Tis full forty years since I left the old dwelling, Near Thomastown bridge, on the banks of the Nore. Whose crystaline waters no others excelling: I'm afraid I shall n'er get a gimpse of them more.

Though now growing old, my affections are stronger, For old Erin, than they were when first I came here; The time may be long and the distance still longer.
To my heart still the scenes of my youth shall be dear.

And dearest of all where my father l.es sleeping. In the holy old churchyard upon Chapel hill, Where angels alone have his bones now in keeping;
Till resumed by his soul, may they keep them still.

Nor can I forget when I want a bird nesting, Down by Grennan green on my way to Dane's wood, Climbing the old castle walls hands and feet testing; se walls which for ages all storms have Those walls withstood.

Nor those holy ruins once the pride of the Hundreds like Jerpoint, now with ivy e'er where the weary found rest, and the sinner sat-vation;
By the hand of the spoiler were cruelly o'er-

Peace to the founders from whom we're dereace to the founders from whom we're descended,
Let us firmly hold on to the faith which they held.

Defending it ever as they it defended;
Till the mists which hang o'er it be wholly dispelled.

How oft do I sign for a sight of those places, As memory traces them back to my view, Still fix on my vision those familiar faces; Companions in childhood and kindred adieu. M. BERGIN.

SCOTCH NEWS.

A Lunar Rainbow was witnessed at Stirling, at 3 a.m. on the 14th December. The arch extended from the Ochils to Cambuskeneth Abbey, and the colours, though faint, were distinct. There was a rather heavy shower of rain at the time.

ST ANDREWS UNIVERSITY .- The Tyndal Bruce Scholorship, value £50 and tenable for two years, has been awarded to Mr. Robert Forgan, St. Andrews, and the Tyndal Bruce Bursary value £30 for one year, has been gained by Mr. Henry Norwell, Perth.

WARNING TO DAIRYMEN.—At a County J. P. Court, held at Edinburgh on Tuesday, John Hutton, dairyman, Slateford, was fined 6s, including expenses, for having recently had in his possession two milk measures without having the denomination stamped outside.

TINKERS IN THE TURNIP FIELD .- In consequence of the scarceness of out-door labourers, a number of the farmers in the Aberfeldy district have found it necessary to have recourse to a band of tinkers for securing their Finance and Commerce. district have found it necessary to have returnip crop, which, throughout the district, is this season considerably above the average yield.

Two CHILDREN FOUND DEAD IN BED .- On 11th December two children, one eight weeks old, son of James Calder, blacksmith, Todburn Close, Dundee, and the other, Ann M'Kny Paton, eleven weeks, daughter of a millworker, residing in Watson's Lane, were found dead in bed. They were in good health the previous evening.

At the festivities of the recent Royal deer drives in Scotland, reel dancing and the making of "free foresters" were two of the features of amusement. Free foresters are 16 City Gas 158; 25 do 156½; 10 C C 123½, made by smearing the individual with stag's 125 Montreal, 1851; 30 do, 184; 510 Onblood. In the case of a lady a touch suffices. Mrs. Cornwallis West, who is a fine reel dancer, was among those honoured.

BRECHIN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE .- At a meeting of the Brechin Branch of the Educational Institute on 11th December, Mr. Cameron, Montrose, moved—" That no dismissal of a teacher be final till the teacher has had an opportunity of appeal to the Sheriff of the district." Mr. Morrison, Brechin, seconded. The motion was unanimously adopted.

BONNYBRIDGE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY .- A general meeting of the shareholders took place in the Columbian Hall on Tuesday, when a dividend of 2s 4d per £1 on the members' purchases was declared. The sales during last quarter amounted to £2717, showing an increase on the previous quarter of £323 14s 10d, and over the corresponding quarter in 1879 of £648.

ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF GAME. -At the Aberdeen Court, before Sheriff Dove Wilson, Joseph M'Sloy labourer, Gallowgate, Aberdeen, was fined £3, with the alternative of three weeke' imprisonment, for having been found in the illegal possession of game—one hare and seven rabits-and also twelve nets, in a tramway car near Mannofield, Aberdeen on the 25th ult. The Solicitor-General, Mr. Balfour, M. P.

in opening the Granton and Wardie Free Church Bazaar in Edinburgh said he regarded the erection of such a church as affording additional evidence that there still remained among the Scottish people that old religious spirit which never failed, by spontaneous effort, to make whatever increased provision might be necessary for the increasing spirtual necessities of the time.

The report of the liquidators of the City of Glasgow Bank for the year ended October 22, which at the same date last year had been £4,225,637 have been reduced by £2,402,463 during the year, leaving £1,823,174 as a balance due to creditors. Three more dividends amounting to 3s 8d in the £1 have been paid, making, with the amount paid in 1879, a total of 17s in the £1, which is equivalent to a disbursement of £9,404,956. The state of affairs also shows a net increase of surplus between 1879 and 1880 of £203,380.

An action was before the Court of Session on December 14th, at the instance of James Rankine, cashier, in the employment of Messrs. Singleton, Dunn & Co., timber brokers, Glasgow, and residing at Cambuslang, against the Caledonian Railway Co., in which pursuer concluded for £1,000 damages, on the ground that he had been badly injured in a railway accident on 24th January. The case was set down for trial by jury on Monday, December 27, but in respect of an offer made by defenders the pursuer has accepted £275 and expenses, and the order for trial has been

Ann Stacy Cowan or Donald, about 30, was \$1.10 to 1.15. placed at the bar of Edinburgh Police Court on 11th December, before Bailie Andersonon remand, on a charge of theft. The complaint set forth that on one or more occasions, between the 15th of May and the 12th ult., she stole from the house of Mrs. Dee, Mayfield Gardens, a number of articles, including dinner plates, a spoon, two yards of Maltese lace, an ostrich feather, half a yard of ribbon, and an embroidered dress case. She pleaded married. It was urged in extenuation of the \$1.30 to 1.50; Sal Soda, \$1.15 to 1.25; Saltagent legged of the Magistrate not to send \$8,25 to 8,75; Quinine, \$3.75 to 4.00; on board the National Line Steamer best.

awful thing. The Magistrate, however, thought it was a "clear case"—leaving service to get married, and carrying off with her what she could. He would send her to prison

district. It appears that a drayman in the employment of the Canal Brewery Company was engaged delivering supplies of porter and ale to customers there, the horse and lorry being in charge of a young lad. While past week. the man went into a public house with a small cask of porter, the boy proceeded to nominally unchanged. Now that the ice drive on to another shop. Unseen to him a bridge is formed, there has been some little girl attempted to cross in front of the parties in the city making enquiries about horse, fell, and before the animal could be pulled up the lorry passed over the girl's body, and death resulted instantaneously. The girl, named Helen Allen, was six years of age, and resided with her parents at 113 Great Eastern Ro d. The man and boy were taken into custody. They are named respectively George M'Donald and William Tough. - Glasgow Herald

in every other respect unexceptionable, for a January 1880. The market in consequence long time woodd a fair lady in vain. He of the holiday season has been dull and inknew the cause of her refusal but was unable active, and very little business has been reto remove it until a friend informed him of ported, only a few barrels for the immediate the existence of Lubv's Parisian Hair Renewer. wants of bakers. The market to-day was He tried this sovereign remedy result, magnificent—chevelure and a lovely wife. Sold by all chemists.

The Army and Navy Gazette says that the contribution of the Imperial Government to the expenses of the Afghan war will be at least £6,000,000.

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TRUE WITNESS OFFICE.

TUESDAY, JAN. 11. FINANCIAL.

