

the Hon. James McDonald will in all He does not make them: he has sympathy and encouragement of from our schools. There is great quickly adopt every new contrivance therefore the most economical.

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probability be returned, and go up to nothing to do with them, and Mr. those who have placed them in such need of reform in this particular in simply because it is new. But on the

For the "Agriculturist." GROWING ALFALFA

Agriculture.

country," to which I earnestly say it "reciprocal free trade;" the debating of the Society and are generally re- in their path, for we have not the fitting our young men to become ever full experiment by individuals can without the least doubt. In reading the Sacramento Yearly were more interesting even when they Mr. Keator charges those men with of obtaining fertlizers; as they have, wealth and opulence to our country. vantageous and profitable.

lands, so last year I sent to a certain sword."

firm in Sacramento for 2 lbs. of the seed, and it came late in June. I probably until after the elections. sowed one half of it, leaving the other half to try on different land should the first fail, but it did not fail. It stands the frost better than any of our native grass or clover; it will ripen here and

come to perfection. 21 tons to the acre I think, would be about the common port of the meeting of this august yield in this country. My Alfalfa is body held on the 9th April last, and now about 16 inches high; the roots have been very much amused by the is \$ of an inch in diameter; it is a self importance of some of those genman's work to pull one of them up; tleman who constitute themselves the larger roots are now about 20 the censors of the Province; why the while in resulting the three parishes if not ahead of those of whom so much so as to be able to come to sound con- dition during our winter months. Let fore I can consider that I have con- unsightly or injurious produced. As inches long. The seed grows on the celebrated Tooley street tailors were stock different from our clover, with a nothing to those gentlemen, if they portion of a parish or parishes covered patrons worthy of our example. We science necessary to the farmer can be blue blossom. If required I can tell are to be taken at their own value. you more about it another time. The Secretary for Agriculture and

Yours, respectfully, his Report furnished fuel to keep their wrath warm for a while, and we were BENJ. STEWART. beginning to think he must be a very

Nashwaak, May 16th, 1878. Note .- We will be glad to hear terrible. We were not sure but that it

from our correspondent again with might be necessary to pass a code of any further information. laws against the press that printed such a document; but we read on a

For the "Agriculturist." LETTER FROM NOVA SCOTIA. ing : "The next motion made brought

CROP PROSPECTS IN THE ANNAPOLIS VALLEY, CENTRAL NOVA SCOTIA-DOMINION POLITICS IN SAME SECTION.

Report. Some of those gentlemen at-To the Editor of the Agriculturist : tend every meeting hold in King's

vanced in the Annapolis Valley and the gathering may be, they are sure

little further and came to the follow-

would be a candidate for the Legisla-

ture;" this revealed the v hole object

of the attack on the Secretary and his

of Mr. Keator; and Mr. Keator cannot are the grand bases of success.

ricts included in the return, but have only been cultivating our acres United States for the staff of life. ometimes there may be a misunder- a single decade, or a century at most. I Perhaps it is unnecessary to say comfortable barns properly ventilated gentleman is the Scientific farmer. standing, or a want of clearness in the have no hesitation in thinking and that sciences are not all learned at the is a great saving to the folder and one heading—from this it would appear saying if we keep on improving, that school or college, they are only offer- of the first means to be adopted to the tention to when requested to have every particle of the moss, so that for that the return was for a parish or in in another century we will be abreast ed as means for expanding the mind keeping of our stock in a healthy con- made my remarks so lengthy, but be- one season at least there is nothing while in reality it was for only the is said, and who are held up to us as clusions. To a large extent the the farmer so plan and arrange his cluded and come to my elosing sonby the Society. The Secretary has are all cognizant of the fact that we mastered by his own fire-side, with reality be a protection to his stock, none duty to my subject, without buds. The more effectually to attain done all in his power to remedy these have need of reform, and that it is the aid of good and proper books and and also so that he can save all their noticing one more topic. I do not this object, it is an improvement to defects and in most cases he thinks well for us to have before us, those an indomitable will. The farmer will excuement, by this means he will have know what phrase or name to give it mix the caustic lime with soot as with success, certainly errors are not who have excelled as cultivators of be the gainer from the careful study a larger supply of one thing needful, or what you gentleman may be pleased fresh as it can be obtained, and in the properties of the state o so numerous as formerly. The Secre-tary is condemned for calling for the soil – therefore, we should become the soil – therefore, we should become to him most profitable. The skilful these returns – Does not Mr. Kentor bad fellow; and his Report something these returns. Does not Mr. Keator management of those who are our and scientific farmer will study and from the stock kept. There is large great deal to do with the hannings of trees have the appearance of having and the other gentlemen know that competers. This naturally leads me understand his farm, so as to be able room for improvement in this respect great deal to do with the happiness of trees have the appearance of the standard t these returns were ordered by law-the new can the Secretary dispense to take as my subject—"The Farmer's to know the want of his pasture and the new can the Secretary dispense to the farmer and one which in the urgent obviated by mixing the lime with then how can the Secretary dispense calling, and how he is to be fitted so as tillage land, to know when to plough, this end the more prosperous we will effort to procure a livelihood or the soot; but we should prefer using the with them, he has no power either to to perform has duty."

