merchants are now depending entirely upon a more successful spring trade to help them through. A few orders are being received for small parcels, but tradesmen are very careful in the extent of their purchases. Some goods are being sent out to the country for the spring demand, but the movement in the city is very slow. The only fact of note this week is an advance equivalent to about one-half cent. per advance equivalent to about one-hair cent. per yard in English prints, and prices generally are unchanged but firm. One effect of the better payments on the 4th instant than expected is, that a more hopeful feeling and a healthier tone pervades the trade. There will not be much done for the next fortnight, as country dealers are just now working to make the best financial show possible on 4th March, and this will in many cases require all their

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between us, the undersigned, as
Private Bankers, at the Village of Paisley, has been
dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to
the said partnership are to be paid to Robert
Porteous, and all claims against said partnership
are to be presented to the said Robert Porteous, by
whom the same will be paid.

Dated at Paisley, this 5th day of February, A.D., 1890.

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In reference to the above, the said Banking Business will be continued under the name and style of R. PORTEOUS, Banker.

Canadian Pacific Ry. Co.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

A half-yearly dividend upon the Capital Stock of this Company, at the rate of Five per Cent. per annum, will be paid on February 17th next, to Shareholders of record on that date. Of this dividend One and One-half per Cent. is from the annulty provided for by a deposit with the Canadian Gövernment, and One per Cent is from the surplus earnings of the Company. It is the intention of the Directors to continue this rate of payment during the remaining period of the annuity expiring in August, 1893, should the earnings of the Company permit, and to accumulate all further surplus revenue as a Dividend Reserve Fund.

WARRANTS for this Dividend payable at the Agency of the Fank of Montreal, 59 Wa 1 Street, New York, will be delivered on and after FEB-RUARY 17th at that Agency, to Shareholders on the New York register.

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WARRANTS of European Shareholders on the London Register will be payable in Sterling, at the rate of four shillings and one penny half-penny, (4s 1½d) per dollar, less income tax, at the Bank of Montreal, 22 Abchurch Lane, London, and will be delivered on or about the same date at the Office of the Company, 8s Cannon Street, London, Eng.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be cosed in London at Three o'clock p.m., on Saturday, January 11th, and in Montreal and New York at the same hour on Saturday, January 29th, and will be re-opened at ten o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, the 18th February next.

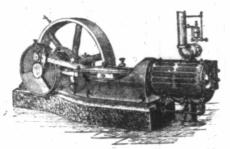
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Office of the Secretary, Montrea, Dec. 30th, 1989.

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FLOUR AND MEAL.—Exceedingly dull all over. Flour has shown no improvement; no move-ment quoted and sellers say no bids are to be had; prices nominal at about \$3.80 to 3.85 per bbl. for straight rollers, and about \$3.50 to 3.55 for extras, holders to all appearance being more inclined to wait for a turn than to force sales. Bran is quiet but steady; car lots on the track would probably have found buyers at \$11.00, had they been forthcoming. Oatmeal—A few sales of small lots at \$3.75 for standard, and at \$4.00 for granulated, comprise the whole business of the week.

Grain.-Quiet, with neither much offered or much wanted. Wheat—Sales small and prices easy. No. 2 fall lying on the Northern sold last week and on Monday and Tuesday at 79c.; No. 2 spring on the spot brought 83c. on Saturday. Manitoba hard wanted only for the supply of immediate wants, with No. 1 sold on Saturday at equal to \$1.04 here. The feeling at the close was dull, but sales were feeling at the close was dull, but sales were

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made of No. 2 fall on the Northern at 79c., and of No. 2 spring on the same line at 78c., with more sold on the Midland on p.t., and No. 1 hard offered at equal to \$1.04 here with \$1.03 bid. Oats—Offered rather less freely on the spot. White sold late last week at 29c. on track, and at 25c. outside; and mixed brought 29 and 28 c. on track on Monday and yester-day, when white lying outside was offered at 27c. with 25 c. bid. The feeling in barley unsettled. Some round lots lying outside sold late last week at 38c. for extra No. 3, and at 35c. for No. 3, being equal to 2½ to 3c. more in Toronto; on Monday No. 2 on the spot sold at 46c. f.o.c., and outside at 43c., being equal to 46c. here, with 38c. paid for extra No. 3 outside, or equal to 41c. here. At the close yesterday, a lot of 16,000 bushels of extra No. 3 lying outside sold at 37c., and all else seemed to be inactive. Peas-Have continued in demand at fairly steady prices; cars lying outside sold on Monday at 54c., on Tuesday at 54 and 54c., and at the close yesterday at 54c. Rye. sold at the close yesterday at 45c. outside.

GROCERIES.—A satisfactory amount of business being done, especially in yellow sugars,

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Corner King and Jordan Sts.

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