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PREFACE.

Having had many years practical experience as a grower of cranberries, and being familiar with the various difficulties which beset the path of those unskilled in their culture, I have been induced, at the instance of friends, to publish this book, containing the results of my experience, in the hope that it will serve as a guide to prevent others from falling into such pit-falls and errors as have many times in the past caused discouragement and failure.

While I do not profess to know all that there is to be known on this subject, I am fully convinced that a suggestion of a practical man will prove of some benefit to those who undertake cranberry growing without previous knowledge or experience. Nor do I think it will prove entirely without avail to some who may previously have tried cranberry culture.

Undoubtedly both labor and money may be saved by the acceptance of timely hints, thrown out for the benefit of those most deeply concerned ; for it is a certainty that, under proper conditions, and in those sections of the country best adapted to their culture, cranberries can be successfully raised, and with as profitable results as can be obtained from any pursuit in which the husbandman can engage.

In this belief, and with this end in view, I have en-

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deavored to set forth such information as I possess in as simple and lucid a form as possible, so that none can fail to understand the subject of which I treat, nor the descriptions which I give of the locations to be sought, and the proper methods to be applied, to make the culture of cranberries successful in the highest degree. And now, without further introduction, I refer the reader to the contents of the book for such information as they may require.

JAMES WEBB.

Cotuit, Mass., March 1, 1886.

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