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Counteneur half-dollars are reported to be in circulation in Peterborough and other Ontario towns.

THE UNION Bank has declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent. " Half a loaf," &c.

PRINCE EDWARD Island dealers are shipping new mess pork to this market, and as the quality is said to be quite equal to the best Cincinnati, it meets with a ready sale.

THENTON, Ont., is among the many towns in Canada now reported prosperous. Twelvenew street lamps have recently been erected in Trenton, and the local paper says there are no empty houses in town.

LEADING ice-dealers in Montreal are enlarging their premises, having found the business of the past season too large in proportion to their storchouse accommodation.