The Raftsman's Journal, Clearfield, Pa., September 2, 1868.

For the Farmer.

Wheat after Potatoes.

A correspondent writing from Missouri, to the editor of the Germantown *Telegraph* says:

Some of thy readers are now gathering their potato crop, and preparing the ground to be seeded down with wheat; this preparing is often hastily done and much neglected. May a word to such be in time. Many farmers think that because the ground was heavily manured for the potatoes, that it cannot fail to bring a crop of wheat. But many are sadly disappointed. The seed is so badly put in that a portion of it fails to grow; and the weeds spring up and choke out what does grow; and this being consequently weak and thin, is the prey of the fly, weevil, &c., so that the harvest brings a very poor reward.

But as far as my observation and experience reach, as good wheat can be raised after potatoes as anything else, simply by first putting the ground in good order, (of course a little manure is needful for wheat, sow it where you may.)

If farmers would spend more time in preparing their potato patches for wheat, they would be abundantly repaid for it at harvest. I have frequently seen wheat sown after the ground had only been plowed to get the potatoes which are left after the digging is done, when if the ground had a second plowing, a very great difference in the wheat would have been realized.

I would say to those who cannot obtain good wheat after potatoes, to try giving the ground a second plowing; they will find that the ground will be in much better order and the yield nearer their expectations.

FATTENING POULTRY.—The London *Field* states that poultry, properly fed, will acquire all the fatness, needful for marketing purposes, in a fortnight or three weeks at most. Their diet should be Indian, oat or barley meal, scalded in milk or water—the former is the best, as it will expedite the fattening process. They should be fed early in the morning, at noon, and also in the evening just before going to roost. A plentiful supply of pure fresh water—plenty of gravel, sliced cabbage or turnip tops. If the fowls are required to be very fat some trimmings of mutton suet may be chopped up and scalded with their other feed, or they may be boiled in milk alone and poured over the meal. This renders the flesh firmer than it otherwise would be. When fit to kill, feeding should be stopped for twelve hours or more, that the intestines may become comparatively empty.

TOMATOES FOR WINTER USE.—After skinning perfectly ripe tomatoes, cut out any green around the base. I think leaving in this hard green core is the immediate cause of the loss of the fruit. Place them in a bell-metal kettle over the fire; season with salt as if for immediate use; then only allow them to come to a boil; while hot put in stone cans or small mouthed gallon jars, cork and seal. If proper judgment be exercised you will never lose one jar.

Professor Blot, in his lecture on the potato, says the skinning process is all wrong, as the strength of the vegetable lies near the surface—the starch growing less abundant as the centre is approximated.

JAMES MULLEN, with I. P. Challant & Co., Auction Jobbers of Heisery, Notions, White Goods, Embroideries, Gents' Furnishing Goods, etc., No. 57 North Third street, Philadelphia. Orders solicited. [Apr 22'68.

SOMETHING NEW IN CLEARFIELD.
Carriage and Wagon Shop,
Immediately in rear of Machine shop.
The undersigned would respectfully inform the citizens of Clearfield, and the public in general, that he is prepared to do all kinds of work on carriages, buggies, wagons, sleighs sleds, &c., on short notice and in a workmanlike manner. Orders promptly attended to. WM. M'KNIGHT.
Clearfield, Feb. 7, 1866-y.

NEW STORE AND SAW MILL
AT BALD HILLS,
Clearfield county.
The undersigned, having opened a large and well selected stock of goods at Bald Hills, Clearfield county, respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.
Their stock embraces Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Queensware, Tin-ware, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, ready made Clothing, and a general assortment of Notions, etc.
They always keep on hand the best quality of Flour, and a variety of Feed.
All goods sold cheap for cash, or exchanged for approved country produce.
Having also erected a Steam Saw Mill, they are predared to saw all kinds of lumber to order. Orders solicited, and punctually filled.
Nov. 20, 1867. F. B. & A. IRWIN.

HO! THIS WAY!!
NEW STORE IN MADERA!
JAMES FORREST & SON, would respectfully inform the public, that they have just opened in Madera, Clearfield county, Pa., an entire new stock of
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,
which they are prepared to sell as cheap as the cheapest. Their stock consists of Alpacas, Delaines, Prints and Muslins, of all varieties; Cassimeres, Satinets and Flannels, too numerous to mention; Ready-made clothing of the best quality; Boots and Shoes of the very best makes; a complete stock of Groceries, &c. In short, everything usually kept in a country store.
Consumers! Look to your interests. Call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere. Lumber and grain of all kinds taken in exchange for goods.
Remember the place; Madera, Clearfield county.
Oct. 30, '67. JAMES FORREST & SON.

