

(22) Hemlock Lake, New Edinburgh, east of Ottawa, Ontario. Collected by H. M. Ami, 1881 :

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| 1. <i>Valvata tricarinata</i> .                        | 9. <i>Limnæa desidiosa</i> .                         |
| 2. <i>Amnicola porata</i> .                            | 10. <i>Mesodon albolabris</i> .                      |
| 3. <i>Physa heterostropha</i> .                        | 11. <i>Mesodon albolabris</i> var <i>dentifera</i> . |
| 4. <i>Planorbis campanulatus</i> .                     | 12. <i>Mesodon Sayi</i> .                            |
| 5. <i>Planorbis bicarinatus</i> .                      | 13. <i>Patula alternata</i> .                        |
| 6. <i>Planorbis parvus</i> .                           | 14. <i>Hyalina indentata</i> .                       |
| 7. <i>Limnæa galbana</i> , Binney. An extinct species. | 15. <i>Hyalima arborea</i> .                         |
| 8. <i>Limnæa stagnalis</i> .                           | 16. <i>Conulus fulvus</i> .                          |
|  | 17. <i>Pisidium abditum</i> .                        |

These shells are found imbedded in a soft white calcareo-argillaceous matrix which has been utilized in the manufacture of white brick in the Ottawa Valley.

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### THE LATE PROFESSOR GEORGES VILLE.

It is with sincere regret that we chronicle the death of Professor Georges Ville, which resulted from heart disease on the 22nd February last at his home in the Jardin des Plantes Paris.

Professor Ville's life-work was the study of problems in vegetable physiology as applied to agriculture, and the success that attended his scientific investigations—and his no less scientific and eminently practical teachings—have made his name to be honorably known and revered, not only in his native country but throughout the civilized world.

Agriculture, during the past quarter of a century, has advanced greatly ; it may now rank with the sciences. This has been due to such men as Ville—men naturally endowed with the qualities of observation and research and whose minds and methods have been trained by years of careful work under the guidance of scientific principles. Georges Ville was at once strictly scientific and truly practical, and it was for that reason