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## The Board of Agriculture.

From the following official notice, which we take from the *Canada Gazette*, it will be seen that the members of the Board of Agriculture in Upper Canada whose term of service expired at the commencement of the year, have been re-elected by the county societies.

*Bureau of Agriculture and Statistics.*  
Quebec, 14th February, 1862.

The following gentlemen have been elected members of the Board of Agriculture in Upper and Lower Canada for the present year.

UPPER CANADA.—R. L. Denison, Esq., E. W. Tompkins, Esq., Hon. G. Alexander and Hon. J. Rattan.

LOWER CANADA.—Dr. J. C. Taché, B. Pomplun, Esq., O. E. Casgrain, Esq., Hon. P. A. Bouchard.

A. CAMPBELL,  
Acting Secretary.

## Fruit Growers' Association.

We have to thank the able Secretary of the Upper Canada Fruit Growers' Association, J. Beadle, Esq., of St. Catharines, for the interesting report of a recent meeting of the Association at Hamilton, which will be published in another portion of the Journal. We beg leave to request particular attention to the series of questions addressed by the Association to Horticultural and other societies and individuals, asking for informa-

tion in regard to the success attending the experiments made in the cultivation of the different varieties of fruit. Full and careful answers to these questions from all parts of the Province would be of great value and importance, not only to those who wish actually to engage more or less extensively in fruit culture themselves, but also to every one interested in the progress and amelioration of the Province.

## Address of Condolence to Her Majesty.

The following is a copy of an Address of Condolence to Her Majesty the Queen, on the occasion of the deeply lamented death of His late Royal Highness the Prince Consort, drawn up in accordance with the resolution passed at the Convention of the Agricultural Association held in this city on the 30th January last, and which has been transmitted to His Excellency the Governor General, to be forwarded to Her Majesty.

TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

We your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Agricultural Association of Upper Canada, desire to offer to Your Majesty the assurance of our devoted attachment to your throne and person, and of our deep and respectful sympathy with your Majesty in the great affliction which has befallen your Majesty and the British nation in the early and lamented death of His Royal Highness the Prince Consort. While we deplore in common with all our