SOMETHING NEW
IN ANSONVILLE,
Clearfield county, Penn'a.
The undersigned having erected during the past summer, a large and commodious store room, is now engaged in filling it up with a new and select assortment of Fall and Winter goods, which he offers to the public at prices to suit the times. His stock of Mens' and boys' clothing is unusually extensive, and is offered to customers at from $10 to $20 for a whole suit. Flour, Salt, and Groceries, of every kind, a complete assortment; Stoves and Stove-pipe, a heavy stock; Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps in great variety; Ladies' dress goods, furs, and other fancy goods, together with an endless assortment of notions too tedious to enumerate, always on hand, and for sale very cheap. Prints at 10 cents a yard and other goods in proportion. Now is the time to buy.
Country produce of every kind, at the highest market prices, will be taken in exchange for goods; and even Greenbacks will not be refused for any article in store. Examine my stock before you buy elsewhere.
October 30, 1867. H. SWAN.

CURRANTS—the best and cheapest in the county, at GRAHAM'S.

DESSICATED COCOANUTS, for pies, puddings, etc., for sale at GRAHAM'S.

CANNED FRUITS—all kinds, warranted good and fresh, at GRAHAM'S.

PARED PEACHES—the best in market, at the store of J. B. GRAHAM & SONS.

CLEARFIELD ACADEMY.
The First Session of the next Scholastic year of this Institution, will commence on Monday, the 7th day of September, 1868.
Pupils can enter at any time. They will be charged with tuition from the time they enter to the close of the session.
The course of instruction embraces everything included in a thorough, practical and accomplished education of both sexes.
The Principal having had the advantage of much experience in his profession, assures parents and guardians that his entire ability and energies will be devoted to the mental and moral training of the youth placed under his charge.
TERMS OF TUITION:
Orthography, Reading, Writing and Primary Arithmetic, per session, (11 weeks.) $5 00
Grammar, Geography, Arithmetic, and History $6.00
Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry, Mensuration, Surveying, Philosophy, Physiology, Chemistry, Book-keeping, Botany, and Physical Geography $9.00
Latin, Greek and French, with any of the above branches $12.00
☞ No deduction will be made for absence. For further particulars inquire of
REV. P. L. HARRISON, A. M., Principal.
July 31, 1867.

G. L. REED, J. P. WEAVER, W. POWELL, NOTICE. G. F. HOOP, J. JONES, W. W. BETTS

CLEARFIELD PLANING MILL
ALL RIGHT.
MESSRS. HOOP, WEAVER & CO., Proprietors, would respectfully inform the citizens of the county that they have completely refitted and supplied their PLANING MILL, in this Borough, with the best and latest improved
WOOD WORKING MACHINERY,
and are now prepared to execute all orders in their line of business, such as
Flooring, Weatherboarding, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Brackets, and Moldings, of all kinds.
They have a large stock of dry lumber on hand, and will pay cash for clear stuff, one-and-a-half inch pannel plank preferred. [Nov. 6, '67.

NEW HARDWARE
STORE,
PHILIPSBURG, CENTRE CO., PA.
Geo. H. Zeigler & Co.,
DEALERS IN
Foreign and Domestic Hardware, Cutlery, Wood and Willow ware, Tin ware, Stoves, Oils, Paints, Glass, Iron, Nails, etc., etc., etc.
The attention of Mechanics, Builders, Farmers, Lumbermen and Buyers generally, is invited to the fact that we are now offering a better assortment of goods in our line than can be found elsewhere in this part of the State, at prices to suit the times. Our stock comprises a general assortment of Tools and Materials used by Carpenters, Blacksmiths, Carriage and Wagon makers, Joiners, &c., together with a large stock of
Iron, Steel, Nails,
Spikes, Railroad and Mining supplies; Saddlery and Harness material a good assortment; Ropes, Chains, Grindstones, circular mill and cross-cut Saws; Enameled, Finished, and Plain Hollow-ware in great variet; Cables, Coal oil Lamps and Lanterns; Lard, Linseed, Coal and Lubricating oils; and an extensive and good selection of
Fine Cutlery,
Comprising a general assortment of dining knives and forks, dessert knives and forks, and carving knives and forks, pocket and pen knives, razors, shears, scissors, shoe knives, and many other articles. Also, dessert, tea and table spoons, and plated forks, in great variety and of the best manufacture. Also, Brittania and silver-plated ware.
Tin-ware
In great variety, and of the best manufacture always on hand, among which will be found buckets of every size, tin-cups, oil cans, sprinkling cans, dusting pans, miners' lamps; gallon, quart and pint measures, and many other articles in the tin-ware line, which are wanted by everybody.
Blacksmiths
Can be supplied with Anvils, Bellows, Vices, sledges, hammers, horse and mule shoes, horse nails, and all kinds of flat and round bar iron, nail rods etc; and with cast, shear, spring and blister steel, from the best manufacturers in the United States, or of foreign manufacture.
Carpenters
And Builders will find in our establishment a superior and complete stock of
Planes, Augurs, Hammers, Chisels, Screws, Bolts, Sash, Saws, Hatchets, Files, Hinges, Locks, Pulleys, Cord, &c
Farmers
Will find everything in their line, and cheaper than elsewhere in this section of the State—comprising Household, horticultural, farming and rafting implements, of the latest and most improved patterns. Particular attention is directed to our very extensive stock of wood and coal
Stoves.
Comprising Spear's justly celebrated Anti dust cook and parlor stoves of all sizes; Also, The Niagara cook, Parlor cook, Brilliant, Dawn, Dew-drop, Artic, Egg and Picket stoves.
All of the above goods will be sold cheap for Cash. G. H. ZEIGLER & CO.
Philipsburg, Oct. 16th, 1867.-1y.

