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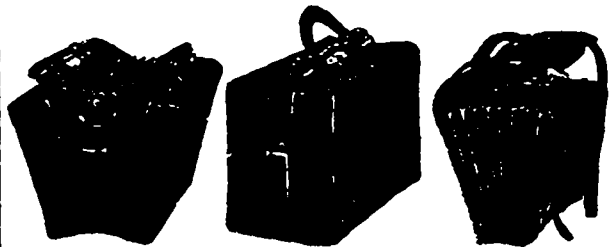
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All communications, advertisements, etc., intended for insertion in "The Trade Review" should reach this office by Wednesday morning.

There were more quotations from the **TRADE REVIEW** last year in Canadian, American and English papers than from all the other journals of its class combined, that are issued in the Dominion.

The first large sale of canned salmon in this market amounted to 2,000 cases at \$1.25 f.o.b. coast.

It is alleged that the available supplies of wheat for export in Russia will this year be materially under last year.

A recent private estimate of the three Northwestern States makes the yield of wheat only 107,000,000 bushels.

The spring pack of canned clams is reported to be about disposed of. The stock remaining in dealers hands is held at fair prices.

It is alleged that all the freight room from Boston to the United Kingdom on the regular lines has been taken up to January 1st.

Latest private advices from Manitoba are that the wheat crop will not yield more than 14,000,000, and the quality will be much below expectations.

The Indian exports of wheat last week were 10,000 bushels, making 4,272,000 bushels since April 1st, 1896, against 15,520,000 the corresponding time a year ago.

The In-quois, the fine new hotel built for Mr. John Johnson, Petrolia, is finished, and will be open for business soon, but the opening will not take place until October 15th, when a banquet will be given.

Galt's wells are good for 500,000 gallons of water a day, according to the latest tests.

The Argentine exports of wheat last week were 80,000 bushels against 83,000 the preceding week; corn, 1,472,000 bushels, against 1,556,000 the preceding week.

There is very little prospect of any genuine fresh mackerel being packed during the balance of this season, as they bring more money in a fresh state than the packers can afford to pay.

The Daily Market Record of Minneapolis has received returns of yields of wheat this year as compared with last, and in nearly every instance the yield is materially less than a year ago.

There have been a great many smelts packed in tins during the past season, but it is not expected that many will be packed this season, owing to the fact that the demand did not come up to expectations.

A Halifax paper says a scheme of coast defence which was outlined some months ago, is likely to be pressed again on the attention of the Dominion Government. Two light cruisers to be stationed there permanently, one to serve as a training ship for seamen.

The catch of round shore herring on the coast of Maine Massachusetts has been almost a failure. It is reported that the catch to date is less than one-tenth of what it was a year ago. The same appears to be true in regard to gibbed and split herring.

Late mail advices state that some few prunes in Santa Clara County, which were caught out in the recent rains, are said to have suffered an abatement of their gloss. Drying generally has been retarded by the fog and dews which have prevailed of late. Prunes are in smaller yield than was expected, and the fruit is smaller than it has been for years past.

A car load of peaches left Leamington Ont. for St. Johns, N. B. The rate made to that city was \$1 a hundred pounds, which is a remarkably low rate for so long a distance, and will enable the shippers to realize a handsome sum on the shipment.

It is understood that the patent can for packing sardines, which was tried at Eastport recently has proved a failure. It is said, however, that a new can with a patent key attachment, made in Scot, will be on the market during the coming season.

A Presidential campaign is generally made responsible for disturbance in the business of the country. It would seem to be especially the case when the issues involved, as in the present campaign, are financial as affected by the so-called free silver or gold monometallism, on the one hand, and protection or free trade on the other.

A special meeting of the creditors of Foster, Pender & Co., the King street carpet men who recently failed, will be held in the office of Mr. E. R. C. Clarkson. The business before the meeting will be to instruct the assignee in regard to the distribution of the proceeds from goods sold, and particularly to decide upon Mr. Hugo Block's claim as to persons amongst whom the distribution is to be made.

In a circular Bennett, Day & Co. say regarding dried beans: "Owing to the continued drought in Europe it is clearly evident that crops there are greatly reduced. Europe has already taken ten to fifteen thousand bags of foreign beans out of this market, and we hear that very heavy shipments of California Lady Washingtons are being made direct to Europe from California. The crops of Michigan, New York State and Canada are also reported considerably damaged. Our market has advanced on State medium and pea beans to \$1.10 and on State marrowfat to \$1.30 per bushel, with upward tendency."