OBITUARY.

D. D. Calvin, ex-M.P.P. for Frontenac, died at Garden Island, Ont., at 11.30 on Sunday evening, May 18th.

Mr. Pierre Gauvresu, C.E., late director of public works of the Province of Quebec, died at Quebec, May 16th, aged 71 years.

Boy. Father T. J. Syhnott, died on the 30th ult. at 11.20 at his residence, on the corner of Pequonnock except and Washington avenue, Bridgeport, Conh. May be rest in peace.

The Ray. Father P. Sheridan, formerly of the diocase of London, Ont., who 1882 went to Colorado for his health, died at Denver in that State on the 23rd uit. May he rest in Pence.

The Rev. Father Robert Ignatius, S.J. who died in New York at midnight on Thurs day, aged 45 years, was a well known priest. He received a collegiate education in New York, and shortly after his graduation married. He and his wife went to San Francisco, where she died. He returned East and joined the Jesuit order in Canada. He was ordained a priest in 1879, and atter performing various missions was ordered to New York, and under the direction of the Society of St. Francis Xavier, was stationed on Blackwell's Island. A requiem mass was chanted in St. Francis Xavier's Church on Friday, beginning at 9 o'clock. The body of the dead priest was taken to Woodstock, Md., for interment in the society's cometery.

Hon. Louis Panet died on May 15th at Quebec, aged 90 years and two months. Mr. Panet was a member of the Legislative Council for the LaSalle division, was a son of Hon. J. A. Panet, and for some years was Speaker of the Lower Canada Assembly. He was born in Quebec and was a notary by profession. From 1852 until the union he sat in the Legislative Council of the old Province of Canada, and was then appointed a member of the Upper House of the Provincial Legislature. In 1871 he was called to the Senate of Canada, resigning the position, however, after having occupied it for three years. He was a Conservative in politics. Some years ago he took considerable interest in the militia force, and held the rank of lieutenantcolonel. For some time he has been suffering from ill health, and his death was not unexpected.

We deeply regret to record the death of william Cummins, Esq., Wowonosh, Ont., and mother of Rev. Michael Cummins, P.P., of Corunna. This estimable lady died at her late residence on Thursday morning, 8th inst., after a long and painful lliness, which she bore with truly Christian fortitude: She was esteemed and beloved by a large circle of friends and acquaintances, her hospitality and many amiable qualities were admired by all who had the pleasure of knowing her. The funeral took place to the parish church of St. Augustine, on Saturday morning, 10th inst., and was attended by a vast concourse of sorrowing relatives, friends and acquainsances. The Rev. Father Ronan, ol Corunna, sang High Mass for deceased, assisted by Rev. G. R. Northgraves, as descon, and Rev. B. Waters, of Goderloh, as subdeacon. The other priests present were Rev. Jno. O'Connor, pastor of the parish, Rev. J. Corcoran, P.P. of Teeswater, and Rev. Father Cummins, of Corunns, who is the youngest son of the deceased. Bev. John O'Connor preached an elequent and affecting funeral sermon in which he paid a high tribute to the worthy Ohristian life and many virtues of the deceased. May her soul rest in peace.

SPECULATION ON GLADSTONE'S RE-SIGNATION.

LORBON, May 15. - There is much speculation as to the course the Ministry will pursue in view of the small majority by which the adoption of the vote of censure was prevented. Mr. Parnell evidently believes that Ministers will be constrained to resign, and he has issued orders for immediate prepa tions throughout Ireland for a general election, which he pronounces imminent. The general opinion, however, is that the Government will cling to office, inasmuch as it has not been absolutely defeated in the House of Commons. It is said that the despatches at the Foreign Office are awaited with anxiety and opened with trembling fingers, because of well grounded apprehensions that they may bring at any moment intelligence of such a disaster in the Soudan as might sweep the Liberals out of power on a wave of irre-sistible public indignation.

COMMENTS AND CLIPPINGS:

A pile of 1,000,000 \$1 bills would be fortyfive feet high.