The local stock market to-day is rather weaker, except in some shares, which remain

Morning Board-10 Montreal at 185; 10 do 1853; 8 Ontario 101; 50 do 1011; 40 Molsons 1071; 13 Toronto 150; 4 do 1502; 10 Merchants' 1201 30 Union 92; 55 do 91; 165 Commerce 141; 25 do 1431; 50 Montreal tario, 101; 20 Peuples, 941; 125 Molson, 1071; 10 Toronto, 150; 50 Merchants, 120; 50 do, 119\(\frac{1}{2}\); 32 Commerce, 141\(\frac{1}{4}\); 25 do, 142; 35 Exchange, 63; 20 do, 62\(\frac{1}{4}\); 10 Federal, 141; 10 Richelieu & Ont., 61\(\frac{1}{4}\); 15 do, 61\(\frac{1}{2}\);

25 Cotton, 1221. NEW YORK, Jan. 11 .- The dealings on the tock Exchange to-day are almost unprecedentedly large. The two most active stocks being Erie, of which 71,000 shares were sold up to noon, and Western Union, 48,000 shares. The other stocks largely traded in were Wabash, Pacific, Ohio & Miss., Lake Shore and Hannibal & St. Joseph.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Stocks strong. Rock Island, 136; 111. Central, 126; Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, 177; C. & A., 154; do prefd., 156; New York Central, 1511; Lake Shore, 1321; Canada Southern, 75; Michigan Central, 124; Erie, 51; do. preferred, 94 North-Western, 1271; do. preferred, 142; St. Paul, 113] do. preferred, 124; Delaware & Lackawanna, 112]; Delaware & Hudson, 97; ; Jersey Central, 87; Union Pacific, 113]; American Union, 85; Western Union, 99 American Exchange, 63.

COMMERCIAL.

WEEKLY REVIEW - WHOLESALE MARKETS.

As a usual thing the weeks preceding and succeeding the holiday weeks are generally quiet, this year being no exception to the rule. Merchants report the year of 1880 a very favorable one to trade, and as being the best since 1874. The complaint in the country of the insufficiency of snow is no longer heard, and it is likely, after the present for the next few months. We repeat quota-heavy fall, that the cry will be in the oppostions. Hemlock Spanish Sole No. 1, B.A., ite strain. At the Corn Exchange business has been somewhat better. In the local stock market there has been a tendency to 1880, has been published. The liabilities higher prices, Montreal being up to the latest 2, 20 to 21; Hemlock Slaughter, No. 1, 26 to reports at 184, a very rapid rise, considering that before Christmas the shares were sold at | 42c; do. heavy, 36 to 40c; Grained, 35 to 42c; 167 and 168. Below we give our weekly review of the wholesale markets.

Ashrs.-Pots.-Market in favour of buyover \$5.00. Pearls nominal. Pots in the inspection stores are 436 bris., Pearls 91 bris., including 342 brls. Pots and 70 brls. Pearls which have been held over for the new brand of 1881.

Boots and Shoes.—Business reported good, and money reasonably plentiful. Prospects are in general fully favourable with firm prices ruling as follows: - Men's Split Boots, \$1.90 to 2.25; ditto Cowhide Boots, \$2.50 to 3.50; ditto Kip Boots, \$2.75 to 3.25; ditto French Cali Boots, \$3.75; ditto Split Brogans, \$1.00 to 1.10; ditto Split Lace Boots, \$1.50 to 1.75; Boys Long Boots, \$1.75 to 2.20; Women's Split Bals, 85c to \$1.10;

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS .-- No change to note except in Bichromate of Potash which has Beaver \$2.50; Bear-Large prime \$6 to 8 advanced 3c. per lb in New York, and we may look for a corresponding advance, here, advices by cable at this a.m., from England report chemicals there as being firmer. We quote Bicarb Soda, \$3 30 to 3.50; Soda Ash, \$1.60 to 1.90; Bichromate of Potash 14 to 15c; Borax | 60c; Higgins Eureka \$2.00; Factory filled 131 to 15; Cream Tartar Crystals, 29 to 31; 80c to \$1. ditto ground 33 to 35; Caustic Seda, \$2.50 to not guilty. From the evidence led it appeared that the prisoner had been in the sorvice of Mrs. Dee from May until November. lbs., 90c to \$1; Flour Sulphur, \$3 to 3.25; She had left Mrs. Dee's employment to get Roll Sulphur, \$2 40 to 2.50; Epsom Salts, offence that, leaving to get married, she had petre, per keg, \$9.50 to 10; Sulphafe of Two stallions, and thirty-five broad-mares, in a weak moment taken the articles. An Copper, 5½ to 7c; Whiting 70 to 80c; Opium, and foals will be shipped from London Eng.

her to prison—a honeymoon in jail was an Morphia, \$3.75 to 4; Castor oil, 10 to 11c; Shellac, 45 to 50c.

