

being appreciated and made use of by the large number of specialists in the United States.

His Excellency the Governor of Jamaica, Sir Henry A. Blake, and Lady Blake, have received so many promises of help from eminent Biologists in Britain and elsewhere that they are sanguine as to the feasibility and great value of such a station, which is to be international in its objects. The Hon. Adam Brown with his characteristic energy in patronizing and helping measures tending towards scientific advancement is corresponding with the leading students in Canada asking for their co-operation in forwarding this important project which has our fullest sympathy.

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#### BOOK NOTICES.

THE MONTH is the title of a neat little monthly magazine which has been sent to us by the editor, Rev. A. Dontenville, O.M.I., who is now living in New Westminster and is presiding over St. Louis College. The *Month* is an attractive little magazine, well printed and well edited, and we feel sure will be well patronized. Father Dontenville who was a frequent attendant at our botanical and entomological lectures when in Ottawa, is well known to many of our members; and we wish him every happiness and success in his new home and hope to see in the pages of the *Month* some papers upon the natural history subjects which he made so attractive to his students when teaching at the Ottawa University.

ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF ONTARIO.—Twenty-second annual report. The last annual report of this flourishing and useful society has just come to hand. It is one of the most valuable from the standpoint of the agriculturalist and fruit-grower which the society has ever issued.

The annual address of the president, the Rev. Dr. Bethune of Port Hope is full of useful information. Notice is first taken of the various injurious insects which have been most troublesome throughout the Province during the year and the best remedies are suggested for each in turn. The reports of the London sections and the Montreal branch show that the work is being pushed vigorously and that good results are being obtained. A subject which is being studied by the ornithological