

If the stock just imported is a fair sample of the superior stock of England, especially the sheep, we have no doubt, the stock of Great Britain might be much improved by being crossed by the stock of this country ; and we suggest, in all future importations, that we merely exchange animal for animal. It would not be difficult to select twenty-one sheep, from any of the flocks of Westmorland, equal, if not superior, to those recently imported.

These animals have cost the Province twenty pounds each ; while superior sheep could be purchased on Prince Edward Island for three pounds apiece.

There can be no doubt, that frequent changes of both stock and seed, has a beneficial influence upon the agricultural interests of the country. But it should be remembered, that the stock imported, should be superior to the stock of the country, for which the importation is made, or else the latter will not be much improved.

We have long been of the opinion that the stock of this country, if properly kept, is equal, if not superior, to the stock of many other countries. Our stock is now acclimated, and all that is wanted is,—let the superior animals be selected for breeders,—animals capable of transmitting their properties to their offspring; and let them be well cared for—good feeding and good housing, and we have no fear for the results ; besides, five or six hundred pounds will not be wasted every four or five years, in the importation of stock. Mr. Barbarie's trip to Britain, in October, 1860, will not cost the Province of New Brunswick less than one thousand pounds, while the proceeds of sale, including the insurance money on the stock lost, will not amount to more than three hundred and fifty pounds.

THE ITALIAN GRASS SEED, is an annual—requires to be sown every spring. In England it is very productive ; frequently four crops are taken in one season. It requires rich land. In these Provinces where vegetation comes forward with great rapidity, we have no doubt but what it may be cultivated with profit.

The Agricultural Societies of New Brunswick were generally represented at the sale of stock and seed.

Of the Societies for the County of Westmorland, the Dorchester Society purchased a pig; the Sackville and Shediac Societies, each a sheep; and the Botsford and Westmorland Society, a bag, called eight bushels, of the Italian Grass Seed.

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There are over two hundred names on our list, who have been re-