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### Annapolis Valley Notes

The season still continues cold, and is probably the latest on record, the leaf buds of apple trees just beginning to unfold by the twentieth of May. Readers of The Canadian Horticulturist will remember that in August, of 1912 the Nova Scotia Government by special orders in Council passed a regulation prohibiting the importation of nursery stock from countries known to be infested with San Jose Scale unless such stock bore a certificate from Government officials that the nursery from which it came was free from this scale.

Under this regulation, no stock from Ontario was admitted into this province in 1913. But the Nova Scotia market for apple trees is very profitable for our Ontario friends, and consequently their nurseries received in homely parlance "a lick and a promise," which was enough, however, to obtain the desired certificate from their provincial inspectors for the stock to be marketed in 1914.

When this stock began to come to Truro and Digby, the Nova Scotia ports of entry. this spring, it had to undergo a different kind of examination and was found to be pretty generally infected with fiving scale, and was, of course, rejected. The United Fruit Companies had taken large orders among their members, all of which had to be cancelled at the last moment. Because of this careful work, the Provincial Entomologist, Prof. W. H. Brittain, received a vote of thanks from the Executive of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association that met at Kentvile on May 5th, where the following resolution was passed:

Whereas, nursery stock coming from points in the United States and Canadi have been found to be infected with the San Jose Scale; and

Whereas, by prompt action and at great expense, this pest has been practically exterminated from Nova Scotia, after having been introduced on nursery stock from Ontario and the United States, and,

Whereas, the in oduction of the San Jose Scale into Nova Scotia would serious ly jeopardise the fruit growing industry of the province;

Therefore resolved, that the Executive of the Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association, here assembled, petition the Nova Scotia Government to refuse entrance to all stock found bearing Scale, whether from Ontario or from the United States

M.K.E.

Mr. M. B. Davis, B.S.A., was recently appointed Assistant in Pomology to the Dominion Horticulturist. Mr. Davis is a native of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia. He graduated from the Agricultural College, Truro, N.S., in 1910, and after two years at Macdonald College, P.Q., graduated from that institution in 1912, receiving his degree of B.S.A. He then went to Bridgetown, N.S., where he remained until December 1st, 1913. While at Bridgetown he was manager of the Sunnyside Farm and Orchards. In 1912 he was elected sceretary of the United Fruit Companies, and reof the United Fruit Companies, and re-elected in 1913, resigning that office to come to Ottawa.