

**MORTAR FOR THE TOPS OF CHIMNEYS TO WITHSTAND THE WEATHER.**

To three pecks of sand put three quarts of the iron scales which fall from the Blacksmith's Anvil; mix them thoroughly—spread the sand and lay upon it a peck of fresh burnt lime—slack it with boiling water, and mix it into mortar immediately.

If sand cannot be procured which is free from fine earth, it should be washed by putting it into a tub of water, stirring it and pouring off the water as often as it is necessary to separate the soft earth. The lime should if possible be used the same day it is taken from the kiln. If it is of the best kind it will be completely slacked as soon as the mortar is made, and should in that case be applied immediately—but the greater part of the lime in this Province is not of the best kind, it is often necessary to leave the mortar to rest for a few days, that every grain of lime stone may be slacked.

There is really but one kind of pure lime, but limestones always have together with the lime a greater or lesser proportion of other earths—clay, flint, or magnesia. The best limestone is that which contains the smallest proportion of these earths. When lime is used for manure it should be drawn as soon after it is burnt as possible, for a ton of fresh burnt lime exposed to the air will gain, at first, a hundred pounds in twenty-four hours, and will finally before it begins to slack in the air, weigh above 2,600 lb, although apparently perfectly dry. The increase of weight is chiefly water which it attracts from the air and renders solid.

**TORONTO MARKETS.**

February 15, 1844.

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Flour .... per bbl. 196 lb...	20	0	23	9
Wheat .... per bush. 48 lb...	4	0	4	3
Barley .... per bush. 48 lb...	2	0	2	6
Rye ..... per bush. 56 lb...	2	3	3	6
Oats ..... per bush. 34 lb...	1	0	1	2
Oatmeal .. per bbl. 196 lb...	15	0	18	9
Peas ..... per bush 60 lb...	2	0	2	3
Timothy .. per bush. 60 lb...	3	0	3	9
Potatoes .. per bushel .....	1	3	1	6
Hay ..... per ton .....	40	0	42	0
Straw .... per ton .....	20	0	25	0
Hides .... per 100 lb...	20	0	0	0
Salt ..... per barrel .....	12	6	15	0
Beef ..... per 100 lbs...	15	0	16	3
Deaf ..... per lb. ....	0	2	0	4
Mutton .. per lb. ....	0	2	0	4
Veal .... per lb. ....	0	2	0	4
Pork ..... per 100 lbs...	15	0	22	6
Pork ..... per lb. ....	0	2	0	4
Turkeys .. each .....	2	0	2	6
Geese ... each .....	1	3	2	0
Ducks ... per couple .....	1	3	2	0
Fowls ... per couple .....	1	0	1	3
Chickens .. per couple .....	0	10	1	3
Butter ... per lb. ....	0	6	0	8
Eggs ..... per dozen .....	7	9	0	10

**1,000 SUGAR KETTLES FOR SALE BY—**

JOHN HARRINGTON.

King-street, Toronto, 10th Feb. 1844.

**YONGE STREET NURSERY AND FLOWER GARDEN.—JAMES FLEMING, Seedsman and Florist, offers for sale his usual and well-assorted Stock of GARDEN, FIELD, and FLOWER SEEDS; all of which he can recommend as fresh and genuine in their sort.**

Country dealers and Gardeners supplied on the most reasonable terms. Also—a large Stock of Green-House Plants, Double Dahlias, Flower Roots, Fruit and Ornamental Trees, &c. &c. Cabbage, Cauliflower, and Celery Plants in their season, carefully packed and sent to any part of the Country, according to order.

Cash for Timothy, Grass, and Clover Seeds. Toronto; 11th Feb. 1844.

**IMPROVED DURHAM CATTLE FOR SALE.**—The Subscriber begs to acquaint his friends and the public generally, that he has for sale two thorough-bred Durham Bulls, one year old; three thorough-bred Durham Cows, in calf, one of which was imported direct from England; and several grade Heifers of the above breed,—all choice animals, and very superior of their kind. He has also a number of well-bred Suckers, of the Leicester and South Down cross.

THOMAS MAIRS,  
Township of Vebra.

February 15, 1844.

**TORONTO HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY**

Public Notice is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Members of this Society, and others friendly to its interests, will take place at the COURT HOUSE, in the City of Toronto, on Saturday, the Twenty fourth inst, at Two o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of discussing the propriety of having Monthly Exhibitions, and for the general business of the Society.

By Order,  
W. G. EDMUNDSON,  
Toronto, Feb. 15th, 1844. Cor. Sec.

**TOWNSHIP OF MARKHAM AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.**

Public Notice is hereby given, that a Meeting of the members of the Township of Markham Agricultural Society, and others in the Township and neighbourhood friendly to Agricultural improvement, will take place at HESTER'S Tavern, in the 6th Concession, on the first Thursday of each Month, at the hour of Two o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of discussing Agricultural topics, and for adopting measures for effecting improvements in Agriculture.

