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### NOTES AND COMMENTS.

**ANNUAL MEETING.**—It is proposed to hold our Annual Meeting at Cobourg, the 18th, 19th and 20th of December.

**A FINE STRAWBERRY YIELD.**—Mr. Sollitt, of Orillia, picked three thousand six hundred and fifty boxes of strawberries off an acre of land, and netted \$200 for them.

**GRAPES AT LISTOWEL** are better than represented in our report of Perth County. Mr. A. J. Collins says: "The grape crop there is unusually good in this section. I expect to have grapes to sell besides supplying myself and making wine. I am very doubtful if the crop of plums will reach expectations as although the prospect was good a short time ago they are dropping fast now and rotting. The Green Mountain grape sent out by the society some years ago is fruiting with me this year for the first time and

shows some very nice bunches; the fruit is already showing signs of early ripening being quite soft to the touch."

**NEW FRUITS.**—We have just received (August 13th) from Wm. Fleming, Owen Sound, a package of fruit with the following note:

SIR,—I send you first a box of STRAWBERRY RASPBERRY. This fruit sells readily here to the trade at 10 cents a box. The Seldon House, Owen Sound, order ten boxes at that price for use to-day. I cannot supply the demand for them. Second, I send you some branches of JOCELYN GOOSEBERRY. I sold forty baskets of these to the trade this season at 75 cents each. I have had them five years, and they are free of mildew, and the plant is very productive.

The strawberry raspberry is a large, fine attractive berry. We have grown it two or three years at Maplehurst, but we do not think it would prove of great commercial value, because the quality is inferior.

The samples of Jocelyn gooseberry are