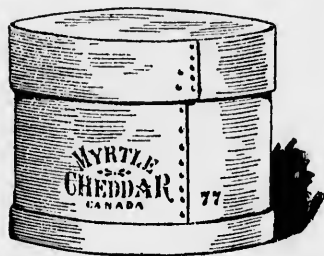
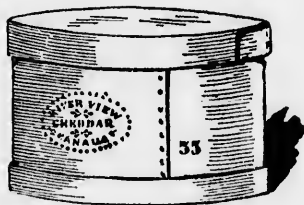


**Depreciation resulting from the principal outward defects.**—Dirty looking cheese suffers a loss of 1 cent per pound in price; mouldy cheese  $\frac{1}{2}$  a cent; cheese not standing upright from  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  a cent; those with stripes at the top or bottom  $\frac{1}{4}$  cent; cloth badly cut or badly turned down



(Fig. 6)

from  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  a cent; when there is no cotton cover  $\frac{1}{8}$  of a cent. The difference between a well turned out cheese and a shabby one may be as high as from  $\frac{1}{2}$  a cent to 1 cent per pound. A cracked cheese, even if of the best quality in other respects, cannot get the highest price in the market but loses at least from  $\frac{1}{4}$  of a cent to 1 cent a pound.



(Fig. 7)

**Carriage.**—As regards the carriage of cheese by rail as well as by steamer, we can only repeat what has been said about butter. Cheese is often injured in transit by heat and want of cleanliness and it is very desir-