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ON OUR TABLE.

THE CONSULTING ENGINEER OF CANADA.—This monthly journal published in Toronto is entirely devoted to the construction and working of engines. It is nearly got up and should be patronized by all who have anything to do with engine description one dollar per year, single copies ten cents.

PICTURESQUE CANADA.—We have received parts 11 and 12 of this valuable book. Its illustrations, which are beautiful, are numerous, comprising the scenery of the Great Lakes and the North-West. The text is neatly and tastefully printed on fine paper. The engravings alone are worth the price of the book, which is only 60 cents a part. Printed by the Art Publishing Co., 58 and 60 York St., Toronto.

THE AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST for October is an unusually attractive and valuable number of this old, reliable and famous journal. We notice important changes in the new and handsome cover, fine paper, and superior finish on the many engravings. It is a double number, containing a large Premium List filled with many desirable articles for those who make up clubs.

Among the leading contributors: P. H. Jacobs, on Poultry; J. N. Mendenhall, on Feeding Hogs; D. Geo. Thurber, on Gladiolus, Skull caps, Hemp, and other plants; Prof. Brockway, on Bladder plums; J. D. Spoon, on Household devices; X. A. Williams, on Cold Storage of Butter; Prof. W. H. Jones, on Ground Limestone; Col. M. C. Ward, on Ensiling Corn Fodder; Mr. Orange Judd, on Crops and Prices, etc.; and D. D. Bissell, on our ing Corn Fodder. Guano, Wonders of the Ivory, Farming in Egypt; Bill Riving; Humbugs Exposed; and all important. Of the eighty illustrative engravings are two large ones of "October," "Fossilwell, the woods," "Camp Tip-Top—a summer home; Prize House-Ians; Red Polled Cattle, and a long list of labor-saving devices for the farm, garden, and household, such as: Field Roller, Loading Corn, Mending tools, Pig Hook, Fence Posts, Door Latch, Hoe, Potatoe Bin, Cold Callar, Filter, Shoe Box, etc., etc. The Children's Columns are full of interesting reading—The Doctor's rules on various kinds of Nuts, Galls, etc. Orange Judd Co., Publishers, New York; \$1.50 per annum; single number, 15 cents.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Yesterday forenoon when a very large number of people were on the street, while Mr. Edward Ard of Normandy was driving his team past the Middaugh House on Lambton st., he was noticed to suddenly fall over in the waggon. He was taken out of the waggon and seated in a chair in the Middaugh House and a doctor summoned to his aid, but in a few moments after Jameson's arrival Mr. Ard breathed his last. After life was dead the body of the deceased was carried into the Town Hall, although this place has been rented by the members of Trinity Church for the day and a Bazaar was being held at the time. The family of the deceased were in town to attend the show. Mr. Ard was always a strong, active member of the Agricultural Society, an old settler and highly respected.—Review.

SOUTH GREY EXHIBITION.

This exhibition was held in Durham on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, and the weather being everything that could be desired the exhibition was well attended, the receipts being considerably in excess of last year and the number of entries about the same. In some respects it was not equal to last year, and in other respects it was better. The only improvement that has been considered a fair success. The exhibition of grain was very fine and considering the season the quality of work was also good. There was also a splendid display of ladies' work, both useful and ornamental. In the outside department there was a very good display of fine arts. The increased accommodation in the show building was highly appreciated, and the management deserves credit for their efforts on behalf of the society. The grand prize was adjudged for by the Mount Forest band and the station band of Walkerton, the former being justly awarded the first prize.—Chronicle.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the Standard.
 Dear Sir—I have been much surprised to see an article in the Standard of the 21st inst. taken in reference to the doings of our Council, and especially the Clerk. The great objection taken to Mr. Milne appears to be his politics. Now, sir, I fail to see the force of this argument. The editor of the Advance tries to make it appear that because he is a Conservative he did not receive the printing contract. We venture to say that Mr. Rutledge, who got the contract, is as much a Conservative as Mr. Rawcett. This fact in itself kills his argument on that score.

A RATEPAYER.
 McIntyre, Sept. 21st, 1882.
 [The above correspondence was unavoidably crowded out last week.]

To the Editor of the Standard.

DEAR SIR.—I beg to compliment you on the marked improvements you continue to make in your paper. The love and get up of which is certainly a credit to you. I consider it a pleasure to support you in your efforts.

JAMES YELLAND,
 Ephraim, Oct. 21, 1882.
 I had an old gentleman, patronizing, to be brought this fellow, to be a good boy, my little man, and you may be President. "Yes, it may be," the wide awake youth replied, "but you don't want to gamble on it?"