# THE TRUE WITNESS AND CATHOLIC CHRONICLE

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the district. The first took place at Batoche and the second at Duck Lake. About sixty persons attended the latter. Dumont gave a description of what he had seen during his travels. He had read in the papers that he was going to raise a large bedy of mon in Montana and was coming over into Canada to raise trouble. This was false. At New York he was given a recontion by French citizens there. He gave them an account of the trouble of 1885. While in Quebec he spoke at many neetings. He said that a given number of halfbreeds well armed could whip a similar number of any other nation in the world. He was in Ottawa but did not call on Sir John, the latter should have called on him. An amnesty had been granted the rebels by the Dominion Government, and they should now get all their cattle and other things which had been confiscated. A petition was to be sent to the Lieutenant-Governor at Regina for his signature and approval and then to Ottawa. If Mr. Royal refused to sign it he would go to Ottawa as a deputation himself. The claims had to be paid,

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## **OBITUARY**

#### Hon. Robert Dunsmuir. the B. C. Coal and Railway Magnate.

Hon Robert Dunsmuir, M.P.Y., president of

Mr. Gilmour was employed by the H. B. Co. to explore for and open up mines for them, in Vancouver Island, the result of which was

the discovery of the mines now the property of

the Vancouver Coal company, at Nanaimo, on

the east coast of the Island. On Mr. Gilmour's return to Scotland in 1853, Mr. Dunsmur was

the Hanword coal mines, in the same locality, owned by the Hon, Capt. Lacelles, R.N. (since deceased), but as they turned out a fizzle shortly afterwards, Mr. Dunsmuir resigned

the management and devoted his time to pros-

which he held the controlling interest, owning nearly two-thirds of the stock. At the time of

three other steamers of 6,000 tons each, which

are now under construction at Newcash, which are now under construction at Newcashe on-Type and will shortly be completed, when they will be put to ply between the New Union Mines and San Francisco. Mr. Dansmuir was

a man of great enterprise and business capacity, and combined an iron will and indomitable de-

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# THE WRECK OF THE "DENMARK."

The Abandoned Ship Found. But 722 Crew and Passengers Missing.

QUEENSTOWN, April 12 - The Inman line steamer City of Chester, from New York, arrived to day. She reports that on April 8, in lat. 46 N., long. 37 W., she passed the Dan-ish steamer Denmark, from Christiansand, Copenhagen, fer New York. The Denmark had been abandoned by her crew. Her stern was level with the sea and her bow stood high left in sole managements of the mines, and con-tinued to fill that position for many years to the full satisfaction of the company. In 1865 he was induced to accept the management of out of the water. She was apparently sinking. The Denmark was a vessel of 2,260 tons and belonged to the Thingvalia line. She was commanded by Capt. Knudsen. The pecting on his own account. After spending some five years in this work, he was at length rewarded by the discovery of the now famous Wellington coal mines, which are superior to Danmark was formerly the Balgian steamer Jan Breydel. She was a barque-rigged vessel and was 340 feet long, 40 feet in breadth and 26 feet deep. She was built at Newcastle,

and was 340 feet long, 40 feet in breadth and 26 feet deep. She was built at Newoastle, England, in 1880. NEW YORK, April 13.—The steamship Island, from Copenhagen, which it was thought might have some news of the pas-sengers of the steamer Denmark, has arrived, but brings no news of the latter vessel. On beard of her wers many steerage passengers whe intended to have salled on the Denmark, but through delay they had to wait for the Island. Island.

