

BARBADOES PRICES CURRENT.

BRIDGE TOWN, Mar. 25 1870.

LE—Duty 100s per hhd 61 galls. English bottled, Duty 60 per doz. Allopp's & Base's at \$31 per hhd. New brow.

ARWYSES—Duty 80 per bri. per 200 lbs.—Last sale at \$3 75—saleable.

BEFF—Duty 100s per 100 lbs.—Last sale at \$13 01 for Half-brie—firm and looking up.

BREAD—Duty 10c per 100 lbs.—Last sale by selves \$4 29.

BEANDY—Duty 60c per gallon. Martol's \$2 60 per gal; Honnesey's \$2 60; Otard's \$2 40; Renault's \$2 40.

BRICKS—Duty 60c per M. Last sale—"Blue Fire," Irish at \$18. White, \$28 to \$32; "Liverpool," \$18; "Grey Brick," \$14; "Jersey," \$13 to \$12; "Hamburg," \$10—Fair supply for present wants.

BUTTER—Duty 150c per 100 lbs.—French—No late sale—worth about \$22 00 per 100 lbs.

CANDLRS—"Tallow," Duty \$1 per 100 lbs.—Late sale at 21c for 15's; "Stearine," Duty \$2 per 100 lbs.—Loting at 20c per lb.

CRACKERS—Duty 10c per 100 lbs.—Last sale \$3 30 Tr-adwell's

CORNMEAL—Duty 20c per bri. Last sale of B. W. at \$4 05.

CORN.—(Yellow)—Duty 60c per bushol. Last sale of Yellow \$2 05.

CHEESE—Duty 100c per 100 lbs.—No late sales—worth about \$18.

COAL—Duty 60c per ton.—Last sale of Scotch, at \$5 10 to \$6

COCA—Duty 25c per 100 lbs. No late sale—worth about \$8 00 per 100 lbs.

CODFISH—Duty 40c per 112 lbs.—Last sale of Gaspo cod about \$19 25. Ragged Island \$17 60; no Newfoundland at Market.

FLOUR—Duty 81c per bri. Last sale—of Favorite brands \$9 50 to \$9 75.

HAMS—Duty \$1 per 100 lbs.—Last sale of American \$9 00

HAY—Free—Nominal, a very large supply on hand, American, last sale \$1 17.

HERRINGS—Duty 80 per bri. Last sale \$4 10

HONES—Duty \$8 per head. Caution \$120 to \$135. American \$170 to \$210—always saleable.

HOOPS, (Wood)—Duty 60c per 1,200 Long, last sale about \$35 50.

LAND—Duty 80c per 100 lbs. Last sale at \$10 60 per 100 lbs for New York.

LUMBER—Duty 50c per M. White Pine—Last sale at \$19 50 to \$19 00. Spruce, at \$17 07. Pitch Pine—last sale at about \$23.

LACKERBL—Duty 80c per bri. Last sale at \$6 04

OATS—Duty 50c per bush. Last sale of American \$3 00. Irish, \$3 36

OIL (Kerosene)—Duty 4c per gallon—last sale at \$37 50 per 100 gallons, in casks.

OT-MEAL—Duty 8c per 100 lbs. Last sale at \$18 25 per pun 750 lbs

PEASE—Duty 50c per bushol. Last sale of Split at \$7 50 per barrel of 31 bushol; B. E., at \$3 17 per bag; Canada, \$2 38.

PORK—Duty \$1 per 100 lbs. Last sale of "Clear" \$32 27. New York Meas last sale about \$29 67.

POTATOES—Free. Last sale of American at \$1 50 per barrel.

SALT—Free. No late sale, worth \$1 per sack.

SALMON Duty 80c per barrel. Last sales at \$11 50 per bri.

SHINGLES—Wallaba and Cypress, Duty 60c per M. Other kinds 25c per M. Wallaba in large supply—last sale by selves at \$4 75; C. dar from Gaspo, \$5 75; Halifax, \$4 15; Cypress, 12-inch, \$7 75 and 10-inch \$4 25 to 4 60, small cedar, deal, and spruce \$1 60 to \$2 as in quality.

