

THE SHEPHERD COPPER MINE.

THIS location is situated on Lot 7, Range 2, South Stukely, Eastern Townships, Canada East, containing 95 acres, title free-hold, free from any royalty or charge. (See plan.)

Sir WILLIAM LOGAN, in the condensation of his reports to the Canadian Legislature, entitled the "Geology of Canada," has pointed out the mineral resources of Canada. (See Report.) His position in the scientific world, and his contributions to the Industrial Exhibitions of England and France, have satisfactorily proved the richness of Canada in deposits of iron, copper, lead, slate, mineral manures, and mineral oils. Thus he has opened a new and rich field to the miner, which bids fair to rival all others, and has forged a new link to bind Britain to Canada by the interests of the arts and commerce. A beginning has been made in the opening of the Copper Mines of the "Huron Copper Bay," in Western Canada, and the "Acton," the "Harvey Hill," and the "Ascot," in Eastern Canada. These enterprises may be said to be yet in their earliest stages of development, still they have proved satisfactory, and hold out the most brilliant prospects for the future.

The Lake Superior region in Western Canada, although rich in minerals, is distant from the point of supply and shipment, and labors under the disadvantage of being in an unsettled and barren district.

The Eastern Townships section, on the contrary, is in a thickly settled rich agricultural country, resting on the valley of the St. Lawrence, traversed by rivers, roads, and railways, and having a means of easy supply or shipment through Montreal, Quebec, Portland, or New York. The climate is healthy, labor and provisions cheap, taxation nominal, and the law supreme.