

allies. Our botanists are earnestly recommended to turn their attention to this part of our flora, which has been so long overlooked.

As may be seen by the subjoined list of plants, but few districts, comparatively, have been explored during the past season — small portions of Queens, Victoria, and Carleton, sections of St. John and Charlotte Counties, and portions of Albert and Westmorland. The discovery of so many species new to the Province will, no doubt, stimulate our botanists to turn their attention in the future to districts hitherto unexplored. Among the plants found this year are two which occupy comparatively limited areas in North America. These are *Montia fontana*, and *Potamogeton obtusifolius*, the latter of which is very rare. The former is rare in North and South America. Torrey and Gray's stations for it are Oregon, Sitka, and Labrador; Macoun's stations are Greenland, Alaska, Vancouver Island, Newfoundland, Gaspé, and Halifax.

Of *Ornithopus Scorpioides*, the weed found in a garden at St. Stephen, it may be said that this is probably its first appearance in America. *Mimulus moschatus* has been marked in the subjoined list as introduced, although by some botanists it is described as indigenous to North America.

The following plants, hitherto considered rare, are known to occur more frequently than previous lists would indicate: *Caulophyllum thalictroides*, Michx.; *Brasenia peltata*, Pursh.; *Nuphar advena*, Ait.; *N. pumilum*, Smith, (*N. luteum*, Sm., var. *pumilum*, Gray,) *Sanguinaria Canadensis*, L.; *Ranunculus Flammula*, L., var. *reptans*, Gray; *Sanicula Marilandica*, L.; *Spiraea tomentosa*, L.; *Penthorum sedoides*, L.; *Ludwigia palustris*, Ell.; *Anemone multifida*, D. C. (only along Upper St. John); *Geum album*, Gmelin; *Lobelia Dortmanna*, L.; *Limnanthemum lacunosum*, Griesb.; *Apocynum cannabinum*, L.; *Solidago bicolor*, L.; *S. thyrsoides*, E. Meyer; *Asclepias incarnata*, L.; *Asarum Canadense*, L.; *Polygonatum biflorum*, Ell.; *Streptopus amplexifolius*, DC.; *Viola canina*, L., var. *sylvestris*, Regel; *Lonicera caerulea*, L.; *Arethusa bulbosa*, L.; *Stellaria borealis*, Bigelow; *S. longifolia*, Muhl.; *Parnassia Caroliniana*, Michx.; *Habenaria obtusata*, Richardson; *H. blephariglottis*, Hook; *Goodyera re-*