The late John Clancy, of Grand Bapids, Mich., bequeathed \$60,000 to the Boman Catholic Bishop of that diocese to found an orphan asylum, to be governed and controlled by the bishop and his successors.

In illustration of the Scotchman's love of country the Duke of Buccleuch said: "I would rather die in a snow wreath on the brace of Yarrow than of the softest bed on the shores of the Mediterranean."

The man in Macon, Ga., who bought of a confectioner for \$12 the right to est all the candy he wanted for a month, has reluctantly seen the close of the thirtieth day. Not so the confectioner, for the eater consumed \$21.75 worth of his goods.

When one of the twenty-one Cincinnati murderers was found hanging dead in his cell, suspended by the bedolothes, a Cincinnati man suggested putting up a placard in the cells of the other twenty: "Do not tear up the sheets! A rope will be found in the corner of the cell."

The body of Walter Ream, a soldier who died twenty years ago, was removed to the soldiers' lot in the Knoxville, Iowa, cometery last week. It was completely petrified, the features being so well preserved that the body was instantly recognized by those who

had known him in life. In a recent edition of the London Times appears an advertisement for an artificial accept his challenge without forfeiting nose. "Inasmuch as I will be compelled to his amateur standing. The bona fide remain at home until my nose is returned, not having money enough to purchase a new one," says the advertiser, "I trust that the finder will have the goodness to return it without hopes of other reward than the

thanks of the owner." Leonard Henkle, an able and reliable engineer, says that by using the wasted water power of Niagara Falls all the cities of the United States and Canada could be illuminated by electricity, and save the consumption of millions of tons of coal now used in the manufacture of gas. He calculates that with 2,000,000 horse power electricity could be generated and conveyed by underground wires to all the cities. He estimates the first cost at \$50,000,000, whereas sixty-five cities now spend \$47,000,000, annually for

Final negotiations in regard to the Egyptian conference have been concluded. France and Italy persistently insist upon the right to discuss the general question of the administration of Egypt.

Quabro, May 16th. When the great orator (?) from Montreal West arose in the Quabeo Legislature yesterday afternoon the most intense excitement prevailed, so much so that many of the members were unable to stand the pressure on their nervous system and retired for a cooling draught. It was well known that Mr. Mc-Shane had announced his intention of speaking for two or three hours, and it was foared that the leader of the Opposition, in consequence of his burning, eloquent and scathing denunciations of the Government's evil ways, would go into hysterics. Mr. McShane had previously arranged with the gentlemen in the Press Gallery not to report his speech verbatim, his peculiar system of grammar not having as yet come into use. guage of the day. Mr. McShane has a rich tenor voice, but it requires cultivation. It is in fact something of the falsetto and is very fiexible. For instance, his opening lines are in c, but his concluding ones in a minor. His arms are also a very great assistance to him, his gestioulations resembling those of that immortal orator, Mirabeau, of whom he is the Quebec counterpart. It is universally admitted that his style of oratory is peculiarly original-in short, all his own. He disdains to crib ideas or copy his language, and as to preparing a speech it is beneath his selfesteem as an extempore speaker, in which he particularly prides himself; his vanity in this respect surpassing those of any of our ancient or modern legislators.

MIS APPEARANCE ON THE PLOOP.

Mr. McShane is a man of about 54 years of age, of medium height, light complexion, flowing patriarchal beard, weighs 93 pounds, and is of a very nervous, sanguine temperament. His head is remarkable for its size and shape, and his facial expression is stern and imposing; his eyes are of the deepest darkness, and capable of pene-trating unseen depths. His fore-head is high, his baldness going a great way to develope this feature. When speaking he occasionally launches forth in passionate declamation, and it is at this time that he shows his sublimity of self esteem. He throws around his adjectives in the most pro-Mrs. Bridget Cummins, the beloved wife of miscuous manner, and such adjectives ! Shakespeare never coined such novel phrases. While he is speaking, the slience is almost painful. The "bar" of the House is crowded with enthusiastic admirers, and even the reporters get so carried away with his eloquence that it has been known that they sometimes neglected to take notes of his remarks. Thus it is that the great reading public have lost some of the choicest morcesux which ever dropped from the lips of living man. Mr. MoShane's school of logic is of the agnostic type. He believes nothing but what he sees, and in nobody but in Alderman James MoShane, jr., M. P. P. One of the characteristics of this representative is his utter disdain of position or title. A story is told (by his enemies of course, and where is there a great man without enemies?) that on a visit to New York not long ago, he, in a moment of absent mindedness, registered in the hotel as "the Hon. Aldermen James McShane, Acting Mayor, Montreal, and M.P.P."

