

VETERINARY SCHOOL.—We notice an article in the *Canadian Agriculturist*, from the pen of Hon. A. Fergusson, on "Veterinary Schools." The writer urges the farmers of Canada to use their means and influence for the purpose of endowing a Veterinary School in Canada. Very good advice; and it comes from the pen of a man who has much influence, and, no doubt, the agriculturists will take the hint.—*American Veterinary Journal, Boston, March, 1858.*

GRAFTING.—We have strange questions asked on the subject of grafting. Dr. Lindley, in a recent lecture, sums up the whole matter thus:—1. A scion will always form a perfect and permanent union with its stock, if both are from the same individual. 2. A scion will generally form a permanent union with its stock, if one is a mere variety of the other. 3. A durable, but not permanent union, may be effected when one species of a genus is worked on another species. 4. No union, either durable or permanent, can be expected when stock and scion are widely different. 5. Bad workmanship will render any kind of grafting perishable. Grafted plants, therefore, are not necessarily worse than seedlings.

EDITORIAL NOTICES.

NEW ARRANGEMENTS!—The present number of the *Agriculturist* has been delayed for some weeks pending certain arrangements between the proprietor and the Board of Agriculture as to its future publication, which are all but completed. The particulars will be announced in the next number. The publication will, hereafter, be conducted under the direct control of the Board, and will, no doubt, be much improved. The price will be kept low, while the quantity of matter, and the labour, time, and expense devoted to the publication will be augmented. Full particulars will be stated in next number.

AGRICULTURAL AND HORTICULTURAL SEEDS.—Mr. James Fleming, of this city, Seedsman to the Agricultural Association of Upper Canada, has completed his extensive stock of the different kinds of agricultural and garden seeds, which he warrants fresh and true. He has a large assortment of barley, oats, peas, clover, grass seeds, and Chinese sugar cane, the latter imported directly from the best French growths of last year. From the care which Mr. Fleming exercises in the selection of his stock, and the high respectability of the Houses with which he deals, both in Europe and the States, farmers may depend upon being supplied with the best articles at a moderate price.

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