



NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Gas Consumers—P. Peables. Recorder's Court—J. O. Vesina. Mr. Jones' Pupils—Notice. Music Hall—Com. Fees and Troupe. Popular Reading—A. G. Burns. American Infocast—R. S. M. Bouche. Cook and Housemaid wanted—See advt. Insolvent Act of 1864—Wm. Walker. Canadian Medical Association—A. G. Bullen. Out-Gibb, Laird & Co. Coal Oil—For Printing—Etienné Parent. Government Warehouse—Tenders wanted. Intercolonial Railway—Tenders wanted. Wine bottles—M. G. Mountain. Coal Oil—M. Hart. Flowers—Mr. Melville.

Provisions—A. J. Maxham & Co. Parks & Sons, Auctioneers.

Quebec Mercury.

TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 17, 1869.

By Telegraph this Afternoon.

New York, Aug. 17. The Tribune's Washington special says: It is not improbable that the next exhibit of the public debt will show a light increase. The inquiry in the cause of the death of Colonel Nagle resulted in a verdict of temporary insanity. The French cable did a rushing business yesterday. A despatch was received on Saturday from Bombay, India, in eight minutes.

Father Point, Aug. 17. Weather clear and warm; light south wind. One inward-bound vessel in sight. River du Loup, Aug. 17. Weather clear; light easterly wind. Four inward vessels this morning.

By Telegraph this Evening.

London, Aug. 17—Evening. Consols for money, 92 1/2; account, 93. Bonds, 8 3/4 for issue of 1862; 8 3/4 for 1865 old; 8 1/4 for new. Illinois Central, 95. Erie, 19 1/2. Liverpool, Aug. 17—Evening. Yarns and fabrics at Manchester firmer at better prices. Corn, 31s. Receipts of wheat for the last three days 40,000 quarters, of which 22,500 were American. Lard firm at 77s.

New York, Aug. 17. Gold 133 1/2. Cotton nominal at 33 1/2. Flour market 1c to 1 1/2c lower. Receipts 13,900 barrels; sales 6,400 barrels.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES.

FROM OTTAWA TO-DAY.

Ottawa, Aug. 17. To the Mercury: Hon. Messrs. Howe and McDougall left yesterday with a large party, for Thunder Bay. Mr. Howe intends making a tour of the Red River, and will be gone about two months. Mr. McDougall returns in two or three weeks, and it is presumed will go out to Red River in October next as Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. Moylan, having completed arrangements with the Government for his emigration mission to Ireland, left to-day for Toronto. It is expected he will leave by the end of next month for Ireland to take up his residence in Dublin.

FROM MONTREAL TO-DAY.

Montreal, Aug. 17. To the Mercury: At a meeting of the laymen of the Church of England, yesterday evening, a committee was appointed to prepare an address to be presented to Bishop Oxenden on his arrival. There were two more incendiary fires last night. A man named Williams was arrested on suspicion of being the incendiary. The Daily News of this morning publishes an extra about containing an exhaustive report of the progress and present condition of the gold fields of Nova Scotia, by A. Hetherington, of that Province.

FROM HALIFAX TO-DAY.

Halifax, Aug. 17. To the Mercury: The Governor General arrived from Prince Edward Island, via Pictou, yesterday afternoon. He was received at the depot by the Mayor and an immense concourse of people. An address was presented by the Mayor, signed by over two thousand persons, including the Roman Catholic Archbishop, the Chief Justice, the Judges of the Supreme Court, and all the principal influential men in the city. Three regiments of volunteers turned out to form a guard of honor, and the city was draped with flags. The reception was very enthusiastic. The Governor and his lady were much pleased.

The Governor will open the Annapolis and Windsor Railroad on Wednesday, and return the same night. On Thursday night he will be entertained at a banquet at the Halifax Hotel.

The reply to the address of the citizens by the Governor was very much admired.

QUEBEC MEDICAL SOCIETY.—There will be a meeting of this society to-morrow evening at the Medical Faculty of Laval University for the purpose of naming delegates to the Canadian Medical Association and for other important business.

CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.—The annual meeting of the association will take place at the Music Hall, Mechanics' Institute, Church street, Toronto, on the 8th September. The medical profession of Toronto has decided to give the delegates an excursion trip to the Niagara Falls and a dinner at the Clifton House. It is proposed to hold a ball upon returning from the Falls, but nothing has yet been determined on this subject.

THE DEATH PENALTY.—The sentence of Poitras, who is now awaiting the execution of the death penalty passed upon him a short time ago, at Saguenay, for the murder of Ouellet, has been reprieved until the 20th of September. A petition numerously signed by the people residing in the district where the trial took place, asking the sentence to be commuted to imprisonment for life, has been presented to Sir John Young; and it is said the reprieve is granted to give his Excellency an opportunity of ascertaining further particulars about Poitras' case. We have received from the Secretary of State a printed copy of the evidence in this trial, which seems to establish a clear case of deliberate murder.

PRINCE ARTHUR'S VISIT.

A grand review and farewell banquet took place at Woolwich on the 1st, on the occasion of his Royal Highness Prince Arthur leaving the garrison. The review took place on Woolwich Common. The Duke of Cambridge, in proposing the toast of the evening, "The health of our distinguished guest, Prince Arthur," said the pleasure they felt at entertaining his gallant young friend, gunner Prince Arthur, was associated in some degree with a feeling of regret at the consciousness that they were about to part with him. It was felt that it would be to the advantage of the young Prince that he should gain experience in every branch of the service, so as to obtain a thorough insight into all the requirements of the army. Prince Arthur, in reply, said: "I beg to tender you my most sincere and hearty thanks for the very kind manner in which you have drunk my health. I regard such a reception as one of the highest honors that could fall to a soldier. It has given me great pleasure to be associated with the Royal Artillery at Woolwich. From the time I was a very young boy it was my earliest and earnest wish, my highest ambition, to become a Woolwich cadet; that hope has been fulfilled, and I have had the honor and pleasure of serving in both Ordnance corps—the Royal Engineers and Royal Artillery; and I am now bound to Canada to join another corps. My stay at this garrison will ever be associated in my mind with the most agreeable and pleasing reminiscences.

The following is a despatch from Earl Granville to the Governor General, respecting the Prince's visit, copies of which have been transmitted to the respective Lieut. Governors:—

The Secretary of State to the Governor General:—

DOWNING STREET, 15 July, 1869.

SIR,—I have received the Queen's command to acquaint you that Her Majesty has arranged that His Royal Highness Prince Arthur shall visit the Dominion of Canada in the course of the approaching autumn.

You will be informed on a future occasion of the precise time fixed for the Prince's departure. He will proceed by way of Halifax to Quebec and Montreal; where His Royal Highness will be quartered with the Rifle Brigade.

Prince Arthur will pass the winter in Canada, where I do not doubt he will receive a hearty welcome from Her Majesty's subjects, and will most probably return with his regiment to England in the month of June next year.

His Royal Highness will be accompanied by Colonel Elphinstone, R. E., Governor of the Royal Highness, and one equey. Colonel Elphinstone has received full instructions from the Queen as to Her Majesty's wishes with respect to the manner of receiving His Royal Highness in the Dominion. I have, &c.

(Signed,) GRANVILLE. Governor General, the Right Hon. Sir John Young G. C. B. G. C. M. E.