It must have been about this time that Mr. Joly offered him a seat in his Cabinet, as Minister of Agriculture, but

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prompted him to decline the honor. It was noticed when he made this declaration in the House on Thursday last, as the Irish representative (?), that the Hon. Mr. Joly turned deathly pale and leaned on his desk for support. Several of the members put their heads in their desks to hide the conscious blush for this great selfdenial, and many more were carried to the "bar" of the House in a fainting condition. Mr. McShane's assistance on all occasions to the patriotic movements of his countrymen has been of an entirely disinterested and unassuming character. His adhesion to Land League principles is well known. In his last election he refused to oppose a certain gentleman on these grounds, because, being himself a Land Laeguer (of the Buckshot Forster type) he disdained to use the weapon against him or ask for votes on this argument. He is the purest of electionecrars, never has as much as a sou been spent by him to win an election. It is entirely his eloquence and abilities as a statesman which have made him the people's scholos. He repudiates all other representatives of his nationality in this Province. He is the "great I am"—their Daniel O'Connell in asserting their rights, both religious and national. He objects to the Hon. Mr. Flynn because he does not speak "pure" English. This defect, however, could never be urged against Mr. McShane. He is a modern Demosthenes, and is the bright particular star and central figure amongst our greatest statesmen and orators.

ATHLETICS.

Judging from the latest reports from England Myers will have his hands full when he gets there.

The annual meeting of the Amateur Athletic Association of Montreal took place at the club house last night, Mr. W. L. Maltby in the chair. There was a large attendance of members. The reports presented were of a very satisfactary nature.

In Thursday's issue of the Gazette, the letter of an alleged authority on sprinting matters undertook to tell Montreal sporting men that no man had ever run 100 yards in 10 seconds, and with a view, probably, to advertise himself, proposed to bet any 'amateur" \$500 that the time could not be accomplished by the said amateur. Mr. Bose knows the amateur law theroughly, and he also is confident that no amateur could accept his challenge without forfeiting suggestion of the sporting reporter of this paper that he put up a \$50 cup for Thompson to do him 100 yards in 10 seconds at the Shamrock grounds on Saturday is rejected in to-day's Gazette with soorn, and the patron of sport, that estimable man who wishes to promote the interests of running, offers to bet any part of \$500 that no man can be produced, amateur or professional, to run in the time named. As it is money he is after, he can get a few men to take him up. Were an amateur to take part in such a transaction, he would be ruled a professional, but let Mr. Bose communicate with Mr. James Quirk, of Brantford, and if he has as much money as he has powers of boasting, it may be that he oan win a small independence ever the race. The letter in the Gaestis is pure bluff, and

The Malagassy Government are reported to have offered France £1,000,000 on condition that the latter abandons all claims on passed in the Commons. their islend.

no one knows it better than Mr. Rose.

IBISH BISHOPS TO BE SUMMONED TO A CONFERENCE WITH THE POPE.

THE PAPACY AND THE ITALIAN COVERNMENT-LARGE DONATIONS FROM VARIOUS COUNTRIES FOR THE PROPAGANDA.

