Fruit Growers' Society of Western N. Y.

Failure of the Peach and Cherry.

The following question was announced—What has caused the present sickly appearance of the peach and cherry tree, and the loss of crop in consequence?

P. Barry—This is one of the most important topics at present. The cherry tree has become sickly and unhealthy, and the tree will die. The cause is two-fold—1st. The injury it has received during the past severe winter—2. The cold and wet of last spring. If the trees had been healthy before, they probably would have endured the past spring uninjured. The same theory was true in regard to the peach tree.—Two years ago many were much injured and almost killed. They partially recovered, and bore one or two good crops of fruit, but a majority of the wood was turned a dark mahogany color, indicating extreme injury, and the tree was not prepared to endure wet and cold. But cultivators should not be discouraged. Periodical disasters always do occur in all climates.—Oranges and pomegranates were cut off last winter in some of their most favored localities.

H. E. Hooker thought that the winter was not the whole cause. Young nursery trees were very much affected.

W. P. Townsend, of Lockport, had noticed that young trees were more affected than old ones. He thought the unusual warm weather in the winter and early spring produced a flow of sap at that time, which made the trees more sensitive to the cold afterwards.

E. W. Sylvester had the same opinion as P. Barry, in relation to the effect of the cold winter two years ago. This spring, on the 16th of May, was the coldest night of that time. Observing that his thermometer was sinking rapidly, he built 12 fires in his peach orchard; by the influence of these fires he kept the temperature from falling lower than 32 degrees. It fell in other places several degrees lower. Another orchard which was not thus protected, suffered much more from the curl of the leaf. The extreme cold of that night was a leading cause, he thinks, in producing the curl.

H. E. Hooker examined peach trees which were growing in a green-house under glass, and found them as much affected by the curl as those unprotected, showing that it was not the frost which was the cause.

C. L. Hoag had seen some orchards which were protected by woods, which were slightly affected. Another member had observed that peach trees, growing on the highest hills in Seneca county, were unaffected by the curl of the leaf.

The Curculio.

The Society took up the following question—Is there any better way of destroying curculios than by shaking on sheets and killing? G. Ellwanger said they always raised full crops of plums by this method. In the spring they spade the ground around the plumtrees, and beat it hard with the spade, and then every day they go around the trees and shake off the curculio and punctured fruit, and sweep them up or gather them on sheets. They always succeed in securing fine crops. He did not think it very expensive, as a couple of boys could attend to 200 trees in 3 or 4 hours per day.

H. E. Hooker said that he had seen bottles of sweetened water hung in trees—they caught flies, bugs, millers, &c., but not curculios. He had no doubt that crops could be raised by shaking the trees every day.

Summer Pruning of the Garpe.

J. Salter of Rochester, was engaged extensively in grape raising—his practice was very close summer pruning—raises fruit on the spurs, and training his vines all over his trellis—after the fruit has set, cutting off the vine three buds above, and keeping off all unnecessary growth of vines.

J. Crane of Lockport, had practiced summer pruning on the Isabella for fifteen or sixteen years, and had almost ruined his vines—he was fully convinced that the Isabella would not bear close summer pruning. It needs long vines to keep up the vigor of the root and vine.

R. B. Warren of Genesee Co., said that winter pruning increases the vigor of the vine, and summer pruning weakens it. As a general rule we did not prune enough.—He had grapes, kept till the 15th of last month, in a good state of preservation.

H. N. Langworthy said the only reliable way was the *renewal system*. All the other methods require close pruning, and then you must leave some long vines or you will weaken your plants.

Mr. Johnson of Naples, said the grape raisers in his vicinity had practiced summer pruning with great *disadvantage;* for a time they cut back to within two or three buds of the fruit—but did very badly. He pruned in spring with great success. They have all abandoned summer pruning by cutting off the main vine.

J. Crane had seen the bearing branch of a grapevine girdled below the fruit with great increase in the size and early ripening of the fruit, but on the whole he would not recommend it for general practice, as in time it would injure the vine.

H. A. Langworthy had often girdled peach limbs and could succeed in obtaining fruit on such limbs two or three weeks before their season, and much larger and finer. He had raised many bushels of such fruit.

J. Salter of Rochester, thought the buds below the "ring" on the vine would be worthless. His practice frequently was to tie a piece of bass matting around the vine under the fruit. This produced a good effect and did not injure the vine as much as girdling. The girdling method was generally disapproved of.

EATING HORSE FLESH.—A Hanover paper tells the world that the "silly prejudice against horse-flesh" has altogether vanished in Denmark and northern Germany, and that in the city of Hanover alone, in the course of Whitsun-week, about 2,000 pounds of horse-flesh were consumed. The number of horses slaughtered for eating in that city is between 200 and 300 a year.

Not parties, but principles. Let us be of no party but God's party, and use all other agencies as we use railroad cars—traveling upon one train as far as it will take us in the right direction, and then leaving it for another.

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H. C. TOMBES.
Ashtabula, April 24, 1857. 383

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GEO. C. HUBBARD.
Ashtabula, Oct. 29th, 1856. 58

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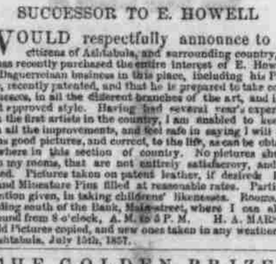

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Total receipts for 1856		646,366 27	
Paid losses by death during the year	$50,700 00		
	118,843 76		
	$169,543 76		
P'd canceled Policies	22,628 86		
Pd salaries, taxes, postage, exchange, &c.	23