

GRAY'S SYRUP OF RED SPRUCE GUM.

For Coughs, Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, Bronchial and Throat Affections, &c. Balsamic, Soothing, Expecto-
rant, and Tonic. A *bona-fide* Syrup of Red Spruce Gum, of
delicious flavor and scientifically prepared. Taken after
each dose of Cod Liver Oil, it will be found very service-
able in stopping the distressing Cough of Consumptive
patients.

PRICE, 25 CENTS PER BOTTLE.

For sale by all Druggists and Country Storekeepers in
the Dominion.

HENRY R. GRAY, Chemist,
MONTREAL,
Sole Manufacturer.

(Trade Mark secured for United States and Canada.)

CHRISTMAS GIFTS 1874.

FANCY INKSTANDS, in Cutglass, Bronze, Walnut,
&c., &c.
Writing Cases, Writing Desks, Portfolios, &c., &c., in
Morocco, Russia and Calf Leathers.
Gold Pen and Pencil Cases. Penholders, Gold Pens,
&c., &c.
Card Cases, in fine Russia and Calf Leathers.
Fancy Stationery, in Boxes, Portmounaies, Pocket-
books, Wallets, &c., in great variety.
Cabinet and Stationery Cases, and Desks, in Oak and
Walnut.

MORTON PHILLIPS & BULMER,

(Successors to Robt. Graham, Established 1829.)

STATIONERS, &c.,

375 Notre-Dame Street, Montreal.

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Sight is the Greatest Gem of Nature.

SAVE YOUR EYES!

RESTORE YOUR SIGHT!

Ede's Patent American Eye Liquid.

worth 20 guineas per bottle, has been proved by thou-
sands to be the best ever afforded to the public. Dim-
ness aged, weak, watery, sore, blood-shot, kells, specks,
colds, inflamed, near-sighted, over-worked, and every
disease of the eyes, cured in a few dressings. Thou-
sands of testimonials can be seen. Send a stamped
envelope for testimonials, and judge for yourself. Some
of the most wonderful cures ever witnessed in men, wo-
men, and children, all well known in Birmingham and
district; some who had been in hospitals, and under the
best medical men of the day. Not the slightest pain in
using it. Sold in bottles at 1s. 1d. and 2s. 6d. Pre-
pared only by John Ede, Snowball Villa, Birchfield
Road, Birmingham. Sent free by post for 15 and 33
stamps. 10-15-52-15.

DOMINION TELEGRAPH INSTITUTE

Was re-opened for the Winter on 12th inst. with Day and
Night Classes. Ladies and Gentlemen wishing to qualify
themselves as Telegraph Operators will please apply
personally or by letter, to 75 St. James Street, Montreal.
In consequence of so many New Lines of Railway
being opened there will be a large demand for Operators
in the Spring. 10-21-54.

E. G. MELLOR,

JEWELLER,

285 NOTRE-DAME STREET,

Has constantly on hand one of the finest stocks of

FINE JEWELLERY,

WATCHES AND DIAMONDS

TO BE FOUND IN THE DOMINION.

10-20-7-31

THE COOK'S FRIEND

BAKING POWDER

Has become a Household Word in the land, and is a
HOUSEHOLD NECESSITY
in every family where Economy and Health are
studied.

It is used for raising all kinds of Bread, Rolls, Pan-
cakes, Griddle Cakes, &c., &c., and a small quantity
used in Pie Crust, Puddings, &c., will save half the
usual shortening, and make the food more digestible.

THE COOK'S FRIEND

SAVES TIME.

IT SAVES TEMPER.

IT SAVES MONEY.

For sale by storekeepers throughout the Dominion,
and wholesale by the manufacturer.

W. D. McLAREN, Union Mills,

10-14-30-5.

55 College Street.

Amusement.

THEATRE ROYAL.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

THE GREAT ENGLISH TRAGEDIAN,

NEIL WARNER,

LATE OF DRURY LANE THEATRE, LONDON.

MONDAY, 21st INST.,

Benefit of HARRY LINDLEY.

NOTICE.—Seats can be secured at Prince's Music Store.
10-20-26-33.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

IN THE MATTER OF JOHN GAY, OF THE CITY
OF MONTREAL, BOARDING HOUSE KEEPER,
AN INSOLVENT.

