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From the Northwest.

HALF-BREEDS STILL SURRENDERING TO MIDDLETON.

MIDDLETON EXPECTED TO BE AT PRINCE ALBERT—ESTIMATE OF THE LOSSES ON BOTH SIDES—THE GENERAL WILL PUNISH POUNDMAKER AND BIG BEAR SEVERELY—EXCITEMENT AT BATTLE FORD—MONTREAL ARTILLERY ARRIVE AT WINNIPEG.

A Toronto Mail special, dated Guardepuy's Crossing, May 18, says:—The weather is fine but still very cold at night. There was not an inch of ice in the falls last night. The Militia and many waggons were ferried over today and are now on the west side on the trail to Prince Albert, where they will await orders. Advice received from the North today announces the capture by Indians of the Hudson Bay Company's stores at Green Lake, 50 miles north of Prince Albert. Col Irvine says the police left Green Lake before the Indians came and took away all the rifles and ammunition, hiding the latter near by. This capture shows that the Indians in the North are in an unquiet state. Nevertheless wonder grows what on earth the Prince Albert people are afraid of, with a garrison of more than 400 men and our whole force within 30 miles and the enemy signally routed. Bands of half breeds continue to surrender themselves and give up their arms. The trouble now is to avoid feeding a multitude of them.

The following is a rough list of the casualties of the Northwest field force and the rebels in the South Saskatchewan Valley:—

Fish Creek—Killed, loyal, 10; rebels, 11. Wounded, loyal, 49; rebels, 18. Batoche—Killed, loyal, 8; rebels, 53. Wounded, loyal, 43; rebels, 173. Total killed, 82; loyal, 18; rebels, 64. Wounded, 274; loyal 83; rebels 191.

The rebel loss was more than the above figures, but the numbers given are vouched for by priests, who counted the dead and wounded. Alexander Fisher, late rebel Governor of Saskatchewan, and Albert Monkman, late Privy Councillor, were highly useful today as roustabout and carried goods from the boats to the shore for hours. Gen Middleton will enquire of Col Irvine when he reaches Prince Albert why he remained there. He will advance to Battleford with as large a mounted force as possible. He says he must punish Poundmaker, Big Bear and Beaudy, and will burn their camps. There is no news from the west side of the river.

WHAT RIEL SAYS

Accounts continue to come in of rebel losses. Riel says he was with Donald Ross when he was killed and then went to where Ouellette, an octogenarian, lay dead, thence to a pit where five rebels lay. He says the rebels lost 76 killed and 191 wounded in Friday's fight at Batoche, of whom he knows nothing. His words and actions are unaccountable, for yesterday he said he had 700 men, today that he had 500, of whom 340 were half-breeds. Old man Batoche, one of the principal rebels, but of the kinder sort, is badly wounded and wants to come in. Riel advises us not to go outside of the camp in small parties as some bands are very bitter. A large number of women and children must have been killed.

POUNDMAKER GROWING BOLDER

BATTLEFORD, May 19—The situation here today took a peculiar change. Poundmaker's Indians, evidently encouraged by the capture of the supply trains and by the quietude of Colonel Otter's forces, came closer to barracks. It is supposed that over two hundred Indians were riding about in the vicinity. They set the prairie on fire in several places not far from the town and barracks. Their actions gave rise to the fear of an attack to night and steps were immediately taken to meet it. The forces were gathered in and around the barracks and the town put in a state of defence.

NOTES FROM WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, May 20—The Montreal Garrison Artillery reached this city about 6 a.m., being the first passengers to arrive through by rail from Montreal. They went into camp at Fort Osborne till further orders. A special with Mr Geo Stephen, Hon Donald A Smith, and several other directors of the C. P. R., have arrived

on a tour of inspection of the line to the Rockies. Mr Van Horne and Mr Angus only came as far as Rat Portage and then returned east, having witnessed the completion of the line north of Lake Superior.

There is no news from the troops under Gen Middleton, but it is believed they arrived at Prince Albert last night.

THE AFGHAN FRONTIER

REPORT THAT THE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN ENGLAND AND RUSSIA HAVE COLLAPSED.

All the troops from Suakim have been ordered to remain in Egypt. The Guards will go into garrison at Remleh and other troops at Abassieh, near Cairo. The colonial troops have been ordered to stop at Aden. It is rumored the Anglo-Russian negotiations have collapsed. It is supposed the rumors originated with the war party. The Spectator predicts an outbreak in Macedonia and Bulgaria against the Turks and Greeks, which will set the whole Slavonic world in a flame. Russian influence with the Porte has been increasing since Greece declared her intention to support England in the event of war with Russia. It is rumored Musurus Pasha will be called from London. His son has been recalled from Rome. Afghan advices report that reinforcements are continually going from Candahar to Herat. It is expected the railway will be complete to March in 60 days. Military work is unrelaxed. The Standard confirms the view that the main question now at issue between Russia and England hinges on the possession of Maruchak

KING OF DAHOMEY'S GIRLS

THEIR WARLIKE FEROCITY A MYTH.

The Amazons of Dahomey are slowly but surely acquiring a better reputation. It has been customary to look upon these ladies as blood thirsty creatures, rather fond of killing men, and anything but nice ornaments for a drawing room. It now appears that they are merely an ornamental body guard for the King, that they never go to war, while, as for killing any body, the dear girls would never think of it. A recent traveller in Dahomey says: "Imagine sixty young women, strong and slender, who, without losing any of their womanliness, present a decidedly warlike appearance. Their uniform is picturesque and the armament consists of battle axes, swords and guns. The drill consists of combined dancing and singing, sham fights and military evolutions, all of which are performed with exactness and elegance."

A CURIOUS COINCIDENCE

Not long ago a case of suicide by hanging occurred at the hospital of the Hotel Dieu, in Paris, and, as it frequently happens, the rope employed was cut up into small pieces to be distributed amongst the students. One of the latter generously divided his portion of the cord with a friend residing at Amiens, who for the last eight or ten years has been earning his living as a chemist's assistant. This person it appears, was a firm believer in the lucky influence of a few centimetres of rope that has strangled a fellow creature, and he kept the piece most carefully in his purse. Henceforth he will probably be a yet firmer believer in such a talisman, for at the last drawing of the Credit Foncier Bonds he won the great prize of 100,000 francs.

LONDON, May 20—The Chatham authorities, after an investigation into the death of the sentry, decided that the case was one of suicide. The surgeons discredit this view.

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—BY—

Rev. P. J. E. Page, Professor of Chemistry, Laval University

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Professor of Chemistry, Laval University,

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QUEBEC DAILY MERCURY

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 21.

It is reported that a deputation from the West Indies will arrive in Ottawa about the first of next month to make an effort to bring about closer and better trade relations between Jamaica and the other British West India Islands and Canada.

