

Fall Exhibitions.
DUNDALK UNION AGRICULTURAL SHOW. Dundalk, on Tuesday, October 16th. Egremont, at Hurlston, Tuesday, Oct. 9, 10, 11 and 12. West Wellington, at Arthur village, Oct. 11 and 12.
Centre Wellington, Elora, October 11 and 12.

THE GUIDE.

Dundalk, October 4, 1877.
Local and Other Items.

HEAVY RAIN.—This morning we were visited by a very heavy rain storm, which will put a stop to the lush fires in the meantime.

Genuine Unfermented Grape Wine for invalids and others, manufactured by R. Smith & Co., Fairfield Plains, Ontario, now on sale at the Dundalk Medical Hall.

THE WAR NEWS are of very little importance at the moment. There has been a snow storm on the Balkans, and heavy rains on the plains in Bulgaria. The position of the belligerents is about the same as last week.

An investigation was held last week at Owen Sound into alleged irregularities of the Board of Examiners for the County of Grey, and resulted in a clear vindication of the Board, as the witnesses examined failed to sustain the charges.

ONE day lately Richard Nichol of Proton was brought before H. H. Stovel, John Robertson and T. Smith, at Mount Forest, charged with having taken a quantity of lumber and carpenter's tools from Mr. Webster's lumber yard, Yovvil. Nichol was committed to Owen Sound Jail.

CORWOOD BURN.—On Friday night last about one hundred cords of wood on the T. G. & B. R. about 4 miles south of Dundalk, belonging to W. H. Hunter, Esq., of East Garafraxa, took fire and was burnt. This morning a pile of wood near Proton station was on fire and burnt.

THE OWEN SOUND CENTRAL SHOW was quite a success. The Northern Union Show, at Orangeville, last week, was a success in every way. About \$1,000 was taken at the gate, and the show in flowers, fruit, roots, grain, fancy work, and art, was very fine being nearly equal to the Guelph show.

"RARA AVIS."—On Thursday last Mr. Joseph West, of the 2nd Con., Melancthon, shot a very large horned owl of a dark color (*Stix Virginiae*). The bird was a very fine one, measuring from tip to tip of wings five feet seven inches. The ears were about three inches long. Conductor Lewis purchased the bird and took it to a Taxidermist in Toronto.

CONCERT.—A concert in aid of the building fund of the new Presbyterian Church will be held in the School House, Dundalk, on the evening of Tuesday, the 16th inst., (show day). A selection of first class music by a glee party, under the leadership of Mr. Vernon, will be given. Also a number of dialogues and solos by well-known amateurs. As great care has been taken in the selection and preparation of the programme, a pleasant evening may be expected. Admission 15 cents. Concert commences at 7 o'clock.

A GREAT CONVENTION.—The new accommodation train commenced running between Orangeville and Owen Sound last Monday morning. It leaves Orangeville at 6:50 arriving at Dundalk at 8:44 a. m. and at Owen Sound at 11:59. In the afternoon it leaves Owen Sound at 4:45 arriving at Dundalk at 8:15 and Orangeville at 10 p. m. This is a great convenience to any wishing to go to the County Town and back the same day, as they can easily do so having nearly five hours to do business. The train runs on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

WALLACE TOWNSHIP VS. G. W. R. Co.—The case of the Township of Wallace against the Great Western Railway, to compel that Company to keep open a station at Gowans, was argued in June last, before His Honor, the Chancellor of the Province, who, after having heard both parties, took time to consider his decision. On Wednesday of last week he gave judgment in the matter. The Chancellor determined that the Great Western Railway Company were not properly carrying out the agreement with the township, and that they were bound to keep a ticket-office and order the company to do so at once. He also orders them to pay the cost of their defence.

THE HACKETT MURDER.—The Montreal Witness referring to the action of the Grand Jury in Sheehan's case says:—In the face of the prosecution which were brought before them that this man Sheehan was seen to fire deliberately at close quarters upon Hackett and was heard to use murderous language the jury could come into Court with a "no bill" in Sheehan's case, and but for the prudent action of the Court, this notorious character would to-day be walking on unpunished evidence, he is second-hand. Is this justice, or is our system of justice a sham? We pronounce this one of the most glaring instances of miscarriage of justice on record, and for the action of the Court in still retaining Sheehan a prisoner, in prospect that another indictment will be drawn against him, we should find despair of ever seeing justice done in the case of the murdered Hackett.