I, the undersigned, David J. Craig, of the City of
Montreal, Official Assignee, have been appointed As-
signee in this matter.

Creditors are requested to file their claims before me
within one month, and are notified to meet at my office,
No. 11 Hospital Street, on Monday, the 11th day of
January, 1875, at THREE o'clock afternoon, for the
public examination of the Insolvent, and the ordering
of the affairs of the Estate generally. The Insolvent is
notified to attend.

DAVID J. CRAIG,
Official Assignee.

Montreal, 7th December, 1874.

10-24-2

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869 AND ITS AMENDMENTS.

In the Matter of Winifred Burk, of the City and District
of Montreal, Marchande Publique Trader, Wife of
Mathias Johns, of the same place, Storeman, duly
separated from her said husband, as to property, an
Insolvent.

I, the undersigned, Andrew B. Stewart, of the City and
District of Montreal, Official Assignee, have been ap-
pointed Assignee in this matter.

Creditors are requested to file their claims before me
within one month, and are hereby notified to meet at my
office, Merchants Exchange Building, in the said City of
Montreal, on Thursday, the Fourteenth Day of January
next, (A.D., 1875), at the hour of Three of the clock in
the afternoon, for the public examination of the Insolvent,
and for the ordering of the affairs of the Estate generally.
The Insolvent is hereby notified to attend.

A. B. STEWART, Assignee.

Montreal, 7th December, 1874.

10-24-2

NEW ATTRACTIONS

FOR

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEARS.

CROWDS OF PEOPLE are attracted all through the
day to the Window of 299 NOTRE DAME ST., in
which is to be seen an entire New Stock of Novelties,
consisting of Magic Lanterns and Slides, (a very fine
assorted importation,) Mechanical Toys, Children's Toys,
and Fancy Goods of every description. Also, a Choice
Selection of Opera Glasses, Telescopes, Microscopes, and
Gold and Silver Spectacles to suit all Sights.

A variety of New, Elegant Photographs just
received from LONDON, PARIS and NEW YORK.

G. J. HUBBARD,

299 NOTRE DAME STREET.

N. B.—Every article suitable for CHRISTMAS and NEW
YEAR'S Presents can be found here.

Montreal, December 15, 1874.

10-23-13-52

Merchants' Bank of Canada.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a DIVI-
DEND of

FIVE PER CENT.

upon the Capital Stock of this Institution for the current
half year has been this day declared, and that the same
will be due and payable at the Bank and its Branches
and Agencies on and after SATURDAY, the SECOND
day of JANUARY next.

The Transfer Book will be closed from the 15th to the
31st December next, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

JACKSON RAE,

General Manager.

Montreal, 25th November, 1874.

10-23-5-53.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The Limited Partnership heretofore existing between
the undersigned under the name of BURLAND, LA-
FRICAINE & CO., has been dissolved by mutual consent.
All debts owing to the said Partnership are to be paid to
G. B. Burland, and all claims against the said Part-
nership are to be presented to the said G. B. Burland, by
whom the same will be settled.

G. B. BURLAND,
G. LAFRICAINE,
W. C. SMILIE,
H. EARLE,
W. S. GILLELAN.

Montreal, 3rd December, 1874.

With reference to the above announcement the custom-
ers of the late firm of BURLAND, LAFRICAINE &
CO. are requested hereafter to favor, with their orders,
the BURLAND-DESBARATS LITHOGRAPHIC CO.,
into which the business of the late firm has been merged.
10-24-3-5

IMPERIAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
OF LONDON, Established 1803.

Capital and Reserved Fund, £2,020,000.

GENERAL AGENTS FOR CANADA:

RINTOUL BROS.,

No. 24 St. Sacramento Street, Montreal.

CHAS. D. HANSON, Inspector.

10-22-52-49

SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, - - - £1,000,000.

HEAD OFFICE FOR THE DOMINION:

No. 9 St. Sacramento Street, Montreal.

H. J. JOHNSTON, General Agent.

ISAAC C. GILMOUR, Agent, Toronto.

McKENZIE & OSBORNE, Agents, Hamilton.