order or discontinue them, why blame ing: "The next motion made brought out the fact that O. R. Arnold, Esq., would be a candidate for the Legisla." Greer or discontinue them, why blame him for them, he does all he can to have them made correct, and can do

recalled It is certainly very clever, the grand end in view. and no doubt those who passed it

and Dr. Tupper. What fun it is to why should he be called to account encouragement of greater zeal in prohear the village bar room politicisens for them. Mr. Keator knows and also secuting agricultural pursuits. We that vill bring the greatest benefit to with suspicion upon every departure labor and for market. He will eager-MR. EDITOR; - In peruseing the the work in the the destinice of two has to make the re back and have Botany. Geology and Agricul- wide open to see, and minds open to the same back and have Botany. Geology and Agricul- wide open to see, and minds open to the same back. It is also open to the further MR. EDITOR; - In peruseng the the men who "wield the destinies of turns for one Society, that these returns be able to enjoy all the comforts and have Botany, Geology and Agricul- wide open to see, and minds open to those around him, but at the same AGRICULTUREST the other day, I bit on a question that I was much interested a question that I was much interested is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is who are elected by the members is who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members is the speech of Mr. Colby or talk dise, who are elected by the members dise, who are ele club composed of colored people never spectable, conscientious men, and when same market, nor the same advantage better cultivators of the soil, bringing or associations has proved to be al- and nature of his soil, from Chemistry From Geology he learns the origin

In reading the Sacramento Yearly were more interesting even when they making false returns, he should be nor are our farmers men who have tried to decide the knotty problem of "which is de mitest, de pen orgide to prove the truth of his assertion, for it is a serious charge English farmers have to expend in they will bring the same skill and buildings, no husbandry can be suc- of plants, and what soils and mode of time being expended on the operation. General business is dull and will be against an honorable class of men, farm engineering, such as the sinking learning to bear in farming as are cessfully carried on in this climate treatment they demand, from Zoology to o,rown knowledge quite the equal of deep drains and irrigation, which brought to bear in the professions without giving due attention to the these laws by which the reproduction of Mr. Keator; and Mr. Keator cannot plead ignorance in this matter as he is plead ignorance in this matter as he is well aware of the true position of ment that we are no;, after all, so far vide an abundance, and our markets inch openings between every seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies it to his daily tasks till complete theoring it abundantly all over seven or plies theoring tasks the seven over seven or plies tasks tasks the seven over seven over seven or plies tasks ta behind the English farmer. They will be filled with what our population nine inches space over its entire sur- success crowns his efforts, till the for-We believe those schedules are have been tilling the same ground for requires without sending our capital face, is not the best kind of a stable mer waste becomes a garden, till what generally pretty correct for the dis-the last thousand years, whereas, we to the Upper Provinces or to the for the protection of his stock during was once a wilderness is made "to with the dust. A man will treat a

Mr. President :-- It was not my in what to plant, what to sow, what be as farmers.

have them made correct, and can do no more. We admire the resolution passed re-commending that the Report be branches of business, having that as practical education, to those who are tinually posting themselves in their whole life will be a failure and our exbranches of business, having that as practical durations for the farmers, for the farmers, for the farmers, for the farmers, as other men, have the do not hold that position in the politi-Farmers, as other men, have the do not hold that position in the politi-

