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ed upon application.****E. C. Stanwood & Co'y**121 Devonshire Street,
BOSTON, MASS., U.S.A.**DECISIONS IN COMMERCIAL LAW.****HAGGERT V. TOWN OF BRAMPTON.**—The
plaintiff sued as liquidator of the Haggert
Brothers Manufacturing Company, to recover
possession of certain machinery, or damages
for its conversion, claiming that such machinery
was chattel property. The defendants, the
Town of Brampton, were mortgagees of the
land on which the company's buildings stood
to secure a bonus by way of a loan of \$75,000,
and they foreclosed, and then sold the lands to
defendants, Blain & McMurphy, who claimed
the machinery as affixed to the freehold. The
Divisional Court gave relief to plaintiff as to
some of the machinery. The plaintiff con-
tended that the Court below did not go far
enough, and that he was entitled to all the
machinery. Appeal allowed by Court of Appeal
for Ontario, and judgment varied.**RICHARDS V. BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA.**—The
manager of the branch of a bank induced the
drawee of a draft to accept by representing
that the bank held goods as security for it, and
when the goods were sold the draft would be
protected. This representation was made to
serve the interest of the manager himself, who
was speculating in the goods, as well as the
interests of his brother. The bank sued the
acceptor on the draft, who pleaded that he was
induced to accept by the fraud of the manager
and for the accommodation of the bank. Held,
by the Supreme Court of Canada, affirming the
decision of the Supreme Court of New Brun-
swick, that the representation made to further
the private ends of the manager himself, or of
a third person, could not be said to be the re-
presentation of the bank, and that it was
immaterial whether or not the acceptor
believed the agent had authority to make it.
Also, that if the manager was the bank's agent
to present the draft and procure its acceptance,
the bank was only effected with the agent's
knowledge of what was material to the trans-
action and what it was his duty to make known
to his principals.**RIGHT OF A CREDITOR TO USE
POSTAL CARDS.**The question of the right of a creditor to use
a postal card in making a statement of indebt-
edness came up before United States Commis-
sioner Foote at Chicago the other day, and the
right to so use the card was upheld. The com-
plainant was George W. Cooley, of Kansas
City, and the parties complained of, Brown
Brothers, a New York firm, who had mailed to
defendant on a post card a statement of what
he owed them. Their attorney made a strong
fight in behalf of the New York firm, and As-
sistant District Attorney Rosenthal, on behalf
of the Government, said he would not insist on
the Commissioner holding the defendants for
the Grand Jury.**WESTERN GRAIN STANDARDS.**Mr. C. N. Bell, secretary of the Western
Grain Standards Board, has been arranged
with by the Department of Inland Revenue to
supply samples of the grain standards, when
made next month, under the official seal of the
department, for the Department of Agriculture
of the Local Government. The Winnipeg *Free
Press* says these will form a portion of the
Canadian exhibit at the International Expo-
sition to be held in Brussels, Belgium, in 1897.
The object is to show the millers of Europe
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buy Manitoba grades of wheat, a thing that
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