

## A QUEBEC MIRACLE.

A CASE THAT HAS ASTONISHED THE ANCIENT CAPITAL.

Thos. Crotty's Remarkable Recovery—  
Helplessness, Tortured and De-  
formed by Inflammatory Rheu-  
matism—Taken to his Home  
from a Hospital to Die  
when Relief Comes—  
The Particulars of  
the Case as Inves-  
tigated by a  
Telegraph  
Reporter.

The Telegraph, Quebec.

It is admitted on all sides that this is an age of wonders, and there is no reason why wonders should not be accomplished in medical as well as in other branches of scientific research. Of late scarcely a week passes but what we read in Canadian and American newspapers of remarkable cures accomplished through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. We confess that we have not paid much attention to their worth until lately, when more than one marvellous cure in our midst has been brought to our attention, convincing us, as well as others, of the priceless value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Among the cases thus brought to our notice is one which we consider our bounden duty to chronicle. The case is that of Mr. Thomas Crotty, a young man well known in the city of Quebec, who has been brought back from the very brink of the grave to restored health. The subject of this sketch is the son of Mr. Thomas Crotty, who resides at No. 63 St. Patrick street. Thos. Crotty, jr., is 29 years of age and for the past eight years has been a martyr to inflammatory rheumatism, in fact so much so that for the past he has been a deformed cripple. Last winter he was removed to the Hotel Dieu Hospital for treatment. Every day he gradually grew worse, and his sufferings, according to the good sisters in charge, were excruciating. The very flesh left his body; and from his chest downwards became paralyzed. His arms and legs were twisted into a misshapen condition, and the poor fellow was an object of pity to look upon. During the month of May last he became blind and deaf, and was unable to move even his head without causing intense pain. His digestive organs refused to act, and the only nourishment he could partake was milk and that had to be given him with a spoon, and at one time his mouth had to be forced open while the poor fellow was being spoon-fed. Finally his life was despaired of by the attending physicians, Drs. Vallee, Catellier and Turcotte, who admitted that they could do nothing for him, and said that his death was only a matter of time. When Crotty's mother heard this she determined on bringing her son home to die. Consequently, on the 24th of May last, the patient was wrapped up in flannels and taken to his parents' home by means of the city ambulance. After an elapse of two weeks his sight returned but otherwise his condition was apparently growing worse. It was at this juncture that the members of the family had their attention arrested by one of the remarkable cures published in the Telegraph, resulting from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Crotty asked his mother to procure some. The good woman never for a moment thought they would be of any use, but determined to gratify him. By the time the second box was used it was seen that there was a very slight change for the better, and this gave hope to persist in the use of the Pink Pills, and Crotty continued taking them until he was brought so often to the attention of the Telegraph, that we determined to investigate the matter for ourselves, and one of our reporters was despatched to see Crotty, who we knew very well for years, as he was one of the first boys, when the Telegraph was started twenty years ago, to sell the paper, and we have known him ever since and watched his enterprising career, and the majority of the citizens of Quebec will recognize in him Thomas Crotty, the book agent.

## MR. CROTTY'S STATEMENT.

When it was found that Crotty was getting better it was decided to remove

him again to the Hotel Dieu Hospital, and there our reporter found him reading a newspaper and looking quite cheerful, and apparently far from the grave. In the course of a long interview Mr. Crotty corroborated what the reporter had already heard adding that he never expected to be alive at present, and his friends who saw him alive last May entertained the same opinion. Said Crotty: "I owe my life to Dr. Williams' wonderful Pink Pills. It is well known in this city that I have suffered with inflammatory rheumatism for the past eight years, but no one but myself can know the agony I suffered, because it is indescribable. I often prayed to be relieved by death. On the 24th of May last when the doctors gave me up I was taken home and I was resigned to meet death as a pleasure, but kind Providence had willed it otherwise. It was then that I came across one of those wonderful cures through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and determined to try them. At my solicitation my mother got some, and, strange to say, before I had been taking them very long I felt difference in my condition. This encouraged me, and continuing their use, I could feel that the blood which had left off coursing through my veins was once more circulating. As time went on the terrible pains began to ease and my appetite began to return, and I found that I was being brought back from the grave to a new life. My legs and arms, which had been paralyzed, began to show life and I now became sensitive to the least draught of air. I then thought that I would be better in the hospital and was again brought back, and am improving in health and strength every day. The doctors have not interfered with my taking Pink Pills, though they first examined them very curiously."

Crotty showed the reporter how his once deformed limbs were regaining their proper shape. There is a stiffness still in the joints of his knees and wrists, which is only to be expected after his years of suffering, but in other respects he is a healthy man, eating well and sleeping well. The good sisters in charge of the hospital agree that he is cured through the agency of Dr. Williams' wonderful Pink Pills, and every day they bring visitors to see the patient and the wonderful cure which has been accomplished by this remarkable remedy, which is to-day acknowledged to be one of the greatest achievements of modern science.

The reporter called at the residence of Mr. Crotty's parents and his story was fully corroborated by Mrs. Crotty, an intelligent woman, who expressed in warm terms the gratitude she felt at her son's restoration from a life of agony, from, in fact, a living death.

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FREDERICK FINTER.

Mr. Finter is vouched for and recommended by the Rev. W. W. Quicke, rector of St. David's Church, Ottawa.

St. Patrick's T. A. &amp; R. Society.

A special meeting of the above society was held at St. Patrick's after Grand Mass on Sunday. Hon. Senator Murphy presided, and amongst those present were Messrs. Thos. Latimore, A. Brogan, N.P., P. Doyle, M. Sharkey, T. P. Tansey, A. Martin, Jas. Connaughton, Jas. Milloy, John H. Feeley, P. J. Reynolds, F. J. M. Collins, J. J. Costigan, Jas. Tierney, John Walsh, W. P. Doyle and about thirty others. The chairman made a short address, in the course of which he feelingly referred to the death of the late M. P. Ryan, who was for a number of years an active member and had for a term filled the position of president. A motion of condolence was moved by Mr. P. Doyle, and seconded by Mr. Jas. Connaughton, and after the transaction of some routine business, the meeting was adjourned to Sunday next.

## THE HOME RULE FUND.

Since our last issue we have send the following list of additional subscribers to the Home Fund, viz:—

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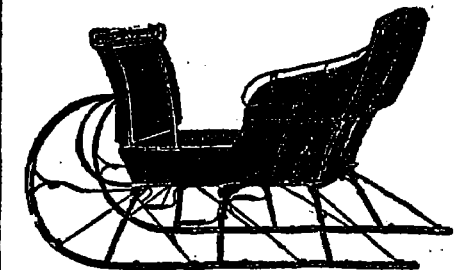
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