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**The Holliday Company Ltd.**  
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HAMILTON CANADA

firm. A soft plum will not stay up in the market, and neither will the price. Fall apples may be picked when full size is reached without regard to color, or the color may be allowed to develop if desired, but the fruit must not be allowed to soften or drop if it is to be handled profitably.

Discard all bruised, stung, or mis-shapen plums and grade as No. 1 those of good color, and as No. 2 those inferior in coloring. Sort according to size so that every package is uniform throughout in size of plums which it contains. The same suggestions apply to apples, especial care being taken to discard those that are wormy, scabby, bruised or stung. Uniformity in color and size of fruit and size of package, combined with neatness and cleanliness of package, will add greatly to the market price of fruit.

**Eastern Annapolis Valley**

**Eunice Buchanan**

We now find that the apple crop of the Annapolis Valley is not as large as was at first expected; probably the United Fruit Companies will handle about seven hundred thousand, and a liberal estimate of the Valley yield would be eight hundred thousand packed out of nine hundred thousand barrels.

Golden Russets have a full crop, while Starks seem to be generally scarce. Where the fruit has been sprayed it is very clean, but spot has developed in unsprayed orchards and there is likely to be fifteen to twenty per cent of spotted fruit. At first it was thought that there were no aphids worth mentioning, but now the damage by these insects is noticeable.

Cherries have been plentiful, and plums promise to be good, this year the growers are thinning them. Currants were eight cents to eleven cents a quart. Strawberries and raspberries have been scarce owing to the effects of frost and gall-root on the latter. Blueberries have not been less than eight cents a quart. Tomatoes and other things are late.

The price of barrels is twenty-six cents to twenty-eight cents delivered with time until fall for payment. Some barrels have been sold for twenty-five cents cash.

Mr. George Saunders, entomologist of the Bridgetown Dominion Experimental Station, has succeeded with experiments which indicate great cheapening in the cost of arsenical sprays; these experiments will shortly be made public. Mr. Saunders finds that powdered arsenates have not the adhering qualities of the pastes.

Of course the thing uppermost in the minds of the farmers is the war, and its effect on the apple market and harvest. Several men are holding themselves in readiness to leave the Valley should the militia or volunteer regiments call upon them, some have already gone. However, the apple companies are hoping to send fruit to England and to receive fair prices, also they are sending men to open up new markets in western Canada, South America and Cuba. Much depends on the shipping rates and increased marine insurance.

**Items of Importance**

It is reported that the Dominion Government is arranging to conduct an energetic advertising campaign in the leading consuming centres of Canada with the object of aiding apple growers to market this year's crop to the best possible advantage. Canadian Trade Commissioners resident in the United Kingdom as the result of a special enquiry, report that so far there have been no indications that the requirements of the United Kingdom for canned fruit and vegetables will be greater

this year on account of the war than in ordinary years. It is not anticipated that the army and navy will purchase any considerable quantity of these goods.

According to investigations conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture it is estimated that the commercial apple crop of 1914 will be much larger than that of last year, but not so great by several million barrels as in 1912. A total production of 220,000,000 bushels is forecasted.

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