FIRE IN DENVER.—On Monday night the barn and driving house of Mr. John Gambler, near the village of Troy, were consumed by fire—the cause of the fire being a mystery. The buildings contained the whole of Mr. Gambler's crops, and his loss will be over \$2,000, which is partially covered by insurance in the Agricultural Co. of London.

Priceville Correspondence.
 Our show last Monday was visited by a large number of people, the weather being very agreeable. One thing was very noticeable, and which I have observed at other shows, was the notorious state of drunkenness exhibited by a number of those attending the show, and the boldness with which the vile stuff was sold. What has become of the Dundalk Act men? It appears to me there is a lack of courage on their part.

About ten days ago the dwelling house and barn belonging to James McDonald, 2nd Con., S. D. R. Glenelg, about two miles from Priceville, was consumed by fire with his entire crop. No insurance.

Proton Council.

The Township Council of Proton met, as per adjournment, at Dundalk, in one of the Rooms of the Hotel kept by Mr. James Reid.

The members of the Council all present and the Reeve presiding. The minutes of the previous meeting held at Hopewille were read over and confirmed.

Several Communications received and read over by the Clerk.

Report of Committee appointed at Hopewille meeting of Council, relating to by-laws, received and filed by the Clerk.

Moved by Mr. Fleming, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the complaint of George Scott to the effect that he is impressed that School Section No. 4, of which he is a trustee, has received a disproportionate amount of Legislative grant this year, he respectfully referred to the Inspector for investigation.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Agnew, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that the arrears of taxes against East half of Lot No. 22 Con. 14, be expended on the road adjacent, provided Mr. Crawford, the proprietor, place on the same road the sum of \$6 gratis labor.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Agnew, seconded by Mr. Modeland, that the Communication of Joseph McArdie, Esq., applying for the statute labor paid in taxes in 1876 on lot 11, Con. 13, and part of lot 12, Con. 13, be referred to the Clerk for enquiry as to what amount said road Division is entitled from said statute labor.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Agnew, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that the Clerk be requested to prepare a By-Law to give effect to the Petition of Police Trustees of Dundalk, asking setting aside of eight feet on opposite sides of the streets in said village for erecting sidewalks, planting shade trees and similar purposes, with power to protect the same from injury or destruction.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyd, seconded by Mr. Modeland, that the Clerk be requested to instruct Messrs. McFayden & Roberts of the intention of this Council to proceed immediately to collect of H. C. Bigham the unpaid taxes of 1876, on lot 27, Con. 10, and discharge the same.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Agnew, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the Reeve be requested to issue an order in favor of James Gillies for \$3 for statute labor performed for lot 12, Con. 7, for 1876.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Fleming, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that Mr. Boyd be appointed to let and inspect immediately the repairing of the bridge on the 12th Con, over the Saugeen River.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyd, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the application of Andrew Stewart for the office of Collector be received, and that his remuneration be \$65, and that his securities offered be accepted.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Modeland, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the Clerk be authorized to purchase a copy of the new Municipal Act for the use of this Municipality.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Agnew, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the act of G.R. Middleton for ink and postage, amounting to seventy-six cents, be paid, and the Reeve issue an order for the same.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyd, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that the Reeve issue an order on the Treasurer to the amount of three dollars for statute labor paid into Treasury for lot No. 12, in the 4th Con. for the year 1876, of said lot to be expended in work in front of said lot.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Modeland, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the Reeve issue an order in favor of John Veit, Township Clerk, on the Treasurer for the sum of \$2 for his services as Commissioner on examining the By-Laws of this Municipality.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Fleming, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the Clerk, Reeve, and Assessor receive their pay for selecting jurors, as follows, viz: Clerk \$5, Assessor \$4, and Reeve \$4.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyd, seconded by Mr. Modeland, that this Council do now adjourn to meet again on the fourth Tuesday in October, at the Ontario House, Cedarville.—Carried.

