

MARKET REPORTS.

Saint John Wholesale Market.			
Beams (sh and Egs show advance; floor and meal firm; sugar in U. S. advancing but no advance here yet).			
PROVISIONS			
Am clear pork, per bbl	24 50 to 28 00		
Pork, mess	23 00 to 25 50		
P. B. I prime mess	00 00 to 00 00		
Plate beef	14 50 to 15 00		
Extra plate beef	17 00 to 18 00		
Cheese, factory, new, lb	00 10 to 00 11		
Butter, creamery	00 16 to 00 17		
Lard, tubs, pure	01 12 to 01 13		
Lard, compound	01 10 to 01 11		
Eggs, per doz, fresh	01 17 to 01 18		
Beans, white	1 70 to 1 75		
Beans, Y. E.	2 75 to 3 00		
Oatmeal, per bbl	4 25 to 4 25		
FRESH			
Od fish, medium, 100 lb	3 40 to 3 50		
Large	3 60 to 3 70		
Pollock, 100 lb	1 60 to 1 70		
Herring, bay, h-bbl	1 75 to 1 75		
Herring, rippin	0 84 to 0 84		
Herring, Calais, h-bbl	0 00 to 0 00		
Herring, Shetland, No 1	0 00 to 0 00		
Shad, h-bbl	0 00 to 0 00		
GRAIN			
Oats, Ontario	0 57 to 0 58		
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Split peas	0 50 to 0 52		
Pea barley	4 50 to 4 75		
Hay, pressed	13 00 to 13 00		
TOBACCO			
Black, 10's	0 62 to 0 62		
Black, 12's, short stock	0 00 to 0 00		
Black, 12's, long stock	0 00 to 0 00		
Bright	0 56 to 0 60		
Canadian 12's	0 38 to 0 44		
RUBBER			
Armadillo, cut	0 03 to 0 03		
Patna	0 04 to 0 05		
Seals	0 04 to 0 06		
SUGAR			
Granulated, bbl	2 75 to 2 85		
Granulated, Delish	3 50 to 3 55		
Bright Yellow	3 45 to 3 55		
No 1 Yellow	3 15 to 3 25		
Paris lamps, boxes	0 04 to 0 05		
Polished	0 04 to 0 05		
OILS			
American Water White	0 13 to 0 13		
Canadian Water White	0 13 to 0 13		
Arctic	0 17 to 0 17		
Canadian prime white Sil-	0 17 to 0 17		
ver Black	0 17 to 0 17		
Lassod oil, belled	0 85 to 0 88		
do, do, raw	0 85 to 0 88		
Purported	0 85 to 0 88		
Castor oil, com. lb	0 08 to 0 08		
Oil, oil, gal	0 85 to 0 85		
Extra lard oil	0 85 to 0 85		
No 1 lard oil	0 85 to 0 85		
Seed oil, steam refined	0 54 to 0 55		
do, pale	0 54 to 0 55		
Oil oil	0 32 to 0 35		
HABINS			
London Layers	0 00 to 0 00		
Black Backs	2 30 to 2 30		
Loose Macawels	0 05 to 0 09		
Vienna layers	0 00 to 0 00		
London	0 12 to 0 12		
Schinas	0 12 to 0 12		
Curran, bbl	0 00 to 0 01		
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APPLES			
Apples, bbl	0 00 to 0 00		
Dried apples	0 00 to 0 00		
Evaporated Apples	0 12 to 0 14		
Evaporated Apples	0 11 to 0 12		
Prunes	0 05 to 0 10		
Lemons, box	0 10 to 0 12		
Pears, box	0 04 to 0 05		
Grapes, Cal	0 00 to 0 00		
Pears, Ann	0 00 to 0 00		
Valencia Oranges	0 00 to 0 00		
Bananas	0 00 to 0 25		
Oranges Jamaica	0 00 to 0 00		
Oranges Jamaica per bbl	1 50 to 2 50		
Pineapples per doz	1 00 to 1 00		
Oranges, bbl	1 60 to 4 00		
Oranges, bbl	1 25 to 3 75		
MOLASSES			
Barbados, new	0 24 to 0 26		
Demerara	0 20 to 0 20		
New Orleans	0 25 to 0 26		
Porto Rico	0 21 to 0 23		
FLOUR AND MEAL			
Common	3 30 to 3 35		
Mediums, bags free	00 00 to 00 00		
Manitoba Royals	4 70 to 4 80		
Canadian High Grade Flour	4 40 to 4 40		
Medium Patents	4 25 to 4 35		
Oakland Roller	5 35 to 5 45		
SALE			
Liverpool, sack, ex store	0 54 to 0 56		
Butter salt, each factory	0 00 to 1 10		
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SPIRITS			
Natunags	55 to 0 75		
Cash per lb ground	0 15 to 0 22		
Cloves whole	0 20 to 0 22		
Cloves ground	0 22 to 0 22		
Ginger ground	0 18 to 0 20		
Pepper ground	0 18 to 0 22		
COFFEE			
Condensed, 1 lb cans, per			
dos	3 00 to 3 00		
Condensed 1 lb cans, per			
dos	2 50 to 2 50		
Shamrock	0 20 to 0 24		
Java, per lb, green	0 24 to 0 28		
Jamaica	0 24 to 0 28		
MATCHES			
Green	0 40 to 0 43		
Parlor, 144 pkgs	4 00 to 4 00		
Kaichis, 60 pkgs	5 00 to 5 00		
CANDLES			
Mould per lb	0 11 to 0 11		
Tiger, 10 gross	0 38 to 0 38		
TEAS			
Ceylon	0 18 to 0 26		
Conyout, per lb common	0 14 to 0 18		
Conyout, good	0 30 to 0 38		
Conyout, finest	0 35 to 0 38		
Souchong	0 35 to 0 38		
Oolong	0 30 to 0 45		
NAILS			
Out, 50 ds, & 60 ds, per			
100 lb	2 55 to 2 55		
Wire nails, 10 ds	2 45 to 2 75		
Ship spikes	3 30 to 4 35		
OAKUM			
English, Navy or E	0 65 to 0 06		
American Navy per lb	0 06 to 0 06		
English hand-picked	0 06 to 0 06		
PAINTS			
White lead, Brandman's No.			
1 B. E. per 100 lb	6 50 to 6 55		
Yellow paint	6 60 to 7 05		
Black	7 50 to 8 10		
Putty, per lb	3 25 to 0 57		

