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DRESS GOODS. 175 PIECES. Commencing at 8 cents per yard.

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WITH LONG AND SHORT PANTS, suit for Boys from six to fourteen years old.

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THOMAS LOGAN. GENERAL DRYGOODS STORE, stone to the Provincial structure,

OPP. NORMAL SCHOOL.

Fredericton, Nov. 11, 1879. 8 ins. Notice of Sale.

There will be sold at Public Auction, in

Chit Chat on Farm Topics.

Agriculture.

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ment, and more particularl ment, and more particularly as regards quantities of farm produce grown, the yield per acre, cost of production of the different kinds of grain, which gives the largest returns for capital gives the largest returns for gives the largest returns for capital giv and labor, etc., and it has been a matter of some surprise to learn the difference of opinion that exists. The reason, however, is easy to assign. Our farmers seldom keep field accounts. It must be remembered that every merchant finds it imperative to keep full and accurate accounts of all sheep full and accurate accounts of

to be gained would be of great service in assisting him to determine as to the course to be pursued in the

We know that the Agricultural Societies make a partial return of the crops etc., in their annual reports, but they only apply to the district occupied by the Society, which may be only a small portion of a county, or indeed a part of a Parish, and there is no certainty that the returns each year embrace precisely the same extent of territory; they are therefore useless so far as giving the total yield of the poys from six to fourteen years old.

We know that the Agricultural Societies, ing, and the kinds are given in the order of merit, as regards sample. In our provious issue it will be seen that the Lost Nation superseeds the Russian variety in the yield of fine flour, to a greater extent than the difference in the quantity per acre, making it a more desirable variety to cultivate.

Another very interesting test was also made of Spring Wheats, against each other. This was simply the cultivation of fourteen varieties of wheat under exactly the same conditions, in order to test quantities of grain and returns answer at present is that they straw; show how the yield this year com pares with that of other years, for the particular locality. The law requir attention in this particular, it shou go further and provide for a mo thorough system of annual retur which could be done without costin

> a very large sum. Agriculture must become the we would have it grand and imposi

Sugar Beet Seed.

In a late number of the Telegra NOTICE is hereby given that, by virtue of a License granted by the Surrogate Court of the County of Carleton on the 17th day of October. A.D. 1879, of sugar from beets, obtained during

ager of the Portland Beet Sugar which so far as our knowledge ex-Factory, along with that which the tends is not very generally adopted, Company distributed to the farmers except in the county of Carleton. We have recently had occasion to not purchase beets grown from seed readers. That is, the yield of wheat make some inquiries (of our farmers, imported by others. There cannot per acre in Ontario, and on the model on the making of butter may interest

Culture of Wheat.

The great success that has attended next years operations. This brings the culture of wheat in this Province us to another important matter. We during the past season, and the deterrefer to the fact of having no accurate mination of our farmers to greatly incompilation of Agricultural Statistics, crease the breadth of this valuable by which we can draw comparisons or institute inquiries. We think this is a matter of great importance to the country, and well worthy the earnest country, and well worthy the earnest if any of our farmers have sufficient for this valuable grain during the season of 1880, will give interest to any information which the can be had as to its cultivation. Few if any of our farmers have sufficient for this valuable grain during the season of 1880, will give interest to any information which the can be had as to its cultivation.

Province. The only purpose these order to test quantities of grain and

Kind of Wheat.	Straw per acre in lbs.	Grain per acre in lbs.	Grain in bush, pracre	Weight per bushel.
Club,	3200	420	7	57
McCarling	2040	760	124	60
Golden Drop	3600	490	81	58
White Fife,	2160	720	12	60
Champion,	2380	500	81	60
Defiance,	1940	220	32	
Gordon,	2300	500	84	
Rio Grande,	2820	940	15%	60
Armantha,	2880	800	13%	61
Lost Nation,	3000	1040	171	58
Russian,	3400	1000	164	581
Egyptian,	2040	480	8	56
Russian Baltic,	2440	760	123	58
Rice or Goose,	1680	440	73	61
Average	2423	697	111	59

of Maine, and so particular is Mr.

Gennert in this matter, that he will to impress itself on the minds of our To the Editor of the Maritime Farmer:

from any other cause. The dairy is probably not air-tight and the steam arising from the roots finds its way into it, and the cream, which is very sensitive, becomes infused with the our provincial markets. With its present successful production, this will not be at all difficult. By the cultivation of one acre more by each of our farmers, (with the favorable results of the past season,) the object would be accomplished. We trust that our

of sugar from beets, obtained during a visit to the Portland Factory. One of the remarks made was the import-

My Plan for making Butter.

these facts we should not feel dis-the udder are frequently met with.

Mrs. Harmor. Humphrey, Pomona Mrs. Estabrooks, Flora; Miss Maggie Patterson, Lady

sistant Steward. The name of the Grange is "Tan tramar," with Middle Sackville as the centre of jurisdiction.

A Grange was formed at Nappar yesterday morning, called "Aurora" Grange, Another was to have been formed at Point de Bute last evening. And thus the work goes on. In extending our congratulations, we say: May they read and write for the MARITIME FARMER, and prosper.

Poultry.

FATTENING .- In fattening Poultry, give them all they will eat-Corn is

Communications.

SIR.—Probably the following hints his transactions in order to insure success, and to enable him at stock taking time to asertain whether he has made or lost by the years transactions. We think we are safe in saying that farmers would find it equally beneficial. It would afford much satisfaction at the end of the year to know which class of stock yielded the best returns and what profit was derived from each class. One ought to know what his crops cost him, and how much he made by them. The knowledge thus to be gained would be of great service.