LONDON, April 13 .- It has been definitely his death he was engaged in opening up the ex-tensive and valuable "Union" collieries in the Comox valley, on the Island, about 65 miles to the north of the Wellington mines. In connecascertained that there were 722 persons on board the Danmark. This number includes 628 passengers and 54 officers and crew. Captain Bond, of the City of Chester, believes Captain Bond, of the City of Chester, believes tion with the above enterprises Mr. Dunsmuir the passengers and orew of the Danmark gave employment to nearly 2,000 men, and were rescued. He bases his belief on the was also the owner of a fleet of sailing vessels and steamships representing many thoufact that the Denmark's boats were gone. A chain cable was hanging over the how, and this last leads Captain Bond to believe she had been in tow of another vessel. NEW YORK, April 14.—No news came. al-

NEW YORK, April 14.-No news came, although two transatlantic liners arrived. One, the Amsterdam, from Rotterdam, passed al-most the spot where the City of Chester saw the Denmark on the day previous to that on which the Ohester reports the wreck. She saw nothing of the Deumark or her pas-Bengere,

## THE SAMOAN CONFERENCE.

The United States Government Takes a Bold Stand.

### **FISHY FINANCING**

Tupper's Three Per Cent. Loan-A Fraud-Debate in the House of Commons.

Last year the Government floated a three per cent loan in London of about twenty million dollars. The loan was to run for fifty years, but a clause was inserted in the prospectus as follows :--

"With a view of rendering the sinking funds of the various loans more effective than hitherto the Canadian Government intends to apply the sums annually required in redemption of the national debt on the purchase of the stock now offered. The amount at present annually applied to the redemption of the debt is about £350,000 stg., and as the sinking funds are accumulative the amount yearly increases." Here was an agreement to purchase one-tenth

of the whole sum year by year until the whole of the sbock was exhausted. There was a distinct of the stock was exhausted. There was a distinct obligation on the part of the negotiators of the loan to buy stock at the rate of nearly two millions of dollars per annum at the market price, because there is no reservation, no matter what the market price was run up to by the holders of the stock. In previous similar loans, in providing a special sinking fund for the repayment of the debt, the prospectus stated that the stock would be purchased if not at or above par, and if it went above par power was taken to apply the sinking fund to the nurchase of other stock than the particular loan. The points Sir Richard Cartwright makes are, that to apply the sinking fund to the particular loan. The points Sir Richard Cartwright makes are, that the Dominion being bound unreservedly to buy this three percent stock at the market price it will probably cost the country a great deal more than if the ordinary proviso had been inserted protecting the redemption against premium, and a nominal fifty-year loan is converted into a ten-year loan by the conditions of repayment, as set out in the clause above quoted Sir Richard Cartwright attacked this arrangement on it. Now, however, when its true character of loan of 10.50 been shaded in some instances for small on it. Now, however, when its true character of loan of 10.50 been shaded in some instances is reported in son it. Now, however, when its true character of loan of 10.50 been shaded in some instances is reported in son it. Now, however, when its true character of loan of 100 pieces at 11c to 11fc per lo, and sa surd, foolish and unprecedented to describe council of British Columbia, and president of the Vancouver Island railway, who died at his residence in Victoria, B.C., on the 11th instant, residence in Victoria, B.C., on the lith instant, was born in Hurlford, Ayrahire, Scotland, in August, 1826, and was therefore in his 63rd year. He was the son of Mr. James Dunsmuir, a proprietor of coal mines in that locality, but being early left an orphan, was brought up by his uncle, Mr. Boyd Gilmour, of Glasgow, with whom, accompanied by his wife and two children, he went to British Columbia in 1851. B absurd, foolish and unprecedented to describe the transaction. He moved an amendment setting forth the circumstances and declaring that the effect of the clause quoted would be to oblige the Government to repurchase the entire loan of four millions sterling in about ten annual instalments averaging £400,000 sterling each, thereby converting a fifty year loan to one having a little over five years to run; that the tendency of the obligation entered into will be to raise the price of the stock abnormally, the result of which would be great loss to the country; that in any case the cost of the comcountry, that in any case the cost of the cost of mission, brokerage and other charges, spread over about five years, will add greately to the rate of interest payable on this loan; and even if the loan can be repurchased at par, it would make the rate of interest equal to nearly five percent per annum, and, at best, will make the transaction one bearing evidences of negligence, and an improvident one for the country. Sin Richard said if the Government refused to repurchase if the stock went above par it would amount practically to repudiation.

