

and Deu. (Chrys. on the Priesthood, lib. 6, chap. 4). The Priest acts familiarly with God (St. Ephraim, lib. v. de Sacerd).

Our Redeemer died to establish the Priesthood. It was not necessary that the Redeemer should die to save the world; one drop of His blood—one tear—one prayer, would have been sufficient (for) the salvation of all men, because that prayer being of infinite value, would be sufficient to obtain to save not one, but millions of worlds; whilst, to establish the Priesthood, the death of Jesus Christ was necessary; otherwise, where would that victim be found which the Priests of the New Law offer—a victim infinitely holy without stain, sufficient of itself alone to honour God in a manner worthy of Him. All the lives of the angels and saints, as has been said would not be capable to render to God the infinite honour which a Priest pays Him by one sole mass.

The dignity of the Priesthood is measured by the power which it exercises over the real and mystic body of Christ. As to the real body, it is of faith that the moment the Priest consecrates the incarnate Word obliges itself to obey and descend into his hands under the sacramental species. One is astonished in learning that God obeyed Joshua, and ordered the sun to stop at his voice. But behold a subject of more wonderful astonishment still: the Priest pronounces a few words (*Hoc est corpus meum*) and immediately God himself, descends on the altar: when ever the Priest calls Him in consecration, and so often as he calls Him, He places himself between his hands, even should the Priest be His enemy. "O greatest of all power," says St. Lam. Just. Sermon on the Euch., "at their pleasure the body of Christ is transubstantiated from bread, the Word, descends from Heaven, and is found on the altar. This is granted to them (the Priests) by grace, which was never granted to the angels; the latter assist God, the former handle Him with their hands, distribute Him, and receive Him."

As regards the mystic body of Christ, which is composed of the faithful, the Priest has the power of the keys; that is, he can extricate the sinner from Hell, render him worthy of Paradise, and, from being a slave of the demon, make him a child of God. And God has obliged himself to confirm the judgment of the Priest—to refuse or grant His pardon, according as the Priest refuses or grants absolution, provided the penitent is worthy of it. "So great is the judicial power given to the Priest," says St. Maximus, "that at his will the celestial judgment is passed." The sentence of the Priest proceeds (precedes) that of the Redeemer; the Lord follows His servant, and whatever he judges below the Lord approves of it above." (St. Peter, Dam.). The Priests are the dispensers of Divine grace and God's associates: "Regard the Priests," says St. Ignatius, the martyr, in his letter to Polycarp, "as the stewards of the Divine goods in the house of God, and as the associates of God." And St. Prosper, in his book on contemplative life, speaks of them thus: "They are the honour of the Church—it most firm pillars—the gates of the eternal city through which all must enter into Christ: they are the door-keepers, to whom are given the keys of the kingdom of Heaven, they are the stewards of the royal palace, at whose discretion their places are marked out for each."

FIRE.—The house owned and occupied by Mr. John Jones, in Richmond, together with his barn and out-buildings, were totally destroyed by fire on Wednesday last. The fire is supposed to have been caused by a spark lodging on the roof of a shed; it had made so much progress when it was discovered that it was with great difficulty that any part of the furniture was saved. The flames were perceived by the inhabitants of Houlton who came in great numbers to render assistance, many of the neighbours also assembled, and did all in their power to save the furniture, it being plainly impossible to save the building. We regret however, to learn that there were some exceptions to this, and that there were those present who did not offer to render any assistance. The premises were insured for about £400.

We would call the attention of our agricultural readers to a notice in another part of this paper, by which it will be seen that the owners of Stock *not raised in the County*, but which has been in their possession twelve months, will be allowed to offer the same for competition at the forthcoming Exhibition of the Agricultural Society.

DIED.

At Woodstock, of Consumption, on the 16th instant, Mr. Belden Best, aged 37 years.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Woodstock Post Office, Sept. 15th, 1849.

