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FOR SALE AND WANTED

Advertisements in this department inserted at rate of two cents a word for each insertion, each figure, sign or single letter to count as one word, minimum cost, 25 cents, strictly cash in advance.

READ BEZZOS' Famous Prize Aster advertisement on page 125.

HARDWOOD ASHES—Best Fertilizer in use.—George Stevens, Peterborough, Ont.

WANTED—Persons to grow mushrooms for us in waste space in gardens, yards, sheds or cellars, \$15 to \$30 per week. Send for illustrated booklet and full particulars.—Montreal Supply Co'y, Montreal.

FARMS FOR SALE

FRUIT FARMS sold and exchanged. List with us for quick sale. See us if you are thinking of buying a fruit farm.—F. J. Watson & Co., 1275 Queen Street W., Toronto, Ont.

NIAGARA DISTRICT FRUIT FARMS.—Before buying, it will pay you to consult me. I make a specialty of fruit and grain farms.—Melvin Gayman St. Catharines.

H. W. DAWSON—Ninety Colborne St., Toronto.
A GOOD FARM—Hundred acres, County of Kent, brick house, two barns, cheap at thirty-five hundred.

NINETY ACRES COUNTY HALTON—Twenty miles from Toronto. House, bank barn, orchard, seven thousand five hundred.

UP TO DATE FARM—Hundred acres, County of Peel, Seven Thousand.

IF GOING TO ALBERTA, Saskatchewan or Manitoba I have farms both improved and unimproved. It will pay you to see me.

FRUIT, STOCK, GRAIN or Dairy Farms to suit you in Old Ontario. Consult me.

H. W. DAWSON, Ninety Colborne Street, phone Main 6990; nights or holidays, 272 Wright Avenue, phone Park 527.

SALMON ARM, Shuswap Lake, B.C. has the finest fruit and dairy land in B.C. No irrigation necessary mild winters, moderate summers, no blizzards, or high winds; delightful climate; enormous yields of fruit, vegetables and hay; good fishing; fine boating amidst the most beautiful scenery, and the Salmon Arm fruit has realized 25 cents per box more than other fruit in B.C. Prices of land moderate, and terms to suit. Apply to F. C. Haydock, Salmon Arm, B.C.

BRITISH COLUMBIA fruit growing. Send one dollar for two hundred page beautifully illustrated cloth bound book, entitled "Fruit Ranching in British Columbia," written by T. J. Bealby, a competent and well known authority on the subject. British Columbia Fruit, Molson's Bank Bldgs., Suite 1 Vancouver, B.C.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE to purchase a site for a home and fruit farm on good, suitable soil situated in the most favorable and dependable climate in Canada, get Louth-Clinton Peach Area free information and ground floor prices for properties in the coming locality for most profitable fruit growing. Don't miss present bargains—forty thousand mansion and farm for only thirty thousand, a fifty acres for ten thousand; others large and small. Enquire about them. State what you want. W. H. Brand, Jordan Station, Ont.

YOU CAN TALK to the members of 10,000 homes for a few cents by placing your advertisement in this column. If you have anything to sell, or want to sell or buy a fruit farm try it. It will pay you.

PREMIUM OFFERS

Show your friends this number. Get them to subscribe, and earn a valuable premium.

Leasing Orchards

Some idea of the extent of the operations of the company that is leasing orchards throughout Ontario and part of Quebec may be gained from the fact that already it has 14,000 trees, representing about 4,500 acres of orchard, under lease. Upwards of 1,000 acres of additional land is being purchased outright. Most of the orchards have been leased for periods of ten years. The majority of them are located in the counties of Prince Edward, Grey and Huron, although operations are being conducted in some eighteen counties all told. Interests have been secured also in two of the largest orchards in the province of Quebec. Mr. I. F. Metcalf, formerly the district representative of the Department of Agriculture at Collingwood, is in charge of the operations. The company has appointed representatives in the different districts. Mr. J. E. Anderson, of Melville, being its representative in the county of Prince Edward. Mr. Anderson has at work under his direction several parties of three or four men, each in charge of a foreman. These parties report, both to Mr. Anderson and to the head office in Toronto. They have charge of the pruning and spraying operations in the orchards as well as of all of the work required to maintain the orchards in a good thrifty condition.

