The facts fully justify every claim put forth in behalf of THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL. Testimony of the most convincing nature, to which publicity has been frequently and widely given, and which can easily be verified, places beyond all reasonable doubt the fact that it fully deserves the confidence which the people place in it as an inward and outward remedy for coughs, colds, catarrh, sore throat, incipient bronchitis, and other disorders of the respiratory organs, as a means of removing pain, swelling and contraction of the muscles and joints, rheumatism, neuralgia, kinney disorders, excoriation and inflammation of the nipples, burns, scalds, bruises, corns, and a varicty of other diseases and hurts, and of abnormal conditions of the cuticle. It is inexpensive and safe, as well as prompt and thorough. Its merits have met with the recognition of physicians of repute, and veterinary surgeons, horse owners and stock raisers administer and apply it for colic, galls, affections of the hoof, sweency, garget and troubles incident to horses or to cattle. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price, 25c.

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#### MONEY AND COMMERCE.

TRUE WITNESS OFFICE. Tuesday, June 10.

Financial.

The local money market continues quiet. without change in rates; good commercial paper is still discounted by the banks at 7 to 8 per cent, and stock loans are obtained at 5 per cent on call, and 6 to 7 per cent on time. Sterling Exchange is firm at 9½ to 95 prem. between banks, and 93 to 101 prem. over the counter. Documentary and produce bills, 9 to 91 prem.

Mechanics' bank bills are gradually declining. The market was still a shade weaker to-day, and brokers were paying only 65c to 70c on the dollar.

The Bank of Eagland lost £76,000 specie during the week, but maintained its reserve at about 53 per ceut of liabilities. The posted discount rate remains 2 per ceut, it never going lower. The rate outside the bank is about 1 per ceut (1 to 1) per cent). British consols are firm. The specie in the Bank of France increased 3,200,000 frances during the week.

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The annual general meeting of directors and shareholders of the Consolidated bank was held in this city last Wednesday, when a statement was presented, showing a deficiency of nearly \$500,000. No dividend was declared. It was found necessary, after a good deal of quarret-some discussion, to reduce the capital stock 40 per cent, and reduce the number of directors to seven, and also their appropriation from \$15,000 to \$7,000 per annum. The general statement and extracts from the annual report will be found on the 6th page.

#### WREKLY REVIEW OF THE CITY WHOLESALE TRADE. TUESDAY, June 10.

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DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.—Trade has been but sales consisted DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.—Trade has been reported fair during the week, but sales consisted chiefly of small lots. Paris Green continues to move off freely, to extirpate the potato bugs; it is sold at 20c per lb in barrel lots, and 21c to 22c in kegs. Quinine has ruled steady at \$4.50 per ounce. In Opium and numerous other drugs there is not much doing, and no change to note in prices. Linsecd Oil is rather firmer, and an advance of 1c to 2c has been established on previous values Barrel lots are selling at 66c per gallon, boiled, and 52c to 63c raw. Remittances have improved, and have been quite satisfactory during the past week, but before that they were exceedingly slow.

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FLOUR.—The local market has ruled quiet and unchanged nearly all week, until yesterday and to-day, the demand has been more active, and a good deal of business has been done in the different grades of extras. Prices, however, have not undergone much change; superior is about 3c higher, and Ontario bags are quoted about 2c higher than at this time last week. The sales reported on 'change, to-day, were:—1,600 barrels superior extra sold yesterday for Glasgow at \$4.65 to 4.67‡; 300 barrels extra sold to-day at \$4.50; 50 barrels fancy at \$4.35; 100 barrels strong bakers' at \$4.60; 400 barels spring extra at \$4.10; 180 barrels spring extra at \$4.20; 600 bags at \$2.10, and 400 barrels superior extra at \$4.65. The following are the prices current to-

