

are obtained for nearly all descriptions of goods; whilst the number of unemployed operatives is daily decreasing in both the mines and manufactories. Money also continues to get more abundant, and the rate of interest rules low. The market for breadstuffs has been in an unfavorable position; supplies are plentiful, and dealers make purchases with caution—prices, therefore, have been declining. Cotton has been taken to a fair extent, but the market is now tame, with rather a declining aspect. The demand for Colonial produce has been large. East India sales have taken place at most of our leading markets, and although immense supplies have been brought forward, prices are well supported. This remark applies particularly to Sugar. All descriptions of Metals are in fair request, and prices have an upward tendency. The Stock market both for English and American Securities has been active, and prices generally have advanced since the date of our last issue. Our commercial reports from the leading mercantile cities and maritime ports of Europe are of a favorable character; and from the tone adopted in our last advices from India and China, we have, everything considered, reason to be satisfied with the present state and future prospects of trade in that quarter of the globe.

Montreal, Monday noon, 12th March, 1849.

FLOUR.—No alteration from last quotations, viz, 21s 3d to 24s 6d. Sales trifling.

GRAIN, nothing to quote.

ASHES.—Pots, 28s to 28s 6d. Pearls, 29s 3d to 30s.

PROVISIONS.—Mess Pork has been placed at \$16. No other quotations.

EXCHANGE.—Bank continues at 10½ per cent premium.

STOCKS.—Sales of Commercial Bank at 2 per cent. Montreal Bank, 2½ per cent. British Bank, 12 per cent. City Bank, 45 per cent before the meeting of Saturday. All these rates are discount from the par paid up. Montreal Consols have been sold on time at about 20s, and for cash at 17s to 17s 6d.

At the City Bank meeting above referred to, it was resolved to reduce the stock 25 per cent, and to carry on the Institution

We make the following extracts from the circular of Mr. T. C. Orr:—

Glasgow, 23d February, 1849.

The downward tendency of the Corn Market experienced when writing for steamer of the 9th inst., has continued throughout the past fortnight. The decline on Flour being 1s per barrel, on wheat fully 1s per boll.

ASHES—No transactions,—considerable supplies have been received via New York on consumer's account, which cost them, delivered here, about 34s per cwt.

TIMBER—being now in few hands, has advanced about 1d per foot on all descriptions, but which is reluctantly paid, owing to the depression in the various branches of building.—*Montreal Witness.*

BIRTHS.

Montreal—11th instant, Mrs. Wm. R. Wright; a son. 10th instant, Mrs. P. St. Hill; a daughter. 16th ultimo, Mrs. J. E. Ryan; a son. 6th ult., Mrs. W. Allen; a son. 8th inst., Mrs. R. H. Radford; a son. 7th inst., the wife of Capt. Griffith, D.A. Adjutant General; a son. 7th inst., M. H. Cotton; a son. 10th instant, Mrs. T. Jenkins; a son. 14th ult., Mrs. A. R. Robb; a daughter.

Brockville—23th ult., the wife of W. B. Richards, Esq., M.P.P.; a daughter.

Coteau du Lac—1st inst., the wife of Dr. Dunn; a daughter. Hemmingford—20th ult., Mrs. Thomas Gains; a daughter.

Lachine—6th inst., Mrs. William Davidson; a son.

Port Hope—1st inst., the wife of James Smith, Esq., M.P.P.; a son. Rawson, C. E.—16th ult., Mrs. John Holmes; a son.

Kirk all, Fergus—13th ultimo, the lady of the Rev. G. Smellie; a son. Lochiel—12th instant, Mrs. O. Quigley; a son.

MARRIAGES.

Montreal—6th inst., by the Rev. J. Girdwood, Mr. William Chisholm, to Miss Catherine Allau. By the Rev. W. Taylor, Mr. Henry Brown, of Boston, to Charlotte, third daughter of Mr. C. Ward.

Aylmer—14th ult., Catherine, daughter of the late Lieut. Johnston, to E. W. Cooke, Esq.

Chambly—6th inst., by the Rev. J. P. White, Dr. F. Morson, of Montreal, to Miss Georgiana Mary Anne, daughter of the late Assistant Commissary General, A. Kuper, of Chambly.

Leith, Owen Sound—2d ult., by the Rev. Mr. Hutchinson, Mr. James Beith, of Sydenham, to Elizabeth, second daughter of John Telfer, Esq., of Owen Sound.

Limerick—7th ultimo, Mr. H. O'Connor, of Quebec, to Lucy Mary, eldest daughter of the late Thomas O'Grady, Esq., of that city.

Quepeli—21st ult., by the Rev. G. McGregor, Mr. Robert Campbell, farmer, of the Township of Quepeli, to Jane, daughter of M^r. George Flemming, of the same. 23rd ult., Mr. Wm. Allan, to Agnes, only daughter of Mr. Andrew McFarlane, farmer, York Road.

Elora—21st ult., Mr. James Davidson, miller, to Miss Ann Leslie, both of that place.

DEATHS.

Montreal—12th instant, Harriet L. Hatch, wife of J. B. Ryan, aged 29. 8th instant, Bartholomew O'Brien, a native of Clonmel, County of Tipperary, Ireland. 6th inst., Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. R. Siver, aged 2 years and 2 months. 7th instant, Jane Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. A. R. Ross; aged 11 years. 7th instant, of scarlet fever, Frances Amelia, only child of the late J. H. Arvater, aged 3 years.