EXPENSIVE WOODS IN NEW YORK YARDS.

Look Like Supplies for Kindling-Wood Factory, But They're the Most Expensive to Be Had.

New York, Aug. 31.—Over in the east side lumber yards, along the waterfront from Fifth up to about Tenth street, there may be seen piles of piles of charcoal, dirty-looking logs—generally in rough, unsymmetrical heaps unlike the stacks of seasoned pine and other more common building-boards. An ignorant observer might think them to be supplies for a kindling wood factory; but it is not so. They are the most expensive of woods in the world in their rough form, for that is what they are.

There is mahogany, for instance, any quantity of it; ebony, Black Sea walnut and costly mahogany; but all these are in rough, uncut and unplaned logs, and the weather as though it were the cheapest sort of white pine. That is the wood which is the most expensive of woods in the world in its rough form, for that is what they are.

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MORE LIVES ARE SACRIFICED TO PELEE'S RAGE.

Another Reign of Terror Obtains on the Island of Martinique.

At Least 200 Killed.

The Volcano Has Been in Constant Eruption Since August 15—Hot Water Pours Down on Unfortunate Towns—Tidal Wave Brings Terror to Fort de France.

Custries, Island of St. Lucia, B. W. I., Sept. 1.—Mont Pelee has been in constant eruption since August 15. There was an enormous fall of ashes from the volcano on the night of the 23rd. There was a very severe eruption on the night of the 28th. The mountain burned fiercely that night and out at sea, passing vessels were covered with ashes. The night of the 29th there were three separate eruptions.

It is impossible to approach the ruined town of St. Pierre from the sea. The people of the village of Les Anglais on the coast are terror-stricken and flying to the interior. Hot water is pouring down on Les Anglais, and those people who are in the town are in a state of panic. The water is so hot that it is impossible to approach the town.