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Fancy	4 80 4 15	0	4 85
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Strong Bakers	4 40	0	4 60
Fine	8 80	e O	3 40 3 15
Middlings Pollards	2 60	ø	2 80
Ontario Bags (per 100 lbs)	2 10	ō	2 15
City Bags (delivered)	2 25	n	2 30
Jornmeal	2 40	ø	2 45

pool-Flour, 2s 8d; butter, 85s; pots, 80s; pearls,

pool—Flour, 2s 3d; butter, 25s; pots, 80s; pearls, 15s; GROCERIES—Trade has been reported fair during the week; the orders, however, were chiefly from country merchants. The majority of dealers bought so largely previous to the new tariff coming into force that they are almost overstocked, and hence the movement of large lots from wholessle houses is slow. Remittances are said to be good. Cafee—Frices having become easier in foreign markets, they are consequently rather lower. We quote 0 G Java at 25c to 3ic; Singapore, 2ic to 2ic; Maricaibo, 25c to 22ic; and Rio, 18jc to 25c. Owing to the deferential duty now imposed against the United States, dealers here expect to do a much lerger business than heretofore, and are now awaiting arrivals of importations from places of growth. Fish—Sail fish are out of season, and prices rule nominal. Fruit has met with only a moderate demand; the only kind moving off freely is Valencia raisins, which have sold in lots at from 6c to 6ic. Other kinds are dull and quotations nominal. Currants rule dull, at about 5c per lb. Cloves are worth about 40c per lb., but there is not much doing in them. Rice is in steady request, at from \$8.10 to 42? per 100 lbs. Molasse and Syrups—There is a moderate enquiry for the better grades only. Barbadoes are quoted lower at from \$8 to 35c per gal. Sugar house and ordinary molasses are quoted from 20c to 21c. Sugars—There is a scarcity of low grades, which are quoted at 6ic to 7ic. The supply of other grades is ample, and prices rule steady at 7ic to 8ic for brights, 8ic to 8ic for granulated, and 9ic to 10c for from 20c to 21c. Sugars—There is a scarcity of low grades, which are quoted at 6ic to 7ic. The supply of other grades is ample, and prices rule steady at 7ic to 8ic for brights, 8ic to 8ic for granulated, and 9ic to 10c for from 20c to 21c. Sugars—There is a noderate engalement of the sugar superior of the sug

HIDES AND SKINS.—Trade has continued HIDES AND SKINS.—Trade has continued quiet; the stocks are light, but so also is the demand. Prices for slaughter hides have slightly advanced, but the rise is not expected to be permanent. Prices for butchers' green hides are quoted at 7c per 100 lbs for No 1; 6c for No 2, and 5c for No 8. Callskins are slow of sale, and prices remain easy at 9c to 9c per 1b. A few lambskins have been sold during the week at prices ranging from 20c to 30c.

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I HARDWARE—Business during the week has been quiet, and chiefly of a jobbing character. Following the rush immediately after the opening of navigation, this is usually the dullest time for the hardware trade in the year; there are no lines moving off freely or in large lots, and no activity is looked for until the fall trade opens. Quotstions for pig Iron and some lines have been sightly reduced, as will be seen by reference to the table below, but now that the strike in Pittsburg has ended, prices will undoubtedly stiffen a little.

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ĭ	Best do	2 25	2 30
il	Sweden and Norway	4 25	4 75
il	Low moor and Bowling	6 25	6 50
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,	Glamergan	3 50	8 60
	Garth & Penn	3 25	3 40
	F. W. & Arrow	3 50	3 75
ו	Hatton	3 00	3 10
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r	Russia Sheet Iron per lb		0.00
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	Do do 5 dy to 10 dy	3 15	0 00
0	Shingle do	3 50	0 00
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per case, and \$4, in boxes. Oakville strawberries are expected to arrive here next week.
There are no fresh receipts of salmon here today, and wholesale prices rule steady and unaltered. At the retail markets they are selling
at \$ to 10c per lb., as are also white and bass
fish. Baddock and cod, are worth only 5 to 8c.
WINES AND LIQUORS.—There is not much
business being done in first hands, but a very
fair jobbing trade has been reported. There is
scarcely any demand for large lots. There is no
break in prices, however; stocks are light, and
importations have been very light this season,
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WOOL—This market has ruled quiet, so far. The new Canada cilp is coming forward slowly, and pulled is worth from 20 to 22c. Prices for other kinds are unchanged; more activity is expected during the present week. Stocks in the city warehouse are still large, and at points outside they are much larger.