OIL & PAINTS—the cheapest in the county, May 29. MOSSOP'S.

CURWENSVILLE ADVERTISEMENTS.

S. J. HAYES, SURGEON DENTIST; Office on Thompson street, Curwensville, Pa. Teeth extracted by the application of local anæsthesia, and all kinds of modern dental work done. May 13, 1868-y.

J. S. COLE would inform his old customers, and the public generally, that he still continues to manufacture BOOTS AND SHOES of the very best French Calf and Kip, at the lowest prices for cash or approved country produce. He also makes all kinds of heavy boots. All work warranted, and perfect satisfaction given. Opposite Draucker's Hotel, Curwensville, Pa. July 29, 1868-1y.

CLEARFIELD NURSERY.—ENCOURAGE HOME INDUSTRY.—The undersigned having established a Nursery, on the Pike, half way between Curwensville and Clearfield Boroughs, is prepared to furnish all kinds of Fruit trees, (Standard and dwarf,) Evergreens, Shrubbery, Grape Vines, Gooseberry, Lawton Blackberry, Strawberry and Raspberry vines. Also Sibrian Crab trees, Quince and early Scarlet Rhubarb, &c. Orders promptly attended to. Address
Aug. 31, 1864. J. D. WRIGHT, Curwensville.

SUSQUEHANNA HOUSE.
Curwensville, Pa.
EXPRESS AND STAGE OFFICE.
This well-known Hotel, having been re-fitted and re-furnished throughout, is now open for the accommodation of travelers, and the public in general. Charges moderate.
WM. M. JEFFRIES.
August 14, 1867-tf. Proprietor.

NEW FIRM!
Hartsock & Goodwin,
One door East of Benjamin Bloom's Hotel,
CURWENSVILLE, PA.
Having just received a full and well selected assortment of Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Clothing, Notions, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Drugs Hardware, Queensware, Tinware, Cedar and Willow-ware, Brooms, Groceries, Flour, Fish, Salt, etc., to which they ask the attention of the public.
Our assortment is complete in every department, and our prices are moderate, as will be found upon examination by purchasers.
Goods will be sold cheap for cash, or exchanged for country produce. DANIEL HARTSOCK.
Feb. 12, 1868. ED. GOODWIN.

ALWAYS NEW,
WITHOUT FAIL.
JOHN IRVIN,
Has just received and opened at the old stand in Curwensville, an entire new stock of Fall and Winter Goods, which he will sell very cheap for CASH. His stock consists of
Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Queensware, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps, Ready made Clothing, etc.
The public generally is respectfully invited to give him a call; see his stock and hear his prices, and purchase from him if you find it will be to your advantage. Nov. 15, 1866

ATTENTION! BUYERS!!
HIPPLE & FAUST
DEALERS IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY-GOODS, &C
MAIN STREET, CURWENSVILLE, PA.,
Having just returned from the east with a general assortment of goods, to which they desire to invite the attention of their old customers and friends. Their stock consists of
Dry-Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Queensware, Tinware, Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps, Clothing, Notions, etc., in great variety, which they now offer at prices—for cash—to suit the times.
They also deal in Grain, Pork, Shingles, Boards, and other lumber, which will be received at the highest market prices in exchange for goods.
Persons desirous of purchasing goods at fair rates are respectfully requested to give us a call.
Remember you can find us at the old stand on Main Street where we are prepared to accomodate customers with anything in our line of business.
Sept. 6, 1865. HIPPLE & FAUST.

SOMETHING NEW
IN CURWENSVILLE.
DRUGS! DRUGS!! DRUGS!!!
The undersigned would respectfully announce to the public that he has opened a Drug Store, in the room recently fitted up in the house of George Kittlebarger, on Main street, Curwensville, Pa., one door West of Hipple & Faust's store, where he intends to keep a general assortment of
Drugs, Medicines, Oils, Paints, Dye-Stuffs, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Toilet Goods, Confectionaries, Spices, Canned Fruit, Tobacco and Cigars, Books, Stationery, Pencils, Pens, Inks, and a general variety of Notions; Barsett's Hair Restorative, Glass, Putty, etc., etc., etc.
The want of a Drug Store has long been felt in Curwensville, and as that want is now supplied, the undersigned hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit and receive a liberal share of public patronage.
His stock embraces most articles needed in a community, is entirely new, and of the best quality, which he will dispose of at reasonable prices. Call and examine the goods, which cannot fail to please. IRWIN & MONTELIUS.
November 8, 1865.-July 8, '68.