#### MB. FOSTER'S REPLY.

Mr. Foster accepted the responsibility for this loan and replied at length to the criticisms of the ex-minister. He contended that the prospectus and its terms formed no part of the obligation entered into by the Government, so that the stipulation in the prospectus for a ten years' redemption not being in the bond, was not binding on the Government. The form of band, the binding instrument, was printed on the same page as the prospectus, so that there was no deception. They were not bound to fol-low the stipulation in the clause of the prospectus if the stock was put up above par by unjust combination or if the premium was thought to be unreasonable. Mr. Foster reviewed the practice of former years and taunted Sir Richard Cartwright with his financial failures and mistakes. He reminded the House that a 924 loan was always below par, so they need not anticipate a premium

#### A GENEBAL DEBATE

fellowed' Mr. Patterson, of Brant, character ined Mr. Foster's argument as childish when he said that Sir Richard Cartwright's speech would be taken advantage of by the holders of this termination and perseverance, with a most kindly and charitable disposition. Mr. Duns-muir was elected to the Legislature for Nan-simo first in 1882, and has held a seat for the stock on the London market. The London men knew as much about these matters as they could

for May delivery afloat, but buyers will not bid within 5c of that figure. Western peas can be laid down here at 75c per 66 lbs afloat for May. Some buyers state that they cannot delivery.

delivery. Some buyers state that they cannot pay over 68c. OATS.—There are plenty of cats in farmers bands, and dealers look for lower prices. Dur-ing the week sales have been made at 31c to 82c, and one lot of poor quality was offered at 30c. Ontario cats are said to be worth fully 2c more than Lower Canadian.

DIAD LOWER CARACIAN. BABLEY.—The market rules exceedingly dull, the only business reported being the sales of a few car lots of good to fine malting qualities at 500 to 550. Feed barley has been sold below

45a. BUOKWHEAT,-Market unchanged, 50c to 52c per bushel. MALT. Montreal malt is steady at 90c to 95c

per bushel

SEEDS .- A fair business has been done in timothy seed, sales of Canadian being reported at \$2 to \$2 15 per bushel. American ranges from \$1.60 to \$1.80 as to quality and quantity. trom \$1.60 to \$1.80 as to quality and quantity. Red clover seed is quiet with sales of small lots reported at 90, larger quantities being quoted at 8% per 1b. Flax seed is steady \$1.50 being asked for Manitoba, several lots of which are for sale on this market.

## PROVISIONS.

PORK, LARD, &c. Notwithstanding the weakness of Chicago pork, actual sales of 5 and 6 bbl lots of Canadian short cut mess for country Sales of baken in lots of 25 sides have taken place at 110 to 1110. Large quantities would be place at 11c to 11<sub>2</sub>c. Large quantities would be shaded. Canada short cutclear, per bbl. \$16.00 to 16.50, Chicago short cutclear, per bbl. \$15.60 to \$16.00. Mess pork, Western, per bbl. \$15.00 to \$15.50. India messbeef, per tierce \$00.00. Mess beef, per bbl. \$00.00. Hams, city cured, per lb. 11c to 11<sub>2</sub>c. Lard, Western, in pails, red b 9<sub>2</sub>c. to 9<sub>2</sub><sup>\*</sup>c Bacon,: per lb 11c to 11<sub>2</sub><sup>\*</sup>c. Shoulders, per lb. 9<sub>2</sub><sup>\*</sup>c to 9<sub>2</sub><sup>\*</sup>c Tellow, common, refined, per lb. 5<u>3</u><sup>\*</sup>c to 06c.

