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THE WORLD OVER.

Foreign and Home News in Brief.

CABLE.

Crown Prince Rudolph opened the Hygienic Congress at Vienna yesterday.

The elections in Sweden have resulted in the return of a majority pledged to free trade. Negotiations between England and Turkey

with reference to Egypt will shortly be resumed. The Emperor William has arrived at Baden-Baden and was welcome i by a large crowd, including Dom Pedro, Emperor of Brazil.

The Etoile Belge says the Government will urge the passage of a bill making military service compulsory upon all citizens able to bear The London Standard's Berlin correspondent

hears from Sofia that it is probable that the new Sofranje will proc'aim Bulgaria and Eastern Roumelia an independent united kingdom. It is officially stated that the Bismarck-Kal-

nowy interview did not result in favor of a settlement of the Bulgarian question, Count Kalneky not concurring with Prince Ferdinand by prossure upon Bulgaria. Riots have been caused on the Island of

Penapi, one of the Carolina group, in consequence of the expulsion of a Protestant missionary. One man has been killed. Troops have

the monument was unimpaired.

At last night's meeting of the Toronto City Council, a resolution was passed increasing their contribution to the Gravenhurst fire sufferers frem \$400 to \$1,000.

Mr. Justice Wuctele has been provisionally chosen to sit in the Court of Appeals until the reorganization of the court.

Mesers, Net! lefold and Steer, of Birmingham Eng., are in Toronto, their visit to this country being for the purpose of selecting a suitable point for the establishing rolling mills in this country. A meeting of prominent citizens will be held to nerrow in Mayor Howland's office to discuss the desirability of offering inducements to locate the rolling mills here.

The Recorder of Quebec vesterday rendered judgment in the three remaining cases arising ont of the recent attack on the Salvation army Belanger, clerk, was fined \$5 and costs or fitteen days' jail; the colored boy Sheppard was mulcied in \$2 and costs or eight days, and A. Lemoine was fined \$1 and costs or two days

The following M.P.P.'s for the province of Quebec, who were appointed a delegation to enquire into the working of the experimental farms in Ontario with a view to establishing one in their province, arrived in Toronto yesterday afternoon from Gu-lph and left by last night's express for Ottawa:—X. Bernatchez, Montmagny; A. Rochelau, St. Hubert; O. Goyette, Laprairie; L. N. Larochelle, Dorchester; L. Bazinet, Joliette; B. Beaucnamp, Two Mountains; J. Pilen, Upton; L. Sylvestre, Berthier; A. Laprinte, Ste. Justine, and O. Baldwin, Dixville.

Yesterday's Canadian, of Quebec, says:—"We are in a position to state that the interprovincial conference organized by the Hen. Mr. Mercier will meet at Quebec in the first fortnight in October. The Prime Ministers of all the provinces of the Confederation have accepted the invitation to take part, with the exception of that of Prince Edward Island. It be definitely fixed to date of this meeting will be definitely fixed to day at Toronto by the Hon. Mr. Mercier and Hon. Mr. Mowat. The Prime Ministers of British Columbia, Manitoba, New Brusswick and Nova Scotia will be then immediately informed. It is also stated that one of the chief questions brought forth at the congress by the Province of Quebec will be the boundary line between Quebec and Manitoba.'

AMERICAN.

The decision in the case of Jacob Sharp has been affirmed by the general term. He will probably be sent to Sing Sing as soon as his health will permit.

It is now feared that Staten Island will be tried by a smallpox epidemic. Eight new cases were reported to day.

The President issued a proclamation yester-day, announcing the suspension of discriminating duties against imports from Spain and her colonies.

Yesterday the delegates to the Cigarmakers International convention at Burlington re-elected A. Strasser, of Buffalo, president. G. S. Warren, of Montreal, was made third vicepresident, and J. F. Mahoney, of Springfield, Mass., treasurer.

Richard D. Alliger, local agent for the British American Assurance Company, of Toronto, was arraigned in court in New York yesterday and held in \$2,500 bail on a charge of forgery. Clara Schulht, of New York, alleges that Alliger drew a check to her order for \$1.750 on the National Shoe and Leather Bank, forging her name to

Preston, candidate of the Union Labor Party for Secretary of State, has be speed to a low John Swinton's name to be put as the head of the ticket. This rankes four parties shearly in the field, the Republicans with Cel. Fred.

represents \$8,184,650 principal and \$1,408,773

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The United States War Department has been aware for some time of threateried brouble at the San Carles Indian reservation at Arizona. The situation there bears a resemulance to that which existed at the Ute reservation before Colorow's departure, and in both cases the trouble appears to have arisen from attempts by the State and territorial officials to enforce civil processes on the Indians. It is believed at the Department that any attempt to arrest the Indians will lead to a general stampade. Indians will lead to a general stampade.

