saw before in size and perfection; and we are happy to state that some of our members competed successfully for prizes. Turnips, a little below average, owing likely to the dry season and want of improved manures. Bone dust is but little used in this part of the country. We have purchased two bulls for the Society during the season—one a yearling, and the other a two years old, both very fine animals of their age.

It may be right for us, in bringing before the Society a report of our proceedings, to state that, owing to the small legislative grant at the disposal of the Society this season, and the loss, or partial loss, of our best bull, we did not recommend a cattle show and prize list for best specimens of stock or produce.

At an adjourned meeting last December the following persons were chosen Officers and Directors, viz.:—*President*, Elias Calkins; *Vice-Pres.*, George W. Kinsman; *Secretary*, Alfred S. Rand; *Treasurer*, Charles H. Parker; *Directors*, Henry Skinner, Chas. McGregor, Jos. Kinsman, Edmund Calkins, John C. West.

EGERTON AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

This Society held its annual meeting on Dec. 7, 1869, when the following persons were chosen office-bearers for the ensuing year:—*President*, Robert McNaughton; *Vice Pres.*, James McKay, *Treas.*, Finlay Cameron; *Sec'y.*, Daniel Falconer; *Directors*, John McKay, Daniel Cameron, Joseph McKay.

The Treasurers account was then submitted which showed our funds have been expended in the following manner:—

EXPENDITURE.

Disbursement of Prizes	$69.00
Advertizing Exhibition, &c.	9.00
Secretary's Fee	6.00
Total	$84.00

RECEIPTS.

Balance from 1868	$6 00
Subscriptions for 1869	44.00
Government Grant	42.00
Total	$92.00
Balance in hand	$8.00

The Society has been considerably strengthened this year through the energy of Mr. Brodie, of Gairloch. We held an Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition in October, which was well attended. The show of horses and cattle was very good, but the sheep exhibited were not equal to those of some former years. Grain was good, and fruit and roots very superior. Domestic manufacture very creditable. The Society is now in a very prosperous condition, which is partly due to the energy of the Secretary of the Board of Agriculture.

ROBERT MCNAUGHTON, *Pres.*
DANIEL FALCONER, *Sec'y.*

YARMOUTH COUNTY AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION.

Exhibition to be held on Thursday, 6th October, or first following fine day, on Parade Ground, and in Court House.

Premiums open to the Province, Exhibitors not members of the Society paying an entrance fee of one dollar, at the time of making entries.

All entries must be made in writing, and handed in on or before Tuesday, preceding the day of Exhibition, to the Chairman of the Managing Committee, by whom a number will be supplied to each Exhibitor.

Nothing will be received after 9 A. M. on the day of Exhibition, and no article on exhibition to be removed before 3 P. M.

Exhibitors will be expected to look after the proper arrangement of whatever they exhibit, care and safe keeping of Stock, &c., under the direction of the several Committees.

Building and grounds open only to Committees and Exhibitors until 10 o'clock, after which the public will be admitted to the grounds free, to the Court House on payment of 12½ cents.

The award of premiums will be announced at 2 P. M., or, if it be found that time will not admit of this, the premiums will be paid out as soon after this hour as practicable.

Compliance with conditions will be required without exception.

Police Constables will be in attendance to protect property, and to ensure good order.

LIST OF PREMIUMS

Class 1	$50.00
" 2	53.50
" 3	49.50
" 4	59.50
" 5	26.00
" 6	32.25
" 7	52.75
" 8	17.00
" 9	20.00
" 10	21.00
" 11	41.00
" 12	77.50
	$500.00

The age of all live stock with breed and description as far as possible must be given, and every article whatever must have name attached, with the number of Exhibitor.

Committees on each class and Managing Committee will be announced after the quarterly meeting in August, after which Exhibitors will address Chairman Managing Committee Yarmouth County Agricultural Exhibition.

CHARLES E. BROWN,
JAS. D. ARCHIBALD,
WILLIAM BURRILL,
HENRY BURRILL,
ZACH. CORNING,
} Committee on Premium List.

COLCHESTER COUNTY AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION,

Under the Auspicies of the Onslow Agricultural Society, Open to the Competition of the Province of Nova Scotia.

1. Exhibition to be held on Thursday, 29th September, or, if unfavorable, first following fine day, in and near the Drill Room at Truro.

2. Premiums to be awarded to competitors for articles of their own growth or production, or three months' possession in case of stock, except animals imported for breeding purposes.

3. All entries of live stock must be made in writing, and handed to the Secretaries on or before the 15th day of September, and all other entries in writing not later than the 22nd day of Sept., after which nothing will be received.

4. The Secretaries will supply to Exhibitors their number to be attached to each article offered.

5. An entrance fee of twelve and a half cents will be taken at the Drill Room door from non-exhibitors at 10 a. m., when the public will be admitted.

6. All stock will be received on the day of Exhibition from 7 till 10 o'clock a. m., after which none can be received except animals coming by train, and draft, carriage and saddle horses, which will not be required before 1 o'clock, p. m.

7. No animal can take two prizes, and all stock and articles exhibited must be taken charge of by their owners, the Committee giving their assistance in providing the necessary accommodations, and doing all in their power to ensure safety.

8. Stock, &c., cannot be removed from the grounds without the consent of the Managers under forfeiture of any prize awarded.

9. Entrance fee $2, inclusive of any sums subscribed by competitors to Exhibition funds.

10. List of members of Central Committee: John B. Calkin, Esq., *Chairman*; Chas. Blanchard, Adam Dunlap, James Norie, William N. Dickson, William Blair and Israel Longworth, Esquires. William Blair and Israel Longworth joint Secretaries and Treasurers.

11. The Committee reserve the right of witholding prizes in cases where there is no competition.

12. All cattle must be accompanied by ropes to fasten them securely; and no provision will be made for stock not entered for exhibition.

13. All bulls must be ringed and securely fastened, with keeper at hand.

JOHN B. CALKIN,
CHARLES BLANCHARD,
ADAM DUNLAP,
JAMES NORIE,
WILLIAM BLAIR,
WILLIAM N. DICKSON,
ISRAEL LONGWORTH,
} Central Exhibition Committee.