

MR. HAY. I take a great interest in shrubs, and if I was going to grow this one I should grow it from seed. It may take about a year longer, but you get a better tree. I can recommend this Honeysuckle both for a hedge and as a shrub, as it is very beautiful when in bloom. I can also recommend the Caraganas. They grow readily from seed. I have tried the Hawthorn, even getting the seed from England, but it is never a success. Personally I do not care for the Snowberry, the flowers are poor. It is not so with the Caraganas which are one mass of blossom.

MR. GUNN. Have you tried the Five Finger ?

MR. BEDFORD. Yes, it is one of my favorites. We have done a good deal with it, and are now trying it in a hedge, but it is not high enough yet to know how it will do. Silver Berry we have also tried, but it suckers pretty badly.

PRESIDENT. This discussion is most interesting, but I think we will have to draw it to a close and call upon Mr. W. G. Fonseca for his paper on "Apple Growing in Winnipeg."



Apple Growing in Winnipeg.

BY W. G. FONSECA.



My experience in apple culture has been limited to three crabs, the Transcendant, Tetofsky and Hyslop, also the following standards: Wealthy, Duchess of Oldenburg and five Ironclads. The latter have proved unsatisfactory. Up to this time I know of no success with Russian apples. Of the crabs none have given grander results than the Transcendants, which promise to be very generally cultivated in Manitoba. Its economic value is a sufficient incentive to stimulate its culture on a large scale. At the present time this fruit is imported by the carload, for which a large amount of money annually goes out of the country.