New York, May 20 .- A Rome cable special says :- The report that the Irish bishops summoned to Rome to confer with the Pope next autumn was confirmed by Mgr. Jacobini, Secretarylof, the Propaganda, to-day. "It has not yet been decided," said Mgr. Jacobini how many convocations will be sent out but probably a dozen bishops will arrive by the end of October. They will not meet in formal congress, as the American bishops did, por will they be called upon to discuss politios. It is a settled rule of the Papacy to confine itself to ecclesiastical and moral matters and to leave foreign politics alone. The Irieh bishops will chiefly have to He, therefore, requested them to trim up his consider educational questions, which remarks and put them into the ordinary lanwhich The Italians have our money, seven or eight millions of it. Perhaps it would, after all not be to our interest to ask them to refund. All we have to do is to see that there shall be no misconception of the real state of things and to go on pointing cut the errors of the Italian government. Meanwhile a second note has been sent out by the Vatican, but for the present its contents will be kept a secret. At a fitting moment, possibly, the bishops of various other countries may be summoned to Rome. There was some thought lately of

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of the Church, but the idea was abandoned." The correspondent inquired what was the present state of the Propaganda question.

"Oh, that question is as good as settled," said Cardinal Jacobini. "There is no great use in making mere arguments. The public of the United States have acted more bravely than any country in this matter. We have been especially struck by the attitude of the American laity. But then you love lib-erty. The Holy Father has been greatly pleased by the action taken in the United States. I may mention that I have sent let. ters of thanks to the Secretary of State and Mr. Astor.

"What effect have the recent events had

THE PROPAGANDA FINANCIALLY ? "We can't complain," said Mgr. Jacobini. "Donations are beginning to reach us from various parts of the world; 20,000 florins (\$33,000) have been received from Austris, and several sums, \$50,000 or so, from other places. Considerable donations have been paid to our agents in Canada and Bavaria. Smaller donations have been received in Paris. With regard to New York I know nothing. Cardinal McClosky has not yet written me. It might be well, by the way, to explain that the ordinary subscriptions should be sent to our branch at Lyons to the Bocietie pour la propaganda de la foi, which needs funds. The Propaganda itself only receives donations and legacies" Cardinal Jacobini said there was no truth in the rumor of the Pope's health failing.

THE CANADA GAZETTE.

OTTAVA, May 16 .- The Canada Gazette tomorrow will contain a proclamation fixing the 28th June as the day for the celebration of the Queen's Birthday.

The following appointments will appear Judge Cameron, to be Ohlet Justice of the Court of Common Pleas, Ont., vice Wilson; John Lee to be second commissioner for the license district of Hochelaga ; Lieut.-Col. Irwin, Captain Herchimer and Inspector Steele, to be commissioners of the peace Joseph Mathieu, of Sorel, collector of customs: Wm. Plunkett, Toronto, landing

The militia general orders contain the usual instructions with reference to drill during at 58 to 62 to 62 to and cassia at 10c to 11c.
the coming summer, formation of camps, and Iron and Hardware—Market is easier and the coming summer, formation of camps, and statement shows the number to be drilled in the older provinces with the place and date of camps :- District No 1, London, 17th June, 2,225; District No 2, Toronto, 16th dull and inactive. Bars are at \$1.80, sheets June, 3,150; District 3, Trenton, 23rd June, 1,740; District 4, Brockville, 24th June, 1,230; District No 5, St Johns, P Q, 2,720; District No 6, Lapratrie, Que, 24th June, 1,186; District No 7, Levis, 24th June, 1,520; District No 8, Aldershot, N S, 9th September,

NEWS ITEMS.

The British agent at Berber has been captured by the rebels. Stephens has invited Rossa to his Irish

Toronto's semi-centennial subscriptions are not altogether satisfactory.

conference in Paris.

There are a number of first-class printers out offemployment in Quebec. The Scott Act is to be submitted to the

electors in the county of Ontario. A Calcutta despatch says hostilities be-

tween Nepcaul and Thibet are imminent. The Toronto grand jury deplores the in-

rease of crime among boys and youths in that city. All the employees of the Baku Bailway in Russia have been arrested on a charge of being

implicated with the Nihilists. One hundred and flity judgments were iven on Saturday in Quebec against defaulting tax payers for the sum of \$7,000.

