

be careful to ask, not for the whole number of acres held, but for those only actually occupied within his division. For instance, his informant might own 2,000 acres of land in various parts of the Dominion, and yet only occupy 100 acres within the division; these alone would be entered in this schedule.

Column 7. The number of acres improved, means that portion of land on which some work of measurable importance has been done, such as, for instance, underbrushing or chopping trees, or breaking up marshes, meadows, pastures or plains.

Column 8 explains itself.

Column 9, refers to very valuable land in the Provinces of Quebec, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick, a great part of which has been redeemed from the sea by dikes.

Column 10 refers to gardens and orchards. Under this latter term is comprehended any plantation of fruit trees. In recording the land in this column no fractional parts of an acre are to be written, except $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, or $\frac{3}{4}$, whether the quantity is over or under one acre.

Columns 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26. These columns need no special explanation. In the French Districts of the Province of Quebec, where the *arpent* is used instead of the acre, and the *minot* instead of the bushel, the enumerator is simply required to enter the quantity given by the informant, the reduction will be made in the compiling.

Column 27. The recording likewise of the hay crop either by tons, or by bundles of 16lbs, is allowed, as it was on previous occasions of taking the census in the former Province of Canada. The quantities given will always indicate to the compiler the mode of reckoning; and the the reduction will be made in the Department. It is a matter of paramount importance, as well for economy of time as for securing accuracy, to avoid leaving any calculations to be made by the enumerators when it can possibly be avoided.

Columns 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, and 36, need no special remark.

SCHEDULE No. 5.

Live Stock, Animal Products, Home-Made Fabrics and Furs.

Columns 1 and 2, contain the same references to Schedule No. 1, as in previous schedules.

The remainder of this schedule is so clear and definite that there is no need of any special explanation for any of the 32 columns therein contained. Of all the information called for in a census,