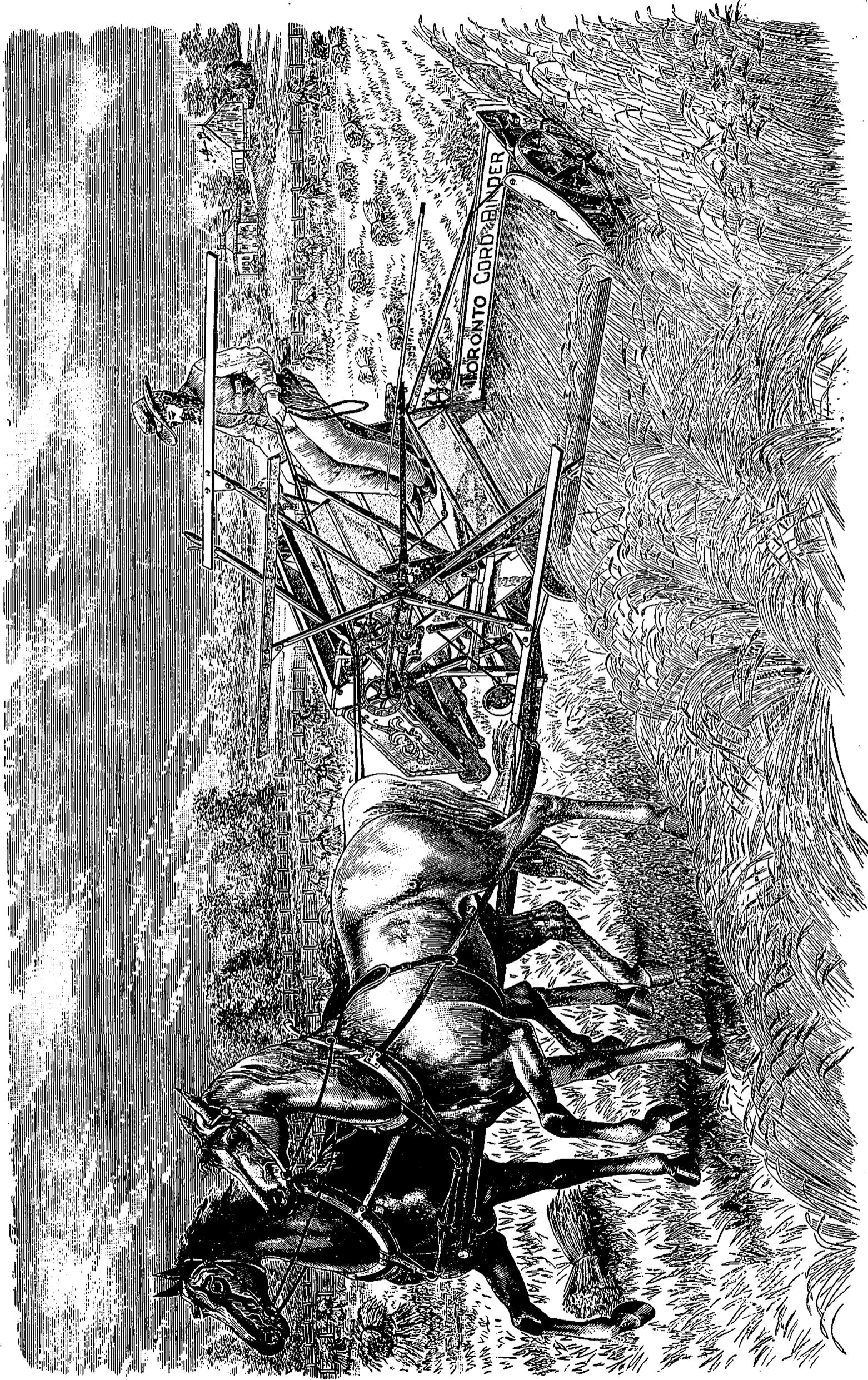
Now being greatly enlarged, 400 feet, 4 stories high, 50 feet wide, being added to meet the demand of our celebrated machines the coming season.

Read description of our Factories on Page 4, and visit them before leaving the City.

EXAMINE THEM THOROUGHLY BEFORE LEAVING THE GROUND.

The Toronto Cord Binder has made the best record of any Elevator Binder in America and will continue to do so.

READ A FEW TESTIMONIALS RECEIVED IN ITS FAVOR.



The Toronto Cord Binder — Improved for 1884.

TWO SIZES—5 and 6 FEET CUT.

1,500 Cord Binders will be built for 1884 by The Massey Manufacturing Co.

The Toronto Binder is the Lightest Elevator Binder in the Market.
The Toronto Binder is superior in construction to any other.

Points of Excellence in the Toronto Cord Binders.