The St. John Telegraph states that Lieutenant-Governor Wilmot has received a despatch to the effect that Prince Arthur will arrive at Halifax in one of the Iowan steamers about the 21st inst. After remaining in the Nova Scotia capital a few days the Prince will proceed to Charlottetown, to which place two or three days will be given. From Charlottetown the Prince will go to St. John; thence he will go to Fredericton, and to Quebec by way of the St. John River.

A hundred reasons are given for Prince Arthur's coming. He is to be King of Canada, &c., &c. Every thing is said but the plain fact, which is—Prince Arthur is destined to take high rank in the Army, but he cannot properly be promoted until he has seen foreign service, consequently he is sent to Canada to perform that duty.

There was a meeting of the Privy Council at Ottawa, on Saturday, at which, we understand, stringent rules were adopted for the management of the Receiver General's and Finance Departments. If these rules are carried out, it will be impossible in future for any party to carry on the Heffenstein policy.

The Hon. Mr. Macdougall left Ottawa yesterday for the Northwest.

The Board of Arbitrators take the boat at Collingwood, on Wednesday, for Sault Ste. Marie.

It is probable that Sir John A. Macdonald, and, perhaps, the Hon. Mr. Rose, may leave the Dominion capital in the course of this week, the former for Portland to meet Lady Macdonald, and the latter for Montreal.

It was thought that the establishment of Post Office Savings Banks would withdraw a portion of the deposits in the Banks of the country; but the return of the latter to the 30th June last shows \$36,632,432 of deposits, against \$30,167,534 at the same date last year. Can any one explain this difference?

The London Globe has an article in support of the Government system of telegraphy thinking that under the secrecy of communications can be better guarded than under any private management. It makes an important suggestion, that telegraph clerks should be moved about, at intervals, from station to station, like military officers, in order to counteract any local influences which may lead them to make improper use of what they may learn. But this would require that the clerks should be young men, without families; and the plan might not answer for a great many clerks, who, being heavy men, would not be inclined to fold up their tents like the Arabs and migrate.

The New York Tribune is offended because the Imperial Government very properly refused to permit the Fenian Hagarty to set as Consul at Glasgow. The Tribune thinks that the people of Glasgow would suffer terribly if another consul were not appointed, because "they export a large quantity of iron to the United States."

In London they have an association which gives prizes for the best specimens of "window gardening"—that is for plants raised by members of the working classes in pots, and under the difficulties imposed by having no land to raise them in. The Earl of Shaftsbury distributes the prizes. A beneficent and beautiful project.

The Honorable Secretary of State left town this afternoon on his return to Ottawa.

Dr. Landry writes to the Montreal Gazette to correct a statement made, respecting the insufficiency of the Beauport Lunatic Asylum to receive the lunatics now confined in the Montreal Jail. The learned gentleman states that there is yet room in the Asylum for 163 male and 132 female patients.

There exists at Berlin an establishment for the education of young men devoid of means. A youth, aged 16, named Denshauser, the son of poor parents residing at Schouenberg, has just been admitted under singular circumstances. He was sent from school as a stupid scholar, but having poetic tastes he employed his leisure time in developing them. His works have been chosen out of those sent by 130 applicants, and a prize awarded to him. They consist of a tragedy called "The Triumvirate," and a comedy entitled "Life on the Alps."

MILITARY.—Four companies of the 69th Regiment paraded this morning on the Esplanade, under the command of Colonel Bagot. They went through the battalion and skirmishing drill.

VOLUNTEER MILITIA.—The 9th Battalion, under command of Colonel E. Panet, will be encamped at St. Michel on the 25th instant. The Colonel and the Adjutant, Captain T. Roy, left town to-day to inspect the ground and make the necessary arrangements.

DEATH OF A CENTENARIAN.—Mr. Pierre Plante died on the 6th instant at his residence, Crane Island, aged 120 years. The centenarian bore well his great age; up to a few days before his death he was in the enjoyment of all his faculties. At the age of 110, he still worked constantly and threshed grain with a flail. A fall that he had two years ago accelerated his death. The deceased lived and died a bachelor.

By permission of Colonel Bagot and officers, the Band of the 69th Regiment, under the direction of Mr. Lamont, will play in the Governor's Garden from 7 to 9 p.m., on Wednesday, the following programme:—

Quadrille.....Gorilla.....Marricot. Overture.....Le Barbier de Séville.....Rossini. Clarionet Solo.....3rd air Varié.....Klose. Waltz.....Dream of the Ocean.....Gungl. Selection.....Polka (Cornet Solo).....Lamont. Galop of the Period.....Lamont.

SUDDEN DEATH.—An old man named Pierre Bedard, laborer, died suddenly at his residence No. 56 St. Gabriel street, at noon to-day. Coroner Panet holds an inquest to-morrow.

MOVEMENTS OF TROOPS.—The St. John Telegraph says:—The report in the Halifax papers that the 78th Highlanders now in that city were to be removed at once to St. John was founded on an order from head quarters to that effect. The men of that garrison were hurriedly got into readiness for embarkation and would doubtless have been on their way here now, but for an order countermanding the movement yesterday morning.

That there is a necessity for defensive or protective measures at this point, there can be no doubt, from the fact that orders from head quarters at Fredericton, requiring the volunteer forces here and elsewhere in the Province to hold themselves in readiness for immediate service, were promulgated yesterday. Commanders at their respective head quarters, as well as those of country companies, are to be ready for concerted action at central points, and all must be prepared for concentration at any given place.

CUSTOM HOUSE RECEIPTS.—The receipts at the Custom House to-day were \$3,856.81.

POLICE COURT TO-DAY.—A case of assault and battery between two belligerent parties in St. Peter street was dismissed. A similar case in St. John suburbs also met the same fate.

RECORDER'S COURT TO-DAY.—(Present, His Honor the Recorder.)—Narcisse Ploas, drunk; fined \$2 and costs of 6 days. Oliver Russell, Eliza Rowden, drunk; \$1 and costs of 2 days each. Mary Mulligan, Alfred Guillot, drunk; \$2 and costs of 15 days each. Patrick O'Brien, assaulting the police; \$4 and costs of 15 days. John Ryan, Patk. Flanagan, leaving horses alone, were fined 5 cents and costs. Taxes: 43 executions were issued for \$875.46.

TRIALS OF A COUNTRY CLEVERMAN.—A young man thus feelingly describes his bachelor experience in the first village in which he settled after entering the ministry: "Old ladies gave me tracts, and tormented me in every possible way. One gave me trout lozenges because a fly got down my throat in church; another sent me her late husband's goshaws to wear when I went out on wet evenings (the late husband's feet were about 15 inches long). A third sent a strange kind of India rubber bag, which she said could be applied wherever a chill was felt. Not till my sister came to stay with me did I know that hot water ought to be put in; the creature before using it; I had thought it a sort of mat to lay over my feet, and very useless of its kind. A Miss Thompson was the most disagreeable of the old maids. She actually one day ran her fingers underneath my collar, to see if I were flannel. During the year I was at Littlebeck I had 13 pairs of slippers, 25 sermon cases and three smoking caps worked for me. One young lady embroidered my initials on a handkerchief in slimy-looking black thread. My sister says it was done in hair; and perhaps that accounts for Miss Rudge being so doubly offended when I said I thought Lester's red marking cotton was good as any other. Three young ladies declared that I had trifled with their affections; two, on the contrary, affirmed that they had rejected me; while the village schoolmistress assured the rector that I had tried to press her hand. I certainly never had such hard work as while at Littlebeck. I had played at least three hundred games of croquet, went to an archery meeting every week, and at any spare moment I was liable to be sent for by Miss Anna Phelps to practice an Italian duet. I bore my trials with Christian fortitude, till one morning my conduct disgraced my profession. I took the hint, and at the end of one year and three months my career at Littlebeck was over. The young ladies cried when I went; they said I was "such a darling. Now I ask my impartial reader whether it was not hard that I should be blamed for the ladies of Littlebeck? My life is blighted, and all that is left to me is thirteen pairs of slippers, twenty-five sermon cases, three smoking caps, one handkerchief marked "T. G." and a bad character from my late employer."