JOHN VEIT, Clerk.
 25th Sep., 1877.

The Quebec Government will make extraordinary efforts to bring to justice the murderer of Sergeant Dore, of the Provincial Police, who was shot on Saturday near St. Joseph, county of Beauca.

Mr. J.K. McLean, P. L. S., of Mount Forest, has just returned from a successful season's survey in the Muskoka District. His operations lay principally in the township of Wood, where he found much land suitable for agricultural purposes. Already a large number of settlers have entered the township and commenced operations.

Mr. Kelly, late of Stayner, has bought 2-100 acres on both sides of the Red River situated near Dolome's, Lowe's, Mercer's and McCree's at \$2 per acre with outer hay claims, scrip for 1,430 acres at 50 cents per acre. Mr. Kelly's fine blood stallion and one or two horses being taken as part of the consideration. These properties are in some cases slightly improved by small fields and log houses, being mostly holdings of half-breeds under the Manitoba Act and sold by them as preparation for removal to the far west.

Proton Show.
 The Proton Agricultural Society held their eighth annual exhibition at the Village of Hopewille on Thursday, Sept. 27th. The day being fine a very large number of people were present. The entries were—horses 78, thoroughbred cattle 4, grade cattle 60, sheep 32, 100; fowls 16, grain 53; roots, etc., 100; fruit 13; dairy produce, etc., 40; domestic manufactures and ladies' work 75; implements, etc., 10—total 500. Some confusion was caused by people waiting till the last hour before getting their tickets, and for a time the Secretary was very busy, as most of the entries were made on the morning of the show. This caused a few errors. A fancy quilt belonging to Mrs Dingwall, and which would have been a credit to the Provincial show, was ruled out by the judges, because not properly classed. A pair of good heavy blankets belonging to Mrs. D. McMillan had the ticket either rubbed or taken off. A bag of early rose potatoes, belonging to J. Richardson, got the wrong number on, and so lost its chance of a prize. Nevertheless the show was a success, and a credit to the township, but these errors should cause the directors to be more careful in future. There was a deal of interest taken in exhibiting the horses, the principal exhibitors were W. J. Wilson, Geo Campbell and J. Campbell. In thorough bred cattle a big of the entries were made by Mr. Joshua Modeland, who deserves credit for his enterprise in introducing such fine animals into the township. In other cattle there were some very good milk cows. A fine pen of hogs was shown by Wm. McLearn, and a well-bred young boar, only four and a half months old, exhibited by Joseph McArdie, and a few good pigs by John Porter. The grain far exceeded any in the past, and showed great improvement in Proton this year. Fall wheat appears to be doing well here now. The display of roots was good, dairy produce was abundant, and domestic manufactures and ladies work would do credit to any township. The chief exhibitors in grain and roots were R. Black, J. Richardson, G. Campbell, W. Stewart, W. Plaster, R. Parslow, S. Kinnell, J. Ferris, J. McMurdo and T. Meagher. In ladies work several articles were brought to the show room for which no prizes were offered, as the prize list in this line was not so large as last year. The chief exhibitors were Mrs. J. Millener, Mrs. Dingwall and Miss McArthur. The following is the