I)RY Goods.—The past week as might be expected, was almost a blank in this trade. Travellers are nearly all at home for the holifor 20 days.

A sad fatal accident occurred on Wednesday morning 15th December in the Camlachie. considered unreasonably so, and it is believed that in a week or two they will be considerably broken in upon. Collections are good. The retail trade has been quieter during the

FISH.—Business is quiet and prices are fish so that we shortly expect to have some demand as the stocks are by no means heavy full prices are likely to rule. We quote for Labrador Herrings \$5.50 to 5.75; Split Herrings No. 1, \$4.75 to 5; Dry Cod, \$4 to 4½; Green Cod, \$4 to 4½; for No. 1, and \$3 to 3½ for No. 2. Salmon \$18½ to 17½ and 16½ for No. 1, 2 and 3 respectively.

FLOUR.-The stocks in store and in the hands of millers on the morning of the 1st inst. were 41,625 brls., against 32,045 brls. on A certain gentlemen having grey hair, but the 15th ult. and 34,670 brls. on the first of rather more active and prices steady at the following rates:—Superior Extra, \$5.30 to 5.35; Extra Superfine, \$5.20 to 5.25; Fancy, \$5.20 to 5.25; Spring Extra, \$5.20 to 5.25; Superfine, \$4.90 to \$4.95; Strong Bakers' Flour, \$5.75 to 6.25; Fine, \$4.15 to 4.35; Middlings, \$3.65 to 3.75; Pollards, \$3.25 to 3.50; U. C. Bags, \$2.60 to 2.70; U. C. Oatmeal, \$4.40 to 4.50; Cornmeal, \$3.00.

GROCERIES.—Business has been very quiet; few travellers are out, and those that are find country merchants' stocks full, and not disposed to give orders at present. Teas -Any sales of Japan reported have been of common up to good medium, at from 22c to 35c; common Young Hyson has been selling to a small extent, at from 25c to 30c; hardly any demand for Black Tea. Common to fine Congou is worth from from 20 to 65c; Souchong, 321 to 60c; Oolong, 26 to 65c. Coffee continues inactive, with drooping tendency. Old Gov't Java, 23 to 29c; Maracaibo, 20 to 24c; Laguayra, 19 to 23c. Sugars.—There is no change in prices of either Raw or Refined. There is a steady demand for the latter, but no transactions have transpired in the former. Molasses and Syrups are dull, and unchanged in value. Rice is easier, sales from \$3.85 to 4.00, according to size of lot. Spices-There has been a moderate jobbing demand at our quotations. B pepper, 11 to 12c; W ditto, 18 to 19c; cloves, 37 to 45c; Cassia, 13 to 16c; Nutmegs, 65 to 95c; African Ginger, 7 to 8c; Jamaica Giuger, 17 to 20c; Mace, 65 to 75c. Fruit-The market is firm, especially for the finer kinds of raisins. Valencias maintain their value; Sultanas are quoted a little dearer; Currants have been dealt in to a fair extent, and as is usual at this season, there has been a good jobbing demand for all kinds of Layers, \$2.65 to 2.75; Black Basket, \$3.45 to 3.55; Crown, \$4.50 to 4.75: Dehessa, S4.50 to 6.00; Valencias, 71 to 8c; Sultanas, 101 to 11c, Currants, 61 to 64c; Figs, 18 to 20c; Prunes, 5 to 7c; Tarragona Almonds, 121 to 131c; Provence ditto, 10 to 11c; Filberts, 8 to Sic; Walnuts, 71 to 111c.

