

willing to aid the Directors by extra subscriptions for the purchase of Agricultural books, the same to be used as a Circulating Library, free of charge to the members. Seeing the improvement made in the District by the use of good thoroughbred bulls, the Society is engaged in the purchase of thoroughbred Ayrshire and Durham female stock; they have also bought a very promising Cotswold Ram.

In Pictou County, the Pictou Society has secured an interest in an excellently situated and valuable lot of land in the town of Pictou, with a view to exhibition purposes. The Society is devoting its energies this year to the improvement of Sheep, and have purchased several line rams. A committee has been appointed to disseminate information in regard to the habits of the Colorado Beetle, with a view to its extirpation, and to encourage dealers to keep Paris Green on hand to be ready when required. The Society also recommends the establishment of a Model Farm and Stock Farm, and that the grant for Provincial Exhibition in 1883 should be diverted for this purpose.

The Lorne Society imported Seeds to the value of \$500, which were sold to members at cost and charges. Two Ayrshire Bulls have been purchased, and sold in the district under restrictions. The Society held a picnic on 13th July.

The Pine Tree Society purchased three Shropshire Rams, and one Ram Lamb, two Southdown Ram Lambs, one Yorkshire Boar, and one Ayrshire Bull, which were sold to members under restrictions.

The New Glasgow Society owns five thoroughbred Bulls, viz:—2 Jerseys, 2 Ayrshires, and one Polled Angus, valued at \$735, which have been well patronized. The Society is agitating in favour of a Stock Farm.

In Queen's County, the Liverpool Society reports that its Agricultural Building is clear of debt, and is rented as a rink a \$75 for the season. The balance of receipts of the Exhibition over expenses was \$10.

In Richmond County there are two active Societies, and a third has asked for extension of time in making its returns.

In Shelburne County, the Harrington West Passage Society reports that an Exhibition, open to the township, was held in October. Of stock there were more on the ground than formerly, both thoroughbreds and grades. Vegetables of all kinds were good; Potatoes large and of excellent quality; dairy and home products and manufactures satisfactory.

The Shelburne Society has purchased, and sold to members, Barley, Lost Nation Wheat, Russian White Oats, Beauty of Hebron and White Elephant Potatoes; also, an Ayrshire Bull, 4

Shropshire, 2 Southdown, and one Cotswold Sheep, and several implements.

In Victoria County, the Middle River Society reports sale of two Ayrshire bulls to make way for a Durham, which, with the present Ayrshire, will supply the Society's wants for the ensuing season. Last summer two of the Society's imported rams were taken by bears.

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