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

A LETTER TO THE HONORABLE JOHN ROSE, ON THE SUBJECT OF BANKING AND CURRENCY, by the Hon. D. L. Macpherson, Senator.

This well digested and seasonable criticism of the late measure of the Finance Minister is not calculated to pour oil on the troubled waters. The Senator puts the case of the bankers well and forcibly, but fails to convince the reader that some greater meed of protection is not due to depositors and noteholders. With certain modifications of the relative proportions between currency and security, the Hon. Mr. Rose's measure will yet become popular and pass into law.

LONDON SOCIETY; an Illustrated Magazine.—Quebec: Middleton & Dawson.

The August number of this popular periodical contains three further chapters of Whyte-Melville's stirring romance, "M. or N.," and a very full table of interesting papers and spirited illustrations. "Sketches in the House of Commons" is a lively description of the present leaders of that august body. The "Piccadilly Papers" are continued in two interesting essays. "Summer Days among the White Mountains" is very readable, and will prove attractive to American tourists. Of the other papers, that on "Afternoons in the Park," is the most graphic.

THE AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST, for the Farm, Garden and Household.—New York: Orange Judd & Co.

The August number of this handsome and well filled magazine is replete with matter about farming in all its branches. The picture "Jolly Companions," is very finely executed.

THE CHURCHMAN'S MAGAZINE AND MONTHLY REVIEW. Toronto: T. & R. White.

The second number of this publication fully maintains the high promise of excellence given in the initial number. The biographical essay, on Bishop Strachan, will be read with interest by every churchman.

PETERS' MUSICAL MONTHLY for August. New York: J. L. Peters.

In addition to the music, which is fresh and well printed, this fine publication contains a chatty and useful selection of reading matter about art and artists.

THE DE LA SALLE MONTHLY; a Catholic Magazine for Young Men.—New York: Published by the De La Salle Association.

The July number of this excellently written periodical has a continuation of the biography of Archbishop Hughes, and a good essay on the "Influence of External Worship."

LA TERRE ET L'UNIVERS: Lettre Amicale à un Pessimiste.

We have to thank the writer of this timely and instructive brochure for his courtesy in sending us a copy of it. We have perused his pages with satisfaction and profit, though not converted by the writer's speculations as to the existence of other habitable worlds in the universal plan. We incline to the belief that all the lunatics, astrophysicists and mercurials, are confined to the miserable planet inhabited by both optimists and pessimists.

AMONG THE INDIANS.—Lieut. Herndon tells us that no tribes of aborigines are found in the deepest forests of South America, from the Andes to the Atlantic coast, that do not have and use Doct. Ayer's medicines and Lowell cottons. "TREMONT," "SUFFOLK," "BOAT," are seen stamped in large red and blue letters upon their garments, while Ayer's Pills and Cherry Pectoral are among the treasures of their habitations. Their native soil furnishes them all their food and most of their remedies, but they suffer from some afflictions which must have the intervention of higher skill. [Sentinel, Liberty, Va.]

A CURIOUS CASE.—POISONED BY A RAZOR.—A barber named William Brewster, doing business at Chatham, Ontario, about six weeks since, was called to shave a man whose death was occasioned by lung fever; the instrument he used was afterwards laid by to be used no more as a razor. But, being one morning without a knife, and desiring to sharpen his pencil, Brewster used the razor for the purpose, and during the operation cut a slight gash in the left fore-finger. In an hour or two the finger commenced itching, and continued to grow worse, until the whole hand and arm were fearfully swollen, and the flesh, in spots assumed a mottled appearance. Having doctored for four weeks at Chatham, Brewster came to this city to seek relief at St. Mary's Hospital. He had lost the entire use of the arm, and it had swollen four times its natural size, the flesh emitting a bad odor.—Detroit Free Press.

A man in Illinois has been fined \$50 and costs by a justice of the peace "for attempting to steal a kiss from Mrs. Slippery."

A man was wounded in a Win (Me.) church on Sunday, by the accidental discharge of a pistol in his pocket, causing intense excitement in the building.

During the second quarter of the year 1869 the butchers of horse-meat have supplied the Paris market with 605 animals of the species, some asses and mules being included.

Beecher endorses billiards as a pleasant, health giving game, and advises young people to play; but he emphatically says—don't under any circumstances, go into a billiard saloon.

The London Times remarks of two of the Harvard international crew, broodingly Simon and Bass: "Their powerful build and broad shoulders are something which our countrymen are not accustomed to see."

Cherries were so plenty in Putnam County, Ohio, this year, that hundreds of bushels were permitted to rot on the trees, the owners not having time to gather them even if the price had been high enough to justify picking them.

A western paper announces the illness of its editor, piously adding, "All good paying subscribers are requested to mention him in their prayers. The others need not, as the prayers of the wicked avail nothing, according to good authority."

Three children were stung to death by bees at Princeton, Ky., a few days since. The bees were enraged by a millstone which broke loose from a wagon, rolled down a hill among their hive, and then killed two horses and a calf in a pasture near by.

Sentence was passed yesterday by a Judge Cardozo upon sundry heavy operators in Wall st. who confessed themselves guilty of violating the Usury laws. They were generally let off with a fine, but one was ordered in addition to be imprisoned five and another ten days.—N. Y. Tribune, 11th.

The heat has been very great in England this summer, and recently the atmosphere in the Worcester Assize Courts was so unbearable, that Baron Pigott ordered several paces of glass to be broken to admit fresh air. A witness in one case was over come by the heat and fainted in the box.

CURIOS, USEFUL AND SUGGESTIVE.

(Prepared for the New York Express.)

The inconveniences attending the use of powder, belting, &c., in the transmission of shafting to remote distances are very great. Wire ropes are coming into use instead.

Salt has been discovered at Holstein, at a depth of 500 feet; its position between the Baltic and North seas will offer great advantages in transportation.

The various temperance societies of the United States are said to have a total membership of 2,400,000.

Perfuming fumes are a great annoyance. Dissolve a lump of lime the size of a hen's egg in a half gallon of water. Apply with a sponge. When thoroughly dry, apply a solution of tannin (one dram to a quart of water.) Persevere.

Mosquitoes won't bite if you use a few drops of solution of carbolic acid in your wash water before retiring. Their stinging may be modified by plugging up your ears with cotton.

Summer pleasure-seekers sometimes "get bit" by snakes, bugs, or insects. Apply a moistened piece of alk soda, wood, cigar or pipe ashes. Rub well in.

Quassi is doubtless the most simple and wholesome tonic of which we have any knowledge, and is entirely free from the narcotic properties which are contained in hops. Ale or beer, therefore, in which quassi is substituted for a portion of the hops, would be quite as wholesome as that made from malt and hops alone.

