

Counting the expense of marketing and baskets at \$100, we have three hundred dollars as the net proceeds of three-quarters of an acre of ground in the fruit district of Grimsby. Can any growers in any other part of Ontario beat this?

Mr. Jonathan R. Pettit, for that is the gentleman's name, is the same person as is referred to on page 245. He states that he began harvesting his Cuthberts about the 10th of July, and now on the 10th of August he believes there could be several more crates got by carefully going over the vines, but he has given the gleanings to his pickers. Off one row, 260 feet long, he has gathered over 240 quarts, or nearly a quart of berries to every foot.

Of course there are exceptionally favorable circumstances to be mentioned in explanation of all this, as will be easily supposed when we state that we know of an acre and a quarter of the same kind of berries near by which only yielded about seven hundred quarts.

In the first place, and most important of all, the ground was right; even our fastidious friend Mr. Morden would have to acknowledge this. In this, no doubt, lies the chief explanation. It is a rich sandy loam, somewhat moist, even in the driest part of this dry season; ground that will never bake no matter when it is worked, or what the kind of season. On this ground the bushes grow to an enormous height, and the fruit attains an unusual size.

How much is due to his method of pruning is yet to be demonstrated. It is not in accord with the practice of most growers, but the many are not always in the right.

Constant cultivation is an important feature in his management. No weeds are ever allowed to dispute the ground with the raspberry canes, and these latter are always thoroughly thinned out, all superfluous ones being treated as weeds.

HOW TO MAKE THE MOST OF TEN ACRES OF LAND.

THIS was the subject of Mr. E. Morden's address before the Ontario Fruit Growers at their summer meeting at Niagara, and as Mr. Morden has himself proved what can be done with a small acreage, what he says is worthy of attention. The following are some of the points made:

The first requisite to success is the right man in the right place. By the right place I mean that he should be situated near a good supply of fertilizers, and near a good local market. I do not believe in wearing out my life in making express companies rich. I mean also that he should be near a good shipping point, so that he can send away his surplus, and he needs