PRIZE LIST.
HORSES.
 Entire horse, draft, Peter McGregor.
 Entire horse, roadster, Robt Campbell.
 Pair heavy team horses, 1st, G. Campbell; 2nd, J. Campbell; 1st, D. McArthur.
 Buggy horse, 1st, R. Hassard; 2nd, J. McArdie; 3rd, S. Gregson.
 Saddle horse, 1st, J. T. Wilson; 2nd, S. Kinnell; 3rd, D. McArthur.
 Brood mare, 1st, Thos. Meagher; 2nd, George Campbell; 3rd, Wm. Vogar.
 Two year old colt, 1st, J. Millenor; 2nd, R. Black; 3rd, W. McLearn.
 Two year old filly, 1st, P. Ryan; 3rd, W. Stewart.
 One year old colt, 1st, J. Batchelor; 2d, R. Black.
 One year old filly, 1st, A. Dingwall; 2nd, Geo. Weir; 3rd, P. Ryan.
 Colt foal, 1st, J. Deyell; 2nd, G. Campbell; 3rd, J. Campbell.
 Filly foal, 1st, P. McGregor; 2nd, T. Meagher.
 Best stud horse, A. H. Burnett.
THOROUGHBRED CATTLE.
 Bull, three years old and upwards, J. Modeland.
 Two year old bull, R. Black.
 Cow, Joshua Modeland.
 Heifer calf, J. Modeland.
GRADE CATTLE.
 Bull, aged, W. McLearn.
 Two year old bull, 1st, Sam. Edgerton; 2nd, James Ferris; 3rd, G. Campbell.
 One year old bull, 1st, Geo. Campbell; 2nd, J. G. Peer.
 Bull calf, 1st, R. Campbell; 2nd, T. Meagher; 3rd, A. Bryce.
 Cow, 1st, James Ferris; 2nd, T. Meagher; 3rd, R. Black.
 Two year old heifer, 1st, J. Hassett; 2nd, Andrew Dingwall; 3rd, S. Gregson.
 One year old heifer, 1st, D. McMillan; 2nd, J. Modeland; 3rd, J. Ferris.
 Heifer calf, 1st and 2nd, R. Black; 3rd, G. Weir.
 Working oxen, 1st, R. Black; 2nd, J. Campbell; 3rd, J. Ferris.
SHEEP.
 Aged ram, 1st, G. Campbell; 2nd, T. Meagher; 3rd, H. H. Mann.
 Shearing ram, 1st, R. Black; 2nd, Geo. Campbell; 3rd, S. Kinnell.
 Ram lamb, 1st, J. Modeland; 2nd, Geo. Campbell; 3rd, R. Black.
 Pair aged ewes, 1st, J. Hassett; 2nd, G. Campbell; 3rd, J. Modeland.
 Pair shearing ewes, 1st, G. Campbell; 2nd, S. Kinnell.
 Fat sheep, 1st, S. Gregson; 2nd, J. G. Peer; 3rd, A. Bryce.
 Pair ewe lambs, 1st, J. Modeland; 2nd, J. Hassett; 3rd, H. Hannam.
SWINE.
 Boar, aged, 1st, W. McLearn; 2nd, A. Bryce.
 Spring boar, 1st, John Porter; 2nd, J. McArdie; 3rd, J. Porter.
 Sow, aged, 1st, W. McLearn; 2nd, J. McArdie.
 Spring sow, 1st, J. Porter; 2nd, W. McLearn; 3rd, J. McArdie.
POULTRY.
 Pair fowl, named, 1st, J. G. Peer; 2nd, W. McLearn; 3rd, H. Hannam.
 Pair turkeys, 1st, W. Stewart; 2d, G. Weir; 3rd, J. Ferris; 2nd, A. McMurdo.
 Pair ducks, 1st, S. Kinnell; 2d, A. Gillies.
GRAIN.
 Fall wheat, 1st, J. Richardson; 2nd, R. Black; 3rd, T. Meagher.
 Spring wheat, red chaff, 1st, J. McMurdo; 2nd, Robt. Parslow; 3rd, G. Campbell.
 Spring wheat, any other kind, 1st, J. G. Wilson; 2nd, J. Richardson; 3rd, N. Boyd; 3rd, J. Richardson.
 Peas, 1st, W. Stewart; 2nd, R. Black; 3rd, J. Richardson.
 White oats, 1st, S. Gregson; 2nd, G. Weir; 3rd, J. Deyell.
 Black oats, 1st, J. G. Peer; 2nd, J. Abbott; 3rd, J. Richardson.
 Peck timothy seed, A. Dingwall.
ROOTS, ETC.
 Early rose potatoes, 1st, R. Black; 2nd,

