

praiseworthy endeavours; and we earnestly trust their virtuous example will have a due and salutary influence; so that others may be encouraged to exert themselves, and unite, as much as possible, in promoting this and all similar useful undertakings.

The address before referred to, of the President of the Grand Lake Agricultural Society, is as follows:—

#### Gentlemen Agriculturists,

The ceaseless lapse of time has brought us together again, to celebrate the anniversary of the Grand Lake Agricultural Society; an institution, designed to promote the interest of one of the most important arts of civilized life; an art which, in point of antiquity and utility, may justly rank foremost on the grand catalogue: and it may not be unprofitable to employ a little time at this season of the year, while the frost and snow restrains the progress of the plough and the harrow, to consult upon the adoption of such measures as shall more advantageously employ those useful implements, when Sol unbinds the year.—But I cannot persuade myself to view this respectable assembly in an Agricultural point of view exclusively; but fondly hope, that it will have a commanding, and salutary influence on the moral improvement of society. Yes,—when institutions of this kind receive the sanction of the civil and ecclesiastical authorities, methinks I see Justice with her even balance, Peace with her olive branch, Union with her threefold cord, and every social virtue, flourishing under their benign influence.—I shall be told, no doubt, that I am too sanguine in my hopes;—be it so; yet I love to indulge the pleasing idea though it should be never realized.

Your Society is not calculated to meet the wishes of the covetous and ambitious, whose sordid aims are confined in the narrow circle of self-gratification; but it is most peculiarly calculated to make room for the expansion of those generous and God-like feelings, which rejoice at the good of all. On the ground of this assertion, give me leave, Gentlemen, to dissuade you from being discouraged by the disappointment which your society experienced at the commencement of its career,—a disappointment which subjected the plans of your Committee to a temporary derangement, but which I hope will ultimately prove beneficial.

With respect to our becoming auxiliary to the County Society, you have my decided disapprobation, until some channel is opened whereby a proportional part of the pecuniary aid granted to that institution, may flow directly, and without diminution, to all its branches. Besides, I can hardly conceive it possible for you to form an alliance with an institution so dissimilar to your own, without being compelled to make such concessions as shall be an infringement of those equitable laws, which form the basis of your Society.

I shall not trespass long on your time by way of introductory address, as I wish it to be employed to more important purposes than listening to any thing that I may be able to offer: But before I conclude I would wish to suggest a hint or two on the subject of economy.

To us that occupy upland farms, the want of hay is perhaps the most serious difficulty our Agricultural pursuits have to encounter. I would recommend the culture of oats as a good substitute for that important article. Another piece of economy which I would wish to have discussed at this meeting, is that of working heifers and cows instead of oxen. It is proposed by the enterprising Agriculturist of New-England, and seems to be a revival of old fashions.

In conclusion I would aim another blow at the head of that old enemy of individual and social happiness, INTemperance. Instead of being convinced that I have been too severe against that odious vice, I have only to breathe the wish, that I may live to see the day when drunkenness shall be branded, by public opinion, with as black a stigma as breaking the sheepfold, or asking the purse on the highway.

Agreeable to notice, a meeting of the York County Agricultural and Emigrant Society, was held in the County Court-House, on Friday, 30th day of January, 1829, when the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year.

President,—John Robinson, Esq.  
Vice-Presidents,—The Hon. Thomas Baillie,  
Richard Ketchum, Esq.  
Secretary,—William Wilmot.  
Treasurer,—Henry Smith, Esq.

#### Members of the Committee.

Frederickton,—E. W. Miller, Esq., G. F. Street, Esq., Mark Needham, Esq.  
Kingsclear,—John Allan, Esq., Major Hammond.  
St. Marys,—H. S. Henly, John Harding.  
Douglas,—The Hon. F. P. Robinson, James Miles.

Prince William,—George West, Esq., William Davidson.

Queensborough,—John Morehouse, Solomon Parent.

Woodstock,—John Dibblee, Esq., Charles Peabody.

Northampton,—Adam Sharp, Henry Cronkite.

Wakefield,—N. Raymond, C. M. Mullen.

Kent,—Hilkiah Shearney, Esq., Jabez C. Squires, Simeon Hebert, Peter Lezott.

The Officers and Members of the York County Agricultural and Emigrant Society, are requested to attend at the County Court-House, on Saturday the 21st inst., for the purpose of altering the Rules and Regulations of that Society, when those who may be disposed to join, will please to attend.

By order of the President.

W. WILMOT, Secretary.

Frederickton, Feb. 9, 1829.

#### WESLEYAN MISSIONS.

THE public are respectfully informed, that the Anniversary of the Wesleyan Missionary Branch Society in this Town, will be held in the Methodist Chapel, on Monday evening next, the 16th inst., the Chair to be taken at half past six o'clock.—On Sunday, 15th inst., two preparatory

Sessions will be held, the first at 7 o'clock, and the second at 9 o'clock. The purpose of giving lessons in the manly and useful art of Self Defence, whereby Gentlemen, after a few lessons, are enabled to chastise those who offer violence, and protect themselves against the attack of the ruffian.

