

fruits for home use. This would prove abundantly satisfactory. Our markets were insufficiently supplied with

#### STRAWBERRIES.

At Amherst, in strawberry season, he could not buy enough to supply his own family.

When berries were sold at 6 to 7 cents a quart the consumption would increase enormously, and these prices paid the Ontario grower and would be found to pay here.

"The Wilson" still stood well to the front amongst the numerous varieties. "The Crescent" held its fruit more uniformly to the end. "Sharpless" was large and highly esteemed. "The Manchester" should be in every collection, as it ripened about 10 days later than the other sorts named.

Twenty thousand plants including twenty varieties had been planted at the Central Experimental Farm this season.

"The Jewel" had given samples four inches in circumference, a little irregular but a most desirable sort. "The Jumbo" had shown indications of being good. These were his impressions so far, but he should reserve the right to change his opinion should further experiments show that he was not correct.

#### RASPBERRIES.

"Shaffer" would be found hardy. "Cuthbert" good. PRESIDENT HART said he had found "Cuthbert" tender.

PROF. SAUNDERS said don't be discouraged by one failure, pinch back the wood that it may ripen better, then there will be no trouble

Several gentlemen here testified to the hardiness of the "Cuthbert," which they considered one of the best.

#### BLACK RASPBERRIES

were desirable. "Taylor" and "Souhegan" were probably the best sorts. "Gregg" had winter killed.

#### BLACKBERRIES.

Would recommend "Snyder" and "Kittatinny."

"Mammoth Cluster" and "Fay's Prolific" had revolutionized CURRANT growing.

Seemed to grow with great advantage. English sorts, such as in Prince Edward Island, grown in much smaller quantities, a good prospect. At the

they had planted cherries. Amongst them He did not think of varieties in this would be valuable.

In addition to and 100 varieties.

Experiments with a view to localities. This well as the results.

They should seedling varieties, trees, scions, or These, when with the postal authorities, Central Experimental Farm free.

T. H. PARKER SAUNDERS said those in which they had been tried burn. It would insects without need different varieties to say whether whether the insects diseased.