Methods of Packing Compared

White & Co., Commission Merchants, Toronto, Ont.

It is difficult to make a comparison of the methods of packing Canadian and California fruits, as the existing conditions are very different.

Our Canadian fruit is intended mostly for immediate consumption, and the packages used are suitable for the purpose intended, they not being called upon to stand any long distance or delayed shipping.

A great improvement has taken place in the packing of Canadian fruits during the past year or two. Shippers have become aware that the public are willing to pay for a well packed package of fruit, so that aside from the moral aspect of the case, it is financially profitable.

With the California fruit a great deal more trouble has to be taken to ensure uniform and proper packages, and proper loading of cars, as the fruit is shipped from 5,000 to 8,000 miles. Nevertheless it invariably opens up at its destination in perfect condition. The shippers are exactly informed as to the carrying qualities of the different varieties, and they in turn inform the pickers as to the exact stage of ripeness at which the fruit must be taken from the trees. Furthermore, the cars are iced thoroughly in transit and kept in sound condition.

We are not noticing so much waste this season in California fruit as we have in previous years, owing to the fact that the United States Government has established pre-cooling stations at most of the large shipping points, i.e., they have a large refrigerator shed into which the cars are run after loading, and all the vegetable heat is extracted from the fruit inside each of the cars. The temperature is brought down to about 40 degrees, and the ice bunkers are filled. Cars prepared in this way do not require continual icing in transit. The result of this test is that such stations are being established as fast as the apparatus can be installed in the various sections.

While this system would be of no use to Ontario shippers using Ontario markets, it would be of vast benefit to them in shipping to the northwest or to the far east.

Speak Quick !

Your opportunity to secure one of the splendid premiums offered by The Canadian Horticulturist for the securing of new subscriptions, will soon be past. We can only hold this offer open a few weeks longer, as the planting season will soon be over. See some of your friends to-day. Secure a new subscription to The Canadian Horticulturist at 60 cents, which will entitle you to the choice of the following splendid premiums mailed to your address free of all cost.

One Climbing Rose

(Thousand Beauties).

This is the rose which Mr. W. G. MacKendrick of Toronto, the noted rose grower, places at the head of the list of climbing roses. It blooms profusely from the beginning of June to the last of July. The flowers are borne in clusters of from ten to fifteen blooms each, and show tints of bright rose, carmine, white and yellow, all in the same cluster. It is a strong rapid grower, free from mildew or disease of any kind, and is very hardy.

A number of subscribers who have secured one of these roses state that they are delighted with them. The plants are strong and vigorous, with exceptionally fine roots. They would cost much more than the price of a year's subscription to The Canadian Horticulturist were you to buy them. But you can secure one FREE by taking advantage of this offer. Nothing could be more beautiful than a well trained climbing rose. Be sure and get one.

To those who prefer seeds, we offer for each new subscription to The Canadian Horticulturist secured at 60 cts., the following choice collection of 14 packets of

Flower and Garden Seeds

- 1 pkt. Asters, Mixed
- 1 pkt. Mignonette, Sweet
- 1 pkt. Nasturtium, Dwarf
- 1 pkt. Petunia, Mixed
- 1 pkt. Phlox Drummondii, Mixed
- 1 pkt. Sweet Peas, Mixed
- 1 pkt. Stocks, Ten Weeks
- 1 pkt. Lettuce, Cr. Curled Silesian
- 1 pkt. Radish, Early Scarlet Turnip
- 1 pkt. Beet, Extra Early Blood
- 1 pkt. Carrot, Chantenay
- 1 pkt. Cucumber, Imp. Long Green
- 1 pkt. Onion, Danvers
- 1 pkt. Tomato, Early Ruby

Two new subscriptions will entitle you to both premiums. See some of your friends and tell them about the good things The Canadian Horticulturist contains on gardening and fruit growing. They will be glad to subscribe. Send the names to us with 60 cents for each new subscription and your premiums will be promptly sent you. Extra copies of The Canadian Horticulturist for samples free.

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