

PRICE ONE CENT

to admire they who loved Him, beautiful flowers, for "If a man love will keep my words; and my Father will love him, and we will come unto Him, and make our abode with Him," and "he that keepeth my commandments loveth me, and I will love him and manifest Myself unto him." This is a privilege that Christians only can enjoy—the manifestation of Christ's love to His people.

Has Christ manifested himself to-day? He has said, "Yet a little while I am with you, and again a little while I am not with you." It is a blessed privilege to have the spiritual presence of Christ. It explains the power of Christ's people.

cannot be resisted. He is ever pre-
pared to watch over all His people in the
face of adversity. One of the flowers in the
garden—David—while upon this earth
realized much the importance of the constant
presence of God, that he expressed a wish
to dwell in the house of the Lord for
the remainder of his life.

Such was the burden of his soul.
He did not do so, however, but when howas
he felt the presence of God we find
him, the man after God's own heart, fell
into grievous sin. Don't be satisfied with
occasional presence of Christ, but
place your burden upon Him, make a
confession of Him, and the reward will be

The soul becomes cast down,
Under a weight of guilt; but
your burden upon the Lord and He
sustain thee;" instantly the burden is
by Him, and rolled away, never to
be us again. If any of you are
led with temptations which beset
on every side—even when in the
ch, you hear the Word of God
in—when you cannot get wicked
ants out of your heart, see to it that
the blood of Christ to dispel this.
not ask Him to cleanse your soul that
may adorn the garden. When look-
the garden, however, and consider,

beauties thereof, the Beloved One
 "There is no spot in thee." What!
 "t in me? my heart is all over spots
 wicked spots, and Jesus says that
 garden is absolutely spotless. How
 is he? Oh, Jesus looks at our
 sins but what does He see? Why our
 are covered by His righteousness;
 covers all His people, and that is what
 attracts Him seeing our wickedness. "He
 is sin for us who knew no sin, that
 might be made the righteousness of
 in Him." Jesus, in speaking to His
 disciples, said: "Consider the lilies of the
 field, how they grow; they toil not,

They grow; they do not, neither do they spin, and yet, I say unto thee even Solomon, in all his wisdom was not arrayed like one of these." Why God clothed the lilies, Solo-
loathed himself. God's people excel-
lies of the field in beauty just as
as they excelled the beauty of Solo-
because Christ's people are clad in
own beauty. Ineffable exchange! the
ent suffers that the guilty may go
free.

The robe of Jesus is richer and
more beautiful than that of angels. A
fisherman was once asked how it
was that he was always so cheerful and

He answered: "I take all my thoughts and cover them with the words of Jesus; all my wicked words I under His holy utterances, and all my sinful deeds I cover by His deeds, and looks at me but He does not see my sins, words and deeds, but He sees in me instead the blessed thoughts, words and deeds of His holy Son, and all is well with me." Oh, the beauty of God! It is made visible to the eyes of sinners, but love recognizes it. So Mary, this, breaks her box of alabaster and its sweet smelling contents to the head of the Saviour. Ah, the

smell, so acceptable to the blest
 mer, came not from the ointment,
 om Mary's heart. Those that stood
 not the perception of Jesus, and
 of what a waste this was, but He
 red: "Let her alone, against the
 of My burying hath she done
 Jesus is here to-day; He
 ing through this large assem-
 bling the precious spices that
 sending from the hearts renewed by
 ve. There is a spice which he en-
 nore than any other, a spice which
 down from heaven, and which cannot
 and anywhere but on this earth. The

of "a humble and a contrite heart." We are to understand from the fruit garden of which the beloved parrot took its food that the substantial fruit of piety is in His people. We speak a word of our experiences and feelings; we remember the fig tree. It looked well, very green, but when He looked for hereon He found none. That reminds us somewhat. All clad in our robes of truthfulness, beauty of speech; all of our obedience to our husbands, our parents, attention to prayer-meetings and church services. But continue we the fear of God, and be constant

ways abound in love, and our hearts
and forth sweet spices unto our God,
gathers lilies. Which of us, when
g in a flower garden, is not tempted
on the green sward, and stooping,
me choice specimen. Just so does
We may think at the time that it is
we may say, Oh, stay Thy hand; it
essary to me that that one should be
is it for us to judge? If the Lord
wills it, is it for us to demur? Who
the lilies? Sometimes a sweet little
is suddenly taken away, but
before the little thing has wound

bound his mother's heart strings,
He has prayed God to save it. Some-
times it is a young man, but he is not
until his mother's prayers for him
are remembered, and his eye spar-
kles the name of Jesus; perhaps a young
girl is taken, but her heart has had
become fixed upon her Redeemer,
and she has received the blessed assurance,
"My sins be forgiven thee;" or it may be
a young father, or a cherished wife or
daughter who Christ has taken unto Him-
self. The great Lord has gathered them
all removed them from all pain.
And we pluck a little flower it

time as a passing pleasure, and time it falls to the ground, withers and is lost, but not so with the Lord Jesus. His words are carefully watched by Him. His sheep are in my fold, none can take them from me." All that Jesus has plucked from the days of Abel are all fresh as gathered. Job looked at his ten children; he had left of his once great possessions; he watered them with the sacrifice of prayer and praise, but God came and plucked them all. Still Job did not complain. He came forth and said—"The Lord gave and the Lord taketh away, blessed be the name of the Lord." A great