BUTTER, — Heccapts of new butter are disposed of readily upon arrival at 24c to 26c, a few extra choice tubs bringing 27c, Medium to good qualities of old dairy are selling all the way from 18c to 21c. Further shipments of United States creamery have been received, part of which has been sold at 20c to 21c. A few lots of fresh choice rolls were sold at 20c to 22c, and prices range from 18a to 22c as to quality. New butter is not coming in as freely as was anticipated. New butter, 23o to 26o; Oreamery-Finest, 26 to 27c; Fair to good 23 to 24c; Eastern Townshipe, 20 to 23c; Richmond, 17 to 19c; Reafrew, 17 to 19c; Morrisburg, 19 to 22c; Brockville, 19 to 21c; Western, 17 to 18 c. CHEESE. — The market remains in a quiescent CHEESE.—The market remains in a quiescent condition, awaiting the opening of the new sea-son. A consigned lot of about 200 boxes of cheese, said to be August, was sold on n.t., but said to be at about Stc. This is the only sale reported to us during the week. Fine to finest September goods are quoted at 10c to 11c. Prices for the new make are expected to open very reasonably. The shipments of Canadian cheese during the past week were 1,782 boxes via Portland and 6,182 boxes by the Central Vermont Railway via Boston and New York.

#### COUNTRY PRODUCE.

LEATHER. Bole-No. 1 B. A. 10} to 21; 2;17 to 19; 1 Ordinary 18; to 18; 2, 00 to 00; Slaughter, 23 to 26. Black-Wared Upper, 25 to 33; Grained, 27 to 35; Harness, 90 to 26; Splite, slarge, 15 to 22; light, 20 to 25; juniors 12 to 18; Buff, 10 to 12; glazed, 9 to 12; Dull Kid, 9 to 12; Pebble, 8 to 12; Oalf, Canadian, 50 to 55; French, 40 to 60; Rough Leather, 18 to 20; Imperial Kid, 22 to 36

HIDES.

Green butchers' No 1, 5½; Green but-ohers' No. 2, 4½; Green butchers' No. 3, 3½; Oalfekins, 6 to 7; Toronto, No. 1, 5½ to 6; Toronto, No. 2, 4½; Hamilton, No. 1, 5½ to 5; Hamilton, No. 2, 4½;

## PHOSPHATE.

There is a fair enquiry for phosphate at 11<sup>§</sup>d to Is per unit London and Liverpool terms for 80 per cents. Miners, however, are asking more money. Several sales have been made for both U. K. and Continental ports, Freights have been taken at 7s 6d to 10s.

STATE OF TRADE.

General trade appears to be gradually improv-ing, the volume of business having shown a de-cided increase during the past week, especially in dry goods, iron and hardware. Some of the staple lines of groceries are also meeting with better enquiry, and on the whole there is a feal-ing of great confidence in the future. The early spring, combined with excellent crop prospects, has rendered the commercial outlook decidely more encouraging. Remittances during the past wash have come in better than for some time week have come in better than for some time past, which tallies well with the generally improved condition of trade.

## BRADSTREETS WEEKLY REVIEW.

NEW YORK, April 12 .- The greatest amount of improvement in the movement of general, trace at the various business centres reported by wire to Bradstreets has been shown this week at Kansas City, Cincinnati and Chicago. At the first named considerable activity is due to buyers of supplies preparing to enter Oklahoma. At most other points business has remained steady or quiet. The fires at Savannah have checked distribution there.

Vessels have been chartered at San Francisco to carry 150,000 hushels (more) of wheat to Sydney, Australia. Orop prospects in all directions, except for Louisiana rice, are reported good. The weather is generally favourable.

General trade at New York is dull, but the volume of business done this season is equal to, or in excess of that a year ago. Sales of furni-ture, liquors, boots and shoes, leather and paints cigars and leaf tobacco and crude rubber are weak or cigars and leaf tobacco. drugs and rubber are dull. Paints are firm with strong prices. Cheese, eggs and leather, crockery, glassware, seed, leaf tobacco and crude rubber are weak or

lower.

lower. Bullish sentiments govern the New York stock market. Manipulation, sided by renewed European and public buying, advanced prices of the leading securities and liquidation in the south westerns is apparently ended. Bonds are firm and advancing. The city of New York placed \$7,457,000 2½ per cent, bonds at mar and over.

at par and over. Money at New York shows increasing ease.