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Sta,-Farm work is not more al vanced in the Annapolis Valley and about Truro than on P. E. Island, but the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in true to the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in true to the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in true to the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in the same object in true to the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in true to the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in true to the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in true to the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in true to the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in they sent a copy of the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in they sent a copy of the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in they sent to get into power in the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, with the same object in they sent to get into power in the gathering may be, they are sure to be on hand, and no doubt those who passed in the same object in they sent a copy of the gathering may be, they are sure to get into power in the same object in they sent to get into power in the same object of his shall be encouraged will be right until they do, like we can tell them that the two lasts in the same any single one for the same any single one for they are numerous, but I would say, the contributors of our homes. Has it not been consisted of the same and harsh? Has it not to the appearance and taste of the same desire to get into power in the same desire to get int$ I am pleased to say, Mr. President, to leave this theme of the subject are farmer and that in our northern that the farmers represented in this without saying something about the latitudes. Every farmer should be the great gratification of the owner of the land. "It never looked so well the farmers before at this time of year" was the series of the mass been everything the cold side. All kinds of fruit trees are looking well, and prospects bright at present. The weather series consisted of a series of the gratification of the owner of some scientific work on the series of the gratification of the owner of some scientific work on the series of the gratification of the owner of some scientific work on the series of the gratification of the owner of some scientific work on the series of the gratification of the owner of some scientific work on the series of the gratification of the owner of some scientific work on the series of the gratification of the owner of some scientific work on the farmer if energetic with his farm. 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Name L mould say to you all open stand states and he knows not how matters stand. Name L mould say to you all open states of a series of elevations books, which are utterly useless only the form form the books of that kind, and not be the possessors of so many life "which has taken directly from the books. the means of awakening them from he knows not how matters stand. books, which are utterly useless only We have said more on this subject the fanciful dreams only to find them. Now, I would say to you all, open an for the profit they may bring to the our farming population its noblest and character and composition as our New than we intended, and trust we will selves involved in the Insolvency account with your farm, debit it with publisher. not have to return to it, and in con-Court. all the expenses necessary to carry on Gentleman there is a prejudice terprise. Let the farmer feel that his with a clayey subsoil; and still others clusion we would recommend would-We are enamoured by the show its work successfully, and credit it with We are enamoured by the show its work successfully, and credit it with and success of the merchant; at times crops raised, &c., &c. Then a farmer among most farmers, against scientific farm has higher uses for him than be-politicians not to mix their politics and success of the merchant; at times crops raised, &c., &c. Then a turner farming the reason for this, is, that those of filling his person or purse." As it was before the experiment, this with agriculture, and both will get must remember that often the mer- fellow man much information, his co- they often mistake fancy for a scien. As he looks upon his green intervales farm produced only some ten tons of chant's successor is reduced to poverty workers advice based from a sound tific farming. chant's successor is reduced to poverty workers advice based from a sound and can only pay *twenty cents* on the data—which would also be benefical I will sketch two pictures from ac- seed and houses the golden harvest, upon it for ten years. Almost no stock INAUGURAL ADDRESS. this spring a very much larger acreage is devoted to it, and the farmers ex-them and others introducing their devoted to it, and the farmers ex-them and others introducing their devoted to it, and the farmers ex-them and others introducing their devoted to it, and the farmers to be devoted to it, and the farmer to be devoted to it, and the farmers to be devoted to it, and the farmer to be devoted to it. Additional to the devoted to it, and the farmer to be devoted to it. Additional to the devoted to it, and the farmere to be devoted to it. Additional to the devoted to the living easy, but he forgets that those cannot keep accounts," again, "it is ence between fancy and scientific of animated nature, as