

Herein are described and illustrated a remarkably full list of novelties as well as standard varieties of vegetables, of which Mr. Gregory evidently makes a specialty. We commend his catalogue to the special notice of market gardeners and florists who want the newest introductions.

A. G. Hull's Descriptive Catalogue of Grape Vines and Small Fruit Plants, St. Catharines, Ont., 1887.

Certainly a very tidy pamphlet, and contains a list of the most approved and best tested varieties.

A. M. Smith's Catalogue and Price List of Fruit Trees, Grape Vines and Small Fruits, St. Catharines, Ont., 1887.

Mr. Smith is well known as a thoroughly reliable Nurseryman, and any one sending him an order will not be disappointed.

Steele Bros. Seed Annual, Toronto, 1887, Corner Front and Jarvis Streets.

An excellent Catalogue of eighty pages.

A. C. Nelles & Co.'s Descriptive Catalogue of Mohawk Valley Seeds. 1887. 64 Cortlandt St., New York City.

Joseph Harris Seed Co.'s Illustrated Catalogue. 1887. Moreton Farm, Rochester, N. Y.

Joseph Harris is well known everywhere through his "Walks and Talks" in the *American Agriculturist*. His catalogue of vegetable and flower seeds overflows with the most useful and practical information, and is a valuable handbook for that reason alone.

The Folding Sawing Machine Co. send us an illustrated Catalogue and Price List of their useful machine. Their Canadian factory is at Essex Centre, Ont.

The Waters Stock Farm send us Catalogue of thorough bred trotting horses, each with complete pedigree, and careful

description. The address is Genoa Junction, Wis.

CIRCULARS.

John B. Moore & Son, Concord, Mass., sends us a Circular concerning his new seedling black grape, the "Eaton," with a large cut of the same, showing a cluster measuring 4 x 8 inches. They claim that it is larger and earlier than its parent, the Concord.

Alex. Begg sends a Circular concerning a Canadian Exchange in London, Eng., which he is establishing. This will be of great service to Canadians visiting England, who will thus find a common centre to meet business friends and acquaintances, and for obtaining all needed information. Canadian office, Room 19, Corn Exchange, St. Sacramento Street, Montreal.

Humorous.

Two Students ring a hated professor's bell at midnight. He puts his head out of the window and wants to know what's up. "One of your windows is wide open." "Where?" exclaims the startled professor. "The one you are looking out of."—*Fliegende Blätter*.

A Swiss Law compels every newly-married couple to plant trees shortly after the ceremony of marriage. The pine and the weeping willow are prescribed, but the birch is allowed as being prospectively useful.

Mrs. Greene: "Timothy, what have you done with the letter that was lying on the bureau?" Timothy: "I put it into the letter-box, ma'm." Mrs. G.: "Oh! provoking! Didn't you see there was no address on the envelope?" Timothy: "Yes, ma'm; but I thought you didn't want nobody to know who you was writin' to."—*Life*.