A	Irvin Robert	Phillips Cornelius
Allan Charles W	Jones John	Porterfield John
B	Johnston John	R
Bell Jeremiah	K	Roach William
Brooks Charles	Kelley James	S
Brodrick Thomas	Kennedy Edmund	Smith John W
Barker Richard	L	Springer William
C	Longstaff Robinson	Shaw Charles 2
Campbell Charles	Lutwick Mrs Mathew	Smith Patrick
Clark Robert	M	Smutzer Joseph
Carter George	McMullen Stephen	T
Campbell John	Mores James N	Taylor William 2
D	McLauchlan	Tracy Stephen 2
Dain William	Murphy Andrew 2	Taylor William
E	McQuead Bryan 3	Trafton Charles
Estabrooks Fred.	McMunnigal John	V
G	N	Vanemburgh
Gerry Charles	Niles Anna Miss	W
Gillespie Edward	P	Whiteman Manson W
H	Perkins William	Walton James
Hannahian Moses	Patrick George	Weaver John
	Peabody Charles	R. ENGLISH, P.M.

Simonds District Agricultural Society.

OF THE

COUNTY OF CARLETON.

ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF STOCK, GRAIN, MANUFACTURES, &c.

The Cattle Show and Exhibition of Grain and Domestic Manufactures will be held at Mr. Newman Raymond's, in the Parish of Simonds, on MONDAY the 13th day of October next, when the following Premiums will be offered for Competition:—

Best Entire Horse over four years old	£1 10 0
Second best ditto	1 5 0
Best brood Mare, with Colt by her side	1 5 0
Second best ditto	1 0 0
Third best ditto	15 0
Best three year old Colt or Filly	15 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Best two year old Colt or Filly	10 0
Second best ditto	7 6
Best yearling Colt or Filly	7 6
Second best ditto	5 0
Best pair of working horses matched in size shape & figure	1 5 0
Second best ditto	1 0 0
Best Bull over two years old	1 0 0
Second best ditto	15 0
Best yearling Bull	15 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Best Bull Calf	10 0
Second best ditto	7 6
Best Heifer over two years old	10 0
Second best ditto	7 6
Best yearling Heifer	7 6
Second best ditto	5 0
Best yoke of Oxen	15 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Best yoke Steers four years old	12 6
Second best ditto	10 0
Best three year old Steers	12 6
Second best ditto	10 0
Best Steers two years old	10 0
Second best ditto	7 6
Best Fat OX	12 6
Second best ditto	10 0
Best Milch COW	10 0
Second best ditto	7 6
Best Fat COW	10 0
Second best ditto	7 6
Best RAM	15 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Third best ditto	10 0
Best yearling RAM	12 6
Second best ditto	10 0
Third best ditto	7 6
Best three EWES	10 0
Second best ditto	7 6
Third best ditto	5 0
Best Boar under one year old	12 6
Second best ditto	10 0
Third best ditto	7 6
Best Breeding SOW over one year old	12 6
Second best ditto	10 0
Third best ditto	7 6
Best Store HOG	15 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Third best ditto	10 0
Best Spring SOW PIG	10 0
Second best ditto	7 6
Third best ditto	5 0
Best Wheat, sample not less than two Bushels.	1 0 0
Second best ditto	15 0
Third best ditto	10 0
Best quality and largest quantity of Barley raised on not less than 1 quarter acre of land, sample 2 bushels.	10 0
Second best ditto	7 6
Third best ditto	5 0
Best quality and largest quantity of Indian Corn grown on not less than 1-4 acre of land, sample 2 bushels.	1 0 0
Second best ditto	15 0
Third best ditto	10 0
Best quality and largest quantity of Bush Beans grown on one quarter acre of land, sample two bushels.	1 0 0
Second best ditto	15 0
Third best ditto	10 0
Best quality and largest quantity of Horse Beans, grown on one quarter acre of land, sample two bushels.	1 0 0
Second best ditto	15 0
Third best ditto	10 0
Best quality and largest quantity of Peas, grown on one quarter acre of land, sample two bushels.	1 0 0
Second best ditto	15 0
Third best ditto	10 0
Best quality and largest quantity of Rye, grown on one quarter acre of land, sample two bushels.	15 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Third best ditto	10 0
Best Timothy Seed, sample one bushel.	10 0
Second best ditto	7 6
Third best ditto	5 0
Best quality and largest quantity of Swedish Turnips grown on one quarter acre of land, sample 2 bushels.	15 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Third best ditto	10 0
Best quality and largest quantity of Potatoes grown on one quarter acre of land, sample two bushels.	15 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Third best ditto	10 0
Best quality and largest quantity of Millet, grown on one quarter acre of land, sample two bushels.	10 0
Second best ditto	7 6
Third best ditto	5 0
Best Potato Onions, one bushel	5 0
Second best ditto	5 0
Best Butter, fifteen pounds	5 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Third best ditto	10 0
Best Cheese, ten pounds.	15 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Third best ditto	10 0
Best Filled Cloth all wool, twenty yards.	15 0
Second best ditto, do do do	12 6
Third best ditto, do do do	10 0
Best Flannel, all Wool, twenty yards	15 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Third best ditto	10 0
Best Cotton and Wool Cloth, fifteen yards.	12 6
Second best ditto	10 0
Third best ditto	7 6
Best Home-made Carpet, twenty yards.	15 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Third best ditto	10 0
Best Cotton and Wool Blanket or Shirting, fifteen yards.	12 6
Second best ditto	10 0
Third best ditto	7 6
Best Woolen Socks, six pairs	5 0
Second best ditto	3 9
Third best ditto	2 6
Best Woolen Mittens, six pairs.	5 0
Second best ditto	3 9
Third best ditto	2 6

