

TEMPERANCE DEMONSTRATION.—On Thursday last the Divisions of the Sons of Temperance in this City, accompanied by the Sunbury Division, and a large number of the members of the order from St. John and elsewhere, marched in procession through the streets of this City.—The procession was headed by a Press, from the office of John Simpson, Esq., Queen's Printer, drawn on a waggon on which was exhibited in large letters the motto "Knowledge is Power." The Press was supported on either hand by the national flag, and was worked by members of the order from the Reporter Office, who were employed in throwing off slips on which were printed the opinions of a large number of eminent medical gentlemen against the use of Alcohol as a beverage. After the Press, came the Band of the 97 Regiment, which, by the kindness of Colonel Lockyer, was permitted to accompany the procession. The Cadets of Temperance followed, with banners, one of which, worked by the ladies of St. John, and presented to one of the St. John Sections, was much admired by the spectators. The "Sons," to the number of six or seven hundred, clad in their Regalia and bearing the banners of their respective Divisions, completed the procession, which was certainly one of the most imposing displays in the cause of Temperance ever exhibited in Fredericton. In the evening a Soiree was held in the New Market House, at which the "String Band" of the Regiment in Garrison was present, delighting the assemblage of ladies and gentlemen with music which it would be difficult to equal. We understand that upwards of seven hundred tickets were issued, and from sheer want of room many were refused admission who tendered their money at the door. The large number of pretty faces which graced the New Market House on that evening has, we are told, upset the philosophy of half the confirmed Bachelors in town, and we believe everybody admits that with the exception of one or two rather unguarded expressions from one of the speakers, the whole affair passed off to a very wish.—*Head Quarters.*

FIRE.—On Sunday morning at 2 o'clock the inhabitants of this City were roused by the cry of fire, which was found to have originated in a barn belonging to Mr. Wm. Scully, situated in rear of his premises on King Street.—By great exertion the fire was confined to the barn in which it originated and another adjoining, owned by Mr. George Anderson, both of which, with their contents were consumed. The Ordnance Engine was the first on the ground. The city fire companies followed soon after, and the Regiment in garrison worked with their usual alacrity. We noticed particularly the exertions made by men belonging to the little engine "Hero," which supplied No. 1 with water, and had the hose not been damaged at a previous fire the exertions of the Hero company would have been more effective.—*lb.*

FROM ST. HELENA.—DISASTROUS GALES.—SHIP-WRECKS, AND LOSS OF LIFE.—The ship Arab arrived at Boston on Tuesday last, from Calcutta. She reports that severe gales were experienced off the Cape of Good Hope about the 1st ult. At St. Helena the injury to the shipping has been very great. From 70 to 80 vessels which were anchored off Jamestown, (St. Helena,) had all received more or less damage. The Cape papers mention the loss of the British ship Queen of the West, with all hands; also, the French ship L'Agile, the mate and nine of the crew only being saved. The beach to the eastward of the Cape was covered with wrecks.—*New Brunswick.*

REMOURED CUBA EXPEDITION.—*Norfolk, Sept. 17.*—Orders have been received for the immediate repair of the Saranac, Water Witch and Vixen, to be ready for service at a moment's warning. The St. Marys is almost ready for sea. There are rumors of another Cuban invasion.—*lb.*

THE CUNARD LINE.—Two new Steamers are, it is said, to be built by the owners of the Cunard line, in place of the Hibernia and Caledonia, which have been disposed of. It is stated that the new vessels will be of much greater power than the Asia, the fastest vessel in their line. The new Mail Steamer Africa, recently built in the Clyde, was expected at Liverpool on the 8th inst.—She leaves for New York on the 25th October.

We regret to have to record in our obituary list to-day the death of Mr. GEORGE TAYLOR, which event was as sudden as it was unexpected. He had been engaged during the week in collecting subscriptions for the Railway, and almost up to the moment of his demise, he was engaged in his usual avocations. Mr. T. has been doing business as a merchant in this City for a number of years past, and his mild and unostentatious manners had gained him the respect of his fellow-citizens generally. His useful life was terminated by a fit of apoplexy.—*New Brunswick.*

CAN THIS BE SO?—The Halifax Recorder of Saturday last says—"We have heard that the Colonial Secretary has acquainted our Government that he will rather oppose than do anything to promote the erection of a Railroad through these Provinces. There is also a rumour flying about to the effect that his Lordship warmly reprehends the circumstance of a member of the Provincial Administration having attended a recent Convention in a foreign State.—These are the times that try men's souls!"