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In this construction to the Government and commanding position which it now occupies Never was there greater need that our tarmers should stand shoulder to death our farmers should stand shoulder to shoulder to shoulder to shoulder to shoulder to shoulder to death our farmers should stand shoulder to shoulder to shoulder to shoulder to shoulder to death our farmers should stand shoulder to shoulder, and in view was to test the practicularly as regards the production of crops, which find a ready market at home. In this connection probably wheat stands at the head of the list, and we will be a stock having that it in any way tainted; to produce a fine article, the milk must be rich take the milk of each cow, and to take the milk of each cow, as the were not then so liable to be taken to make good butter (and well flavored. The first step t Probably we have this year approached nearer to it than at any one time dependent of the result will be astonishing. More trouble arises from cellar dairies than bad laws. from any other cause. The dairy is The Maine Farmer reaches us this

them? Was it because the time mentioned at the sale (20th July) was to keep the money to oblige his brother-in-law who was to wait for a portion of it on his job till next year and thereby receive a greater price? Now, I was always of the opinion that the public money should not be

honorable means) and assist in making

Moetry.

The Two Swords.

On the wooded bank of a winding stream. A red-skinned warrior stood;
Bright was his eye with a savage gleam,
And his knit brow were a cloud.
A reehing scalp his fingers clasped,
And the red drops, one by one
On the tomahawk fell, which, by strong

New Maryland, December 3rd, 1879.

Agricultural Items.

The Vermont farmers have largely increased their hay crops by saving and applying the liquid manures to

breast,
In the glance of the white man's eye;
Come, tell him again of that peaceful rest
In the land beyond the sky.
Read of the white and the red-man's Lord,

When this sinful earth he trod! He had yielded at length to the w sword,
But that sword was the Word of God!

HOME INTERESTS.

At quarter prices to clear.

It would be to the advantage of buyen to call, portance, and the important bearing and establine processes. The money sentout of the word first in the wheat erop on account of its importance, and the important bearing it has on the general interests of the Province. The money sentout of the has on the general interests of the Province in past years, for bread stuffs has been enormous, and this has been anormous, and this has been anormous another the country the country the country the country the country the past season is greater than ever beneficial. Good butter will always country the feather than the past season is greater than ever beneficial. The deficial first these directions are followed. Who will not contribute to so grand for for the spat argely paid by farmers.

the country, the growth of wheat the country, the growth of arms and country in the desirable with the iner that sary and desirable with the input that sary and desirable with the input that sary and desirable with the input that is an interest the object.

We know that the Agricultural Statistics as being so necessal and the same and

their proverbial stupidness. But then we did not know how to manage them. We have been taught some lessons since our boyhood, and what is more, we think we know the value of swine to farmers and mankind, so we are glad that all was not drowned at the time referred to. Our plan of handling and fastening a pig in a waggon or sled is thus: Make a loop in a double rope and put it around the throat; carry the ropes along the back and fasten it around the body in substance of the fore legs and shoulder.

The sixtieth annual meeting of the Charlotte County Agricultural Society was held at Paul's Hall, St. Andrews, on Saturday the 29th ult. Robert Stephenson, Esq., president, took the chair at three o'clock p. m. The minutes of the meetings of the Committee of Management during the past year were read and approved. The treasurer submitted the accounts, which were referred to Messrs. J. R. Bradford, D. F. Campbell and John Denley for audit.

A committee was appointed to arback and fasten it around the body just back of the fore legs and shoulder, the loop will of course be on the back shoulders. The pig being lifted in the waggon or sled is safely held by fastening the ropes in any secure manner so that it cannot jump over the sides. With this method of fastening, which is simple and affectual, the the sides. With this method of fastening, which is simple and affectual, the pig is compelled to stay just where you place him.

The unanimous thanks of the Society were tendered to Mr. Stevenson for his valuable services as president during the past year, and to Mr. J. S. and dainties now and then are not A FARMER AND READER OF THE M. F.

December 6th, 1879.

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To the Editor of the Martime Farmer:

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Magee, the secretary treasurer, for the efficient manner in which he had performed the duties devolving on him, and for the very correct way in which he had kept the accounts.

To the Editor of the Martime Farmer:

And dainties now and then are not harmful, so stories of adventure and hair breadth escapes occasionally induced in do no harm. And if the light of the candles and fires so warm; But a big chunk of ice fell over his head; dulged in do no harm. And if the which he had kept the accounts.

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NO. 15. be found at every bookseller's at an exceedingly small cost, form a delight-

ful taste for reading, and are perfectly adapted to their comprehension, instruction and amusement. Now is the time to add good selections to your children's libraries including story books, travels, biographies and general information, forming a large choice of volumes which in after years

will surely repay the outlay tenfold. Knitted Shell Lace. Cast 16 stitches. First row, slip 1, knit 1, make 2, purl 2 together, knit all but last 2, make 1, purl last 2 together. Second row, make 1, purl 2 together, knit 12, purl 1, knit 2. Third row, slip 1, knit all but last 2, make 1, purl 2 together. Fourth row, make 1, purl 2 together, knit the rest. Fifth row, slip 1, knit 1, make 2, purl 2 together, knit all but last 2, make 1, purl 2 together. Sixth row, make 1, purl 2 together, knit 11, purl 1, knit 2, purl 1, knit 2. Seventh row, slip 1. knit all but last 2, make 1, purl 2 together. Eighth row, make 1, purl 2 together, knit the rest. Ninth row, slip 1, knit 1, make 2 and purl 2 together three times, knit all but last 2. make 1, purl 2 together. Touth row. make 1, purl 2 together, knit 11, purl 1, knit 2, purl 1, knit 2, purl 1, knit 2. Eleventh row, slip 1, knit all but last 2, make 1, purl 2 together, Twelfth row, make 1, puri 2 together,

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