SOAP—Duty 25c per 100 lbs. Last sale of Gossages, by selves, \$4 64; Cowan's, \$3 60—heavy stock.

STAVES—Duty 60c per 120 pieces. Last sale of Norfolk by selves, at \$15 49 for Ins. and \$38 89 for Culls—enough here for the crop.

SHOES—Duty 6c per 1200 pieces. Last sale for hhd 96c; pun \$1 17.

SUGAR—(Refined) Duty 180c per 100 lbs. Raw Muscovado 50c, last sale \$4 25—all other kinds \$1 20; crushed 10c in bond, no late sales.

TOBACCO—Duty 6c per lb. Manufactured 32c—wanted. Leaf 10c, no demand.

20 per cent additional tax, levied on amount of present duties, since 1st April, 1868.

DA COSTA & CO.

PETROLIA.—On Friday night a fire took place at Perkins' oil well, in Petrolia, under the following circumstances:—The driller had struck a gas vein at the depth of 485 feet, and the gas was rising fast from the well. One of the men went up the derrick with a lantern to adjust the rope when the gas ignited, and immediately the steely-like structure was wrapped in flames, the fire being fed by the gas ascending from the well. The unfortunate man clambered down the derrick amid the fiery furnace, his clothes and flesh being fearfully scorched, and in about twenty minutes the entire oil rig was consumed, involving a loss of \$1 200. Another man working at the well was also severely burned. The names of the men are Swan and McNeil. The latter was the most injured, and it is doubtful if he will recover. The well was being drilled on the McMillan land—late "Mitchell farm."

STATEMENT OF BANKS

Acting under Charter, for the Month ending March 31st, 1870, according to the returns furnished by them to the Auditor of Public Accounts.

NAME OF BANK.	CAPITAL.		LIABILITIES.					TOTAL LIABILITIES.
	Capital authorized by Act.	Capital paid up.	Promissory Notes in circulation bearing interest.	Balance due to other Banks.	Cash deposits not bearing interest.	Cash deposits bearing interest.	TOTAL LIABILITIES.	
<b>ONTARIO AND QUEBEC.</b>								
Bank of Montreal	6,000,000	6,000,000	320,971	379,180	5,940,914	19,619,067	19,146,038	
Quebec Bank	3,000,000	1,498,700	1,058,705	14,019	87,284	1,205,998	2,900,333	
City Bank	1,000,000	1,200,000	439,970	3,061	615,000	908,177	1,252,600	
Gore Bank	1,000,000	425,264	40,203	768	1,919	9,771	62,311	
Bank of B. N. America	4,800,000	4,866,666	1,761,226	21,434	1,329,110	2,914,498	5,513,767	
Banque du Peuple	1,000,000	1,000,000	108,721	37,574	4,919	143,789	273,153	
Niagara District Bank	400,000	398,736	226,908	19,469	20,584	142,791	635,357	
Bank of Toronto	1,000,000	1,000,000	167,304	169,829	161,818	401,959	834,908	
Ontario Bank	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,125,904	11,440	462,184	1,637,498	3,771,923	
East. n Townships Bank	600,000	4,000	312,289	8,935	1,71,410	1,023,294	3,567,093	
Banque Jacques Cartier	1,000,000	1,000,000	173,741	20,122	1,07,463	459,283	929,147	
Merchants Bank	600,000	800,000	2,410,432	120,275	1,260,211	2,620,13	6,598,678	
Royal Canadian Bank	2,000,000	1,139,220	616,747	3,164	331,332	711,203	1,211,103	
Union Bank of L. C.	2,000,000	1,211,283	217,656	169,468	288,927	455,244	1,215,744	
Mechanics Bank	1,000,000	218,984	818,918	1,113	6,761	168,278	1,287,778	
Bank of Commerce	2,000,000	1,864,150	1,421,400	26,161	1,736,479	1,981,460	4,863,503	
	28,464,666	31,288,334	11,737,457	1,807,231	14,349,614	27,819,327	35,308,860	
<b>NOVA SCOTIA.</b>								
Bank of Yarmouth								
Merchants Bank								
People's Bank								
Union Bank	1,000,000	100,000	148,360	14,109	918,800	336,667	713,816	
Bank of Nova Scotia								
<b>NEW BRUNSWICK.</b>								
Bank of New Brunswick	500,000	600,000	370,374	64,671	274,673	1,463,330	2,223,009	
Commercial Bank								
St. Stephen's Bank	200,000	2,000	110,938	11,713	38,313	40,813	207,813	
People's Bank								
Total Liabilities								

