

MUCH GOOD ADVICE FOR FARMERS AND HAYMEN

Continued from page one. The president then announced the following committee on nominations: Col. H. Montgomery Campbell, chairman; Kings Co., J. A. Bernier, Madawaska, T. Edwin Carter, Gloucester; Henri Berthea, Kent; Henry Gordon, Northumberland; H. E. Milton, Albert; Alex. Johnson, St. John Co.; A. G. Reid, Charlotte; J. W. Stevenson, Victoria; R. H. Wellings, Westmorland; Russell Williams, Queens; Henry Wilmut, Sunbury; Geo. B. Reid, Carleton; W. H. Moore, York; Wm. McKinnon, Restigouche.

Dr. Standish was followed by Prof. L. Stevenson, teacher of agriculture at the Truro Agricultural College. Breeding Dairy Cattle. Prof. Stevenson dealt exhaustively with the subject of breeding of dairy cattle. He illustrated his lecture with views showing different types of cattle and pointing out the special defects found in breeding processes.

In dealing with the question of care and feeding of animals, Prof. Stevenson laid particular emphasis on the proper feeding, kind attention, and a systematic conduct of the business in such a way that the animal would go through a continuous process of development from birth to maturity.

He also spoke of the fertilizing elements which were returned to the soil through the proper handling of live-stock. He thought this a much cheaper way to fertilize the soil than through the purchase of commercial fertilizers. He warned them from becoming stunted and in the case of dairy cows to have them freshened when about two and a half years of age.

Address on Apple Packing. The legal and moral requirements of packing are formed the subject of an interesting address by S. L. Peters of Queenstown. In addition to pointing out that the reputation of the province will be damaged to a great extent on the attractiveness and honesty displayed in the packing of the fruit, the speaker proved that the fruit varieties to be put in the market to exercise care in putting up the fruit for market at better prices can be obtained when the apple is properly packed.

The Apple Province. The conditions of New Brunswick are ideal for successful apple growing. Both climate and soil are favorable and in some particular varieties this province excels all other provinces in the Dominion. The best results can be obtained out of apple raising only when the rules of packing are strictly adhered to. Delegations from the United States have come to Ontario to study the workings of the fruit marks act in order to attain perfection at home and still there is a deplorable lack of interest in the fruit raisers of our own country as to the requirements of the act.

Observe Fruit Marks Act. The fruit grower who follows the requirements of the act, Mr. Peters stated, will get the best results in the end. More time and greater effort will be required, but the prices which will more than justify the additional work. He denigrated the theory that the fruit grower of the province cannot pack his own fruit.

"Apple growing in this province is in its infancy. It is almost an impossibility to buy a barrel of Pippin apples in Fredericton," he said. "This year we are importing about 50,000 barrels of apples, yet we have all that is essential to making this a flourishing industry. In the future New Brunswick will be known as the home of the Red Apple, but if the reputation of the province is to be sustained, those who go in for apple culture must adhere to the laws of packing and if the apples are so packed that they will keep during the period they are in transportation and that their attractiveness will appeal to the purchaser, then the industry will prove a lucrative one and another channel to wealth will be opened to the farmers of New Brunswick."

Gained in Weight, Digestion Restored, Health Renewed. Here is More Proof of Quick Cure for All Folks that are Weak, Ailing, Nervous. More Praise for Dr. Hamilton's Pills. "For a period last summer the thought of food excited feelings of nausea," writes Mrs. C. A. Dodge, of Bloomsbury. "The heat had made me listless and the distaste for food reduced me to a condition of semi-starvation and brought me to the verge of nervous collapse. Tonic were useless to restore restive desire for food. The doctors told me my liver and kidneys were both at fault, but the medicine they gave me were too severe and reduced my strength so that I had to abandon them. At the suggestion of a friend who had been cured of blood and skin trouble, I began the use of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. The difference I first noticed was that while they cleansed the system, instead of feeling weaker I felt better after taking them. I was easy to forget I had taken them at all; they seemed to go right to the liver, and in a very brief time not only did all sense of nausea disappear, but I began to crave food and I digested it reasonably well. Then I began to put on weight until within three months I was brought to a condition of good health. I urge Dr. Hamilton's Pills for all who are in poor health."

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DECREASE IN CRUELTY CASES DURING YEAR

New Brunswick Society for the Prevention of Cruelty in Annual Session—Officers Elected. The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Society for the Prevention of Cruelty was held yesterday morning at eleven o'clock in the Board of Trade rooms, Hon. J. V. Ellis presiding.

