

BANKERS

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THE annual convention of the Canadian Horticultural Society opened in Hamilton on the 3rd inst., a large number of delegates from Ontario and other parts of the Dominion being present. Several papers were read on matters of interest to the society, and many enjoyable trips were taken to surrounding country.

THE Great Northern's new railroad into the Crow's Nest coal fields will be ready within the next week or two. The coal shipments to the United States will be handled by the Great Northern via Spokane, and from there distributed to main line points. The company will use large quantities of the Canadian product for its locomotives, and it is expected that immense shipments will be brought eastward, transferred to the Northern Pacific between the coast lines, and forwarded to the Butte smelters.

A SHERIFF's officer is in possession of the confectionery stock of C. V. Somerard, of Greenwood, and an auction sale will be held to dispose of it.—Another western man whose financial affairs are in such a condition that creditors have seen fit to instal a sheriff in charge of his business, is George Henry, tailor at Victoria.—W. J. Taylor, cutler, Brantford; Henry Plante, painter, Kincardine, and an Asphodel farmer, named T. L. Richardson, are amongst those who have made assignments recently.

A RICH find of iron ore is reported at a point about four miles from the new steel plant at Sault Ste. Marie. At the new find a shaft is being sunk to determine the value and extent of the deposit and already the indications are that the property will rival the famous Chapin mine at Iron Mountain in Michigan. Mining men who have inspected the find are said to be securing options on the property in the vicinity. The ore runs about 60 per cent. iron, and if as extensive as believed, the discovery means much for the future of the Soo.

THE Dominion fruit inspector at Winnipeg has seized a box of apples taken from the middle of a consignment shipped to Winnipeg by a firm in Galt, Ont. The apples were described by the shipper as "Fancy Canadian apples," but the specimens taken are very poor quality indeed. Twenty of them weigh only 28 ounces. The inspector has been instructed by the Government to prosecute the shipper in this instance and in every similar instance which comes under his notice. This apparently is the only way to get rid of a practice, which, if persisted in, will kill the Ontario fruit industry, so far as the North-West and Manitoba trade is concerned.

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