DAVID REESER,  
Secretary.

February, 1844.

**PROTESTANT HILL STORE, PORT HOPE.**

The Subscriber has now on hand, at the Protestant Hill Store, as well as at Cavanville and Williamstown, a general assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, &c., which he offers on reasonable terms.

CASH paid for good clean Wheat.  
JOHN KNOWLSON.  
January 1, 1844.

**IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL WORKS**

ON SALE, by P. L. SIMMONDS, Agricultural Agency and Commission Office, 18 Cornhill, London.

1. Johnson on Fertilizers, published at 12s., reduced to 8s. (One of the most important and popular works on Manures extant.)
2. The Implements of Agriculture, illustrated by numerous highly finished Cuts, by Mr. J. A. Ransome. Price 9s.
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5. A Calendar for Young Farmers, by C. W. Johnson, Esq. Price 1s.
6. The Farmers' Magazine, Monthly. Price 1s. 6d

**600 BUSHELS OF SANDY OATS FOR SALE.**

The Subscriber begs to acquaint the Canadian Agriculturists, that he has raised, the past season, a large quantity of SANDY OATS, which he will dispose of for 2s. 6d. per bushel. The original Seed was imported direct from Scotland, in the spring of 1839, by the subscriber, and has subsequently been cultivated on his farm with such remarkable success, being large yielders, and weigh upwards of forty-two lbs. per bushel, that he has no scruple in recommending them to the favourable notice of his brother farmers.

The above Oats may be had at the Store of EDWARD SKAZ, Esq., Oshawa; and at Mr. J. F. WESTLAND'S Seed Store, Toronto.

D. G. FORBES.  
Township of Whitby, Jan. 16, 1844.

**SEED WHEAT.**—J. M. STRANGE offers, at private sale, Ten Barrels Russia Seed Wheat, a very superior article.

Toronto, 20th January, 1844.

**TOWNSHIP OF YORK AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.**

The members of the Township of York Agricultural Society, and others in the township favourable to Agricultural improvement, are hereby informed that a Monthly Conventional Meeting, on Agricultural topics, will take place at W. Ross's Hotel, York Mills, on the First Friday in each Month, at the hour of Six o'clock, P. M.

The Officers and Directors of the Society respectively request a general attendance, as a number of subjects, of great importance to Agriculturists generally, will be brought before the Meeting.

JOHN BULL,  
Secretary.  
January, 1844.

**EDWARD LITTLE, BRUSH MANUFACTURER,** Newgate Street, (three doors East of Yonge Street,) pays Cash for HORSE HAIR and HOG'S BRISTLES.

Toronto, January, 1844.

**CARDING MACHINES.**

THE SUBSCRIBER begs to acquaint his friends and the public in general, that in addition to his Foundry and French Bar Mill Stone Factory, he has engaged Archelaus Tupper, who is an experienced Mechanist, to make all kinds of CARDING MACHINES, of the latest and most approved construction; he has been engaged for twenty years in the United States, and also in Canada, and has a thorough knowledge of all kinds of Machinery, namely:—Double and Single Carding Machines, Pickers, Condensers, Jacks, Billeys and Jimmy. Also, Broad and Narrow Looms, Shearing Machines, and Gigs, Napping and Teazling; Stoves for heating Fires Places; Press Screws. Also, Grinding Searing Machine Blades; Fulling Mill Cranks, &c., and all kinds of Grist and Saw Mill Castings made to order; Wrought and Cast Iron Cooking and Plate Stoves; Fancy Stoves of all kinds: Also, Plugs of different patterns; Mill Screws of all kinds; and Damsel Irons; Boiling Cloths, of the best Dutch Anker Brand, warranted of the best quality; Mill Stones of all sizes, always on hand and to order. Also, all the other herein-mentioned articles always on hand and for sale by the Subscriber, at his Foundry, on Yonge Street, as cheap as they can be obtained at any other place.

CHRISTOPHER ELLIOT.  
Toronto, August 7, 1843.

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THE SUBSCRIBER feels grateful for the patronage extended to him since he commenced business, and would respectfully inform his friends and the public, that he has removed from King Street to Yonge Street, immediately opposite the Stores of ROSS MITCHELL & Co., where he will carry on the business of NURSERY and SEEDSMAN. Having twenty Acres in the liberties of the city, in course of breaking up, as a Nursery and Seed Garden, he can now supply the public with Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Shrubs, Roses, Herbaceous Flowering Plants, &c. at a cheaper rate than they can be got from New-York or Rochester.

Trees and Seeds packed carefully to order, and sent to any part of the country.

GEO. LESSLIE.  
Toronto, September, 1843.

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