

GEO. L. MAXHAM, SECRETARY-TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE
QUEBEC HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

(Abstract.)

1887.	Dr.		
May.	To Cash in Union Savings Bank as per Pass Book.....	\$ 508 05	
	" Interest allowed by Bank.....	9 90	
	" Government Grant.....	250 00	
Sept.	" Cash received from Provincial Exhibition.....	250 00	
	" Interest to date.....	9 00	
	" Cash received from Provincial Exhibition (Labor Bill)	108 00	
	" Received as entry from J. Coupland (returned)	1 00	
	" From members' annual subscriptions.....	84 00	
			\$1,219 95
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Sept.	By Cash paid to Exhibitors for prizes.....	\$766 00	
	" Annual salary of Secretary and two assistants during Exhibition week	121 00	
	" Railway fare, board, &c, of two judges, two days and gratuity.	50 65	
	" Norris' bill for plates, lamps, dishes, &c	32 36	
	" Advertising, postage, &c.....	30 16	
	" Labor Bill—Wages of watchmen day and night, during Exhibition week	145 06	
	" Balance in <i>La Banque du Peuple</i> , to credit of next year.....	74 72	
			\$1,219 95
(Signed) W. A. HOME,		(Signed) GEO. L. MAXHAM,	
Auditor.		Sec'y-Treasurer.	
Quebec, December 1887.			

A letter on arboriculture from A. Dupuis, was read by the President, and on motion of the Rev. Octave Audet, seconded by J. M. LeMoine, it was resolved :
That this Society will view with favor any measure tending to the introduction of suitable fruit trees in this section of the Province of Quebec.

ABBOTSFORD FRUIT GROWERS' ASSOCIATION.

CHARLES GIBB, *President*.

GEORGE FISK, *Secretary-Treasurer*.

The tenth annual exhibition of this Society was held at Abbotsford on the 22nd September. A fine day brought a gathering of about 2500 people.

Pomology is studied as a science at Abbotsford. All new fruits of promise are obtained and grown. Of many of the new Russians each member has an assortment planted some years in orchard ; thus Abbotsford leads in her display of new varieties.

All fruit exhibited, except about 10 plates, was of Abbotsford growth. Of apples 413 plates were shown, including 44 plates of Hybrid crab apples. Of the

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