10-21-52-41.

\$77 A WEEK to Male and Female Agents in
their locality. Costs NOTHING to try it.
Particulars FREE. P. O. VICKERY & CO.,
Augusta, Maine. 10-21-52-36.

The Royal Canadian Insurance Company.

FIRE AND MARINE.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED, - - \$6,000,000,

Having Over Two Thousand Stockholders.

Available Funds to meet Claims exceed Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Insure all Classes of Risks against Fire at moderate rates, which will be paid immediately on the Loss being
established.

MARINE BRANCH

This Company issues Policies on Inland Hulls and Inland Cargoes on terms as favorable as any First-Class
Company. Open Policies issued on Special Terms. Losses adjusted equitably and Paid Promptly.

AVAILABLE ASSETS INVESTED.

Stocks—Bank of Montreal,	\$85,352.50
Exchange Bank of Canada,	24,219.21
City Bank,	10,834.50
Canadian Bank of Commerce,	27,150.00
Merchants' Bank of Canada,	58,062.50
Royal Canadian Bank,	22,028.50
Ontario Bank,	13,100.00
La Banque du Peuple,	7,414.25
Consolidated Fund, City of Quebec,	2,046.79
Montreal Harbor Bonds,	50,000.00
United States Bonds,	208,954.06
Mortgage Account,	20,000.00
	\$529,162.31

Special Deposit—Exchange Bank,	\$30,000.00
—Bank of Montreal,	444.91
—Bank of Hamilton,	9,790.77
—Bank of Toronto,	20,000.00
—People's Bank Halifax,	9,000.00
United States Bonds, in Hands of Messrs. Bell, Wood and Kelly, Trustees in the United States, \$52,256.25, U. S. Currency, @ 10% (\$5,225.62) Exch.,	47,030.63
	\$116,266.31

Bills Receivable,	\$645,428.62
	138,941.75
	\$784,370.37

We quote the following clauses of the company's charter in reference to the responsibility of
shareholders:

32. It shall be lawful for any person or persons, or body politic, to subscribe for such and so
many shares as he, she, or they may think fit, and five per cent. shall be paid at the time of
subscription, and five per cent. shall be paid in three months thereafter, to be called for by the
directors, and the remainder shall be payable in such installments as a majority of the directors may
determine upon.

33. Each shareholder, until the whole amount of his stock has been paid up, shall be indivi-
dually liable to the creditors of the company to an amount equal to that not paid up thereon; but
shall not be liable to an action therefor by any creditor, before an execution against the company
has been returned unsatisfied in whole or in part; and the amount due on such execution shall be
the amount recoverable with cost against the shareholders.

DIRECTORS:—HON. JOHN YOUNG, PRESIDENT.

J. F. SINCENNES, VICE-PRESIDENT.

ANDREW ROBERTSON. J. R. THIBAUDEAU

L. A. BOYER, M.P., JOHN OSTELL,

W. F. KAY, M. C. MULLARKY, ANDREW WILSON

GENERAL MANAGER, ALFRED PERRY.

SECRETARY, ARTHUR GAGNON.

MANAGER MARINE DEPARTMENT, CHAS. G. FORTIER.

BANKERS:—BANK OF MONTREAL.

LA BANQUE DU PEUPLE.

Montreal, December 14th, 1873.

10-25-1-66

THE OTTAWA IRON AND STEEL MANUFACTURING CO.

(Limited)—CAPITAL: \$500,000, in 20,000 Shares of \$25 each.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS:—HON. JAMES SKEAD, Vice-President of the Dominion Board of Trade, and
President of the Ottawa Board of Trade.

J. M. CURRIER, Esq., M.P. for City of Ottawa. EDWARD MCGILLIVRAY, Esq., Ex-Chairman Board of Trade.

R. S. CASSELS, Esq., President Union Forwarding Co.

H. V. NOEL, Esq., Manager Quebec Bank, Ottawa.

EDWARD HAYCOCK, Esq., Ottawa.

BANKERS:—THE ONTARIO BANK.

SOLICITORS, pro tem:—MESSRS. COCKBURN, WRIGHT, and CLEMOW

SECRETARY, pro tem:—R. W. CRUISE, Esq.