NEW SPRING GOODS,
JUST RECEIVED AT
KIRK & SPENCERS,
Lumber City, Pa.,
The undersigned would respectfully inform their customers, and the public in general, that they have just received their Spring stock of goods, consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Fish, Salt, Flour, Bacon, Nails, Paints, Oils, Stoneware, Hardware, Queensware, Baskets, Tubs, Churns, Carpet, Oil cloth, and a general variety of such articles as are usually kept in a country store, all of which they will sell CHEAP FOR CASH.
They would also direct attention to their large stock of Ready-made Clothing, which they offer for sale at a small advance upon cost.
KIRK & SPENCER.
Lumber City, Pa., May 8, 1867.
N. B.—We also manufacture to order, and constantly keep on hand a general assortment of Boots and Shoes, for men, women and children.
KIRK & SPENCER.

ANOTHER BIG "FLOP!"
WM. F. JOHNSON. : : : : : : : J. H. BAILEY.
Some two months ago it was formally announced that Pennville was "Right side up."
Recent events have proven the announcement premature. Another "Flop" recently occurred, and chief among the improved, "interesting, and important" phases presented, is the one portraying THE NEW, LARGE, AND COMMODIOUS STORE HOUSE, of
JOHNSON & BAILEY
who have just returned from the East, with a *large and carefully selected stock of seasonable goods*—of greater variety, and of better quality, than have heretofore been offered in this section of the county. Call at the New Store Rooms, and you will find:
Dry Goods and Groceries, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, Hard ware, Queens-ware, Hollow-ware, Wood and Stone-ware, Drugs, Oils, Paints and Varnishes, Glass, Putty, Ready made Clothing, Clocks, Confectionary, Cheese, Flour, Fish, and Provisions generally. Our stock of Hardware *will bear inspection*, as it is full and of the *best quality*. Our stock of Boots and Shoes is unequalled in quality and low prices.
To the ladies we would say—we intend to make the Notion and Dress department worthy their patronage. Articles not on hand will be specially ordered, to suit our customers.
The striking feature in the "Flop," and the one we would keep before the people is, THE VERY LOW PRICES AT WHICH WE ARE SELLING. The public are invited to give us a call. Bring on your Produce, your Boards, Shingles, Grain, Pork, Butter, Eggs, Dried Apples Rags, &c. Our motto, "CHEAPEST & BEST." JOHNSON & BAILEY.
Pennville, August 28, 1867.

NEW STORE.
REED & CO.,
Have just opened a new stock of Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, Hoisery, Notions, Trimmings, etc., which they are selling cheap for cash.
CALL AND SEE THEM.
Three doors below the Post Office, Market Street, Clearfield, Pa.
Clearfield, June 17, 1868.

LOOK AT THIS!
BOOKS AND STATIONERY.
Bibles and Miscellaneous Books; Sheet Music for Piano, Flute and Violin;
Blank Account and Pass Books, of every description; Paper and Envelopes, French pressed and plain; Pens and Pencils;
Deeds; Mortgages; Judgment, Exemption and Promisory Notes;
Blank Legal Paper; White and Parchment Brief; Legal cap; Record cap; and Bill cap, etc.;
Will be sold at Wholesale or Retail by
P. A. GAULIN,
At the Post office, on Market Street, Clearfield, Pa.
May 5, 1868

NEW STOCK!
SPRING GOODS!
SPRING GOODS!!
SPRING GOODS!!!
AT THE
KEYSTONE STORE,
Second St., Clearfield, Pa.
BUYERS OF DRY GOODS, TRIMMINGS, NOTIONS, HOISERY, GLOVES, FANCY GOODS, CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, WINDOW SHADES, WALL PAPER, CARPET CHAIN, TOILET QUILT,
UMBRELLAS, PARASOLS, &c., &c., are invited to examine the most complete stock ever brought to this market.
We Challenge Competition.
CASH BUYERS
Will Find Rare Inducements.
NIVLING & SHOWERS.
Clearfield, Penn'a.
April 8, 1868.