TRUE TEMPERANCE.

Bishop Keane's Address at the Last National Convention.

The Way Bishop Ireland Obtained the Holy Father's Approval.

We give the following interesting address, delivered by Rt Rev. John Keanson the second day of the T. A. and B. convention. The Bishop is the president of the great Catholic University which is to be built in the near future. The Rt. Rev. Prelate said:

"It dots my heart good to be present once more at a convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America. It rejoices me to meet so many good, noble-hearted men who for seventeen years and mere have stood faithfully to their work. I shall always be glad that I had a hand in the fermation of this Union, and it rejoices me to see that, after sayenteen and it rejoices me to see that, after seventeen years of existence, it can turn out such a body of delegates as have assembled in this conven-

EXHORTATION TO PERSEVERANCE.

"I congratulate you, gestlemen, on not getting tired of cur good work. Unfor; unately, one of the commonest things in life is to find good men who get tired of good work. Whenever, indeed, any work has in it the smack of the devil, or the word, or the flesh, men are not apt to get tired of it. Gentlemen, I congratuapt to get tired of it. Gentlemen, I congratulate you on not getting tired. I congratulate you on your perseverance in this good cause. Such perseverance must be the result of special graces, I might say, a special vocation; for, just as in the midst of this busy world Almighty God is always raising up some to live for higher objects than the so of the world, to labor for the greatest and highest good, to live only to make the world wiser and better, so—blessed be His holy name!—He seems always to raise up in the ranks of the laity good and true men who also want to have laity good and true men who also want to have a hand in work that is good, in work that is noble, in work that will a'so help to make the world wiser and better. I congratulate you, gentlemen, on your vocation; I congratulate you on your fidelity to it.

BISHOP IRELAND AND THE HOLY FATHER. "It is a most auspicious circumstance of this ary. One man has been killed. Troops have open sent from Manila to restore order.

A French fishing boat has been sunk in the British channel by a collect n. Her identity has not yet been ascertained but it is known that eighteen of the persons on board were Crowned.

Troops have convention, a fact that will make it long a nemorable assembly, that it is neld just after the reception of the recent brief of our Holy Father. I congratulate the Total Abstinence Union of America on the tribute paid to it by the Holy Father in that most memorable document, and the Month of the recent brief of our Holy Father in that most memorable document and Leonard Leonard assembly, that it is neld just after the recent brief of our Holy Father. I congratulate the Total Abstinence of this convention, a fact that will make it long a nemorable assembly, that it is neld just after the recent brief of our Holy Father. I congratulate the Total Abstinence of this convention, a fact that will make it long a nemorable assembly, that it is neld just after the recent brief of our Holy Father. I congratulate the Total Abstinence Union of America on the tribute paid to it by the Holy Father in that well make it long a nemorable assembly, that it is need just after the reception of the recent brief of our Holy Father. I congratulate the Total Abstinence union of the person of the pers that sighteen of the persons on board were drowned.

Field Marshal Archeuke John has been suspended from the Austrian army. No reason is given. The suspension has caused a great surprise, the archeuke being considered one of the abliet generals in the army.

