

On the 8th inst. there were in store at Port Arthur and Fort William 311,543 bushels of spring wheat, compared with 156,102 bushels the previous week, and 360,065 bushels for the week ended Oct. 10 of last year.

GROCERIES.—It is not a large trade that is being done at present, but it is fairly satisfactory. The most encouraging feature of the week is the steadily increasing demand for tea of all grades; in fact the demand for the cheaper teas has been so large that prices have slightly advanced, and quotations all round are very firm. The enquiry for sugar has been comparatively small, and prices have again weakened, and 3½c. for yellows and 4½c. for granulated are the prevailing quotations, but prices are being shaded in many directions, and consequently are unsettled. Coffee is much firmer in New York, but unchanged here with a fair enquiry. The trade in canned goods is light. Large receipts of new fruit are to be noted and a fair demand. In other lines there has been no change and prices remain unaltered. Payments are only moderate, and are by some houses described as poor.

HARDWARE.—A fair amount of activity is reported, and orders for fall and winter goods are being steadily received. There is a good demand for copper and tin, and both are advancing in price. Otherwise prices all round are unchanged. Business in the city has improved lately, and the reports from travellers in the country are satisfactory as to the present and full of confidence for the future. There are no very special features to report this week. Payments are as a rule somewhat better.

LEATHER.—Business is a little dull just now, but about an average turnover for the current month is anticipated. Factories are still engaged completing fall orders, and orders for spring goods are beginning to come in. Stocks as a rule are moderate. The outlook for the trade is evidently considered, by those most interested, to be a very encouraging one. Payments are quite up to the average for the time of year.

\$13,500.00 Park Fund Debentures OF THE TOWN OF PORT ARTHUR.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to twelve o'clock noon on the fifteenth day of November, 1892, for the purchase of the whole or any part of the above mentioned issue of \$13,500.00 Park Fund Debentures of the Town of Port Arthur. These Debentures are issued in amounts as follows: 15 of \$1,000 each 1 of \$500, and for a period of 40 years, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly.

Resides being Debentures of the Town of Port Arthur, they are a first charge and lien upon the lands for the purchase of which they are issued, as well as upon all other lands subject to the control of the Board.

For further particulars apply to
ROBERT MAITLAND,
Sec'y of the Board of Park Management,
Port Arthur, Oct. 6, 1892. PORT ARTHUR.

DEBENTURES.

Offers for purchase of Town of Paris Debentures to the amount of \$5,000 will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Monday, 24th inst. Copies of By-Law may be had on application.
Paris, Oct. 8th, 1892. S. DADSON, Town Clerk.

Debentures for Sale.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the first day of November next, for the purchase of debentures of the village of Embro, in the County of Oxford, amounting to \$3,500.
Printed certified copy of By-Laws furnished on application.

E. CODY, Treasurer,
Village of Embro.

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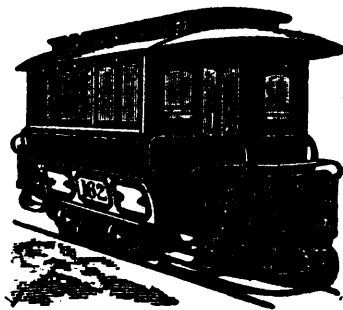
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