

Mr. Donald Archibald, ex-M. P. P., discovered a remarkably fine lead of gold at Moose River, Halifax Co., the day before Christmas.

Exposition of 1876.—Wandering through the United States section of this truly wonderful Exhibition, hyper-ornamented and over-displayed as the most of it is, I came upon an elegant glass case, whose modesty was the more conspicuous from its neighbors' finery, surrounded by the motto *Dignis Præmia* and displaying in neat packages, the medical preparations of the house of Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., of Lowell, Mass.

I was aware of the world-wide reputation of this eminent firm, for the character and quality of their goods, and remember well their agents in London, Messrs. NEWBERRY, in St. Paul's Church yard. Having a leisure hour, I determined to examine the contents of this case, myself, and I was surprised to see the delicate perfection to which they have brought their household remedies. I was chagrined at the reflection that, while we have at home the most skillful and pre-eminently the best physicians in the world, these yankee doctors distance us so far in the line of popular medicines for family use. They have the sharpness to take advantage of the high scientific discoveries among us and make pills and potions as palatable as they are salutary. I was told by a leading druggist in Philadelphia, that Dr. Ayer's manufactory was the largest in America, giving employment to hundreds. I must go to Lowell and see it, on my way home.—*Correspondence of the London (Eng.) Telegraph.*

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