

# TORONTO SPRING ASSIZES.

(From the Globe.)

WEDNESDAY, April 11.

Before Hon. Mr. Justice HAGBURY.

At the opening of the court his Lordship said that great delay had been caused on the previous day by counsel not being ready, in cases in which they were engaged. He hoped that such delays would not again occur during the sitting of this Assize Court. He then stated that if counsel were not ready when the cases were called, he would be under the necessity of striking the cases off the docket.

## CHARGE OF HORSE-STEALING.

Jas. McDermott, an old man about sixty years of age, and who it is said was a member of the notorious Markham gang, was placed in the dock, and arraigned on an indictment charging him with stealing a horse the property of Mr. James Cosford, residing in the township of Whitechurch. The Solicitor General West prosecuted on behalf of the crown. Mr. D. Mc-Mitchel defended the prisoner.

JAMES COSFORD said that about the 4th of November, 1859, he lost a valuable sorrel mare from his stable. The mare was stolen on the evening of the fourth, or morning of the fifth of November. He did not hear anything about the mare for nearly three months, when he learned that the animal had been in possession of the prisoner at the bar, who at the time resided in the township of Orillia. A warrant was issued for the apprehension of the prisoner, and a constable was dispatched to Orillia. The constable found on his arrival that the horse had been burned. He made a search and discovered a portion of the head and one of the limbs. The constable brought the parts of the animal away with him, and also a halter which witness was of opinion was on the horse the night it was stolen.

To Mr. McDermott:—I do not like to swear positively to the halter. I have been in the habit of shoeing my own horses and identified the shoe on the leg of the horse as one which I made.

Mrs. Cosford, owner, proved that the piece of the head which he saw belonged to the horse stolen from his father's stable on the night of the 4th November.

T. Pearson—I am a constable in the village of Whitechurch. A warrant was placed in my hands for the apprehension of the prisoner of the bar, on a charge of stealing a horse belonging to Mr. Cosford. I went to Orillia. The prisoner lived in the woods about ten miles from Orillia on the Owen Sound road. When I saw the prisoner I asked him what he had done with the sorrel mare which he had stolen from Mr. Cosford's premises. He said it was not a sorrel mare, but a chestnut coloured one. I apprehended him and took him back to Orillia, where he was locked up.

I then made a search in the vicinity of McDermott's premises and found traces of the mare. About ten rods from the chalet I observed a heap of brushwood, and on turning it over I saw several pieces of the head and trunk of a horse which had been identified as being the remains of the animal stolen from Mr. Cosford. There were several marks as if inflicted by an axe on the head which I found. The wounds, in my opinion, were sufficient to have caused death. I found a small axe in the house of the prisoner, which might have been the weapon used.

Mr. Goldsmith testified that he had sold the mare in question to Mr. Cosford. He had been shown the parts of the animal found by the constable, and identified them as belonging to the mare which he sold to Mr. Cosford.

BETSEY CLARKSON said that she lived with the prisoner for about six months. She was not married to him. Prisoner had offered to marry her, but she declined to unite her fortunes with his. While she was living with the prisoner they resided some distance from Orillia. On the first Saturday in November the prisoner brought a mare home which witness charged him at the time with having stolen. He at first denied that he had stolen the mare, but ultimately acknowledged that he had done so. Witness was aware that the mare had been stolen from Mr. Cosford; and on the 1st of February she left the prisoner, and started on foot to inform Cosford that the prisoner had stolen his mare. She was three days in accomplishing the journey.

Mr. McMICHAEL in his address to the jury contended that there appeared to be a doubt relative to the prisoner having stolen the horse, and urged the jury to give the prisoner the benefit of the doubt.

After his Lordship had summed up, the jury retired. After a considerable absence they returned into Court, and handed in a verdict of "Not guilty," which seemed to surprise every one in Court.

The PRISONER.—Thank you, my Lord. The learned JUDGE.—You have nothing to thank me for. You had better thank the jury for acquitting you.

The PRISONER having done so left the dock. There are other charges pending against him.

After the disposal of some civil business the court adjourned.

Yonge Street Agricultural Society.

The members of the above Society are requested to attend a meeting to be held at Simpson's Hotel, Richmond Hill, on Saturday, (tomorrow,) the 14th instant, at 4 o'clock, p.m.

