rine view; Miss N. Strickland gets a second for flowers, grouped or single. The same lady is first in animals, grouped or single; also in any subject.

Mr. Chapman takes a first for any subject [original, oil, amateur] with a very pretty scene on the river Thames, near London, Ont.

E. McQuillan, Guelph, obtains a second prize for any subject, professional class. This lady also exhibits in this class an oil painting head of our Saviour, of a deserving character.

John Murpby, Guelph, exhibits a portrait [amateur, oil, copy] and is first in this class with a large oil painting of merit; Miss N. Strickland being second.

Mr. Chapman is first in still life [amateur] with a well painted picture of a variety of fruit.

In water color pictures in the professional class, Jas Griffith is awarded the first prize for an artistically executed group of flowers.

In "any subject" F. M. Bell Smith obtains the first prize, the subject being the life and death struggle of a party of lacrosse players to determine the winning game, and faithfully delineates the eager excitement of the players usually attendant on so critical a juncture.

In still life Mr. Griffiths is victorious with a very tempting looking dish of fruit, and is also first prize man in the class of flowers, grouped or single.

F. M. B. Smith takes a first in criginal landscape or marine views—representing the exciting close of one of the boat races at a regatta. The same artist gets a first prize for some lively well drawn aketches of a triumphal procession, probably during the visit of the Prince of Wales.

PRIZE LUST.

PRIZE LIST. CATTLE.

Durmams. — Judges. — Hon. David Christie, Paris; Geo. Hyde, Stratford; Thos. Stock, Waterdown. Bull, 3 years old and upwards, \$20, John Snell & Sons, Edmonton; 2nd, \$15, F. W. Stone, Guelph; 3d, \$10, John Pipe, 60; 4th, \$5, J&R Hunter, Pilkington. Bull, under 3 years old, \$20, John Snell & Sons, 1 & Hunter, Pilkington. Bull, under 3 years old, \$20, John Snell & Sons; 2nd, \$12, WB Telfer, Pilkington; 3d, \$9, John Stone, Guelph; 3d, John Snell & Sons; 2nd, \$12, WB Telfer, Pilkington; 3d, \$9, John Stone, Guelph; 4th, \$5, John Snell & Sons; 2nd, \$12, WB Telfer, Pilkington; 3d, \$9, John Stone, Guelph; 4th, \$5, John Snell & Sons; 2nd, \$12, WB Telfer, Pilkington; 3d, \$6, WB Telfer; 4th, \$4, J&R Hunter. Bull of any age, diploma, John Snell & Sons. Cow 4 years old and upwards, \$18, John Snell & Sons; 2nd, \$14, J&A Evans, Puslinch; 3d, \$10, J&R Hunter; 4th, \$5, F W Stone. Cow under 4 years old, \$15, John Miller; 2nd, \$11, F W Stone, 3d, \$7, John Snell & Sons; 2nd, \$14, J&A Evans, Puslinch; 3d, \$10, J&R Hunter; 4th, \$4, J&R Hunter. Heifer under 3 years old, \$11, John Snell & Sons; 2nd, \$8, John Miller; 3d, \$6, JS Armstrong; 2nd, \$7, John Snell & Sons; 4th, \$3. J&R Hunter. Heifer call under 1 year old, \$3, \$1, John Snell & Sons; 2nd, \$5, John Snell & Sons; 4th, \$3. J&R Hunter. Heifer call under 1 year old, \$5, JA Rrmstrong; 2nd, \$7, do; 3d, \$5, John Snell & Sons; 4th, \$3. J&R Hunter. Heifer call under 1 year old, \$5, JR Rrms; 2nd, \$8, JR Rr

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DEMOREST.— We have received from the publishers, 838 Broadway, New York, Demorest's Monthly Magazine, and Demorest's Young America for October.

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Branosa — At Rockwood, on Tuesday,
Sept. 30th.

North Wateries — In Waterloo Village
Sept. 38th and Oct. 1st.

Hamilton Central — Sept. 30th, and Oct.

1st and 2nd.

Beguesing — At Georgetewn, Wednesday,
Oct. 1st.

North Wellington—At Arthur, Oct. 1st and
2nd.

outh Riding of Bruce—Teeswater, on the and 2nd October. st and 2nd October.
Puslinch—At Abertovie, on Friday, Oct. 3.
Minto, at Harriston, on Tuesday, the 7th
1 October.
South Brant — In Brantford, Oct 7th and

West Garafraxa—At Douglas, Wednesday Oct. 8th. Dot. 8th.

Krin—At Hrin Village, Thursday, Oct. 9th.
South Waterloo—Oct. 14th and 15th.
East Garafraxa — At Marsville, Thursday,
Oct. 16th.

COMMERCIAL. GUELPH MARKETS. ERCURY OFFICE, September 18, 1873

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Hay, per tou
Straw,
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" rolls
Potatoes, per bag, new
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HAMILTON MARKETS

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By telegraph to The Weekly Mercury).

Hora Markets.
September 17.
Fall Wheat from \$1.08 to \$1.18; Spring Wheat \$1.15 to \$1.16; Treadwell \$1.10 to \$1.16; Barley 750 to \$00; Peas 450 to 550; Oats 30 to \$5; Butter 12\fo to 160; Eggs 12 to 12\fo; Hides \$6.50.

Fergus Markets.

September 17.

Substitution of the state of Drayton Markets.

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Fall Wheat from \$1. September 17.

Wheat \$1.00 to \$1.05; To \$1.20; Spring
Wheat \$1.00 to \$1.05; To \$1.20; Spring
\$1.12 to \$1.15; Barley 70 to \$60; Peas 50e to \$60; Oats 50e to \$60; Butter 15e to 16e; Eggs
10e to 18e. Wool 50e to 350.

Harriston Markets.

Sentember 17.

Fall Wheat from \$1 10 to \$1 15; Spring Wheat \$1 05 to \$108; Treadwell \$1 10 to \$1 12; Barley 66c to 65c; Peas 50c to 50c; Oats 35c to 35c. Butter 15c to 15c; Eggs 12½c; Wool 30 to 35c.

Clifford Markets.

Fall Wheat from \$118 September 17.
Wheat \$1 08 to \$113; Treadwell \$116 to \$112;
Barley 75c to 86c; Peas 55c to 60c; Oats 28 to 32; Butter 15c to 17c; Eggs15c; Wool 32c to 35c; Hams 10c to 12c. Mount Forest Markets. September 17.

Sall Wheat \$1 15 to \$1 15; Spring Wheat 10 to \$1 65; Treadwell from \$1 10 to \$1 12; arley 60e to 60e; Peas 45e to 45e; Oats 35e to 5; Butter 15c to 16e; Eggs 12e .o 12e; Worl 0c to 32e; Sheepskins 25e to 75e.

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