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| <p>The Main Wheel is 40 inches in diameter, and has an 8-inch tire.</p> <p>The Belt Bearings are fitted with spiral springs, which provides against shrinkage or stretching of the canvas.</p> <p>The Pitman drives the knife through two guards.</p> <p>The Platform Belt runs within half an inch of the knife.</p> <p>The Elevator Belts are wider than on other Harvesters, giving them greater capacity.</p> <p>The Relief Rake feeds all the grain into the elevators, and allows none to gather in and around the knife heel.</p> <p>The Shifter Lever is conveniently worked by the driver's foot.</p> <p>The Cutter Bar is made of angular steel, and is the most expensive and best in use.</p> <p>The Guards are of wrought iron, with case-hardened face.</p> | <p>The Binding Attachment is readily adjusted to bind short or long grain.</p> <p>The Butt Packer brings the grain down in a square form to the Binder.</p> <p>The New and Simple Trip is used only on The Toronto Binder, and is very sensitive.</p> <p>The Cord Stripper and Knife are readily adjusted to guide and cut the twine properly.</p> <p>The New Lock Gear effectually prevents the breaking of the gear wheels.</p> <p>The Tension is on the cord, only when tying the sheaf.</p> <p>The Reel is readily adjusted to suit all kinds of grain—long, short, or tangled.</p> <p>The Driver's Seat is conveniently located, giving him full control of the machine.</p> <p>The Tilt Lever is convenient to the driver, and is used when picking up short or lodged grain—at which the Toronto in unexcelled.</p> |
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NEWCASTLE, Ont., Aug. 20, 1883.

The Massey Manufacturing Co.:

GENTLEMEN,—I cannot allow the harvest to pass without sending you my testimonial for the Toronto Cord Binder. I have seen the Brantford Cord Binder and also the Dundas Cord Binder working. I give the Toronto Cord Binder the preference before any other that I have yet seen work. I am safe in saying that I cut 16 acres per day. The most important part to the farmers is to have their harvesting done in fine weather. I cut 11 acres between half-past ten and sundown; also cut 7 acres, starting at 2 o'clock, and finishing at 7 o'clock. My barley was very badly down. The above-named Binder will cut and tie the worst down grain I ever saw; barley that will go 40 to 45 bushels per acre. I am satisfied that I saved the expense of the cord in cleaning all the grain off the land, which is no small item to the farmer. The cut is 6 feet; the sheaf laid 12 feet from the grain cut, so that the horses do not tread on the sheaves when working. It does its work very clean and neat, and no two sheaves are tied together; every sheaf is delivered by itself. I have no interest in the Massey Manufacturing Co., for the above testimonial which I send; but I give credit to whom credit is due. Mr. Massey has spared no expense in getting the best Cord Binder that is now in the market, and I can safely recommend the Toronto Cord Binder to all farmers who wish to have their grain harvested with scarce any expense to themselves and trouble in their houses. Binding by hand is a thing of the past.

RICHARD VARCOE

Sept. 1, 1883.

I have since cut a field of very heavy oats, badly down and tangled, the machine doing a far better job than could be done with a Rake Reaper, or by hand, and, after examining many others, have seen none that can equal the Toronto.

R. VARCOE.

NEWCASTLE, Aug. 30, 1883.

The Massey Manufacturing Co.:

SIRS,—The Toronto Cord Binder I purchased from you has given me entire satisfaction. I have seen the Dundas Binder and the Brantford at work, and prefer my own to either. She runs lighter, cuts fast, and pleases me well, and I am satisfied will be a durable machine.

C. BAKER.

SOUTH EASTHOPE, Aug. 27, 1883.

The Massey Manufacturing Co., Toronto:

GENTLEMEN,—We, the undersigned, have seen one of your Toronto Cord Binders at work to-day on the farm of Mr. Lorenzo Dantzer, near Shakespeare, township of South Easthope, doing its work in a first-class manner, cutting clean, and with perfection in binding and delivery of sheaf; the driver having perfect control of the machine, and in a very easy manner adjusted it to suit short or long grain.

H. H. SCHAFER,
DANIEL SCHMIDT,
JOHN OAHM,
ALONZO WEITZEL,
GEORGE HILDEBRAND,
HENRY SCHMIDT,
DONALD MCTAVISH,
SEVERINCE ARNALL,
JOSEPH FRASER,
WILLIAM BELL,
LORENZO DANTZER.

EAST ZORRA, Aug. 10, 1883.

Massey Manufacturing Co., Toronto:

We were present and saw your Toronto Cord Binder work in the field of Jacob Bender, on farm lot 36, con. 5, East Zorra, two miles from Tavistock, in heavy oats, doing its work satisfactorily. Any ordinary team can handle it. It is just what the farmers need—light, strong, simple and handy. Any boy that can drive a team can handle it; but for general work, we recommend three horses.

JACOB ROTH,
JOSEPH SHWEGLER,
D. H. HANSULD,
KASPER KAUFMANN,
NICOLAUS SCHLEGEL,
JOHN LOTHE,
FRED. SIEGNER,
JOSEPH L. ZEHR,
C. M. BENDER,
C. WENKER,
JACOB M. BENDER,
DAVID RUDY,
NICOLAUS RUBY,
MICHAEL K. YANTZI,
AINIAT SCHLEGEL.

(Purchaser)

MARIPOSA, Aug. 10, 1883.

