

by the importers thereof to the country from whence such infested fruit was exported.

INSPECTION OF IMPORTED AND HOME-GROWN FRUIT.

7. All fruit, whether imported or grown in this Province, or exposed for sale, shall be subject to inspection under the authority of this Board, and if found to be infected with any injurious insect pest or the larva thereof, shall be quarantined or may be destroyed at the expense of the owner of said fruit by such method as the Board or its agents may direct.

STENCILLING AND LABELLING.

8. All persons shipping, sending, or delivering any fruit, fruit trees, scions, cuttings, or plants within the Province shall place upon or securely attach to each box, crate, or other package or parcel containing the same, a distinct stamp, mark, or label showing the name of the producer and shipper or sender, and the locality where grown, but boxes and barrels containing fruit shall be stencilled or stamped with letters not less than three-quarters of an inch in length.

TREATMENT OF NURSERY STOCK.

9. All infected nursery stock shall, before being distributed, be disinfected by dipping in a solution of one pound caustic soda (concentrated lye) and one pound whale-oil soap to every five imperial gallons of water, thoroughly dissolved, and applied at 103 deg. Fahrenheit in a vat or any suitable vessel, or the said nursery stock may be disinfected by covering with an air-tight tent or box, and for each and every 100 cubic feet of space therein one ounce of fused cyanide of potassium (58 per cent.) one fluid ounce of sulphuric acid, and two fluid ounces of water shall be used. The cyanide of potassium shall be placed in an earthenware vessel, the water poured over the said cyanide of potassium, afterwards adding sulphuric acid, and the tent or box to be immediately closed tightly and allowed to remain closed for not less than forty minutes. Treatment for disinfection shall continue until all insect pests or their larva are destroyed.

REMEDIES.

10. For the extirpation of the "woolly aphis" and other insect pests, the Board of Horticulture has adopted the following formula, which are found to be effectual in the States of California, Oregon, and Washington:—

SPRAY NO. 1.

(Winter Spray for Woolly Aphis and Scale Insects.)

INGREDIENTS.

Lime, unslacked.....	30 lbs.
Sulphur, powdered.....	20 "
Salt, coarse.....	15 "
Water.....	60 gals.

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