16: It shall be the duty of the Secretary to attend all meetings of the Board, and to procure records of the proceedings and correspondence, to collect books, pamphlets, periodicals, and other documents containing valuable information relating to horticulture, and to preserve the same; to collect statistics and other information showing the actual condition and progress of horticulture in this Province and elsewhere; to correspond with agricultural and horticultural societies, colleges and schools of agriculture and horticulture and other persons and bodies, as he may be directed by the Board; and prepare, as required by the Board, reports for publication; he shall also act as assistant to and obey the direction of the Inspector of fruit pests, under the direction of the Board, in the exercise of the duties of his office, and shall be paid for his services as said Secretary and Assistant Inspector a salary to be fixed by the Board, and his mileage actually paid out shall be allowed when acting as assistant to the Inspector of Fruit Pests.

11. The Board shall annually, in the month of January, report to the Minister of Agriculture a statement of its doings, with a copy of the Treasurer's account for the year preceding, and abstracts of the reports of the Inspector of Fruit Pests, and of the Secretary. The members of the Board shall receive as compensation for their services, their mileage actually paid out when attending the meetings of the Board, and shall be allowed a sum not exceeding five dollars a day for time actually employed, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

12. The Treasurer shall receive all monies belonging to the Board and pay out the same only for bills approved by it, and shall render annually a detailed account to the Board of all receipts and disbursements.

13. The said Board shall, when making its annual statement, report to the Minister of Agriculture what (if any) legislation is needed in aid of the horticultural and fruit growing interests of the Province.

14. For the purpose of preventing the spread of diseases among hops and hop plants, and for the treatment and extirpation of hop plant pests, the Provincial Board of Horticulture shall have the same power, perform like duties, and receive the same compensation as it does under similar circumstances in the Act creating the said Board in relation to fruit and fruit trees. CHAPTER 17.] An Act 1 HER MAJE Assembly

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