Oyrlie Duval, convicted of robbing the noor box of the church at St. Henry, Que., has been sentenced to five years in the penitiary.

It is supposed the ex-Fenian head-centre Clancy is lying badly wounded from an attack by seven men whom he believes Invincibles.

An investigation has disclosed the fact that

the tinned meats supplied to the English troops in the Egyptian campaign were rot-The losses by fire in the United States, as estimated by the National Board of Fire

Underwriters, last year amounted to nearly \$50,000,000. The agitation in Eastern Boumelia for union with Bulgaria is increasing. Procla-

mations have issued calling upon the people to take up arms. Captain Gambier, of the Hoyal Navy, writes to the London Times pointing out the terrible risks of collisions incurred by the competi-

tion of Atlantic liners. America, and that Russia intends to apply for and 8c for No. 2. Green butchers' hides his extradition.

It is said that in the event of the House of Lords rejecting the franchise bill, an autumn session will be called and the measure again

Church, Quebec, upon which the tower was to rest, is defective and must be rebuilt. The cost will be over \$3,000.

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FINANCIAL.

TRUE WITNESS OFFICE, TUESDAY, MAY 20, 1884. In London, consols sold at 101 5-16 and 101 7-16; Erie 16]; Illinois Central 125%

Canada Pacino 474. At 1 20 pm in New York stocks were all weaker. Western Union sold at 55½, Lake Shore S51, Eric 151, neconds 63, Northwest 1021, Del & Lack 1061, Canada Southern 381, West Shore Bonds 491, Louisville & Nasnville 311, Central Pacific 431, Pullman Car 101, and Canada Pacific 46. Manitoba was 101, and Canada Pacific 46. steady at 90.

The local stock market was irregular, but

fairly steady and business exhibited slightly increased volume.

Stock sales-50 Montreal 1883, 110 do 1883, 125 do 1883, 25 Molsons, 110, 25 Ontario 1031, 37 Merchants 1083, 14 People's 571, 25 Commerce 1233, 175 do 123, 100 Passer-ger 1211, 25 Northwest 47e, 100 do 47a 6d, 25 do 48s. 35 Richelleu 613, 15 Gas 179, 20

Bell Telephone 106. New York, May 20, 1 p.m.—Stocks weak Am Ex 90; O S 38½; D & H 102½; D & L 107½ Erie 19½; pid 33; Ills 123, L S 85; M U 74; Mo Pac 69; N J O 71; N P 21½; pfd 481; NW 1025; pfd 1321; NY 0 1111; PM 371; BDG 303; BI 1143; StPM & M 90; Tex Pao 121; UP 431; Wab 71; pfd 141; W U 557.

COMMERCIAL.

WEEKLY REVIEW-WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Outside of the few speculative staples which are always more or less excited, business circles have presented a uniform dullness, which is not encouraging at the opening of navigation and of the spring trade. pression in the shipping business, particularly for outward cargoes, is enough to cause owners of vessel property to look very blue indeed and there is no immediate prospect of any improvement, so it is feared. In New York a panic was caused by the timidity of the banks, who do not view the situation in a pleasant light, and who called in their loans to broker to a large extent. One result of this was another shrinkage in the price of wheat in the West, the decline also being accelerated by plendid harvest prospects on both continents. Wholesale merchants are sending forward considerable quantities of goods to the country by the early boats, but the city trade this week was dull in consequence of wet, unsettled weather. Dry goods houses report orders small and limited in number.

