

province. Here is undoubtedly a field where a good deal of profitable work could be done.

Other facts could be given to illustrate the importance to agriculture of the work done by the Division of Botany, but the ones given serve to indicate its value. It seems to us to be unwise to restrict the work of this Division even under our present economic conditions - either by elimination of certain parts of the work they have been doing, or the general lessening of all undertakings. To interrupt or to discontinue partly completed investigational work is to lose largely the value of the work done. It may be that the salvation of agriculture from its present condition is to be brought about through scientific efforts such as are being carried on by the Division of Botany.