

inspection would be made by the Government and urged all of the associations to be very careful as to the quality. He stated further that the Co-operative Association should be specially careful of their pack, as they were counting on establishing a reputation for their fruit which would sell the same for many years to come. Most of the associations had an exceptional opportunity to put out good fruit, as the packing was done by

one lot of men under the manager's supervision and in many cases put through the one packing house.

Those of the officers present were enthusiastic as to the future of the co-operative movement in Ontario. The outlook for the present year seems specially favorable. Indications for a good crop of fruit seem to be general. It was thought that if a high quality of fruit was packed there would

be very little trouble in shipping all of it at a fair price, not only to the growers but also to the consumer.—P. W. Hodgetts, Secretary.

I like THE CANADIAN HORTICULTURIST very much, and derive from its perusal many valuable hints, of great use in the different branches of gardening.—I. G. Walker, Nanaimo Co., B. C.

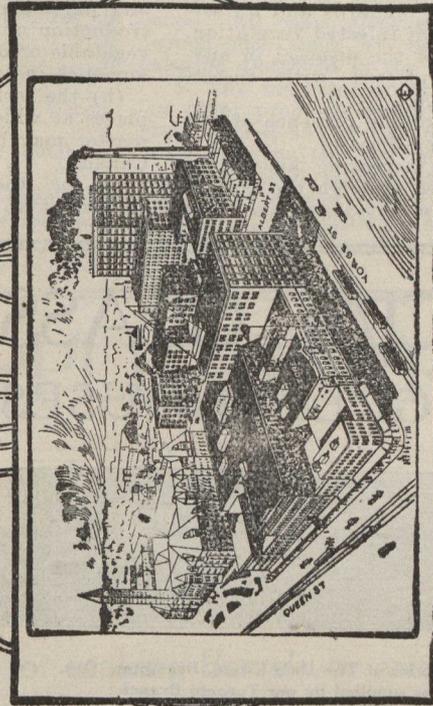
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