

St. Lambert Horticultural Society.

SIR,—A new Horticultural Society has just been started at St. Lambert, near Montreal, which is a thriving suburban village, and with many zealous amateur gardeners. It is to be called the "St. Lambert Horticultural Society," and its object will be to encourage, not only the cultivation of flowers, but also of fruits and vegetables, and to increase the planting of trees. The Hon. L. O. Taillon, Premier of the Province, has been invited to become the Hon. President, as St. Lambert is in the County of Chambly, of which he is member. And it is expected that the Society will speedily develop into a county one. The other officers are:—President, Rev. W. J. Dart, M.A., Rector; Vice-President, Mr. A. Cameron; Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. H. Bragg. Committee:—Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. G. Brown, Mrs. Grant, and Messrs. P. M. Wickham, P. Locke, J. Brown, and J. F. Raphael. An exhibition will be held in the fall, for which arrangements are now being made.

MR. H. BRAGG, Room 405½ Board of Trade, Montreal, *Secretary*.

Mulberries.

SIR,—Having read with much interest the latest report of the Fruit Growers' Association, I would like to know why mulberries have not been considered sufficiently important for discussion. Men who are travelling through the country selling trees have been booming mulberries. What is wrong with them that the leading fruit men will not even mention them? They certainly have their faults, yet they are delightful in many respects.

M. C. BROWN, *Dunboyne, Ont.*

Question Budget.

Replies to these questions are solicited from our readers.

SIR,—Could you, or some of the readers of the HORTICULTURIST, who have grown the Stark apple, give their experience as to the hardness of the tree, bearing and keeping qualities, etc.?

A. C. PARKS, *Hay Bay, Ont.*

✧ Our Book Table. ✧

Sketches of Wonderland. Tourist book of Northern Pacific R. R. The wonderful attractions of Yellowstone Park, the Great National Park of the United States, are well described. . . . Wholesale price list of Florists' stock. Wm. Bacon, Orillia, Ont.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT of the Entomological Society of Ontario. 1894.

FOURTH BIENNIAL REPORT of the State Board of Horticulture of the State of California, 1893-'94.