Berthier—6th inst., the Hon. James Cuthbert, aged 80 years. North Georgetown—24th ult., Alex. Thomson, of Argyleshire, Scotland, aged 32 years.

Quebec—3d inst., Rachel Street, relict of the late J. Noad, Esq., aged 62 years. 2d instant, Robert, youngest son of Mr. James Macdougall, Engineer, aged 2 years.

Drummondville—23d ult., F. Hutt, Esq., aged 47 years. Odelltown—22d ultimo, Mr. John Borrowdale, aged 71 years.

St. Hyacinthe—26th ultimo, Charles Bouchard, Esq., formerly of Quebec.

Winooski Falls, Vermont—21st ult., James Robert, aged 23, eldest son of the Rev. James Buckham, late of Sorel.

Kingston—9th instant, Robert Rose, second son of the Rev. Professor Romnes, aged 19 years.

Perth—2d instant, Mary Elizabeth Harris, eldest daughter of Wm. O. Bell, Esq., aged 3 years. 19th ultimo, after an illness of some weeks, John Bell, Esq., (brother of R. Bell, Esq., M.P.P., for Lanark,) in the 43d year of his age.

Kirkton House, near Glasgow, Scotland—10th ultimo, Alexander Cochran, Esq., brother-in-law of the Hon. Wm. Cochran Morris, aged 52 years.

New Aberdeen—18th ult., Wm. Philip, Esq. Quepeli—2th inst., Betsy, wife of Mr. A. Stephens, aged 42; a native of Helstone, Cornwall, England.

Pulichit—12th ult., Margaret Anne, daughter of the late Mr. John Patterson, aged 11 years.

Simcoe, C.W.—25th ult., Andrew Geddes, son of Francis Gore Stanton, Esq., aged 1 years and 6 months.

Pointe Claire—7th March, of scarlet fever, Wm. Geo. Ellery, only son of John Ellery, aged 4 years.

Sudbury, on the 28th ultimo, the Rev. L. A. Montminy, Curé of St. Germain and St. Lazare, County of Bellechasse, aged 45 years.

Monies Received on Account of

Advocate—Montreal, W. Walker, Mr. Bigelow, James Steele, 2s 6d each; Port Stanley, D. Cameron, 50s; do per R. J. Jeaneret, 5s; Clarence, A. Sherriff, 15s; Albion, G. Bolton, 25s; Perth, W. Allan, 12s 6d; Richmond, P. McElroy, 2s 6d; New Glasgow, John Lloyd, 2s 6d; Amherstburgh, Alex. Bartlett, 20s; Millbrook, M. Knowlson, 5s; Vankleek Hill, J. Denovan, 2s 6d; Kemptville, R. Leshe, 20s; New Carlisle, J. McClellen, 2s 6d; do J. Colville, 2s 6d; West Farnham, J. Bowker, Jr., 2s 6d; Hemmingford, Rev. J. Douglas, 10s; Ormstown, J. Russell, 2s 6d; Richmond Hill, E. Dyer, 25s; Lachute, Mr. Rème, 2s 6d; do S. Orr, 2s 6d; Waterford, C. Merrill 15s; West Williamsburgh, D. Rose, 2s 6d; Streetsville, James Glendinning, 10s; Murray, C. Biggar, 40s; Quebec, G. Mathieson, on acct., £8 7s 6d; do T. Banks, 2s 6d; Preston, W. Tilt, 20s; Chippawa, Rev. L. Brownell, 5s; Toronto, per A. Christie on acct., 2s 6d; York Mills, J. Davis, 5s; Vaughan, T. Playter, 2s 6d.—Per Mr. Wadsworth—Cobourg, P. McCallum, O. W. Powell, James Crull, S. Doney, W. Metcalf, George Helm, S. Helm, John Helm, Ssr., A. Hewson, John Wilson, P. Martin, Miss Carpenter, John Holman, H. Terry, W. Kittson, P. Dobson, R. Crosson, E. Perry, A. McDonald, W. Alexander, J. D. Thatcher, John Mitchell, R. Peden, 2s 6d each; Port Hope, M. Hay, H. Saunders, A. Choate, W. Parsons, S. Crawford, James Ashford, R. Maxwell, James Hawkins, Thomas Quay, C. Quinlan, Alex. Morrow, 2s 6d each; Rev. R. L. Tucker, 105s; Newcastle, Rev. W. Hill, 184s, 2s 6d; S. McCoy, S. Honey, D. Massay, W. Allen, Joseph Reed, Joseph Brown, 2s 6d each; Darlington, J. Rogerson, 184s, W. Elford, do, 2s 6d each; D. Fisher, M. Cryderman, J. Farley, E. Pathneck, J. Radd, 2s 6d; W. Williams, 40s; Scarborough, R. Hoodless, Mrs. Hutchinson, John Street, James Ormerod, 2s 6d each; Oshawa, J. McMillan, James Teaver, J. Wood, J. Boyd, Geo. Lee, T. Garry, W. Keddie, 2s 6d each; Maraposa, J. McBrain 2s 6d each; Whithy, H. Hanam, J. Jamieson, J. Cockell, W. Johnston, 2s 6d each; Pickering, J. Patton, 2s 6d; Markham, Rev. L. Messmore, 2s 6d; T. Spreight, 2s 6d; Columbus, R. Harper, Mrs. Tawilagar, G. Hazeldine, R. Ashton, T. Beal, G. Salter, J. Tucker, N. A. Clarke, A.-Smith, James Adams, W. May, J. Scurreth, T. Mason, 2s 6d each; W. A. Pringle, 5s; John Black, 5s.