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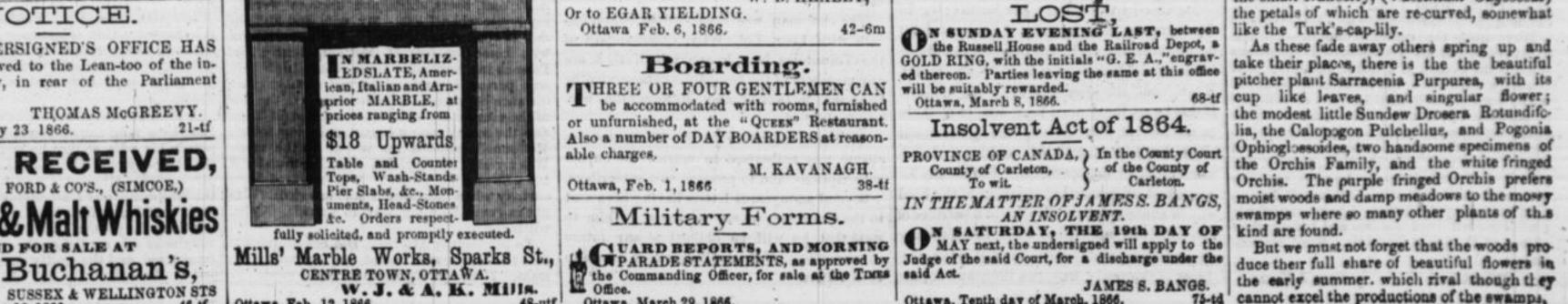
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PRESENT: HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL. The silent, soft, and humble heart, HEREAS, BY AN ACT PASSED IN the twenty-ninth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Act to provide against the in-troduction and spreading of disorders affecting certain animals," authority is given to the Governor in Council to take such measures as may appear to be necessary in order to prevent the introduction of contagious or infectious disorders affecting sheep, cat-And faith that a thousand ills can brave, tle, horses, and other animals, and check such dis-

orders from spreading, if introduced; And whereas a contagious disease or epidemic affeeting cattle prevails in many parts of Europe, and is increasing and extending its ravages, and whereas it is expedient, in order to prevent the introduction of the same into this Province, that the importation by sea of certain animals and articles should

His Excellency in Council, on the recommendation this Province, or any part thereof, by sea, of cattle, hereafter see fit to exempt from such prohibition. W. H. LEE,

February 28, 1866.

ing to affect the rights or property of other parties, are hereby notified that they are required by the 53rd and following Rules of the Legislative Coun-TWO MONTHS' NOTICE of the application (clearly and distinctly specifying its nature and object), in the Canada Gazette, and also in a newspaper published in the County or Union of Counties affected, to the Private Bill Office of each House.

All Petitions for Private Bills must be presented within the first three weeks of the Session, Chief Clerk Private Bill Office, L. Assembly. J. E. DOUCET, Clerk of Private Bills,



OTTAWA, Custom Grinding, For 1 Year, from 1st May Next.



TTIS EXCELLENCY was pleased to lay before the Council a Report from the Commissioner of Customs, dated 15th December, 1865, and approved by the Hon. the Minister of Finance, stating that under authority of sinica.) It is so small that I have seen the chapter 17 of the Con. Stat., Can., Sec. 24, an whole plant, when in bloom, amply accommo-Order in Council was passed on 28th April, dated in a moderate sized pill-box. It is 1853, directing "that Goods bona fide exported found on the Island of Orleans, near the water. to this Province from any country, but passing Buildings prepared; disputed accounts of in transitu through another country and under come the most attractive spots to the lover of Bonds shall be, until it shall be otherwise or- flowers. Unfortunately, however, the mosdered, valued for duty as if such Goods were imported direct from such first mentioned

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOV-

der in Oouncil to free as well as dutiabl Whereupon His Excellency in Council pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that free Goods passing through a foreign country TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an ap- consigned directly to Importers in Canada. plication will be made to the Provincial shall hereafter be put on the same footing as sive cultivated. The last, the Labrador Tea, Parliament at its next Session for an Act to dutiable Goods.

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that it would be desirable to extend said Or

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As these fade away others spring up and GOLD RING, with the initials "G. E. A.," engrav-ed thereon. Parties leaving the same at this office pitcher plant Sarracenia Purpurea, with its THREE OR FOUR GENTLEMEN CAN will be suitably rewarded.

be accommodated with rooms, furnished Ottawa, March 8, 1866. be accommodated with rooms, furnished or unfurnished, at the "Queen" Restaurant. Insolvent Act of 1864.

PROVINCE OF CANADA, In the County Court County of Carleton, County of Carleton, Carleton, Carleton.

Ophioglossoides, two handsome specimens of the Orchis Family, and the white fringed Orchis. The carelle friend Carleton. Also a number of DAY BOARDERS at reason-IN THE MATTER OF JAMESS. BANGS. moist woods and damp meadows to the mosey AN INSOLVENT.

Ottawa, Tenth day of March, 1866.

would not be more prudent to ask leave to withdraw from my undertaking, as I could not but feel considerable misgivings as to the result, and if I have disregarded the suggestions of prudence, and rasuly ventured to ask the attention of a learned society to a few comings, and not to criticize too-severely my

In Eastern lands the study of Botany has will be from 100 to 150 cords per week during the months of November, December, January, Febru- been pursued from the earliest ages. We ary, and March, and from 30 to 60 cords per week are told that King Solomon "spake of the "trees from the cedar tree that is in Lebapon "even unto the hyssop that springeth out of

In Eastern lands they talk in flowers, And tell in a garland their loves and cares All Tenders must be made on printed forms, Each blossom that blooms in their garden

> On its leaves a mystic language bears. The Rose is the sign of joy and love-Young blushing love in its earliest dawn; And the mildness that suits the gentle dove, From the Myrtle's snowy flower is drawn.