GROCERIES.—There has been a good demand for sugar: yellows are quoted at 53c to 63c, and granulated at 83c to 83c, off grades a fraction lower. A good business has been done in Nova Scotia refined, several large lots changing hands. Syrup is dull, in-active and nominal. Molasses has declined 24c from a week ago, with latest sales at 351c for Bardadoes, new crop. The tea mar-ket has been quiet and featureless, but steady in tone. Coffee has had a moderate jobbing call, old government Java selling at 20c to 22½c, and Mocha at 26½c. Stocks are light. The fruit market has hown a fair degree of animation. No.

loan, \$20; No, 1 Gartsherric and Summerlee, \$18; No. 1 Dalmellington \$17.50; and No. 1 Eglington \$17. The finished iron trade is at \$2.50 and plates at \$2.50 to \$2.75. Tinplates do not gain strength, and rule quiet; I. C. charcoals at \$4,60 to \$4.75 and cokes at \$4.20 to \$4.40. Ingot tin is quiet and unchanged at 211c for Straits and 221c for Lamb and Flag. Ingot copper remains at 163c. Canada plates have been in small request at \$3 for Penn and equal. Lead is inactive at \$3.40 to \$3.50. The general hard-

ware trade is dull and uninteresting.

Boots AND Shoes.—Leather.—Trade in the former branch is about equal to what it was at last reference. Orders from all sources are coming in slowly. In leather some large lots of sole have been sold to Quebec buyers. Stock of black leather show a tendency to diminish, and dealers view the outlook more cheerfully, claiming a better tone for the market. At the same time buyers claim to be able to purchase on as favorable terms as before. Prices are quoted as follows: Spanish sole, No. 1, B.A., 26c to 27c; do. No. 2, B. A., 23c to 24c; China, No. 1, 22c to 24c; do. No. 2, 20c to 21c; Buffale, No. 1, 20c to 22c; do. No. 2, 18c to 19c; slaughter, No. 1, 25c to 28c; rough (light), 24c to 27c; hurness, 25c to 32c; waxed upper, light, 36c to 38c; do. do. medium and heavy, 33c to 36c; grained upper, long, 35c to 38c; Scotch grained upper, 38c to 42c; buff, 14c to 16c; pebbled cow, 12c to 15c; splits, medium, 22c to 27c; do. junior, 18c to 21c; calfskin, light, 60c to 75c; do. heavy. 75c to 85c; French calfskin, \$1.05 to \$1.35; English kidskin, 60c to 70c

patent cow, 15c to luc.

Lumber.—There is no change in prices.

The export trade is fairly under weigh, and we hear of deal charters at 50s to Liverpool and 55s to London. The first engagement for lumber to the River Platte has been made at \$14. The following are prices at the yards, iarge quantities are being quoted lower :—Pine, lar gequantities are being quoted lower:—Pine, lst quality, per M, \$35 to 40; 2nd quality, per M, \$22 to \$24; do., shipping culls, per M, \$14 to \$16; do., 4th quality deals, per M, \$12; do., mill culls, per M, \$10 to \$12; spruce, per M, \$10 to \$13; hemlock, per M, \$20 to \$25; ash, run of log culls out, per M, \$20 to \$25; hass run of log culls out, per M, \$17 to \$25. bass, run of log culls out, per M, \$17 to \$25 oak, per M, \$40 to \$50; walnut, \$60 to \$100 cherry, per M, \$60 to \$80; butternut, \$35 to \$40; birch, per M, \$20 to \$25; hard maple, per M, \$25 to \$30.

Wook,-Cape has changed hands more freely at 161c to 171c, and the market appears to be getting into good shape. Australian is nominal. There has been an increased firmness in Canadian pulled wool.

Hides.-Western green salted are quoted as follows :- No. 1 buff, 91c to 10c, and No. The Political Correspondence, Vienna, says that Degalefi, the Nihilist conspirator, is in 82c for No. 2. Hamilton are at 9c for No. 1, have declined ic from a week ago, and are now at Sc, 7c, and 6c for Nos. 1, 2 and 3 respectively. Calfskins are at 12c, and lamb-

