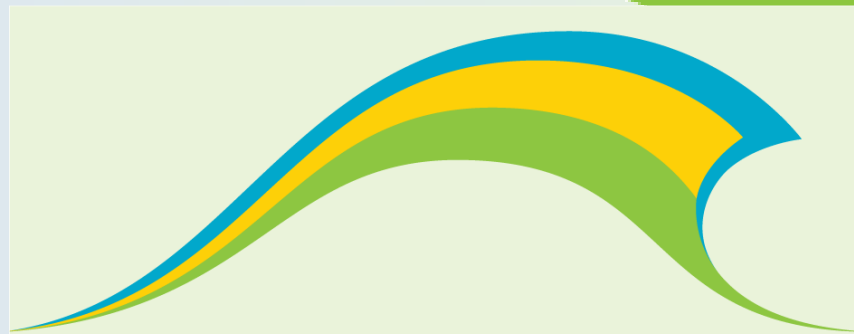




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**A History of the Sussex and Studholm
Agricultural Society, 1841-2011**

Sussex and Studholm Agricultural Society (SSAS)



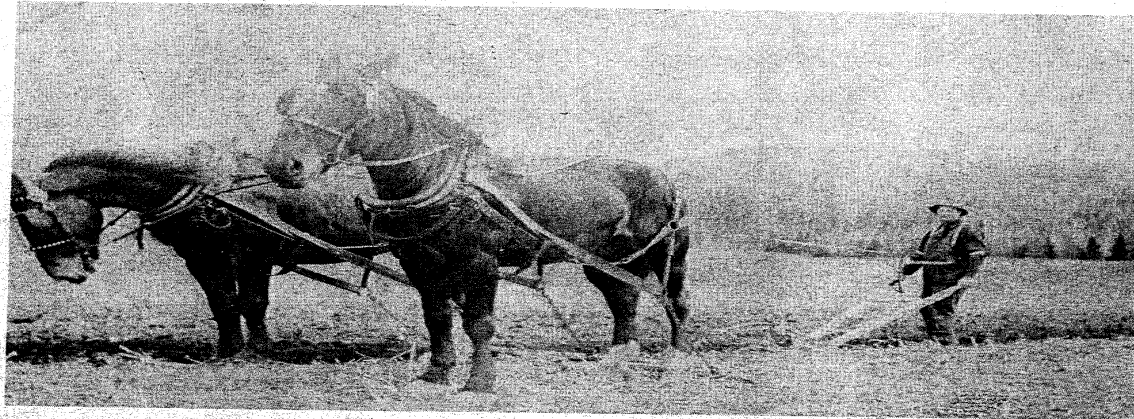
Thomson's History of the SSAS, 1982

AYRSHIRE
1843

LEICESTER
1845

YORKSHIRE
1890

SHORTHORN
1843



Plowing - Salt Springs (Photo courtesy of N.B. Photo Archives)

A HISTORY OF THE SUSSEX AND STUDHOLM AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

1841 - 1980

SUSSEX, N.-B.

