obtained at a very slight discount upon union prices; caustic soda, indeed, is rather slow of sale, but its value is not affected. Sulphate of ammonia has touched very low figures, but improved inquiry latterly has stiffened prices, and this movement is likely to be intensified with the advent of milder weather and the troubles in Chili. Muriate of ammonia and sal-ammoniac move off freely. The demand for carbonate of ammonia has slackened, and prices are easier. Carbolic acids continue to go from bad to worse; orders for crystals are go from bad to worse; orders for crystals are scarce, and stocks of crude heavy on many sides. Benzoles and solvent coal tar naphtha are in steady demand and values unchanged. Wood naphthas are brisk, solvent especially Wood naphthas are brisk, solvent especially being scarce. Sulphate of copper has declined, and is weak under pressure of second-hand parcels upon the market, the prices being much below present reduced cost of production, and the statistical position of metallic copper is good. Sulphate of iron is very active, and large sales have been made for forward shipment. Acetate of soda has advanced, only small quantities offering on spot, shipments from the Continent having been interrupted by the frost. Acetates of lead are steady; nitrate of lead is unchanged in value, but very dull. Recovered sulphur has advanced further, and is difficult to obtain for early delivery. Chlorate of soda is scarce. Bichromates of potash and soda are quiet. For yellow prussiate of potash higher prices are asked in some ate of potash higher prices are asked in some quarters.

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Wednesday, February 25th, 1891,

At 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board of Directors.

W. H. HOWLAND, Manager.

Dated at Toronto, 98th January, 1891.

Canadian Pacific

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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 a half per cent. is from toe sanuity provided for until August, 1893, by a deposit with the Canadian Government, and one per cent. is from the surplus earnings of the Company.

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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed in London at three o'clock p. m., Friday, Jan. 9th, and in Montreal and New York at the same hour on baturday, Jan. 2th, and will be re-opened at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday, the 18th Feb. next. By order of the Bard,

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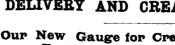
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