# NORTHERN LIMIT OF WHLD GRAPE VINES-LAWSON. 109

Fredericton, as at the falls of the Nashwaaksis, and it is quite common on the intervales and islands of the St. John River above this place, but I have never made any special notes regarding its occurrence. I think it likely that Mr. Matthew may be able to tell you something more about it, especially in the southern counties.

I am, Sir, &c.,

### I. W. BAILEY.

# To the Editor of the Morning Chronicle:

Sir,—In regard to Professor Lawson's enquiry about localities where the wild grape vine is found on the Atlantic coast of this part of America, I would beg to state that I have studied the botany of Prince Edward Island carefully for years and have never seen anything of this plant here.

There is apt to be a great incorrectness in the reports of unskilled observers on plants. Some species of our wild brambles which have a climbing habit, as *Rubus occidentalis*, might be mistaken for *Vitis*.

#### Yours,

#### FRANCIS BAIN,

### North River, P. E. I.

The information so far obtained shows that the present most northerly points of the Wild Grape (Vitis cordifolia, or its near ally V. riparia) are the following :--

Annapolis Royal, Co. Annapolis. West River, Co. Pictou. St. John River, New Brunswick. Isle aux Coudres, St. Lawrence River.

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