GENERAL STRANGE'S column, which is floating down the North Saskatchewan, must by this time have arrived at Fort Pitt, which will be made a base of operations. Big Bear is supposed to be at Saddle Lake, six miles north of the river, and about equidistant from Edmonton and Fort Pitt—say ninety miles from each.

DURING THE LAST 130 years, Russia and England have enlarged their possessions as follows: English annexations, 2,650,000 square miles; population, 250,000,000; Russian annexations, 1,642,000 square miles; population, 17,135,000, which shows that England's annexations exceed those of Russia by 1,008,000 square miles and 232,685,000 in population.

THE AMER has announced his intention to fortify the whole of the Afghan frontier on the Russian side as soon as the boundary has been fixed. He counts upon receiving financial help from England to enable him to carry out the fortifications. The principal places to be strengthened with defensive works are Herat, Bala Murghab, Maiman, Khodja Sali, and Balkh.

MR. BLAKE will enquire on Thursday whether the Government have arranged or will arrange for the free transport of the bodies of Volunteers who have been killed in the Northwest to the homes they had left, and also whether the Government intend to submit to Parliament a proposal for a mark of recognition in the shape of a land grant, land scrip, or otherwise to volunteers on active service in the Northwest.

It is reported, on very good authority, says the London Advertiser, that Sir John suggested the use of the cloture, and that some of his more ardent supporters concurred in his views. But the proposition was extremely repugnant to the French members and to some of those from the Maritime Provinces, and if the Prime Minister has come to the conclusion not to adopt the cloture, it was not because he did not desire in the first instance to suppress discussion, but because he was not ready to proceed with the other business of the session. Sir John would be very glad to trample under his feet the freedom of the people of this country. He has wasted Canada's public resources upon his camp followers; he has provoked an insurrection in the Northwest, and now he would meet the criticism of his opponents by the suppression of free discussion. Sir John will find that he has already taxed the credulity of his friends and the forbearance of the country to their utmost limit.

TO THE EDITOR

Sir,—Where, may I ask once more, is the marble basin of the stone fountain presented to the city for the Upper Town market square, by the late Mr. H. H. Scott, the absence of which you pointed out last year.

TAX PAYER

[We fear it has gone to embellish some gardens along with the pretty nymphs stolen from the Ring fountain and for which the city paid a heavy sum in Boston. In Montreal such culprits are arraigned before the Queen's Bench.]

R. v. Dr. Talmage's latest canon drum is "Why do the Wicked Live?" It's a hard one to answer, but they continue to live, and some of them successfully manage to live on other people.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT.

In anticipation of the Viceroi's party taking up their residence on the Citadel during a portion of the summer, and as a first step toward substituting the electric light for gas for street lighting purposes through the city next year, the City Engineer, Chevalier Baillarge, has begun an agitation in the local press in favor of encircling the fortifications of Quebec with a ring of powerful electric lights, commencing at the King's Bastion on the Citadel, and including the Terrace, the Grand Batters, the St. Charles Battery, St. John's Gate, Kent Gate and St. Louis Gate. The effect would, no doubt, be splendid, and the City Engineer calculates it will not only largely add to Quebec's attraction in the eyes of tourists, but that it will enable the Ancient Capital to capture the honors and more solid advantages of the next carnival from Montreal.

DROWNING ACCIDENT.

A young man named James O'Brien, a laborer, a resident of Scott Street St. Louis suburbs, at an early hour this morning accidentally fell into the river while coming ashore from the bark Arran, lying at the East India wharf. The body was subsequently recovered by divers, and an inquest will be held.

GROSSE ISLE CABLE USELESS.

Dr. Bessey, the Acting Medical Health Officer at Montreal, recently telegraphed the quarantine station at Grosse Isle, and was charged extra \$2 50 for a boat to deliver the telegram. He had written to Sir John Macdonald on the matter, asking that in future such communication be forwarded at once free.

AID TO OUR SOLDIERS.

The following are the articles sent to our soldiers in the North West, viz: 'A' Battery, C.S. Corps and 9th Battalion:—419 shirts, 887 pairs of socks, 865 handkerchiefs, 430 towels, 305 lbs. of soap, 51 hospital shirts, besides mosquito netting, elastic, stationery, matches, needles, thread, worsted, scissors, &c.

URSULINE CONVENT.

The Lieut. Governor and Madame Masson, accompanied by a number of ladies and gentlemen, paid an official visit on Tuesday afternoon to the Ursuline Convent, when a flattering reception was accorded them by the Lady Superior and Sisters of the Order.

SMALL POX.

The Ottawa authorities have assured the President of the Quebec Board of Trade that in view of the existence of virulent small pox in London, steps will be taken during the present season to ensure inspection of all vessels before entering the port of Quebec.

SHIP COLLISION.

The Norwegian bark Juno, capt. Iversen, from London, and the ship Queen of the North, capt. Atkin, from the same port, got into collision while coming up the river. Both vessels were damaged, the former suffering most.

NORTH SHORE RAILWAY.

It is stated on what is considered good authority that in the end the Canadian Pacific will possess the North Shore road, although the plan for a joint running by the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific is still being discussed.

MILITARY.

L'Electeur's statement that the Militia Department deducted the volunteer Blais' funeral expenses at Winnipeg from the amount of his military pay coming to his family is declared true.

NEW LIGHT ON THE RIVER.

A splendid electric light lamp has been placed on the top of the Finlay Market Hall, opposite the ferry landing, and now nightly illuminates the river and wharves adjacent.

BARGAINS IN PIANOS, ORGANS, &c.

We have pleasure in announcing that Mr. A. Peterson, of the firm of A. & S. Nordheimer, Toronto and Montreal, is again in the city and offers great bargains in upright and square pianos, organs, new and second hand. Many parties after moving into their new houses are no doubt thinking of exchanging their square pianos for more modern upright and special instruments are given to intending purchasers during Mr. Peterson's stay in this city. Since this firm bought the bankrupt stock of R. Morgan they have met with great success, which is due to the exceptional fine quality of their instruments, as they sell the celebrated Chickering, Steinway, Harris and Gable pianos, and the liberal policy with which they have always met the wishes of their customers. In addition to the above named instruments, the firm offer also a number of good second hand pianos and organs.

DROWNING ACCIDENT.

Delphis Lefournieu, aged 19, was drowned in the St. Lawrence, at Deschambault, on Monday, while drawing water from the river. The barrel he was filling rolled off the cart upon him just as he was stooping to fill his bucket and hurled him into the river, when he was drowned before assistance could reach him.

THE KITCHEN GARDEN.

