

Joseph Ainley, formerly superintendent of the Elmsdale flannel mill, of Almonte, has gone to Los Angeles to make that Californian city his future home.

S. S. Lagowitz, late of the Canadian Woolen Mills Company (formerly Boas Manufacturing Company), of St. Hyacinthe, is now with the firm of J. Frankenburg & Sons.

The new manager of the Nova Scotia Woolen Mills, at Eureka, N.S., is Allan Haigh, manager for several years of the Oxford, N.S., Woolen Mills. McGillivray Grant, of Springfield, has charge of the blanket department.

J. Whidden Graham has succeeded L. Dexter as manager of the St. Croix (St. Stephen), mill of the Canadian Colored Cotton Mills Co. Mr. Graham has been in the mill since its opening, and rose from the ranks to his present position.

John Seigner, engineer at the R. Forbes Co.'s worsted mills, Hespeler, has been granted a pension of \$6 a week and back pension money to the amount of \$530, from the United States Government. He was bayoneted in the leg in the fight at Cedar Creek.

James Kendry, managing director of the Auburn Woolen Mills, Peterboro, has declined renomination in the Conservative interests in the forthcoming elections. W. R. Brock, wholesale dry goods merchant, of Toronto, and a shareholder in some woolen mills, has also declined renomination as one of the Conservative candidates in Toronto. A later report states that Mr. Kendry will accept re-nomination.

CHEMICALS AND DYESTUFFS.

As may be expected from the general condition of the woolen branch of the textile trades, the dyestuff and chemical market is very dull. The market is likely to remain dull till after the elections next month. In the New York market, gambier and aniline products are in fair request, while acids and bleaching powder have shown signs of improvement. The following are quotations in Montreal:

Bleaching powder	\$ 1 40 to \$ 1 60
Bicarb soda	1 75 to 2 00
Sal. soda	0 75 to 0 90
Carbolic acid, 1 lb. bottles	0 35 to 0 40
Caustic soda, 60°	2 10 to 2 25
Caustic soda, 70°	2 35 to 2 50
Chlorate of potash	0 07 to 0 08
Alum	1 75 to 1 95
Copperas	0 50 to 0 65
Sulphur flour	1 50 to 1 60
Sulphur rock	1 45 to 1 80
Sulphate of copper	0 06 to 0 06½
White sugar of lead	0 07 to 0 08¼
Sumac, Sicily, per ton	45 00 to 50 00
Bich. potash	0 07 to 0 08¼
Soda ash, 48° to 58°	1 15 to 1 25
Chip logwood	1 50 to 1 75
Castor oil	0 07 to 0 08
Cocoonut oil	0 07 to 0 08

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