A young man, nineteen years old, residing in James street, Kingsland-road, London, last week, drilled a touch-hole in the barrel of an old Italian-iron, loaded it with powder and ball, and, on Sunday evening, shot himself with it through the body. He died instantly.

Married.

On the 26th inst. by the Rev. W. Harris, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Duncan Dickinson, of Woodstock, to Miss Clarissa Kearney, of Jacksonville.

ROOM PAPER.

THE Subscriber has just received, and is now opening, a good STOCK of ROOM PAPER, which he will sell cheap for Cash only. H. McLEAN.

Woodstock, September 24th, 1850.

Simonds' District Agricultural Society, OF THE COUNTY OF CARLETON.

THE following Premiums will be given by the said Society at their Cattle Show, to be held at Mr. Newman Raymonds, on Thursday the 24th day of October, 1850.—

Best Entire Horse	£1 0 0	Best Butter, 10 lbs	7 6
Best Mare and Colt	17 5	Second do	6 3
2nd do	15 0	Third do	5 0
3rd do	12 6	Best Cheese, 10 lbs	7 6
Best 3 year Colt or Filly	12 6	Second do	6 3
2nd do	10 0	Third do	5 0
3rd do	7 6	Best Full'd Woolen Cloth	10 0
Best 2 year Colt or Filly	10 0	ten yards	10 0
2nd do	7 6	Second do do	8 9
3rd do	5 0	Third do do	6 3
Best 1 year Colt or Filly	7 6	Best all Wool Cloth,	12 5
2nd do	6 3	Men's wear, 15 yds	10 0
3rd do	5 0	Second do do	7 6
Best 3 year Bull	15 0	Third do do	6 3
2nd do	12 6	Best all Wool Cloth, Wo-	12 6
3rd do	10 0	men's wear, 15yd	10 0
Best 2 year old Bull	12 6	Second do do	7 6
2nd do	10 0	Third do do	6 3
3rd do	7 6	Best Cotton & wool cloth	10 0
Best 1 year old Bull	11 3	Men's wear, 15 yds	10 0
2nd do	8 9	Second do do	8 9
3rd do	6 3	Third do do	6 3
Best Bull Calf	10 0	Best Cotton & wool cloth	10 0
2nd do	7 6	Women's wear, 15 yds	10 0
3rd do	5 0	Second do do	8 9
Best yoke 4 year Steers	12 6	Third do do	6 3
2nd do	8 9	Best Woolen Blanket or	10 0
3rd do	5 0	Flannel, 15 yds.	10 0
Best pair 3 year Steers	11 3	Second do do	8 9
2nd do	8 9	Third do do	7 6
3rd do	6 3	Best Cotton & wool Blan-	10 0
Best 2 year old Steers	10 0	ket or Flannel, 15 yds	10 0
2nd do	7 6	Second do do	8 9
3rd do	5 0	Third do do	7 6
Best 1 year old Steers	8 9	Best Woolen Socks 6 prs.	5 0
2nd do	6 3	Second do do	3 9
3rd do	3 9	Third do do	2 6
Best Fat Ox	10 0	Best woolen Mittens 6 ps	5 0
2nd do	7 6	Second do do	3 9
3rd do	5 0	Third do do	2 6
Best Fat Cow	6 3	Best Steel Manure Forks,	7 6
2nd do	5 0	half dozen,	6 3
3rd do	3 9	Second do do	5 0
Best Milch Cow	10 0	Third do do	5 0
2nd do	7 6	Best Steel Hay Forks,	5 0
3rd do	5 0	half dozen	5 0
Best 2 year Heifer	8 9	Second do do	3 9
2nd do	6 3	Third do do	2 6
3rd do	3 9	Best pair new Cart wheels	10 0
Best 1 year Heifer	7 6	Second do do	7 6
2nd do	5 0	Third do do	5 0
3rd do	2 6	Best Sett New Farm wag-	15 0
Best Ram	12 6	gon Wheels	12 6
2nd do	10 0	Second do do	10 0
3rd do	7 6	Third do do	10 0
Best one year Ram	10 0	Best Pleasure Waggon	10 0
2nd do	7 6	Second do do	8 9
3rd do	5 0	Third do do	7 6
Best Pen Ewes, not less	10 0	Best Side Sole Leather,	7 6
than three	7 6	Second do do	6 3
2nd do	5 0	Third do do	5 0
3rd do	3 9	Best Upper Leather,	5 0
Best Boar Pig	10 0	Second do do	4 6
2nd do	7 6	Third do do	4 0
3rd do	5 0	Best three Calf Skins	5 0
Best Breeding Sow	10 0	Second do do	4 6
2nd do	7 6	Third do do	4 0
3rd do	5 0	Best pair Horse Collars	7 6
Best Spring Sow Pig	8 9	Second do do	6 3
2nd do	6 3	Third do do	5 0
3rd do	3 9	Best three pairs Strong	7 6
Best Summer Wheat	15 0	Pegged Boots,	6 3
2nd do	12 5	Second do do	5 0
3rd do	10 0	Third do do	5 0
Best Barley	10 0	Best Double Harness	7 6
2nd do	7 6	Second do do	6 3
3rd do	5 0	Third do do	5 0
Best Oats	15 0	Best Single Harness	5 0
2nd do	12 6	Second do do	3 9
3rd do	10 0	Third do do	2 6
Best Indian Corn	12 6	Best Cabinet work, three	10 0
2nd do	11 3	pieces	10 0
3rd do	10 0	Second do do	7 6
Best Bush Beans	12 6	Third do do	5 0
2nd do	11 3	Best Spinning Wheel	5 0
3rd do	10 0	Second do do	3 9
Best Horse Beans	12 6	Third do do	2 6
2nd do	11 3	Best Grain Cradle	5 0
3rd do	10 0	Second do do	3 9
Best Peas	12 6	Third do do	2 6
2nd do	11 3	Best Cooper Ware, Keg, or	5 0
3rd do	10 0	Tub, &c., 3 pieces,	3 9
Best Summer Rye	7 6	Second do do	2 6
2nd do	6 3	Third do do	2 6
3rd do	5 0	Best three Pails	5 0
Best Timothy Seed	10 0	Second do do	3 9
2nd do	7 6	Third do do	2 6
3rd do	5 0	Best two Window Sashes	5 0
Best Potatoes	15 0	Second do do	4 6
2nd do	12 6	Third do do	4 0
3rd do	10 0	Best Fat Hog under 18	12 6
Best Swedish Turnips	15 0	months old	11 3
2nd do	12 5	Second do do	10 0
3rd do	10 0	Third do do	10 0