The Paris Gaulois, in 101 I shing the story of the desecration of Napoleon's tomb, was the victim of a hoax. The block of red granite which covers Napoleon's remains weighs tons, and cannot be moved without mechinery. It is guarded night and day, and this afternoon the more ment was uniqualized. for-but it means this : We, in America, surrounded and acquainted as we are with American habits, can have no idea how hard it is to make people in Italy, or in Rome particularly, understand the state of things that we live in. In a country where their wine is to them what our tea and coffee are to us, it is simply impossible for them to appraciate the condition of a country where which is a common boverage, and where drunkenness is a common vice. Hence, when we talk to them prised if it sounds to them like an extreme, like some sort of a finaticism. Considering these circumstances, it is indeed a most wenderful that thus far the Holy Soe has man fested to the temperance cause and to the Catholic Total Abstinence Union the favor and approval which has so repeatedly been expressed. But it took a man like Bishop Ireland, who could appear a term of some production to man of maller appears to the carrier of the carri could answer every question; a man of noble character; a man of grand intellect; a man of the loftiest aspirations; a man who was esteemed everywhere that he appeared—it took a man like that to put the whole meaning and the whole object of the Catholic total abstinence movement beyond misunderstanding, to make it clearly appreciated, to win for it the hearty esteem and the carnest co-operation of the Holy See. He accomplished it, and I am witness to it with what earnestness he spoke to the Holy Father. If he were ta'king to you to day he would not speak with more earnestness, with more whole-souledness than he datas I saw him there addressing Leo XIII. and telling him the necessities of total abstinence; and he converted the Pope. (Appreciation.) And now the Holy Father has proclaimed not only to you, but to the whole world—because his brief has been published to the very ends of the earth—he has published, I say, how heartly he endorses the Catholic total abstinence movement. The Holy Father has given his apostolic earnetion, his apostolic earnetion, his apostolic earnetion. dorsement, to that which has been so repeatedly declared by the prelates of this country in Flenary Council assembled concerning the great e.ils that are wrought in the Church and in the State of our country by the evil of intemperance. He has given his apostolic endorsement to that which has been so well and emphatically declared by Cardinal Manning and by other prelates after his lead, that the only efficacious remedy for such an evil is total abstinence. (Applause.) The Holy Father has given his emphatic endorsement to the formation of Catholic a sociations for the prosecution of that noble work, and he has given his apostolic blessing capecially to this great representative Union of tens of thousands of Catholics throughout this bread land who are banded to-gether, under the standard of the cross, to put a stop to this sin and to this mor-tification, and to lead men to sobriety and irdice. The voice of the Holy Father has gone irtue. The voice of the Holy Father has gone forth like a bugle plast, calling all men who love the Church and all men who love humanity to euroll themselves under that banner and to take

deaf ears, to be, by word and example, the leaders of their people in the practice of abstinence from intexicating drinks. (Enthusiasm.) HOW THE CLERGY CAN CO-OPERATE. God bless the many priests assembled in the convention and those not able to come to attend it, who for years and years, even before the Holy Father spake so strongly, have been engaged in this great work—the pioneers of this nobe cause. (Applause.) And may all the clerry throught ut the United States unite with their protection in weeking on this work on which their trethren in pushing on this work on which the blessing of Christ and His vicar has so plainly been bestowed. Friends and delegates, to Giant; the Democrats will nominate to-morrow, itemy George representing United Labor, and John Swinton, Union Labor.

The total amount of bonds purchased by the U. S. Treasury department yesterday, under the chicular of the 25rd inst, was \$1,253,250.

The total amount of money already paid out for bonds under this circular is \$3,593,423, which

part in this great and noble work. Especially

has this fatherly appeal gone forth to the priests

of the Church, to them who ought to be, and who, God bless them, are everywhere the leaders and guides of the people, not only by word, but also by example. To all the priests

word, but also by example. To all the priests of this country the Holy Father has appealed, with an appeal that will certainly meet with no

part in the Cathelic total abstinence moven ent. His answer was, "Because, unfortunately, for years past; the total abstinence movement in Ireland has been under the control of men whose extreme views could not be endorsed by whose extreme views could not be endorsed by the Church, whose extreme acts could not meet the approval of the clergy and hishops." But when a man went among them like Bishop Ireland, when he made his crusade—so brief and yet so effective in England and Ireland, and when they heard the thing put in its true light and based upon its real principles, immediately the first went forth that the very next month the hishops of Ireland should exemble month the bishops of Ireland should assemble in order to see how they could take the matter in hand. Friends, there is a lesson for us all in that. Catholic temperance men may sometime be very intemperate in their words and in their be very intemperate in their words and in their actions, and they sometimes give the clergy good cause for feeling that they caunot take an active part in the movement. I myself have often heard priests complain that their temperance men were intemperate in expression, that they were of extreme assertion; that they were advancing principles to which the clergy could not commit themselves—because even a good cause, as you know, may be pushed too far. Therefore, dear friends. be pushed too far. Therefore, dear friends, make it a rule of your conduct—I appeal to you as a representative Catholic total abstracted man—in all the various localities from which y.u come, make it a rule of your conduct to make your Catholic work amiable and worthy of approval in the eyes of the clergy; and then you may be certain that you will have the clergy with you. (Applause.) TOTAL ABSTINENCE NOT THE ONLY VIRTUE.