FIRE AT PORT HOPE.—Yesterday morning about 5 o'clock, a fire was discovered raging in the dwelling house of Mr. Thomas Johnson, on Cavan street. The alarm was given and in a very short time the Fire Engines were on the spot and quickly extinguished the flames. The fire appears to have commenced in an unoccupied bed-room up stairs, the flooring of which was very much destroyed, as was also the partition in that room and the room immediately underneath.—Guide.

It is expected that the "Great Eastern" will be able to start for New York about the same time that the Prince of Wales will visit Canada, and will, it is hoped, be able to accompany the royal squadron.

## MARRIED.

On the 3rd instant, by the Rev. James Dick, Richmond Hill, Mr. John Hooven, Markham, to Miss Sophia Bullinger, Whitechurch.

On the 11th instant, by the same, Mr. John Cook, Whitechurch, to Miss Rebecca Zoss, Markham.

## TORONTO MARKETS.

THURSDAY, April 11.

Fall Wheat.—Not over 350 bushels were delivered to-day, and the prices were consequently firm, \$1 38; having been paid for the best sample on the market. The average for prime was about \$1 35. Common and inferior ruled at from \$1 20 to \$1 32.  
Spring Wheat.—Only 75 bushels in market, which sold at from 87c to \$1 05 per bushel.  
Pear.—425 bushels went off at 60 and 62c per bushel.  
Oats.—275 bushels at 33 and 35c per bushel.  
Barley.—105 bushels sold at 65c per bushel.  
Flour.—Superfine No. 2 sold at \$4 35 to \$4 40; No. 1, \$4 65 to \$4 75; Fancy, \$5 10 to \$5 25; Extra, \$5 70 to \$5 75; Double Extra, \$6 to \$6 25.  
Hay and Straw.—There is a moderate supply at from \$12 to \$18 for Hay, \$6 to \$7 for Straw per ton.  
Potatoes.—are brought in plentifully, and sell at from 20c to 30c per bushel.  
Butter.—Fresh is in fair supply at from 16c to 20c per lb.  
Eggs.—Fresh from wagons 10c to 12c per dozen.

## New Advertisements.

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WOULD respectfully inform the inhabitants of Thornhill and the surrounding country, that he has commenced business in the shop lately occupied by Mr. W. H. Hollis, where he hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit a share of public patronage.  
Thornhill, April 10, 1860. 72-4

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## Letters

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Armstrong, Sarah  
Badger, Nancy  
Bernard, Hiram  
Bennett, Jesse (2)  
Bailey, John  
Brazell, Thomas  
Bleak, Margaret  
Brooks, John  
Clark, Miss Isabella  
Crack, Peter  
Campbell, John  
Chabine, A.  
Cleveland, Miss M.  
Combs, Mrs. T.  
Devericks, John  
Doyle, Margaret  
Denton, Mrs. Wm.  
Davidson, John  
Gless, James  
Halley, John  
Homer, Mooney  
Hoslop, John  
Hall, H.  
Kirkland, Charles  
Killefer, Robert

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Richmond Hill, February 10, 1860. 63-4

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Mr. Cobden's Lancashire and London friends, it is stated, got up a princely testimonial [£40,000] to him, in consideration of his late important labors in connection with the French treaty.

## NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the undersigned as Book debts contracted on or before the first day of September, 1859, will please to come forward and settle on or before the 15th day of April next, and hereby save costs. The firm having been changed since the first mentioned period—also, all notes due and not paid or renewed by that time will be left in his Attorney's hands for collection, as intended leaving for England.  
R. MACHELL.  
Machells Corners, Aurora 26th Feb. 1860.

## GREAT PLOWING MATCH

## EAST RIDING OF YORK AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY!

THE Townships of Markham and Scarboro' have amalgamated with this Society for the purpose of holding a

## SPRING FAIR,

## PLOWING MATCH,

ON

Wednesday the 18th April 1860

On the farm of ELIJAH MILLER, Esq., lot No. 6, 7th concession of Markham, one and a quarter miles south of Markham Village.

The following Splendid Prizes are offered for competition:—

### FIRST CLASS—OPEN TO ALL.

1st Prize—A splendid Harness presented to the Society by John Bell, Esq., Barrister, of Toronto, \$50 00  
2nd do Cash, 20 00  
3rd do do 15 00  
4th do do 10 00  
5th do do 5 00  
6th do do 4 00

\$134 00

### SECOND CLASS.

1st Prize—Iron Plough presented to the Society of Scarboro' Society, by Mr. John Likens, Lun-keeper, International Hotel, Toronto, \$40 00  
2nd do Cash, 15 00  
3rd do do 10 00  
4th do do 5 00  
5th do do 4 00  
6th do do 3 00  
7th do do 2 00  
8th do do 1 00

\$110 00

### THIRD CLASS.

FOR YOUTHS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE.