It is generally conceded that a good garden is an important adjunct to a farm. A careful hand, with a gentle horse and good cultivator, can kill more weeds in a garden in an hour than two men could destroy in a day with hoes. To make it convenient to use a horse, the rows should be made wide and as long as possible, which will obviate the necessity of turning often.

SCOTCH COALS.

A number of cargoes of Scotch coals exchanged hands yesterday at prices ranging from \$4.75 to \$5. These are the first transactions of the season.

LAKE ST JOHN RAILWAY.

A cargo of 1400 tons of Rails for the Lake St John Railway, has arrived here by the steamship Mayo from Barrow, England.

PRAYERS FOR THE CHOLERA.

A grand mass was celebrated at the Basilica, yesterday morning, at petition Providence to protect the city from a visitation of cholera.

ELECTRIC LIGHT ON THE TERRACE.

Arrangements have been made by the civic authorities to light up Dufferin Terrace with the electric light this summer.

THE FATAL LEAP.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The autopsy of Odium's body, who leaped from the Brooklyn Bridge 130 feet into the river in presence of Boynton and other great swimmers yesterday, disclosed that the spleen, liver and kidneys were badly ruptured from the shock of striking the water. Three ribs were broken and the death marks on the body were similar to those found on bodies of men crushed by the caving in of earth.

CUSTOMS COLLECTIONS.

Duties collected at the Custom House today amounted to \$2313 90.

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To Mr A J White.

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vs.
Guillaume Lebel, Defendant.

Public notice is hereby given that in virtue of a writ of Habeas Corpus issued from the Circuit Court, that the said defendant of the said writ, and in virtue of the said writ will be sold on the Thirtieth day of May instant at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said defendant, in the City of Quebec, Moreau Ward, St. Marguerite Street, No. 16, the said goods and chattels consisting of sofa, etc. etc, table, carpet, chairs, &c. &c.
AUGUSTIN LABRECQUE, B.S.C.
May 21 1885

QUEBEC & LAKE ST. JOHN Railway

On and after WEDNESDAY, 20th inst., trains will run daily (Sundays excepted) to and from Palais Station, Quebec, as follows:—
GOING NORTH.
6.35 A.M. MIXED leaves Quebec for Lake Simon, arriving there at 10 45 a.m.
5.30 P.M. MAIL leaves Quebec for St. Raymond, arriving there at 7 5 p.m.
GOING SOUTH.
7.10 A.M. MAIL leaves St. Raymond for Quebec, arriving there at 8 55 a.m.
1.15 P.M. MIXED leaves Lake Simon for Quebec, arriving there at 6 00 p.m.
Mail Train going North runs through to Lake Simon on Tuesdays and Saturdays, arriving there at 7 45 P.M. Returning, leave Lake Simon at 8 15 P.M., arriving at St. Raymond at 8 45 same days.
Trains run by Eastern Standard Time. Trains connect at St. Ambroise with stage for Indian Lorette, at Valcartier Station with stage for Valcartier Village and at St. Gabriel with the new road for the River aux Pins settlements.
Special Return First-class tickets on Saturdays good till following Tuesday.
J. G. SCOTT,
Sec & Manager,
May 20, 1885. Commercial Chambers

LATEST NOVELTIES!

EX
"Circassian," "Polynesian" and "Sarmatian."

We are now opening a further supply of the NEWEST GOODS for the Season, including White and Colored Straw Hats and Bonnets, Shade Hats Children's Trimmed Sailor Hats, &c., &c. Ladies' and Children's Plain and Braided Jerseys in Black and a variety of New Colors, Navy, Bronze, Fawns, Greys, Cream, Crimson, &c., &c.

—ALSO—
New Designs in Black and Colored Grenadines and other Fancy Dress Goods.

GLOVER, FRY & CO.

FURNISHING GOODS!

Just received, a Large Stock of Iron and Brass Bedsteads, Cots, &c. New Colors and Designs.
300 Remnants of Carpets and Oil Cloths, from 1 to 15 yds., to be sold at about half-price.

GLOVER, FRY & CO.

St. Romuald and Sillery Ferry.



STEAMER "LEVIN."

CAPT. DESROCHER,

On and after MONDAY, the 18th May, will leave (weather and circumstances permitting) as follows:—

LEAVE QUEBEC	LEAVE ST ROMUALD
6.00 A.M.	5 15 A.M.
9 00 A.M.	8 00 A.M.
11.30 A.M.	10.00 P.M.
2.00 P.M.	1 0' P.M.
4.30 P.M.	3 00 P.M.
6.15 P.M.	5 30 P.M.

SUNDAYS:

QUEBEC	ST ROMUALD
1 30 P.M.	2 00 P.M.
3 00 P.M.	5 30 P.M.
6 00 P.M.	

May 16 1885.

ISLAND OF ORLEANS FERRY.



STEAMER "ORLEANS."

CAPTAIN BOLDUO.

On and after MONDAY, the 18th May, will sail as follows, until further notice, weather and circumstance permitting:—

LEAVE ORLEANS	LEAVE QUEBEC
5.15 A.M.	6.30 A.M.
8.00 A.M.	9.15 P.M.
10.00 A.M.	11.30 A.M.
1.30 P.M.	2.30 P.M.
3.30 P.M.	4.4 P.M.
5.45 P.M.	6.45 P.M.

SUNDAYS:

LEAVE ORLEANS	LEAVE QUEBEC
11.30 A.M.	1.00 P.M.
1.45 P.M.	2.30 P.M.
3.15 P.M.	4.00 P.M.
5.00 P.M.	6.00 P.M.
7.00 P.M.	

Calling at St. Joseph up and down. Every holiday the steamer will make a trip from the Island to Quebec at 8 A.M. May 15, 1885.

QUEBEC BANK.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of THREE PER CENT, upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the current half year, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House, in this City, and at its Branches, on and after MONDAY, the First Day of JUNE next. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st MAY next, both days inclusive.
The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Bank, on MONDAY, the First Day of JUNE next. The chair will be taken at Three o'clock.
By order of the Board,
J. STEVENSON, Cashier
Quebec, April 28th, 1885

G. SEIFERT'S

EUROPEAN BAZAAR,
34, —abrique Street,—34.
Ladies' and Gents' Riding and Hunting Whips
Working Sticks.
Lunch and Dinner Baskets.
Lawn Tennis Bats, Balls and Nets.
Card Cases and Coin Purse.
Dressing Cases and Bags.
Belt Plaques and Escels.
New-Plaque Tennis Bats at a considerable Reduction.
May 6, 1885.

FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Reported by T. B. Dunham & Co., 86 and 88 St. Peter Street, opposite the G. N. W. Telegraph Company.

QUEBEC, May 1, 1885.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Table of New York Stock prices including columns for stock names (e.g., U.S. & Quincy, N.Y. Central) and their respective prices.