The president, Senator Ellis, submitted his report which dealt with the work of the society during the year. He also suggested that machinery be installed to help the horses up the ferry boats at Carleton Place. Mrs. Thomas Walker submitted the report for the Ladies' Auxiliary and L. W. Peters presented his report as treasurer.

The election of officers resulted in the choice of the following: Patrons—Hon. Josiah Wood, Lieutenant-governor; Hon. J. W. McClean, ex-lieutenant-governor; President, W. L. Robinson; Vice-presidents, W. L. Hamm, Dr. Thomas Walker, Dr. James H. Frank; executive committee, W. S. Fisher, G. O. D. Oty, T. H. Estabrooks, E. R. Machum, C. H. Ferguson, Mrs. C. J. Coster, Mrs. Thomas Walker, Mrs. J. V. Ellis, Mrs. C. B. Allan and Mrs. dell, Carrithie.

The report of the secretary and agent, S. M. Wetmore, pointed out that a few more cases had been investigated and dealt with than last year, but none were of a very cruel character. Mr. Wetmore hoped that the society would have more money to show as profits for their labor if, instead of keeping flocks of twelve birds, the flocks averaged one hundred.

Mr. Jones referred to the extensive poultry plants which had been established in connection with the C. P. demonstration farm at Fredericton, and to the McLaughlin chicken farm at Barker's Point, York Co., a mammoth incubator for 1,800 eggs having been installed at the latter place recently.

Although the average flock on the farms of the province not being more than a dozen in number, the poultry products for the province had been valued at \$2,500,000 or more in value than the products in beef, pork or lamb and mutton. Much would be added to the prosperity of the province, and the farmers would have more money to show as profits for their labor if, instead of keeping flocks of twelve birds, the flocks averaged one hundred.

Mr. W. H. Walber, Calmar Alta, writes: "I am pleased to say that Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine has done much good to myself and children. My eldest girl, 14 years, had bronchitis, and the doctor who attended her did not seem to do much good. We got Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine and she is now well. We always keep this medicine in the house now ready cured, and find that it soon cures coughs and colds."

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THE LITTLE SONGBIRD. Miss Adela Harney of St. John. THE ORCHESTRA. Harry New York Successes. Introducing in Addition Singing and Whistling Numbers.

THIRD SUCCESSFUL WEEK OPERA HOUSE. There's A Reason. MARCHES. HEAVENLY JUSTICE. SPECIAL LADIES' ORCHESTRA. 2 Hours Continuous Laughter Friday Entire Change of Bill.

LIBERALS OPPOSED TO PROBING GRAFT

Continued from page one. Mr. Weichel, of North Waterloo, allowed. He spoke as a man of German descent, who loved Germany and believed that Germany and Britain would not fight. Other nations than Germany were arming to the teeth and Great Britain should be prepared for the emergency.

Mr. Carvell had spoken for an hour when his nose began to bleed and he was allowed to adjourn the debate at midnight. Sailed. Salem, Feb. 18.—Schr. Herald, Calais, Me. Portsmouth, N. H., Feb. 18.—Schr. Ann J. Traulor, Calais, Me.

LATE SHIPPING. Steamer Arrivals. Havre, Feb. 18.—Lake Erie, St. John, N. B. Liverpool, Feb. 18.—Mauritania, New York. Schooners Arrive. Vineyard Haven, Feb. 18.—Willena, Gertrude, New York; Kenneth C, New York.

HOTEL ARRIVALS. Duferin. Miss Agnes LeBlanc, Moncton; G. Price, Halifax; C. H. Jackson, Oxford; H. R. Emmeron, Amherst; G. W. Clark, Montreal; M. B. Alexander, Houlton; Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Prescott, Albert; E. B. Murphy, Montreal; E. A. C. Allen, Cockburn; W. R. Platon, Bangor; E. McConkey, Montreal; J. T. Whalen, Newcastle; J. E. Urquhart, Toronto; B. McLaughlin, Truro; Geo. C. Allen, Moncton; W. H. Berry, St. Stephen; Miss A. Edgar, St. Stephen; R. B. Calhoun, Calhounes.

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FOREIGN. Salem, Mass. Schr. Herald, N.Y. Porter, New York. St. John, Feb. 18. Stmr. York, Feb. 18. Willena, Gertrude, C. do. Fort St. Joe, Florida—Schr. Persia A. Marcoris, to load for.

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