

REGULATIONS.

1. "Inspector" means a person appointed for carrying out the provisions of the Destructive Insect and Pest Act and regulations made thereunder.

2. No tree, plant or other vegetable matter infested with any of the insects, pests or diseases to which this Act applies, shall be imported into Canada except as hereinafter provided.

3. Nursery stock, including all trees, shrubs, plants, vines, grafts, scions, cuttings or buds which are not hereinafter exempted, entering Canada shall be imported only through the ports and during the periods respectively hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

Vancouver, B.C., from October 1 to May 1.

Niagara Falls, Ont., from October 1 to May 15.

Winnipeg, Man., North Portal, Sask., and St. John, N.B., from March 15 to May 15, and from October 7 to December 7.

Windsor, Ont., and St. Johns, P.Q., from March 15 to May 15, and from September 8 to December 7.

Truro, N.S., and Digby, N.S., for nursery stock destined to points in the Province of Nova Scotia only, from March 15 to May 15, and from October 7 to December 7.

At all points of entry the importations shall be fumigated in the fumigation houses provided for that purpose, and a certificate of fumigation will be issued, without which no stock may be taken out of bond.

All shipments of nursery stock destined to points in British Columbia, and subject to fumigation or inspection, which enter Canada through any of the above ports of entry other than Vancouver, shall be forwarded in bond to Vancouver for fumigation and inspection at that port.

All nursery stock originating in Japan or in any one of the states of Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, Massachusetts, Connecticut, and Rhode Island, six of the United States of America, shall, after fumigation, be subject to inspection as provided by section 6 of these regulations.

Provided, however, that the following vegetation and florists' stock shall be exempt from fumigation and may be imported at any season of the year through any port without inspection:—

- (a) Greenhouse-grown plants, including roses in foliage which have been grown in pots up to three inches in diameter but not larger. A certificate that the plants have been grown under glass must accompany the invoice and shall be signed by the consignor.
- (b) Herbaceous perennials (the stems of which die down in winter), such as perennial phlox, peonies, sunflowers, etc.
- (c) Herbaceous bedding plants (such as geraniums, verbenas, pansies, etc.)
- (d) Bulbs and tubers (such as hyacinths, lilies, narcissi and other true bulbs, and also tubers of dahlias, irises, etc.).
- (e) Cottonwood or necklace poplar (*Populus deltoides*, Marsh), when shipped from and grown in Dakota or Minnesota, two of the United States of America.

Nursery stock subject to fumigation or inspection shall not be included in cars, boxes, bales or other containers with plants that are exempt from fumigation or inspection but shall be shipped in separate containers.