Massey Manufacturing Co., Toronto:

SIRS,—We were present at Mr. Tinney's and saw your Toronto Cord Binder started in a heavy crop of fall wheat, and must say it worked to perfection, not making a single miss, cutting a clean stubble, and apparently drawing easily. Could not work better.

(Purchaser)

JOSEPH TINNEY,
NIEL PATTERSON,
W. H. RUNDLE,
L. MCKINNON,
SAMUEL WHITEBREAD,
AARON SHARP,
JOHN W. COOK,
DONALD PATTEY.

NEWCASTLE, Sept. 3, 1883.

The Massey Manufacturing Co.:

The Toronto Cord Binder made by the Massey Manufacturing Co., Toronto, works well. We have cut very heavy and lodged oats and wheat, also some light grain, and it works well, did better work than could be done any other way. It separates well and does a most excellent job in cutting and binding.

Respectfully yours,
HENRY MIDDLETON,
JOHN H. MIDDLETON.

VAUGHAN, Aug. 3, 1883.

The Massey Manufacturing Co.:

GENTS,—Please send me 50lbs. more binding cord, to R. Hill. Toronto Binder doing well. Thinks it cannot be excelled.

Yours, etc.,

JACOB SNIDER.

BARRIE, Aug. 11, 1883.

To the Massey Manufacturing Co., Toronto:

GENTLEMEN,—Having bought a Toronto Cord Binder from your agent, Mr. Purvis, in Barrie, I must say it is the best machine I ever saw in a harvest field, and would recommend any farmer wanting a machine to buy a Toronto Binder.

JOHN PRINGLE.

SEAFORTH, Aug. 31st, 1883.

Massey Manufacturing Co., Toronto:

DEAR SIRS,—We have witnessed an exhibition of your Toronto Binder on the farm of Mr. Maudlin; it was working in oats very badly lodged, tangled and flat down, and will simply say we never saw better work done, and more; it passed all our most sanguine expectations, picking up the grain in the most perfect manner, and binding a good square sheaf, never slipping a knot, drawing with one team, not large or heavy of draft; would recommend it to all intending purchasers.

(Signed)

ALEX. STERNMORE,
THOS. HILLS,
D. MCMILLAN.

TORONTO, Ont., Aug., 1883.

Massey Manufacturing Co.:

GENTLEMEN,—The Toronto Cord Binder I purchased from you this season, has given me much satisfaction. I have used it in both short and tangled grain, and find it will cut an even stubble everywhere, and at any height, and will cut grain equal to any single Reaper.

D. MCDUGALD, Malton.

The Toronto Binder purchased from you this season, gives me entire satisfaction.

WM. TRAU,
Markham Township.

BARRIE, Sept. 8th, 1883.

To the Massey Manufacturing Co.:

GENTLEMEN,—Having purchased a Toronto Cord Binder from your agent, Mr. T. R. Purvis, of Barrie, I take great pleasure in sending you this testimonial in regard to the Binder. I will say that I have just finished cutting 93 acres of wheat and 23 acres of oats, and 20 of barley, all of which was done in a style superior to anything I ever saw done in a harvest field, that is for the evenness of cut and cleanness of the work, especially the barley, which was cut and bound in splendid style. Also the machine is light of draft, having cut at least 50 acres of the above crop with one span of horses that do not weigh over twelve hundred each, and it never turned a hair on one of them. I have great pleasure in recommending it to any farmer in want of such a machine, as I can assure any farmer that tries one, that he would not be without it for twice the price of it.

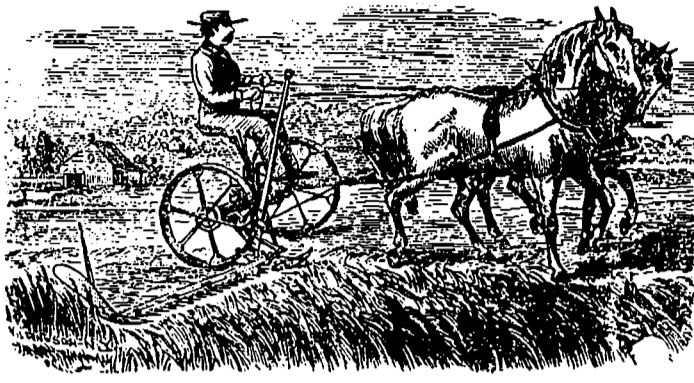
I remain, yours truly,
JOHN PRINGLE.

Does Farming Pay?

The Providence Democrat, in answering this question, tells of a young farmer in that State who thought it did not pay, and therefore went to the city to look for a situation where he could make more money. He consulted an acquaintance who had a good position in the city, and they compared notes. The farmer had supported his family on a hired farm, fed and clothed them well, but had put by only \$50 during the year. The clerk, whose family was not as large, had lived very prudently upon a salary of \$3 per day and had accumulated a debt of \$75 in the same length of time. Nearly every dollar of his pay could be accounted for in house rent, car fare, food, fuel and necessary clothing, and the debt was caused by a purchase of needed furniture. It is unnecessary to state that the farmer returned to the farm with a different idea of the profits of farming.

Massey's Illustrated.

A Journal of Harvesting Machinery.



Massey's Illustrated will be mailed free to any one sending his address.