A great blast was lately made at the lime quarries in Clitheroe, England. A tunnel 28 yards in length was bored, and 6,000 pounds of powder were used. The mass of stone 60 feet in height, was thrown upward in every direction, and at least 50,000 tons of solid limestone was displaced.

To deodorize Vulcanized Rubber, cover the articles of rubber with charcoal dust, place them in an enclosed vessel, and raise the temperature to 94° F., and let it remain thus for several hours. Remove the articles and clean them from the charcoal, and they will be found to be free from odor, and not the least changed in form.

A new kind of blasting powder, called ammoniac powder, has been successfully used in Sweden. Its properties are quite remarkable for their inconsistency with each other. It is said to combine considerable explosive force with a tardy inflammability; that it cannot be exploded by percussion; and that it does not deteriorate from the effects of the climate.

Ice water is an unnatural beverage, and is the doctor's recruiting sergeant. Water below the temperature of a shaded spring stream is never healthy in the weather. Improved ice furnishes the stomach with "strange water," provoking derangement of that organ. If some ingenious tinker would invent a "cooler" which would retain a small quantity of ice free from admixture with the water, he would benefit humanity if he did not accumulate a fortune.

A curious experiment was performed in France, recently, to ascertain whether fish could live in great depth of water. The fish were placed in vessels of water made to sustain four hundred atmospheres, under which they lived and preserved their health. It is, therefore, concluded that fishes may penetrate to very great depths in the ocean with impunity, as a pressure of four hundred atmospheres corresponds to a depth of 13,600 feet, or about two miles and a half.

The story of Candace, King of Lydia, who, proud of the charms of his wife, exposed her in the privacy of her chamber to the observation of his officer Gyges, will be found in Herodotus. The Queen, discovering the outrage which had been committed upon her by her husband, sent for Gyges, and gave him the alternative of either being put to death himself, or of killing her husband and marrying her. He chose the latter, and became one of the richest men in the world.

It is impossible to improve on nature. The human foot was made to sustain in the most admirable manner the human body. The shoe which has little or no heel comes nearest to the designs of nature, and gives play to the fullest development of the muscles of the foot, leg and thigh, while the point of the upper part of the body is erect and graceful. High-heeled shoes, which throw the body forward, cause a stooping gait, and an injury to the muscles of the trunk, breast and shoulders.

An intimate mixture of equal parts of infusorial earth and litharge is made with half a part of freshly alkali quick lime, and all stirred up with oil when a pasty, heavy cement is produced which has powerful adhesive properties, and in course of time sets to hard mass. It is admirably adapted for fastening iron and stone together, and for the repair of stone buildings, and for the restoration of pieces of sculpture, and for the walls of aqueducts. Much of this infusorial earth is sold in commerce under the name of trowel.

It is remarkable that a metal so abundant as calcium should be so little known. We find it in almost every rock, and the ores of it can be quarried out from nearly every hill and mountain on the globe. It constitutes the greater portion of the weight of all molasses or shells, is an important constituent of the bones of animals, and plays a conspicuous part in promoting the growth of vegetables—and yet, as a metal, it has no practical applications in the arts, and very few persons have ever seen it.

Sympathetic ink is a chloride of cobalt which, when employed moderately diluted, is scarcely perceptible, but when gently warmed it appears first in a rich red and subsequently in a blue color. This phenomenon is mentioned in a book of alchemy of the year 1705, bearing a title which we translate: "Clue to the Cabinet of the Secret Treasury of Nature." In 1736, a vagrant alchemist performed the trick in Paris for money. To-day, it has ceased to be a wonder, but is only considered as one of the many amusing plays of chemistry.

Sulpho-cyanide of ammonium dissolved in water, it has recently been discovered, will produce an intense degree of cold. Many salts, more especially salts of ammonia, lower the temperature of water while dissolving, but no compound produces this effect in so marvellous a manner as sulpho-cyanide of ammonium. In one experiment, 2 1/2 grains of this salt dissolved rapidly in 74 parts of water, at a temperature of 73 degrees Fahrenheit, caused the thermometer in a few seconds to fall to 14 degrees above zero. The moisture of the atmosphere instantly condensed itself in thin plates of ice on the outside of the glass vessel containing the water.

FAIR PROSPECTS.—A commercial gentleman just returned to Kingston from Chicago, gives a cheering prospect of the grain trade. He says that the crops are all above the average, even the corn crop, which was almost given up as hopeless on account of the continual rains, having within three weeks advanced splendidly. An immense quantity of grain will be landed in Chicago and he anticipates a prolonged rush of vessels with the commodity this Fall, as the advance from Europe gives hope of an active demand from that quarter this year. There is a great demand on Chicago for vessels to Kingston, a fact which is borne out by a comparison of the receipts at the two ports. All this is very hopeful for our forwarders. All this is very hopeful for our forwarders. All this is very hopeful for our forwarders. All this is very hopeful for our forwarders.

THE CRAMP.—A towel dipped in hot water and applied to the part affected, will, it is said, afford a effective and immediate relief to the painful contraction of the muscles.

MARTIME NEWS.

Hull, Aug. 2.—Mr. James Douglas, master of the steaming tug, John Bull, reports to the Fishery Board, on July 27, at 9 p.m. Fell in with the Norwegian bark Immanuel, of Kangeros, from Quebec, for Tympart, and assisted and towed her to Caroline House, where she arrived on the 28th. She was leaky, lost one man overboard, and had carried away mainmast, mizen, and wheel, and was otherwise disabled.

By Telegraph this Morning.

Glasgow, Aug. 16. The ss. Prussia, from Quebec, has arrived. Dublin, Aug. 16. A great Orange demonstration was made to-day at Clones. It is estimated that 30,000 people took part in the procession, and at a subsequent open air meeting resolutions were adopted denouncing the disestablishment of the Irish Church, and the Party Procession Act.

Meetings have been held at Waterford and Thurles, at which resolutions were adopted urging the Government to issue a general amnesty to the Fenians.

The Levant Herald reports that two Armenian prelates who have been detained three years in Abyssinia, have been released through the intercession of the British Government.

London, Aug. 16—Midnight. The miners held a meeting at Sheffield to-day, to devise measures for keeping up their strike. After the meeting a number of the men who had been locked out attacked the houses of some non-unionists and sacked them. A great riot followed, but it was finally stopped by the police, who succeeded in dispersing the mob. At last accounts the city was quiet.

Paris, Aug. 16. The Emperor will visit the Camp at Chalons in September.

The Public Opinion to-day states that the Emperor still suffers from rheumatic pains and remains at St. Cloud.

Madrid, Aug. 16. Marshal McMahon will probably succeed Marshal Niel as Minister of War.

Encounters continue between the troops and band of Carlists. Up to the present moment the Carlists have been defeated.

New York, Aug. 16. The ss. City of Boston, from Liverpool on the 2nd, has arrived.

The steamer Havana, of the Nashville Packet Company, was burned to the water's edge at Parlor Grove, 12 miles below here to-day, where she had just landed a picnic party. No lives were lost. The total loss is \$12,000; insured \$9,000.

