

The secretary was requested to prepare from the Minutes of the Association, a list of the Fruits recommended for *general cultivation*, and of those recommended for further trial, and cause the same to be printed in the Canadian *Agriculturist* and other leading papers.

In obedience to this request the Secretary prepared the following:

LIST OF FRUITS RECOMMENDED BY THE
UPPPER CANADA FRUIT GROWERS'
ASSOCIATION.

APPLES

For General Cultivation.

Baldwin, south of the G. W. R. and Lake Ontario; Duchess of Oldenburg; Early Joe—as a dwarf for gardens; Early Harvest; Esopus Spitzenburg; Fameuse, or Snow-Apple—especially in the colder parts; Fall Pippin; Golden Sweet; Gravenstein; Golden Russet, as the best Russet; Hawthornden; Keswic Codlin; Northern Spy; Pomme Grise; Red Astracan; Rhode Island Greening, in the vicinity of the Lakes; Ribston Pippin; Roxbury Russet, for its long keeping qualities; Rambo, in suitable localities; St. Lawrence; Talman Sweet.

For further Trial.

Benoni; Belmont; Beauty of Kent; Colvert; Dominic; Fall Janetting; Jersey Sweet; Porter; Primate; Sweet Bough; Summer Rose; Swaar; Twenty Ounce Apple; Wagener; Westfield Seek-no-further.

PEARS

For General Cultivation.

Bartlett, south of the G. W. R. and Lake Ontario; Belle Lucrative, on quince stock; Flemish Beauty, on pear stock; Louise Bonne de Jersey, particularly on quince stock; Made line; Seckel; Tyson; White Doyenne.

For further Trial.

Beurre Giffard; Beurre d'Anjou; Duchess d'Angouleme; Osband's Summer.

CURRENTS

For General Cultivation.

Black English; Black Naples; Cherry; Red Dutch; Victoria; White Dutch; White Grape.

For further Trial.

Ogden's Black Grape; Prince Albert; Red Russian.

STRAWBERRIES.

For General Cultivation.

Burr's New Pine; Jenny Lind; Wilson, for market.

For further Trial.

Hooker; Monroe Scarlet; Trollope's Victoria; Triomphe de Gand.

RASPBERRIES

For General Cultivation.

Franconia; White Antwerp.

For further Trial.

Brinckle's Orange; Belle de Fontenay; Fattolff; Knevet's Giant.

GRAPES

For General Cultivation.

North of Lake Ontario and G. Trunk Railway; Clinton.

For further Trial.

Concord; Diana; Delaware; Hartford Prolific; Rebecca.

It was resolved that the association do hold its July meeting for 1862 at the town of St. Catharines, and its November meeting for 1862 at the city of Toronto, in consequence whereof the meetings for 1862 will be as follows:

On the 16th of July, at the Town of St. Catharines.

On the 12th of November, at the City of Toronto.

And it was also decided that at the next meeting in July, the association will discuss and determine the varieties of cherries, plums, and gooseberries best suited to our climate.

The association then proceeded to the discussion of grapes, as follows:

CONCORD GRAPE.

Mr. Bruce,—Had seen it only at Hamilton, promised to be one of our favorite grapes.

Mr. D. Murray,—Is one of the most hardy a fine berry and bunch, free from mildew, retains its berries, perfectly ripe on the 6th September for the last two years on open trellis, flavors superior to Isabella, is a strong free grower, ripens the wood well to the end of the shoots.

Mr. Laing,—Considered it one of the best is hardy, and earlier than the Isabella.

Mr. Arnold,—It is perfectly hardy with protection, do not find it a strong grower: great bearer, it ripens about a week before Isabella, very pulpy with strong musky flavor and odor.

Dr. Hurlburt,—It bears well, ripens earlier little earlier than the Isabella, perfect hardy, is grown by me on west side of building.

Mr. Brennan,—Is a valuable variety, good and hardy.

Mr. Holton,—The vine is quite hardy, a strong grower, think they did not ripen with me earlier than Isabella, but the vine was neglected.

Mr. A. Leslie,—Has not fruited it, vine hardy.

Mr. G. Leslie,—It ripens well in Toronto, hardy and productive.

Mr. Beadle,—It ripens a week or ten days earlier than the Isabella, is very hardy and set to be patient of abuse, neglected plants bear good crops and ripening well.