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**THE MASSEY MANUFACTURING CO'Y,
TORONTO, ONTARIO.**

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FALL ANNOUNCEMENT

—OF—

THE MASSEY MANUFACTURING CO.

HAVING now passed through another harvest, the manner in which our products have been appreciated by our agents and patrons is extremely gratifying to us, but we are sorry to have again to announce the fact that we received

HUNDREDS OF ORDERS

that we were unable to fill—this has been the case for the last sixteen years, although we have each year built the number promised. To our list of manufactures for next season we shall add the

TORONTO LIGHT CORD BINDER,

a machine that is in every respect unexcelled, cutting a swath of five feet, and easily handled with one team. This with our **Toronto Binder**, six feet cut, and **Low Down Binder**, five feet cut, will make the

FINEST CHOICE

of this class of machines in the market. Our **Massey Harvester** has been very much improved for the coming season, and we desire that every one shall thoroughly examine them before placing their orders for other machines. The **Toronto and Massey Mowers** now stand unrivalled, no change being found necessary in them; they will therefore be built as before, and in this special line we hope another season to be able to supply the demand. Of these machines we shall build 4,000 for 1884. The **Sharp's Rake**, also, has reached perfection in every respect, and never fails to give satisfaction.

We have now decided on building for the coming season

4,000 Toronto and Massey Mowers,
4,000 Sharp's Horse Rakes;
2,000 Massey Harvesters,
1,500 Cord Binders.

Making the grand number of 11,500 Mowers, Rakes, Reapers and Binders, which is more than double the number ever built by any one factory in the Dominion. To attain this great end we have added to our already extensive factories over

400 FEET OF BUILDINGS,

four stories high and fifty ft. wide, giving us the enormous floor space of 192,000 square feet, or covering an area of four acres, being equal to a workshop 36 feet wide and one mile in length.

The works are situated on the old Exhibition Grounds near the corner of King Street and Strachan Avenue, and occupy six acres. In the construction of the building over two million brick, one million feet of lumber, twelve hundred loads of stone, eighteen thousand panes of glass, etc., are used. The main building has a frontage of 485 feet on Massey Street, with an L or branch of 260 feet, all having an average of from 50 to 60 feet in width, and four stories in height, including basement. Total length therefore of main building 745 feet, four stories high.

The foundry and blacksmith shop is 270 x 60 feet.

KNIFE AND BAR AND RAKE TOOTH

department 100 x 36, two stories. Engine-room and Boiler-house 50 x 70. Tool-room and Patternmakers department, 20 x 40, two stories. These buildings are all brick. A frame storehouse 200 x 20; coal sheds, 400 x 15; a stable and driving-house, 50 x 75, and a substantial oil-house under ground, 27 x 33, completes the list. Two private railroad sidings capable of holding 20 cars at a time—unloading and loading, are so placed as to deliver the raw materials at one end of the works and receive the finished products at the opposite end. During a year's time no less than from

1,200 TO 1,500 LOADED CARS

are received and shipped, the simple handling of so great an amount of goods requiring a large staff of men.

The power is at present supplied by two 60 horse-power boilers and a 100 horse-power engine; also by a 30 horse-power portable engine and boiler (the latter will be at once displaced by two new 60 horse-power boilers, making four in all, and a new 60 or 75 horse-power engine). In no other Reaper and Mower factory in Canada can there be found so

COMPLETE FACILITIES

and so plentiful a supply of the most expensive and at the same time necessary special tools and machinery, several of these costing from one thousand to upwards of two thousand dollars each.

The buildings are heated by steam. Five large and powerful steam elevators convey materials or finished work from one flat to another in the different departments.

The employees number over 400, (their pay-roll amounts to nearly \$18,000 a month,) and are in charge of fifteen foremen, the whole superintended by Mr. Matthew Garvin, our mechanical superintendent for several years. Two night watchmen, have charge of the premises at night, and a day patrolman during the day. There are ten on the office staff and a board of three directors,—H. A. Massey, President; C. A. Massey, Vice-President and General Manager, and George Metcalfe, Secretary.

The new offices of the company (50 x 65 ft., four stories including basement) which will soon be completed, will be very handsome, and will have all the

modern conveniences, and every attention has been paid to the health and comfort of all connected with the establishment. It is proposed to convert the second and third stories of the office building for the use of the employees as a Library, Reading-room, Dining or Concert Hall, etc., etc. The first or ground floor and basement being used for the general business of the Company. It is no idle boast when we state that the demand for our productions has always exceeded the supply, and **that our sales are double that of any of our competitors**; this is from the simple fact that the machines made by us are the best in the market—of the best styles—made of the best materials—by the best workmen and best machinery to be obtained. It has always been our motto to turn out nothing but

"THE BEST,"

and the best is always cheapest in the end. It is by patient, persevering labour for nearly forty years, backed by ample capital, and a conscientious effort to serve their customers well, that the Company and its founders have been able to gradually work the business up to its present state, and none more fully reaps the benefit of their splendid facilities or achievements than the best and the leading farmers of Canada, who are sure to be on their long list of customers.