he sees the sun the farm to a good condition, was The following address delivered bemen are the dradged servants of se- too much trouble." In answer to the farming. A person may come from of the morning rising to gild and the use of special fertilizers. Five ciety, dependent upon disease, dis first, see to it that your sons and the School or College to the country gladden the earth, and the evening-had been so far successful that dureement, and sin for their daily bread. daughters receive this as a part of and procure a farm to his taste and shadows falling longer from the hills eighteen cows, five horses, a yoke of potatoes and fruit will continue to be regulations they now complain of Sun is as applicable to this Province agreement, and so for their daughters receive this as a part of and potatoes and fruit will continue to be regulations they now complain of Sun is as applicable to this Province agreement, and so for their daughters receive this as a part of and potatoes and the their education, for it would only be a set out as a model farmer. He com-"And the moon like a silver bow branches of industry and will by pastime to them, besides setting them mences by pulling down the old buildtimes regret that cultivation of the a wholesome example. To the second ings, and erects a palace. He procts to turn the first three and his turnips members. The chairman seems to formation so long as our own people dark heaven light." Come out to rule and glorify the night." soil is his calling. Those visions of excuse, I would say that if you would a hennery, a piggery and barns for wealth, show, ease, and comfort oc- adopt such a course for a little time, his cattle and fancy stables for his casionally dance before some farmer's you will be surprised at the results horses which surpass in their appoint-House at the time the Act was passed when we will be able to reciprocate. eyes, and those who yield, to pursue accruing from the adoption of such a ment, the home of his neighbors. He of nature, and when the winds of Auin other walks, the majority are ruin- system, which would repay for all the imports at long prices fancy stock, without talking politics. In King's perfect and should be continued. The I am pleased to be brought face to men. The business of farming should time and trouble. I would venture to which he knows not how to use or county both parties are sanguine of Law was well enough and worked face with the Yeomanry of London- not be the stepping stone to any other; say if all oar hasbandmen did this raise. He buys whatever he may success with chances seemingly in well, so long as it was not abused; derry in the capacity is members of an potasa, chioride of that is new in way of imple, life, let him remember that he is one success with chances seemingly in well, so long as it was not abused; derry in the capacity is members of an farmers should strive to be better there would not be such long accounts and it was only when it ceased to be Agricultural Society. This sight I farmers, for there is no other business against them on the merchants' books, ments or tools whether they may be against them on the merchants' books, ments or tools whether they may be against them on the merchants' books. favor of the present representative and it was only when it ceased to be Agricultural Society. This sight I farmers, for there is no other business against them on the increases against the other against them on the increases against them on the "he appointed a postmaster and col- country approved the change, and ap- I am pleased to see my fond expect- that is requested is intelligence, in examples of mortgaged farms, or those and with no past experience; spurning stewardship. lector during this term, and that is prove of it to this day. We have not ations realized in this meeting, which dustry and a fair soil; with these, involved in debt, all of which often any advice of older cultivators of his space to go further into this part of contains the energy, health and wealth there is no surer, happier, or more con arise from not keeping accurate ac- neighborhood, he sets up for a gentle TO CURE THE MOSS GROWTH these results. In Annapolis county it is generally conceded that the Opposition will gain in direct at the subject at present, but will be pre-of this Township. We have, after all, made a good reso-the subject at present, but will be pre-the subject at present, but will be pre-pared to return to it, should circum-the subject at present, but will be pre-pared to return to it, should circum-the subject at present, but will be pre-pared to return to it, should circum-the subject at present, but will be pre-pared to return to it, should circum-the subject at present, but will be pre-pared to return to it, should circum-the subject at present, but will be pre-the subject at present at the energy, nearth and weath the tent of gaining a comfortable counts. If you have not adopted this system 1 ask you to try it, and I think the subject at present at the energy subject at pr ON FRUIT TREES. a member, and Sir John A. will be stances render it necessary, but there lution, let us see to it that we, from a custom prevalent in our country, you will all verify what I have said. and all the farmers of the community happy. In Hants, the present mem-are two or three points that we wish this time forward endeavour to im- one to which Colonel Blair alluded at A word to our young farmers, those consider him a scientific farmer, for r, a supporter of Mr. Mackenzie, is to notice just now, to show the real prove