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For the Farmer's Advocate.

**Harvesting the Crown Pea.**

MR. WELD—Dear Sir: I send a description of the manner in which I harvest my Crown peas: You make a table the length of your mowing bar, and about four feet wide, with a back nine inches high. This I attach to the mowing bar, with leather straps by means of the bolts that fasten on the shoe, and the large guard at either ends of the bar; putting in a board about 14 inches high (and the length of the table is broad) for a divider; the divider requires to be tapered to the bar for about one foot back on the board. The peas are swept off the table with a rake, in the same manner as grain off the reaper table. If rolled you can often cut round your field, and have your peas ready bunched for hauling.

Yours respectfully,

JAMES O. REVELLS.

To the Editor of the Farmer's Advocate.

**VOTE OF THANKS.**

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
BAYFIED, 7th Feb., 1868.

WM. WELD, Esq.—Dear Sir: I have the honor of intimating to you that the County Council of Huron passed the following resolution at our last meeting:

Resolved, That a vote of thanks from this Council be tendered to William Weld, Esq., editor of the *Farmer's Advocate*, for his courtesy in furnishing the members of this board with copies of his valuable paper, whilst in session. We would recommend the paper to the farming community.

I have the honor to be, sir,

Your obedient servant,

PETER ADAMSON,  
County Clerk.

For the Farmer's Advocate.

**New Agricultural Bill.**

At the annual meeting of the South Riding of Oxford Agricultural Society held on the 16th January 1868, the following resolution was unanimously passed viz:

Resolved, That this Society memorialize the Government and house of Assembly of Ontario, against the new Agricultural Bill, which proposed to reduce the share of Government grant received by Township Societies, from three-fifths to one-half, as in the opinion of this Society the change will prove injurious to the interests of Agriculture. Also, that the Secretary communicate this resolution to all the Branch Societies in the Riding, requesting them to take similar action, and also send copies to the *Canada Farmer* and *Farmer's Advocate* for publication.

R. T. WILLIAMS, Secretary.

CULLODEN, Jan. 21, 1868.

To the Editor of the Farmer's Advocate.

MARIPOSA, OAKWOOD, Feb. 5th, 1868.

MR. EDITOR.—We shall feel obliged if you will give the following an insertion in your useful paper.

I wrote an article for the *Canada Farmer* just after the Agricultural Convention in Toronto, advocating the claims of Township Societies, but it never appeared, nor am I aware that it was noticed. I did not retain a copy of the communication, but annexed you have a resolution passed at a special meeting of this Society embodying the same sentiments.

Resolved, This meeting regrets to notice attempts being made to suppress Township Agricultural Exhibitions. We consider Township exhibitions of more benefit to the farmers than County Exhibitions.

Very respectfully yours,

Sec. Mariposa Agl. Society.

[Our pages are open for any subject of importance to the farmers. It was established because the editor of the *Canada Farmer* would not insert articles of importance unless large payments were made. You need not expect anything to appear in that paper that would condemn any action of the old Board, or against the centralization of expenditure.]

**LONDON MARKETS.**

LONDON, Jan. 28th, 1868.

Fall Wheat, per bushel.....	\$1.50	to	\$1.70
Spring Wheat do .....	1.50	to	1.60
Barley do .....	1.05	to	1.15
Oats do .....	54	to	56
Peas do .....	75	to	80
Corn do .....	80	to	87½
Rye do .....	85	to	90
Hay, per ton.....	\$10.00	to	\$12.00
Butter, prime, per lb.....	15	to	20
Eggs, per dozen .....	25	to	25
Flour, per 100 lbs.....	4.00	to	4.50
Wool .....			
Mutton, per lb., by quarter.....	5	to	6
Potatoes, per bushel.....	60	to	65
Apples, per bushel.....	82½	to	1.00
Pork, per cwt.....	5.50	to	6.00
Clover.....	4.00	to	4.75
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