

GROCERIES.—Trade in this line has every appearance of being slow of movement. Prices of dried fruit are firmly maintained, and from present appearance everything points to higher prices for Valencia raisins. The *Journal and Bulletin of Commerce*, New York, says on the 24th inst: "The stock of Valencia raisins in this market is estimated to not exceed 2,000 boxes. Supplies have been purchased in Chicago and other Western points for New York, and the bulk of the same have been received and distributed. There is nothing at present in transit." The same authority says on the 25th inst: "California raisins are meeting with free inquiry, and the recently improved values are well sustained. Supplies are reduced, estimates by competent authorities placing the available stock to-day as not to exceed 10,000 boxes London, and the ordinary 20-lb. loose, 2,000 bags, and 2,500 boxes of the 50-lb. variety. Currants and prunes meet with good demand on the local market. Refiners of sugar are holding their stocks firmly, and we are told that the St. Lawrence Refinery has withdrawn yellows from the markets of the Maritime Provinces. But the general demand for sugars is rather slow than otherwise, and with the exception of some considerable purchases made by large retailers during the week, the general movement is light. Syrups and molasses are firmly held, with but limited stocks on the market. In canned vegetables values are firmly maintained by the association. Canned salmon is now being offered for future delivery, but we do not hear of any contracts being made.

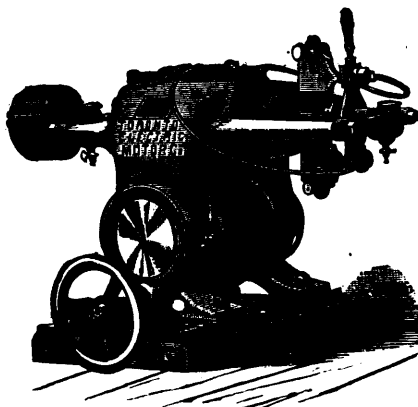
HARDWARE AND METALS.—A considerable movement in hardware required for seasonable use is taking place, and reduced prices are bringing out good enquiries. Through force of competition the price of ingot copper has been reduced to 10½ to 11c. The tariff changes have weakened the values of sheet zinc, and stocks being heavy prices are easier at 5 to 5½c. In tin plates ordinary brands of charcoal 10, IX, IXX, DC, may be had at 25c. less than quoted prices. Competition of makers, added to alterations in the tariff, have caused a further reduction in rope.

HIDES AND SKINS.—Some merchants are inclined to take a hopeful view of things in this department, and say that the week has witnessed a slight improvement in hides. However, if such be the case, the improvement has had little if any effect on prices; we are told

The
Great
American
Newspaper
**The New York
Weekly World**

Gives all the news of all the world. Fearless and independent in politics. Filled with valuable and interesting articles. It is a large 12-page, 8-column family and business newspaper—at \$1.00 a year. Address

THE WORLD
NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.



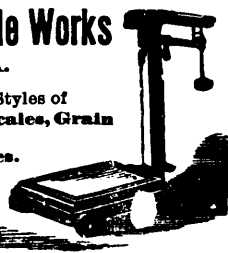
TORONTO ELECTRIC MOTOR CO.
MANUFACTURERS OF
Dynamos AND Motors.
ARC LAMPS FOR INCANDESCENT CURRENT.
REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.
107 Adelaide St. West, Toronto.

Leading Manufacturers.

**The Largest Scale Works
IN CANADA.**

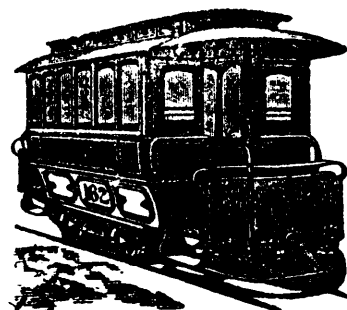
Over One Hundred Styles of
Hay Scales, Grocer Scales, Grain
Scales.
Improved Show Cases.
REDUCED PRICES.