RAW Furs.-Little else is arriving but The inside wall of the new St. John's muskrat, which sell moderately well at last | days son of Patrick McGowan

week's figures. There is some enquiry for beaver and lynx, and country holders would do well to send in their skins before it is exhausted. Prices are more or less nominal as follows: -Muskrat, 15c to 17c, and red fox 51.25 for good akins: Muskret, spring, löc to 17c; beaver per ib \$3 to \$3.50; bear, large, per skin, \$9 to \$12; bear, cub, \$4 to \$7; fisher, do, \$4 to \$6; red fox do, \$1.20 to \$1.25; cross tox do, \$2 to \$3; Iyax do, \$3 to \$3.50; marten do, \$1 to \$1.20; mink do, 50e to -1.25; otter do, \$0 to \$12; raccoon do, 25c to 50e; skunk do, 25c to 75. DRUGS. -Orders have come in to a fair extent from town and country, but there is no change in values to be mentioned. In quinine Howard's is quoted at \$1.75, and German, in bulk, at \$1.55. Opium is steady at \$4 to 4.25 and morphia at \$2.10 to 2.20.

COAL .- Orders for good sized lots of an thracite for forward delivery have been taken at \$6.15 for chestnut and stove, and \$5.90 for egg. The retail rate on spot is \$6.50 per ton all round. Scotch steam is dull and quoted at \$4.75 in barges from Quebec.

Oils.—For large lots of steam refined seal 671c would probably be accepted, while small lots are held up to 721c. Pale seal is nominots are neid up to 72½c. Pale seal is nominally unchanged at 57½c to 60c, and straw do at 52½c to 55c. The feeling in cod oil is a little better, as the supply is getting smaller. There is little Newfoundland in the market, which is quoted at 62½c to 65c. Gaspe is at 62½c to 63½. 62½c to 63½c. Linseed oil is quiet and about steady at 55c to 60c for boiled, and 55c to 56c for raw. Cod liver is unchanged at \$1.25 to \$1.50 and olive oil at \$1.00 to \$1.10. Petroleum.—A firm market is reported for petroleum. At Petrolia fair sales have been put through at 11c, and in this market the trade has been satisfactory for the season. Car lots are quoted at 13 to to 13 to; broken lots at 14c and single barrels at 14 to 15c.

NAVAL STORES .- Prices of rosins are un changed at from \$2.50 for common strained to \$5 for fine clear white. Oakum ranges from 6c to 10c as to quality. Turpentine is quiet at 53 to 55c.

SALT. - Elevens have changed hands at 40c to 42½c, and twelves at 36c to 37½c. Factory filled is at \$1.10 to \$1.15; Eureka at \$2.40 for sacks, \$1.20 for halves, and 60c for quar

LEADS AND PAINTS.—There have been sales of white lead at from \$4.50 to \$4.75 for com mon, up to \$6 for finest and even higher for special qualities.

THE CATTLE MARKETS.

The export cattle trade has been fairly active during the past week, but towards the close a quieter feeling was noticed, and at Point St. Charles on Monday the volume of business was not so large as on Thursday. The receipts at Acer & Kennedy's yards aggregat ed 2,124 head of shipping, and 800 head of butchers' cattle, hogs, and sheep. Demand was moderately active, transactions being reported at 6c to 61c per lb live weight as to quality, the top figure for choice. A lot of shipping sheep were offered at 6c per 1b live weight, but found no buyers. Live hogs were in fair supply and request at 7c per 15 Cattle freights are quiet with some contracts reported at £3. The shipment of live stock to Great Britain from this port since Thursday were 321 cattle per SS Titania for Glasgow, 552 cattle per SS. Lake Huron for Liverpool, 324 cattle per SS. Barcelona and 259 cattle per SS. Parthian, for London, making a total of 1,456 head since the date mentioned. Butchers' cattle were in request at the Point, and a pretty active movement was reported. Prices 1 Valencias are scarce and firm at 5c to are about steady at 5% to 6c per lb, live weight 5%. Lower grades have sold at 4%c. Curas to quality, the top figure for choice rants are quiet at 4%c to 5%c. Prunes are lt will be noticed that these range &c higher plentiful and difficult to sell at 5c. Grenoble than on Thurday. At Viger market Monday walnuts have moved out at 11½c. Almonds the receipts numbered 250 head of poor to are 11½c for Moleritas and 12½c for Ivicase Barcelona filberts are at 9c. Lemons range and high priced, selling as high as 6½c to 6½c from \$2.50 to \$3.60 per box, as to quality. Per lb. live weight. Fair steers and heifers walter; John Moody, Prescott, sub-collector
of customs; Myles A. Dunn, Magareen, outport collector of customs; M T Stenson,
third license commissioner for Sherbrooke,
vice Rioux, made first commissioner.

