

THE GARDENER'S MONTHLY for August. W. G. P. Brinkloe, 23 North Sixth Street, Philadelphia; and C. M. Saxton, 25 Park Row, New York.

This periodical has entered its fifth year, and has maintained throughout its career a steady progress and improvement. It is edited by Mr. Thos. Meehan, a well-known practical horticulturist. Its pages are always filled with matter of practical value to all owners of gardens, whether large or small. Terms \$1 50 per annum.

THE CANADIAN ILLUSTRATED NEWS, a weekly paper, published at Hamilton, C. W., at \$3.00 per annum.

We had some misgiving when this paper first started of its success. Knowing the difficulties and expense of commencing and sustaining the publication of a respectably illustrated sheet in a new country, we are most agreeably disappointed in finding the *Canadian Illustrated* not only continued but vastly improved, both in a literary and artistic point of view. The engravings on the whole are decidedly good; many of them would be creditable to similar publications in older and wealthier countries. We trust that the enterprising publishers will meet with a sufficient encouragement to preserve and improve. This they can only do by the aid of a large number of subscribers, who, we are informed, are steadily increasing. It is a most suitable paper for Canadians to send to their friends in Europe. The racy pen of its principal editor, Alexander Somerville, well known in Britain during the anti corn law controversy, as "one who had whistled at the plough," is distinctly tangible in most of its leading articles.

THE SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN, a weekly journal of Practical information in Art, Science, Mechanics, Chemistry and Manufactures, \$3.00 per annum, Meehan & Co, 37 Park Row, New York.

This old established paper continues to occupy the foremost rank on this continent as a popular and practical instructor in the application of the principles of science to the various arts and purposes of life. While it is indispensable to that numerous class who are commercially engaged in mechanical and man-

ufacturing pursuits, much will be found in pages suited to the taste and wants of farmers and in fact, to all that are actuated by the laudable desire of obtaining useful knowledge. The illustrations are numerous, many from correct drawings, and executed in the highest style of the art.

CALIFORNIA WINE, WOOL & STOCK JOURNAL

We have received the July number of this new monthly, which is got up in the best style; its external appearance is quite attractive and its internal contents not less so. Judging from this number, and the *California Farmer*, with which our table has been regularly furnished for some time, that extensive region once distinguished for its gold and afterwards for its flocks and herds, is now admirably suited to the culture of the grape and the manufacture of wine. In Agriculture also it is found to possess innumerable capabilities. We will again refer to these matters more at length.

AGRICULTURAL REPORT FOR THE PROVINCE

NOVA SCOTIA, Halifax, N. S., 1863.

We have been favoured with a copy of Mr. Forrester's interesting Report, but must defer any notice of its contents till our next.

THE PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION.—We wish to correct an omission which occurred in printing of the Prize List and Rules: Regulations for the Provincial Exhibition and which it is now too late to remedy in proper place. In the list of the Local Committee, on the second page of the pamphlet, names of Mr. Sheriff Corbett and Dr. Litchfield were inadvertently omitted. These gentlemen have both been members of the Local Committee from its formation, Dr. Litchfield being Corresponding Secretary.

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