GRAINS IN CHICAGO

Table of grain prices in Chicago for various months (June, July, August) for wheat and corn.

PROVISIONS IN CHICAGO

Table of provision prices in Chicago for items like pork, lard, and sugar.

Quebec Permanent Building Society.

The twenty-ninth Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of this Society will be held at its Office on TUESDAY, the 26th of MAY instant, at half past SEVEN o'clock P.M., for the election of Directors for the current year.

By order, J. G. GOURDEAU, Secretary.

CARD.

HENRY LEVERIS, L.D.S., SURGEON DENTIST.

HAS REMOVED TO—

No. 54, St. Ursule Street, (Double House near the Fire Station.)

Artisan's Permanent Building Society.

Dividend No. 20

On and after the First of May Next, this Society will pay a semi-Annual Dividend of 2 per cent to the Shareholders of Permanent Stock for the last half year, ending the 31st of March last.

NOTICE.

The Annual General Meeting will take place at the Office of the Society on Thursday the 21st May next, at 4 pm.

By order, A. J. AUGER, Secretary Treasurer.

The Artisans Permanent Building Society

This Society have removed their offices to Gowen's Buildings, 125 Peter Street.

Intending borrowers will do well to call and see the rates and terms of the society.

Money loaned by sums of \$100 and over on easy terms.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A large black walnut D.S. must be removed before 1st May, also 2 new sewing machines.

By order, A. J. Auger, Quebec, 27th April 1885.



CAPITAL PRIZE. \$150,000.

"We do hereby certify that we supervise the arrangements for all the Monthly and Semi-Annual Drawings of The Louisiana State Lottery Company, and in person manage and control the Drawings themselves, and that the same are conducted with honesty, fairness, and in good faith toward all parties, and we authorize the Company to use this Certificate, with fac-similes of our signatures attached in its advertisements."

Gen. G. T. Beauregard and Gen. Jubal A. Early, Commissioners.

UNPRECEDENTED ATTRACTION Over Half a Million Distributed.

Louisiana State Lottery Co'y. Incorporated in 1863 for 25 years by the Legislature for Educational and Charitable purposes—with a capital of \$1,000,000—to which a reserve fund of over \$550,000 has since been added.

By an overwhelming popular vote, its franchise was made a part of the present State Constitution, adopted December 2nd A.D. 1879.

Its Grand Single Number Drawings will take place monthly. It never scales or postpones. Look at the following Distribution: 18 ST GRAND MONTHLY AND THE EXTRAORDINARY SEMI-ANNUAL DRAWING, in the Academy of Music, New Orleans, Tuesday, June 16, 1885.

Under the personal supervision, and management of Gen. G. T. BEAUREGARD, of Louisiana, and Gen. JUBAL A. EARLY, of Virginia.

CAPITAL PRIZE, \$150,000. NOTICE—Tickets are Ten Dollars only. Halves, \$5. Fifths, \$2. Tenth, \$1.

Table of prize amounts: 1 Capital Prize of \$150,000, 1 Grand Prize of 50,000, 1 Grand Prize of 20,000, 2 Large Prizes of 10,000, 4 Large Prizes of 5,000, 20 Prizes of 1,000, 50 " 500, 100 " 300, 200 " 200, 600 " 100, 1000 " 50.

APPROXIMATION PRIZES. 100 Approximation Prizes of \$200. 100 " " 100. 100 " " 75.

2279 Prizes amounting to \$523,500. Application for rates to clubs should be made only to the office of the Company in New Orleans.

For further information, write clearly, giving full address, POSTAL NOTES, Express Money Orders, or New York Exchange in ordinary letter. Carriage by Express (all sums of \$5 and upwards at our expense) addressed.

M. A. DAUPHIN, New Orleans, La. Or M. A. DAUPHIN, 607 Seventh St., Washington, D.C. Make P. O. Money Orders payable and address Registered Letters to New Orleans National Bank, New Orleans, La. May 13, 1885.

THE LAND GRANT

Canadian Pacific Railway. OF THE—

Canadian Pacific Railway. —CONSISTS OF—

The finest WHEAT MEADOW & GRAZING Lands in MANITOBA and the NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES.

Lands at very low prices within easy distance of the Railway, particularly adapted for MIXED FARMING—stock raising, dairy produce. Land can be purchased.

With or Without Cultivation Conditions.

At the option of the purchaser. Prices range from \$250 per acre upwards, with conditions requiring cultivation, and without cultivation or settlement conditions, at liberal figures, based upon careful inspection by the Company's Land Examiners.

When the sale is made subject to cultivation A REBATE of one-half of the purchase price is allowed on the quantity cultivated.

Terms of Payment:

Payments may be made in full at time of purchase, or in six annual instalments, with interest. Land Grant Bonds can be had from the Bank of Montreal at 10 per cent. premium on their par value, and accrued interest, in payment for lands.

Pamphlets, Maps, Guide Books, &c., can be obtained from the undersigned, and also from John H. McFavish, Land Commissioner, Winnipeg, to whom all applications as to prices, conditions of sale, description of lands, &c., should be addressed.

By order of the Board, CHAS. DRINKWATER, Secy.

ASK YOUR GROCER

Imperial French Wine Blackins

April 27, 1885

SIX O'CLOCK EDITION

QUEBEC DAILY MERCURY

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 20.

LATEST CABLE NEWS

The "Thunderer" on Hostile European Interest.

Russia Fortifying in the Gulf of Finland.

Sickness Among the British Troops in Egypt.

By cable to The Mercury. LONDON May 21—The Times says:—There is too much reason for the belief that hostile combinations against British influence and interests in Egypt have been organized by the European powers which must be taken into account in any determination of the future policy of England, upon which we have however the advantage of speaking.

Of the order detaining the guards in Egypt, the Times says:—There is no need to attribute this action to the position of the Anglo-Russian difficulty. There is more than enough in the affairs of Egypt to ignore persecution, if not to justify positive necessity of precaution, if not disquietude.

A PREMIER WANTS TO RETIRE. ROME, May 21—Premier Depretis has intimated to the King his wish to retire from public life on account of old age and illness. Mancini, Minister of Foreign Affairs, will probably be made Premier.

SICKNESS OF ENGLISH TROOP IN EGYPT. SUAKIM, May 21—Ten per cent of the British troops here are ill. The Hussars have asked for home. The Arabs are very active as marauders.

RUSSIA FORTIFYING. HELSING FORS, May 21—Russia is constructing batteries at all strategic points along the gulf of Finland. Large orders have been issued for gun carriages.

THE TURF. LONDON, May 21—At the York spring meeting today, the great northern handicap was won by Gaiselhurst, Lord Londonderry 2nd and Bu Grass 3rd.

THE DYNAMITERS. LONDON, May 21—Cunningham and Burton were removed from Newgate this afternoon to the convict prison at Chatham.

