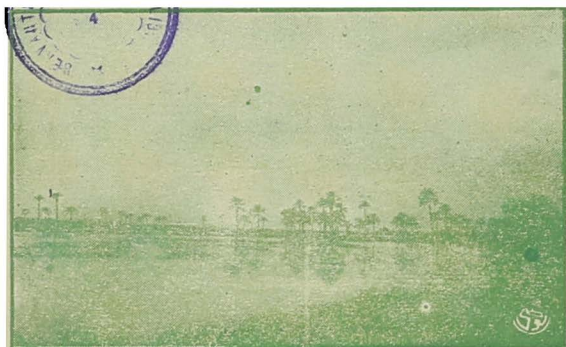


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INTRODUCTION

The Date is not only a delicious fruit, it is also a highly nutritive and energy producing food.

The object of this pamphlet is to present to the reader a series of reports by qualified sepcialists and institutions, giving the facts about the nutritive value of the Date in general, and Iraqi Dates in particular.

Iraq is the world's largest date producing and exporting country; it also produces the finest dates. This is only natural, as dates require, for proper ripening, warm days and cool nights, and Iraq has an ideal climate for that purpose. In no other part of the world does the date-palm flourish and yield a crop as obundant, rich and fine as in Iraq.

The Dates of Iraq are packed under the most modern hygienic conditions, and the latest methods of grading, processing, fumigating and packing are employed.