

INTERESTING NEWS FOR LADIES.

Ladies who wear chignons will be glad to hear that there is every prospect before long of hair being grown in the garden, and transferred by an easy and pleasing process to the head.

It seems that cuttings of hair, properly treated will strike like geraniums; and a *savant* in Kentucky has, according to the New York *Tribune*, discovered that, by inserting the cut end of a lock of hair into a kind of paste made of two vegetables and a simple chemical, it can be made to grow, and be thence transplanted successfully to a scarified skin. In fact, all that is necessary is a small head-rake, sufficiently sharp in the tooth to scrape the skin off the scalp in little furrows; the hair should then be at once inserted in the wound. Personal beauty is thus reduced to a mere question of agony. Wigmakers will not like this, but it is impossible to deny that it will be a vast improvement on present arrangements; moreover, lovers may not only exchange locks of hair, but actually engraft these souvenirs on each other's heads, and for this reason alone the discovery will be hailed with rapture by the romantic and affectionate in every quarter of the globe.

John McNaughton and John Vachon has established a Total Abstinence Society at New Liverpool Isaac Bergeron is Treasurer.

Sillery Cove Band will turn out in grand style on Patrick's day with their new uniforms, a list of the names is appended.

Martin O'Brien, Drum Major,
Dick Power, Big Drum,
Tom McInenly, Small Drum,
Paddy Lynet, Buglar,
Wm. McPeak, Clarinet,
Chas. Dubay, Bagpipes,
Pat McPeak, Timbrells,
John Murphy, Cymbals,
Dan McHendy, Flute,
Joe. Morissette, Fiddler,
Fer. Bedard, Drummer,
M. G. bbons, Triangles.

The concert will take place in the new hall at St. Columbia church all parties wishing to spend a pleasant evening should attend P. E. Lane will sing Molly Darling, Tom Power will sing a solo, James McFrienly assisted by M. Finigan will sing Molly Asthore, also the Girl I left behind me, S. Connolly will play on the harp, the president Joe Contillon and secretary, Patrick Lambert will dance the Drops of Brandy, Ted Sullivan will dance Highland Fling, old Dempsey will dance a hornpipe on a table, assisted by old loss, Michael Langlois will preside at the piano, the piano used on this occasion has been kindly lent by M. Morgan. Tickets, Gentlemen 50 cents, Ladies 25 cents.

Patrick Lambert.
Secretary.

TO CONTRIBUTORS.

Write upon pages of a single size, Cross all your T's, and neatly dot your I's; On one side only let your lines be seen, Both sides filled up announce a Verdant Green.

Correct, yes, re-correct all that you write And let your ink be black, your paper white;

For spongy foolscap of a muddy blue Betrays a mind of the same dismal hue. Punctuate carefully, for on this score Nothing proclaims the practised writer more.

Then sent it off, and, lest it merit lack, Inclose the postage-stamps to send it back; But first pay all the postage on it, too, For editors look black on "six cents due," And murmured, as they run the effusion o'er,

"A shabby fellow and a wretched bore." Yet ere it goes, take of a copy clean; Poets should own a copying machine. Little they know the time that's spent, and care,

In hunting verses vanished—who knows where?

Bear this in mind, observe it to the end, And you shall make the editor your friend.

Dear Star,

Your old friend Mike Kennan was spreading it pretty thick on a would be fast young man called Dominick Lapointe the feet of this young man is not what you would call small and any remarks about them is sure to get his back up. Lapointe was after getting a new pair of shoes and the fitter him well enough without putting any straw into them, Well you know that Mike is very fond of news and he asked Lapointe who made his shoe that young sance Bose I told him that it was Johnny Well the blacksmith that made them well indeed said Mike I always knew that Well was a good ship smith but I never knew he could shoe a jack-ass so well this remarks of Mikes brought a fit of crying and coughing on poor Lapointe that lasted for three days and three nights. After which Jim Lapointe was hung drawn and quartered, yes he was hung in a young girls arms drew in his own sleigh and quartered at the Brass-Castle.

An editor, who has indulged in a heavy life insurance, is said to be followed, whenever he goes a-fishing, by several insurance agents, affectionately bearing life-preservers and sun umbrellas.

A meeting of the old-maids of Champlain Ward is called for meeting to take place at Michael Huck residence on Sunday next. None under 30 years will be admitted the forgotten Virgins association is invited to attend.

By Order

New Slip.

QUERIES.

A Pointe-Levy loafer, ex-trappist, ex-pilgrim, ex-zouave, found himself in Quebec one day with no money to take him home. He managed to get attested for vagrancy, and while in jail confessed to a great crime in Alaca. He was immediately hushed over to Pointe-Levis for examination into the business, when it was ascertained that his story was a fraud concocted to afford him free transportation to the dear familiar scenes of home.

WRIGHT & CO.,

Who sells the "Quebec Star" in Mountain Hill as for sale the finest St. Patricks Badge in the city.

Eria-go-Bragh.

A stranger in a Liverpool street-car, when asked for his fare, pulled off one of his shoes and drew out a fifty-pound note, remarking that if a little prudence on his part would prevent it, he didn't propose being left penniless in a strange city.

Verreault the latter wants his Pension why dont the Government give it to the decent man.

The Yankees have been very quite lately respecting the forthcoming Presidential elections but they have not been idle we are proud to be in opposition to give the earliest announcement of the fact that an influential cancers has just been held at New York at which it was decided to run M. Coogan of the firms of Coogan Bros of this city against Grant In response to a telegraphic invitation M Coogan made tracks for New York on Monday last and in a few days we may expect to here that he is on the war path whiskey rings rouse yourselves to action here is a candidate that will not fail you.

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Mr. Carson the steamboat owner will Challenge any other steamboat for a race course from Peter street to the corner of King and Dominick street where there is a widow to be the judge for him.

We learn that the "Lane Glee Club," of Diamond Harbour is practising for a concert in aid of the Protestant Defence Alliance "fund," to come off at the National School Hall, on Friday evening 17 march.

Our reporter on the War Path.

Our reporter is collecting the names of all the whiskey bummers that have succumbed to the hard winter and joined the temperance association. If the saloon keepers will only furnish us with the names of those fellows who have not paid their long standing gnog bills, we will glad by publish them.