

## AGRICULTURE.

17 shows that the number of fruit trees in bearing in Canada was 14,002,145 in 1911, as compared with 14,960,346 in 1901, whilst the number of non-bearing fruit trees increased from 6,240,893 in 1901 to 8,315,236 in 1911. The production of fruit trees in 1901 and 1911 is shown in Table 18 and the value of fruits and vegetables in Table 19. Of small fruits the production in 1900 and 1910 was as follows: Grapes 32,898,438 lb. in 1910, as compared with 24,302,634 lb. in 1900; strawberries 18,686,662 boxes in 1910; currants and gooseberries 3,830,609 quarts in 1910; all other small fruits 9,000,208 boxes in 1910. In 1900, 21,707,791 quarts included currants, gooseberries, strawberries and all other small fruits.

## 16.—Areas under Orchards and Gardens in Canada, 1891, 1901 and 1911.

| Classes.          | 1891.          | 1901.          | 1911.          | Per cent. of total. |               |               |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------|
|                   |                |                |                | 1891.               | 1901.         | 1911.         |
|                   | Acres.         | Acres.         | Acres.         | p.c.                | p.c.          | p.c.          |
| Orchards.....     | 381,371        | 356,106        | 403,596        | 82.10               | 74.45         | 63.37         |
| Vineyards.....    | 5,951          | 5,600          | 9,836          | 1.28                | 1.17          | 1.54          |
| Small fruits..... | 13,411         | <sup>1</sup>   | 17,495         | 2.88                | <sup>1</sup>  | 2.75          |
| Vegetables.....   | 63,729         | 116,517        | 206,011        | 13.74               | 24.38         | 32.34         |
| <b>Total.....</b> | <b>464,462</b> | <b>478,223</b> | <b>636,938</b> | <b>100.00</b>       | <b>100.00</b> | <b>100.00</b> |

## 17.—Bearing and Non-bearing Fruit Trees in Canada, 1901 and 1911.

| Kinds.             | Trees, bearing.   |                   | Trees, non-bearing. |                  |
|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------|
|                    | 1901.             | 1911.             | 1901.               | 1911.            |
|                    | No.               | No.               | No.                 | No.              |
| Apple.....         | 11,025,789        | 10,617,372        | 4,028,086           | 5,599,804        |
| Peach.....         | 819,985           | 839,288           | 481,790             | 1,056,359        |
| Pear.....          | 617,293           | 581,704           | 344,808             | 385,538          |
| Plum.....          | 1,452,269         | 1,075,130         | 963,426             | 637,220          |
| Cherry.....        | 903,140           | 741,992           | 385,228             | 495,082          |
| Other.....         | 141,870           | 146,659           | 37,555              | 141,233          |
| <b>Totals.....</b> | <b>14,960,346</b> | <b>14,002,145</b> | <b>6,240,893</b>    | <b>8,315,236</b> |

<sup>1</sup>Included with vegetables.