HIDES -A good demand exists for all kinds offering at \$10, \$9 and \$8 for Nos. 1, 2 and 3 respectively. HARDWARE .- Owing to the holidays busi-

ness has almost come to a standstill and for the last week there has been nothing of any consequence to report. The prospects tor doing a fair steady business in the early future are good, meantime prices are firm and unchanged, we then repeat Pig iron per ton, Coltness, \$21.50 to 22.00; Gartsherrie, \$21.00 to 21.50; Summerlee, \$20.50 to 21.00; Eglinton, S19.50 to 20.00; Carnbroe, \$20.00 to 20.50; Langloan, \$21.00 to 21.50; bars per 100 lbs. Scotch and Staffordshire, \$1.85 to 1.90; best ditto, \$2.15 to 2.25; Swedes and Norway, \$4.25 to 5.00; Lowmoor and Bowling, \$6.25 to 6.50; Canada plates per box-Glenmorgan & Budd, \$3.30; Arrow, \$3.75; Hatton \$3.15 to 0.00; Tin plates per box Charcoal IC. \$5.75 to 6.00; ditto IX., \$8.00 to 9.00; ditto DC., \$5.50 to 6.00; Coke \$5.00 to 5.50; Tinned Sheets, No. 26, Char., 101 to 11c; Galvanized Sheets, 28 best, 63 to 7½c; Hoops and Bands \$2.25 to 2.50; Sheets, best brands \$3.00 to 3.12; Boiler Plate \$2.75 to 3.50; Lead, pig per 100 lbs. \$4.50 to 4.75; ditto Sheet \$5.00 to 6.50; ditto Bar \$5.00 to 6.50; ditto Shot \$6.00 to 6.50; Cast Steel 111 to 13c; Spring Steel \$3.75 to 4.00; Sleigh Shoe Steel \$3.00 to 3.25; Tire Steel \$3.50 to 3.75; Ingot Tin 25.00 to 26.00; Ingot Copper \$17.50 to 18.50; Sheet Zinc \$5.00 to 6.50; Spelter \$5.50 to 6.00; Horse Shoes \$4.25 to 4.50; Iron Wire per bdl. of sixty-three rounds \$1.75; Cut nails 3in. to 5in, hot cut American and Canadian pattern \$2.60; 21 in and 23 in. do, do. \$2.85; 11 to

21 in. do. do. \$3.10; 11 in. do. do. \$3.60. LEATHER. - With a liberal assortment in nearly all lines, an active trade is expected 26 to 26½c; ditto No. 2, B.A., 23½ to 24½c; No. 1, Ordinary 24½ to 26c; No. 2, ditto, 23 to 234c; Buffalo Sele, No. 1, 22 to 23c; ditto No. 28c; Waxed Upper, light and medium, 36 to Splits, large, 24 to 33; ditto small, 24 to 28c; Calfskins, (27 to 36 lbs.) 60 to 80c; ditto (18 to 26 lbs.) 55 to 70c; Sheepskin linings 30 to ers but market quiet, no sales being reported | 50c; Harness 26 to 32c; Buffed Cow 14 to 17c. per foot; Enamelled Cow, 15 to 16c; Patent Cow, 15 to 16c; Pebbled Cow, 14 to 16c; Rough, 24 to 36c.

Oils .- Petroleum .- The London Ont. market is still firm at 22c. Our local market has been tolerably busy as the stocks of country dealers had got well run down, they being afraid to lay in stocks at the time prices were so high, feel themselves now forced into the market. Our quotations are unchanged but for large lots a shade under our figures would probably be accepted. Car lots ex-store 26c; broken lots 264c; single brls.

27 to 28c. RAW FURS .- We quote Winter Musk ditto Buff Bals, \$1.25 to 1.50; ditto Pebble Rat, 12c; ditto Fall 8c; kitts 3c; Bals, \$1.25 to 1.50; Misses Split Bals, 85c to Red Fox, \$1.00 to 1.25; Cross Fox, \$1.00; ditto Buff and Pebbled Balmorals, \$2 to \$3; Silver Fox, \$25 to 30; \$1.10 to 1.15. \$8 to 10; Mink-Prime dark, \$1 to 1.25; ditto small \$4 to 5; ditto cubs, \$2 to 4; Fisher, \$5 to \$6; Skunk-Black 25 to 50c.

