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The Canada Citizen gives some interesting statistics with reference to committments to jail for drunkness in the seven counties which lately repealed the Scott Act, during the last year which they were under the operation of that law, and the last year they were under a license law. The total figures are, for the former, 36, and the latter, 160. There is a whole volume of conviction contained in those figures.

It appears that friend Fawcett's motto, which we took exception to, was only temporary. The Review says:

"Our permanent motto: The welfare of the people is the supreme law: How do you like it, brother Thurston?"

Well, it's an improvement—a decided improvement—but we would like to see a clause added, making "the welfare of the printer the supreme object." Kindly attend to this, brother, and our satisfaction will boil over.

John Charles Dent died in Toronto last week. Mr. Dent was a native of England, and came to this country when quite young. Since that time he has made himself an enviable name in Canadian literature in the capacity of an historian. For a time he published and edited "Arcturus," a high-class literary perodical, in Toronto, which only ran about a year, when it suspended for want of support. Mr. Dent was but 35 years of age, and Canada loses one of her most promising literary characters in his death.

The Hamilton Times publishes a long editoral, dealing with the injustice of the present land system of this country. In a poor, weak way, it tries to palm off some of Henry George's theories as its own argument, and says: "What's the use of a man working like a slave in a factory, day after day, week after week, year after year, to earn money and hand it over to the landlord and the land speculator?" The Times' agitation for a reform in this is all right, but when it asks, "Dost like thy taskmaster, workingman?" and "if so keep right on voting the Tory ticket," we would rise to remark that the Grits were in power several years ago, and "the oldest inhabitant" does not remember any perceptible diminution in the scale of rents during that period! The theory is strong, but the application weak.

Kimberley.

From our own Correspondent.

Miss Thurston of this place is more than busy, in fact overtaxed. She has no less than five pupils taking lessons in music and they receive instruction, all separate, in different places, and at different times. Miss Thurston's musical abilities are said to be of a very high order.

Many of our friends and neighbors have returned from the Toronto exhibition, highly pleased with what they saw.

Another new portable saw mill is about being erected on the 3rd line by that enterprising gentleman, Mr. Walker.

The new bridge over the Beaver on the 4th line is completed and is certainly a monument to the skill of Mr. J. R. Fawcett, contractor.

Farmers are well pleased with the return of grain in all cases when they have threshed, especially the fall wheat. Messrs. Wiley and Best threshed 500 bushels of fall wheat for Mr. T. Ellis one afternoon lately. It was thought that potatoes would be a poor crop, but it will be otherwise—they are good, especially the late crop.

Prize List East Grey Agricultural Society.

Following is the prize list of the East Grey fair, held in Flesherton on Monday and Tuesday of last week. In all cases the person named first took first prize.

HORSES.

CDRAUGHT.—Pair draught horses, John Conn, W. McLaughy. Brood mare, S. Stokes, A. McMullen. 2 year old gelding or filly, F. Cairns, S. Sheardown. 1 year old gelding or filly, Wm. Chard, B. Wright Spring foal, W. Buchanan jr., A. McMullen.

GENERAL PURPOSE HORSES.—Pair general purpose horses, John Hill, R. Porteous. Brood mare, R. McAfee, W. C. Parker. 2 year gelding or filly, J. Hill, R. Porteous. 1 year old gelding or filley, R. McAfee, R. McAfee. Spring foal, A. Madill, R. McAfee.

ROADSTER AND OTHER HORSES.—Pair roadster horses, W. McConnell, A. Beattie. Pair carriage horses, D. Stinson, D. Thompson. Buggy horse, Dr. Sproule, W. McConnell. Saddle horse, D. McLean, J. A. Lever.

CATTLE.

