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Subject to mortgages \$19,290 12
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Equity carried to Assets \$15,388 00
Leases—
608 Orchard Leases, covering approximately 3,250 acres, containing 115,476 trees, valued on company's books at \$864,000.00, being the amount of Capital Stock issued therefor.
Realizable value of leases is entirely problematical

ASSETS
As per Inventory
Merchandise \$19,228 95
Supplies 7,250 05
..... \$26,479 00

Real Estate and Plant—as per Schedule—
Equity 15,388 00

Leases—
Stock issued therefor, \$864,000. Value problematical.
District Supplies—as per Schedule
In hands of Agents 8,456 25
National Fertilizers—as per Schedule.
Unpaid 5,680 10
Outstanding accounts \$2,116 37
Imperial Loan Co. 4,400 09
National Credit Clearing Co. ... 4,170 53
G. Millichamp 3,000 00

A. H. Patterson 20 00
Debiture of Agency Land & Security Co 135,602 72
Cash—in Bank, December 31st, 1912 1,076 52
Total \$200,389 29

Bulletins and Circulars

The seventh annual report of the Horticultural Societies of Ontario for the year 1912 and the eighth annual report of the Ontario Vegetable Growers' Association for the same year have been received by The Canadian Horticulturist. Both these publications are published by the Ontario Department of Agriculture, and give a good resume of the work carried on by these organizations during the past year.

Other publications received from the same Department include, Bulletin 211, on Fruits Recommended for Planting in Various Parts of Ontario; Bulletin, 210, Strawberry Culture and the Red Raspberry, by F. M. Clement, B.S.A.; Bulletin 212, An Orchard Survey of Dundas, Stormont and Glengarry Counties, by F. S. Reeves, B.S.A. This last should be of special interest to persons interested in horticulture in those counties.

The Horticulturist is also in receipt of the following bulletins and circulars: Circular No. 9 of the Utah Agricultural College, Pruning the Apple Orchard. This is an attractive bulletin and deals with pruning in all its phases. Bulletin 248, of the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, Spraying Machinery Accessories, treats the subject thoroughly. Bulletin No. 169 of the Vermont Agricultural Experiment Station, Cultural Studies on Montreal Market Muskmelon (an extract from this bulletin is published elsewhere in this issue). Bulletin No. 6, Ontario Department of

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