

bit along the canal front of about 40 ft. connecting with the stone store-house marked No. 3; and the long narrow stone barn marked No. 6. I have not been able to determine the exact size of the fort, but it probably occupied the block of land situated between Montmorency and Condé Streets, and St. Patrick St. and the Canal bank, as well as about half as much more on the S. E. side of St. Patrick Street, still remembered by some of the members of this society as "The Priests Garden." The same friends remember the arched main gateway, resembling that of Cartier's ancestral home at St. Malo. The wall on Montmorency Street averages 10 or 11 feet in height, and is about 30 inches thick at the ground, tapering up to about 24 inches at the top.

This of course is quite insignificant compared with Fort Ponchartrain, but approaches the dimensions of Boisbriant.

The only openings which I noticed in this part of the wall are doors and windows, the recent origin of which is very evident.

The store-house on the canal front is about 90 feet long with a depth of about 40 ft.

The walls are still about 12 feet in height, but were considerably higher, especially at the gables, but after a fire which occurred there 25 or 30 years ago, they were reduced to their present condition.

The most noticeable features of this building are the heavy stone gateway buttresses, splayed outwards, projecting 7 feet from the walls, which measure 5 feet at the thickest part and slope to the height of the gate. At one corner is what looks like a loophole, though of primitive construction, and there is a similar one a few feet from it and another one near the South gate, but filled in at the outer end. If there were more originally, they have since been filled in.

Besides the above is the long low building, already referred to, the walls of which are not as thick as those already mentioned, measuring only 27 inches at the ground. The length