RULES FOR THE GUIDANCE OF COMPETITORS

1.—No person will be allowed to compete except a member who has paid his Subscription on or before the 19th of October; nor will any person be allowed to offer as his own, the property of another.

2nd.—All Stock, Grain, Manufactures, &c., must be raised, grown, or manufactured in the County, (all manufactured articles to be perfectly new) all articles must be entered with the Secretary previous to the day of exhibition, who will furnish each Competitor with a numbered card (corresponding to the entry in his book,) which must be permanently attached to the article, and the Premiums will be awarded to the numbers.

3rd.—Cattle pens and other arrangements for the safe keeping of the Stock, will be prepared on the ground previous to the time of the 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 offered for Competition, wherein they must remain until the close of the exhibition. Stock must be on the ground by half-past nine, A. M.

4th.—Persons Competing on Grain Crops must produce one bushel as a sample, and prove by a competent witness (if required) that ten bushels as good as the sample was grown by the Competitor. For Root Crops, a sample of one bushel must be exhibited, and a statement under oath as to the quantity raised from the ground, made by the Competitor, accompanied by an affidavit of some disinterested person as to the measurement of the

ground on which the crop was grown, which must not be less than one quarter of an acre.

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 on articles not included in the above List, should the Judges deem them worthy of encouragement.

9th.—No animal or article that has been exhibited at any Cattle Show in the present year, will be allowed to compete, and no animal that has taken a Premium at any former Show, will be allowed to Compete again in the same character.