THE MACHINES

MADE BY THE

MASSEY MANUFACTURING CO.

Are very light in draft and very durable;

They are immense in saving Down Grain and Grass;

They are easily operated and handled;

They are regulated instantly to suit the grain and grass;

They are free from weight on the horses neck;

They are easily taken apart and put together;

They are very substantially built, and

They are thoroughly guaranteed.

OFFICE AND WORKS

—OF—

The Massey Manufacturing Co'y.

701 King St. West, Toronto.

COR. MASSEY STREET.

BRANCH OFFICES:

WINNIPEG, MAN.,

T. J. McBRIDE,
MANAGER.

ST. JOHN, N. B.,

TIPPET, BURDITT & CO.

MONTREAL, QUE.,

JAS. R. SHARP.

THE MASSEY HARVESTER!

IMPROVED FOR 1884.

2,000 Sold this Season.

Several Hundred Unfilled Orders.

2,000
WILL BE MADE FOR 1884.



2,000
WILL BE MADE FOR 1884.

The Massey Harvester never fails to give satisfaction.
It has double the sale of any Reaper in Canada.

FACT.

It is a fact that the machines made by the Massey Manufacturing Company are immensely popular.
It is a fact that our aim is, and always has been, to produce the very best Farm Machinery of the times.
It is a fact that we have the best facilities for the manufacture of Reapers, Mowers, Binders and Horse Rakes of any makers in Canada.

FANCY.

"Bridget, what makes your master's socks such an awful color?" inquired Mrs. Goldeye of her help the other morning. "Color, mum?" "Yes, color! They are all brown at the toes." "Ah, sure, that's the coffee stains, me lady." "The what?" "Where I was just ather straining the coffee through 'em. Shure ye needn't be lookin' at a poor crayture like that—it was before I put them in the wash I used 'em, an' bad luck to 'em!"

FUN.

Down in Tama County, last week a cat was born with two heads. It is lively and healthy, and can yowl with one mouth and waul with the other. If this breed of cats becomes common it will just set the millenium back about four thousand years.
A housekeeper asks: "What is the simplest way to keep jelly from moulding on top?" Shut a small boy up in the pantry for a few minutes.

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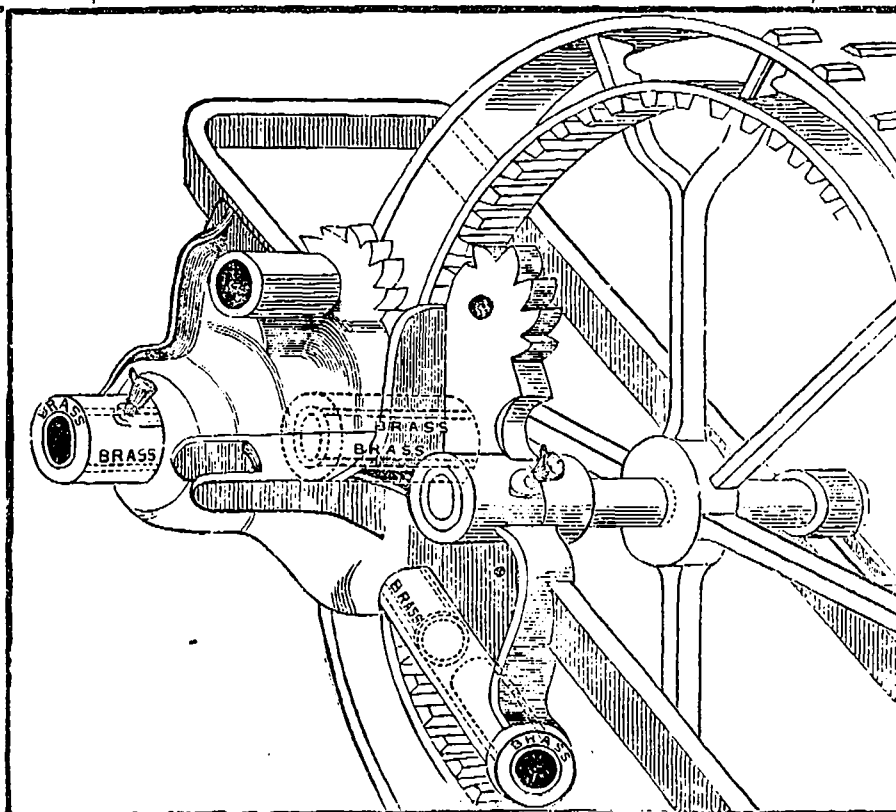
Massey Mfg. Co.

Business established 1847.

Incorporation of the Company 1870.

Removal to Toronto, 1879.

Purchase of Toronto Reaper and Mower Co.'s Business 1881.



Principal Bearings of the Massey Harvester.

— THE —

Massey Mfg. Co.

First to manufacture a Self-Rake Reaper.

First to manufacture a Sulky Horse Rake.

