

Editorial Notices, &c.

THE AGRICULTURIST POST FREE.—Some of our subscribers have recently informed us that the Postmasters, from whom they receive the AGRICULTURIST, have been charging postage on its delivery, under the impression that it was their duty to do so under the new postage act. We were fully aware that we were correct in stating the "AGRICULTURIST" to be exempt from postage, but in order to place the matter at once upon a satisfactory footing, and prevent any mistakes on the part of the Postmasters, in future, we addressed a communication to the Postmaster General's Department, asking for an official statement that the AGRICULTURIST is post free. This we have now obtained. It was received too late for insertion in this number, but will appear in the next. In the meantime all concerned will please notice that the AGRICULTURIST, as a purely agricultural journal, is post free under the law, when mailed direct from the office of publication.

SHORT HORNED CATTLE.—Parties desirous of obtaining animals of this celebrated breed, would do well to pay a visit to the Hon. A. Fergusson, of Woodhill, who advertises in another column some cows and all calves for sale this Spring. Mr. Fergusson's herd is well known to be select, and largely imbued with the blood of the best families of Shorthorns.

AGRICULTURAL SEEDS, &c.—We beg to call the attention of our readers, and Agricultural Societies in particular, to Mr. Manning's advertisement in the present number. Societies may now have the opportunity of purchasing seeds that may be relied upon for being fresh and genuine at wholesale prices.

We also direct attention to Mr. Simmer's advertisement, in the same line of business.

THE AGRICULTURIST—TO SOCIETIES AND CLUBS.—In sending orders with lists of names, parties will oblige by giving eleven names for each five dollars remitted, so that we may know to whom to address the eleventh copy. When a parcel is to be addressed to one individual we send 11 copies for each \$5 received. When parties send orders without accompanying them with the cash, intending to remit that as soon as the full list is made up, we send only the exact number ordered, leaving to the parties to remit us \$5 for each 11 copies as soon as their list is complete. We give these explanations in order to prevent confusion or mistake.

Market Intelligence.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Saturday, Jan. 23, 1860.

The attendance on the market on Saturday was limited to a few teams. Two loads of fall wheat were bought, one at \$1 20, and the other at \$1 25.

SPRING WHEAT was sold at \$1 00 a \$1 02. These rates were not, however, a fair test of the market.

OATS are quiet, selling at 38c a 40c.

The **Pork** market is firm. Hogs, well fed, weighing 250lbs., were bought last week at \$5 87½ a \$6 25; over that and equal to 280 lbs., \$6 30 a \$6 40 in a few cases. Lower qualities brought \$5 25 a \$5 70 per 100lbs.

BARLEY 60c a 65c per bushel.

RYE 70c a 75c.

PEAS 58c a 61c.

POTATOES 30c a 35.

HAY \$17 a \$24 per ton.

BEEF—Very extra animals have brought \$5 50 a \$6 00; but the ruling price for first class beef is \$5 00 a \$5 25. Second rate animals \$4 50, and some have been sold as low as \$3 00 a \$3 50 per 100lbs.

SHEEP scarce at \$4 a \$5 each.

LAMBS \$3 a \$4 each.

CALVES plentiful at \$4 a \$5 each.

BUTTER—Roll butter is more freely offered, and is steady at 18c a 20c. Tub is not in such good request, and is rather dull at present at 15c a 16c for No. 1.

DRIED APPLES.—A. M. Smith & Co., advertise a nice lot of dried apples at \$1 75 per bushel of 22lbs., wholesale, and \$2 00 in small lots.