

Our Mining Industries.

The mining interests of this part of the province shows signs of renewed activity for the ensuing summer, particularly asbestos mining, which is, to a large extent, limited to the summer months. Some new discoveries at Thotford and Coleraine will be developed and an outcropping of asbestos at Garthby, near lake Aylmer, partially developed by John McCaw Esq., of this city, is to be vigorously worked. The same serpentine formation extends westerly in the direction of Brompton lake and the country north of the lake, and a fair show of asbestos has been found in different localities where this formation extends. Canada produces the finest asbestos in the world, and there is every indication that it will eventually prove a very valuable addition to the mineral wealth of this province. The many uses to which this mineral can be applied, are rapidly increasing, and it is not improbable that the discovery of increased quantities of it, may yet lead to its use in the construction of fire proof houses. The construction of the proposed Mount Orford railway will probably assist in the development of mineral resources existing in the township of Orford, as well as slate and flagstone quarries. A friend writes us that he has discovered in Compton county a large extent of the very best marble, and a large deposit of iron ore, within easy railway communication. It is well known that on the property of El-eazar Clark, Esq., contiguous to this city, and on other property within the city limits, valuable iron mines exist, which only await the investment of capital in suitable smelting works to become a leading industry here. The Eustis copper mines, near Capelton, now employ about 250 men, and the smelting works established in connection with these mines will doubtless largely increase the number. The Nichols company adjoining, work their mines principally for the sulphuric acid manufactured from the ore, although we understand that the copper alone at the present advanced rate pays well for the working of the mine. Sulphuric acid enters largely into the composition of artificial manures, and there are several partially developed copper mines in this vicinity which carry a large percentage of sulphur. Until the Nichols company established their works, no attempt was made to utilize this large quantity of sulphur. Whether gold will be found in paying quantities in this immediate vicinity is doubtful, but the writer knows a locality within seven miles of Sherbrooke, where the "color" and sometimes considerably more, can be washed from every panful of gravel taken from the bed of the stream.

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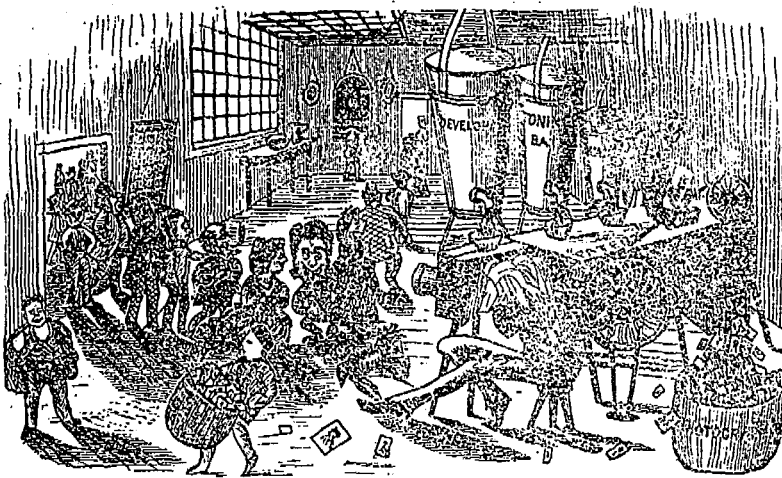
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