

Lo.b. and No. 1 Spring sold yesterday at about \$1.04. Oats slow of sale, and not worth over 36c. Barley inactive. Peas weak; car of No. 1 sold at 70c. on track. On street Fall wheat brought \$1.07 to 1.08; Treadwell, \$1.03; Spring \$1.02 to 1.03; Oats, 40c.; Barley, 55c to 64c. and Peas, 71c. to 72c.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Yesterday evening the Lake Champlain of the Canada Shipping Company's line came into port after a favorable voyage.

The Bently steamer Ontario left Sarnia, May 9, for Lake Superior with a fair load of freight, a heavy mail, and 657 steerage and upward of 50 cabin passengers. The steerage passengers are made up of 500 Mennonites from Berlin; 100 French emigrants from Pennsylvania for Dufferin, Manitoba; and the balance Government men for Fort William. The Manitoba leaves on Friday night.

Yesterday's arrivals at Quebec were SS. "Lake Champlain," Liverpool, general cargo; SS. "Phonician," Glasgow, 70 passengers; SS. "Quebec," Liverpool, 22 passengers; SS. "Thames," London, 12 cabin and 4 steerage passengers.

The shipments of refined sugar from the United States to Canada during the four months ending 30th ult., were 4,450,216 lbs., an average export of 1,125,554 lbs. per month. If this trade be sustained the year's exports of sugar from the States to this country will be 50 per cent. in advance of the shipments of 1875.

MIDLAND RAILWAY OF CANADA.—The Statement of Traffic Receipts for the week, from 21st to 29th May, 1876, in comparison with same period last year:

Passengers, \$1,611.40; Freight, \$5,147.64; Mails and Express, \$280.09; Total, \$7,039.22. Same week last year, \$6,949.14. Increase, \$90.08. Total Traffic to date, \$79,114.53; do. year previous, \$67,543.18. Increase, \$11,571.35.

F. WHITEHEAD, Secretary.

Exports per SS. Peruvian, Portland to Liverpool, May 6th, 1876.

Shaw Brothers & Cassils, 192 rolls leather; A. G. McEann, 10,005 bush. oats; R. R. McDonnell, 10,704 bush. oats; E. L. Girard, 394 bush. pens; J. R. Dundas, 1,600 bush. wheat; Heath & Pinnimore, 16,800 bush. wheat; W. H. Hutchins, 3,200 bush. wheat; G. Carter & Son, 2,800 bush. wheat; J. W. Priestly, 2,400 bush. wheat; A. McFee & Co., 400 bush. pens; R. H. Lauder, 400 bush. pens; John Bruce, 4,000 bush. wheat; Small lots, 61 brls. pork, 647 brls. lard, 75 brls. tallow, 325 boxes bacon.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.—Port of Montreal—the SS. Sardinian, from Liverpool, and the SS. Flamborough, from Picton, the latter loaded with coal, arrived yesterday. Departures—Allan SS. Polynesian for Liverpool—Schooner Mary Star of the Sea, cargo of flour and pork, for St. John's, Nfld; SS. Polino, general cargo, for Picton; SS. Glisland, wheat, peas and oats, for London; schooner Camilla, flour, St. John's, Nfld; schooner C. Bernier, flour, St. John's, Nfld; schooner Zelia, flour, Harbor Grace, Nfld; brigantine Elie, general cargo, St. John's, Nfld.

UNITED STATES CHEESE MARKET.—At Little Falls, on Monday the Cheese market was active with large offerings. Some sales of full cream cheese were made at 10c., partly skimmed at 7c. to 8c., and skimmed at 5c. to 6c., mostly of the latter quality, was sent forward on commission. Several farm dairies were in and sold at 8c. to 9c. Factories are generally in full operation, and with the growing grass, the make will soon be large. The current impression is that prices will range much lower during the season than last year.

In New York the outward movement for last week was 19,962 boxes, containing a great many consigned lots, and the stocks now really commence to show small in some cases, but there is no scarcity of cheese, and dealers wish it understood that buyers will still be treated with much courtesy. The show of confidence in fancy September make, especially colored, is still maintained by owners, but buyers have not asked to be shown much of it at the prices asked, which approximate closely to 13c. The offering of new has again been pretty much all skims and half skims, with sales at 30c. to 30 1/2c. for a few extra fine. About 11c. seems to be considered all that can be obtained for full cream cheese.