Raccoon, 40 to 60c. SALT .-- There is very little doing, the supply of coarse in store is now quoted at

COMMERCIAL NOTES.

Hav is bringing \$10 per ton in the vicinity of Buckingham lately, American buyers being plentiful.

Two stallions, and thirty-five brood-mares,

" France" which sails to-day for New York, to be sold at public auction. This is the largest shipment of brooded stock for some

time. The statement of flour inspected at Montreal for the past week ending January 8th (furnished by Mr. L. A. Boyer, inspector,) is as follows:-Superior extra, 380 bris Extra superfine, 5 brls; Fancy superfine, 130 brls; Spring Extra, 150 brls; Pollards, 4 brls; Rejected, 196 brls. Total-865.

FARMERS' PRODUCE MARKET-Jan. 11.

The above market to-day presents a much more lively appearance than it did on Friday last, which fact may be accounted for by the proper opening of the river roads and the improvement of the country ones, by the recent fall of snow. The severe weather has had a damaging effect on some goods. Oysters which were three weeks ago sold for \$1.10 per gallon, are in great scarcity and selling at no less than \$2, on account of the oyster beds being frozen over, and dealers being unable to fill orders. One extensive exporter in the United States, who used to export to here four hundred gallons per day, now is sending only ten gallons A dealer in Claude street, who had on hand 12 hundred barrels of caraquets in shell, has employed a number of hands opening them, and is supplying the demand at \$1.50 per gallon in bulk. To-day there was large quantities of farmers' beef on the market, pound, being quoted at five cents and six cents. Prices in poultry have rather a lowering tendency, but dealers report business fair. In dairy produce the same high figures rule, and new laid eggs are still as high as 45 to 50 cts. Hares in fair demand at 5 cts per pair lower. Ducks, blue bills, are up to 90 cts; quail, \$2.75 to \$3.00; prairie hens, \$1.75 to \$1.90. Lamb, 4\} to 5\frac{1}{2} cts per lb. from farmers, and selling well. FLOUR, MEAL AND GRAIN.—Flour, per 100 lbs., \$3.00 to \$3.20; Buckwheat flour, \$2.30;

Peas, bush. \$1; Buckwheat, per 90c; bush. 60c; Beans, white and yellow, per bush. \$1.60. FRUIT. — Cranberries, Cape Cod, \$7.00 per barrel; Apples, per barrel, to \$2.50 \$3.00; Lemons, per case, \$6.00; do, per box, \$4.00 to \$5.00; White Grapes, per lb., 15c to 20c; Malaga Grapes, per keg, \$6.00; Valentia Oranges, \$5.00 per box; Columbus Pears,

Oatmeal, \$2.30 to \$2.40; Cornmeal, do,

vellow, \$1 50; do, white \$1.60; Bran, \$1.00;

Barley, per bush. 80c; Oats, per bag, 80c to

\$6.00 per box. VEGETABLES.-Potatoes, new, per bag, 40c; sweet do, per brl, \$5; carrots, new, per bush, 30c to 45c; onions, new, per br!, \$3.00; cabbages, new, per dozen, 25c to 40c; beets, per bush, 40c to 50c; celery, per dozen, 40c to 50c; turnips, per bush, 45c.

POULTRY AND MEAT.—Dressed Fowls pair, 60c to 70c; black ducks do, \$1.50; turkeys, 9c to 10c per lb, \$1.80 to \$2.25; partridges, per brace, 60c to 75c; woodcock, \$1.25; geese, \$2.00 to \$2.25; beef, per lb., loc to 12c; mutton, do, 6c to 10c; lamb, per quarter, 50c to \$1.20; veal, per lb, 10c; pork, 8c to 10c; ham, 14c to 16c lard, 14c; hares, couple, 25c; snipe fruit at cur quotations:—Layers, \$2.20 to and plover, per doz., \$3; ducks, blue bills, 2 30; Loose Muscatels, \$2.45 to 2.55; London per pair, 90c. Farmers Beef 5c to 6c.