Markets by Telegraph.

STRATFORD, June 9.—White fall wheat, 95c to 90c; red fall do, 97c to 98c; spring, 88c to 90c. Peas, 55c to 56c. Oats, 88c to 40c. Potatoes, bag, \$1 to 1.05. Wool, 22c to 23c. Butter, 10c to 11c.

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GUELIPH, June 9.—Fall wheat per bushel, 00c to \$1; spring do, 00c to 95c. Peas, 55c to 60c. Barley, 45c to 50c. Oats, 40c to 42c. Potatoes, 7c to 80c. Butter, 10c to 11c. Eggs, per dozen, 10c to 12c. Hogs, \$6 to 7. Cloverseed, \$4. Timothy, \$2. Pobt Hope, June 7.—This market has been very quiet for some time back, firmer, and dealers being inclined to hold their grain for higher prices. There is now more disposition to sell at market prices, and some sales have taken place at about the following quotations:—Wheat: No 1 fall, \$1.05 to 1.06; No 2, \$1.03; spring, 30c to \$1. Peas, none. Barley, nominal. Oats, 37c to 38c. Rye, 55c. Potatoes, 65c per bushel. Wool, 20c. Corn, 56c. Flour: superior, \$4.50 to 4.55; extra, \$1.25 to 4.30; strong bakers', \$4.25; spring extra, \$1.10 to 4.15; bag flour, \$1.95 to 2.05. No coarse flour offering. These quotations are for fresh ground flour in all cases.

HAMILTON, June 9.—White wheat, per bush., 96c to 98c; pring, 36c to 36c; parley, 45c to 50c; oats, 39c to 450; corn 47c to 49c; apples, 00c to 00c; potatoes, 60c to 65c; white wheat flour, per lb, \$4 30 to 450; strong bakers', \$4 25 to 445; butter, in rolls, 9c to 12c; firkins, 60c to 00c; eggs, 11c to 12c; dressed hogs, per cwt. \$5.75 to 600.

CHATHAM. June 9.—Fall wheat, white, 98c to \$1; red do, 98c to \$1; spring wheat, per bush, 80c to 94c; oats, 39c to 36c; barley, 75c to \$1.

UTICA, N. Y., June 9.—7,300 boxes of cheese were sold at 6c to 61c, which last is the leading price; 4,700 boxes commissioned, average price, 65c.

#### COMMERCIAL.

THE LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

The flour market yesterday was more active under better enquiry. There was a slight advance for extras; 1,600 barrels superior extra sold yesterday for Glasgow at \$4 65 to 4 671; 300 barrels extra sold to-day at \$4 50; 50 barrels fancy at \$4 35; 100 barrels strong bakers' at \$4 60; 400 barrels spring extra at \$4 15; 180 barrels spring extra at \$4 20; 600 bags at \$2 10, and 400 barrels superior extra at \$4 65. A cargo of oats sold at 314c, and two car lots at 32c. In wheat no transactions were reported but some No. 2 spring sold at \$1 02 to 1 04. There is a break in the market for peas, owing to a low sale in Liverpool; 17,000 bushels sold here at 77½c; 1,700 bushels at 76c; and 1,200 bushels at 75c; 76c was bid for 10,000 bushels, but not taken; the 1,200 bushels quoted above was not, we understand, choice, and there is evidence of a "bear" clique working on the market.