GREAT EXCITEMENT!
The Cheapest and Best Goods in Clearfield county are sold by
GEORGE S. PERRY,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE,
North-west cor. Curtin St. and Public Square, OSCEOLA MILLS, Clearfield co., Pa.
We keep on hand Goods of every grade and variety.
FOR THE LADIES
we have Dress Goods of every fabric,
FOR THE GENTLEMEN,
Ready-made Clothing, Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinetts, Tweeds, Jeans, Linens, &c.
Also a full stock of Gents' Furnishing Goods.
IN BOOTS AND SHOES
WE DEFY COMPETITION, as we buy for CASH, and buy from the manufacturers in Eastern cities, and hence can sell CHEAPER than other dealers.
Hats and Caps—of latest styles—very cheap.
NOTIONS—All goods in this line you can find with us—cheap and good.
HARDWARE, of every description, for carpenters, builders and others.
GROCERIES.
SYRUPS, from the lowest grade to the best that can be bought in the markets.
SUGARS of every kind.
TEAS of the very best qualities
COFFEES that cannot be beat.
Either in price or quality.
CANNED FRUIT of all kinds,
DRIED FRUITS, Spices, &c., &c.
We have always on hand a large stock of Queensware, Wood and Willow-ware.
ROPES, CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, WALL & WINDOW PAPERS, FLOUR & FEED, BACON, PROVISIONS, FISH, LARD, BUTTER, OILS, &c., &c.
Any goods you are in want of can be found at our Store. All are cordially invited to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere, as we feel confident that we can sell you better goods and at lower prices, than can be purchased elsewhere.
Particular attention paid to orders from a distance, and to supplying log camps.
COME ONE! COME ALL!!
No trouble to show Goods.
GEORGE S. PERRY.
OSCEOLA, July 29, '68-tf.

7TH ANNUAL EXHIBITION

OF THE

CLEARFIELD COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Will be held on the Fair Grounds, in the Borough of Clearfield, Pa., on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 13th, 14th, 15th & 16th days of October, 1868.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Family Tickets, : : : : : : : $1 00
Single Tickets during Fair, : : : : : 50
Single Admission Tickets, : : : : : : 25

Children under 10 years old, when accompanied by their parents or guardians, free.

Children under 10 years of age not admitted unless accompanied by their parents.

Checks will begiven at the door to persons desiring to pass out during exhibition, but will not admit the holder to any other exhibition—each half day counting an exhibition.

Every person wishing to be enrolled as a member of this Society must apply on or before the first day of the fair, and on the payment of one dollar to the Treasurer shall receive a certificate of membership containing the name of the applicant and endorsed by the Secretary.

Every person becoming a member as above stated shall, on the presentation of his certificate, receive a ticket which will admit him free during the fair. Any person complying with the above regulations and paying $10, shall become a life member, and shall be exempt from all contributions, and shall annually receive from the Secretary a free family ticket.

All persons must be provided with tickets, which can be had from the Executive Committee, Treasurer, or Secretary, or at the office on the ground. Persons acting as judges are expected to become members of the Society. Persons from other counties can become members by complying with the above rules. Ladies can become members by making application as above, and paying into the Treasury fifty cents when they will receive a ticket to admit them free.

Exhibitors must become members of the Society and have their animals and articles entered on the Secretary's books on or before the first day of the Fair; and all animals and articles, except horses for pleasure, and for the trotting prizes must be brought within the enclosure as early as Wednesday, at 3 o'clock, P. M., and all persons entering animals and articles for exhibition must procure cards from the Secretary with the class and number of entry of said articles, previous to placing said articles on the ground. Hay and straw will be furnished gratis for all animals entered for premiums, and grain will be furnished at cost for those that desire to purchase.

No horse shall be entered or allowed a premium unless he is free from disease. Horses will be received until Wednesday noon, but must be entered previously. All persons who intend to exhibit horses, cattle, sheep, or swine or who intend to offer stock or any other article for sale should notify the Secretary of such intention on or before the 1st of October, and have with him a list and full description of the same.

The number and class, and the number in the class, with the name of the article will appear on the card attached; but the name of the exhibitor will not appear.

Premiums and diplomas will be paid on and after the first Monday after the Fair, and until the 1st day of December, 1868, after which all money premiums unclaimed will be considered as a donation to the Society. The officers of the Society and members of the Committee of Arrangements must wear a badge designating their office, and it will be their duty as well as pleasure to attend to the expressed wishes and wants of exhibitors and others, if it is in their power so to do. A select police force will be in constant attendance for the preservation of order and protection of property.

The trotting course is level, well graded, and one-third of a mile in circuit. Ample arrangements will be made for the convenience of visitors.

INSTRUCTIONS TO JUDGES.—No animal to receive an award in more than one class.

Judges are expressly required not to award premiums to over-fed animals. No premiums are to be awarded to bulls, cows, or heifers, which shall appear to have been fattened, *only* in the class of fat cattle, the object of the Society being to have superior animals of this description for breeding.

FAT CATTLE.—The judges on fat cattle will give particular attention to the animals submitted for examination. It is believed all other things being equal those are the best cattle that have the greatest weight over the smallest superficies. The judges will require all in this class to be weighed and will take measures to give the superficies of each, and publish the result with their reports. They will also, before awarding any premiums, require the manner and cost of feeding, as required by the regulations of the premium list.