He called his palace the palace of
we know not whether it was because
number of lilies he possessed that
so, but we know that there is only
ace of lilies, rightly so-called, where
ely lilies, transplanted by a loving
grow and flourish. Oh, may we be
brambles to be thrown on one side,
lovely flowers, so that at last Jesus
come and gather us all as lilies to be
to the garden above! He is no
destroyer, but, having emitted our
ful fragrance, he takes us to abide
in for ever.

LAKE MEGANTIC.

The course of a letter detailing a four camping-out expedition, a correspondent of the *Sherbrooke Gazette* says:—

The correspondent recently visited Megantic, the well-known fishing place, in company with two others, and was surprised at the change which has taken place in the locality. Instead of a barren shore, which lined the shore some years ago, he sees prosperous farms and the usual signs of civilization.

Company is doing a great deal to settling that section of country, and has cleared several tracts and house on the shore of Spider Lake, their intention to put a steamer on legantic at no very distant day for avience of settlers for freight and lumber.

These genial gentlemen goodrowed up the Lake that night and

the portage over into Spider Lake
at difficulty in the morning. There
at several days fishing, and caught
very fine trout, and then visited a
small sheet of water called Silver
about a mile distant, where we also
very good sport, and returned to
Lake.

Births, Marriages and Deaths.

BIRTHS.

MCCLELLAN—In this city, on the 30th instant, the wife of N. McClellan, Post-office Department, of a daughter.

O'BRIEN—On the 24th July, at No. 103 St. Hubert street, Mrs. Edward O'Brien, of a son.

ARMSTRONG—At 579 Selwyn street, on the 29th inst., the wife of J. Armstrong, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

KNIGHT, ROBINSON—On the 31st July, at St. Patrick's Church, by the Rev. Father Dowd, Michael P. Knight, of the City of Rochester, N. Y., to Mary Teresa, youngest daughter of the late James Robinson, Esq.

Quebec papers please copy.

DEATHS.

HUBER—In this city, on the 31st July, George.

only son of Edmond Huber, aged 8 months.
The funeral will leave his father's residence,
100 Madison street, on Tuesday afternoon, 1st
August, at 2.30 o'clock, for the R. C. Cemetery.
Friends and acquaintances are respectfully
invited to attend without further notice.

LISTON—At 77 Dalhousie street, on 31st instant,
Francis LISTON, aged 4 years and 11 months,
son of the late Michael LISTON.

Funeral to take place on Tuesday morning at
8 o'clock.

CUNNINGHAM—In this city, on the 29th July, James
Cunningham, son of the late William Cunningham,
aged 10 months.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully
requested to attend the funeral on Tuesday
afternoon, at 3 p.m., from his late residence

89 Bierry street.
DAVIDSON—At Colborne, on the 31st July, Mary
Louisa, beloved daughter of Alexander David-
son.
The funeral will leave her father's residence,
63 McGill College avenue, on Wednesday, the
2nd August, at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are re-
quested to be invited to attend.
DAWES—in this city, on the 31st July, Henry
Thomas Dawes, eldest son of William and Mary
Dawes, aged six years and eight months.
The funeral will take place to-morrow (Tues-
day) next August, at 12 o'clock p.m., from the
residence of Mr. S. E. Cully, No. 21 Laurox
street, Dalhousie square.
WALKER—in this city, on the 29th July, William
Thomas, the infant son of Wm. Walker, of

LEWIS—At St. Lambert, on the 25th July, in the 63rd year of his age, John Leeming

WUKELA—At Acton Vale, July the 20th, George Harward Hunter, son of the Rev. Louis C. Wukela, aged 6 months.

RYAN—On the 18th inst. at Mount Pleasant, Quebec, Katie, aged 4 years and 6 months, youngest daughter of James Ryan.

FURBER—At Ottawa, on the 23rd inst. July, William, youngest son of James L. Fullerton, aged 6 months and 27 days.

RICHARDSON—At Hamilton, Jeannie, daughter of Wm and Mary Richardson, aged 18 years and 6 months.

SPENCE—In this city, on the 28th inst., Stephen B. Spence, aged 2 years, a native of Harbor Grace, Newfoundland.