Durham heifer, 2 years old, Jas. Mercer. Ayrshire bull. 2 years old, A. Cairns, sr., A. Cairns, sr. Ayrshire cow, A. Cairns, sr., R. Oliver. Ayrshire heifer, 1 year old, A. Cairns, sr. Ayrshire heifer calf, A. Cairns, sr. Devon aged bull. R. Oliver. Devon, 2 years old bull, R. Oliver. Devon cow, R. Oliver, R. Oliver. Devon heifer, 2 years old, R. Oliver. Devon heifer, 1 year old, R. Oliver. Devon heifer calf, R. Oliver. Grade cow, Jas. Mercer, J. O'Brien. 2 year old heifer, Jas. Mercer, J. Mercer. 1 year old heifer, Irwin Fawcett, I. Fawcett. Pair working oxen, D. Stinson, Irwin Fawcett.

SHEEP.

COTSWOLD.—Ram lamb, R. Oliver. Pair aged ewes, R. Oliver, R. Oliver. Pair Shearling ewes, R. Oliver, R. Oliver. Pair ewe lambs, R. Oliver, R. Oliver.

LEICESTER.—Ram lamb, R. Oliver, R. Oliver. Pair aged ewes, R. Oliver. Pair ewe lambs, R. Oliver.

SOUTHDOWN.—Aged ram, T. A. M. Ferguson. Shearling ram, R. Oliver. Ram lamb, R. Oliver. Pair aged ewes, T. A. M. Ferguson, R. Olirer. Pair Shearling ewes, R. Oliver, R. Oliver. Pair ewe lambs, R. Oliver, J. Mercer.

SHROPSHIRE.—Shearling ram, J. Buskin. Ram lamb, J. Buskin, J. Buskin. Pair aged ewes, J. Buskin. Pair Shearling ewes, J. Buskin. Pair ewe lambs, J. Buskin, J. Buskin.

SWINE.

BERKSHIRE AND OTHER BLACK BREEDS.—Aged boar, R. Oliver, C. Irwin. Aged sow, D. Thompson, W. Mitchell. Sow pig, C. Irwin, W. Mitchell.

SUFFOLK AND OTHER WHITE BREEDS. Boar pig, C. Irwin. Sow pig, J. I. Graham, C. Irwin.

POULTRY.

Pair Brahamas dark, W. J. Cooey. Pair Brahmas, light, J. McGee, W. J. Cooey. Pair Leghorn white, W. Barnhouse, W. J. Cooey. Pair Leghorn brown, C. Bellamy, J. McGee. Pair Hamburg, golden penciled W. J. Coote. Hamburg, silver penciled, J. McGee, J. McGee. Houdans, J. McGee. Spanish, white face, W. W. Trimble, W. W. Trimble. Game, black red, J. Smith, J. Brodie. Plymouth rock, J. H. Heard, J. H. Heard. Bantams, black red, T. A. M. Ferguson. Aylesbury ducks, W. J. Cooey, J. H. Heard. Other ducks, J. McGee, T. A. M. Ferguson. Geese, W. J. Cooey, Jas. Beecroft. Turkeys, J. A. Lever, T. A. M. Ferguson.

GRAIN AND SEEDS.

FALL WHEAT.—Clawson, D. Stinson, R. Ruthvan. Other variety, R. Ruthvan, D. Stinson.

SPRING WHEAT.—Russian, J. Brodie, D. Stinson. Other variety, J. Stewart, W. J. Cooey. Barley, J. Brodie, J. Mercer. Oats, white, J. Brodie, J. Mercer. Oats, black, D. Stinson, W. Norton. Peas, small, J. Mercer, J. Brodie. Peas, large, R. Ruthvan, J. Brodie. Indian corn, white, T. A. M. Ferguson, J. Holley. Indian corn, yellow, T. A. M. Ferguson, W. Norton. Collection beans, J. McGee.