"Another consideration is this. I lave often heard some of the clergy lament that some of our Catholic total abstinence men even go to the extreme of seeming to make total abstinence a sufficient summary of all religious duty; that once they become total abstinence men they are in danger of not being as regular in approaching the communion rail as they ought to be, nor as earnest in taking a part in all the works of zeal and charity as might be expected of them. Friends, see in all your localities throughout the country that no such stigma shall attach to our Catholic total abstinence men. Show by your Catholic lives that the virtue of temperance is but the hand that guides you to the practice of all other Christian virtues, that your pledge of total abstinence is but the guardian angel that leads you to frequent communion; that the expenditure that you save and that you cause o' hers to save by your word and example shall, with the blessing of God, be made use of to help on God's work and the Church's work in every department of charity and zeal. Do your duty thus, dear friends, to yourselves and the total abst nence cause, and you may be certain that you will have with you not only the approval but the co-operation of all the clergy in the country.

CARDINAL MANNING'S OPINION.

"Friends, again I congratulate you on you ruccess. I congratulate you on the grand reputation which the Catholic Total Abstinence Union has in this country and in lands beyond thosels. When, lately, I was conversing, together with Bishop Ireland, with that great champion of total abstinence, Cordinal Manning (applicase), how his heart rejoiced, as we could tell him of how many of you there are struggling to forward the cause under the lead of the cross; of what clergy and laity, in tens of thousands, in every part of our country, were doing for the honor and glory of the Church and for the welfare of their country and of mankind.

THE TEMPERANCE CAUSE MUST NOT DIF. "Friends, persevers unto the end. This cause must not die. The temperance work must not stop. It must go on until every good man in this country shall feel it an honor and a duty to be united with you. Let your speech be so reasonable, let your arguments be so noderate and wise that no man can find fault with it or them. Let your conduct be exem-pary, let your behavior in the Church of God be that of model Cathelies; so that every mane in recognize that your cause is the Church's cause, that your work is God's work; and, I repeat again, every man in this land will be proud to jo'n hands with you and to work with with you. Work and speak as our Lord would do in creetness in gentlaness in personaire. do, in sweetness, in gentleness, in persuasive-ness. Go rot to any man with angry words, with abusive larguage, with reproachful epithets. Go everywhere with sweetness, with gentleness, with persuasiveness, and see if you will not win them always. Go not to a man to the restoration of the Society of Jesus, in the better if he did not drink; and who is there, when convinced that a course is bet. ter for him, cannot be persuaded to walk in it. Go to our Catholics who are engaged in the liquor traffic. Do not abuse them for it do not heap odium on them for it, but persuade them that it would be more to their credit and more to that of their Church if they would give it up; and surely no man will persist in a traffic which he knows to be a stigma upon himself in the eyes of God and of man. But because it is a delicate theme, speak to them gently; speak to them (raternally, convince them that they are doing harm to themselves and to the Church, and you will convert them.

A PERSONAL INCIDENT.

"When, a short time ago, I went to make the risitation of a little town in Virginia, I found at the good Catholic house at which I was stopping letter waiting for me. The letter was simply given in detail—every one except two of them Roman Catholics! There was no comment apperiled. It was a thing that spoke for little and needed no comment. You can appreciate, dear friends, how I felt that night as I rose before the people of that town to speak to them Catholic truths, when I knew that in that audience before me were these who had compiled that letter and left it there to meet me.

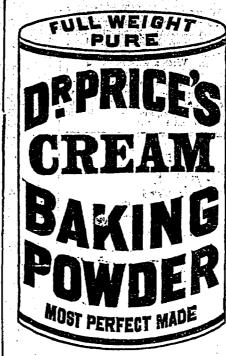
HOW TO MAKE CONVERTS TO THE CAUSE. " My friends, speak to them, appeal to them, lovingly and tenderly, telling them that they are doing harm to religion, telling them that they are putting the brakes upon the Church of God, telling them that they are hindering the works of the bishops and the priests; and if you appeal to their Catholic principles, surely will move their Catholic hearts, soon it will be an honorable thing to be a Catholic total abstinence man; soon it will be looked on as a dishonorable thing

to be helping the cause of intemperance.
"God oless the Union; God bless the work that it is engaged in; and when it will be celebrating, not its seventeenth, but its twenty fifth and fiftieth anniversaries, may I have the pleasure, if I am still in the land of the living, of meeting the good men whose hands I was proud to shake seventeen years ago at my first convention. May they prosper in the work, and may their children and may their children and may their children's children proclaim it as the brightest glory of their name that their fathers and their grandfathers were the champions of Catholic total abstinence." (Great cheering.)