Money at New YORK snows increasing ease. Call loans at  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. Exchange is firmer with demand. Sterling at  $4.83\frac{3}{4}$  to 4.89. Wheat went off to Friday night, about 2c on lower cables. Favourable weather west and a heavy speculative louidation, with sales at New York of nearly 55,000,000 bushels, against less than 5 000 000 bushels cash wheat sold.

than 5,000,000 bushels cash wheat sold. Flour resched 5c to 15c per barrell. Indian corn declined about 4c on freer interior move-ment and lower cables. Spot cats were firmer ge up, while speculative sales induced a declin of ±s on the options. Exports of wheat (and flour as wheat) from both coasts this week ag-gregate 1,226,073 bushels of wheat, against 1,117,370 bushels last week, and 2,146,730 bush-

els in the like week in 1888. Pork, in sympathy with the west, has gone off 75c per barrell. Cattle at Kansas City are 20c higher than before this year. Hogs are weak. Drygoods jobbing is more active at Boston but only moderate at New York. Some buyers are reported to be holding off to take advantage are reported to be holding off to take advan of the centennial celebration at New York. Commission men report a large re-order demand

aimo first in 1882, and has held a seat for the constituency ever since. He married in 1847, in Kilmarnock, Scotland, (at the academy in which town he was educated) Joanna, daught-er of Mr. Aloz. White. He leaves a wife, eight father. The only member of his family residing in Montreal is a daughter married to Col. Houghton, D. A. G. The Late James Daiy, of Rawdon, Que., Raw wool is easier on indifference of manu-facturers, efforts of dealers to clear out old stocks and the near approach of the new clip. Cotton is to higher on favourable advices from abroad. Lighter crop movement and improved speculative feeling. All foreign advices as to sugar, under restricted offerings and increased requirements on the part of buyers, are stimulating, and prices are higher. Orop prospects are discour-aging. Ouban holders await an extreme figure. Raws are to and refined with a readier sale to higher at New York. At San Francisco refined is ic higher. At New Orleans sugar is easier and San Francisco refined is underselling the Louisiana product at that market. Speculation in coffee here and aboad has been more confident with a net gain to Thursday night of 2.5c. Business failures reported to Bradstrect's number 185 in the United States this week; last year Osnada had 28 this week against 26 last week. The total of failures in the United States January 1 to date is 3,873, against 3,362 in 1888.

#### CARSLEY'S COLUMN

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#### WHITE SHIRTS WHITE SHIRTS

| White Shirts,                         | 75c, \$1, \$1.25.  |
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| Regatta Shirts }                      | 75c, \$1 \$1.25.   |
| Oxford Shirts, }<br>with 2 collars, } | Very best quality. |
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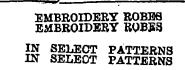
# MEN'S MERINO HALF HOSE MEN'S MERINO HALF HOSE

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S. CARSLEY'S.

Mrs. Wanterknow-"I notice, Mrs. Cogley, that your husband always writes 'M.A.' after his name."

Mrs. Cogley (Mr. Cogley's fourth wife)-'Yes; ib means Married, Arain," I suppose. -Tid Bits.



DAIRY PRODUCE.

BUTTER,---Receipts of new butter are disposed

Egos .- The market is decidedly weak with business at 12c to 123, the outside figure being extreme. Sales aggregating 150 cases were made at 12c. Yesterday there were four cars of new laid egge lying at Point St. Oharles from St. Louis, waiting to be delivered, and these together with receipts from Oabario and other points have had a depressing effect on prices, New York Market is weak, new laid near-by

BERLIN, April 15.-The Post save the Samoan conference will open May 1. The German delegates are Count Herbert Bismarck and Dr. Kranel, of the foreign office. Count Herbert will preside. The Cologne Gazette says :--- "The nomination of Sewall as disbursing officer of the American commissioners to the Samoan conference, together with the appointment of Mr. Bates as a member of the commission, warrants the supposition that the Washington Govenument does not seriously desire a friendly settlement of the questions concerning Samoa."