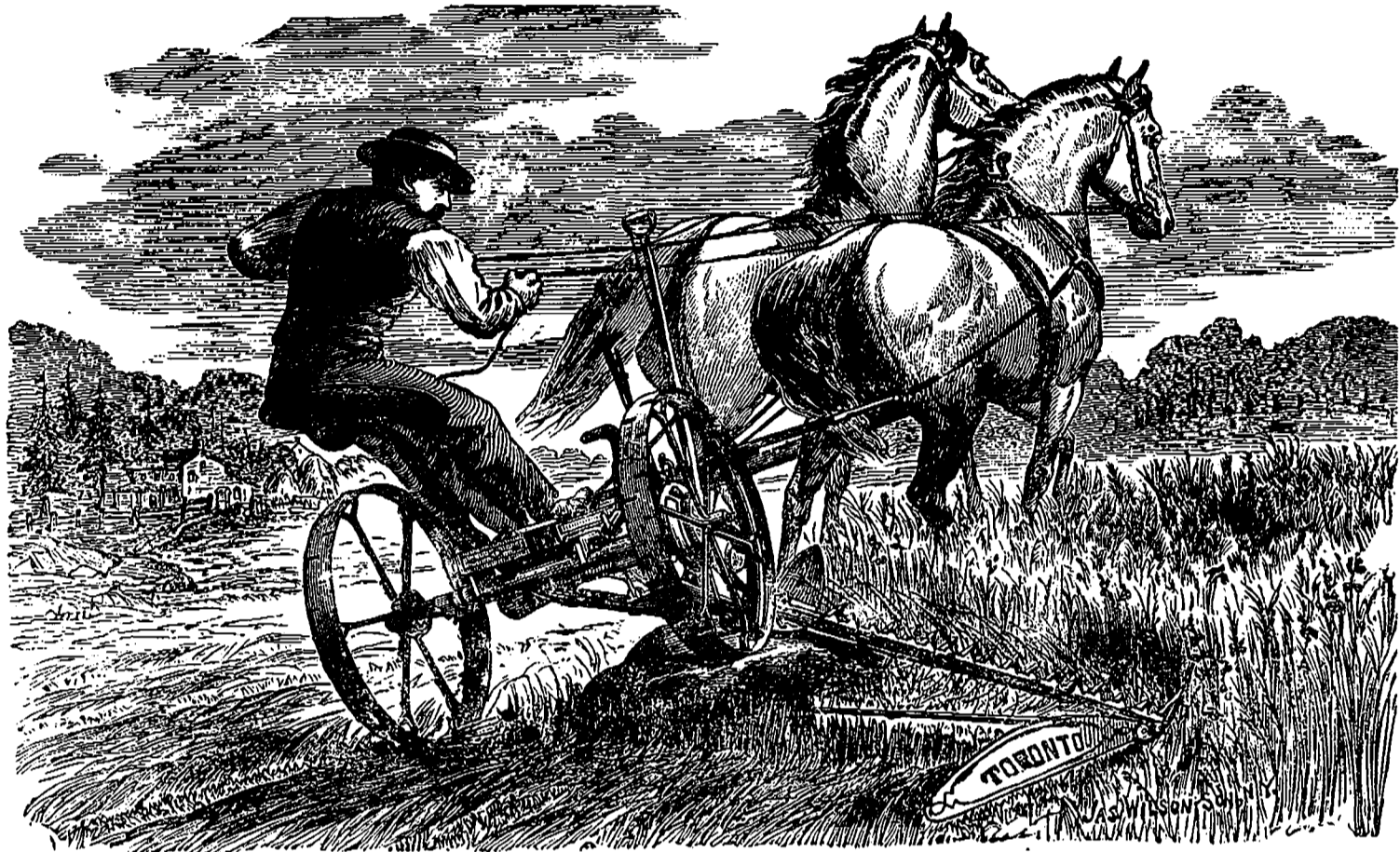
First in the quality and quantity of its manufactures.

EXAMINE THE BEARINGS OF THE MASSEY HARVESTER.