Best Woolen Gloves, six pairs.	5 0
Second best ditto	3 9
Third best ditto	2 6
Best Steel Manure Forks, half dozen	10 0
Second best ditto	5 0
Best Steel Hay Forks, half dozen	10 0
Second best ditto	5 0
Best pair Cart Wheels	10 0
Second best ditto	5 0
Best Sett Farm Waggon Wheels	13 0
Second best ditto	12 6
Best Pleasure Waggon	10 0
Second best ditto	7 7
Best six Axes, ground, handled, and fit for use.	12 0
Second best ditto	10 0
Best side Sole Leather	7 6
Best side Upper Leather	5 0
Best CALFSKIN	5 0
Best pair Horse Collars	5 0
Best strong Pegged Boots, three pairs	7 6
Best Sett Double Harness	10 0
Best Single Waggon Harness	10 0
Best Cabinet Work, three pieces	10 0
Best Spinning Wheel	3 0
Best Grain Cradle	2 0
Best Cooper Ware, three pieces.	5 0

RULES FOR THE GUIDANCE OF COMPETITORS.

- 1st.—No person will be allowed to compete except a member who has paid his subscription before the 13th of October, and in no case will a member be allowed to offer as his own the property of another.
- 2nd.—All Stock, Grain, Manufactures, &c., must be grown, raised or manufactured in the County, and must be entered with the Secretary previous to the day of exhibition, who will furnish each Competitor with a numbered Card (corresponding with the entry in his Book) which must be permanently attached to the article exhibited, and the premiums will be awarded to the numbers.
- 3rd.—Cattle pens, and other arrangements for the safe keeping of Stock will be prepared on the ground previous to the time of exhibition, and Halters or ropes must be furnished by the owners of Horses or Neat cattle, that they may be tied securely; a Committee will be in attendance to arrange their position as well as that of the other articles presented for competition, wherein they must remain until the close of the exhibition. Stock must be on the ground by half-past nine o'clock, A. M.
- 4th.—Persons competing on the largest quantity and best quality of Grain or other crops raised on a given quantity of Land, must produce not less than two bushels at the exhibition, also an affidavit made by the Competitor and another responsible person that the measurement of Land and quantity of crop mentioned is correct, and that the sample presented is a fair one.
- 5th.—Written statements will be required from the successful Competitor as to the mode of cultivating, time of sowing, and quantity of seed sown.
- 6th.—Competent and impartial Judges will be appointed, who will commence their examination at half-past ten o'clock, A. M., and their decision will be final.
- 7th.—The Judges will be instructed not to award a premium where they consider the animal or article deficient in merit.
- 8th.—Special premiums will be awarded upon Manufactures or Implements of Husbandry not specified in the above list, should such be offered, which in the opinion of the judges are worthy of encouragement.