J. Richardson; 3rd, G. Campbell.
 Any other kind potatoes, 1st, J. Millenor; 2nd, S. Kinnell; 3rd, J. Richardson.
 Swede turnips, 1st, A. Ferruson; 2nd, R. Parslow.
 Other turnips, 1st, G. Weir; 2nd, A. Dingwall.
 Blood beets, 1st, R. Campbell; 2nd, A. Dingwall.
 Yellow carrots, 1st, J. Hassett; 2nd, W. Stewart.
 White carrots, J. Hassett.
 Parsnips, Thos. Meagher.
 Cabbage, 1st, R. Black; 2nd, R. Ferris.
 Tomatoes, 1st, W. Plaster; 2nd, J. Millenor.
 Large onions, 1st, D. McMillan; 2nd, J. Campbell.
 Gal. potato onions, 1st, G. Campbell; 2nd, N. A. McDonald.
FRUIT.
 Large apples, 1st, J. Ferris; 2nd, J. A. Scarlett; 3rd, R. Campbell.
 Crab apples, 1st, Don. McDonald; 2nd, J. Ferris; 3rd, J. McArdie.
 Plums, 1st, J. Porter; 2nd, J. McDonald; 3rd, John Richardson.
DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES, LADIES WORK, ETC.
 Pair woollen blankets, 1st, S. Fleming; 2nd, D. McMillan.
 Full cloth, 1st, W. Stewart; 2nd, J. Millenor.
 Flannel, cotton and wool, 1st, A. Gillies; 2nd, A. Dingwall.
 Pair woollen mitts, 1st, Miss Isabela Dingwall; 2nd, Miss I. Dingwall.
 Pair woollen socks, 1st, Mrs. D. McKenzie; 2nd, Miss Gillies.
 Heavy patched quilt, 1st, Mrs. Dingwall; 2nd, Mrs. McGregor.
 Light fancy quilt, 1st, Miss Effie McArthur; 2nd, Mrs. J. Millenor.
 Mat, 1st, Mrs. J. Millenor; 2nd, Mrs. Dingwall.
 Men's shirt, hand made, 1st, Miss Effie McArthur; 2nd, Miss Stewart.
 Berlin wool work, 1st, Mrs. J. Millenor; 2nd, Mrs. Dingwall.
 Ornamental needle work, 1st, Mrs. Millenor; 2nd, Mrs. J. Ferris.
 Ornamental flowers, 1st, Mrs. Millenor; 2nd, Mrs. J. A. Scarlett.
 Crochet work, 1st, Miss McArthur; 2nd, Mrs. Millenor.
 Set whiffletrees and neckyoke, A. H. Burnett.
 Straw hat, Mrs. Dingwall recommended.
 Entries were made by G. Weir, D. McKenzie, Mrs. Gillies, for stocking yarn, recommended by the judges; also several pieces of tanning.
JUDGES.
 Horses and cattle—James Lauer, James Dunbar, Mount Forest.
 Sheep and pigs—Wm. Crawford, Egremont; Geo. Anderson, Glenelg, and J. Swanson, Egremont.
 Grain, roots, etc.—A. Webster, Priceville; John Stevenson, Dundalk, and S. Damude, Flesherton.
 Ladies work, etc.—Mrs. A. Webster, Priceville; Mrs. Irwin, Orchardville, and Mrs. Swanson, Egremont.

Artemesia Show.
 On Monday last the annual exhibition of the Artemesia Agricultural Society was held at Priceville. From an early hour in the forenoon vehicles of various descriptions might be seen going to the village on the various roads leading to it, and by noon a very large number of people had collected. The show of horses, cattle, sheep and pigs was held in a field on the face of the hill down near the river. Some very good horses were on the ground. The show of cattle was not so good as one would expect, we noticed an aged bull, a very fine animal. Quite a number of sheep were shown, but there is room for improvement in the quality. Among the pigs we noticed a very fine boar and sow.

THE INSIDE SHOW
 In the room down stairs were the roots, grain, vegetables, dairy produce, etc. The potatoes were the largest we have seen at any show, there being thirteen or fourteen entries. Seven tubs of butter and a number of baskets were on exhibition, all of good quality. About a dozen pumpkins and squashes of extraordinary dimensions were on exhibition. Onions were good, particularly 1st and 2nd prize ones. Grain was fairly represented, the peas were nice and clean, there being 4 bags. The 1st prize barley was of an excellent color, five entries. There was a good display of white and black oats. Fall and spring wheat was a nice sample. There was a good display of apples and crab apples and two plates of plums. In apples "Lady's blush" took the 1st prize. Pears were well represented. Beets, cabbage, and citrons were very large. Table carrots were rather inferior in quality. There were a number of entries of field carrots and turnips, but they were mostly small in size. Celery, corn, and parsnips were good. A well made set of harness was shown. On going up stairs we noticed a very fine organ. Mr. Wm. Doll, of Flesherton had a nice case of jewelry and a clock, on exhibition. In the way of curiosity was shown a very large cucumber grown inside a glass bottle. A very beautiful feather wreath, a number of handsome quilts, fancy knitting, knitted stockings, mitts, rat mats, home-made bread, two specimens of sampler work, home-made flannel, etc., were on exhibition in this room. The judges got through their labors about three o'clock, when the doors were opened and the crowd admitted.