ORIGIN OF THE SUDALITY.

In almost every one of our churches there is a Sodelity of the Blessed Virgin, A history of its origin cannot fail, then, to be interesting.

The first Sodality in Mary's honor was formed in Rome in 1563. The founder was John Leon, a Father of the Society of Jesus, then teacher in the Roman College. This Father, seeing the students exposed to so many dangers of losing their innecence and faith, hegan, on certain days of the week, to collect his own pupils in his o'ass room, where before a little altar of the Blessed Virgin he conversed with them on Christian virtue and piety. They used to commence and close their meetings by some prayers and hymns in honor of the Blessed Virgin, under whose special protection they placed themselves. As by and by many boys of the other classes



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conduct of the first sodalists caused similar associations to spread from Rome to every part of the Christian world. In 1576 the number of the sodalists, in colleges in Italy, France and Germany alone amounted already to 30,000. In 1854 Popa Gregory XIII. approved this Sodality of the Blessed Virgin in his brief "Omnipotentis Dei," and granted it nany indulgences. He wished that the Scdality of the Roman College should be, as it were, the mother and centre of all the others, and he gave to the General of the Society of Jesus, and to those of his brethren who would be intrusted with the care of a Sodality, all the faculties required for the direction of those pious serociations. Many of the fol-lowing Popes have extelled and recommended the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin in the warmest manner, and enriched it with indulgences. And, indeed, the Sodulity has deserved these favors. Its aim was in the ba-girning, and ever since has been, to protect youths against the spiritual dangers of their age, to guard their innocence and guide them on the road to virtue, to preserve and strengthen in them attachment to the Church, to kindle in their hearts zeal for the service of God, to promote their good conduct and to help them to fulfill the duties of their calling ; and all this through a special veneration of the Blessed Virgin. The annals of the Sodality bear splendid testimonies to its Lappy success. Among its members not only renewned topes and bishops, emperors, kings and princes are recorded—as Benedict IV., Fenelon, B senet, Ferdinand III. and II, emperors of Germany, Sigismund III., King of Poland, Emanuel, Duke of Savoy-but alto great saints, as St. Francis de Siles, St. Charles Borromeo, St. Alphoneus of Liguori, St. Stanis'aus Koetka, St. Aleysius and others. The hatred, too, with which the enemies of Gol and of the Church have continually longred the sodality during these three hundred years, and the storms which they now and then by calumnies of all kinds

COME IN WITH US!

excited, in order to have it suppressed, are a

tigh re o mmendation and most valuable testimony to its worth. In 1773, when the Society

of Jesus was suppressed, the Sodality also

was greatly injured, but from the ruin with

which it was threatened the Blessed Virgin

preserved it. The chief direction was given into the hands of some Cardinals, and, after

the restoration of the Society of Jesus, in the

You put crosses on your churches; your choirs sing "Ave Maria;" some of your Ritualistic have lights upon the a tar and confessionals in the aisles. Why not open the whole question at once and investigate whether Catholicity, as a whole, is not superior, as its parts seem to be, over what Protestantism is and has been?— Catholic Citizen.

The three R's brought Regret, Reproach and Remorse to agreat political party in 1884. The three P's, when signifying Dr. Pierce's Purgative Pellets, bring Peace to the mind, Preservation and Perfection of health to the body.

FARM AND GARDEN.

The color of pure Devon cattle is red, varyin from a rich dark to a pale chestnut. Beasts with small chests do not fatten readily

and are very susceptible to disease. Sow seeds of mignonette and any others that may be desired for the window garden.

Carefully "hand pick" the garden seeds you saved last season, saving only the perfect ones. It is a mistake to suppose that sour fermented slop for hoge is better than a fresh mixture that is sweet and clean.

Sunflower seed is often fed to poultry, but if too much be given it will cause the feathers to fall off, as it promotes early moulting.

Frequent spading of the poultry yards, with sprinkling of lime, is the best mode of cleaning. Where the fowls are closely confined the yards should be spaded at least once a month. The use of the wind mill has rendered stock raising much less difficult, for where running streams were necessary in pastures the water can now be led to the fields by pipes from the tanks supplied by the wind mills.