DAIRY PRODUCE .- Best print butter, 35c to 40c per lb.; best tub butter, 18c to 22c; eggs, packed, per doz., 20c to 24c; new laid, 45c to 50c; Roll butter first-class, 20c to 22c. Eggs, sold at 50c per doz. Venison, 4c to

MONTREAL HORSE MARKET.—Jan. 10.

During the week a pretty fair business has been accomplished in horse flesh, at prices in the close vicinity of our last quotations. The shipments of horses from this city to the United states during the week ending January 8th, were 87 head, costing \$7,925 50, against 85 head, costing \$7,772.00 for the week previous. Sales were reported of 1 bay horse, 6 years old. weighing 1,200 is. for \$30, and a fine chestinnt mare, 7 years old, weighing 1,250 ibs. for \$100. A few low priced horses changed hands for local purposes during the week at from \$15 to \$40 each. The average price paid during the week by shippers was \$91.50 against \$92 inst week. The shipments during the past week were as follows:—January 4th, 8 horses \$1,020; January 5th, 15 horses \$1,187.50; January 6th, 22 horses \$1,50.50; January 7th, 2 horses \$100; 15 horses \$1,402; January 8th, 7 horses \$100; 15 horses \$1,402; 15 MONTREAL HORSE MARKET .- Jan. 10-

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, Jan. 10.

The following were the receipts of live stock at the Grand Trunk Yards, Point St. Charles, for week ending January 8th, were:—520 cattle, 236 sheep andf48 borses. Since Saturday there were received at the same terminus 225 cattle and 12 horses. At St. Gabriel market to day about 15 carloads of cattle were offered, part of which was subsequently taken to the Viger market. On shipping account Mr. N. Kennedy was in the market, purchasing sev-ral lots of the best gattle available, for which he paid from 5c to 5 c per lb. live weight. He bought 8 cattle from D Macdougall. 27 head from Thos. Bonner, of Toronio, and one or two lots from other dealers. Alderman McShane seems to have turned his attention to the shipment of American cattle from Boston for the winter months, and consequently he is bringing very little in this market. Mr. Garrison sold a carload of small but pretty fair cattle to RJ Hopper at about 4c per lb. H Bennalack bought 16 fair butchers' cattle from Harry Gould at 4c per lb. Mr. Gould also sold 5 choice steers at \$51 each. The principal dealers having living stock on the market were:—M Laporte, of Mildmay, 2 cars of cattle; F A Ritchings, 1 car do, from the Don; R Cochrane, 1 car do, from Guelph; J T Waterman, 2 cars do, from Toronto; Harry Gould, 1 car do, from Lennox-ville; S Fulton, 1 car do, from Toronto; D McDougall, 1 cardo, from the Don; Hugh Kelly, 1 car do, from Guelph; Frank Regers, 1 car do, from Toronto; Wm Garrison, 1 car do, from Toronto; Wm Garrison, 1 car do, from Toronto; Wm Garrison, 1 car do, from Hastings. MONTBEAL, Jan. 10.

MONTREAL FUEL MARKET .- JAN. 11 The market this week in fuel is quiet, except in small lots, in which business is reported fair by dealers. Prices in coal are still inclined to have an upward tendency, and anticipations for the future are also inclined to higher figures. As soon as the present small stock of coal in the market is exhausted, it will become necessary for dealers to import their stock via the Grand Trunk Railway. which of course will increase prices greatly. This generally occurs about the beginning of the month of February. Quantities of wood are steadily arriving, but as we have said previously, the principal part of it is green material. Prices are unchanged from last week's quotatations for both wood and coal.

MONTREAL HAY MARKET-JAN. 8. Although business has been very quiet at the above market during this week, prices have sustained no decrease. Good hay is now selling for prices ranging from \$10 to \$13 per load. A slight increase has been noticeable for timothy, but cow hay is unchanged. During the week there has been only about 150 loads on the market. Straw selling at \$3 to \$3.50 and \$4.

ADVANTAGE OF CREAMERIES .- The advantage of creameries is that the milk is set in large quantities, and the temperature can be controlled with great precision. For the production of cream for sale the Cooley creamery, using a deep pail holding 20 quarts, is the

Agricultural.