LOVET—At Quebec, on the 23rd instant, Martha

Donely, wife of Alfred Love, aged 25 years.

New Advertisements this P. M.

 **THE ROYAL FUSILIERS.** The Regiment will Parade at the City Hall on TUESDAY, 1st August, at 8 p.m.
By order, to be present.
Band will attend.
Uniform: White Tunic, Furlage Caps, Side Arms.
(By order),
179 Capt. B. Major Adjutant.

No. 1 COMPANY,
MONTREAL ENGINEERS.
The Company will Parade TO-


 NIGHT (Monday), at Armory,
 at 7.45, sharp.
 Every man must attend.
 1791 P. L. BERRY, Lieut. Commanding.

**AUCTION SALE OF OFFICE
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 INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875.

*In re A. & A. B. CHARLEBOIS, Brokers and
 Traders, Insolvents.*

The undersigned Assignee will sell by public
 auction, at 18 St. Sacramento street, on
 FRIDAY, 4th AUGUST, 1876,
 at ELEVEN o'clock a.m.,

The elegant office Furniture, Desks, Tables, Chairs,
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Tins, Oil Cloths, &c., &c., &c. The whole without reserve.

L. JOS. LAJOIE, Assignee.
Office of Perkins, Lajoie, Beaussollet & Perkins,
60 St. James street,
Montreal, 31st July, 1876. 179-4

NOTICE.—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted in my name unless by my written order.

179-3 (Signed) CHARLES MEUNIER.

WANTED, a pair of well matched Horses, young and guaranteed sound. Apply at 360 St. Paul street.

ROOMS.—Two rooms with stove; rent \$5. Apply at 2 1/2 Cadieux street. 179-4

ROOMS Wanted two bed rooms with use of bathroom, no parlor, without board; must be comfortably furnished in a pleasant locality. Address E9, Star office.

BOARD—Two steady young men can be accommodated with board in a private family of two, at 40½ Ayler street. 179-3

BOARD WANTED from the 15th September, in a private family for a steady young man. Address E8, Star office. 179-10

BOARD WANTED, by a young married couple, in West of St. George and North of Dorchester street, between E7, 7, 8 and 9. 179-8

LOST—Strayed, a young Newfoundland Dog with a red collar, and an iron medal No. 30. Five dollars reward will be paid to anyone returning the same to Thos. Phillips, No. 3 Evans street.

WANTED, a first-class Cook and House-keepers if required; a respectable middle aged English woman, best references as to character and capacity. Address—**11, St. James's Place, London, W.**

WANTED, young men to learn Telegraph Operating Business, by a first-class Teacher. Charges moderate. Apply to F. A. Lussier, No. 75 St. James street, or to J. Mignault, 31, St. Louis street. **HULL.** 179-2

WANTED, three or four good Men Waiters who understands their business and speaks both English and French. Apply to J. C. Mignault, 31, St. Louis street. **HULL.** 179-3

WANTED, a situation as Clerk in a Wholesale Dry-goods House, by a gentleman who has had 10 years experience; can furnish the highest recommendations; is a married man, and is willing to copy at home or in an office by a young man of family. **HULL.** 179-4

WANTED—A mother of a family wants work of any kind; she has much experience; and can produce references as to character and ability from the best families; a speak French. Address 90 St. John Baptist street, St. John Baptist Village. 179-2

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106 MCGILL street, Tinsmiths, Plumbers, Gas and Steamfitters.
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ROYAL VALE.

CHARLES DUNCAN,
 Tea Man and Old Country Grocer,
 895 CRAIG STREET,
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End that he has this day opened his regular busi-
ness, and will continue to keep on hand a first-class
assortment of Groceries, &c., and business will be car-
ried on under the special care of Mrs. Grant.
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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

[No. 5622.] District of Montreal.

CIRCUIT COURT, Montreal.—Union Navigation Company, Plaintiff, vs. H. Bernard, Defendant.—Will be called by public auction, by authority of justice, on Thursday, the Tenth day of August, next, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the place of sale, one of the said deeded lots, situate on Peel street, in the City of Montreal, all the goods and chattels therein being sold, consisting of 800, round, Black Clock, No. 17-1.

CLAUDE LAPIERRE, B.S.C.
MONTREAL, 31st July, 1876. 17-1

District of Montreal.

CIRCUIT COURT, Montreal.—Lamont & Higgins, Plaintiffs, vs. The City of Montreal, Grocer, Plaintiff, and Annie Gleason, of the same place, Defendant.—Will be called by public auction, by authority of justice, on Wednesday, the Ninth day of August,

At Ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile
of the said defendant, No. 158 St. Antoine street, in
the City of Montreal, all the goods and chattels of
said defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of
Household Furniture and Effects of a Toy shop, &c.
Terms cash.

R. LESSARD, R.E.C.
Montreal, 31st July, 1876. 179-1