At 8 o'clock on the evening of the 30th the sky was obscured by a black cloud of dust. This cloud was the centre of most magnificent electric effects, the flashes of light surpassing the most elaborate fireworks. Flashes and flames continued to burst from the cloud until nearly midnight. The cloud then shot out of the crater of Mont Pelee to explode above the cloud in showers of golden fire. A tidal wave rushed upon Fort de France and the terrified inhabitants fled in large numbers to the interior. At midnight the 30th Mont Pelee was quiet; shortly after this hour the clouds and smoke cleared away and the town of St. Pierre was visible. The town was a mass of ruins. The people of the town were in a state of panic.

PIERRPONT RECEIVES SOME SAFE TIPS ON THE WAYS OF THE MARKET.

His Father Gives Him Some Valuable Hints on How to Speculate, and Tells Some Plain Home Truths on Different Subjects.

Chicago, July 15, 189—Dear Pierrpont: I met young Horsey, of Horsey & Horsey, the grain and provision brokers, at luncheon yesterday, and while we were talking over the light run of hogs your name came up somehow, and he congratulated me on having such a smart son. Like an old fool, I allowed that you were bright enough to come in out of the rain if somebody called you, though I ought to have known better, for it is a long time since I have seen you. I don't have to wind up by allowing a reward for skippers.

Horsey was so blundering anxious to show that you were over-weight—he wants to handle some of my business on 'Change—that he managed to prove you a light-weight. I told me you were a light-weight, and he told me you were a light-weight. I told me you were a light-weight, and he told me you were a light-weight. I told me you were a light-weight, and he told me you were a light-weight.

IMPORTANT STATEMENT BY PREMIER BOND.

Imperial Government Has Sanctioned Reopening of Trade Negotiations Between Newfoundland and United States.

Montreal, Sept. 1.—(Special)—It is true that the imperial government has sanctioned the reopening of negotiations between Newfoundland and the United States and I will leave for Washington immediately for this purpose. I am not in a position, however, to make any further statement in regard to the matter.

This important statement was made last evening by Sir Robert Bond, premier minister of Newfoundland, on his arrival today by the steamer Pretorian and it is understood that he will leave for the American capital this morning.

The Newfoundland premier has also a project in hand for the establishment of a fast line of steamers between Halifax and St. John's (Nfld.), using the St. Lawrence railway across the ancient colony.

PROHIBITION'S SLATE FOR MASSACHUSETTS.

Enthusiastic Convention in Tremont Temple—The Coldwater Nominees.

Boston, Sept. 1.—With an enthusiasm that has seldom been surpassed in a prohibition convention in Massachusetts, 150 delegates met in Chippman Hall, Tremont Temple, today to nominate a state ticket and adopt a platform for the coming fall campaign.

The ticket named follows:—
For governor—Wm. H. Partridge, of Newton.
For lieutenant-governor—Dr. Oliver W. Cobb, of Easthampton.
For secretary of state—Herbert B. Griffin, of Wintthrop.
For treasurer and receiver-general—Daniel Parlin, of Worcester.
For auditor—David Morrison, of Fall River.
For attorney-general—Allan Coffin, of Nantucket.

The proceedings of the convention were witnessed by a large number of visitors, among whom was a fair sprinkling of women who manifested a decided interest.

GAS PLANT IN FLAMES.

Locomotive Spark Causes a Costly Blaze, Gardner, Mass.

Gardner, Mass., Sept. 1.—Fire this afternoon damaged the plant of the Gardner Gas Light & Fuel Company to the extent of \$2,500, on which there is no insurance.

The fire started in a small wooden shed, presumably from sparks from a passing locomotive.

Toronto's Monster Parade.

Toronto, Sept. 1.—(Special)—Labor Day was generally well observed all over the Dominion. The parade in this city was the largest on record, every trade union being well represented. The procession moved smartly with the ranks well closed up, but took fully an hour and half to pass a given point.

NETHERWOOD, The Rothesay School for Girls,

will re open on TUESDAY, the 16th of September, 1902.

For Calendars apply to Mrs. J. SIMON ARMSTRONG, PRINCIPAL.

