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THE

# MONTREAL DIRECTORY;

NEW EDITION,

Corrected in May, 1849:

CONTAINING, FIRST,

AN ALPHABETICAL DIRECTORY OF THE CITIZENS  
GENERALLY;

SECOND,

A CLASSIFIED BUSINESS DIRECTORY,

IN WHICH THE NAMES OF SUBSCRIBERS ARE ARRANGED  
UNDER THEIR PROPER BUSINESS HEADS;

THIRD,

A DIRECTORY TO THE INSURANCE COMPANIES, BANKS, NA-  
TIONAL AND BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES AND INSTITU-  
TIONS, AND TO ALL PUBLIC OFFICES, CHURCHES, &c.  
&c., IN THE CITY;

AND FOURTH,

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SSIONAL AND BUSINESS MEN OF QUEBEC.

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## P R E F A C E.

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It was not without some misgivings as to a new edition of the City Directory being remunerative, that its preparation, this year, was undertaken; but as a considerable number of the regular supporters of the work expressed a desire for its appearance, the Editor was induced to comply with their wishes, and the result is that the present volume (being the seventh annual one of the work) is now submitted to the public.

As many statements, which he believed to be exaggerated, of the alarming decrease of the population of the City, had been current for several months previous to his commencing to collect the information for this volume, the Editor resolved, as far as practicable, to ascertain the number of tenements which were unoccupied in the City in the month of May, with a view to place the matter fairly before the public.

After carefully noting the houses in each street which had a "Let" upon them, he found that the number (including *stores* and *parts* of houses) was about 950. Now if we assume, which will be about the fact, that each of the unoccupied tenements represents a decrease of six persons in population, we find that the whole number is 5,700; to this, however, may be fairly added from four to five hundred more, consisting chiefly of mechanics and others who have left the City for Upper Canada and the United States in search of employment, while their families still remain here.

This statement, which it is confidently believed, is very near the actual facts of the case, shews a decrease of at most 6,200 in our population; while some alarmists have gone so far as to state that from 15,000 to 18,000 people, that is, fully one-third of the whole population in our most prosperous times, had emigrated from the City within the last eighteen months.

When preparing the matter contained in the present volume for press, it was found that a number of persons of respectability, whose names have generally appeared in former editions of the Directory, were not noted as residing in the City,—although every house within the City limits was visited in collecting the information. In all such cases, circulars were addressed to the parties, requesting to know where they resided; and in every instance in which a reply was received, the name appears in its place in the ALPHABETICAL DIRECTORY, or in the *Addenda*, which see.

In several instances, and those at houses occupied by persons of some apparent respectability, all information was flatly refused; the parties so refusing having doubtless as good reasons for doing so, as others have for seeking them.

Notwithstanding these, and some minor difficulties in obtaining the requisite information, it is believed that the present Directory is *even more full and complete* than any former edition; and to add to its value, a list of the subscribers to the QUEBEC DIRECTORY, comprising most of the respectable PROFESSIONAL and BUSINESS MEN of that City, arranged under their respective heads, is given as an appendix. When preparing the next edition of his "*Quebec Directory*," it is the Editor's intention to give in it a similar list of the supporters of his "*Montreal Directory*;" so that the Directory of each City respectively will be in a considerable degree an advertisement for his friends and supporters in the other.

Trusting, in conclusion, that the purchasers of the Directory will find the work to be well worth its cost, as saving both time and labor; and *requesting that they will, under no circumstances, lend it to their neighbours carrying on business, who can afford to purchase the work, but don't do so;*

He has the honor to be their obliged and faithful servant,

ROBERT W. S. MACKAY.

Montreal, June 30th, 1849.

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## ADDENDA AND ERRATA.

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- Adams, W. & H. F., tailors, 149 Notre Dame street.  
Alley, Jeremiah, house Tolentine, near St. Catherine st.  
Allsopp, Miss, milliner, &c., 20½ Bonaventure street.  
Austin, Jas., shoestore, 35 M'Gill street.  
Bellhouse, Wm., & Co., general commission merchants.  
3 St. Sacrament street.  
Bockus, —, house corner St. Bernard and Bleury sts.  
Boatwick, E. N., leather store, Point-à-Callière.  
Brown, H. A., accordeonist, Vitré, near Côté street.  
Boxall, George, messenger, 59 St. Antoine street.  
Campbell, Miss, school, 146 Craig street.  
Chance, Son & Co., pattern room, 212 St. Paul street.  
Clarke, Wm., auctioneer, 77 Commissioners street.  
Clouthier, S., grocer, 20¼ Bonaventure street.  
Cowan, Andrew, office, 20 Great St. James street.  
Critchley, J., Sexton, under St. George's Church, St.  
Joseph street.  
Cushing, Job, wholesale grocer, 201½ St. Paul street.  
Daly, D. G., advocate, 49 Little St. James street.  
Diamond, John, paint store, 147 St. Paul street.  
Falconer, W. R., at New City Gas Works, Griffintown.  
Farrow, John, Clerk and Superintendent, Lachine  
Railroad Office.  
Gallagher, C., tailor and clothier, 3 M'Gill street.  
Hart, Theodore, office, corner St. Helen and Recollet  
streets.  
Hewitt, J. W., Temperance hotel, 9 Bonaventure st.  
Kidd, Chas., printer, adjoining St. Lawrence Brewery,  
St. Charles Barronée street.  
Kitchener, Mrs., milliner 175½ Notre Dame street.  
Lafleur, E. Notary, 3 St. Joseph street.  
Lesiege, Joseph, grocer, Bonsécours Market.  
Lovelace, Robert, house 83 Sanguinet street.  
MEYER, J. C., wholesale and retail furrier, 156 Notre  
Dame street.

- M'Nider, A., Painter, 10 St. Jean Baptiste street.  
 Marceau, Et., carter, 146 Craig street.  
 Molson, J. H. R., house 1 Molson Terrace.  
 MUIR, W. & J., tailors and clothiers, 18 St. François  
 Xavier street.  
 Macculloch, Ferdinand, Cashier City Bank, Place  
 d'Armes.  
 Paradis, O., dry goods, 134 Notre Dame street.  
 Ryan, Thomas, of Ryan & Chapman, house Sher-  
 brooke, near St. Denis street.  
 Spink, Wm., house Côte St. Michel.  
 Stephens, Harrison, office, 20 Great St. James street.  
 St. Hill, Philip, messenger, 5 St. Gabriel street.  
 Watson, C. P., academy, 1 St. Henry street. See  
 card.  
 Webster, A. C., office, 60 Craig street.  
 Wicksteed, H. A., house 15 Great St. James street.

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Montreal, June 21st, 1849.