our living by tending better to the meeting of the formation of this just beginning. Start fair, and keep he makes a great show which puts all a supporter of art aucacular, is object of the speakers, and the want that which to us is our subsistence, so Society, to which I think proper accurate and regular accounts of each the neighborhood in the shade. that year after year, we will be able again to refer. I mean the custom of transaction, be it ever so triffing It It is not long before his debts accuinfluencing the appointment of the Mr. Keator endeavors to be very to enjoy all the comforts of those who farmers educating their sons, who are will save you much trouble and an mulate and be has not the wherewithpresent sheriff, a man who up to the eloquent in condemning everything have well drained and highly wrought to follow some of the professions, and noyance. This is perhaps a trivial all to meet his bills, and the sheriff is neglecting those who are to be the matter, yet "many a mickle makes a called to close the scene. Now the of cucumber pumps, a small edition of is all wrong according to Mr. Keator- Mr. President, it is to you we must grand promoters of civilized society, muckle," or as Poor Richard has it in whole neighborhood sets up a hue and of cucumber pumps, a small edition of is all wrong according to Mr. Keater-See See Jones, but happily with more the Secretary cannot make a recom-look for encouragement; to you, in a the cultivators of the soil, I conclude his off quoted maxim:—" take care of ery which goes over the land "So not produce moss on their stems and cost double the sum expended. aracter if less brilliant as a finan-mendation, or tell what has been large measure, depends the success that this is only to be mentioned to the pence, and the pounds will take much for scientific farming. It is no branches, hence, as a rule, young trees One measured acro ploughed in the The name-Curry-did it, but done, or what has not been done, but of this Society. If it is your desire be condemned by you as an unworthy care of thomselves." Such a procedure such thing. It is fancy farming. will prevent a man from being cheat- Let us look at the other picture. A usually exempt from the evil in any with five hundred pounds of pure, fine Mr. George cannot carry favor enough Mr. Keator hads fault with him. No to see the work of your hands prosper example to be followed, will prevent a man from being cheat-with the electors to be again returned matter whether the Secretary has in this Society, as I am pleased to say The business of farming requires ed. But the moral effect is also im-with che electors to be again returned matter whether the Secretary has in this society, as I am pleased to say The business of farming requires ed. But the moral effect is also im-bet again returned matter whether the Secretary has in this society as I am pleased to say and the factor in the society of the growth of moss on the bark of with corn. A handful of superphose for Ottawa Mr. Thomas Smith, of done anything or omitted to do an . you have in the tilling of your acres, an extensive knowledge, so that it portant. Habits of irregularity, pro. determined will to gratify long cher-hardy fruit trees is a superabundance phate was placed in each hill. for Ottawa Mr. Thomas Smith, of done anything of containing of goal actors, an extensive knowledge, so that it pertain. Thomas Smith, of done anything of containing of goal actors, an extensive knowledge, so that it pertain. Thomas Smith, of done anything of containing of goal actors, an extensive knowledge, so that it pertain. Thomas Smith, of done anything of containing of goal actors, an extensive knowledge, so that it pertain. Thomas Smith, of done anything of containing of goal actors, an extensive knowledge, so that it pertain. Thomas Smith, of done anything of containing of goal actors, an extensive knowledge, so that it pertain. 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He has taste and makes canvassing for a nomination, out even markes if he gets it; his chances of election in the gets it; his chances of election are small, and Sir John A. will likely ing a bonus for beet sugar, and thinks you will be better able to guide the instance of speak of the imple- neat, adapted for what they were in- bone dust and saltpetre were applied to the speak of the imple- neat, adapted for what they were inare small, and Sh sound A. with fixely fing a contactor correcting, and think by long a contactor correcting a contactor correcting a contactor correcting by long a contactor correcting by long a contactor correcting and contactor correcting a contactor correcting and contactor correcting a contactor correction and correcting a contactor correcting and contactor correcting a contactor correcting and for Hants. In Halifax the Hon Mr. money for the same purpose here, no Jones is pretty sure of an increased matter where it come from, it should majority. In Colchester, the Conser- be fortheoming, or else hold his peace, majority. In Colchester, the Conser- be fortheoming, or else hold his peace, with affor successes. Archibald to run, but not succeeding us the money at the same time; in the field, who, having a clever and in the field, who having a clever and in the field, who, having a clever and in the field, who, having a clever and in the field, who having a clever and in the field, who, having a clever and in the field, who, having a clever and in the field, who having a clever and in the field, and higher a clever and in the field clever and in th