#### Bonsecours Market-Prices at Farmers' Waggons, etc.

Tuesday, June 10. Owing doubtless to the heavy rain shower during last night, and early this morning. both of the above-named markets were rather slimly attended by farmers to-day, and business seemed to be rather dull during the forenoon. Prices for oats, potatoes, etc., are slowly and gradually declining; for the former, from 75c to 85c per bag was the range to-day, and potatoes were worth 80c to 90c per bag at waggons. The supply was not large, though, and the quality, on the whole, not so good as usual. There are very few changes to note in quotations. Beef is firm as yet, but, as the grass fed cattle arrive in larger numbers in the market prices will assuredly decline. Apples were a green beans, \$450 per crate; Montreal cucumbers, at waggons, \$250 per bushel; fresh butter, in prints, from 15c to 20c per lb; young rabbits, 60c to 75c per pair, and guinea pigs, \$1 to 1 25 per pair. Following are the prices current, corrected up to date :-

FARM PRODUCE.—Butter—Prints, 12c to 18c per 1b; roll 11c to 14c per 1b; Eastern Townships, tub, 14c to 15c. Fine cheese, 10c to 11c per 1b; ordinary, 6c to 7c. Maple sugar, 9c to 10c per 1b. Lard, 8jc to 10c. Fresh Eggs, 10c to 11c per dozen; packed do 9jc to 10c.

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GRAIN, ETC.—Oats, 75c to 85c per bag; buckwheat, 75c to \$1.05 do; peas, 85c to \$1.00 per bushel; bran, 90c per cwt; corumeal, \$1.20 to 1.30 per bashel; barley, 60c to 75c per bushel; corn, \$1.20 to 1.25 per bag; Canadian corn, \$1.20; beans, \$1.40 to 1.50 per bushel; moulle \$1.00 to 1.10 per bag; flour, \$2.20 to 230 per bag; oatmeal, \$2.00 to 225 per bag.

per bag.

VEGETABLES.—Potatoes, 80c to 90c per bag; carrots, 30c to 40c per bushel; onions, 90c to \$1.00 do; parsnips, 35c to 50c do; beets, 30c to 35c do; turnips, 40c to 50c per bushel; celery, 00c to 00c per parcel of a dozen bunches; spinach, 50c to 60c per bushel; pineapples, 20 to 30c each; rhubarb, 20 to 30c perdozen bunches; radishes, 30c do; water cresses 40c per basket; new cabbage, \$2 per dozen or 20c per head.

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FRUIT.—Apples—Russetts, \$3 to \$5 per brl, and from 40 to 50c per peck; Lemons, 15c to per doze; \$5 to \$7 per case; oranges, 30c to 35c per dozen; \$7.00 to 7.50 per case; cranberries, 00c per gallon; cocoanuts, 75c per dozen.

POULTRY AND GAME.—Turkeys, 90c. to \$1.25 eacn; geese, 75 to \$1.00 per pair; ducks (wild), 00c to 00c per brace; tame, 50c to 60c; pigeons, 20c to 30c per pair; chickens, 40c to 70c per pair; quails, \$2.00 per dozen; prairie hens, 70c \$1.00 per pair.

MEAT.—Reef—reast beef (trimmed), 10c to 15c.

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# THE CATTLE MARKETS.

St. Gabriel.
Monday, June 9.

Between 12 and 15 carloads of cattle and hogs arrived at the St. Gabriel market on Saturday night and this morning early. The quality of the stock offered for sale was generally good, and, on the whole, superior to that under offer last week, there being a much larger number of animals suitable for export. Among those in the yards this morning were noticed some very fine grades of heavy fat HEAVY ACTION.—John Morrison has entered an action to recover \$10,000 from John Mc-

1,100 lbs. each, 7 to Mr. Ald. McShane, and 14 head to B. J. Hopper at 41c all around Joseph Featherston, Toronto, one load of cattle, and Mr. McKinnon, Everton, Ont, 8 head of cattle to Alderman McShane, for shipment, at \$65 per head; George Paterson, Guelph, some 50 or 60 head of cattle to Alderman McShane, fer shipment, at about 51c per lb; F W Ritchings, Toronto, 55 head of cattle, averaging 1,450 lbs each, to Alderman McShane, for shipment, at \$67 per head; Hugh Kelly, Toronto, one load of cattle, averaging about 1,000 lbs each, to different local butchers, at 41c per lb; John Elliott, 11 head of cattle to local butchers at 41c to 41c per lb, and also 12 live hogs at 41c per lb. Mr Robert Cochrane, of Guelph, also sold 11 head of cattle, averaging about 1,250 lbs each, for local use, at \$60 per head. A few other sales were made later in the day at prices within the range quoted above.