On light soils where it is difficult to grow wheat or oats, clovers ed should be sown in the fall, just after the warm days shall be over and the rains beginning. By so doing a good "catch" can be secured, which will avoid the necessity of sowing in the spring with a grain crop to shade the young plants. In discussing bloat in cattle before a farmers

lub, one of the members said that when turning cattle out on young clover he usually placed o'd hay where they could get it, and the consequence was that the cattle would always eat a portion of the old hay, which, having been dry, absorbed the moisture and prevented injurious results.

At this season the preparations should be At this season the preparations should be made for fattening the wethers and extra ewes intended for market. If they be separated from the breeding flock and given all the food they can eat a better price and heavier weight can be secured. The market is never supplied with fat sheep, which are usually sold on the approach of winter.

Hungarian grass proper has black seed mainly. The millets have yellow seed. Hungarian grass has less head and more stalk and leaf, and grass has less head and more stalk and lear, and is less liable to rust, and hence is a better hay crop and not so good a grain or seed crop. In selecting seed for a hay crop buy of a reliable seedsman, and take that which has the largest possible proportion of black seed.

possible proportion of black seed.
All hardy, strong-growing grasses, like orchard grass and timothy, may be sown in early spring or autumn. It is important that it is sown on a fine mellow seed bed, in the fall, and the seed must be covered with a light harrow or pressed into the soil by a roller. If sown thus in the fall early there will be a good sown thus in the fall early there will be a good crop of hay the next year. It is better to sow 280 for Halifax and 30 to 31c for Newfoundland, clover seed early in the spring, so that the Cod liver oil is steady at 70 to 75c, young plants may grow one season before expressions of winter.

Coal.—The market for steam coal is very firm, the demand for Cape B:eton being still in

COMMERCE.

Weekly Review of Montreal Wholesale Markets.

FLOUR, GRAIN, &c. FLOUR.—In this market there is a con inucd searcity of the leading trands of spring and winter wheat flour, prices of which are grafully hardening. There is a good export enquiry from Livespool, London and Glasgew, but huyers' limits will have to cime up before busines can be done to any extent.

We gusted Patent (Outario) 24 29 to 24 70. mp before busines can be done to any extent. We quote:—Patent, (Ontprio) \$4.20 to \$4.70; Strong Bakers' (American), \$4.40 to \$4.65; Strong Bakers' (Manitoban) \$4.35 to \$4.45; Strong Bakers' (Canada), \$4.00 to \$4.05; Superior Extra, \$4.10 to \$4.15; Extra Superiue, \$3.30 to \$3.95; Fancy, \$3.75 to \$0.00; Spring Extra, \$3.55 to \$3.60; Superine, \$3.35 to \$3.40; Fine, \$3.15 to \$3.25; Middings, \$2.90 to \$3.60; Pollards, \$2.50 to \$2.65; Ontario bags (strong) b. i., \$1.85 to \$1.95; Ontario bags (strong) b. i., \$1.85 to \$1.95; Ontario bags (spring extra), \$1.75 to \$1.60; Ontario begs (ruperfine), \$1.60 to \$1.70; C.ty Strong in sacks of 140 lbs. (per 196 lbs.), \$4.40 to \$4.55. Ontario do superfine) \$1.60 to \$1.70; C.ty Strong in sacks of 140 lbs. (per 196 lbs.), \$4.40 to \$4.55. Ontario do superfine) \$1.60 to \$1.70; C.ty Strong in sacks of 140 lbs. (per 196 lbs.), \$4.40 to \$4.55. Ontario do superfine) \$1.60 to \$1.70; C.ty Strong in sacks of 140 lbs. (per 196 lbs.), \$4.40 to \$4.55. Ontario do superfine) \$1.60 to \$1.70; C.ty Strong in sacks of 140 lbs. (per 196 lbs.), \$4.40 to \$4.55. veloped into considerable strength, and prices have advanced 30s to 40s per bhl.