It was quite evident that somebody was violating the law by selling intoxicating liquor, as several parties might be seen on the street who, while trying to walk in a straight course, appeared to be unable to do so. If the Inspector had been on hand, he would not have had much trouble in getting conviction, as intoxicating liquor was sold openly from one of the stands on the ground. Messrs. Hall Bro. did a rushing business for about two hours, auctioning off goods. Mr. McArthur was auctioning off goods too. We shall publish the prize list next week, to which we refer our readers for the names of the successful exhibitors.

YOUNG LADY DROWNED.—The St. Catharines Review says that on Wednesday a daughter of Mr. James Dill, Section Superintendent on the Welland Canal, was walking across the head gates of Lock 7, she tripped and fell into the lock, and before assistance could reach her was drowned. The deceased was between 17 and 18 years of age.

Osprey Show.
 On Tuesday last the annual exhibition of the Osprey Agricultural Society was held at the village of Maxwell. The show of cattle, sheep and pigs was inferior to what it should be from the progress of the township.
THE INSIDE SHOW
 was held in the Orange Hall, and after the judges were through with their labors the hall was thrown open to the public and was soon crowded with visitors. We noticed a beautiful plaid shawl made by Mr. Wm. Heron at his Woolen Factory, and which was equal to any manufactured in the Dominion. Mr. Heron also showed a pair of well made blankets, rolls of tweed, winsey, flannel, and some stocking yarn of all first quality. Several well made and handsome quilts were hung at the end of the hall, Mrs. Wm. Heron taking 1st prize. Several specimens of knitted fancy work and wool mats, knitted mitts, etc., completed the show in ladies work. The potatoes were very good. Mr. Spofford showed two very large pumpkins Mr. Kerton took 1st and 2nd prizes for onions, and beets and 1st for carrots. Mr. K. evidently understands raising vegetables. Citrons, corn, cabbage and tomatoes were all good. There were several baskets of butter. For a wonder no turnips were exhibited. The show of grain was fair. A very nice set of horse shoes were shown. The chief attraction of the show and which drew the attention and admiration of the large number of people present was the horsemanship of a number of young ladies. A purse was contributed and divided between Miss Modell, Miss Tompkins and Miss Burk—Miss Modell and Miss Tompkins getting equal money. A few individuals were the worse of liquor, being supplied we believe from the same source as those in Priceville were. The following, supplied to us by the gentlemanly secretary, Mr. Joseph Gaimy, is the