on Saturday, a special measenger from the State department handed to Mr. Phelps a large envelope containing the instructions of the Government. The commissioners are instructed to insist upon the absolute autonomy of the native Government in the Samoar Islands. This is the most important point of his birth and a good citizen of the land of his to be considered, and its observance is made a sine qua non of any agreement to be arrived at. The commissioners are not to ad-mit under any circumstance the assumpa on made by Prince Bismarck that the rel presentatives of the United States in Samoa have been in any way responsible for the deplerable condition of affairs there. The commissioners are to make it absolutly plain,

#### British Finances.

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LONDON, April 15.—In the House of Com-mons to day, Mr. Goschen, chancellor of the exchequer, introduced the budget. The re-venue for the year exceeded the estimate of last budget by £1,645,000. The expendi-tures were £941,000 under the estimate, leaving a surplus of £2,586,000, the largest amount since 1873. The revenue from spirits and tobacco decreased, while that from tea shows a small increase. The in-come tax realized £1,121,000 over the esti-mate, the postal aervine £300,000, and the mate, the postal service £300,000, and the stamp tax £490,000, Other increases were in the Custom house duty and the revenue from the telegraph service. It is calculated that the revenue for the current year will be £85,050,000 and the expenditures £86,967,000

#### Dumont on the Stump.

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WINNIPEG, April 15 .-- A telegram from Duck Lake to day says ; Gabriel Dumont Tarranged for a series of meetings to be held in bitton ?" "To live within my income."

#### The Late James Daly, of Rawdon, Que.,

The Late James Daiy, of Mawaon, Que., Died at Rawdon, P.Q., on Wednesday, the 10th instant, of old age, James Daly, in his 87th year, brother to Lieutenant Colonel Alexander Daly, C.M., now of Chicago, U. S. Deceased was born in Ireland, County Cavan, Parish of Killichandra, and Township of Drumhart, on the Bury Estate, where his family resided for generations. Mr. Daly emigrated to Oanada with his three brothers 60 years ago. He was one of the oldest astilers in the Township of cial to the World says :-- Two hours before the Samoan commission sailed from New York mulated considerable property. He leaves mulabed considerable property. He leaves behind him a large family, three sons and three daughters, namely, Alexander, John and Patrick, Mary (Mrs. Rowan), Thereas and Ellen, the two latter being nuns, Thereas living in the convent of Vancouver Island and Ellen in Cohoes, N. Y. Mr. Daly wes a devout Cotholic, a devoted patriot to the land adoption. May he rest in Peace.



#### In Connection with the Pursuit of Marderer Morrisen.

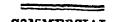
SHEBBBOOKE, April 13.-John Meleod, farmcommissioners are to make it absolutly plain, without ambiguity of langaage, that the United States will not for one moment enter-tain the idea of its responsibility for damages alleged to have been suffered by German sub-jects or by the Imperial German Government owing to the state of war prevailing in Samoa. LONDON, April 15.—Sir Edward B, Malet, the British ambassador at Berlin, will repre-sent England at the Samoan conference. He will be assisted by two officials from the forwill be assisted by two officials from the for-eign office. dollar. When questioned this morning as to their position, they stated that, having no

#### Morrison's Terms.

SHERBROOKE, April.—At the earnest solicita-tion of of friends Donald Morrison had a long interview with Judge Dugas last night between Gould and Winslow. Donalds terms of sur-render are said to be as follows: The reward of the house, not arrested.

"If I had £500 a year I could gratify my

cerned. Mr. Laurier schoed this sentiment, but questioned if a sinister motive did not lie beneath the clause in question if it did not mean precisely what it said. Mr. Mulock and Mr. White, of Renfrew, also spoke. The House divided on Sir Richard Cartwright's amend ment, which was lost on a division of 74 to 117 The vote was a strictly party one.