BY JAMES M. THOMSON

JERSEY
1893

HOLSTEIN
1886

GUERNSEY
1907

HEREFORD
1843

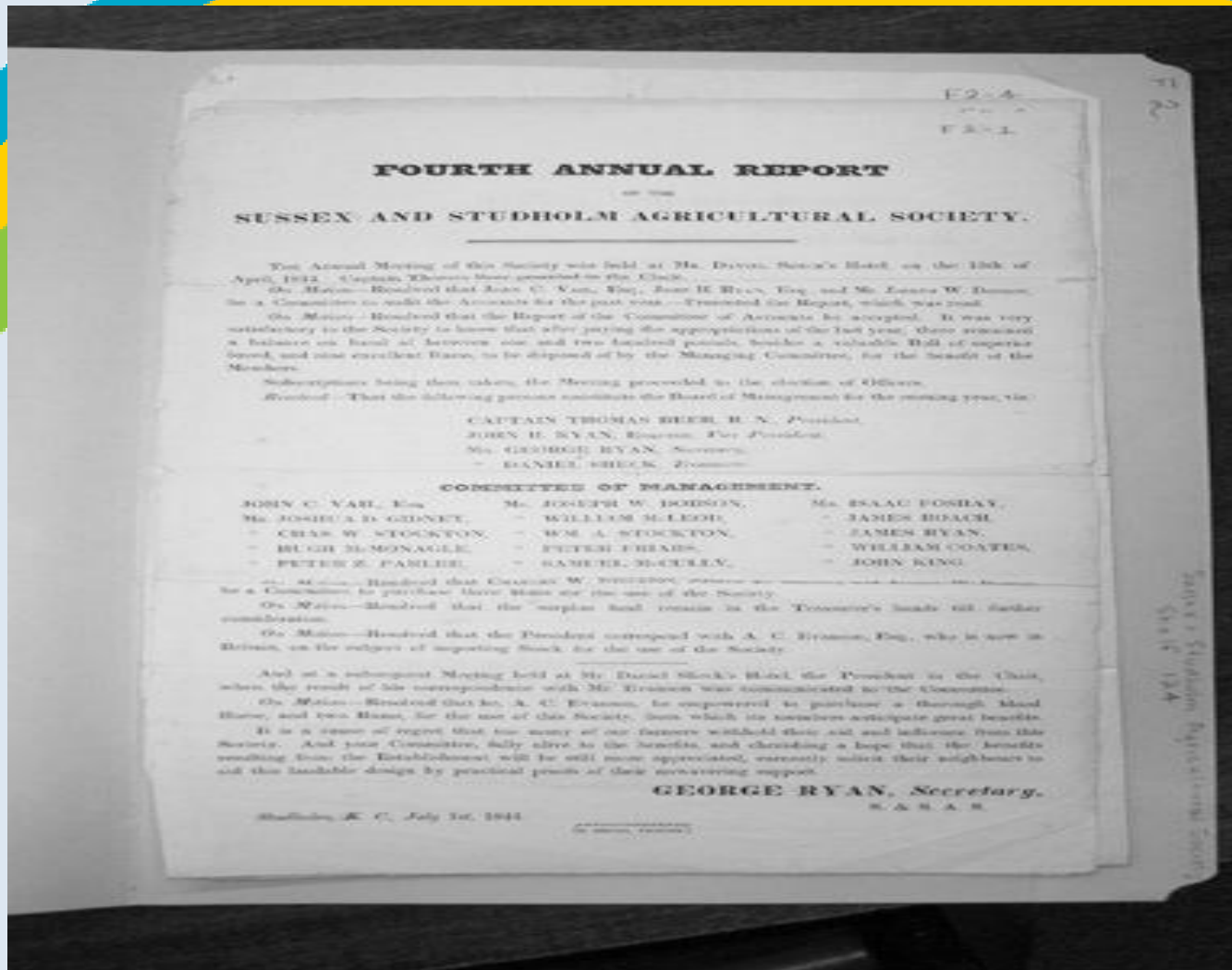
Timeline of Agricultural Reform

- Early to Mid-19th Century – ‘Improvement’ movement spearheaded by small agricultural societies
- Late 19th Century-1918 – State and larger associations of societies spearhead ‘improvement’ efforts.
- 1918-1960 – Both promote a large effort to modernize farming to a modern market economy
- 1960-Present – Readjustment to modernity.

Goals of Agricultural Improvement: A Farming Industry that was...

- Scientific
- Efficient
- Productive
- Ingrained in a capitalist market
- In a word, 'Modern.'