The receipts of cattle during the past week at Point St. Charles were 65 carloads, 42 of which were shipped through from Toronto for England, 23 carloads being for this market. There were also received 8 carloads of hogs and 16 horses. The total arrivals, then at Point St. Charles were 69 cars of cattle, 8 cars of hogs and 30 horses.

#### Viger.

TUESDAY, June 10.

Receipts of live stock at this market yesterday were large, and all of good quality. There was also a large attendance of buyers, and, under a good demand, firm prices were realized. About forty beeves sold at \$5.50 to \$6 per 100 lbs. for first class, \$4.50 to 5.00 for second class, and prices ranged from \$7 to \$8 per cwt., dead weight. About 140 calves changed hands at \$7 to \$8 each for firsts, and \$6 to \$7 for seconds; 400 sheep and lambs at \$6 to \$7 for first class sheep, \$5 to \$6 for

were scarce and higher, selling at from \$3 to \$4 each. About a dozen live hogs changed hands at 5%c per lb.

To-day the receipts were small, and the demand slow, especially for milch cows, which numbered about 30 head. Extra fine cows brought \$70 each; and second class, from \$40 to 45. About 10 calves were sold at from

second, and \$4 to \$5 for third. Spring lambs

\$7 to 9 for firsts; \$6 to 7 for seconds; and \$2 to 3 for thirds. There were only four or five sheep, and not quite a dozen hogs in the stalls, and for these the same prices as were paid yesterday were realized. Hay at this market brings \$10 per 100 bundles for the best, and \$7 to 8 for second

class quality. Straw is worth \$6.50 to 7 per hundred bundles for the best, and \$5 to 6

#### for second-class. Montreal Horse Market.

SATURDAY, June 7.

The demand for heavy export horses has continued good during the past week, but the local market has ruled dull, for horse flesh. At the weekly auction sale by Mr. James Maguire yesterday at the city horse market on College street only four beasts were sold, viz, one span driving horses at \$270, one at \$40, and another at \$15. There was a good attendance, but the number of cash buyers present was small, and accordingly prices ruled low. It may be stated that new and commodious stables have recently been erected on the city horse market, which is now fairly opened for the season.

At the American House yards about eight carloads of horses have been purchased at good prices for exportation, and altogether between 90 and 100 horses were shipped by buyers at these yards during the week. Mr. Edgar Snow, of Boston, about the heaviest purchaser, shipped two carloads; another is being loaded to-day for Boston by Mr. J. F. Baker, and Mr. Thomas Kurly will ship a car to Utica, N.Y., on Monday next. There are about half-a-dozen American buyers at the American House to-day, and over 50 horses are in the stables.

The following is the list of horses exported during the week ending to-day, as entered at the United States consulate's office here:prices will assuredly decline. Apples were a shade firmer to-day, selling at \$4 00 to 500 per barrel. Strawberries were still worth 25c per quart; green pears, \$2 50 per bushel; new green beans, \$150 per crate: Montreal cucum, \$1,502.50; 20 at \$1,690.50; 14 et \$1,464.50. On the 5th-10 at \$772; 16 at \$1,516.50; 20 at \$982; 20 at \$1,822; 11 at \$958. On the 7th, 23 horses at \$1,803. It may be seen from the above that the total of the list of exported horses 210. sold at a total value of \$16,944, which shows an increase on the week previous.

# Montreal Fuel Mark et.

THURSDAY, June 5.