JOSEPH RIDEOUT,

Secretary.

NEW BRUNSWICK—CARLETON COUNTY, S. S.

To the Sheriff of the County of Carleton, or any Constable within the said County, Greeting.

WHEREAS Leonard R. Coombs, deceased, hath prayed that the Creditors and Next of Kin of the deceased, and all persons interested in the estate, may appear and attend the passing and allowance of the Account of the said Administrator, filed by him; You are therefore required to cite the said Creditors and Next of Kin of the deceased, and all persons interested in the estate, to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held at Woodstock, within and for said County, on Monday the eighth day of October next, at my office in Woodstock, at eleven o'clock, A. M., to attend the passing and allowance of such account. Given under my Hand and Seal of the said Court, this 29th day of August, 1849.

LEWIS P. FISHER,

Surrogate &c., for the County of Carleton.

A. K. SMEDS WETMORE, Reg. of Probates Co. of Carleton.

BOYS WANTED.

WANTED by the Subscriber, to learn the Cabinet Business, two or three young, steady active boys. Also a Man acquainted with the business. SAMUEL WATTS.

Cabinet Maker & Undertaker.

FREIGHT REDUCED TO 6d. PER BARREL.

THE FOREST QUEEN.

LEAVES Fredericton on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at 12 o'clock Noon, and Indian town on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays at 1 o'clock P. M. Freight taken at 6d. per barrel, and Passage as low as any other Boat on this route.

Fredericton, August 8th, 1849. W. W. HATHEWAY.

LOOK HERE!

ALL persons indebted to the Subscriber by Note, or Book Account, are respectfully requested to settle up their several dues by the first day of October. All Demands standing over three months will be put in suit, unless arrangements are made for their payment.

J. SNOW.

Woodstock, Sept. 11th 1849.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have appointed D. Lewis Dibblee my attorney, to collect all rents and debts due to me, whose receipt shall be a full discharge for the same.

ROBERT NELSON

Woodstock, 11 September, 1849.

NOTICE.

SERMONS in behalf of the Wesleyan Missionary Society will be preached on Sabbath next, the 23d inst., at the following places:—in the Wesleyan Chapel at Woodstock, at 11 o'clock, A. M., and 6 o'clock, P. M.; At the Scotch Corner, Richmond, and at the Free Will Baptist Meeting House, in Jacksonton, at 2 1-2 o'clock, P. M. At all the above places collections will be made in behalf of the funds of the Society.

The Missionary Anniversary Meeting will be held in the Wesleyan Chapel, Woodstock, on the evening of Tuesday the 25th inst. Chair to be taken at 7 o'clock.

JOHN ALLISON,

Wesleyan Minister.

NOTICE.

THE Orangemen belonging to District No. 1 will meet in the HALL, in Woodstock, on Wednesday morning next, at eleven o'clock, (or in their private Lodge-rooms) in order to observe the day of Humiliation and Thanksgiving, appointed by the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

By Order of the W. D. M.

September 17th, 1849. WILLIAM HALEY, S.

NOTICE.—The Meetings of MELANCTHON DIVISION, S. of T., will in future be held on the evenings of SATURDAY instead of TUESDAY, as heretofore.

WM. T. BAIRD,

R. S.

Woodstock, September 17th, 1849.