ROOTS AND VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, early rose, Irwin Fawcett, J. Ferris. Potatoes, other variety, J. Stewart, W. Buchanan, jr. Collection potatoes, C. Bellamy. Mangold, globe, J. Ferris, W. Norton. Mangolds, long, W. Norton, J. I. Graham. Turnip, Swedish, J. Holley, D. Thompson. Turnips, other field, J. A. Lever, J. I. Graham. Turnips, table, T. A. M. Ferguson, J. Miller. Beets, Long Blood, R. Oliver, J. Ferris. Beets, other variety, D. Thompson, J. I. Graham. Carrots, field, T. A. M. Ferguson, W. J. Cooey. Carrots, Early Horn, J. I. Graham, W. Norton. Parsnips, J. Ferris, R. Oliver. Onions from bulb seed, D. Thompson, J. Ferris. Onion, potato, W. Norton, J. Milner. Cabbage Winningstead, D. Thompson, J. Milner. Cabbage, Drumhead, D. Thompson, Mrs. Bulmer. Cabbage, other variety, D. Thompson, J. Milner. Cauliflowers, W. Norton, J. Milner. Celery, white, R. Oliver, A. Beattie. Celery, red, J. Miller, Jas. Ferris. Pumpkin, J. Holley, D. McMullen. Squashes, J. A. Lever, E. Gordon. Citrons, W. Norton, J. H. Heard. Tomatoes, W Norton, W. Barnhouse. Watermelon, Mrs. Bulmer, W. Norton.

FRUIT.

FALL APPLES.—Red Astrichans, I. Fawcett, J. Brodie. Duchess of Oldenburg, I. Fawcett, W. Buchanan, jr. St. Lawrence, Jas. Stuart, T. Kells. Gravenstein, R. Ruthwan, R. Gilray. Alexandria, I. Fawcett, H. Weber. Collection, Jas. Stuart, J. Brodie.

WINTER APPLES.—Northern Spy, J. I. Graham, J. Brodie. Baldwin, Decision witneld until apples are properly named. Spitzenburg, J. I. Graham, D. Graham. Golden russets, J. I. Graham, D. Graham. Roxbury russets, J. I. Graham, D. Graham. Pomme Grise, W. J. Cooey, R. Ruthvan. Snow apples, Dr. Sproule, D. Graham. Collection, D. Graham, J. I. Graham.

PEARS.—Bartlet, W. Norton, J. Brodie. Flemish beauty, R. Gilray, J. Brodie. Clapp's favorite, J. Brodie. Louise Bonne de Jersy, J. Brodie, D. Graham.

PLUMS.

Lombards, J. W. Armstrong, T. A. M. Ferguson. Smiths Orleans, W. Norton. Golden Drop, J. W. Armstrong, W. Buchanan, Jr. Victoria, J. H. Heard, T. A. M. Ferguson. Reine Claude, J. Brodie. Gages, A. Madill, H. Weber. Collection, T. A. M. Ferguson, R. Gilray. Coll. Crab Apples, J. I. Graham, Jas. Stuart. Grapes, White, J. H. Heard, W. Barnhouse. Grapes, Colored, J. H. Heard, J. I. Graham.

DAIRY OR OTHER PRODUCE.

Butter, 5 pounds, J. Abbott, I. Fawcett. Butter 15 pounds, W. Norton, Jas. Ferris. Butter, tub, Jas. Ferris, J. Milner. Cheese, home made, W. Norton, G. Stewart.

MANUFACTURES.

Lumber wagon, J. H. Heard. Democrat wagon, J. H. Heard. Buggy, covered, J. H. Heard. Buggy, open, J. H. Heard. Cutter, single, J. H. Heard. Cutter, double, J. H. Heard.

Set heavy team harness, D. Clayton. Set carriage harness, D. Clayton. Pr. gent's sewed boots, J. Smith, W. Barnhouse. Pr. gent's stoga boots, J. Smith, W. Barnhouse. Pr. ladies boots, J. Smith, W. Barnhouse.

DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES.

