

LEGISLATIVE GRANTS TO AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES OF NOVA SCOTIA FOR YEAR 1881.

Several Societies not having yet fully complied with the regulations, their grants will not be paid until they have done so.

HALIFAX COUNTY:

Halifax County Agricultural Society.....	\$ 95 05
Upper Musquodoboit Agricultural Society.....	95 05
Lower Musquodoboit Agricultural Society.....	79 21
Dartmouth Agricultural Society.....	130 69
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	\$400 00

LUNENBURG COUNTY:

Mahone Bay Agricultural Society.....	\$ 73 73
Bridgewater Agricultural Society.....	138 04
Lunenburg Agricultural Society.....	95 68
Centreville Agricultural Society.....	92 55
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	\$400 00

KING'S COUNTY:

King's County Agricultural Society.....	\$ 58 47
Union Agricultural Society of King's.....	60 53
Central Agricultural Society of King's.....	21 40
West Cornwallis Agricultural Society.....	71 99
Aylesford Agricultural Society.....	140 64
Farmers' Agricultural Society of King's	46 97
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	\$400 00

ANAPOLIS COUNTY:

Annapolis Agricultural Society.....	\$ 78 74
Clarence Agricultural Society.....	93 82
Bridgetown Agricultural Society.....	33 51
Paradise Agricultural Society.....	33 51
Laurie Agricultural Society.....	33 51
Clements Agricultural Society.....	33 51
Nictaux Agricultural Society.....	93 49
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	\$400 00

QUEEN'S COUNTY:

Caledonia (North Queen's) Agricultural Society.....	\$ 86 58
Liverpool Agricultural Society	173 16
Kempt Agricultural Society.....	69 27
Mutual Benefit Agricultural Society of Brookfield and Pleasant River.....	70 99
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	\$400 00

DIXON COUNTY:

Digby Agricultural Society	\$67 98
Digby Central Agricultural Society.....	86 96
Hillsburgh Agricultural Society	166 01
Weymouth Agricultural Society.....	79 05
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	\$400 00

SHELBURNES COUNTY:

Barrington West Passage Agricultural Society.....	\$124 00
Shelburne Agricultural Society	96 00
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	\$220 00

YARMOUTH COUNTY:

Yarmouth County Agricultural Society.....	\$250 00
Yarmouth Township Agricultural Society.....	93 82
West Pubnico Agricultural Society.....	56 18
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	\$400 00

HANTS COUNTY:

Windsor Agricultural Society.....	\$150 47
Newport Agricultural Society.....	77 74
Union Agricultural Society of Maitland.....	56 43
Falmouth Agricultural Society.....	61 44
Progress Agricultural Society of Elmsdale.....	53 92
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	\$400 00

COLCHESTER COUNTY:

Ouslows Agricultural Society.....	\$ 57 27
Tatamagouche Agricultural Society.....	35 80
Londonlerry Agricultural Society.....	50 85
Lower Stewiacke Agricultural Society.....	36 69
Bass River Agricultural Society.....	54 58
Waugh's River Agricultural Society.....	35 80
Stirling Agricultural Society.....	40 26
Brookfield Agricultural Society.....	35 80
Earltown Agricultural Society.....	42 95
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	\$400 00

CUMBERLAND COUNTY:

Amherst Agricultural Society.....	\$ 91 84
Arrasboro' Agricultural Society	96 68
Middleboro' Agricultural Society	112 39
Malagash Agricultural Society	49 55
Minudie and Barrousefield Agricultural Society.....	49 55
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	\$400 00

PICTOU COUNTY:

Pictou Agricultural Society	\$ 65 33
New Glasgow Agricultural Society	176 24
River John Agricultural Society	37 06
Millbrook Agricultural Society	34 16
Pine Tree Agricultural Society	52 33
Lorne Agricultural Society	34 88
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	\$400 00

ANTIGONISH COUNTY:

Antigonish Agricultural Society	\$173 89
St. Andrew's Agricultural Society	107 01
Bayfield Agricultural Society	48 10
North Grant Agricultural Society	71 00
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	\$400 00

GUYSFORD COUNTY:

Guy'sborough Agricultural Society	\$ 80 00
Milford Haven Agricultural Society	92 00
Argyle Agricultural Society	133 00
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	\$305 00

CAPE BRETON COUNTY:

North Sydney Agricultural Society	\$ 71 46
Sydney Mines and Little Bras d'Or Ag. Society	75 24
East Bay Agricultural Society	60 19
Boularderie Agricultural Society	52 66
Sydney Agricultural Society	65 21
Christmas Island Agricultural Society	75 24
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	\$400 00

RICHMOND COUNTY:

Richmond Agricultural Society	\$88 00
Lennox Agricultural Society	128 00
Isle Madame Agricultural Society	86 00
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	\$302 00

INVERNESS COUNTY:

Mabou and Port Hood Agricultural Society	\$ 54 51
River Dennis Agricultural Society	32 86
Strait of Canso Agricultural Society	114 62
North East Margaree Agricultural Society	32 06
LeMoine Agricultural Society	37 71
Whycocomagh Agricultural Society	96 18
Strathlorne Agricultural Society	32 06
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	\$400 00

VICTORIA COUNTY:

Middle River Agricultural Society	\$113 80
Baddeck Agricultural Society	75 86
St. Ann's Agricultural Society	106 89
North Side Boularderie Agricultural Society	75 86
Christmas Island Agricultural Society	27 59
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	\$400 00

To the Editor of the Nova Scotia Journal of Agriculture:

SIR,—In your last issue of the *Journal* I notice a short article at the foot of page 191 to the effect that "the Short-horn bull 'Viscount Oxford,' formerly owned by the Amherst Agricultural Society, is now in Prince Edward Island," etc., etc.

Now, sir, the animal so spoken of is *not*, and *has never been*, in P. E. Island. But was purchased in May, 1879, from Professor Lawson by the late Duncan McKaracher, of New Glasgow, for the "Pinetree Agricultural Society," which declined to have him, in consequence of the report of his having been "run down in Cumberland in 1878." Mr. McKaracher, *most unfortunately*, had him altered in September, 1879, and after the death of that gentleman on 28th February, 1880, "Viscount Oxford" was sold as a beef ox in Halifax on the 18th day of the March following, by your correspondent, who hopes the error, or impression, will be thoroughly investigated by the proper authorities, and the result published in your *Journal*. It is too bad that suspicion should be allowed to hang over any genuine Herd Book through tolerating or disregarding any such case as the one now brought to light, and capable of the ablest proof, by

Yours truly,
E. CAMERON,
Secretary, New Glasgow Agricultural Society.
And, I may add, late President of the Pinetree Agr. Society.
Linacy, New Glasgow, N. S., Feb. 10th, 1882.