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MONTREAL MARKETS.

Montreal, July 15th, 1903.

The improvements at the Bonsecours market are being welcomed. The increased accommodation is giving the farmers much satisfaction. On Saturday last, according to the Gazette, over 900 of them were registered there, and of these 368 were gardeners, and 298 were dealers in potatoes, tomatoes and berries. "Though the number of farmers is so large yet there is little or no conges-

tion, as the new space allotted by the city on Le Royer and Commissioners street, relieves St. Paul street and Jacques Cartier square, and gives each farmer plenty of opportunity to dispose of his produce."

Ashes.—The situation is not materially altered since a week ago. There is practically nothing coming in, and from \$5.45 to \$5.50 could be readily realized for first quality of pots; seconds, \$5 to \$5.10, and pearly, \$6 to \$6.25.

Cements and Firebricks.—Imports for the week ending to-day are again large, including 24,680 bags and 7,863 barrels of Belgian and German cements, and 10,779 bags and 9,920 barrels of English cement; firebricks received, 172,200. A good steady business is reported, and prices are steady.

Dairy Products.—Cheese shipments last week were large, exceeding those of the corresponding period of 1902 by 50,350 boxes. In all there were shipped 136,894 boxes to London, Bristol, Liverpool, Manchester, Glasgow and Leith. Butter shipments continue quite moderate, the figures for last week being 8,944 packages, as against 18,423 packages for same week a year ago. The butter market is a little easier than a week ago, with prices of creamery ranging from 18c. for good to 18¼c. to 18½c. for finest. Cheese is fairly steady at about 9¾c. for fine Ontarios; Township, about 9½c., and 9¾c. to 9½c. for Quebecs, with some expectation of decline.

Dry Goods.—For the season the wholesale warehouses show considerable stir. The various cotton mills are just now making heavy deliveries of goods, and shipments to country retailers on fall orders are proceeding quite briskly. Collections are reported as being well kept up. European letters speak of increasing firmness in silks and linens, and woolen manufacturers are quite as stiff in their ideas as heretofore. Following their circular of last week, advising an advance in quilts, etc., the Alaska Feather & Down Co. now give notice of a similar advance, in cushions, pillows, cosies, etc.

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Groceries.—The local sugar market took a strong upward turn towards the close of last week, owing to an advance in New York, and quotations were put up a full ten cents a cental on all grades, making the present factory price for standard granulated \$4.15, and the lowest grade of yellows, \$3.40. The advance has stimulated the demand, and the New York market is reported very strong, with large dealings reported. Molasses is quiet, but holders of old stock are very firm in their views, importers asking 38c. in round lots. The quality of the new crop is said to have been unfavorably affected by last year's seismic disturbances in the West Indies, the volcanic dust having apparently penetrated the sugar canes, making the juice dark. New advices from the Mediterranean are to hand; currants are now offered at 15s. 6d. for fine Filiatras, early shipment; quotations for Sultana raisins are also cabled at figures 2s. lower than last year. The crop of Valencias is reported good, both as to quality and quantity, so far as present indications go. Grenoble walnuts are quoted at 75 francs, f.o.b., for early shipment; the filbert market is easier, mainly owing to a lack of buyers. Candied peels are being sold at same figures as last year. At a meeting of the trade here, last week, it was decided to ask the canners' combination not to include jams, jellies, baked beans, canned

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