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James Low,
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J. A. WALKER, Manager

The Farmers' Institute Meetings in Lindsay

Instructive Addresses by J. G. Clark, of Ottawa; H. Glendinning, of Manilla; and Miss Maddock, of Guelph—Interesting Discussions and Answers to Questions

Meetings of the West Victoria Farmers' Institute were held in the Town Hall, Lindsay, on Thursday afternoon and evening.

President W. Channon, of Mariposa, was in the chair, and Mr. James Keith, of Lindsay, Secretary, was at his post.

The Institute speakers were Messrs. J. G. Clark, of Ottawa, H. Glendinning, of Manilla, and Miss B. M. Maddock, of Guelph. They also addressed meetings at Woodville the previous day, and at Bobcaygeon and Fenelon Falls on Friday and Saturday under the auspices of the East Victoria Institute.

The attendance was not large at either meeting but was better in the evening several Lindsay people, including ladies being present.

SPENCER SEEDLESS APPLES

Mr. James Fleury addressed the meeting in regard to the Spencer seedless apple, and exhibited specimens cut and preserved in glass jars. He also had specimens in the natural condition. He had, he said, been led accidentally to inquire into the value of this apple while at the Toronto Exhibition. He had seen Hon. John Dryden's letter in regard to it, and from this and examination of the apple concluded it was a good thing. A great deal had been said for and against. He would not have taken hold of it if he had not had confidence in it. If it were good now was the time to take hold of it. He had purchased and planted several trees himself.

Mr. Anderson, of Toronto, a representative of the Spencer Seedless Apple Company, also spoke. He referred to Mr. Dryden's letter published in a pamphlet circulated by the company, and distributed to those present. Mr. Dryden, he said, had no interest in the company. The seedless orange was at first opposed. Mr. Anderson claimed that this apple was adapted to the climate of Ontario, that of Colorado being as severe. The root was that of the French crab apple tree, and the bud was particularly adapted to resist frost. Occasionally a seed was to be found in these apples, but it was the opinion of those who had studied it that if there were no seedlings in other orchards near, this apple would be entirely free of seeds. Prof. Craig who had written against this apple in the Rural New Yorker, had done so, Mr. Anderson said, from hearsay. Nurserymen were interested in opposing the Spencer Seedless because it would cut into their business. In answer to Mr. Glendinning, Mr. Anderson said it matured about the middle of October and was at its best in March and would keep till May.

DAIRYMEN'S REPRESENTATIVE

Mr. H. Glendinning, of Manilla, then explained that Mr. Putman, Director of Dairy Instruction, was desirous of having a direct representative on the Board of the Eastern Dairymen's Association from this district. Heretofore directors had included the vice-presidents, but it was now proposed to have each director represent a district. The meeting could not elect a director, it could only recommend, but when the Eastern Dairymen's Association met a by-law could be passed to give effect to the new system. The proposed redistribution of districts was more according to the number of factories than population. This district was intended to comprise Haliburton, Victoria, Durham and Ontario counties, containing 44 factories. A meeting of dairymen had been called to meet with the Institute, and this was the only meeting announced for that purpose for the district, although the dairymen were not present. The speaker had hitherto been a director, but he was not directly representative of the district.

On motion of Secretary Keith and Mr. W. M. Robson, the meeting approved of Mr. Glendinning being the representative of the district.

FEEDING OF LIVE STOCK

Mr. J. G. Clark, of Ottawa, then spoke on "The Feeding of Live Stock." Breeding, he said, was important, but feeding was equally so. Care and thought were required to know what was the best food. The Department of Agriculture had sent out bulletins giving the relative value of different foods. Mr. Clark had copies of these bulletins printed on cotton to which he referred in his address. How many farmers, he said, put a high value on timothy hay, and thought barley a first-class food, but the analysis of their nutrient elements for milk production did not

WINTER FAIR.

While renewals of membership were being solicited by the secretary, and Mr. Robson, the President announced that their membership ticket would entitle them to admission to the Ontario Provincial Winter Fair at Guelph, December 10 to 14. It was the most educational exhibition he knew of.

QUESTION DRAWER

The question drawer was next opened.

Could not farmers co-operate and through the Institute get experienced farm labor from Europe?

