

REPORT OF THE JUDGES ON GARDENS.

MONTREAL, AUG. 12TH, 1882.

*To N. S. Whitney, Esq., President of the Montreal Horticultural Society
and Fruit Growers' Association for the Province of Quebec.*

SIR,

In compliance with the desire of your Directors, we have examined the gardens of the competitors for prizes offered by them, and herewith present our report. There were seven private and three commercial gardens entered for competition. All of the private gardens were remarkably clean and orderly, and bore evidence of skill and care in their management, the lawns especially were in splendid condition. To one garden, that of Andrew Allan, Esq., was adjudged the maximum number of points. The following is the order of the awards with the number of points adjudged to each, viz. :—

Private Gardens.

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| 1. | Jules Betrix, gardener to A. Allan, Esq., | - | - | 85 points. |
| 2. | Samuel Ward " A. Buntin, Esq., | - | - | 63 " |
| 3. | { Octave Dandurand, gardener to W. Notman, Esq., | 62 | " | |
| 4. | { " " Jesse Joseph, Esq., | 62 | " | |
| 5. | J. Robson, - " A. Mitchel, Esq., | 59 | " | |
| 6. | H. B. Drennan, - - - - - | 58 | " | |
| 7. | J. Landers, gardener to G. H. Ryland, Esq., | - | 57 | " |