BoneGrinders

Portable Forge, Drilling Machine, Manufactured, Mill and Steamboat Repair. JOSEPH THOMPSON'S MACHINE WORKS, 2-3 Smyth Street, St. John, N. B.

A NEW BRUNSWICK MAN SUICIDES IN QUEBEC.

C. H. Root, Said to be from This Province, Jumps from a Moving Train to Death The Body Recovered.

North Bay, Que., Aug. 29.—(Special)—A man named C. H. Root, of New Brunswick, jumped off the Winnipeg train this morning. He went to the dock, handed his watch and 88 to a man, told him where to send them and jumped into the lake. He was drowned in a few feet of water. The body was recovered.

ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE IN HALIFAX PARK.

Young Man, Recent Inmate of Insane Asylum, Sends Bullet Into Lung.

Halifax, Aug. 29.—(Special)—A young man named James Mills attempted suicide by shooting himself through the side with a revolver in Point Pleasant Park about 5:30 o'clock this evening. He was conveyed to the hospital in the ambulance. He will likely recover. The bullet went into the heart and penetrated the lung. Mills was discharged from the insane asylum about three weeks ago.

OTTAWA'S QUIET DAY.

Holiday Not Generally Observed by Business Men at the Capital—Parade and Sports.

Ottawa, Sept. 1.—(Special)—Labor Day in Ottawa passed off very quietly in so far as the labor celebration went. There was a large parade in the morning and a good program of sports in the afternoon. Only a few of the business houses observed the holiday.

Fast Coaling of C. P. R. Company's Steamer.

On a recent voyage of the Canadian Pacific Company's steamer Empress of China, when, owing to a delayed departure from Vancouver, she was required to make a fast voyage, the coaling agents at Nagasaki (Japan) were asked to make a special effort to coal the ship with dispatch.

They responded so well that the ship received into her bunkers 1,200 tons of coal in three hours and minutes, or 372 tons per hour, which is the record of the port.

As this coal was all handled from lighters to the ship by coalmen, women and children, in small baskets, an appreciation may be had of the feat performed.

DIDN'T BEATLE ADMIRAL DEWEY.

American General Denies That He Spoke Slightly of Manila.

New York, Sept. 1.—The Associated Press received a letter from General Thomas Anderson in which he denies the published reports that while in Manila he spoke of Manila as "a dirty, filthy, stinking hole" or that he ever belittled the Manila victory in Manila Bay.

A SILENT CONVENTION.

Deaf Mutes Get Together in Bellows Falls and Talk It Over Quietly.

Bellows Falls, Vt., Sept. 1.—About 100 delegates from all over New England attended the 23rd biennial convention of the National Association of the Deaf, which was held here. The convention was a success. The delegates were all deaf mutes. They talked in sign language.

LABOR ELECTS DUBLIN'S MAYOR.

Alderman Dowd Defeats Timothy C. Harrington Who Held the Office.

Dublin, Sept. 1.—Alderman Patrick Dowd, the labor candidate, was today elected Lord Mayor of Dublin. Timothy C. Harrington, the retiring Lord Mayor, was a candidate for a third term but was defeated.

A New Fruit.

The introduction of a new fruit into Europe should be marked as a red-letter day in the annals of horticulture. This fruit is named Pejoia selowiana. It has been described by Andre in the Revue Horticole, and has blossomed and borne fruit in this gentleman's garden. It comes from La Plata, and is found to flourish in the south of France. It is a shrub, some 11 feet high, with an oblong, egg-shaped fruit. The flesh is firm, white, and sweet, with an extremely agreeable and penetrating odor. In flavor it is said to recall the pineapple.

An Autumn Field.

How rich and full in June's all-perfectness Was the lush grass which, in this ample field, Grew riotously glad! How prodigal the yield! Of every flower whose absence had made less The bounteous whole! Now, where that sweet expanse Abounded, to itself has bareness sealed The threshold sods; red, like a glorious shield.

Yet not quite all; for here and there behind A flower receives which made the summer sweet.

Puts forth some meagre tint of red or gold, To make the barrenness seem more complete. Such overgrowth of life, such wealth of bloom, Now for remembrance and endurance—dare John White Chadwick in the September Atlantic.