PRIZE LIST.
HORSES.
 Best general purpose team, J. G. Keating; 2nd, Joshua Traverser.
 Brood mare, 1st, Henry Spratt; 2nd, John Hudson.
 Two year old gelding or filly, 1st, Wm. Brewster; 2nd, John Moorehead.
 One year old gelding or filly, 1st, J. S. Hudson; 2nd, Hugh Lamont.
 Spring colt, 1st, Wm. Armour; 2nd, H. Spratt.
 Saddle horse, 1st, R. Y. Burk; 2nd, John Agnew.
 One year old roader, 1st, J. S. Hudson; 2nd, R. Y. Burk.
THOROUGHBRED CATTLE.
 Bull, Henry Hudson.
GRADE CATTLE.
 Bull, aged, Josiah Gaimy.
 Bull, one year old bull, Joseph McMorris; 2nd, R. Y. Burk.
 Cow, Wm. Guy; 2nd, Thomas Brownridge.
 One year old heifer, 1st, Thos. Brownridge; 2nd, Josiah Gaimy.
 Two year old heifer, 1st, Wm. Guy; 2nd, H. Spofford.
 Spring heifer, 1st, Josiah Gaimy; 2nd, J. S. Hudson.
SHEEP.
 Aged ram, Wm. Brewster, shearing ram, 1st, Joseph McMorris; 2nd, Wm. Brewster.
 Ram lamb, 1st, D. Hill; 2nd, Joseph McMorris.
 Pair aged ewes, 1st, Joseph McMorris; 2nd, David Hill.
 Shearing ewes, 1st and 2nd, D. Hill.
 Pair ewe lambs, 1st, J. McMorris; 2nd, D. Hill.
MIS.
 Aged boar, Wm. Brewster, spring boar, 1st, Joseph McMorris; 2nd, Wm. Brewster.
 Spring sow, 1st, Wm. Brewster; 2nd, J. McMorris.
GRAIN, ROOTS, ETC.
 Best bushel Glasgow wheat, 1st, James Any other kind of spring wheat, 1st, Philomom Wismer; 2nd, John Little.
 Barley, 1st, P. Wismer; 2nd, W. H. Colquhoun.
 Black oats, 1st, James Winters; 2nd, John Winters.
 White oats, 1st, P. Wismer; 2nd, John Inker.
 Peas, Mrs. W. M. Duckingham.
 Cup potatoes, 1st, Henry Hudson; 2nd, James Winters.
 Any other kind potatoes, 1st, John Little; 2nd, H. Hudson.
 Potato onions, 1st, R. Y. Burk; 2nd, John Kerton.
 Seed onions, 1st, John Kerton; 2nd, R. Y. Burk.
 Blood beets, 1st and 2nd, John Kerton.
 Cabbages, 1st, T. Brownridge; 2nd, H. Spofford.
 Apples, 1st, Thos. Brownridge; 2nd, James Winters.
 Collection of fruit, John Winters.
 Tomatoes, Wm. Brewster.
 Butter, 1st, P. Wismer; 2nd, John Buckingham.
LADIE'S WORK AND MANUFACTURES.
 Single cutter, 1st and 2nd, Wm. Guy.
 Five yards satin, Wm. Heron.
 Five yards flannel, Wm. Heron.
 Pair blankets, 1st, Wm. Heron; 2nd, John Hudson.
 Patch quilt, 1st, Mrs. Wm. Heron; 2nd, Mrs. Ed. Linley.
 Pair mitts, 1st, John Winters, 2nd, Mrs. J. S. Hudson.
 Berlin wool, Mrs. Wm. Philips; 2nd, Mrs. Wm. Heron.
 Fancy knitting, J. S. Hudson.
 Another great fire in Barrie, Saturday last—a store and four dwellings—loss \$40,000. Unluckily, Barrie.
 The Rev. Mr. McInnes, Presbyterian Minister, preached his farewell sermon to his congregation at Thornbury on Sabbath last.
 Mr. John Mahoney, of Mitchell, has received intelligence of the death of his son George, of Manitoba, by accident of his own hand. Six years ago deceased visited the Western Province, and soon after joined the mounted police force, which position he held until the time of his death by the unfortunate accident.

Dundalk Union Show.
 The first Exhibition of the Dundalk Union Agricultural Society, will be held in this village on Tuesday, October 16th. We expect to see one of the best exhibitions on that day that has been held in the County of Grey, as a large number of the residents of surrounding Townships have signified their intention of competing, and the Committee are busy making necessary arrangements. The show is open to any person in Proton, Osprey, Artemesia, and Melancthon, on subscribing One Dollar, up to the day previous to the Exhibition. Any person bringing any article of merit to the show, whether the same is mentioned in the prize list or not, will not doubt be recommended by the judges, and will receive a prize of as good value as the Directors, can award. For further particulars see large posters. We give the list of prizes offered:—
CLASS A.—HORSES.