The Toronto and the Massey Mowers

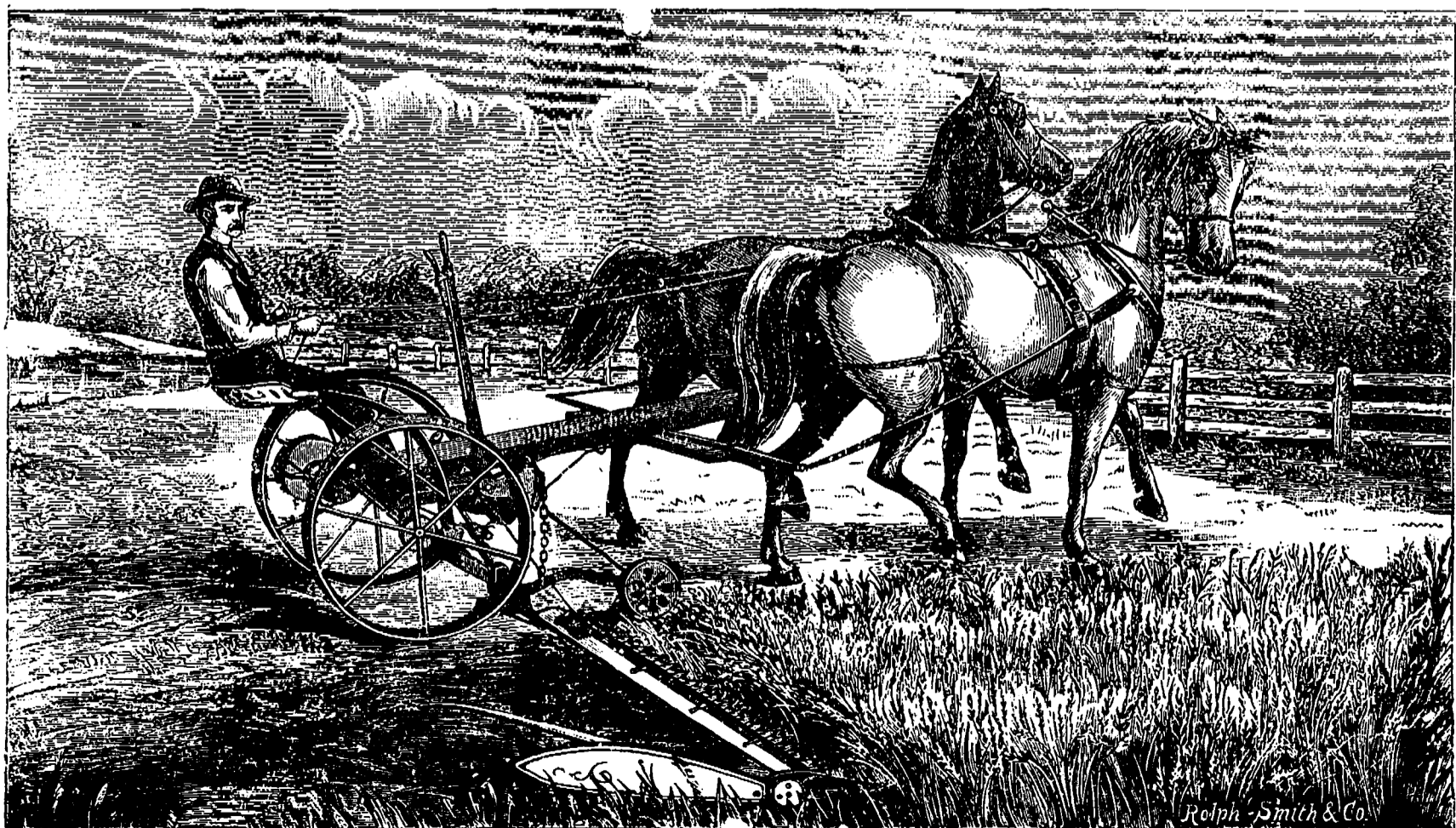
Are the two Leading Mowers in the Dominion. They have twice the sale of any others.

**3,100 MADE AND SOLD THIS SEASON.
4,000 TO BE BUILT FOR 1884.**



The Toronto Mower at work on Stony Ground.

For Simplicity of Construction, Lightness of Draught, Adaptability to all conditions of grass and ground and General Durability, they are unequalled in the world.



THE MASSEY MOWER.

THE SHARP'S HORSE RAKE!

Perfect in Construction.

No Equal or No Sale.

22,600 now in use in Canada. 4,000 will be built for 1884.



SHARP'S HORSE RAKE.

The Massey Manufacturing Company devote their sole attention to the manufacture of harvesting machinery.

The Massey Manufacturing Company have the largest factories in the Dominion.

The Massey Manufacturing Company build twice the number of Reapers, Mowers, Binders and Rakes of any Manufacturers in Canada.

The Massey Manufacturing Company is the only firm in this country who make their own Knives and Sections.

OUR RAKE PYRAMID

1874	350	1874
1875	1,000	1875
1876	1,200	1876
1877	1,500	1877
1878	2,000	1878
1879	2,150	1879
1880	3,000	1880
1881	3,200	1881
1882	4,000	1882
1883	4,200	1883
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TOTAL	22,600	

22,600 Sharp's Horse Rakes made by the Massey Manufacturing Co. since 1874. See the increase each year and consider the cause.

Note.—For several years prior to the year 1875 we also manufactured another style of Horse Rake which we subsequently discarded, finding Sharp's rake so much superior.

The Massey Manufacturing Company offer you your choice of three styles of Binders.

- The Massey Manufacturing Company are the sole manufacturers of the
- Massey Harvester.
 - Toronto Reaper.
 - Toronto Mower.
 - Massey Mower.
 - Toronto Cord Binder, 6 ft. cut.
 - Toronto Cord Binder, 5 ft. cut.
 - The Massey Low Down Binder, 5 ft. cut.
 - The Sharp's Horse Rake.

The Massey Manufacturing Company offer the largest and choicest assortment of harvesting machinery of any manufacturers.

The Massey Low Down Cord Binder.

500 MADE THIS SEASON!

INCREASED DEMAND FOR 1884!!



— THE MASSEY LOW DOWN BINDER. —

1,500 CORD BINDERS WILL BE BUILT BY US FOR 1884.

We publish a few testimonials from prominent farmers who have used them.

CHATHAM, July 30th, 1883.