The Early SSAS



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Early Activity

ANNUAL SHOW

FOR THE EXHIBITION OF
**CATTLE, AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE, AND
DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES,**

will be held at or near the Railway Station, in Sussex, pursuant to resolution, on **TUESDAY, 15th October next**, under the direction of a committee appointed by the **SUSSEX AND STUDHOLM AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY**, when the following Premiums will be awarded, namely:—

CLASS 1st.—LIVE STOCK.

For the best cow or cows	£ 10	1st Best Bull, 3 years old	£ 10
Best pair of oxen for general purposes	£ 10	2d " " " "	£ 5
Best cow, 3 years old	£ 5	3d " " " "	£ 5
Best cow, 2 years old	£ 5	4th " " " "	£ 5
Best cow, 1 year old	£ 5	5th " " " "	£ 5
Best pair of oxen, 3 years old	£ 10	6th " " " "	£ 5
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Best pair of oxen, 1 nonasecond old	£ 10	29th " " " "	£ 5
Best pair of oxen, 1 decasecond old	£ 10	30th " " " "	£ 5

CLASS 2nd.—AGRICULTURAL AND DAIRY PRODUCTS.

For the best butter	£ 10	1st Best Cheese	£ 10
Best curd	£ 10	2d " " "	£ 5
Best whey	£ 10	3d " " "	£ 5
Best milk	£ 10	4th " " "	£ 5
Best cream	£ 10	5th " " "	£ 5
Best milk powder	£ 10	6th " " "	£ 5
Best milk solids	£ 10	7th " " "	£ 5
Best milk fat	£ 10	8th " " "	£ 5
Best milk sugar	£ 10	9th " " "	£ 5
Best milk protein	£ 10	10th " " "	£ 5
Best milk lactose	£ 10	11th " " "	£ 5
Best milk casein	£ 10	12th " " "	£ 5
Best milk phosphorus	£ 10	13th " " "	£ 5
Best milk calcium	£ 10	14th " " "	£ 5
Best milk potassium	£ 10	15th " " "	£ 5
Best milk sodium	£ 10	16th " " "	£ 5
Best milk magnesium	£ 10	17th " " "	£ 5
Best milk iron	£ 10	18th " " "	£ 5
Best milk zinc	£ 10	19th " " "	£ 5
Best milk copper	£ 10	20th " " "	£ 5
Best milk manganese	£ 10	21st " " "	£ 5
Best milk selenium	£ 10	22nd " " "	£ 5
Best milk iodine	£ 10	23rd " " "	£ 5
Best milk fluorine	£ 10	24th " " "	£ 5
Best milk chlorine	£ 10	25th " " "	£ 5
Best milk bromine	£ 10	26th " " "	£ 5
Best milk strontium	£ 10	27th " " "	£ 5
Best milk barium	£ 10	28th " " "	£ 5
Best milk calcium	£ 10	29th " " "	£ 5
Best milk magnesium	£ 10	30th " " "	£ 5

CLASS 3rd.—DOMESTIC MANUFACTURE.

For the best cloth	£ 10	1st Best Paper	£ 10
Best paper	£ 10	2d " " "	£ 5
Best ink	£ 10	3d " " "	£ 5
Best pen	£ 10	4th " " "	£ 5
Best pencil	£ 10	5th " " "	£ 5
Best rubber	£ 10	6th " " "	£ 5
Best eraser	£ 10	7th " " "	£ 5
Best sharpener	£ 10	8th " " "	£ 5
Best folder	£ 10	9th " " "	£ 5
Best stapler	£ 10	10th " " "	£ 5
Best hole punch	£ 10	11th " " "	£ 5
Best paper weight	£ 10	12th " " "	£ 5
Best desk set	£ 10	13th " " "	£ 5
Best chair	£ 10	14th " " "	£ 5
Best table	£ 10	15th " " "	£ 5
Best lamp	£ 10	16th " " "	£ 5
Best clock	£ 10	17th " " "	£ 5
Best watch	£ 10	18th " " "	£ 5
Best jewelry	£ 10	19th " " "	£ 5
Best clothing	£ 10	20th " " "	£ 5
Best footwear	£ 10	21st " " "	£ 5
Best accessories	£ 10	22nd " " "	£ 5
Best gifts	£ 10	23rd " " "	£ 5
Best toys	£ 10	24th " " "	£ 5
Best games	£ 10	25th " " "	£ 5
Best books	£ 10	26th " " "	£ 5
Best magazines	£ 10	27th " " "	£ 5
Best newspapers	£ 10	28th " " "	£ 5
Best journals	£ 10	29th " " "	£ 5
Best almanacs	£ 10	30th " " "	£ 5