his is not done it will be countinued untia ordered out, and charged the full time it ha een inserted.

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Hants by Colchester. In Pictou county why the Secretary is to be blamed. say they will at all times have the are almost, if not altogether excluded neither go beyond our means, nor too tools and implements are the best, and for the smaller branches, because lighter and more adaptible to the join forces again with Governer Tilley Keator knows this very well; then honorable positions as guides to the our school system. Let those other hand, let us studiously avoid inquiry and research what breeds are this method is liable to the objection. most careful manner, it can never be thorough, because there are always nequalities in the bark and about the unctions of the branches which cannot be penetrated by any ordinary instrument without a great deal of The best, the most thorough, and least expensive cure is fresh slacked lime throwing it abundantly all over every tree, so that all sides of the branch the extreme cold of our winter. Warm bud aud blossom as the rose"-This great many trees in this way in the ime he would require to clean one tree in the way of scraping gain of wealth, is too often forgotten lime alone if this objection can be

RESTORING RUN OUT LAND.

JOHN STONE.

Nova Scotia, May 16th, 1878.

KING'S COUNTY FARMERS' LEAGUE

We have been looking over the re-

and noticing the splendid appearance something to turn up, and their hand of the grass, one could well imagine (and their tongue) is against any and the given away, and the supply of the great gratification of the owners

tural affairs of the Province, beyond called them: at present.

During the past three years, a great their own interests or their desire to deal of rye has been sown on the obtain position. Some of those gensandy plains in Annapolis county, and themen were members of the latthe crops have proved to be profitable; Board; what good did they ever do? (wonder if it becomes old rye, there's can they point to one measure passed a point for the inside editor.) Last by them that was worthy of commen-

year a general renewal of wheat sow- dation. On the contrary they are as along better. ing took place in Central Nova Scotia, responsible for the conduct that justiand the result was so favorable that fied the abolition of the Board as any

press the hope of being able to raise political schemes into the Board intheir own breadstuffs again, which stead of attending to the work for for a time, was suspended by the which it was created, that rendered fore one of the Nova Scotia Societies, scoarge of the weevil. Hay, oats, the change necessary; and the very which we copy from the Colchester the mainstay of the interior "blue were continued in the Law, at the re- as it is to Nova Scotia, and we must nose," and if he were but wise enough quest of the Board, of which they were rely upon our neighbors for such in

into beef, mutton, pork and horseflesh, think because /Mr. Tilley and other do not furnish us with such articles. all fitted for exportation, great would prominent legislators were in the We trust the day is not far distant be his gain.

It is impossible to move about now creating the Board, that it must be Mr. President and Gentlemen : against him.

could find; one of his many sins was of consistancy on their part.

time of his nomination was a pedler the Sceretary says in the Report; it acres.

Mr. George cannot carry favor enough Mr. Keator finds fault with him. No to see the work of your hands prosper example to be followed,

in the field, who, having a clever and Bat the next serious charge is that of the Board of Directors are the main Eachd, and Algebra to Quadratic a better use of our straw and roots in necessary feituizers. If his land will scrape the bark with an old blant every energetic opponent in Dr. Page, the returns made by the Societies are spring which will bring discord or knife or an instrument made on purvery energetic opponent ite 14.1 g, not correct Allow that they are not unity. To them we must look for the second and one of suffering not correct Allow that they are not unity. To them we must look for the never bashels on ever bashels

most ambitious nature, its quickest England farms usually do. Some intelligence, and its most stirring en-termise. Let the farmer fool thet and waving fields-as he plants the indifferent upland hay per year, but

no corn or other grain had grown years from this time, the experiment oxen and three hogs were fed from its New-bent in heaven." productions. And these annuals, And the "Earth treading stars that make after this, supplied all the manure productions. And these animals needed.

The whole amount of fertilizers used As in the spring time he watches the were fifteen tons of bone, one hundred ever recurring but ever great mystery bushels of unleached ashes, four tons of fish pomace, two tons of Peruvian tumn wail in mournful cadence, muse potash, one ton of the oil of vitriol, upon the decay of nature, less mysteri ten casks of lime, and several hundred upon the farm during these years was

applied to the soil to aid in producing The whole for special fertilizers during seven years was eight hundred dollars.

The tendency to produce moss During the same year stable manur growth on the stems and branches of sold for six dollars per cord. growth on the stems and branches of apple and other hardy fruit trees is tirely, it would have given only about much greater in some parts of the three cords to each of the twenty-five country than others, and it is also ob- acres, during the whole time. servable that in some gardens and experiment brings into comparison orchards in the same district there is an excessive growth of this evil as stable manures and special fertilizers, and can any doubt which are the most an excessive growth of this evil as profitable? To have raised this farm compared with others. Generally to its present high state of cultivation

with much vigour of growth are autumn, and dressed in the spring