

of Stock held on the 9th inst. A full account, together with the awards, you will doubtless see in the *Truro Mirror*. [We have not seen it.—Ed.] So that in point of fact, we have raised this year by subscription (\$270.00) two hundred and seventy dollars.

The potato crop in this locality never was better, in some cases fully four hundred bushels per acre. The hay good. Wheat, not much sown, but good where it was. Oats, good. In fact the crops generally above the average.

W. BLAIR, Sec'y.

THE FYFE WHEAT AT NOEL.

Mr. Faulkner, Secretary of the Agricultural Society of Noel and Maitland, writes that at the last meeting there appeared to be quite an interest exhibited in the Society by those present, owing to the abundant returns obtained from the Fyfe Wheat imported by the Board of Agriculture; and also in consequence of the fine breed of pigs obtained from the White Chester Boar.

RY. JOHN AGRICULTURAL SOC'Y.

Nov. 10, 1869.

We beg to submit a report of our operations during the past year. The number of members enrolled was not so large as the year previous, but we are happy to state that the society is in a prosperous state. We held regular monthly meetings during the summer. The animals belonging to the society were sold, the Ayrshire bull to be kept by the purchaser three years for the free use of the Society; also the Chester boar for a limited time. In this way the Society is relieved of a considerable expense incurred in the keeping of the animals. The whole community continue to take a lively interest in the Society.

It is not necessary to make a lengthy report, but we will refer briefly to the Exhibition held last month, which shows a marked improvement on the year previous. Although the day was somewhat unfavourable, there was a large attendance on the ground, and the display in every department was remarkably good. The horses were fair, but in this department the show was not extensive. The swine exhibited were remarkably good, they being the progeny of improved breeds imported by the Board of Agriculture, and purchased by the society. In nothing else were the beneficial effects of securing the best breed more plainly demonstrated than in this department. The same remarks apply to the young cattle; they also were the progeny of improved stock imported by the Board of Agriculture, and the contrast between them and the older cattle was marked.

The sheep were fair, but did not present so marked an improvement as in the two last mentioned. The agricultural, horticultural, and industrial, were almost as good as could be desired. The horticultural show was not extensive. The industrial productions of the fair sex are deserving of special notice; mat and other textile fabrics were creditable.

PRIZE LIST OF FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOCIATION OF NOVA SCOTIA.

Exhibition held at Somerset, October 19, 1869.

APPLES.

Largest and best Collection grown by the Exhibitor, not to exceed twenty sorts, six of each sort:—

1. Charles Illsley; 2. Dr. Hamilton; 3. Andrew Walker; 4. J. Christopher Starr.

Gravensteins.—1. Richard Winsby; 2. Leander Rand; 3. ditto; 4. Wellington Daniels; 5. Leslie M. Stone; 6. Dr. Hamilton.

Yellow Bellefleur.—1. Thomas Farnsworth; 2. Richard Winsby; 3. J. E. Rockwell; 4. Benjamin W. Jacques; 5. Dr. McLatchy; 6. John Lemont.

Ribston Pippin.—1. John Lemont; 2. Enoch Griffin; 3. Ward Eaton; 4. Wellington Daniels; 5. John Lemont; 6. Wm. Kinsman.

Baldwins.—1. John W. Barss; 2. E. Parker; 3. Christopher Margeson; 4. H. Shaw; 5. Richard Winsby; 6. Sydney Shaw.

Nonpareil.—1. Isaac Longley; 2. C. H. Parker; 3. Edwin Chase; 4. J. F. Bent; 5. Isaac Longley; 6. Leslie M. Stone.

Rhode Island Greening.—1. Enoch Griffin; 2. Wm. Fisher; 3. L. M. Stone; 4. Wel. Daniels; 5. Edward Parker; 6. John Shaw.

Blenheim Pippin.—1. Welner Cox; 2. John W. Barss; 3. Edw. Parker.

King of Tompkins County.—1. Ward Eaton; 2. ditto; 3. Enoch Griffin.

Esopus Spitzenberg.—1. Jas. I. Hale; 2. Ward Eaton; 3. Edw. Parker.

Flushing Spitzenberg, Vanderveer.—1. James F. Bent; 2. Ward Eaton; 3. Thos. Farnsworth.

Northern Spy.—1. John W. Barss; 2. James I. Hale.

Pomme Grisi.—1. Ward Eaton; 2. Wm. Kinsman.

Pound Sweet.—1. Thos. Farnsworth; 2. Wm. Easton; 3. Chas. Illsley.

Broadwell.—1. Dr. Hamilton; 2. ditto.

Emperor Alexander.—1. John Shaw; 2. ditto; 3. Edwin Chase.

Hubbardston Nonsuch.—1. John W. Barss; 2. Charles Norwood.

Gloria Mundi, or Baltimore Pippin.—1. C. H. Parker; 2. Chas. Illsley; 3. Marcellus Tupper.

Sweet Russett.—1. Charles Illsley; 2. J. F. Bent.

Drap D'Or.—1. Richard Winsby; 2. John Shaw.

York and Lancaster.—1. Eno. Griffin; 2. ditto.

Golden Russet.—John Shaw.

Delaware Harvey.—John Harvey.

Snow Apple.—Dr. Marsters.

King of Pippins.—1. J. C. Starr; 2. J. W. Barss.

New York Pippin or Fall Pippin.—Andrew Walker.

Minister.—1. J. W. Barss; 2. Mayhew Beckwith.

Canada Reinette.—1. J. F. Bent; 2. Enoch Griffin.

Swaar.—Isaac Shaw.

Bishop's Bourne.—1. Mayhew Beckwith; 2. Wm. Sutton; 3. M. Beckwith.

Dutch Codling.—Charles Woodworth.

Calkin's Pippin (Late).—1. Wesley Snadford; 2. John Lemont.

Chenango Strawberry.—1. John Shaw; 2. ditto.

Blue Pearmain.—1. J. W. Barss; 2. Dr. Hamilton.

Colvert.—1. Edw. Parker; 2. James Bligh.

Porter.—1. Ward Eaton; 2. Nathan Best.

Tulman Sweet.—1. Jas. F. Bent; 2. Richard Winsby.

Munson Sweet.—Leander Rand.

English Golden Pippin.—J. C. Starr.

William's Early.—Sydney Shaw.

Best half-peck Crab Apples.—1. John S. Woodworth; 2. J. C. Starr.

PEARS.

Sydney Shaw, Edward Parker, Andw. Walker (2), Henry Shaw, Edwin Chase, Wm. Sutton, Silas Bishop, Thomas E. Smith.

PEACHES.

Richard Starr, Dr. McLatchy.

QUINCES.

1. J. W. Barss; 2. Wm. Sutton; 3. John G. Byrne.

PLUMS.

J. C. Starr, James S. Morton, Dr. McLatchy (3).

GRAPES.

Best Three Bunches grown in the open air.

Isabella.—1. Wm. Sutton; 2. ditto; 3. Mrs. G. Borden.

White.—1. Dr. McLatchy; 2. Dr. Hamilton.

Black Cluster.—1. J. R. Hea; 2. ditto.

Harford Prolific.—1. Dr. Hamilton; 2. ditto.

Diana.—1. Jas. S. Morton; 2. Wm. Sutton.

Concord.—1. George West; 2. Silas Bishop.

Delaware.—1. J. C. Starr; 2d. ditto.

Seedling.—Wm. Sutton.