JOSEPH RIDEOUT,

Brighton, Sept. 20th, 1850.

Secretary.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

A QUANTITY of good OATS, SMOOTH BUCK-WHEAT, BUTTER and WHEAT, in exchange for DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR, CORNMEAL, Buckwheat Meal, best quality of CHEESE, Molasses, Tobacco, &c., which will be sold at the lowest Cash prices at the New Store below the Bridge.

N. B.—CASH will be taken in exchange for GOODS for want of the above named Produce, or Old RAGS, HORSE TAILS, FURS, SHEEPSKINS & old IRON.

ALTERTON & Co.

Woodstock, October 1st, 1850.

ATTENTION!!

THE Woodstock RIFLE COMPANY will assemble at the Court House on Wednesday morning the 9th October, at ten o'clock, fully equipped, for Inspection.

There will be a DRILL at the Institute on Monday evening the 7th October, at 7 o'clock.

By Order,

WILLIAM T. BAIRD,

Captain.

October 1st.

Carleton County Agricultural Society.

NOTICE.—A General Meeting of the Members of the above Society is requested at the Mechanics' Institute, Woodstock, on Saturday next, the 3rd October, at 3 o'clock, P. M. A punctual attendance is solicited.

A meeting of the Managing Committee is also requested at the same time and place.

By Order,

H. E. DIBBLEE,

Secretary.

Sept. 30th, 1850.

MASONIC NOTICE.



THE Regular meeting of Woodstock Lodge, No. 381, under the Registry of the Grand Lodge of England will be held at Rice's Hall, on Wednesday evening, the 2nd day of October, at 7 o'clock.

By order of the W. M.

W. R. NEWCOMB, Sec.

Woodstock, October 1st, 1850.

SCIENTIFIC AGRICULTURE.

A COURSE OF INSTRUCTION, beginning on Monday the 4th November, and ending with the current term on the 18th December, will be given in a spacious apartment, specially prepared as a Laboratory and Class Room for this purpose, in the Wesleyan Academy, at Mount Allison, the design of which will be to promote acquaintance with the important principles which are involved in the possible applications of scientific knowledge profitably to Agriculture.

It will include—1. Twenty or more Lectures upon Chemistry and Geology, as applicable to Agriculture.—2. Daily Recitations, as well upon the various subjects introduced in the Lectures, as upon Lessons selected from suitable Text Books, to which the attention of the Student will be directed to aid him in his investigations; and—3. Numerous interesting Experiments, illustrating the manner in which the facts, fundamental to the doctrines advanced, have been discovered,—the methods of determining by analysis the chemical ingredients of different substances, and of ascertaining the presence or absence of a particular element, &c.

Such preparations have been made for the Course, as must, it is believed, render it worthy of the attention of all young men in these Provinces who are in any way concerned in Farming operations.

EXPENSES.—For Instruction, Text Books, &c. £2 0 0 } payable in advance.
Board, Lodging, &c. &c. 3 0 0 }
N. B. Currency. £5 0 0 }

Sackville, 19th September, 1850.

CARD.

Thomas F. Street,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE OPPOSITE THE CENTRAL BANK.
Oct. 1. 4w.

P.E.W.S FOR SALE.

THE following P.E.W.S in St. Luke's Church will be sold in front of the Subscriber's Office on SATURDAY the 5th day of October next, at 2 o'clock, P. M., for non-payment of Rent, viz: No. 9 in the Body of the Church, and Nos. 10 and 11 in the Gallery.

By order of the Corporation.

Woodstock, 7th September, 1850.

D. L. DIBBLEE,

Vestry Clerk

WOODSTOCK HOTEL.

THE Subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has taken the HOTEL recently in charge of Mr. Henry Akerley, and while he engages to use every exertion to deserve and retain the support and confidence of those who may favour him with a call, he hopes that his acquaintance with the people of the Country is of such a character as to entitle him to ask the privilege of a trial.

Woodstock, September 24th, 1850.

CAUTION.

ALL persons are cautioned from purchasing or receiving an acceptance in favour of Charles Connell, dated in July 1849, for Seven Pound ten Shillings, as the same is paid.

CHAS. JOHNSTON.

St. John, September 10, 1850.