Mr. Glendinning was not prepared to answer. Many had been brought out in the last few years. Some were good, others not so. He thought it would be better to get agricultural laborers from the old country than

to bring immigrants from the towns and cities.

Mr. S. J. Fox, M.P.P., being present, was called upon. He agreed that it would be better to get more immigrants from the agricultural population in the old country, but there was the same tendency there as here to drift to the centres of population. If the right class are got they will adapt themselves to the conditions in Canada.

Mr. Swain, the propounder of the question, had read an article in the Canadian Horticulturist, which said there was a class of experienced laborers in Europe who could be secured. This suggested the question. The writer stated that part of their expenses would, perhaps, have to be paid and houses provided. Mr. Swain thought that by clubbing, some of these could be got. Many of those now brought out were unsuitable. One farmer had said the Government ought to give us a bonus for teaching them.

Mr. Fox pointed out that the Ontario Government had an immigration agency in charge of Mr. Southworth who could be written to informing him what class was wanted. If farmers did pay part of the expenses they would still be ignorant as to what class they would get.

Mr. Swain related his experience with one man to whom the house provided was satisfactory, but the place would be too lonesome for his wife. He had kept another, wife and child over winter, but the man left in the spring.

What would be a good average gain for a well-bred steer or heifer to make in the stall for six months?

Mr. E. H. Hopkins answered that the temperament would need to be known. He thought 1 to 1 1/2 lbs. per day.

President Channon suggested that good average.

What is the first step to take to get good horses on the farm?

President Channon suggested that a number of farmers should select 25 or 30 mares and promise a horseman that if he secured a "good horse" they would not be penurious, pay him perhaps \$25 each.

What is the benefit of straight line breeding?

Mr. John Graham—There is no other way of successful breeding, that is Durham to Durham, Polled Angus to Polled Angus, and so on. We can improve by breeding mongrels to thoroughbreds, but occasionally the product will go back.

PRIZES FOR JERSEY CATTLE.

Mr. E. H. Hopkins brought up the question of whether the Agricultural Society should continue prizes for Jersey cattle.

Secretary Keith said the question had come up when the prize list was revised as only one man showed in this class.

Mr. Glendinning held that breeding of a particular breed of cattle was a question of dollars and cents. They might take a herd of any beef breed of cattle, he would take a herd of Jerseys, and he could make \$10 a head more out of them than any other breed, bred for both milk and beef. He did not know why Jerseys should be cut off the prize list.

Mr. W. M. Robson had been keeping cows for twenty-five years. He had a Jersey cow and would not be without.

Mr. Fox, M.P.P., would extend the prize list and make the show more attractive.

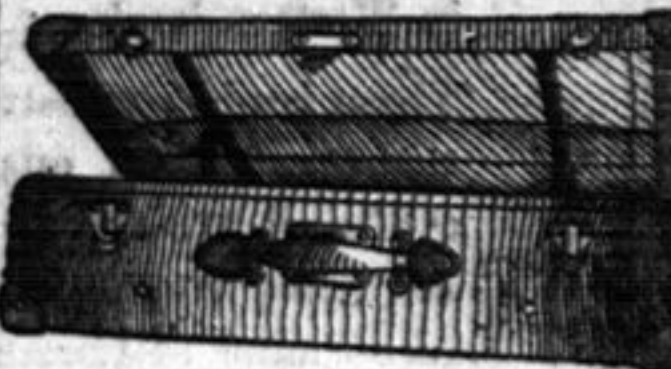
A vote was taken and there were only two in favor of cutting off the Jerseys.

PAPER BY MR. W. M. ROBSON.

Mr. W. M. Robson, of Lindsay, read a paper on Horticultural and Agricultural Generalities, and how early and late Vegetables may be Supplied in the Farmers' Home, mainly as follows:

Anyone attempting to give the cultivator of the soil information on a subject so intimately connected with his own calling must either be presumptive or in possession of a thorough practical knowledge of the subject. I prefer modestly to claim the latter in choosing this heading to make a few comments on I think no man has a better right to enjoy largely these household essentials with their health-giving properties through the season than the farmer, who provides for the masses the great staple necessities and comforts of life, and too often only gets a small percentage for himself. But, I am pleased to notice conditions are changing rapidly in favor of the farming community. It is certainly time when the latent resources of the earth

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