If there is but one exhibitor, and he may show several animals in one class, premiums will be awarded in accordance to the merits of the animal.

The superintendent will take every precaution in his power, for the safety of stock and articles on exhibition after their arrival, and arrangement on the grounds, but will not be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur. The Society desires exhibitors to give personal attention to their animals and articles and at the close of the fair to attend to their removal as the Society cannot take further care of them.

RULES OF PLOWING.—The name of the plowman must be given as well as the kind of plow to be used, at the time of entry.

The quantity of ground to be plowed by each team be ½ acre.

The time allowed to do the work will be three hours. The furrow slice in all cases to be lapped. The teams to start at the same time and each plowman to do his without a driver or other assistance.

The premiums offered by the Society will be awarded to the individuals, who, in the judgment of the committee, shall do their work in the best manner, provided the work is done in the time allowed for its performance.

Each plowman to strike his own land, and plow entirely independent of the adjoining land. Within the one-fourth of an acre plowed each plowman will be required to strike two back furrowed lands and finish with the dead furrow in the middle.

Any information required in regard to matters of the Society can be gained by addressing the Executive Committee or the Secretary, who will be pleased to give any information in their power at any time.

Any article not enumerated in the above classes and placed on exhibition, if worthy of notice, will be suitably awarded.

The Executive Committee reserve a discretionary power to award diplomas in any case for 2d best articles, or for articles not entitled to premiums by the rules.

All articles may be entered free of charge, excepting horses for pleasure, and for the trotting premiums.

LIST OF PREMIUMS.

Class 1—Sweepstakes, open to all breeds and competitors.

Best bull, $15; 2d best, $10; 3d best, $5
Best cow, 12; 2d best, 10; 3d best, 5
All breeds come together in this class and compete with each other, to be judged by their good points, symmetry of frame, ability to fatten, and the stock they will produce.

Class 2—Grade cattle owned in county.

Best cow for milk, $10; 2d best, $8; 3d best, $5
Best heifer, 2 years old, 8; 2d best, 5
Best heifer, 3 years old, 8; 2d best, 5
Best calf, under 8 months old, 5.

Class 3—Oxen.

Best yoke of oxen, $10; 2d best, $5; 3d best, $2

Class 4—Fat Cattle.

Best fat bullock, cow or heifer, $10; 2d best, $8

Class 5—Thoroughbred horses open to all.

Best stallion, any breed, $15; 2d best, $10
Best mare and colt, any breed, 10; 2d best, 8

Class 6—Riding, Draft and Farm Horses.

Best saddle horse, 3 00; 2d best, $2 00
Best single family horse, 3 00
Best matched carriage horses, 3 00
Best gelding or mare for work, 5 00
Best span of draught horses or mares, 5 00
Second best, 2 00
The exhibitor is required to produce a statement of at least three responsible neighbors as to working qualities of draught horses for premiums in this class.
Best colt, under 2 years old, $4 00; 2d best $2 00
Best 2-year old colt, 5 00; 2d best, 3 00
Best 3-year old colt, 6 00; 2d best, 4 00
The horse that moves the heaviest load on the stone boat, according to his weight, without a whip. Youatt on the horse and 7 00

Class 7—Trotting horses, open to all.

Best time, 3 in 5, trotting in single harness $100 00
No premium will be paid in this class unless there are ten entries of $5 00 each. Each horse to trot against time.

Class 8—Sweepstakes open to all—Pacing in harness.

best 2 in 3, mile heats, against time. $100 00
No premium will be awarded in this class unless there are six entries. Entrance fee $15.

Class 9—Trotting in single harness, for horses owned in the county at least fifteen days before the Fair.

Best 3 in 5, mile heats, against time, $50 00
No premium awarded in this class unless there are eight entries. Entrance fee $5. The horse winning the premium in class 7, cannot compete for the premium in this class.

Class 10—Trotting horses owned and raised in the county.

Best 2 in 3, on time, in harness, $30 00
No premium awarded in this class unless there are five horses entered to compete for the same. Entrance free.
Best trotting horse or mare under saddle, $3 00
Second best. 2 00
Best trotting horse or mare in single harness 3 00
Second best. 2 00
Best walking horse or mare, $5; 2d best, 2 50

Class 11—Trotting colts, raised in the county, not exceeding 3 years old, open to all.

Best 2 in 3, against time. $20 00
There must be at least three entries in order to compete for this premium. Entrance free.

Class 12—Sheep and Wool.

Best buck, any breed, $5; 2d best, $3 00
Best ewe, any breed. 4 00
Best sheep, fattened for mutton. 3 00
Best lamb, 2; best fleece of wool, 50

Class 13—Swine, open to all.

Best boar, any breed. Young Farmer's Manual & $5
Best breeding sow, any breed. $5
Second best, Agriculturist for one year.
Best hog $3; 2d best $2
Best pig, under 6 mo's old, Agriculturist 1 year.

