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ABSTRACT OF RETURNS OF AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES, AND STATEMENT OF DISTRIBUTION OF LEGISLATIVE GRANT FOR YEAR 1874.

COUNTIES.	Number of Members.	Subscrip'ns attested as paid.	Amount of Grant.	Subscrip'ns to Provin- cial Exhib.
Annapolis:				
Eastern Annapolis Ag. Society..	40	\$40 00	\$52 98	\$25 00
Bridgetown Agri. Society	46	46 00	60 93	20 00
Paradise	85	85 00	112 58	25 00
Townsp of Clements Ag. Soc'y.	50	50 00	66 23	20 00
Annapolis	81	81 00	107 28	50 00
	302	\$302 00	\$400 00	\$140 00
Antigonish:				
Morristown Agri. Society	70	94 00	151 01	25 00
St. Andrew's	55	100 00	160 64	17 00
Arisaig	44	55 00	88 35	20 00
	169	\$249 00	\$400 00	\$62 00
Cape Breton:				
Boularderie Agri. Society	54	54 00	108 00	30 00
Sydney Mines and Little Bras d'Or Agri. Society	46	46 00	92 00	20 00
North Sydney Ag. Society	55	55 00	110 00	25 00
	155	\$155 00	\$310 00	\$75 00
Colchester:				
Onslow Agricultural Society....	195	196 00	174 22	80 00
Shubenacadie	40	40 00	35 56	30 00
Lower Stewiacke	42	42 00	37 38	20 00
Tatamagouche	62	64 00	56 89	18 96
Stirling Ag. So. of New Annan.	51	51 00	45 33	25 00
Brookfield	57	57 00	50 67	10 00
	447	\$450 00	\$400 00	\$183 96
Cumberland:				
Paraboro' Agri. Society	105	105 50	105 79	40 00
Malagash	66	66 00	66 50	33 25
Minudue & Barronsfield Ag. So.	40	42 00	42 32	20 00
Wallace Agri. Society	41	41 00	41 31	20 00
Union Ag. Soc'y of Pugwash....	53	53 00	53 40	26 70
Scotia A. S. of Fox Harbour...	60	90 00	90 68	
	365	\$397 00	\$400 00	\$139 00
Digby:				
Digby Central Ag. Society	110	118 00	148 90	30 00
Weymouth	44	44 50	55 52	
Clare	102	109 00	137 54	15 00
Union Agri. Soc'y of Digby, St. Mary's Bay	46	46 00	58 04	
	352	\$317 00	\$400 00	\$45 00
Guysborough:				
Guysborough Agri. Society....	48	48 00	96 00	24 90
Milford Haven	51	51 00	192 00	25 50
Glenelg Ag. Soc'y, Cross Roads, St. Mary's	54	54 00	108 00	
	153	\$153 00	\$306 00	\$49 50

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Halifax:				
Halifax County Agri. Society..	114	\$114 00	\$182 04	\$200 00
Low. Musquodobolt "	67	95 50	152 49	30 00
Upper "	41	41 00	65 47	20 00
	302	\$250 50	\$400 00	\$250 00
Hants:				
Windsor Agri. Society	42	84 00	70 00	50 00
Fenwick " of Noel..	43	43 00	35 84	25 00
Nine Mile River and Hardwood Land Agri. Society	67	67 00	55 83	15 00
Newport "	50	50 00	41 67	30 00
Union Ag. Soc'y of Maitland....	88	88 00	73 33	20 00
Upper Nine Mile River A. S....	60	60 00	50 00	20 00
Enfield Agri. Society	44	88 00	73 33	
	393	\$480 00	\$400 00	\$160 00
Inverness:				
Mahon & Port Hovd Ag. Soc'y.	40	40 00	80 00	25 00
N. E. Margaree "	40	40 00	80 00	8 00
	80	\$80 00	\$160 00	\$33 00
Kings:				
Union A. S. of E. Cornwallis...	74	74 00	66 82	60 00
Kings Co. Ag. Soc'y, L. Horton.	46	47 00	42 44	20 00
Aylesford Agri. Society	59	59 00	53 27	20 00
Central Ag. Society of Kings...	84	168 00	151 69	20 00
West Cornwallis Agri. Society..	80	95 00	85 78	16 00
	343	\$443 00	\$400 00	\$136 00
Lunenburg:				
Mahone Bay Agri. Society.	66	66 00	132 00	20 00
Pictou:				
Pictou Agri. Society	81	81 00	111 92	30 00
River John "	43	43 00	59 41	
Egerton "	64	75 50	104 32	10 00
Merrigomish "	40	40 00	55 27	15 00
Millbrook "	50	50 00	69 08	10 00
	278	\$289 50	\$400 00	\$65 00
Queen's:				
Mutual Benefit Agri. Society, Brookfield, Pleasant River....	40	40 00	80 00	20 00
North Queen's Agri. Society....	40	40 00	80 00	30 00
Kempt Ag. Soc'y, Queen's Co..	47	54 00	108 00	20 00
	127	\$134 00	\$268 00	\$70 00
Shelburne:				
Shelburne Agri. Society	46	46 00	88 89	
Clyde River "	45	45 00	86 96	25 00
Barrington "	56	56 00	108 21	10 00
Barrington West Passage A. S.	60	60 00	115 94	20 00
	207	\$207 00	\$400 00	\$55 00
Victoria:				
St. Ann's Agri. Society	46	46 00	92 00	20 00
Middle River "	83	83 00	166 00	40 00
	129	\$129 00	\$258 00	\$60 00
Yarmouth:				
Yarmouth County Ag. Society..	160	320 00	250 00	50 00
" Township "	73	73 00	146 10	15 00
	233	\$393 00	\$396 00	\$65 00
Total number of Societies..... 64				
" " of Members..... 3971				
" amount of subscriptions actually paid by Members.....\$4495 00				
" amount of Grants..... 5830 00				
" " contributed by Agricultural Societies to Prize Fund of Provincial Exhibition 1609 41				
(This is exclusive of amounts voted by Fruit Growers' Associations and Horticulturists of Halifax).				
By order of the Board of Agriculture,				
GEORGE LAWSON, Secretary.				