

Persons whose stomachs are disorganized by a too great use of alcoholic drinks, will find this an excellent corrective, well adapted for restoring the tone to that organ and the general harmony of its functions.

Believe me, Sir, &c.

J. L. LEPROHON, M.D.

Montreal, March 31, 1849.

The proprietor of the Plantagenet Saline Springs, Mr. Charles Larocque, has requested my opinion as to the efficacy of these waters. I have lately tested them in chronic cases of dyspepsia with decided benefit, and I have found them improve the appetite and act mildly as an aperient. From their composition, as demonstrated in the analysis made by T. S. Hunt, Esq., I should consider them capable of exercising a beneficial influence on the liver and kidneys.

H. MOUNT,

M. R. C. S. L.

Montreal, April 5, 1849.

The analysis of the Plantagenet Spring Water having been submitted to me, as performed by Mr. T. S. Hunt, Chemist to the Geological Survey, I consider the water to present a valuable combination of medicinal agents, admirably adapting them for use in several diseases. They should be found capable of subserving a laxative, antacid and alterative indication, and with such objects in view, should prove valuable in scrofula, certain forms of rheumatism and gout, in urinary diseases, in which an alkaline treatment would be serviceable, and in some skin diseases connected with, and dependent upon, peculiar derangements of the stomach. Under the latter circumstances, its antacid and alterative powers should prove of eminent service.

The quantity of iodide and bromide of magnesium, appears to me considerable, and should, therefore, entitle the water to a full consideration in those diseases in which those active agents are mainly employed.

Having on numerous occasions used the water in private practice, I can testify to its unirritating action on the bowels.

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Montreal, April 10, 1849.

Since I have seen Mr. Hunt's analysis of the Plantagenet Mineral Water, I have regarded it as a valuable medicinal agent, and recom-