THIS Company has been formed for the purpose of purchasing and working the valuable Iron Mines situate in
the Township of Templeton and Hull, in the County of Ottawa, and Province of Quebec, called the Haycock Iron
Location. The Company holding the power under the Act to "carry on the business of exploring for, mining, smelt-
ing, manufacturing, dealing in and disposing of iron and other ores and metals, and the manufacturing, selling,
"dealing in, and disposing of steel workings, or the products of iron and steel."

The property to be acquired has been carefully examined on two different occasions by the eminent Mining Engi-
neer, Dr. E. J. Chapman, Professor of Mineralogy and Geology, in the University College, Toronto, who in the
course of his full detailed report, says: "The Haycock Iron Location comprises a compact area of 300 acres of
mineral land and 100 acres of timber land, situate in the Province of Quebec, about eight miles north-east of the City
of Ottawa; together with an additional piece of land of 10 acres near the head of navigation on the River Gatineau.
This latter area has been secured partly as a storing place and loading ground for, but chiefly as a convenient site
for the erection of Furnaces. The area is connected with the mineral or iron area proper by a tramway of 6 1/2 miles
in length, and of three feet gauge. The assets of the property also include a Steam Saw Mill, of 20 horse power,
Blacksmith's Shop. Also a Derrick and other mining plant, tools, &c., together with about 5,000 tons of raised ore,
and 30 tramway cars.

"The 300 acres of mineral lands are traversed in a general north-east and south-west direction by numerous bands
of iron ore, favorably situated for mining, and for the greater part, if not entirely of workable thickness—the beds
at present openable rapidly on descending." Prof. Chapman considers that these united beds "in the more
central portion of the property alone, cannot carry less than from six to six-and-a-half millions of tons of ore, and
they probably contain a much larger amount"—and further says, "I have been anxious to keep free from all sus-
picion of exaggeration. My estimate might, therefore, be greatly increased, and still be within the truth as it takes
the bands of ore merely at their surface strength, and most of these bands, if not all, will probably be found to widen
more or less in descending.

"The ore is of very remarkable purity, and it holds on an average 64 per centum of metal, equivalent to a furnace
yield of about 60 per cent. A practical test made upon several cwt. of the ore, in a Siemens' furnace, produced at
one heat a steel of very superior quality. The cost of producing first quality pigmetal from the ore at the furnace
site on the Gatineau would not exceed \$20 per ton.

"These statements and estimates, which I have sought to keep scrupulously within the truth and which are
confirmed, I may observe, by independent and thoroughly trustworthy testimony, prove the value of the Haycock
Location as an iron property."

Trials and experiments made at some of the largest iron and steel works in England, the United States and
Canada, have in every case proved the suitability of the ore for the manufacture of steel. The reports on the pro-
perty particulars of analysis, and trials and samples of the ore, of steel ingots made in one heat from the ore, and
bars rolled in one heat from the ingot, can be seen at the office in Ottawa, and of the Agents in Montreal.

It is intended to immediately erect bloomeries for reducing the ores.
The price to be paid for the purchase of the property is \$250,000, one-half in cash, and the balance in fully paid-up
shares of the Company, in consideration of which the proprietor will make over the freehold of the estate free from
all incumbrances whatsoever.

And further, as a proof of his bona fides, and his entire confidence in the prospects of the undertaking,
He will guarantee to the Shareholders a minimum dividend of not less than

TEN PER CENT. PER ANNUM

on the paid up capital for three years from the date of the allotment of shares and as security for the due pay-
ment thereof, he will deposit in the hands of the Company the whole of his paid up shares, and give such further
security in cash as may be thought necessary for the carrying out of his guarantee.

The Capital will be called up as follows: On Application \$2 per share: on Allotment, \$3 per share; 15th January,
1875, \$5 per share, and \$2 on the 15th day of each month thereafter as the Directors may require. Shares will be
allotted according to priority of application. Applications for Stock must be made on the printed form, which, with
any further information relative to the Company can be had at the Head Office in Ottawa, or from the Agents at
Montreal, Messrs. DRUMMOND, CASSELS & CO.

Montreal, December 5th, 1874.

10-23-4-54.