

## \* Our Book Table. \*

WISCONSIN FARM INSTITUTE BULLETIN No 6 has come to hand from W. H. Morrison, the Superintendent. It is really a most creditable book. We know of no other State or Province where such a work is issued. In Wisconsin they hold from seventy-five to one hundred two-day institutes each winter, and at the close all the workers come together for a three days' conference, and a competent stenographer gives a *verbatim* report of this meeting. Bulletin No. 6, a volume of 256 pages, bound in cloth and carefully indexed is the result of this meeting. It contains a large number of interesting papers and discussions thereon on agricultural topics.

### CATALOGUES.

ELLWANGER & BARRY'S ILLUSTRATED GENERAL CATALOGUE of fruit, ornamental trees and roses, etc., is a creditable one of considerable value as a book of reference. The Mount Hope Nurseries, Rochester, are now in their fifty-third year, and have a world-wide reputation. The catalogue is highly illustrated, and the descriptions are trustworthy. A supplementary catalogue is added, calling attention to some special varieties of roses and other ornamentals offered for sale.

J. A. BRUCE, Seed Merchant, Hamilton, sends us his Forty-Second Annual Spring Catalogue for the year 1893, certainly a very useful pamphlet for every Canadian gardener. Mr. Bruce has long held a respectable position among our Canadian seed merchants.

SEED ANNUAL for 1893, D. M. Ferry & Co., Windsor, Ont. Illustrated, descriptive, indexed, 84 pages.

BOOK OF CANADIAN PLANTS for Canadian people, 1893. Roses a specialty. Indexed, descriptive and illustrated, 74 pages. Webster Bros., Hamilton.

A. M. SMITH'S ANNUAL CATALOGUE FOR 1893. Ornamental trees, plants and vines. Dominion Nurseries, St. Catharines.

NEW CANAAN NURSERIES, Conn., Stephen Hoyt's Sons. Fruit and ornamental trees. Specialty, Green Mountain Grape.

FRUITS. Lovett's guide to Fruit Culture. Spring 1893. J. T. Lovett Co., Little Silver, N. J. Contains two colored plates of novelties, and numerous illustrations. Formerly fruits and ornamentals were both included in the one catalogue, but now, with increasing stock varieties, they appear in separate catalogues.

SEEDS. J. A. Simmers' General Annual Catalogue of Garden, Field and Flower seeds. Toronto, Ont. 1893. 84 pages, highly illustrated, descriptive, with instructions for planting etc.

GENERAL CATALOGUE OF SEEDS AND FLOWERS. Vilmorin, Andrieux & Co. Paris, France.

SPRING CATALOGUE of seeds, bulbs and plants for 1893. The Steele, Briggs & Marcon Seed Co., 130 King St. East, Toronto.

Circular from E. M. Buechly, Greenville, Ohio. Introducing Downing's WINTER MAIDEN'S BLUSH apple, produced from seed of Fall Maiden's Blush, by Jason Downing, in spring of 1874. It is said to have the beauty of the well known Fall variety.

Also the GREENVILLE STRAWBERRY, an aspirant for the first place among strawberries. It has been tested several years at the Ohio Experiment station. The berries are described as large, of good size, plants very productive and free from rust, season medium to late, pistillate.

SPRAYING PUMPS. Notice to hand from W. E. Saunders, London, that he has a complete stock of the best spraying pumps, together with compounds needed for use against insects and fungi.

PRICE LIST OF SMALL FRUIT PLANTS, Spring 1893. John Little, Granton, Ont. Four new Strawberries, Shuster's Gem, Dayton, Saunders and Woolverton.

FOSTITE, a remedy for mildew of grapes, black rot, etc., a substitute for the Bordeaux mixture. Address C. H. Joosten, 3 Coenties Slip, New York, N. Y. A descriptive circular.

COLLED SPRING HUSTLER, a monthly paper of four pages devoted to the advantages of this new form of wire fence. Published by the Page Woven Wire Fence Co., Walkerville, Ont.