Business in coal has been reported fairly active during the past week. Dealers have been stocking up their yards, as stocks of both coal and wood were nearly entirely cleaned out at the opening of navigation. Although prices are a little firmer than at this time last week, our outside quotations being generally asked, still dealers complain of low prices and small profits. Since the sale of 100,000 tons of anthracite coal by auction in New York a week ago, prices in the States have advanced 25c to 30c per ton, and the effect has been apparently to cause buyers here to lay in supplies. Numerous sales have been reported at \$5.25 for stoye, and \$5 for egg and chestnut, for large orders of 20 30 tons for the winter 25c less per ton is charged. It is said that anthracite coal is sold at lower figures in the Western and Southern States now than it can actually be produced for. The production of anthra-cite coal in New York is about 2,206,000 tons per month, therefore the sale last week was, in quantity, only about one-twentieth of the month's production. There are still rumors pro and con about a combination amongst the large American dealers, but a despatch from New York says :- " In spite of many rumors that a combination of the coal companies to secure higher prices for coal had been made, many dealers are of the opinion that no agreement has been reached.

In cordwood there is very little doing in the yards, but business is reported fairly active at the wharves. Dealers here have been busy stocking up, and prices are steady and unchanged.

Coal.—Retail prices, per ton, delivered for cash: Stove, \$5 00 to 5 25; Chestnut, \$4.75 to 5 00; Egg, \$4 75 to 5; Furnace, \$4 75 to 5; Scotch Grate (soft), \$5 50; Scotch Steam, \$4 50 to 4 75; Pictou Steam, \$4 to 4 25; Newcastle Smiths', \$5 50; Coke (per chaldron),

#### Montreal Hay Market.

SATURDAY, June 7.2 The receipts at this market during the past week, comprising about 300 loads hay and 50 loads straw, show a very slight decrease, if any, on those of the week previous. Yesterday (Friday) being the regular market day, there was a large business done. There was a good attendance of buyers, and all offering was sold readily. To-day the receipts were not nearly so large. Prices remain steady and unchanged at last week's quotations, from \$8 to \$10 per 100 bundles hay, the average price being \$9 50, and from \$4 to \$6 per 100 bundles straw, the average being about \$5. These figures are expected to rule steady until the new crop comes forward, which will not likely be for a couple of months hence.

#### THE QUEBEC MARKETS. Lumber, Freights, Salt and Coal.

Lumber, Freights, Salt and Coal.

QUEBEC, June 6.—LUMBER—The market for all descriptions of square tumber continues without animation. Sales have been made of the following descriptions at prices quoted:—Oak of 65 to 70 feet average, 30c to 32c per foot; Michigan, 55 to 60 feet average, 30c to 32c per foot; Michigan, 55 to 60 feet average, 22c. Red Pine, according to average and quality, at 12c to 17c per foot. White Pine, first-class rafts, about 60 feet by 16 inch, at 18c to 19c per foot. Common rafts, 10c to 14c per foot. Deals in fair demand. Bright Pine at \$10, \$58 and \$24. Dry, floated, at \$85, \$55 and \$22.

FREIGHTS.—Recent private advices would indicate that timber freights had a firmer ten dency in the English market, but there is no per ceptible improvement here, being steady but dull. Current rates are—Liverpool, 21s 6d timber, 60s deals; Chode, 18s timber to Dundalk; France, 28s timber, 60s deals; Sharpness Point, 22s 6d timber; 60s deals; Clyde, 18s timber to Dundalk; France, 28s timber, 62s 6d deals, River and Gulf Freights—Montreal, salt 6c to 7c per sack; coals, 90c to \$1 per ton; sawn lumber per thousand feet, board measure, \$1 to 1.10. From Quebecto Miramichi, Shediac, Gaspe, Picton, &c., 50c per bri par schr.

SALT—Receipts since last report have been 2.227 tons. which now brings the importations were at 47c, ten to the ton.

COAL—Receipts for the week have been 2.525 tons, which now make our importations of all arndes up to date this season 30,330 tons. Rates have not improved, and transactions are at \$5 for Scotch and \$4.50 to \$1.60 for English per chaldron, duty paid.

