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per lb. ; tea, 4s. per lb. ; sugar 6d. per lb. ; eggs, 6d. per dozen ; butcher meat, 3½d. per lb. All these articles are easily procured on the way. From Grenville to Bytown is 63 miles, and the barges are towed by a steamer, and reach in about 15 hours.

A great error is committed by the emigrant in asking exorbitant wages on his arrival ; he should content himself at first with from six to seven dollars a month, with board, which is all he can expect for the first year. Many emigrants, on arriving at Quebec and Montreal, have not the means to carry them forward, but they find no difficulty in getting work, and are very soon enabled to lay up sufficient to carry them up the country. They should on no account remain in Quebec or Montreal during winter, as they would assuredly have much privation and hardship to contend with. However high the wages may be in the busy season, the winter presents to them a barren prospect.

At Kingston, there are steamers for Toronto, distant 170 miles, and for Hamilton, at the head of Lake Ontario, distant from Kingston 210 miles. The time occupied at Toronto is 23 hours : the deck fare is usually 7s. 6d. 0 7 6 Last season it was only 5s. for each adult, exclusive of provisions. Two children under fourteen years of age are charged as one passenger. The distance from Quebec to Toronto is 606 miles. Time occupied in performing it about ten days. Total expense for each adult including provisions, . . . L.2 6 4

Mr Widder, one of the Commissioners of the Canada Company, has furnished the following statement with reference to tillage, which he states he procured from a very intelligent and respectable yeoman, settled in the London district, Western Canada, and it corresponds so nearly with my own experience, that it will apply to both portions of the province :—

Cost of clearing 10 acres of heavy timbered land, in the usual Canadian fashion, with an estimate of the crops to be produced therefrom during the first three years after clearing :—