Robert E. Sprague was arrested here on Saturday on a charge of fraud. On May 20th he fled from Ogdensburg, having obtained \$20,000 by fraudulent representations, \$11,000 of which was from the Bank of Prescott, Canada, and taking with him the wife of a citizen of Ogdensburg, came to this city and embarked for Vera Cruz on the ss. Cleopatra. While there he was seized with yellow fever, and after his recovery returned here under an assumed name, but was captured. He was sent back to Ogdensburg. Sprague was a broker and doing a successful business at the time of his flight.

A train on the South Side Railroad was thrown off the track, twelve miles from Peterborough, this morning, instantly killing Hobson, the conductor, and the Rev. Wm. Meyers, a colored preacher.

Philadelphia, Aug. 16. The ex-blockade runner Hornet, sailing from Port-au-Prince, Me., left this port on Saturday under suspicious circumstances. She cleared for Liverpool, via Havana, and stopped down river at a point below city, where it is supposed she was to have taken on board a number of men from a tug which was in her company, when she was captured on Sunday morning by the revenue cutter Miami. At the time the Hornet, was sighted a suspicious tug was following her, and as soon as the Miami fired into the Hornet the tug signalled to the latter, rounded to and steamed off. The crew of the Hornet amounted to 25 men, armed with revolvers and other weapons. The vessel will be turned over to the custody of U. S. Marshal Gregory, but will lie under the guns of the Miami.

St. John, N.B., Aug. 14. The reception of the Governor General at Prince Edward Island was very cordial.

A conference has taken place between the Local Government and the Canadian Ministers. The result has not transpired.

One of the largest public meetings ever held in Halifax took place on Wednesday night, Mr. H. Ritchie in the chair, when it was unanimously resolved, "That a cordial reception be given to the Governor General on his arrival in this city, and that a committee be appointed to make arrangements for that purpose."

New Advertisements.

MR. JONES' PUPILS

MEET at his rooms, 10 GARDEN STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 1st September, Quebec, Aug. 17, 1869.

CANADA, Province of Quebec, District of Quebec, RECORDERS COURT, City of Quebec.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF QUEBEC, Plaintiff, vs. DAVID BEZEAU, Defendant.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that in virtue of a writ of fieri facias de bonis, issued in this cause, the goods and chattels of the above named defendant, consisting of tables, chests of drawers, chairs, sofas, &c. seized in this cause, will be sold on Thursday, the 26th day of August, at 10 o'clock a.m., on the Upper Town market place.

J. O. VEZINA, B.R.C. Quebec, Aug. 17, 1869.

MUSIC HALL.

Friday and Saturday, August 20 and 21st, AFTERNOON & EVENING.

Commodore Foote and Troupe.

COMMODORE FOOTE, The Smallest Man in Existence, Comedian, Actor and Dancer.

MISS ELIZA NESTEL, The FAIRY QUEEN, (Sister of Com. Foote.) 18 years of age, weighs only 20 lbs.; a beautiful Poetical Reader and Dancer.

COL. SMALL, THE GREAT FEMALE CHARACTER DANCER.

MISS CHARLOTTE NESTEL, Pianist, MRS. C. G. RUSSELL, Vocalist, MASTER ZACK, the Popular Violinist.

ADMISSION:—Evening, 25 cents; Reserved Seats, 35 cents. Afternoon, 25 cents; Children 10 cents.

Col. Ellinger and D. Nestel, Managers and Directors. Com. Foote, Treasurer, P. A. Clarke, Agent. Quebec, Aug. 16, 1869.

POPULAR READING

JUST RECEIVED AT 10, FABRIQUE STREET,

A FINE assortment of Popular Works.

Life of Nelson, by an Old Sailor.....\$1 50 The Spectator, by H. Moreley..... 1 00 The Hermit, by Rev. C. Kingsley..... 1 25 Memorable events of Bible History, (300 plates,)..... 1 25 Temple of Anecdotes, by B. C. Temple. 1 25 Pison's Homestead Architecture..... 4 50 Architecture and Building, (Belknap)..... 4 50 Hand Book for Artisan Mechanic (Byrne) 4 50 American Cottage Building (Bullock)..... 4 50 Practical Mechanical Engineering, (Campbell)..... 6 00 Hammond on Venereal Diseases..... 3 00

And several other medical works, and all the latest American and English papers and Periodicals.

A. G. BURNS, 10 Fabrique Street. Quebec, Aug. 16, 1869.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT

Ottawa, Aug. 14, 1869.

AUTHORIZED DISCOUNT on American Invoices, until further notice: 27 per cent.

R. S. M. BOUCHETTE, Commissioner of Customs.

The above is the only notice to appear in newspapers authorized to copy. Quebec, Aug. 16, 1869.

Canadian Medical Association.

THE Annual Meeting of the CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION will be held at the Music Hall, Mechanics Institute, Church street, TORONTO, Ontario, on Wednesday, 8th September, 1869.

Members of the Committees are requested to meet on the 7th September for the purpose of completing their Reports.

The following Companies will grant tickets to holders of certificates, as follows:—Grand Trunk Railway Company.—A double journey ticket to Toronto for a single fare. 100 miles Steamboat Company.—A reduction of two-thirds, meals and berths included. Great Western Railway Company.—A return ticket from Toronto at a quarter fare. Quebec & Gulf Ports Railway Company.—A reduction of 25 per cent from their passengers fares, meals and berths included. Canadian Navigation Company.—At reduced fares. St. Lawrence Tow-Boat Company.—At half fare.

The following are the Secretaries to whom application must be made for obtaining certificates:—F. BOUTTE, M.D., Montreal; W. Canniff, M.D., Toronto; A. Moran, M.D., Halifax, N. S.; W. S. Harding, M.D., St. John, N.B.; A. G. BELLEAU, M.D., General Secretary, C. A. 188 Quebec, Aug. 14, 1869.

Insolvent Act of 1864.

In the Matter of PIERRE COUTURE, An Insolvent. A Final Dividend Sheet has been prepared, subject to objection until the FOURTH day of SEPTEMBER next.

WM. WALKER, Official Assignee. Quebec, Aug. 11, 1869.

QUEBEC GAS COMPANY.

NOTICE. A DIVIDEND OF FOUR PER CENT. for Six Months, has been declared by the Directors upon the paid up Capital Stock of this Company, payable at their office on and after the first proximo.

The Transfer Book will be closed to the first proximo inclusive. By order of the Directors, P. FERRIER, Manager. Gas Works, 6-183

Baking Powder

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English and European News

"THE MAIL" A PAPER containing the news, the principal leaders, a well digested summary, and all interesting matter from THE TIMES, and is thus rendered available in a cheap form, for persons residing abroad or in the colonies.

The days of publication are Tuesdays and Fridays, in the afternoon, and the price is 3d per copy, or 4d. a week post free. Subscribers can obtain "THE MAIL" through Newspaper Agents, or may have it from the Publisher, on pre-payment, at Printing House Square, London. Quebec, Dec. 23, 1869.

New Advertisements

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Secretary of State, Ottawa, and endorsed "Tender for Printing," will be received until noon of the first day of September next, for the PRINTING OF THE CANADA GAZETTE, of the LAWS, and of the CIRCULARS, BLANK FORMS, &c., required by the Executive Departments; for the BINDING OF THE LAWS;

And for the PRINTING PAPER required for the Gazette and Laws; for a term of five years to be computed from the first day of October next. Blank forms of Tender, and specifications will be furnished on application to the undersigned.

ETIENNE PARENT, Under Secretary of State, Office of the Secretary of State, Ottawa, 10th August, 1869.