Innocence shines in the Lilly's bell, Pure as the heart in its native beaven ; Fame's bright star and glory's swell, In the glossy leaf of the Bay are given.

In the Violet's hidden sweetness breathes; And the tender soul that cannot part, A twine of Evergreen fondly wreathes The Cypress that daily shades the grave, Is sorrow that mourns her bitter lot;

Speaks in thy blue leaves Forget-me-not.

Then gather a wreath from the garden bowers And tell the wish of thy heart in flowers. In our northern latitudes, and with our fondness for dealing with hard facts, the lan

of the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture, and guage of flowers is, I fancy, pretty nearly under the authority given and conferred by the said | unknown; but I hope that, if we fail to equal Act, has been pleased to order, and it is hereby or-dered, that on, from and after the FIRST day of we shall not be behind them in real practical MARCH next, the importation or introduction into knowledge. There is nothing in creation sheep, horses, swine, asses and mules, meat, skins, which will not amply repay the labor bestowed hides, horns, hoofs, or other parts of such animals, in observation and study; whether we turn hay, straw, and fodder, be, and the same is hereby to land or water, forest or mine, the animal devote his attention to the composition of the crags which tower upwards to the skies; our Clerk Executive Council. 66-tf learned curator plunges-not perhaps bodily, but mentally-into the deep, and spreads be-

fore us the wonders of the finny tribe. But to return to my subject. Before the last patch of snow has melted from the hill side, the beautiful little Mayflower (Epigea Repen) bursts its buds, and dots its dark ing to make application to the Legislature for Private or Local Bills, either for granting exclusive creeps round the granite boulders and peeps privileges, or conferring corporate powers for commercial or other purposes of profit, for regulating surveys or boundaries, or for doing anything tendand bright golden blossoms, nodding in the sunshine, is also one of our earliest spring cil and Legislative Assembly respectively, (which flowers. Near it, in the hedge-rows, or on are published in full in the Canada Gazette), to give the outskirts of the woods, may very fre-

quently be found the dark purple Trillium,

(Trillium Erectum,) a very showy flower, but

emitting, unfortunately, a strong, disagree sending copies of the first and last of such notices, able odor, which makes it unsuitable for Insignificant as if may appear to the casual bserver, the Claytonia Virginica, or Spring Beauty, is surpassed by few spring flowers in the delicacy of its coloring or in the elegance

> The whole structure of this simple little plant is well worth attention. The leaves are two, and opposite, springing from a stem which comes from a small tuber. The Painted Trillium (Trillium Frythro carpum) is generally very pleutiful amongst the maple groves in the spring, and seems to

delight in rocky places; for I have usually found the finest flowers amongst the boulders ? on the side of a hill. One of my favorite spring flowers is the Sanguinaria Canadensis, or Canadian Bloodroot; it is not quite so common as those flowers already mentioned, but it is very beautiful, easily cultivated, and improves much by cultivation. An orange-colored juice is found in all parts of the plant, but it is most abundant in the rootstock. The root of the Sanguinaria, when powdered, is said to be useful in diseases of the lungs; it induces profuse

to the system. If we leave the more open parts and plunge into the woods, we shall find growing at tae foot of moss-grown stumps the Clintonia Borealis; the flower is a pale yellow and not very showy, but the leaves are a very hand some, deep, glossy green. This plant may readily be found in the autumn, as the seed is encased in large, dark-blue berries, growing four or five, or more, on a stalk. Perhaps the most interesting of the many

beautiful flowers, found in the Quebec D.s-

trict, is the Fairy Primrose, (Primula Mistas-

per-piration, and, in small doses, gives a tone

As the season advances, the swamps beguitoes are equally pleased with these localities, and are very attentive to strangers who go to enjoy their beauties; in fact they may be said to be unceasing in their polite attentions. Round the edges of these swamps will be found the Ruodora Canadensis, the Kalmia Augustif lia, the Kalmia Glauca and the Ledum Palustre, or Labrador Tea; these are all fine shrubs, and, in England, are extenof which I am sorry I have not a sketch, is

12-tf and exhilarating quality. In the north of Europe this plant is secretly employed by brewers, to give headiness to beer. One variety of Luly's Slipper (Cypripedium the undersigned will apply at the next ensuing Acaule) is also found in great abuntance session of Parliament of this Province for an act amongst the moss along the edges of these Society of Upper Canada, and his call to the Bar of Upper Canada. The little smilacina bifolia, authorizing his admission as a Member of the Law swamps. The flowers are sometimes rel and sometimes called the wild-lily of the valley, 52-2m is also found amongst the moss, as well as the small cranberry, (Vaccinium Oxycoccus) the petals of which are re-curved, somewhat

one of the plants which has been use I as a

substitute for tea. The leaves are said to be

stringent, and to possess a narcotic, soothing

68-tf cup like leaves, and singular flower; the modest little Sundew Drosers Rotundifolia, the Calopogon Pulchellus, and Pogonia swamps where so many other plants of this

75-td cannot excel the productions of the swamps,

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