HUGO'S CONDITION. PARIS, May 21—Hugo's condition is unchanged.

OTTAWA HAPPENINGS. FIRE IN A PRINTING OFFICE—YOUNG BOY ACCIDENTALLY KILLED. OTTAWA, May 21—A destructive fire took place in the Free Press building last evening, originating in the job room. Several fonts of type and much stereotyping material were destroyed, resulting in a damage of some \$3000, which was fully insured.

The origin of the blaze is a mystery, but it was supposed to be from a smouldering match. The building itself, both on the flat where the fire occurred and the one below it, was considerably damaged by the flooding, but the portions of the building in which the various operations of printing the Free Press are conducted were comparatively uninjured.

A two year old boy named Connolly was accidentally killed yesterday through a log falling on him as he was endeavoring to climb a fence.

SIGNAL SERVICE. L'Islet, May 21—Clear and fine; light east wind. Tug William towing a ship; inward at 4 am, 2 barks; outward at 8 am, tug Lake.

River du Loup—Clear and fine. Inward, St Lawrence at 4 am, 4 barks anchored here; outward at 7 am, tug Rhoda.

Little Metis—Inward 8 30 am, Somerset.

Anticosti—Light north east. Inward yesterday, three barks.

L'Islet—Inward at 2 pm, tug Lake with bark.

River du Loup—Inward 3 pm, Rhoda with bark.

Father Point—Inward 10 30 am, Somerset and 13 barks.

Bolmont, N.H., boasts of a woman who goes out and chops wood with her husband.

DOINGS IN MONTREAL.

OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE OPENING OF THE CANADA PACIFIC—DROWNED ACCIDENT—NEW HOTEL CONTRACT SIGNED—ACCIDENT ON SHIP BOARD.

MONTREAL, May 21—The following telegram is published here this morning:—"Port Arthur, May 20th—To George Stephen, Montreal—We have had a most satisfactory trip over the entire length of the new line. Our train left Montreal on the 14th. We travelled only in daylight in order to examine the work and have seen further evidence of the amazing energy of your company. The last rail to complete the connection between east and west was laid on Monday. The train with the Montreal Artillery preceded us over the new track and we arrived at Port Arthur together. I am much pleased with what I have seen. A good deal of work remains to be done, but it is of the simplest character and in a short time the whole line can be put in fair running order, and Canada will then have a splendid thoroughfare between Atlantic and water and the prairie and trains may run from Montreal to Winnipeg in 48 hours. The completion of the continuous rail connection to day must be considered an important event in the annals of British America, as it unites for purpose of intercommunication all the provinces from Nova Scotia and British Columbia by a continuous railway from Halifax to the river Columbia. The people of Canada may now congratulate themselves in the complete solution of that serious problem which has presented itself for ten years back.

(Signed) SANDFORD FLEMING. William Donaldson, of St. Henri, was found drowned yesterday in the canal near St. Henri docks, where he had fallen in when assistance was not at hand.

The contract for the new hotel on Notre Dame street west has been signed by W W Ogilvie and the syndicate to cost \$250,000, and has been let to Mr Dunham, of Belleville.

Narrisse Ray had his leg badly crushed on the Lake Superior this morning while unloading iron.

A seaman, John Berthier, of the steamer Glenmorven fell from a loft yesterday afternoon and was, it is feared, fatally injured.

LORD MRLGUND. HIS OPINION OF CANADIAN VOLUNTEERS. —ENTHUSIASTIC IN HIS PRAISE OF THEIR DISCIPLINE.

When the Express from Chicago arrived at Toronto over the Credit Valley section of the Canadian Pacific Railway yesterday morning, Lord Melgund, chief of staff to Major-General Middleton, and Military Secretary to His Excellency to Governor General, stepped off and took the train for Ottawa, which left soon afterwards. His Lordship was bronzed and tanned almost to the hue of the dusky loon he has been fighting, but was evidently in excellent health and in good spirits. He was very enthusiastic in his praise of the conduct of the men in the field, and declared that

NO REGULARS COULD HAVE BEHAVED BETTER in the field than did the brave boys who went up from Toronto, Winnipeg and other points to fight for Queen and country. The hardships they endured while on the march were sufficient to try the endurance of the toughest veteran in Her Majesty's service, yet "the boys" fresh from the desk, the store, the bank counter, the factory, or the workshop, all alike bore them without a murmur, without a complaint. Many of them had been delicately reared, all well nurtured and used to good food, with fresh meat and vegetables, but the diet which would seem ill-adapted to men so brought up was cheerfully accepted by all, and no one grumbled. Too much could not be said in praise of

THE CITIZEN SOLDIERS OF CANADA. They had done and were doing all that the best trained and most efficient regiments in Europe could accomplish, and the discipline and prompt obedience to orders were a marvel to those who expected to find only raw recruits, and found men at least equal to all veterans. He declined to give any idea of his mission to Ottawa, or his object in leaving the North West.—Globe.

ROME, May 20—The International Sanitary Conference was opened today by Maccini, Minister of Foreign Affairs. The object is to effect an international agreement as to the best means of combating contagion. Count Cordona was elected President.

Clergymen, Singers and Public Speakers will find Robinson's Emphorized Emulsion of the greatest benefit to them, where there is any tendency to weakness in the throat or bronchial tubes, as it soothes the irritated membrane, gives full force and strength to the vocal organs and imparts new life and vigour to the enfeebled constitution.

MIDDLETON'S INTENTIONS.

The General will Endeavor to Avoid an Indian War

By Offering Protection to All who will Return to their Reserves

With the Exception of the Leaders of the Massacres and Raids

By telegram to The Mercury.

WINNIPEG, May 21—Gen Middleton will try to avoid an Indian war by promising peace and protection to all who will go quietly upon their reserves excepting always the leaders in the massacres and raids. It Middleton could negotiate from Clarke's Crossing with Poundmaker in his present position he could, in the event of his proving incorrigible, order Otter to attack Poundmaker's rear, while he himself attacked in front. In the meantime Colonel Otter, is shut up in Battleford, cut off from his base of supplies General Strange with the 65th battalion some of the 91st and other smaller companies at Edmonton and Fort Saskatchewan. Separated as he is from communication by telegraph with General Middleton, he must be acting largely on his own discretion. It is not improbable, therefore, that if Big Bear is still at Frog Lake or Fort Pitt that General Strange is marching against him.

TORONTO NEWS. CHARGES AGAINST THE VOLUNTEER RELIEF FUND COMMITTEE.

Toronto, May 21—A section of the press has been charging the Volunteer Relief Committee with doling out more pittances to several families of volunteers at the front. The ladies supply committee has appointed a special committee to investigate such cases.