Intercolonial Railway.

THE Commissioners appointed to construct the Intercolonial Railway give PUBLIC NOTICE that they are now prepared to receive Tenders for five further sections of the line.

CONTRACT No. 8 will be in the Province of Quebec, and extend from the Eastern end of Contract No. 7, at Rimouski, to a point near the Metis River, about 20 1/2 miles in length.

CONTRACT No. 9 will be in the Province of New Brunswick, and extend from the Eastern end of Contract No. 8, towards the town of Bathurst, about 20 1/2 miles in length.

CONTRACT No. 10 will be in the Province of Nova Scotia, and will extend from the Eastern end of the Eastern Extension Railway to the Western end of Section No. 4, (in cluding the bridge across the Missisquoi river, except the western abutment) about 3 1/2 miles in length.

CONTRACT No. 12 will be in the Province of Nova Scotia, and extend from the easterly end of contract No. 7, at Folly Lake, to a junction with the existing railway at Truro, about 24 1/2 miles in length.

Contracts Nos. 8, 9 and 10 to be completely finished before the first day of July, 1871. Contract No. 11 to be completely finished by 1st July, 1870.

That portion of contract No. 12 east of Folly River to Truro to be finished and ready for laying the track by the 1st day of October, 1870, from Folly River to a point opposite the Londonderry Iron Works by the 1st January, 1871, and the remaining portion of said contract by the 1st day of July, 1871.

Plans and profiles, with specifications and terms of contract, will be exhibited at the offices of the Commissioners in Ottawa, Rimouski, Dalhousie, St. John, Halifax, Toronto and Quebec, on and after the 13th September next, and sealed tenders addressed to the Commissioners of the Intercolonial Railway will be received at their office in Ottawa, up to 7 o'clock p.m., on the 18th October, 1869.

Sureties for the completion of the contract will be required to sign the Tender. Commissioners' Office, Ottawa, 2nd August, 1869.

A. WALSH, Esq. B. CHANDLER, Esq. C. J. BRYDGE, Esq. A. W. McLELLAN, Esq. Commissioners. Quebec, Aug. 12, 1869.

Gold Pens! Gold Pens!

JUST RECEIVED, an assortment of Foley's Celebrated Gold Pens, from \$1.25 to \$2.50 Gold Telescopic Pen and Pencil comb. Gold Pens in Gold-plated desk holders, ebony or cedar sticks. Gold Pens in heavy silver extension pencil and pen cases.

To be had of JNO. BROWN, Bookseller, 8, Fabrique street. Quebec, Aug. 7, 1869.

SEWING MACHINES.

BUY YOUR SEWING MACHINES from the manufacturer, and SAVE THIRTY PER CENT. All Sewing Machines guaranteed, and kept in repair one year free of charge. All kinds of Sewing Machines repaired and improved at

J. D. LAWLOR'S, 22, St. John Street, within. Quebec, June 8, 1869.

Flowers, Flowers.

M. MELVILLE, 41, St. John's Road, supplies Bouquets and Pot Flowers for windows. All orders punctually attended to at 41 St. John's Road, opposite Burying Ground. Quebec, Aug. 11, 1869.

ST. PETER'S SCHOOL, QUEBEC.

DUTIES will be resumed, D.V., on WEDNESDAY, 1st of September, at 9 a.m. The object of the above School is to impart, in addition to the usual branches of a thorough English Commercial Education, an acquaintance with those subjects which the advance of the times requires.

The system pursued aims at the cultivation of habits of thought, rather than loading the memory with matter, of the use of which it is ignorant. Terms on application at St. Peter's Parsonage, St. John's Road. REV. M. M. FOTHERGILL, Principal. R. MATHERS, Head Master. Quebec, Aug. 7, 1869.

SOLDIERS' POCKET BOOK.

JUST RECEIVED: The Soldiers' Pocket Book, for Field Service, by Col. G. J. Woolsley, Deputy Quarter Master General in Canada. For sale by MIDDLETON & DAWSON, Foot of Mountain Hill. Quebec, Aug. 9, 1869.

Pearl Sago.

JUST received ex sa. "Peruvian," Cases Pearl Sago. For sale by WILLIAM POSTON, Quebec, July 14, 1869.

Plumber, Gas & Steam Fitter.

MOTTO: Moderate Charges & Punctuality. PARTIES fitting up or repairing will do well to ascertain my prices and terms. JOHN PYE, 32, St. John Street. Quebec, July 17, 1869.

New Advertisements

MUSIC HALL. HARTZ!

Three Nights Only! Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, August 17th, 18th and 19th.

GRAND MATINEE, WEDNESDAY, Aug. 18, At 2 1/2 o'clock, open at 2.

THE TEMPLE OF THE BLACK ART practically illustrated and explained by the great Oriental Traveller and Student, M. HARTZ,

who, since his last visit, has succeeded in inventing and acquiring an entire new BLDGET OF ILLUSIONS, and will introduce a Programme quite different to anything that has ever been witnessed in this city, and will vary his entertainments with

NEW FEATS EVERY NIGHT. Among other Oriental deceptive sensations is the "Miraculous Bower of Flora,"

Also, THE TOWER OF THE SEARS, which, placed in the midst of the audience, will instantly make plain the entire theory and practice of Spiritism.

THE COLUMN AND GLOVE. Another marvellous feat, and one of the most extraordinary of the 19th century. This illusion is one of the most exciting and bewildering ever witnessed, and is only performed by the Hindoo and M. HARTZ.

Other exhibitions of the Mystic Art will be produced, affording an evening's amusement of the most instructive character, in the performance of which M. HARTZ

HAS NO LIVING EQUAL! Admission—Reserved Seats, 50 cts., Gallery, 25 cts., Pit, 25 cents.

Seats can be secured at C. E. Hollowell's, Army Stationer, opposite the Post Office.

The Piano used is from A. Lavigne's Music Store, Saving's Bank Building, St. John Street. Quebec, Aug. 11, 1869.

CAUTION!

THE CELEBRATED PERFECTED SPECTACLES and EYE GLASSES, are our own manufacture and patent, bearing our trade mark, and can only be had in this city, (Quebec) of our only authorized Agent,

Mr. G. Seifert, No. 27, ST. JOHN STREET,

Who has always on hand a full assortment suitable for every difficulty.

We take occasion to notify the public that we employ no FOREIGNERS, and caution them against those pretending to have our goods for sale.

All needful instructions have been given to our agents to meet the requirement of all customers.

Too much cannot be said as to their superiority over the ordinary glasses worn.

There is no glimmering, wavering of the sight, distance, or other unpleasant sensation, but on the contrary, from the peculiar construction of the lenses, they are soothing and pleasant, causing a feeling of relief to the wearer, and producing a clear and distinct vision, as in the natural healthy sight. They are the only Spectacle that preserve as well as assist the sight, and are the cheapest because the best, always lasting many years without change being necessary.

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NOTICE FOR KAMOURASKA.

THE new and fast steamer "Clyde," A. Lecours, Master, will call at Kamouraska on her trips upward on the 16th and 30th instant, and on her downward trips on the 21st and 25th instant.

For further information apply at the office of the St. Lawrence Tow-boat Company, St. Andrew's wharf. A. GABOURY, Secy. St. Lawrence Tow-boat Co. Quebec, Aug. 11, 1869.