BRAN, Ero.—The demand appears to be ahead of the supply, and dealers are ordering from some sections of the country on best terms. Sales during the past few days have been made in car lots at \$16 to \$16.50 per ten and in some instances \$17. Shorts \$18 to \$19. Moullie \$21

WHEAT -The wheat market is unchanged as regards spot business, and prices are more or less nominal. There has been some trading in Cincago wheat on through bills to Liverp but this has in no wise affected the market here. There is undoubt dly a short crop in Ontaric, and the knowledge of this by farmers induces them to hold on. We quite prices nominal as follows:—Manitoba hard 86e to 87c, Canada white witter wheat Sic to 82c, do. spring and

red winter 80c to 81c. CORN.—Some business on through bills for export via this port has been negotiated, and we quote 51c in bond, and 58c to 59s duty paid. PEAS.-The market is quiet and less firm than of values at 72 to 73c per 66 lbs. The quality of Lower Canada pens this year, according to latest reports, is said to be equal to that of

Ontario.
OATS.—There is a manifestly easier feeling, sales having been made at 30s to 30sc, with more offering at the later figure. We quote 30c Ric.—There is no business to report, and

prices are purely nominal at 45c to 50c. BUCKWHEAT.—The hot and diy wenther has been unfavorate to the growth of buckwheat, and farmers ant cipate a poor crap. There is, however, no demand, and prices remain nomin

ally at 40c to 42 per 48 lb.

Barley.—Although brewers took a few cars of the first offerings of the new crop they are not anxious buyers, and prices are about as last quoted, namely at 55c to 57c for car lots of good to choice malting and at 45c to 48c for feed.

MALT.-A few lots have been shipped t country brewers during the wick at within range of quotations:—Montreal 85c to 90c per bush-l, in bend, and Ontario 75c to 80c. Seens -This is about the dul'est reason of the year in seeds, and prices have a nominal character. Still there is a little better f. eling as to the future. Canadian timothy \$2.75, and American \$2.50 to \$2.60, Red clover seed \$5.50 86 per bashel, Alsike \$5.50 to \$6.25, and flax seed \$1.10 to \$1.25.

PROVISIONS.

PORK, LARD, &c.—There is a firm market for Chicago shere cut clear perk, and under a good enquiry stocks do not accumulate. The sale of a corgo of short cut clear is reported at \$1850. In laid, a fair reasonable demand is reported. In tallow well arm of a few small packages ring placed at 4c to 4½c for rendered. We quote:—Montreal short cut perk perbbl, \$00.00 to 00.00; Canada short cut clear per bbl., \$00.00 to 00.00; Chicago short cut clear per bbl., \$00.00 to 00.00; Chicago short cut clear per bbl., \$00.00 to 00.00; India mess beef per tee, \$00.00 to 00.00; India mess beef per tee, \$00.00 to 00.00; India mess beef per tee, \$00.00 to 1½c; hame, cutvassed, per lb., 00c to 13c; lard, Western, in pails, per lb., 9½c to 9½c; lard, Canadian, in pails, per lb., 9c to 0c; bacon, PORK, LARD, &c.-There is a firm market for Canadian, in pails, per lb., 9c to 0c; bacon, per lb., 10c to 11c; shoulders, per lb., 00c to 8c; tallow, common, refined, per 1b., 4c to 41c.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

BUTTER.-The market has lapsed into a dull and uninteresting mood, sales having ben made at fully ;le per lb decline in Western, made at fully ilc per lb decline in which has been placed in lots at 17c for good and 18c for choice, former sales of these qualitie being made at 18c and 19c respectively. We quote : -

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the cheese market is that a few orders have been received for September cheese which were filled at 13c, but they were only for small lots, and it is doubtful if that figure would be paid for any large quantity. A few stray lots of August cheese have been offered in this city during the week and have been picked up at 114c to 12c, but fancy August is held firmly at 12th to 12bc. We learn of sales in the Eastern Townships at 11½c to 11½c for the first half of August, and at 11½c to 12c for the last half.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

EEGS.—The receipts cont nue to be light; the demand is fair, and prices remain firm at 15c to 16c per doz., some holders asking 16½c. A few lots of limed eggs will be taken out of vats next month. The firmness of American markets is attracting attention of shippers, and consequently Ontario receipts have been light. BEANS-The demand has been fair for the

week, several lots having been sold at from \$1.75 to \$1.85 per bushel, choice hand picked being quoted at \$1.90 to \$2.00. HONEY.-Some very choice new white clove noney in comb has Leen received and sold at 14c to 15c per lb. In strained honey it appears there is a limited supply, and prices are quoted at 10c to 12c per lb, with sales of adulterated at 8c to

Hors.-There have been some large sales of Luce's hops to three Montreal brewers, one lot of 200 bales being sold at 21c.

ASHES.—Business has transpired at a higher range of prices, and we quote lat pots \$4.35 to \$4.45 per 100 lbs.

GENERAL MARKETS.

