

## BELDING, PAUL & CO., SILK MANUFACTURERS, MONTREAL.

Begin to notify the trade they are preparing, and will have ready February 1, 1881, a full stock of

## KNITTING SILK

Of very superior quality and variety of Colors, especially adapted for

Hose, Mittens, Wristlets, Purses, &c.

### NOTICE.

WE hereby notify having relinquished our business in this city in favour of Mr. WM. JOHNSON, our late Manager, who has assumed all assets and liabilities pertaining thereto since 30th April last.

**LEWIS BERGER & SONS, Limited.**

Montreal, 30th June, 1881.

Referring to the above notice, in which you are acquainted that I have taken over the

### PAINT AND COLOUR BUSINESS

OF

Messrs. LEWIS BERGER & SONS, Limited,

I would take this opportunity to inform my friends and the paint trade generally that I intend to carry on the business in all its branches, assisted by the entire staff lately employed by the Messrs. Berger, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the kind patronage so liberally extended to them.

Yours truly,

**WILLIAM JOHNSON.**

to the Mattawan is supposed to have been in regard to the running of branch lines in Manitoba and the North-West and other matters connected with the construction of the Canada Pacific.

There has been some difficulty between the settlers upon the southern portion of the Menonite reserve in Manitoba and the Government. The latter concluded to allow the settlers to remain upon the lands on payment of \$3 an acre. It is stated the settlers threaten to remove across into Dakota if payment is forced.

ADVENTURE from Memphis, Tenn., yesterday, says: A New York broker has bought \$250,000 Confederate bonds at \$2 per thousand dollars. Many persons in Memphis have thousands of dollars in these bonds, but are not willing to part with them. The only reasons given for this speculation is that the Confederate Government during the war deposited seven millions in gold in England, and this has never been touched. If the bonds can be collected they will probably entitle the holder to this deposit, the English Government having refused to recognize the right of the Federal Government to the money."

SUBSCRIBERS resident at remote points in the Dominion will receive the present issue of the JOURNAL a day later than usual. We much regret the unavoidable delay, which has been caused by several accidents to trains to and from Montreal.

In the paragraph in our last issue, referring to the Union Bank, the compositor made us say that the Directors of that Bank were "about to open an agency in Ottawa," instead of Winnipeg. The Union Bank have had an agency in the Capital of the Dominion for several years.

S. CLOUTIER, tanner, Quebec, is reported to

have failed.—L. Sénécal, groceries and hardware, etc., Sorel, referred to in a previous issue has effected a settlement at 75c on the dollar, 55c secured, and 20c his own note.

SAMUEL PRICE, a shoemaker by trade, was recently detected in the act of carrying off the goods of his employer at Napanee, where he acted as foreman in a shop. It was found that he had removed about \$75 worth of stock to Deseronto, but before he could be arrested on a warrant he had made his escape. Price was formerly employed in Toronto, also at Stayner, Ont., from which latter place he fled some years ago.

JOHN MOORE, dry goods dealer and grocer, Uxbridge, Ont., has called a meeting of creditors. Joseph Stovel, tailor, Meaford, referred to last week, has compromised at 60 per cent. of his liabilities, payable quarterly over a period of twelve months—John Landerkin, general storekeeper, Drayton, Ont., has at last been obliged to assign—Messrs. J. Neill & Son, founders, Toronto, have assigned, with liabilities of about \$10,000, and assets amounting to \$8,500.

The firm of McLachlan Bros. & Co., this city, have dissolved, Mr. Charles Morton retiring at the expiration of five years, the period agreed upon, to enter into partnership with Wm. Denoon, formerly of McIntyre, Denoon & French, but more recently of Messrs. Denoon, Drake & Dods, of this city—in the establishment of a new house on St. Peter street. The new firm are fortified with ample capital, and possessing both capacity and experience, have a promising future; they are starting at a time when the field seems large enough for recruits, and will no doubt meet with success.

## CANADA TOBACCO WORKS,

A. D. PORCHERON, . . . . . Proprietor,  
22 & 24 ST. GEORGE ST., MONTREAL.

To the Trade:

### TOBACCO.

The PACIFIC TWIST is the most reliable Chewing Tobacco made in the Dominion. No scraps or sweepings can be used in this tobacco on account of its shape, and none but first-class leaf is used. This Tobacco is retailed by the foot.

If you want to serve your own interest buy Porcheron's ROUGH AND READY 13s; its novelty and quality are both a guarantee to the buyer that he may turn out some profit and please his customers.

A. D. PORCHERON, Montreal.

## Manitoba and the North West Territory

FARMING AND STOCK-RAISING LANDS  
FOR SALE BY THE

## HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY.

Under agreement with the Crown, the Hudson's Bay Company are entitled to one-twentieth of the Lands in the fertile belt, estimated at about seven millions of acres, and they are prepared to offer for sale land in the Townships already surveyed by the Government of Canada.

Pamphlets and full information in regard to these Lands will be given by the undersigned at the offices of the Company in Montreal and Winnipeg.

C. J. BRYDGES,

Land Commissioner.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Montreal Harbor Commissioners, held last Thursday afternoon, the statement read of the revenue of the port showed the customs' receipts for September, ult., to have been \$31,000, as against \$41,500 for like period last year; local traffic dues, \$6,218, as against \$5,591; total revenue for September this year \$47,091, last year \$37,218; total revenue this season \$178,108, as against \$234,014 to the same date last year. The Harbour Master's report showed 462 sea-going vessels in port this year, with a tonnage of 431,859 tons, while to the same date last year there had been 569 vessels, representing a tonnage of 519,564.

WITHOUT CAPITAL OR EXPERIENCE.—About six months ago three young men, eager to make a fortune in a hurry, conceived the idea of embarking their small savings in the manufacture of Brass, Babbet and King Silver in the City of Hamilton. Neither of them had more than \$1,000 capital, and each was without experience in the proposed line of business. One of them was a bank clerk, another book-keeper in a Loan and Mortgage Company's office, and the third a news agent. They bought a large quantity of patterns, lathes, and other machinery necessary for their purpose, rented a small foundry premises on John street, and put out their shingle, bearing the firm name of Blakeslee & Co. Having expended all the means in getting their equipments, they had to borrow capital to supply stock and pay wages. As might be expected under the circumstances, the senior partner absconded two weeks ago, and the second followed last week, leaving creditors to the amount of over \$3,000, with not more than \$600 of assets, cash value, to