REMNANTS

Of all kinds of goods, made during the Spring and Summer Trade and now marked at

EXTREMELY LOW PRICES. GLOVER & FRY. Claret and Chablis.

RE-CASES and Octaves Claret, various brands, ex "Lark." 1/2 cask and Octaves Claret, ex "St. Louis." For sale by GIBB, LAIRD & CO. Quebec, July 9, 1869.

Choice Barbadoes Syrup. 60 Punchoons, 10 Hopsheads, 78 Barrels, Now landing ex "Amenda Jane," and For sale by M. G. MOUNTAIN. Quebec, July 26, 1869.

SUGAR. NOW landing ex sa. "European": Bags Extra Bright Sugar, and For sale by WILLIAM POSTON. Quebec, July 28, 1869.

WANTED. A RESIDENT GOVERNESS, experienced in teaching, and thoroughly competent to teach the education of two girls in Music, French and English. Address drawer 23, Colborne, Ontario. Quebec, Aug. 12, 1869.

MRS. CAULFIELD, MONTHLY NURSE, Corner of St. John and Jupiter Streets, [WITHOUT.] Quebec, Aug. 4, 1869.

MONTREAL HOUSE, MONTREAL, H. DUCLOS, PROPRIETOR. Quebec, Aug. 4, 1869.

New Advertisements

STRAWBERRY PLANTS FOR SALE.

JUCUNDAS.....\$50 the thousand.

Agriculturists..... 50 " Filantes..... 40 " Triomphe de Ghent..... 40 " Golden Seeded..... 40 " Burra New Pine..... 40 " Alton Pine..... 40 " Eltona Pine..... 40 " Kitley's Goliath..... 40 " Hovey..... 20 "

The above plants are ready for delivery, but they can be delivered next spring if desired. Orders are requested, as the runners will be destroyed if they are not wanted as plants.

The above Strawberry Plants are of the best varieties known as MARKET BERRIES. They were imported by the subscriber from COVENT GARDEN MARKET, LONDON, and from PITTSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA, and as great care has been taken in their cultivation, the varieties may be depended on.

Apply to W. RHOODES, Box 129, Post Office, Quebec City. Or to A. WATTERS, St. John Street. Quebec, July 21, 1869.

Reduction of Dry Goods.

No. 10, St. John Street, WITHOUT.

P. LEROSIGNOL, RESPECTFULLY informs his numerous customers and the public in general, that on account of his going to England to buy his Fall and Winter Stock, he will, from this date, to make room for new importations, sell the remainder of his Summer Stock of Dry Goods at very low prices.

Full assortment of Staple and Fancy Goods still on hand. P. LEROSIGNOL, Quebec, July 19, 1869.

SALVAGE GOODS.

RECEIVED PER STEAMSHIP 'CLEOPATRA,' BUT SLIGHTLY DAMAGED.

50 doz white Bath Towels, At 1s 1/2d, worth 2s.

66 prs. Victoria Lawns, At 5 1/2d to 6 1/2d, worth 1s 6d to 2s.

45 prs. Scotch Ginghams, At 4 1/2d to 5d, worth 7 1/2d to 9d.

48 doz. Linen Shirt Fronts, At 1s 3d to 2s 3d, worth 2s to 4s 3d

25 prs. Very Fine Cambric Long Cloth, at 9 1/2d, worth 1s 6d.

With several other very cheap lots. —ALSO— A large quantity of

LEGER & RINFRETS, 21, Fabrique Street, Upper Town.

NEW BUILDINGS, 50, ST. JOSEPH STREET, ST. ROCHES, IMPORTER OF GENUINE English Drugs and Chemicals, Perfumery, Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Surgical Instruments, Garden, Field and Flower Seeds.

Prescriptions carefully prepared. Orders from the country punctually attended to. Quebec, June 16, 1869.

French Wines, Cordials, &c. 16 Octaves Wine, Xerez, 15 do do Alicante, 2 do do Bordeaux, 4 do do Vin Blanc, 20 Cases Brandy, 15 do Vin Blanc, 5 do Chartreuse, 2 do Liqueur Fine, 2 do Vermouth. And for sale by M. G. MOUNTAIN. Quebec, Aug. 6, 1869.

Liverpool Coarse Salt. 4,700 Bags Liverpool Coarse Salt, now receiving ex "James Jardine." For sale by M. G. MOUNTAIN. Quebec, Aug. 10, 1869.

Real Advantage. Great and True Reduction on Summer Goods.

In order to close our stock of Summer Goods, we have reduced the following goods from 20 to 40 per cent. below real value.

COMPRISING: Straw Hats, Trimmed Bonnets, Parasols, Silk Dresses, Fancy Dress Silks, Fancy Dress Muslins, White Alpaca Light Dress Goods, Black and Colored Grandines, Prints, Ribbons, Feathers and Flowers, Lace Goods, Light make Tweeds and Cashmeres, Gents' Silk and Merino Under-clothing, Hosiery and Gloves, Scarfs and Ties, newest style, and large quantity of Fancy Goods.

Lubin's best Perfumery. Also, a new lot of these Good French Kid Gloves, at 2s 4d per pair. An experienced Tailor in the establishment.

BERNARD & HEMOND, 4, John Street, Upper Town. Quebec, July 6, 1869.

Prize Med. 1862. Silver Medal, 1867 FOR ASTHMA AND CHRONIC BRONCHITIS DATURA TATLUA Affords Immediate Relief. A remedy of great power and usefulness.—Dr. W. Barker. "Of great efficacy in cases of Asthma and Chronic Bronchitis."—Dublin Journal Medical Science. "The smoke causes no nausea. When the right kind, I have never known an instance in which relief was not obtained."—General Hende to Hon. B. Sturt. In Tins, 2s. 6d., 5s. and 10s. Or formed into Cigars and Cigarettes, Boxes, 3s., 6s., 8s., and 15s. Facilities for Inhalation, Boxes, 2s., 6d., 5s., and 10s.

SAVORY & MOORE, 142, NEW BOND STREET, LONDON. AGENTS,—Messrs. F. CUNDILL & CO. Montreal.

OLD TOM: GIN. Ex sa. "Ottawa": 100 Cases James Hedde's Finest Old Tom Gin, just received and For sale by WILLIAM POSTON. Quebec, July 26, 1869.

LOBSTERS. NOW receiving from Boston: Cases Lobsters in Tins, each 2 doz., and For sale by WILLIAM POSTON. Quebec, July 28, 1869.

NOTICE.

PARKE & SON'S, AUCTIONEERS.

CONTINUE to effect Auction Sales of FURNITURE, REAL ESTATE, and all Goods entrusted to them, upon the most reasonable terms, with PROMPT settlement of accounts. 10, FABRIQUE STREET. Next door to Glover & Fry. Quebec, May 20, 1869.

FOR SALE At the Quebec Auction Rooms, No. 16 Fabrique street. ABOUT 1,500 lbs. White Lead, in tins of 25 lbs. each, to be sold cheap. PARKE & SONS, Auctioneers. Quebec, Aug. 9, 1869.

FOR SALE At the Quebec Auction Rooms, No. 16 Fabrique street. TWO very Splendid Silver-plated Counter Show Cases, in perfect order. Price moderate. PARKE & SONS, Auctioneers. Quebec, Aug. 3, 1869.