Class 14—Poultry.

Best coop spring chickens, not less than six, Beamont's American Poultry Book & 50.
Best 2 heaviest turkeys, " " " & 50.
Best display of chickens, $1 00

Class, 15—Plowing.

The man that plows green sward the best, $20 00

Class 16—Plows, Rollers, Drills, Harrows and Cultivators.

Best plow for stubble or sward, $4 00
Best sub-soil plow, Barry's Fruit Garden & 2 00
Best clod crusher and roller combined, 4 00
Best grain drill, Discretionary Premium.
Best threshing machine, Discretionary Premium.
Best corn planter, Discretionary Premium
Best horse rake, Discretionary Premium.
Best hay pitching machine, Discretionary Premium.
Best stalk and straw cutter, Discretionary Premium.
Best horse-power, gen. purposes, Discretionary Premium.
Best original invention or agricu'l implement, $5
Best side-hill plow, $1; best cultivator, 3
Best harrow, 3; best corn sheller, 3
Best fanning mill, 4; best ox yoke, 1
All articles enumerated in this class, not made in the county, but produced upon exhibition, if worthy of it, will be awarded a discretionary premium by the Executive Committee.

Class 17—Miscellaneous Farming Implements.

Best bee hive, Grimley's Mystery of Bee Keeping
Best ½ dz. hand rakes, $1; Best grain cradle, $1 00
Best stump machine, 5; Best potato digger, 50
Best lot garden tools, 1 00
Best display farming utensils owned by farmer 8 00
All articles enumerated in this class are subject to the same rules as class 16.

Class 18—Wheat, Rye, Corn, Barley, Oats, &c.

Best acre of winter wheat, $10
Best bushel of winter wheat, 4
Best bushel of rye, 3
Best acre of rye, $8; Best bush. corn ears, 3
Best acre of oats, 4; Best bush. potatoes, 5
Best acre buckwheat, 4; 2d best " " 3
Best acre clover seed, 3; 3d best " " 1
Best ½ ac. broom corn, 2; Best ½ acre peas, 1
Best ½ ac. rutabagas, 1; Best ½ acre sorghum, 2
Best acre turnips, 2; Best bushel turnips, 1
Best acre corn, 8; Best acre carrots, 1
Best half bushel timothy seed, 1
Crops being equal, preference will be given to those that yield the largest net profit. Statements to be furnished by the exhibitors. They must be measured, or weighed, and a sample furnished at the fair. Applicants for premiums must furnish the committee with a statement signed by themselves, under pledge of veracity, of the quantity of grain raised on the ground, entered for a premium, and must state as correctly as he can the kind and condition of the previous crops, the kind and quantity of seed sown, and the time and mode of putting it in the ground.

Persons entering field crops for exhibition, or intending to do so, may give notice to the executive committee at any time, and have the field measured and examined by the committee while growing.

Class 19—Bread and Cereal Food.

Best loaf of wheat bread, Diploma and 50 cents
Best loaf of rye bread, Diploma and 50 cents
Best loaf of corn bread, Diploma and 50 cents
Best sponge cake, Diploma and 50 cents
Best jelly cake, Diploma and 50 cents
Best bachelor's cake, Diploma and 50 cents
Best pie, any kind, 50 cents
Best preserves and jelly, Diploma and 50 cents
Best display jelly & preserves, Diploma and 50 cts
Best pound cake, Diploma and 50 cents
Best fruit cake, Diploma and 50 cents
Best coffee cake, Diploma and 50 cents
Best Lady's cake, Diploma and 50 cents
Best cake, Diploma
Best jelly, Diploma
Best ice cream, Diploma

Class 20—Butter and Cheese.

Best five pounds, or more, of butter, $3 00
Best ten pounds of firkin butter, 5 00
Best cheese, made by exhibitor, 1 00

Class 21—Flour.

Best fifty pounds wheat flour, $4 00
Best fifty pounds rye flour, 2 00
Best fifty pounds spring wheat flour, 1 00
Best fifty pounds corn meal, 1 00
Best twenty pounds buckwheat flour, 2 00

Class 22—Domestic Articles.

Best box or jar of honey, $1 00
Best 10 pounds of maple sugar, 2 00
Best peaches put up air tight, Dip or 50
Best tomatoes put up air tight, Dip or 50
Best black berries put up air tight, Dip or 50
Best currants put up air tight, Dip or 50
Best fancy jar of pickles, Dip or 50
Best gal. syrup or sorghum, or each, 1 00
Best cured ham (cooked) with mode of curing, Dip or 50
Best dried beef with mode of curing, Dip or 50

Class 23—Domestic Manufactures.