GEORGE RYAN,
ROBERT McCULLY,
J. W. NOWLAN,
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T. OLIVER ARNOLD,
 Committee.

Stanhelm, K. C., 7th March, 1860.

SUSSEX AND STUDHOLM Agricultural Exhibition.

Sussex Station, on Thursday, October 16th, 1890.

At which the Directors offer the following Premiums for Competition in various branches of Agriculture:

CLASS 1.—Cattle.

For the best cow or cows	£ 10	1st Best Bull, 3 years old	£ 10
Best pair of oxen for general purposes	£ 10	2d " " "	£ 5
Best cow, 3 years old	£ 5	3d " " "	£ 5
Best cow, 2 years old	£ 5	4th " " "	£ 5
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Best pair of oxen, 1 decasecond old	£ 10	30th " " "	£ 5

CLASS 2.—Sheep.

For the best ram	£ 10	1st Best Ewe	£ 10
Best pair of ewes	£ 10	2d " " "	£ 5
Best pair of lambs	£ 10	3d " " "	£ 5
Best pair of lambs, 6 months old	£ 10	4th " " "	£ 5
Best pair of lambs, 3 months old	£ 10	5th " " "	£ 5
Best pair of lambs, 1 month old	£ 10	6th " " "	£ 5
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CLASS 3.—Horses.

For the best horse	£ 10	1st Best Mare	£ 10
Best pair of horses	£ 10	2d " " "	£ 5
Best pair of foals	£ 10	3d " " "	£ 5
Best pair of foals, 6 months old	£ 10	4th " " "	£ 5
Best pair of foals, 3 months old	£ 10	5th " " "	£ 5
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Best pair of foals, 1 decasecond old	£ 10	25th " " "	£ 5

CLASS 4.—Swine.

For the best boar	£ 10	1st Best Sow	£ 10
Best pair of sows	£ 10	2d " " "	£ 5
Best pair of piglets	£ 10	3d " " "	£ 5
Best pair of piglets, 6 months old	£ 10	4th " " "	£ 5
Best pair of piglets, 3 months old	£ 10	5th " " "	£ 5
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Best pair of piglets, 1 decasecond old	£ 10	25th " " "	£ 5

CLASS 5.—Poultry.

For the best cock	£ 10	1st Best Hen	£ 10
Best pair of chickens	£ 10	2d " " "	£ 5
Best pair of chicks	£ 10	3d " " "	£ 5
Best pair of chicks, 6 months old	£ 10	4th " " "	£ 5
Best pair of chicks, 3 months old	£ 10	5th " " "	£ 5
Best pair of chicks, 1 month old	£ 10	6th " " "	£ 5
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CLASS 6.—Agricultural Produce.

For the best wheat	£ 10	1st Best Barley	£ 10
Best pair of wheat	£ 10	2d " " "	£ 5
Best pair of barley	£ 10	3d " " "	£ 5
Best pair of oats	£ 10	4th " " "	£ 5
Best pair of rye	£ 10	5th " " "	£ 5
Best pair of corn	£ 10	6th " " "	£ 5
Best pair of peas	£ 10	7th " " "	£ 5
Best pair of beans	£ 10	8th " " "	£ 5
Best pair of lentils			

Crates and Foxes for Sale, Early 1900s



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Cattle Sales: Old and New



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Gilbert Island



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