FOR SALE At the Quebec Auction Rooms, No. 16 Fabrique street. A SPLENDID SHOWER BATH, new, on Posts, Pump and Cover Complete, Cheap. —ALSO— At this store will be found the Cheapest Carpets in the City. Quebec, June 25, 1869.

NEW GOODS, JUST ARRIVED FROM GERMANY. A CHOICE assortment of PARKE & SONS, Fabrique Street, Quebec, June 17, 1869.

HOSIERY!

Rather late in the Season, we have decided to sell the same at REDUCED PRICES.

25 Dozen Hose at 6d. 25 " Merino Hose at 9d, worth 1s 1/2d. 20 " Merino Hose at 11 1/2d, worth 1s 3d. 75 " Childrens' Hose of all sizes and colours.

LEGER & RINFRETS, 21, Fabrique Street, Upper Town.

NEW STORE

EARTHENWARE, Glass-ware, Crystal-ware, &c. B. CHAMBERLAND, ST. JOHN STREET, OPPOSITE THE SAVING'S BANK, UPPER TOWN.

ON the occasion of opening this new store of all descriptions of Glass-ware, Earthenware, Glass-ware and Crystal-ware, Breakfast, Dinner, Tea, and Toilet Services in China, Porcelain, &c. Services, Trays, Copas in Crystal and cut-glass Decanters and Tumblers.

A choice lot of glass-ware of all kinds. Prices very moderate. He respectfully invites the public to examine his stock. Buyers will receive every attention and civility. B. CHAMBERLAND, St. John Street, Quebec, June 11, 1869.

TRY GARDNER'S Cough Remedy!

See Advertisement! Quebec, Jan. 14, 1869.

SMOKED SALMON.

EX "CITY OF QUEBEC" just received, and for sale by A. WATTERS. Quebec, July 19, 1869.

PORT WINE.

NOW landing ex "Rio Junco," from Oporto: 6 quarter casks, 9 Octaves, Extra choice Old Port. For sale by M. G. MOUNTAIN. Quebec, July 5, 1869.

R. MORGAN, Music and Piano Dealer,

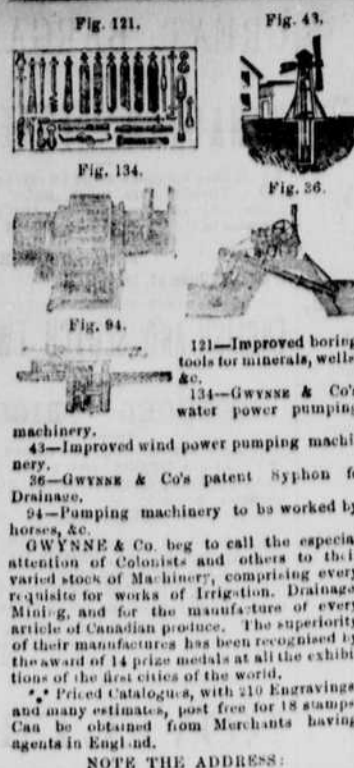
ST. JOHN STREET, HAVING now completed all the alterations necessary in his new place of business, begs to call the attention of the public to his large and varied stock of MUSIC AND MUSICAL MERCHANDISE, which he defies any one in the trade to excel, consisting of all the newest and best songs, dances and Piano pieces, &c., published in England, France and the United States. His thorough knowledge of music enables him to choose the best and exclude the trash. His collection of Instruments, &c. includes Violins, (copies after the best Italian masters,) Guitars, Banjos, Flutes, Flies, Flageolets, Clarionets, Patent Mouth Harmonicas, Accordions, Harmoniums, Concertinas, (an immense variety,) Cornets, Trumpets, Bugles, Children's Trumpets and Trombones, Drums, Music Boxes, playing from 1 to 6 airs, delightful compositions for a band, for Picnic parties, or down at the sea side and in the country, where it is inconvenient to take Pianos, or Pianos, I keep an assortment of Chickering & Sons Boston, and Steinway & Sons, New York, and others of good reliable makers, varying in price from \$300 to \$650. A few more of those beautiful photographic musical albums just received, a charming novelty suitable for wedding presents. R. MORGAN, Music Dealer, St. John Street, Quebec, July 2, 1869.

Ons.

1,000 BUSHELS now landing, and for sale by GIBB, LAIRD & CO. Quebec, Aug. 14, 1869.

COAL OIL.

60 BLS. ATLANTIC, Brit. Standard, 60 BLS. LIVERPOOL,



CONTINUATION SALE OF THE EMPIRE GIFT COMPANY. Cash Gifts to the amount of \$500,000. Every Ticket Draws a Prize.

NOTE THE ADDRESS: GWYNNE & COMPANY, ENGINEERS. Essex Street Works, Strand, London, W.C., ENGLAND.

W. V. WRIGHT & Co's PURE COAL-TAR SOAP. REGISTERED AS SAPO CARBONIS DETERGENS.

THIS SOAP is compounded from our "LIQUOR CARBONIS DETERGENS," which, according to the testimony of the leading Medical Journals, is unrivaled for its detergent and antiseptic qualities.

W. V. WRIGHT & Co's PURE COAL-TAR SOAP is a material specific against infectious diseases of every sort, and moderates the effluvia of house drains.

W. V. WRIGHT & Co's PURE COAL-TAR SOAP improves the general condition of the skin, which becomes soft and silky.

W. V. WRIGHT & Co's PURE COAL-TAR SOAP prevents the hair from turning prematurely grey.

W. V. WRIGHT & Co's PURE COAL-TAR SOAP is a specific against the bite of reptiles, the sting of insects, &c., and is an invaluable article in the case of various diseases.

W. V. WRIGHT & Co's PURE COAL-TAR SOAP is most highly spoken of by the Press.

W. V. WRIGHT & Co's PURE COAL-TAR SOAP is sold in bottles of 1 lb. each by all Chemists.

W. V. WRIGHT & Co's PURE COAL-TAR SOAP is manufactured by Messrs. W. V. Wright & Co., London.

Wholesale and Export Distributors, SOUTH-WARK STREET, LONDON, S.E.

Messrs. W. V. WRIGHT & Co. will be happy to forward to the trade, free of all charge, a Monthly Price Current of Drugs, Chemicals, Pharmaceuticals, and Electro-Chemicals.

RECEIVING ex "De Juhno," from Oporto, Oporto, Oporto, Oporto, Oporto.

Sauterne and Claret. JUST received, the best quality Sauterne and Claret, in wood and cases.

Dublin Porter, &c. GUINNESS'S Dublin Porter, &c., and pilsener Beer & Co., Scotch Ale, &c.

scotch Mead. A FRESH lot Scotch Mead. Just received.

CLARET WINE. BEST quality assorted Claret Wines.

GINGER WINE. MCLAREN'S Ginger Wine, in cases and in wood.

Bitters. LE COUP D'APPETIT BITTERS.

Wine Bottles. 100 Crates daily expected, and for sale by M. G. MOUNTAIN.

Limothy and Clover Seed. 30 BUSHELS Sweet Timothy Seed.

HOMEOPATHY. DR. BENDER. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

PARLOR GYMNASIUM. THE PARLOR GYMNASIUM, a useful invention, by means of which a great variety of gymnastics may be performed.

TOBACCO. BOXES "Harrison's Own," 10's Tobacco.

COFFEES. BAGS and barrels roasted Java Coffee.

MEATS, TEAS. CHESTS and half chests finest new season Teas.

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