Pr. Blankets, Mrs. Milner, H. Flesher. Fulleloth, factory made, R. Heron. Flannel, all wool, R. Heron, H. Flesher. Flannel, union, Mrs. Milner, W. Norton. Rag carpet, S. Stokes, Mrs. Milner. Stocking yarn, W. Buchanan, H. Flesher. Woollen mits, R. Ruthvan. W. Norton. Woollen socks, W. Norton, J. Abbott. Patchwork quilt, Mrs. Gilray, Miss Norton. Knit or crochet quilt, Miss Norton, Miss Ferris. Quilt, any other kind, Miss Norton, Miss J. Stewart. Col. Berlin wool work, Mrs. Milner, Mrs. Gilray. Arrasene work, Mrs. Munshaw, Miss Damude. Braiding in cotton, Miss Ferris, Mrs. J. A. Lever. Emproidery in silk, Miss Armstrong, Miss Richardson. Embroidery in cotton, Mrs. Milner, Miss Norton. Embroidery in worsted, Mrs. Milner, Miss Norton. Crochet work in cotton, Mrs. Gilray, Mrs. Milner. Crochet work in wool, Mrs. Milner, Mrs. Gilray. Point and honiton lace, Mrs. Milner, Mrs. Munshaw. Fancy knitting in wool, Miss Norton, Mrs. J. Beecroft. Wool work on canvass, Miss Armstrong, Miss Norton. Needlework, ornamental, Miss Norton, Mrs. Munshaw. Man's shirt, hand made, Miss. Norton, Mrs. J. A. Lever. Leather work, ornamental, Miss. J. Stewart, Mrs. Gilray. Macrame lace, Mrs. Munshaw, Miss. Norton. Pr. worked slippers, Mrs. Milner, Miss Norton. Tatting, Mrs. Milner. Wax Fruit, Mrs Milner. Wax Flowers, Mrs. Gilray, Miss Armstrong. Col. Photos, Mrs. Bulmer. Crayon drawing, Miss Armstrong, Miss Gordon. Pencil drawing, Miss Damude, Miss Armstrong. Water color painting, Miss Armstrong. Coll. painting and drawing, Miss Damude, Miss Armstrong. Feather wreath, Mrs. J. Buskin, Mrs. Gilray. Cotton Batton wreath, Mrs. Gilray, Mrs. Milner. Farmers. wreath, Mrs. Milner. Cretonne work, Mrs. Milner.

PLANTS.

Table Bouquet, Mrs. Beecroft, Miss E. Gordon. Foliage Plant, Mrs. C. Bellamy. Geranium, Mrs. Damude, Mrs. Munshaw. Hanging basket, Mrs. Damude, Mrs. Munshaw. Calla Lilly, Mrs. Damude, Mrs. Munshaw. Begonia, Mrs. C. Bellamy, Mrs. Bulmer. Cut Flowers, Mrs. Beecroft. Miss E. Gordon. Coll. Plants, Mrs. Beecroft, Mrs. C. Bellamy.

General News.

A strong impression prevails in Washington and many other places—that the Retaliation Bill is dead.

A house-to-house inspection in Buffalo has brought to light seventeen cases of smallpox, which have been kept concealed from the health authorities.

Emperor Francis Joseph narrowly escaped being shot during artillery practice at Steinfield.

The Ontario Wheel Company's works at Gananoque were burned Sunday; estimated loss, $25,000

Premier Greenway, being interviewed at London, expressed himself as satisfied that there was no great fear of a hitch in connection with the Red River Valley road.

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Barley	0 50		0 60
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Peas	0 50		0 55
Butter	0 16		0 16
Eggs, fresh	0 15		0 15
Potatoes bush	0 40		0 50
Pork	6 50		6 50
Hay per ton	7 00		8 00
Hides	4 50		5 50
Wool	16		18
Sheepskins	0 50		1 00
Geese	0 05		0 05
Turkeys	0 7		0 8
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