Best 10 yards flannel, $2 00
Best 10 yards sattinet, 2 00
Best 15 yards woolen carpet, 2 00
Best 10 yards cloth, 2 00
Best 15 yards rag carpet woolen chain, 2 00
Best pair woolen blankets, 2 00
Best woolen coverlet, 2 00
Best wool fringed mits, Dip and 50
Best pair knit woolen stockings, Dip and 50
Best specn knotting, knitting or needle work, by Miss under 11 yrs old, Dip and 50
Best pound linen sewing thread, Dip and 50
Best pound stocking yarn, Dip and 50
Best foot mat, 50c; Best tidy mat, 50
The premiums in this class are intended only for articles manufactured in the county.

Class 24—Needle, Shell, Wax Work, etc.

Best specimen needle work, Dip and 50
Best specimen needle work, machine, Dip and 50
Best specimen flowers in worsted, Dip and 50
Best specimen embroidery in worsted, Dip and 50
Best specimen embroidery in lace, Dip and 50
Best specimen embroidery in muslin, Dip and 50
Best specimen of leather work, Dip and 50
Best specimen of wax flowers, Dip and 50
Best specimen of feather work, Dip and 50
Best specimen of ornamental work, Dip and 50
Best shirt made by Miss under 12 yrs, Dip and 50
Best patching or mending, Dip and 50

Class 25—Millinery and Dress Making.

Best milinery, $3; Best dress making, $3

Class 26—Artistic Work.

Best daguerreotypes taken on the ground, Dip
Best ambrotypes taken on the ground, Dip
Best photographs taken on the ground, Dip
Best lanscape painting, $2 00
Best penmanship, Dip
Best architectural drawing, 3 00
Best painting in oil, 2 00
Best portrait painting, 2 00
Best cattle painting, 2 00
Best painting in water colors, 1 00
Best ornamental painting of any kind, 1 00

Class 27—Designs.

Best design for farm house, barn, carriage house and stable, Sloan's Ornamental Houses & $5 00
Best design for dairy house, Manual of the Home
Best design for ice house, 1 50
Best design for fruit house, 1 50
Best design for bridge, with plan, span not less than 250 feet, 3 00

Class 28—Metalic Fabrics and Machinery.

Best cooking stove, wood or coal, $3 00
Second best, 2 00
Third best, Dip
Best parlor stove, $2; Best cast-iron fence, 3 00
Second best, 1; Second best, Dip
Best specimen or lot of tinware, 2 00
Second best, Dip and 50
Best specimen blacksmithing, 2 00
Best specimen gunsmithing, 2 00
Best specimen iron-turning, 2 00
Best plate casting, $1; Best shower bath, 1 00
Best original invention in county, 5 00
Best display of table and pocket cutlery, American manufacture, 1 00
Best display of edge tools, 1 00
Best display of farming and field tools, 1 00
The above premiums are offered for articles manufactured in the county. Diplomas may be awarded for any of the above articles on exhibition, without regard to their place of manufacture.

Class 29—Vehicles of all kinds.

Best family carriage, $4; Best timber sled, $2
Best buggy, 4; Best horse cart, 1
Best farm wagon, 4; Best wheelbarrow, 1
Best sleigh, 2;
The premiums in this class are intended only for articles manufactured in the county.

Class 30—Cabinet-ware in county.

Best dressing bureau, $2; Best set of chairs, $2
Best extension table, 2; Best sofa, 2
Best variety of chairs, 2; Best centre table, 1
Best bedstead, 1; Best lounge, 50c
Best washstand, 50c; Best office chair, 50c
Best looking glass, 50c
Best set of parlor furniture, $4 00
Best display of cabinet-ware, Dip and 2 00

Class 31—Coopering and Carpentering, manufactured in county.

Best pine ware, tubs, stands, etc., Dip and $5 00
Best set of grain measures, 2 00
Best window blinds, $3; Best specimen sash, 1 00
Best lot baskets, 1; Best panel door, 2 00
Best lot buckets, 1; Best pump, 3 00

Class 32—Roots and Garden Vegetables.

Best ½ bu rutabagas, 50c; Best 6 h'ds cabbage, 50c
Best ½ bu carrots, 50c; Best 2 h'ds cauliflowers, 50c
Best 4 stalks celery, 50c; Best variety melons 50c
Best ½ bu tomatoes, 50c; Best " squashes, 50c
Best ½ bushel sweet potatoes, 50c
Best quart windsor beans, 50c
Best ½ bushel table beets, 50c
It must be shown that all vegetables have been raised by the exhibitor.

Class 33—Curriers, Saddlers and Shoemakers.

Best gents' boots and shoes, $2 00
Best ladys' boots and shoes, 1 00
Best display of boots and shoes, 2 00
Best ladys' riding saddle, 2 00
Best riding bridle and martingale, 1 00
Best side finished harness leather, 50
Best robe made by exhibitor, 1 00
Best carriage harness, $3; Best tug harness, 2 00
Best single harness, 3; Best