An Austrian Terribly Mangled. JULIETTE ILLS, May 21—An Austrian named Pesoderakis, who had worked in the quarries here, was found in a freight car yesterday terribly mangled and dying. It is supposed strikers perpetrated the deed.

Loss of Life at a Fire. CINCINNATI, May 21—At a fire this afternoon in Sullivan's printing establishment eight girls and women jumped from the fifth story to the sidewalk and were killed.

ENGLAND AND RUSSIA. The Standard says—It is stated that among the principal causes which have operated to produce a change in the attitude of the English Government towards Russia is the receipt of a report from Sir D Stewart, the Commander in Chief in India to the effect that the Indian army could not, as a matter of prudence, undertake an expedition to Herat until the railway is completed to the Pishan Valley, which it is now ascertained will not be done in less than three years.

A party entertainment in aid of the Church of the Ascension at Staten Island was the singing of the carle songs of all nations. England, Wales, Ireland, Scotland, Norway, Germany, Spain, Italy, Arabia, Russia and America were represented. Many of the melodies were sung in the native dialects.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVED—MAY 21. SS Cynthin, Taylor, Glasgow, J Ross & Co, Gen.

—Texas, Cross, Liverpool, W M Macpherson, 141 pass, Gen.

—Mayo, Hughes, Barrow, Geo Patterson, rails.

Ship Lyral, Moreh, Liverpool, Hans Hagen, salt.

Bark Bithnia, Rafen Lyndon, R E Dobell & Co, bal.

—Johannes, Rafen, Holmstand, R R Dobell & Co, bal.

—Festina Lente, Ommannsen, Glasgow, F Gunn, coal.

—Albana, Neit, Sharpness, DeWolf & Powell, bal.

—Biar Tambarskjalvar, Winesoss, Liverpool, Hans Hagen, salt.

—Guldregn, Ingebreton, Christians, W & J Sharples, bal.

—Holding, Gjertsen, Poragrand, J Bar-tall & Co, bal.

—St. Jensen, Christians, Smith, Wade & Co, bal.

—Clara, Tor-tensen, Tonaborg, R R Dobell & Co, bal.

—Jane Law, Newgreen, Greenock, R R Dobell & Co, coal.

—Naryass, Schuen, Tonaborg, King Bros, bal.—at St Thomas.

—Good Intent, Maybe, Point St Peters, order, bal.

Schr A W O Robinson, Paapobias, or 1, bal.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

The following vessels have sailed for this port :-

- Anna, Olsen, Newcastle, April 7
Ajmeer, Greenock, April 16
Avanti, Tonsberg, April 15
A. A. Hansen, Liverpool, April 15
Anna, Salveson, Glasgow, April 23
Annie, Christine, Cork, April 10
Albinus, Neil, Sharpness, April 10
Adeigund, Peterson, London, April 10
Alpha, Cron, Newcastle, March 31
Albertine, Greenock, April 9
Anna, Guldmundsen
Alpha, Liverpool, March 23
Athea, Antwerp, April 10
Abbotsford, Greenock, April 10
Adeigund, Liverpool, April 12
Amoor Jones, London, April 23
Arolus, Waterford, April 22
Almedia, Glasgow, do do
Able, Haggland, Kragero, April 8
Aletta, Norway, March 30
Atlanta, Norway, April 17
Arel, Tolleisen, Cork, April 17
Aljaca, Sorensen, Norway, March
Anna, Neilson, London, May 7
Apotheker Dissing, St Nazaire, May 6
Enna, Paterson, Greenock, April 22
Amicus, Santerre-Barbadoes, May 25
Australia, Limerick, May 5

- Bury St Edmunds, Neilsen, Dundee, April 13
Bothnia, London, April 11
Brilliant, Liverpool, April 25
Batavia, Bremen, April 30
Bayard, Andersen, Norway, March

- Canara, Robinson, Liverpool, April 15
Constitution, April 11
Clara Magnus, do 15
Clyde, Suiter, Newport, April 13
Charger, Whiteside, Belfast, do 14
Carolus Magnus, Brown, Liverpool
Concurrent, Fredericksstad, March 31
Choice, Weir, Liverpool, do
Chatham, Troon, April 27
Cleveland, Ludvigsen, Barrow, April 17
Clytie, Pinkey, Liverpool, April 23
Clyde, Liverpool, April 28
Cervantes, Plymouth, April 27
Canada, Bull, London, April 21
Canute, Monte Video, March 28
Cavalier, Table Bay, March 6
Ceylon, Olsen, London, May 5

- Decision, Greenock, do 13
Diligentia, Greenock, April 16
Desalabery, Newcastle, do
Deodata, Altona, April 22
Deodata, Hamburg, April 24
Draumsens, Syvertsen, La Rochelle
Dagmar, Hansen, Troon, April 30

- Eastern Star, Plymouth, April 15
Einar Tambaraskjalver, Wisnes, Lpool
Emilie, Newcastle, March 25
Ella, Shields, April 22

- Foranhall, Greenock, April 15
Frithjof, Stavanger, do 11
Festiva lente, Glasgow, April 8
Forsoget, Antwerp, April 21

- Gloaming, Dinsmore, Rotterdam, April 11
Gyite, Deal, April 11
Guidregu, Christiana, April 9
Gunhild, Olsen, Skien, April 8
Gladstone, Suit r, Liverpool, April 23
Gyda, London, April 22
Gimli, Jens n, Norway
General Rye, Fries, Greenock, May 6

- Holyca, Limerick, April 16
Hovding, Laurvig, April 15
Henrietta, Gibraltar, March 30
Hemborsund, Grimstad, April 4
Hollinside, Melrose, Cape Town, April 2
Hannemann, Cathagena, April 22
Helene, Hansen, Norway

- Irmia, Liverpool, April 13
Jona, Klem, Norway
Irene, Knudsen, Norway

- Jane Law, Newgreen, Greenock, April 9
Jessie Douglass, Plymouth, April 18

- Kate Harding, Barbadoes, April 10
Kimon, Trapini, March 29
Kong Oscar, Antwerp, April 27

- Loyal, Morch, Liverpool
Louise, Griffith, Bristol, April 6
Laura, Antwerp, April 4
Lama, Sharpness, April 20
Louise, Gardin, April 28
Louise, Christophersen, Norway
Lyra, Troon, May 7

- Maud, Plymouth, April 15
Maryborough, Plymouth, April 15
Magdalen, Belfast, March 14
Margarethe, Supple, Granton, March 24
Marie, Sanne, Greenock, April 9
Martha, Gjertsen, London, April 2
Mindet, Rochelle, April 8
Mary K Campbell, Buenos Ayres, April 14
Mary, Helvoet, April 15
Mount Pleasant, Greenock, April 23
Madg- Wildfir, Madeira, April 2
Magnum, Neass, Tonsberg, April 5
Marie, Borjersen, Dordrecht