Attendance from 10 to 3 o'clock.

Terms made known on application at the Room.  
Frederickton January 27, 1829.

ALL Persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing a Note of Hand, drawn by the subscriber, in favour of Christie, and endorsed to Stephen Cameron.—Said note is dated in February, 1824, and payable the 10th day of June following, which conditions have been complied with.

JONATHAN HARDING.

Managerville, Dec. 15, 1828.

THE Glebe Rent having become due on the 24th March last, it is requested they be forthwith paid into the hands of Jedediah Stason, Esquire.

GEORGE BEST, Rector,

Frederickton, April 8, 1828.

#### IN THE BRICK HOUSE

NEAR THE

#### PROVINCE BUILDING

THE Subscriber offers for Sale a valuable assortment of British Merchandise newly imported, together with a general stock of East and West-India Produce, and Provisions. The highest prices will be given for all kinds of Country Produce, in exchange for the above.

JOHN SIMPSON.

Frederickton, Oct. 26, 1828.

#### ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

ALL Persons having demands against the Estate of the late Hon. JOHN ROBINSON, deceased, are requested to present the same to the Subscribers; and all persons indebted to said Estate are required to make immediate payment to

W. H. ROBINSON.

BEVERLEY ROBINSON, } Executors.

Saint John N. B. 25th October, 1828.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of the late Thomas Wetmore, Esq., deceased, will render the same: and those indebted to the said estate, will make payment to either of the subscribers.

C. P. WETMORE, } Ex'rs.  
THOMAS C. LEE, }

April 1, 1828.

ALL persons having claims upon the Estate of the late Jacob Ring, are requested to render their accounts duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof: And all persons indebted to said Estate, are also requested to settle their accounts within the same period.

ANN RING, Adm'r, St. John,  
JAMES RING, } Adm'r  
AARON HARTT } Frederickton

Frederickton, March 17, 1828.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of the late THOMAS WETMORE, will take notice that the claims of the said Estate are lodged with Messrs. Peters & Wetmore, of Frederickton, for collection, and unless they come forward and make immediate settlement, the same will be put in suit against them.

C. P. WETMORE, } Executors  
T. C. LEE, }

Frederickton, November 25, 1828.

THOSE persons having legal demands against the Estate of the late SAMUEL KENDALL, jun. Druggist, are requested to present the same, duly attested, within Twelve Months from this date, and all persons indebted to said Estate are required to make immediate payment to either of the Subscribers.

RICHARD DIBBLEE, Frederickton, } Adm'r.  
WM O SMITH, Saint John, }

Frederickton, April 15, 1828.

ALL persons having any just demands against the estate of Daniel Hallett, late of the Parish of Douglas, in County of York, deceased, are requested to render their accounts duly attested within twelve months from the date hereof: and all persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make payment forthwith to

DANIEL HALLETT, Ex'r.

Douglas, March 29, 1828.

#### HOUSE & ORNAMENTAL PAINTING, GLAZING, and PAPER-HANGING

THE Subscriber begs leave to inform the public that he has a very convenient Paint Shop in the House formerly occupied by Mr. Howden, where he will be enabled to Execute all kind of Ornamental Painting, Stages, Signs, and Headboards lettered, Pictures and Maps finished, frames Gilded, &c., at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

Also has for sale Linseed Oil, and White Lead.

Frederickton, Nov. 17, 1828.

L. WARREN.

#### IN THE YORK GENERAL SESSIONS, } JANUARY TERM, 1829. }

WHEREAS the rates heretofore allowed and taken for Weighing Hay, in the Town of Frederickton, have been far too high, and it is therefore expedient to reduce the same:

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that from henceforth, the Weighers of Hay, at the respective Machines in the Town of Frederickton, be allowed for Weighing each Load of Hay or Straw, (including the Weighing the Sled or Waggon,) and for furnishing a Ticket, expressing the exact Weight in Gross, Tare and Net, the Sum of One Shilling and three pence, to be paid by the Seller: And the said Weighers, shall not receive any greater Sum for such Service, under the penalty of Ten Shillings for each and every offence, to be recovered and applied as by Law directed.

Extract from the Minutes.

4<sup>th</sup>.

H. G. CLOPPER.

#### TO BE SOLD

Or to Lease for a term of years,

A VALUABLE Farm in the Parish of Wakefield, on which are about 80 Acres cleared; a comfortable Dwelling House and a large Barn.

POSSESSION will be given early next Spring; for further particulars apply on the premises, to

JOHN D. GAULT.

Frederickton, August 9, 1828.