# COMMERCIAL:

# MONTREAL MARKET QUOTATIONS

### FLOUR, GRAIN, &c.

FLOUR.-The enquiry for flour has been very limited during the week, the chief business being confined to supplying local wants, in small quantities, at prices which continue to rule in buyers' favor. Choice spring patents and strong bakers, however, made from sound hard wheat have not met with the decline which has overtaken the ordinary brands. Still the market is undoubtedly lower on all grades from the lowest to the highest. Sales of straight rollers have been made at \$5.25 to \$5.30, which net western millers quite a loss. Prices are very irregular, owing to instructions being occasionally received from consignors to realize. It is therefore very difficult to give exact values. Superfine and out down extra have sold at below our inside quotations. Sales of city strong bakers have been

made at \$6, although for round lots it is said that figure has been shaded. Patent, winter \$5 50 to \$6.00; Pat-ent, spring, \$5 75 to 6.30; Straight roller \$5 20 to 5.35; Extra \$4.90 to 5.10; Superfine, \$4.15 to 4.70; Out down Superfine \$3.80 to 4.10; City

14.70; Uut down Superine \$3.80 to 4.10; City Strong Bakers \$6.00. Strong Bakers \$5.50 to \$5.76, Ontario bags—extra, \$2.80 to \$2.50; Superfine bags, \$2.00 to \$2.25, OATMEAL, &c.—The demand for catmeal is very limited, but there is not much change in values, although we hear that carloads of Western have been laid down at below our quotations, namely at \$1.90 for ordinary and \$2 for granulated. Salas, however, have been made granulated. Sales, however, have been made \$2 to \$2.10 for ordinary and at \$2.10 to \$2.20 for granulated as to quantity. Rolled cats are selling in bags at \$2 to \$2.75 as to quality and quantity. Commeal is quies at \$1,50 to \$1,75

per bag. BRAN, &c.—The market is dull, and in order to sell holders have been compelled to reduce their sell holders have been compelled to reduce their quotations, sales of Western bran being report-ed at \$14.50 to \$15 per ton in car lots. Quota-tions range from \$14.50 to \$16 as to quantity and quality. Shorts, 17c to 18c, and Moullie, WHEAT.-So far as the local market is con-

cerned, there is nothing whatever doing, as millers are not buying, and business in Usnadian wheat on export account is wholly out of the question. No. 1 hard Manitoba spring is pure-ly nominal and quoted at \$1.25 to \$1.80, and No. 2 at \$1.20, but buyers and sellers are so wide apart in their views that it is impossible to

give exact values. In Canada, spring and winter wheat prices are purely nominal. Corn.-Large quantities are expected here for through shipment by the first week in May. Oorn is quoted here at 4150 to 42c for May de-livery in bond, and car lots duty paid are quoted at 498 to 51c.

at So to 9c. MAPLE STRUP AND SUGAR. - The sale of 11,000 MAPLE STRUP AND SUGAR.—Ine sale of 11,000 lbs of syrup and sugar was made at 7c per lb for sugar, and at 5c per lb in 10 and 15 lb kegs. Smaller lots are quoted at 5½c per lb in wood and at 7½c per lb for sugar. A few fancy lots have brought 8c, but 7½c is a fair outside quo-tation for to day. Old dark supar has sold as low as 6c. Considerable syrup has been manufactured in this city from old sugar, which is be-ing sold for new. Large quantities of sugar will be held over till next season. Hors.—There is no stir in this market, prices

remaining about as last quoted. The last sales reported were 100 bales of fine Canadian hops at 22c, and we quote good to fine 20c to 22c. Medium grades rauge from 15c to 18c, and old

Medium grades range from 15c to 18c, and old from 8c to 10c HAY.—There has been more inquiry for press-ed hay, sales of which are reported at \$12.50 to \$13.50. Sales have also been made in the West at equal to \$13.50 here. There is a better en-oning from Ontario resists, and some lock for quiry from Ontario points, and some look for better trade. AsHES. -The market is dull at \$4 to \$4.05 for

first pots, and \$3,55 to \$3.60 for seconds. Pearls are nominally quoted at \$5.85 to \$6.

FRUITS, &o.