The rice market maintains a strong tone at sold at 5½c, and inferior animals
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as high as \$3.50 to \$3.50, and some small lots have sold at 4½c to 4¾c per pound live weight
as high as \$3.67½. Spices rule quiet and firm as to size and condition. A few milkunder light stocks. Black pepper quoted at men's strippers were offered at prices
17c, white at 26c to 27c. Jamaica ginger ranging from \$25 to \$50 cach as to quality. scarce at 15c to 18c, cloves at 18c, nutmegs | There were about 350 calves offered, and consequently prices were greatly in buyezs' fayor. Sales occurred on Monday at \$5 to \$7 rules and regulations. The total number of dull with importations light. No 1 Siemens, each for good, and \$2 to \$4 each for poor animen to be drilled is 18,070. The following \$18.75 to 19.00; No. 1 Coltness and Langmals. Sheep and lambs, of which about 150 mals. Sheep and lambs, of which about 150 were offered, had a fairly active demand at \$4 to \$8 each for sheep, and \$2.50 to \$4.50 for lambs as to quality.

BIRTH.

DONOVAN .- At No. 279 Blenry street, May 10th, Mrs. P. Donovan, jr., of a son.

DOHERTY.-At 146 Colborne street, on the ilth inst., the wife of John Doherty, of a son.

O'LEARY,-At No. 55 Mance street, on the 11th inst., the wife of Jno. O'Leary, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

MCOLUSKRY-CARROLL.-At St. Patrick's Church, by Rev. Father Dowd, on Wednesday, 14th inst., John McCluskey, of H. M. Customs, to Annie, daughter of the late James Carroll, all

DIED.

HANCOCK.-At Washington, D.C., May 9th, Roger George, second son of the late Thomas Hancock, aged 35 years, formerly of this city. Menamer.-- in this city, at 30 Shannon

son of Gustavus M. McNamee, aged 3 days. 114-2 DONOVAN.-On the 15th inst., of dyphtheria

street, on the 11th inst., Bernard John, infant

Timothy, aged six years and one month, son of James Donovan, 172 Charron street, St. Gabriel O'NEILL.-On the 14th inst., Francess Duns-

gan, wife of D. O'Neill.

REYNOLDS.-In this city, on the 15th ins Margaret McNulty, aged 55 years, relict of the late Daniel Reynolds.

HART.-In this city, on the 14th instant Richard, aged three years and seven months youngest son of Edward Hart.

HARTFORD.-At Toronto, Ont., on the 18th

inst., Sarah Rane, aged 30 years, beloved wife of Jonathan Hartford. O'REILY.-On the 17th inst., Katie Frances O'Reily, aged 8 years and 11 months, beloved

daughter of the late Edward O'Reily. SLATTERY.-At Lachine, on the 15th inst., John Blattery, aged 75 years, a native of Lime-

rick. Ireland. CONWAY,-On Friday, the 16th instant, at 10:45 p,m., James Conway, aged 47 years, a native of Dublin, Ireland, and for 28 years a resi-

dent of Montreal. DONOVAN.-On the 18th inst., of diphtheria, John, aged 4 years, one month and 10 days, son of J. Donovan, 171 Charron street, St. Gabrie

Village. LOYE.—In this city, on the 17th inst., William Joseph, second son of Sergent Francis Loye aged 16 months and 4 days.

Mogowan.—In this city, on the 18th inst.,

James Patrick, aged 1 year, 10 months and 16
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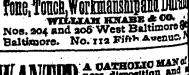
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