- Narayana, Tonsberg, April 8
New Brunswick, Maryport, April 11
Northumbria, Johnson, Liverpool, April 11
Nymph, Antwerp, April 19
Nord, Hansen, Norway
Nordic p, Christiana, April 23

- Oscar Ist, Gibraltar
Ottawa, Newcastle, March 30
Ottolina, Fredericksstad, March 31
Onni, Londocery, April 13
Olga, Petersen, London, April 27
Ocean, Olsen, Norway
Ocean, Waterford, April 29
Orient, White, Greenock, May 6
Octavia, Villaricos, May 2

- Prudhoe, Alicante, February 20.
Petra, Falkenberg, Bristol, April 3.
Premier, Fleetwood, April 8
Progress, Waterford, April 9
Princess Alexandra, Greenock, April
Prinds Leopold, Arnesen, Greenock, April 2
Pea enaker, Cattinich, Barbadoes, April 15

- Rotland, Casey, Liverpool, April 15
Resolute, Jacobson, London, April 3
Red Cross, Greenock, April 13

- Royal Tar, Kerr, Liverpool, April 16
Rondo, Olsen, London, April 25
St Joseph, Morris, Liverpool, April 13
Salvator, Barrow, April 13
Seabreeze, Glasgow, April 8
Skien, Waterford, April 7
Siohar, Hull, April 10
Summerlee, Ireland, Leith, April 13
Saltee Clancy, Wexford, April 17
SIF, Christiana, April 14
Sophie, Gullicksen, Ostend, April 7
Sirocco, Carthagena, April 25
Ssius, Waterford, April 24
Seylon, Olsen, Norway, March 27

- The Craigs, Irvine, do do 13
Twilight, Dunn, Port Glasgow, April 10.
True Briton, Jefferson, Rio Janeiro, March 18
Terze, Bus, Liverpool
Tonsberg, Thue, Tonsberg, April 22

- Uno, London, April 14

- Vancouver, Munroe, Fleetwood, April 14
Venner, Rotterdam, April 15
Venskabe, Laurvig, April 15
Vigo, Bristol, April 28
Venner, Falmouth, April 29
Vesta, Anderson, Norway
Vigilant, Hansen, Hull, May 6

- Wimburn
Wm Linck, Dantzic, March 25.

- Zulette, Monaco, April 29

Special Notices.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send self-addressed envelope to Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New York. July 11, 1884.

CONSUMPTION.

There is a positive remedy for the above disease, by its use thousands of cases of this fearful kind and of long standing have been cured. Indeed, so strong is my faith in its efficacy that I will send TWO BOTTLES FREE, together with a VALUABLE TREATISE on this disease, to any sufferer, who sends & P. O. address. DR. T. A. SLOCUM, 121 Pearl St. N. Y.

December 6, 1884 6m-ecod

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CHARLES DONALD & Co.,

79, QUEEN STREET, LONDON, E.C.

Will be glad to correspond with Apple Growers, Merchants and Shippers, with a view to Autumn and Spring business. They will also give the usual facilities to customers requiring advances. July 30, 1884.

DESTROYER OF HAIR

Alex. Ross' Depilatory Removes hair from the face, neck and arms without injury. Price \$1; sent securely packed from England by post. Alex. Ross' HAIR DYE produces either very light or very dark colors. His Spanish Fly Oil or Oil of Cantharides produces whiskers on hair on the head. His Skin Tightener is a liquid for removing furrows and crows feet marks under the eyes. His Bloom of Rose- for excessive palor, and his Liquid for black specks on the face are each sold at \$1, or sent by Post for Post Office Order. The Nose Machine, for pressing the cartilage of the nose into shape, and the Ear Machine for outstanding ears are sold at \$3, or sent for Post Office Order. Letters invited. Had through chemists, of Medical Hall, Upper Town Market Place Quebec, or direct from

ALEX. ROSS, 21, Lamb's Conduit High Holborn, London, England.

LIEBIG COMPANY'S EXTRACT OF MEAT. FINEST AND CHEAPEST MEAT-FLAVOURING STOCK FOR SOUPS, MADE DISHES & SAUCES. CAUTION: Beware of cheap imitations. Liebig's Extract of Meat is the only one which has been analyzed and found to contain the highest quality of meat. It is the only one which has been analyzed and found to contain the highest quality of meat. It is the only one which has been analyzed and found to contain the highest quality of meat.

THE St. Lawrence Steam Navigation Co. The Steamer St. Lawrence. CAPT. BARRAS, Commencing on TUESDAY, the 19th instant, will leave the St. Andrew's Wharf on TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, at 7 30 A.M., for Leontini and Hal Hal Bay, and will stop at Baie St. Paul, Ile aux Coudres, Les Eboulements, Murray Bay, Riviere du Loup, Tadoussac and L'Anse St. Jean, both going and returning.

For further information apply at the Office of the St. Lawrence Steam Navigation Company, St. Andrew's Wharf. A. GABOURY, Secretary. May 16, 1885

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO

LONDON, ENGLAND, Subscribed Capital, £1,000,000 Sterling.

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CITY PROPERTY INSURED AT CURRENT RATES.

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H. H. NEWELL, CITY AGENT, 125, Peter Street, QUEBEC. April 18, 1885.

REMOVAL.

The Office and Furniture Warerooms of the DRUM CABINET MANUFACTURING COMPANY have been removed to the Company's Factory off St. Andre Street, Entrance by St. Paul and St. Andre Street, opposite Messrs. J. Lemuelier & Son's Tobacco Factory.

In making the above announcement the Directors would respectfully inform their Customers and the Public that the balance of the Manufactured Stock, consisting of a Large Assortment of Household Furniture, including about 5,000 Chairs of all sorts, will now be offered at Reduced Prices, until the whole is sold.

Special inducements will be offered to the Trade. N. B.—The work in the Planing, Tongue and Grooving and Sawing Departments will be continued as heretofore. THOMAS CRAIG, Manager and Secretary-Treasurer. May 8, 1885.

NORTH SHORE RAILWAY

COMMENCING ON MONDAY, SEPT. 17th 1885. Trains will run as follows:

Table with columns for Mail, Express, and various train routes between Montreal and Quebec, including departure and arrival times.

All Trains run by Montreal Time. In connection with the Grand Trunk & Canada Atlantic Railways. GENERAL OFFICES—QUEBEC. TICKET OFFICE: 43 St. James Street. Windsor Hotel. W. WAINWRIGHT, General Manager.

Another Proof of the Efficacy of the Celebrated St. Leon Mineral Water.