THE LADY APPLE. -The lady apple is a variety that requires a limestone, gravelly soil upon which the color, so requisite for market value, is produced to perfection. The cultivation and care of the trees are in no way different from that of other apples. The locality to be selected is high, dry ground, with a deep, dry subsoil, and filled with limestone nebbles

How Lime Should Be Used .- Lime is useful in proportion to its fineness of division and its nearness to the surface. It should, therefore, be air slacked by putting it in small piles and leaving it exposed to the weather until it becomes a fine powder, in which condition it should be spread on the plowed ground and harrowed in, but never plowed

A WATER-PROOF GLUE .- A strong glue that will resist water is made by adding half . pound of the best common white glue to two quarts of skimmed milk, and evaporating the mixture to the proper consistence of glue, in a water glue kettle. By still further evaporation one of the hardest cements for porcelain or for repairing marble, is made. When dried in proper moulds this cement will form a sub scitute for ivory, and is as hard as bone, with the clearness and elasticity of ivory.

VENTILATION OF A CELLAR .- A cellar may be ventilated by carrying a wooden pipe from the top of it into a chimney or the open air selling at an increase of one cent on the If the latter is done the pipe should be carried up six feet and capped to exclude rain and snow, holes being bored under the cap to let out the air. Then a second pipe should be carried from the open air down the side of the cellar to the floor; this admits cold, fresh air, and the other lets out the foul air. By having holes and plugs in the pipe the ventilation may be controlled perfectly.

BUTTER WON'T COME - When the cream cannot be churned at this season it is because the cream has been kept too cold and was churned too cold. When the weather is cold the cream should be kept in a warm place until it is properly soured, and warmed up to 650 before it is put into the churn. The churning should be done in a warm room where the temperature is not less than 60°. When the cream is kept a week it should be well stirred every time fresh cream is added so as to mix the bottom with the top and make all alike.

INJURY TO THE STINE OF A COW .-- Cows in calving sometimes strain the muscles of the loins, and this causes inability to rise. Sometimes the spine is injured and paralysis of the nerves is the result, and this seems to be the case with your cow. The remedy is to give 20 grains of nux vomica until the paralysis is overcome, and then reduce the dose gradually until 5 grains are given, and then stop.
Rub the loins with mustard paste after bath. ing with hot water, and then cover the cow with a blanket.

FEED FOR COWS .- A cow should have 15 to 20 pounds of hay daily, with 5 to 10 pounds of corn-meal, in proportion to her size and capacity for eating. A cow of 600 pounds will do will on 15 pounds of hay and 6 pounds of meal. If the hay is cut and wetted and the meal added to it, the food will be better digested and more economically used. One third of the hay may be given at noon, uncut. These rations are proper for milking cows. Dry Cows may do well on 15 pounds of hay and 2 quarts of meal, and cutting may be dispensed with if the labor is thought to cost more than the fodder.

ABSCESS IN A COW'S SIDE .- An abscess resulting in an injury by goring should be treated as follows: Inject into the opening a quantity of warm, soapy water to which a few drops of carbolic acid have been added. Contique until the inside has been washed out clean, then inject one ounce of water with 20 drops of tincture of iodine; put a small plug of linen into the opening and repeat this cleansing two or three times daily. Give the cow half an ounce of hyposulphite of soda in her morning food and half a drachm of iodide of potassium every evening until the abscess begins to heal. This treatment is proper for all suppurating tumors.

WHAT CAUSES THE SCENT OF RANCID BUTTER. -This disagreeable scent is caused by the production of butyric acid in the butter. This is produced by the decomposition of lactic acid remaining in the butter, and left by the milk, which cannot be wholly removed by washing. The change is produced by oxidation and exposure to the air. This may occur in the churn, when for want of good management long churning is required to produce the butter, and the effect is the same as that of long exposure to the air after churning, because in the agitation in the churn the cream is very intimately mixed with the air; so that by improper management the butter is spoiled to some extent even before it is churned or as soon as it comes from the churn. The remedies are obvious.

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