Best Entire horse, any age...\$2 00 \$1 00
 Team heavy draft horses... 2 00 1 00
 Team carriage horses... 2 00 1 00
 Team general purpose... 2 00 1 00
 Hack in harness... 2 00 1 00
 Saddle horse... 2 00 1 00
 Two year old colt (gelding or filly)... 2 00 1 00
 One year old colt (gelding or filly)... 1 50 75
 Spring colt or filly... 1 50 75

CLASS B.—CATTLE.
 Best thorough bred bull... 1st. 2nd.
 Grade bull... 2 00 1 00
 Yoke oxen over 4 years old... 2 00 1 00
 Yoke steers under 4 years old... 1 50 1 00
 Milch cow that has had a calf this year... 2 00 1 00
 Two year old heifer... 1 00 50
 One year old heifer... 1 00 50
 Heifer calf... 1 00 50
 Bull calf... 1 00 50

CLASS C.—SHEEP.
 Best aged ram... \$2 00 \$1 00
 Shearing ram... 2 00 1 00
 Ram lamb... 2 00 1 00
 Pair ewes, that raised lambs in 1877... 2 00 1 00
 Pair shearing ewes... 2 00 1 00
 Pair ewe lambs... 1 50 75

CLASS D.—SWINE.
 Best boar over one year old... \$2 00 \$1 00
 Sow that has raised pigs in 1877... 2 00 1 00
 Pair spring pigs... 1 50 75

CLASS E.—POULTRY.
 Best pair of geese... \$0 75 \$0 50
 Pair turkeys... 75 50
 Pair of barn yard fowls... 75 50

CLASS F.—GRAIN.
 Best two bushels fall wheat... \$2 00 \$1 00
 Two bushels spring wheat... 2 00 1 00
 Two bushels white oats... 1 00 50
 Two bushels black oats... 1 00 50
 Two bushels of Peas... 1 00 50

CLASS G.—ROOTS.
 Best bushel potatoes... \$1 50 \$1 00
 Six Swede turnips... 50 25
 Six other kind turnips... 50 25
 Six beets... 50 25
 Six cabbage heads... 50 25
 Six ears corn... 50 25
 Six field carrots... 50 25
 Peck onions (potatoes)... 50 25
 Peck any other kind onions... 50 25
 Two pumpkins... 50 25

CLASS H.—FRUIT.
 Best twelve winter apples... \$0 50 \$0 25
 Twelve fall apples... 50 25
 Twelve pears... 50 25
 Twelve plums... 50 25
 Twelve crab apples... 50 25

CLASS I.—DAIRY PRODUCE.
 Best five lbs. butter put up in any shape... \$1 50 \$1 00 \$0 50
 Tub of butter not less than 50 lbs... 2 00 1 00 50
 Ten lbs home made cheese 10 lbs... 1 00 75 50
 Leaf bread... 75 50

CLASS J.—HOME MANUFACTURE.
 Best Full cloth 5 yds... \$1 00 \$0 50
 Satinet, 5 yards... 1 00 50
 Flannel, 5 yards... 75 50
 Patch work quilt... 75 50
 Knitted quilt... 75 50
 Fancy quilt... 75 50
 Home made fine shirt... 75 50
 Embroidery... 50 25
 Knitted lace... 50 25
 Antimacassar... 50 25
 Braiding work... 50 25
 Tatting work... 50 25
 Crochet work... 50 25
 Hair work... 50 25

CLASS K.—MANUFACTURES.
 Best lumber wagon... \$1 00
 Spring wagon... 1 00
 Buggy... 1 00
 Pair bob sleighs... 1 00
 Long sleigh... 1 00
 Cutter... 1 00
 Set whiffletrees and neck yoke... 75 50
 Set horse shoes... 75 50
 Set double harness... 1 00
 Set single harness... 1 00
 Pair men's fine boots... 1 00
 Pair men's coarse boots... 1 00

EXTRA.
 Best collection of potatoes, one gallon of each kind—\$1 each by James Deans, Esq., Hardware Merchant, Dundalk.
 Best collection of home plants, in bloom.—"THE DUNDALK GUIDE" for 1877.
 When Pillsoll, the English Parliamentary philanthropist, first brought forward his Bill for the protection of seamen he was laughed at as a combination of fool and fanatic. Nevertheless the Bill became law, and went into effect last year. Since then 104 vessels have been inspected, and 101 of them found to be unsafe even in still water. The world needs a few more fools and fanatics of the Pillsoll style.