APPLES.-Sales of about 600 bbls of ordinary Western fruit were made at \$1 to \$1.50, the average price being \$1.10. Choice to fancy spies and russets in small lots sell at from \$2 to \$3. ORANGES,—The market is steady under a fair enquiry, with sales of repacked Valencia at \$5 per case. Florida, \$4 per box. Leptons.—The market remains firm with a

good volume of business doing at \$2 to \$2.25 per

box as to quality. DRIED AFPLES.—Round lots are held at 4c to 42c, and smaller lots at 42c to 52c. EVAPORATED AFPLES.—There has been a trifle better demand with sales at 7c to 72c in small lots, and round quantities are now quoted at 6c to 64c

6c to 6hc. BANANAS.-Under more liberal receipts the market rules a shade easier with sales reported at \$2 to \$2.50 for red and yellows.

DATES .--- New are selling at 5c to 5c, and old A 3 to 4c; POTATOES.—The sale of a car lot was made

this week at 35c per bag, and we quote 35c to 45c as quantity. Lower prices still are expected. ONTONS.—Spanish, 70c to 80c per lot. Cana-dian, 75c to \$1.50 as to quality and quantity.

### GENERAL MARKETS.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES. The sugar market has again become strong and exited in sympathy with foreign markets. In refined, a further rise with foreign markets. In remed, a survey rise of ic has taken place in granulated, the lowest price for 1,000 bbl lots being "he to which ic so ic may be added for dealers prices. Yellows Go to Gic. Raw is firmand advancing. Molasses are quoted at \$7c to \$9c for for Barbadoes.

FIGURE FIGURE.—There is very little doing in figh the market being over. Green fish is about all sold out of first hands. Dry cod has been dealt into a small extent at \$4 to 4.50 as to lot.

\$12 to \$13. 512 to 513. EISH OILS.—Newfoundland cod oil is firm at 40c to 4240. Gaupe at 30c, and Halifax 37c to 58c. In steam refined seal oil the market is quite but steady for spot oil at 47fc to 50c. New Corn is quoted here at 41go to 42c for May de-livery in bond, and car lots duty paid are quoted 45c. Cod liver oil is firmer. Norwar, being at 48s to 51s. Thes. —Rolders of peas in store here ask 76s to 75s, some asking as high as 80s and 85s.

#### MONTREAL HORSE EXCHANGE.

The receipts of horses for week ending April 6th, 1889, were as follows, 280]; left over from last week 16; total for week 296; shipped during week, 133; sales for week 14; left for city, 113; on hand for sale and shipment, 31. The horse trade at these stables during the

week has been quiet. There was a fair demand but the supply was short. The sales were 14 horses at prices ranging from \$80 to \$150. Prospects for next week more encouraging. There are a number of American buyers in town and a good trade is expected We have on hand for sale 31 very fine workers and drivers, with three car loads of heavy work horses to arrive on Monday.

#### MONTREAL STOCK YARDS.

MONTREAL STOCK YARDS. The receipts of live stock for week ending April 13th, 1889, were as follows: Cattle 820; sheep, 42; calves, 523; hogs, 500; left over from last week, cattle, 35; totsi receipts for week, cattle, 475; sheep, 160; calves, 135; hogs, 338; receipts last week, cattle, 475; sheep, 106; calves, 135; hogs, 388; exported via Portland per S.S. Toronto 95 cattle.

per S.S. Toronto 95 catile. Trade during the week has been very dull although large supplies of rood stock was offer-ed. Sellers were asking very reasonable prices for best quality Easter 5 seves, but buyers held off to see what offerings there would be next week, when it is expected the supply will be very large. Very few catble were sold. There was no demand for poor stock. Good lambs and calves were in good demand and sold at good prices. All the offerings of hogs were bought up at slightly lower prices. Sume fancy prices are expected next week.

bought up at singhtly lower prices. Sime fancy prices are expected next week. We quote the following as being fair values: Export, good, 1200 to 1400, 420 to 440; Butohers', good, 1000 to 1100, 42 to 420; do., medium, 340 to 40; do., culls, So to 340; hogs, 520 to 60; sheep, 440 to 50; calves, each, \$1.00 to \$6.00, according to quality.

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Herring are also about over and prices are nomi-nal. Sea troub quite at \$10 to \$11. Newfound-land salmon \$13 to \$14 and British Columbia