C. WILSON & SON
46 Esplanade St.,
TORONTO.



FINE ELECTRIC STREET CARS

OUR SPECIALTY.



We also Manufacture Horse and Trail Car of Every Description.

PATTERSON & CORBIN
ST. CATHARINES, ONT.

WM. PARKS & SON,
(LIMITED)

ST. JOHN, N. B.,

**COTTON SPINNERS,
BLEACHERS,
DYERS AND MANUFACTURERS.**

Grey Cottons, Sheetings, Drills and White
Ducks.

Ginghams, Shirtings, Tickings, Denims and
Cottonades in plain and fancy
mixed patterns.

Cotton Yarns, Carpet Warps, Ball Knitting
Cottons, Hosiery Yarns, Beam Warps
for Woollen Mills, and Yarns for
manufacturers' use.

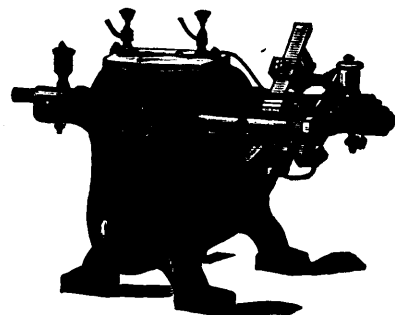
The only "Water Twist" Yarn made in
Canada.

AGENTS:
WM. HEWETT, 30 Colborne Street, Toronto.
DAVID KAY, Fraser Building, Montreal.
M. H. MILLER, Winnipeg.
JOHN HALLAM, Toronto Special Agent for Beam
Warps for Ontario.

MILLS, NEW BRUNSWICK COTTON MILLS
ST. JOHN COTTON MILLS.
ST. JOHN, N. B.

STEAM'S NOT IN IT

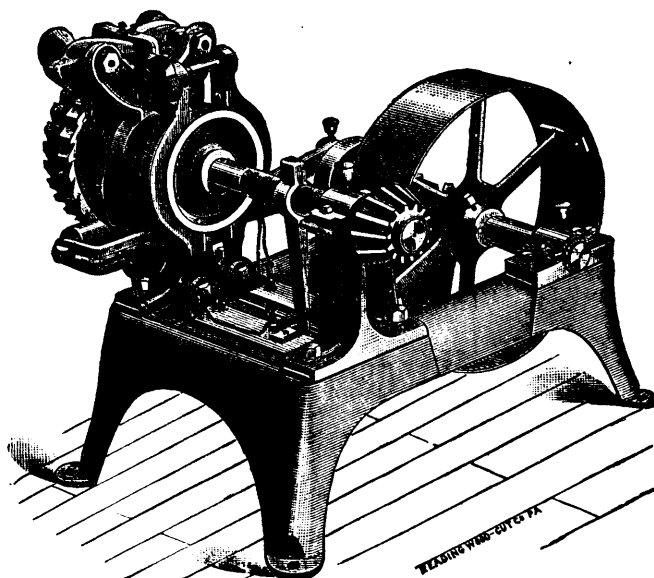
Either as to cost or efficiency, with one of
our celebrated **ELECTRIC MOTORS.**



See the one that runs the **MONETARY TIMES'**
presses and freight elevator. Not the slightest
and almost noiseless.

Write and we will call and see you.

KAY ELECTRIC WORKS, Hamilton, Ont.



**ELECTRIC
WATER WHEEL
GOVERNOR**

(PATENTED)

Variations in speed detected by fast running, sensitive Governor Balls. Gate movement instantly set in operation by electric current. Quick and powerful action.

Thirty days trial.
Write for particulars.

**WM. KENNEDY
& SONS,**
OWEN SOUND, Ont.

ELEVATORS
LEITCH & TURNBULL'S, HAMILTON, CANADA.

CANADA ELEVATOR WORKS, HAMILTON.
ESTABLISHED 1885 SEND FOR CUTS AND TESTIMONIALS