Messrs. Stephens & Stringer,
Agents Massey Manufacturing Co.:

DEAR SIRs.—The Massey Low Down Binder we bought from you is a perfect success, doing its work in a very satisfactory manner. Any ordinary team can cut ten acres per day. It can be driven through a common farm gate. It is just what the farmers need, light, strong, simple, durable and handy, any boy that can drive a team can handle it.

Yours truly,

JOHN LONGMORE, WM. LONGMORE,
WM. OLD, JOSEPH SHEPHELY,
WM. PRICE, HENRY DRURY,
MITCHELL & BELL.

BEETON, August 12th, 1883.

Massey Manufacturing Co.:

GENTLEMEN.—After having a thorough test of the Low Down Binder which we bought of your agent, James Gauley, we are in a position to say it has given us entire satisfaction, and would heartily recommend it to our brother farmers who are in need of a binding Harvester.

JAS. RIDDELL, Purchaser,
CHARLES BAXTER,
JOHN COULTER,
E. A. KEMP,
E. B. BOREAND.

OLD HOME FARM,
MARKHAM, August 7th, 1883.

The Massey Manufacturing Co., Toronto:

GENTS.—The Massey Low Down Binder I bought from M. J. Beare is a success, doing its work in both wheat and barley in a highly satisfactory manner. It is very easily managed, makes a neat sheaf and can be adjusted to any size or tightness desired. It is destined to be The Self-Binding Harvester of the age, being worked with an ordinary team of horses, and can be taken through any usual width of gate.

I am, Gents, yours truly,

N. E. REESOR.

BURRCOTT'S RAPIDS, August 8th, 1883.

The Massey Manufacturing Co., Toronto:

This is to certify that the Massey Low Down Binder I bought from your agent, Mr. V. Lamping, has now cut about 50 acres of rye in one week, and also cut eight acres in one half day, with a pair of horses weighing not more than ten hundred each, and I am satisfied beyond my expectations, and believe I could sell a dozen next season. I can recommend the Low Down Binder as a first-class machine and wish them every success.

Yours, etc., WALSEY PERCIVAL.

HOMER P.O., Aug. 15th, 1883.

The Massey Manufacturing Co.:

GENTLEMEN.—Having bought one of your Low Down Binders from your agent, A. W. Bessey, and having given it a thorough trial in heavy stout wheat and over extremely rough ground and deep ditches, I have no hesitation in saying it is the farmer's friend. It has given me entire satisfaction in every respect. My team, being small, handled it with ease, cutting from ten to twelve acres per day, and with not one oz. of side draft. Brother farmers buy a Low Down Binder and be happy.

JAMES SERVOS.

FINGAL, August 4th, 1883.

Massey Manufacturing Co., Toronto:

GENTLEMEN.—The Low Down Binder I purchased from your agents, McArthur & Ridsen, has given me entire satisfaction. After having cut 26 acres heavy fall wheat, badly lodged and wet, I have no hesitation in recommending it to fellow farmers.

Yours, &c., JOHN BISELL.

ST. CATHARINES, Aug. 30th, '83.

Massey Manufacturing Co.

GENTLEMEN.—Having bought one of your Low Down Binders from your agent, A. W. Bessey, and have given it a thorough trial in all kinds of grain, both heavy, light lodged, and it has done its work very satisfactory and I take pleasure in recommending it to my brother farmers, being light in draught and easy to handle, going through any ordinary gate and is all I could wish for.

OSCAR H. LUTZ.

OAKWOOD, August 7th, 1883.

Massey Manufacturing Co., Toronto:

SIRS,—To-day I have cut five acres of heavy fall wheat, most of it was badly down and tangled in all shapes, in fact I never thought any Binder would handle it, but your Low down Binder cut it, did not miss half a dozen straws, making a complete separation, and did it in better shape than it possibly could have been done with Self-Rake Reaper and tied by hand. Had no stops except to oil. Draws light, my team handles it with all ease, and I also tried it in barley and must say I am more than pleased with it.

Yours truly, WM. THORNDIKE.

SCARBORO', September 3rd, 1883.

The Massey Manufacturing Co.:

GENTLEMEN,—I have now finished my harvesting with Massey's Low Down Binder purchased through your agent, Mr. J. Beare, and must say that it has met my most sanguine expectations. I had no trouble or break-ages, and its work far surpasses the ordinary way of gathering in the harvest with Self-Raking Reapers and Binders. It is exceedingly easy to manage, and it makes an excellent sheaf.

SILAS PHENIX.

CANNINGTON, Thursday Aug. 30, 1883.

The Massey Manufacturing Co., Toronto:

I have cut 40 acres of grain with my Low Down Binder and I am well pleased with my machine. It has given me good satisfaction. I have cut with it peas, oats and barley mixed, and in this crop your machine did good work, cutting and binding every sheaf.

JOSEPH BLACK.

MARKHAM, Ont., Aug. 9th, 1883.

Massey Manufacturing Co.:

SIRS,—I have one of your Low Down Binders in successful operation and would cheerfully recommend it to all farmers who want a perfect easy running machine.

Yours truly,
GEO. MILLER.

Riggfoot Farm, Markham, Ont.