

THE PREMIUMS.—In accordance with our previous announcement, we publish below the names of the agents entitled to receive the premiums offered for obtaining the largest number of subscribers to the *Agriculturist*. The successful competitors are as follows:—

1st. A. Law, Richmond Hill.....	\$25
2nd. A. Roy, Saugeen.....	20
3rd. F. Boate, York Township.....	15
4th. J. Atkin, Bradford.....	10
5th. T. Orchard, Innisfil, Copy of the <i>Farmer's Guide</i> .	

By a special agreement, one or two of our agents were to receive a copy of the *Guide*, &c., for a certain number of subscribers; these, of course, cannot expect prizes also.

DRAINING TOOLS.—Mr. Fleming has just received from England several complete sets of English Draining Tools, to which we would direct the attention of those who contemplate draining. They are very substantial looking implements, far superior to any got up on this side of the Atlantic. Mr. F. deserves credit for introducing these important tools, for it is doubtful whether he will be reimbursed his outlay and trouble. We trust soon to see tiles furnished at a reasonable price, and then there will be no excuse for neglecting an improvement which lies at the foundation of good farming.

COL. S. G. MORRIS' GREAT SALE.—A very full account of Col. Morris' sale of thoroughbred cattle, sheep, and swine, appears in the *New York Tribune*, of 25th and 26th ult. The prices upon the whole must have been satisfactory, though some of his Durhams of unblemished pedigree, and from the most celebrated herds in England, sold at a very low price. Romeo, six years old, bred by the Marquis of Exeter, and imported in 1852, sold for \$600 only; but he was the first put up, and competition had not been aroused. He went to Ohio. Several Bull calves sold at prices between \$300 and \$675. We notice that Mr. Robert Gordon of Paris, C. W., was the purchaser of the "King of Algiers," a red and white bull calf, dropped last April, at \$400. He is of the best blood to be had in this country. His sire is Duke of Gloucester, (11,382,) dam, Beauty of Brawith, by Emperor, (6,973). We trust Mr. Gordon may be

successful with his royal charge. The Devons brought medium prices, ranging from \$150 to \$360 for bulls, mostly young; and from \$125 to \$340 for Devon cows. The South Down Sheep brought the longest prices, ranging from \$140 to \$400 for sheep and rams, and from \$25 to \$140 for yearling bucks and ewe lambs. Such prices must be considered high, when sheep from the same English flocks can be had in this country at much lower prices. We shall endeavour to give some particulars of this sale, the largest ever held in America, in our next number.

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, July 1.

For the past month the supply of produce has been abundant in the Toronto Market. With the exception of Wheat, prices have declined for every article. The receipts of Wheat for the month cannot fall far short of 100,000 bushels. Many farmers who had held on to their last year's crop, refusing 10s. and above, have at length been compelled to sell at a considerable reduction; but still a fair remunerating price. We are glad that many of them have not the temerity to hold it over for a longer period, as the probabilities are that a further decline will take place. By selling their Wheat now they have received a good price, and will be enabled to pay their debts, and give ease to the money market. The price for the month has ranged from 6s. 8d. to 7s. 4d., the average price of the month being about 7s. per bushel. It is selling to day at 7s. to 7s. 3d. The demand has been active for prime samples. Purchases have been made for the Liverpool market to a considerable extent, and large quantities have been brought to supply a rapidly increasing consumptive demand in the New England States. Flour, by wholesale, is difficult of quotation there being but few transactions. It is held at \$5 50, for superfine, and \$6 for extra, per barrel. Potatoes are selling at 2s. 6d. to 3s. per bushel. Oats, 2s a 2s 6d. Hay \$10 a \$17, per ton. Butter, 9d. a 11d. Eggs, 11d. a 1s., per dozen.