

VICTORIA, NORTH—John McTaggart, Kirkfield.

Bexly, Saxton and Digby—S. J. Corbett, Oak Hill.

Fenelon—H. Davis, Fenelon Falls.

Muskoka—R. J. Eell, Bracebridge.

Eldon—G. W. Miller, Woodville.

VICTORIA, SOUTH—W. J. Thirkell, Lindsay.

Emily—J. R. McNillie, Omamee.

Mariposa—W. H. McLaughlin, Oakwood.

Verulam—J. L. Read, Bobcaygeon.

Lindsay Horticultural Society—J. H. Knight, Lindsay.

WATERLOO, NORTH—M. Springer, Waterloo.

Wellesley—Geo. Oakley, Cross Hill.

Woolwich—James Hall, Winterbourne.

WATERLOO, SOUTH—Alex. Macgregor, Galt.

Wilmot—R. C. Tye, Haysville.

WELLAND—Alexander Reid, Crossland.

Bertie—E. A. Dickont, Point Abino.

Crowland—John McIntyre, Crowland.

Humberstone—E. W. Farer, Port Colborne.

Stamford—George Hyatt, Stamford.

Thorold—Robt. Spencer, Allanburgh.

Willoughby—James McCredin, Chippewa.

WELLINGTON, NORTH—Robert Mitchell, Arthur.

Amaranth—R. T. Martin, Whittington.

Arthur—Jas. Isles, Arthur.

Minto—Alex. Meiklejohn, Harriston.

Peel and Maryboro'—Thomas Henderson, Holland.

WELLINGTON, CENTRE—John Beattie, Fergus.

Eramosa—Wm. Tolton, Eramosa.

Erin—J. W. Burt, Coningsby.

Garafraxa East—John Preston, Reading.

Garafraxa West—J. J. Dobbin, Garafraxa.

Nichol—Alex. Goforth, Fergus.

Pikington—Robert Cromar, Salem.

WELLINGTON, SOUTH—George Murton, Guelph.

Guelph—George Murton, Guelph.

Puslinch—Joseph Grant, Aberfoyle.

Guelph Horticultural Society—Geo. Murton, Guelph.

WENTWORTH, NORTH—J. Wolf, Jr., W. Flamboro'.

Beverley—W. McDonnell, Brockton.

Flamboro', East—Thos. Stock, Watford.

Flamboro', West—C. Durant, W. Flamboro'.

WENTWORTH, SOUTH—W. A. Coley, Ancaster.

Ancaster—F. Snider, Ancaster.

Barton and Glanford—C. Grey, North Glanford.

Salfleet and Eubrook—J. Davis, Mount Albion.

YORK, NORTH—E. Jackson, Newmarket.

Georgina and North Gallimbury—Angus Ego, Georgina.

Gwillimbury East—A. J. Hughes, Sharon.

King—Joseph Stokes, Schomberg.

Whitechurch—M. Jones, Bloomington.

YORK, EAST—James Robinson, Markham.

Markham—Jas. Speight, Markham.

Scarborough—J. Crawford, Malvern.

York—John McCarter, Toronto.

YORK, WEST—B. Bull, Davenport.

Etobicoke—W. A. Ide.

Vaughan—Thomas Grahame, Woodbridge.

York—John McCarter, Toronto.

### Agricultural and Arts Association.

#### MEETING OF THE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Council of the Agricultural and Arts Association was held on Wednesday, June 21, in their rooms, at the corner of Yonge and Queen streets. Senator Skead occupied the chair, there being also present, the Rev. Dr. Burnett, Messrs. M. Farley, G. Graham, R. Gibbons, Stephen White, J. Young, G. Munton, L. Shipley, G. McDonnell, W. Wilson, and J. C. Rykert, M.P.P.

The Secretary read the minutes of the last meeting of the Board, which were confirmed.

#### TRIAL OF IMPLEMENTS.

The following letter was read:—

PARIS, May 20.

*The President and Directors, Agricultural and Arts Association:*

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honour to transmit the tender of the North Brant Agricultural Society for grounds whereon to hold the trial of agricultural implements for which you have offered prizes to be competed for during the present summer.

I remain, your obedient servant,

(Signed) D. R. DICKSON,  
Sect. N. B. A. S.

The tender was as follows:

To find grounds whereon to hold the competition trial of agricultural implements under the auspices of the Agricultural and Arts Association of Toronto.

Mr. William Capron offers a 23 acre field of Du.11 wheat, adjoining the corporation limits, within 300 yards of the railway station.

Also, a 20 acre field of Timothy immediately east of the above, and a field of peas adjoining the field of Timothy.

The necessary logs to be sawed into cord-wood will be placed within 150 yards of the field of Timothy—easy of access.

The above fields are all in one block. Mr. Horace Capron offers a field for the trial of ploughs and cultivators in the immediate neighbourhood, about a quarter of a mile from the railway station.

Probably there is not a more convenient locality to be found in the Province than the above, and the other facilities cannot be surpassed. Paris is situated at the junction of the Great Western with the Buffalo and Goderich Branch of the Grand Trunk Railways, with excellent gravel-road from all parts of the county converging thereto.

By order of the Committee.

(Signed) D. R. DICKSON,  
Secretary N. B. A. S.

The CHAIRMAN spoke in high terms of recommendation of the suitability of Mr.

Capron's grounds for the trial, and his tender was accepted.

Mr. J. C. RYKERT moved, seconded by the Rev. Dr. BURNETT—"That there be separate classes in reaping and mowing machines—for combined reapers and mowers; prizes to be the same as in other classes—combined machines to compete by themselves. The time for entries to be extended to the 6th of July.

After a long debate upon the motion, a vote was taken with the following result:—

YEAS—Messrs. Rykert, Farley, Burnett, Wilson, Shipley, and McDonnell—6.

NAYS—Messrs. Graham, White, Gibbons, Young, and Murtor—5.

The resolution was carried by a majority of one. A committee was appointed to superintend the trial.

#### THE MEETING AT KINGSTON.

A letter from Mr. Isaac Simpson, of Kingston, was read, stating that a local committee had been appointed to carry out the arrangements for the Exhibition in September next, and also intimating that the Ontario Hall City Buildings, would be at the disposal of the Board for their annual meeting.

The committee appointed at the last meeting of the Council to confer with the authorities at Kingston, in reference to the preparation of the grounds and buildings for the exhibition this autumn, reported that they had visited Kingston, and the Secretary read a memorandum relative to the alterations required to be made for the purposes of the exhibition. The report of the committee was adopted *mem. con.*

#### THE BUILDING ON THE MODEL FARM.

A letter from Mr. Adam Crooks, M.P.P., was read, offering two thousand dollars on the part of the University of Toronto for the building of the association on the Model Farm, in the grounds of the University. The offer was accepted.

#### ACCOUNTS.

Several accounts were presented and referred to the Finance Committee.

#### PRIZES.

It was moved by Mr. STEPHEN WHITE, seconded by Mr. RYKERT, and carried unanimously, "That the prizes given for the trial of implements be not paid until the close of the exhibition at Kingston, and that the successful competitors be required to produce their implements thereat, the implements to be eligible to compete for prizes at the exhibition.

After transacting some business of a routine character, the Council adjourned until half-past seven o'clock in the evening.

#### EVENING SESSION

The Council resumed at half-past seven o'clock. The only business transacted was the appointment of the judges at the ensuing exhibition at Kingston in September next, and the acceptance of THE GLOBE Printing Company's tender for the printing of the Herd Book.

The Council adjourned about half-past ten o'clock.