PICKLED FISH.—A cargo of Labrador herring on the way to this city is said to be near by with 2,800 bbls., part of which we understand is being offered to arrive at \$5 per bbl. Cape Breton herring have sold at \$5 to \$5.25 per bbl There is a fair enquiry for dry cod, with business reported at \$4.00 to \$4.25 per quintal. Green cod is steady at \$4 to \$4.25 for No. 1, sales having been made at that figure. There no demand for large.

SMOKED F18H, ETC.—Sealed herrings are selling at 18c to 20c per box and bloaters at \$1 to \$1.50 per box. Finnan haddies are in moderate request at 7c to 8c per 1b, and Cisco herring at \$2 to \$3 per 100: Boneless fish 44c to 7c per 1b, as to quality and quantity.

SALMON.—Fresh British Columbia salmon continues to be received and has sold as low as 19c to 13c per 1b, which leaves very little for

120 to 13c per 1b, which leaves very little for the shipper after deducting 9c per 1b for express charges. Pickled ralmon is quoted at \$22 to \$24 per tierce for Newfoundland No. 1.

FISH OILS.—Seal oil is quiet, last sales being reported at 46 to 47c for steam refined. In cod oil we hear of the sale of a round lot of Nova Scotia to a Toronto firm at 28c, and we quote

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excess of the supply, notwithstanding that more of this class of coal has been shipped to this city than ever known before. One firm alone has brought in about 50,000 tons this season. We quote Cape Breton \$3.20 for for cargo 1.ts and \$3.85 to \$4 for small quantities.

FRUITS, &c.

APPLES .- The receipts in this city since our last issue have aggregated fully 30 car loads, a considerable portion of which is left unsold. Sales of car lots have been made of far to good sound stock at from \$1.15 to \$1.40 per bbl. Sales were from \$1 per bri for poor lots to \$1.25 to \$1.60 for good and sound truit, while fine fall fruit would bring \$1.75 per brl, and the fine Maiden Blush, fancy reds or the like were jobbing quite well at \$2 per brl.

PEARS.-Receipts of Flemish Beauty are simply enormous, and dealers find it hard to dispose of them. Sales have been made during the rast few days at \$2 to \$2.50 per bbl., a few choice lots bringing \$3 to \$3.50. The receipts are considerably in excess of requirements.

Practice.—Receipts are small, but the de-

mand is by no means brisk, and sales have tran-spired at 75c to \$1.25 per basket. PLUMS.—Receipts during the week have been light, with sales at 80c to \$1 per basket for blue

and green. Sales have also been made at \$1.25 to \$1.50 per bushel crate.

GRAPES.—The arrivals of Niagara fruit have been heavy, and sales of blue have taken place at 2½c to 3½c per lb. Reds have sold at 4c to 6c and Niagara whites at 6c. California muscats have been placed at \$5.50 per box of 40

CRAB APPLES -This fruit is plentiful and dealers are offering it at \$1.25 per brl.
ORANGES.—A fair demand is experienced for the season, and business has been done in amaica in barrels at SS. Brazils have arrived

and selling at \$5.50 per case.

Lemons.—The demand is fair and we have to report sales at \$3 to \$4 in boxes and at \$7 to \$8

BANANAS.—The principal stock consists of Jamaica, which is selling at \$1.25 to \$1.50 per tunch, large choice bunches bringing \$1.75 MUSKMELONS.—The crop of muskmelons has

been a remarkably prolific one this season, and prices have ruled exceptionally low. Two loads were sold at Jacques Cartier square on Tuesday last at 6% to 75c per dozen, showing very good quality. Other sales of larger melons were made at \$1 to \$2.50 per dozen, some large sized melons selling at \$2 per dozen.
ONIONS.—A few small lots have been sold at

\$2,50 to \$2,75 per bbl. both for red and yellow. It is believed that a good average yield has been secured, and that the quality is generally

SWEET POTATOES .- The quality of receipts is very good and business is reported at \$4 per bbl.

POTATOES.—Quite a number of enquiries have be or arous.—Quite a number of enquiries have several cars have been shipped to points in Ontario. There have also been enquiries from the United States, and it is thought that if holders do not ask too exorbitant figures there will be a good demand for potatoes in this province dur-ing the coming season. Sales of oar lots have been made at 70c per. bag, which is also the price which single bags have sold at. Owing to the short yield in the Western States good potatoes have sold in Chicago a 750 to 500 per bushel.