

elanchiers, viburnums, willows, elderberry, roses, dogwoods, loniceras, spruces, white cedar, yew, etc.

For the further embellishment of the farmstead, many of these and other trees and shrubs, offered by the Northern woods, have a special appropriateness. There are native types of plants for nearly all such purposes. For arbors, lattice-covering, etc., there are a number of fine plants,—Virginia creeper, bittersweet, honeysuckle, grape moonseed, two kinds of clematis, and a number of fine leguminous climbers. In the flower borders, a number of

William Vacant Lot Association, which has resulted from their unique triumphs, is sufficient evidence to assure the settler that it is possible for him to grow vegetables in wide assortment and of fine quality. The area which is moderated by the influence of the expansive Lake Superior seems remarkably well adapted for growing cool-season crops; table beets, turnips, and other root crops and potatoes are of exhibition quality.

The most difficult of his horticultural enterprises may be thought to be that of producing his own fruit.



"A SAMPLE PIECE OF WILD LAND"

perennials indigenous to the woodlands and fields deserve a place,—some of the asters and legume flowers being especially beautiful.

To the native material may be added quite an elastic range of exotic landscape trees, shrubs, and perennials which have been proven to be quite suited for planting. Many lilacs, caraganas, honeysuckles, spiraeas, barberries, etc., seem to be about as well suited here as anywhere.

The far-spread fame of the Port

Arthur Garden Club and of the Fort Until he raises a sufficiently varied and satisfactory assortment of fruits for his own table, the tendency is apt to be that he shall consider his sojourn in the region as temporary. But, he is surprised at the fruits obtainable with small trouble. Such ubiquitous staples as rhubarb and citrons grow in his neighbor's garden. From the near-by ravines, hill, coulees and river valley are gathered strawberries, raspberries, currants, gooseberries, blue-