FIRST STEAMSHIP FROM SEA.—The Allan mail steamship Polynesian, Capt. R. Brown, from Liverpool, April 20, anchored at Goose Island, at 6 p.m. on Friday, steamed up to Indian Cove, at 9.30 a.m. on Saturday, where she remained some time to allow the heavy ice to go down with the tide. She was moored at her wharf at the G.T. Depot about 1 p.m. The Polynesian brought the mails, 25 cabin, 16 intermediate, 189 steerage passengers, and a large general cargo.

The Polynesian cleared at the Custom House, on Saturday last, for Montreal, this being the first ocean vessel upwards this season.—*Quebec Chronicle*.

S.S. "Thames," Campbell, master, from London, passed Father Point, 6.10 a.m., Wednesday. All well.

S.S. Lake Champlain, arrived at Father Point, at noon Tuesday. All well.

S.S. Quebec, arrived at Father Point, at 5.30 a.m., on Wednesday.

GRAIN SHIPMENTS.

From Kingston to Montreal, May 6.

Barge "Albert", 191 tons, 12,041 bushels spring wheat, Kirkpatrick & Cookson, Montreal. Barge "Onida", 319 tons, 18,200 bushels No. 1 spring wheat, D. Butters & Co., Montreal. Barge "Alfred", 190 tons, 11,464 bushels No. 1 spring wheat, D. Butters & Co., Montreal. Barge "Seneca", 362 tons, 17,355 bushels spring wheat, D. Butters & Co., Montreal. Barge "Iowa", 385 tons, 20,667 bushels spring wheat, D. Butters & Co., Montreal. Barge "Mohawk", 397 tons, 4,353 bushels wheat, D. Butters & Co., Montreal; 16,076 bushels wheat J. & R. Lusselle Montreal. May 9, 10,260 bushels fall wheat, order. May 3. From Toronto to Montreal, 12,984 bushels spring wheat, order Bank of Montreal.

IMPORTS.

Comparative statement of Imports at the Port of Montreal from 1st January to 11th May, 1875 and 1876:

	1875.	1876.
Ashes.....	3,832	4,392
Bacon.....		
Barley.....	22,048	60,411
Butter.....	15,213	11,554
Cheese.....	1,505	4,656
Corn.....	16,647	4,800
Flour.....	235,409	192,938
Lard.....	100	11,501
Oats.....	29,582	46,693
Peas.....	261,525	166,706
Pork.....	8,758	4,143
Wheat.....	262,469	559,411

REMARKS.

Ashes.—Receipts for the week, 712 brls. Pot, 6 brls. Pearl. Increase, 562 brls.

Bacon.—Receipts, —

Barley.—Receipts, 350 bush. Increase, 38,363 bush.

Butter.—Receipts, 330 brls. Decrease, 3,659 brls.

Cheese.—Receipts, 251 boxes. Increase, 3,151 boxes.

Corn.—Receipts, bush. Decrease 11,847 bush.

Flour.—Receipts, 27,440 brls. Decrease, 42,471 brls.

Lard.—Receipts, 3,500 brls. Increase, 11,401 brls.

Oats.—Receipts, 18,743 bush. Increase, 17,111 bush.

Peas.—Receipts, 9,325 bush. Decrease, 94,819 bush.

Pork.—Receipts, 838 brls. Decrease, 4,615 brls.

Wheat.—Receipts, 18,200 bush. Increase, 296,942 bush.

EXPORTS.

Comparative statement of Exports of leading articles at the Port of Montreal, from the 1st January to 11th May, 1875 and 1876.

	1875.	1876.
Ashes.....	1,879	1,247
Bacon.....	11,161	24,719
Barley.....	18	
Butter.....	21,128	17,837
Corn.....	64,501	26,395
Cheese.....	4,070	25,462
Flour.....	39,380	3,512
Lard.....	5,804	15,356
Oats.....	98,047	90,955
Peas.....	321,085	148,896
Pork.....	2,087	2,629
Wheat.....	497,722	557,359

REMARKS.

Ashes.—Exports for the week, — brls. Pot, — Pearl. Decrease, 632 brls.

Bacon.—Exports, 325 boxes. Increase, 13,558 boxes.

Barley.—Exports, —

Butter.—Exports, — brls. Decrease, 3,291 brls.

Cheese.—Exports, — boxes. Increase, 21,392 boxes.

Corn.—Exports, bush. Decrease, 38,166 bush.

Flour.—Exports, brls. Decrease, 35,868 brls.

Lard.—Exports, 647 brls. Increase, 9,552 brls.

Oats.—Exports, 20,709 bush. Decrease, 7,992 bush.

Peas.—Exports, 1,194 bush. Decrease, 172,699 bush.

Pork.—Exports, 61 brls. Increase, 442 brls.

Wheat.—Exports, 33,200 bush. Increase, 59,637 bush.

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