#### The Importation of American Cattle into Bristol.

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On Monday, Captain Tennant, the govern ment inspector, visited the extensive abattoirs which the Avonmouth dock company have erected adjoining their cattle lairs, and expressed his entire approval of the accommodation which has been provided. The Avonmouth dock company received a telegram on Tuesday afternoon informing them that the Privy Council had passed an order defining Avonmouth dock as a foreign animal wharf. On Wednesday, the cattle and sheep brought by the Cornwall from New York were transhipped from that steamer into lighters and conveyed down the river to Avonmouth. Twenty-five head of oxen and 425 sheep were taken down by the morning's tide. The Somerset steamer arrived at Avonmouth dock on Wednesday morning, having on board 50 cattle and about 470 sheep. all of which came to hand in excellent condition, she having lost only one sheep on the passage. After she had landed her live stock at the extensive lairage of the Avonmouth dock company, the steamer's gear was used in slinging the cattle from the lighters, which had come alongs'de her in the lock. In the course of the afternoon 25 head of oxen, a portion of the consignment by the Somerset, were sold by Mr. Pichard, of Lawrence Hill, the consignee, to various rBistol butchers, at prices ranging from £35 to £28 each; and £50 of the sheep were offered sale in the Cattle Market on Thursday. The abate'rs provided by the dock company were spoken very highly of by the butchers present as affording every convenience for the slaughtering of large cons'gnments of stock, there being accommodation for the killing of nearly a score of oxen at once, whist as many asa thousand head can be stalled in the lairs.—Exchange.

#### Business Troubles.

A writ of attachment was issued to-day by D Morrice against Messrs T J Caxton, Wm Reid and J C Lonedale for \$970. P S Ross, assignee.

# Shipments of Cattle.

The steamship "Mississippi" of the Dominion line left this port on Friday for Liverpool having on board 210 head of fat cattle shipped by Messrs. Frankland, Reeves & Morse of l'oronto, and 100 head by H. Walker & Sons of Walkerville, Ont. The steamship " Nestorian" took out on Saturday 340 head of cattle for Liverpool, belonging to H. Walker & Sons of Walkerville

# Mechanics' Bank.

A partially attended meeting of the Board of Directors of the suspended bank was held with closed doors in the bank building, corner of McGill and St. Bonaventure streets, hetween 12 and 1 o'clock on Fri-day, 6th instant. The affairs of the institution were discussed to some extent, but, in the absence of a full attendance of members of the Board, no action was taken beyond ordering the regular annual meeting of shareholders to be convened on the first Monday in July next, the 7th prox.

Meeting of Creditors.

At an informal meeting of creditors of the firm of T. J. Claxton & Co., suspended, held yesterday afternoon, with Mr. George Hague, Manager of the Merchants' Bank, in the chair, the assignee was requested, after discussion, to call the first meeting of creditors for the 18th of June instant, at 3 o'clock p.m. The following resolutions were also passed:—Mr. John Raukin, seconded by Mr. Lockhart, moved that the banks be authorized to renew maturing paper under discount, under the approval of Messrs. T. James Claxton & Co. and the assignee.—Carried. Mr. Thomas, seconded by Mr. Lockhart, moved that until the meeting of creditors for appointment of the assignee, that the business be allowed to go on as usual, and that the members of the firm and the assignee be allowed to deal with the accounts as they may deem best for the interests of the estate.—Carried Mr. John Rankin, seconded by c.Mr. F. Torran's moved, That the meeting cannot separate without an expression of regret that circumstances bave compelled Mr Chaxton and his partners to take this step, and assuring them that they have their full sympathy in the unfortunate position in which they are placed, and of their hope that arrangements may be made by which, under a new organization, the business may be carried on in the future with credit and satisfaction.

In January, 1878, the firm's balance sheet showed a surplus of \$150,000, but the nature of last year's business was quite unsatisfactory, wiping out any surplus there was.

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