

cent being rather more in value than a halfpenny, though the cents in change pass for the same value as a halfpenny, or "copper" as it is called.

The nearest markets to this place for grain, butter, pork, &c. are Doon Mills, (belonging to A. Ferrie, jun., esq.,) the towns of Galt and Preston, Dundas, and Hamilton. But there is a market in this village, to a considerable extent, by the way of exchange with the stores, and also for cash in part. As regards the prices of farm produce, (which vary,) and of other articles, I may refer to the book before alluded to, "A Statement of the Satisfactory Results, &c." In it are contained also the prices generally of labour, &c.

I may conclude this by copying some observations made by Mr. George Wood, the settler before-mentioned, when giving an account of his success as a settler. "I consider that the change by emigrating here is to my advantage and that of my family. I am quite in a different situation now in this country as regards acquired property, from what I would have been in had I remained in the old country; and though I cannot say but that I was at home as others were, comfortable in one respect, and also as having a good master in Mr. Red-head, still my adopting this country as the future home of myself and family, I am now a *master* where I never could expect otherwise than to see myself and my family as *servants*. The facility of acquiring property here is great, and any man, *single or married*, of sober, economical, industrious, and persevering habits, is sure to do well. That this is a general remark I am well aware, but I consider my own case, as above detailed, a favourable and further proof of the correctness of the observation."

(Signed)

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