CERTIFICATE. Messrs. GINGRAS, LANGLOIS & CO. GENTLEMEN,—For a number of years I suffered from the terrible complaint of dyspepsia to such an extent that, for two years, I was unable to eat meat. Having read of the different cures wrought by the St. Leon Mineral Water, I commenced to drink it as prescribed in your advertisement. I used it for a month and can now eat meat. I have a good appetite and gain strength every day. I deem it my duty to recommend this marvellous water to those who suffer from the same complaint. I am, etc., etc., LEVY RECIO, Printing and Advertising Agent, 61, Grant Street, St. Roch. A Fresh Supply of this Water received today by GINGRAS, LANGLOIS & CO., 6 Baude Street. May 9, 1885. 3

LOCKYER'S SULPHUR HAIR RESTORER.—Sulphur being highly prized for its stimulant, cleansing, healthful action on the hair glands, Lockyer's Restorer is strongly recommended. It is most agreeable in use. Large bottles 1s. Sold by Chemists, Hairdressers, and Perfumers in London, and throughout the world. Lower prices to agents of right.

SITUATION WANTED.

The Advertiser is twenty-five years of age and has had three years experience in Teaching. He desires a situation a Nursery, or Daily Governess, or Copyist or Travelling Companion to a lady, or would be willing to accept a position in an office of moderate. Address "1885," "Mercury" Office.

HALL'S Vegetable Sicilian HAIR RENEWER

was the first preparation perfectly adapted to cure diseases of the scalp, and the first successful restorer of faded or gray hair to its natural color, growth, and youthful beauty. It has had many imitators, but none have so fully met all the requirements needful for the proper treatment of the hair and scalp. HALL'S HAIR RENEWER has steadily grown in favor, and spread its fame and usefulness to every quarter of the globe. Its unparalleled success can be attributed to but one cause: the entire fulfillment of its promises.

The proprietors have often been surprised at the receipt of orders from remote countries, where they had never made an effort for its introduction.

The use for a short time of HALL'S HAIR RENEWER wonderfully improves the personal appearance. It cleanses the scalp from all impurities, cures all humors, fever, and dryness, and thus prevents baldness. It stimulates the weakened glands, and enables them to push forward a new and vigorous growth. The effects of this article are not transient, like those of alcoholic preparations, but remain a long time, which makes its use a matter of economy.

BUCKINGHAM'S DYE FOR THE WHISKERS

will change the beard to a natural brown, or black, as desired. It produces a permanent color that will not wash away. Consisting of a single preparation, it is applied without trouble. PREPARED BY R. P. HALL & CO., Nashua, N. H. Sold by all Dealers in Medicines.

FOR ALL THE FORMS OF Scrofulous, Mercurial, and Blood Disorders,

the best remedy, because the most searching and thorough blood-purifier, is Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Sold by all Druggists; \$1, six bottles, \$5.

Female Help Wanted.

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen in city or country, to receive light, easy work at home all the year round; distance no objection; salary from \$1 to \$3 a day; no canvassing. J. FOWLER & CO., Boston, Mass., Box 5117. March 11, 1885.

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restores, with the gloss and freshness of youth, faded or gray hair to a natural, rich brown color, or deep black, as may be desired. By its use light or red hair may be darkened, thin hair thickened, and baldness often, though not always, cured.

It checks falling of the hair, and stimulates a weak and sickly growth to vigor. It prevents and cures scurf and dandruff, and heals nearly every disease peculiar to the scalp. As a Laxative, Hair Dressing, the Vigor is unequalled; it contains neither oil nor dye, renders the hair soft, glossy, and silken in appearance, and imparts a delicate agreeable, and lasting perfume.

Mr. C. P. BRICKER writes from Kirby, O., July 3, 1882: "Last fall my hair commenced falling out, and in a short time I became nearly bald. I used part of a bottle of AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, which stopped the falling of the hair, and started a new growth. I have now a full head of hair growing vigorously, and am convinced that but for the use of your preparation I should have been entirely bald."

J. W. BOWEN, proprietor of the McArthur (Ohio) Enquirer, says: "AYER'S HAIR VIGOR is a most excellent preparation for the hair. I speak it from my own experience. Its use promotes the growth of new hair, and makes it glossy and soft. The Vigor is also a sure cure for dandruff. Not within my knowledge has the preparation ever failed to give entire satisfaction."

Mr. ANGUS FAIRBAIN, leader of the celebrated "Fairbairn Family" of Scottish Vocalists, writes from Boston, Mass., Feb. 6, 1880: "Ever since my hair began to give silvery evidence of the change which becometh time procreant, I have used AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, and so have been able to maintain an appearance of youthfulness—a matter of considerable consequence to ministers, orators, actors, and in fact every one who lives in the eye of the public."

Mrs. O. A. FREEMONT, writing from Elm St., Charlestown, Mass., April 14, 1882, says: "Two years ago about two-thirds of my hair came off. It thinned very rapidly, and I was fast growing bald. On using AYER'S HAIR VIGOR the falling stopped and a new growth commenced, and in about a month my head was completely covered with short hair. It has continued to grow, and is now as good as before it fell. I regularly used but one bottle of the Vigor, but now use it occasionally as a dressing."

We have hundreds of similar testimonials to the efficacy of AYER'S HAIR VIGOR. It needs but a trial to convince the most skeptical of its value.

PREPARED BY Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Druggists.

GAIN Health and Happiness.

How? DO AS OTHERS HAVE DONE.

Are your Kidneys disordered? "Kidney Wort brought me from my grave, as it were, after I had been given up by 13 best doctors in Detroit." M. W. I. Vermaux, Mechanic, Ionia, Mich.

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Have you Kidney Disease? "Kidney Wort made me sound in liver and kidneys after years of unsuccessul doctoring. It is worth \$10 a box." Saml. Hodges, Williamstown, West Va.

Are you Constipated? "Kidney Wort causes easy evacuations and cured me after 16 years use of other medicines." Nelson Fairchild, St. Albans, Vt.

Have you Malaria? "Kidney Wort has done better than any other remedy I have ever used in my practice." Dr. R. K. Clark, South Hero, Vt.

Are you Bilious? "Kidney Wort has done me more good than any other remedy I have ever taken." E. K. Flat, Oregon. Mrs. J. T. Galloway.

Are you tormented with Piles? "Kidney Wort permanently cured me of bleeding piles. Dr. W. C. Kline recommended it to me." Geo. H. Horst, Cashier M. Bank, Myerstown, Pa.

Are you Rheumatism racked? "Kidney Wort cured me, after I was given up to die by physicians and I had suffered thirty years." Elbridge Malcolm, West Paris, Maine.

Ladies, are you... "Kidney Wort cured me of peculiar troubles of several years standing, and any friendless and painful pills. Dr. H. L. Loring, Isle La Motte, Vt."

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