

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

An act respecting the protection of plants from destructive insects and fungoid diseases.

(Assented to 19th February, 1914).

HIS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

" SECTION XX

"PROTECTION OF PLANTS FROM DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS AND FUNGOID DISEASES

"2041c. It is forbidden, except under the conditions hereinafter set forth, to import into the Province any plant or part of a plant attacked by destructive insects or the plant diseases herein below specified.

"2041d. Upon the production of a document stating his official capacity, the entomologist of the Department of Agriculture of the Province, or his assistant or representative, shall have the right to enter any nursery, orchard or other premises wherein there is reason to believe that there are plants of any kind.

"2041e. It is forbidden to resist, in any manner, the action of the entomologist, his assistant or representative, when acting in accordance with this section.

"2041f. No one shall keep in his possession, nor offer for sale, nor in any way give to anybody whomsoever, plants, parts of plants which may be infested by any of the destructive insects or plant diseases hereinafter specified.

"2041g. The owner or occupant of any lot of land or nursery where the existence of any of the insects or diseases hereinafter specified may be ascertained or suspected, shall forthwith inform the Minister thereof, and at the same time give all useful information respecting the spread of the pest.

"2041b. During or after an inspection of any nurseries, green houses or any lot of land, the entomologist, his assistant or representative shall give the necessary instructions for the treatment or destruction of any plant infested by destructive insects or plant diseases. All such instructions shall be carried out by the owners or occupants of the premises or lots aforesaid.

"2041i. When the entomologist, or his assistant or representative, ascertains the existence in a nursery of any one of the destructive insects or plant