ASSETS.

NAME OF BANK.	Cash, Bullion, and Provincial Notes.	Land and other property of the Bank.	Government Securities.	Promissory Notes or Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted.	Other debts due to the Bank not due for long periods.	TOTAL ASSETS.
<b>ONTARIO AND QUEBEC.</b>								
Bank of Montreal	6,045,018	353,000	2,166,612	422,618	5,663,260	13,594,313	162,322	37,978,243
Quebec Bank	422,328	68,431	148,413	32,710	21,707	3,116,482	265,078	4,044,799
City Bank	419,945	44,530	126,320	142,711	73,459	2,331,385	99,949	2,999,321
Gore Bank	3,898	14,437	82,733	1,044	346,806	102,203	99,203	378,484
Bank of B. N. America	1,062,695	243,333	751,310	95,648	224,7	6,126,476	95,650	8,511,499
Banque du Peuple	725,229	20,217	160,964	20,139	22,186	1,689,645	20	2,431,333
Niagara District Bank	73,629	12,879	46,730	11,124	147,338	153,008	50,200	378,638
Molson's Bank	131,205	66,422	1,0,423	1,947	127,676	1,231,840	160,571	1,994,093
Bank of Toronto	573,202	42,297	147,155	78,710	176,036	3,291,000	76,285	4,464,181
Ontario Bank	735,798	155,335	2,8,802	107,371	243,233	4,41,731	90,127	5,911,610
Eastern Townships Bank	61,193	17,000	67,831	28,004	12,715	618,691	3,000	746,337
Bank of Commerce	27,291	23,218	100,660	9,101	26,26	1,454,231	200,543	2,094,203
Banque Jacques Cartier	1,000,377	101,720	1,942,508	27,077	147,671	1,942,508	2,41,161	4,664,181
Merchants Bank	1,81,660	361,930	333,506	373,374	229,457	7,078,311	1,000,712	12,419,112
Royal Canadian Bank	250,712	12,213	118,827	41,427	131,813	1,688,899	16,677	2,257,143
Union Bank of L. C.	101,914	5,558	123,073	61,402	62,152	2,297,653	7,523,532	2,893,332
Mechanics Bank	216,3	1,558	39,884	39,884	35,2	390,610	23,200	360,115
Bank of Commerce	1,354,666	55,159	163,403	176,113	523,423	4,361,243		6,618,006
	14,995,917	1,628,792	3,181,946	1,781,279	7,883,419	28,016,144	2,438,204	90,774,104
<b>NOVA SCOTIA.</b>								
Bank of Yarmouth								
Merchants Bank								
People's Bank								
Union Bank	270,000	24,000	84,000	7,902	36,640	623,401	226,833	1,181,835
Bank of Nova Scotia								
<b>NEW BRUNSWICK.</b>								
Bank of New Brunswick	333,275	12,118		6,880	218,341	2,294,660	283,379	3,255,122
Commercial Bank								
St. Stephen's Bank	14,199	4,294		24,361	4,466	32,767	87,194	456,491
People's Bank								
Total Assets								

NOTE.—Banks are left opposite to the names of those Banks from which statements have not been received. JOHN LANGTON, Auditor.

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