

site the Company's lots in the Township of Spalding, giving the Company the absolute control of this river for ten miles. The Company's lands extend for one mile on each side of the river. This block is also traversed by the rivers D'eolet and Engenie for six miles. There are several MILL SITES on this block. The same remarks as to *alluvions, quartz courses, gold deposits, black sand*, apply here, as to the Spalding lands.

The lands in the Township of SHENLEY front on the Main river Chaudière one mile, and are traversed through their entire length by the river Grande Condée. This block has been thoroughly prospected during the past summer; gold has been found at fifteen different places on it, and numerous quartz veins, impregnated with iron pyrites and ARGENTIFEROUS GALENA, have been discovered, traversing this property. A considerable fall occurs on the Grande Condée, an immense hole is at the foot of this fall, which, it is the opinion of practical miners, contains a great quantity of gold with no doubt many of the largest sized nuggets.

This opinion is formed, in consequence of gold having been found to a very considerable extent both above and below the falls. The river, just above the falls, could be easily dammed to form a head of water for hydraulic gold washing, and diverted from its course, thus preventing the water from running into the hole; the water could then be pumped out by means of a water-wheel, turned by the water coming over the dam, and the gold, which must be thousands of dollars worth, could then be easily extracted from the bottom of the hole. All along the banks of the Grande Condée large alluvial deposits exists, containing gold, which could easily be washed