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"tween seasons" period is now on, and the warehouses generally wear a quiet aspect. The weather on the whole has been better for retail trade. City retail men report very fair sales, and money from this quarter comes into wholesale counting-rooms well, as compared with country collections, which continue discouragingly poor. The failure of one of the younger wholesale houses—Messrs. Gillespie, Roach & Co.—is to be noted, but this event had been for some time discounted in well-informed circles, and does not create any disturbance to the general trade.

FURS.—Business is now over for the season in this line, and we will drop quotations until September. The mid-summer general assortment sale of Messrs. Lampion & Co., of London, will be held from the 23rd to the 27th inst., and the result will be awaited with

general interest, as showing the trend of the market. We quote for average prime skins: Beaver, \$4.00 to 4.50; bear, \$10.00 to 14.00; cub ditto, \$4.00 to 5.00; fisher, \$3.00 to 5.00; red fox, \$1.20 to 1.30; cross ditto, \$2 to 4.00; lynx, \$2.00 to 4.00; marten, 80c.; mink, 60c.; spring muskrat, 15 to 16c.; otter, \$8.00 to 10.00; coon, 25 to 50c.; skunk, 40 to 60c.

GROCERIES.—Business shows some improvement in volume since last writing, and a very fair movement in a jobbing way may be reported. In sugars granulated is 6½ to 6¾c. per lb. at refinery; yellows, 5½ to 5¾c.; some lots of grocery raws have been received at Quebec, but we do not hear of any sales here. Molasses is in light demand at 32 to 34c. per gallon in a jobbing way; several cargoes have been received at Quebec, and others are on the way; the price at the island is reported at 18c. with a firm market. A lively demand for Japans of

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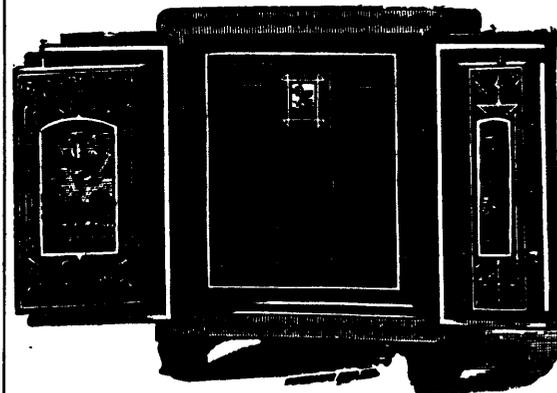
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