1st Prize—Cash, \$10 00  
2nd do do 5 00  
3rd do do 3 00  
4th do do 2 00  
5th do do 1 00  
6th do do 5 00  
7th do do 4 00  
8th do do 3 00  
9th do do 2 00  
10th do do 1 00

\$51 00

Rules and Regulations for Plowing.  
First Class.—Open to all. Parties, Members of the Township of Markham, Scarboro', or of the Society, and who have paid up their subscriptions, \$2; others, not members, residing within the bounds of Electoral Division, \$3; all others, \$5.  
Second Class.—Open only to parties who have never taken a first prize at any Plowing Match, excepting Youths under 18 years. Entrance, same as first class.  
Third Class.—Open to all youths under 18 years of age. These resident within bounds of Electoral Division, entrance, \$1; without bounds of Electoral Division, \$2.

ADDITIONAL RULES.

1st. The Ground will be measured off. A time-table prepared for each lot. 12 hours per acre allowed for performance of work, and from which no deviation can be allowed. Each lot will be drawn by ballot.

2nd. The furrow must be at least six inches deep. The centre half of lot to be gathered and the other two quarters to be thrown out, so that each lot in the field be equal in width, and properly closed up when finished.

3rd. After setting of stakes, at which assistance may be had, no person will be permitted in any manner to interfere in arranging furrows or otherwise, and any interference in this respect by friends of the Plowmen will cause loss of premium if awarded.

4th. Plowmen must be on the ground by half-past 9 o'clock, a.m. and be ready to commence operation by 10 o'clock, at which hour a flag will be hoisted.

5th. Entries may be made with Mr. John Likens, International Hotel, Market Square, Toronto; H. R. Cross, Secretary, Markham Society; John Crawford, Secretary, Scarboro' Society, Malvern Road; or with the Secretary, Markham Village.

### HORSES AND BULLS!

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1st Prize, \$20 00  
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3rd do 5 00  
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1st Prize, \$8 00  
2nd do 6 00  
3rd do 4 00

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1st Prize, \$4 00  
2nd do 3 00  
3rd do 2 00

#### GALWAY BULLS.

1st Prize, \$4 00  
2nd do 3 00  
3rd do 2 00

#### AYRSHIRE BULLS.

1st Prize, \$4 00  
2nd do 3 00  
3rd do 2 00

#### Rules and Regulations;

1st. Members of the Township of Scarboro' and Markham, or of the Society, who have paid their subscriptions, are entitled to enter stock free of charge.

2nd. Parties other than Members, desirous of competing, must pay \$2, entrance.

3d. No Parties exhibiting shall interfere with the Judges, whilst in the discharge of their duty, by conversation or otherwise, under forfeiture of premium.

4th. Animals obtaining prizes must have a stand, the season within bounds of Electoral Division.

5th. No animal entered for competition shall necessarily entitle the owner to a premium, unless deemed worthy of a prize by the Judges.

6th. Judges of plowing will not go upon the ground until the whole is finished.

Horses and Bulls will be shown on the grounds attached to the Wellington Hotel, Markham Village.  
Dinner will be prepared at Legals' Watlington Hotel, at Four o'clock, p.m., after which the Judges' awards will be publicly announced and premiums paid.  
A. BARKER,  
Secy & Treasurer.

J. P. WHEELER,  
President.

Markham, March 27, 1860.

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J. DUNCUMR.  
Richmond Hill, March 25, 1860. 70-U

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C. E. LAWRENCE, Trustees.  
"THOS. GOODBY,"  
Vaughan, March 22, 1860. 69-5

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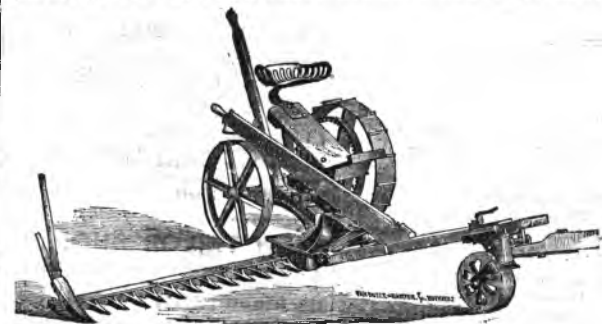
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