

AL MARKETS.

Montreal, August 9th, 1906.

Exports of butter and cheese for the week ending August 4th, 1906, were 1,111,000 lbs. as compared with 1,111,000 lbs. for the corresponding week of 1905. The prevailing have affected business. Butter from the decline of a fortnight is quoted at 12 to 12½c., from 11½ to 11¾c. Butter is for finest creamery, and 21½ to 22c. for cheese last week aggregated 15,743 packages.

Present demand for flour is light, notwithstanding the late weak-
Manitoba spring wheat patents, \$3.90 to \$4.20. Rolled oats, \$1.40 to \$1.45. Cornmeal, \$1.40 to \$1.45. We quote: Manitoba bran, \$20 to \$21; moulie, \$22 to \$23. The market is the continued weak-
is quoted at 39 to 39½c., and

still quiet in this line, and many payments on the 4th were not made. Leading houses reporting 80 per cent. as being paid. Nothing new

from Patras report a very firm market on the basis of 17s. for fine wheat. Opening prices for new wheat have been fixed, but it is established, and in some quarters it is expected will be about a cent more. Walnuts are quoted at 107 francs, about 12½c. per pound. Shelled walnuts strong, particularly shelled walnuts shows much firmness; a second crop from New York yesterday, local refiners is looked for more to be easier in a wholesale way, straight Barbadoes could be 10 to 15c. higher, new pack, are in a position price being 85c.

Prices are now very light, and No. 1 at 12½c., and quote for skins are steady at 15c. for each.

But tin again shows a strong upward at 44 to 44½c. The late market is now fairly relieved, and is to 25½c. Lead is steady at \$5.25 to \$5.50; copper, 21 to 22c.; spelter, 6¾ to 7c.; sheet iron or pig iron are unchanged at \$8.25 for No. 3 Middlesboro, \$8.50 to \$21. Bars are steady at \$4.38 for inch. In plates, new.

Business is seasonably dull, but good. Turpentine is firmer by the local quotation is about 10 to 12c. Linseed oil is about 10 to 12c. less. Fish oils move at 32 to 35c., and steam-
Castor oil is firm at 8 to 10c. Leads, putty and glass

filled hogs are rather easier, but cured meats are firm for good demand. We quote: 10 to \$23, in barrels; selected 10 to 16c., as to size; Wiltshire breakfast bacon, 16½ to 17c.; package; compound ditto, 8

ragrant. The only recent small sales of Capes at 20 to 25c., and fine fleece is quoted at 28 to 29c.

For July were \$1,118,615, compared with an increase of \$82,880.

has given a contract for a to Hogan & Co., Ottawa.

ures show that during the British emigrants to Canada 19,500 from Scotland, and as the list with one in every country has increased 100 per

TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.

The following were among the enquiries relating to Canadian trade received at the Canadian Government Offices, 17 Victoria Street, London, S. W., and 73 Basinghall Street, London, E. C., during the week ending July 27, 1906:

North of England correspondent wants addresses of brick and tile firms, likely to take up the manufacture of a new clay roofing tile. Is also thinking of manufacturing on the spot. London agents of New Zealand firm enquire for buyers of rye grass. Colombo (Ceylon) general commission merchants interested in tea, cocoa, cinnamon, cocoa-nut products, oils, fibres, plumbago, rubber, etc., desire correspondence. Antwerp firm request names of exporters of evaporated apples, apple waste, and cereals. London company manufacturing special laundry and other irons seeks resident agent. Belfast firm is open to represent on commission, manufacturers of oatmeal and similar products. Midlands firm manufacturing stoves, grates, and fenders, would like to get into touch with importers.

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Dealers complain of the quality of eggs being sent in to city markets. Reduction of price, which in the ordinary way, would seem to follow, is out of the question, because of the competition among buyers. This is one of the cases where the producer possesses the long end of the stick, but he will find it pays to look out for the quality of his product.

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BUSINESS EMBARRASMENTS.

Manitoba:

Culross.—P. Anderson, general store. Sued several times during the spring. C. H. Newton, Winnipeg, in charge of estate. Winnipeg.—James K. Hardy, clothing, shoes, etc. Liabilities, \$4,000. Began business a year ago.—B. Abramovich & Son, general dealers, assigned to C. H. Newton. Arranged an extension last April.

Quebec:

Hull.—J. Adelard Rachon, grocer. Liabilities under \$1,000. Montreal.—A. Beaudoin, grocer. Demand of assignment made by Joseph Courville.—L. Archambault & Fils, saloon keepers, demand of assignment made by J. J. Johnson.—Louis Aumais, grocer, reported an absentee, and insolvency proceedings instituted by Laporte, Martin & Co. Liabilities, \$3,000; assets, about \$1,500.—J. A. Plourde, grocer, assigned to Alex. Desmarteau; liabilities about \$1,500.—Joseph Tasse Cigar Co., Limited. Premises recently attached for rent. Petition for a winding-up order granted. Incorporated, June, 1902; capital, \$50,000; direct liabilities, \$9,000; indirect about \$45,000. Sault a la Puce.—Theodore Lacouture, groceries and provisions. Liabilities, \$1,600. St. Jacques.—Delphat Gaudet, general store. Joseph E. Marion in charge of estate provisionally. St. Jerome.—Zoel Charron, wagonmaker. Liabilities about \$1,000.

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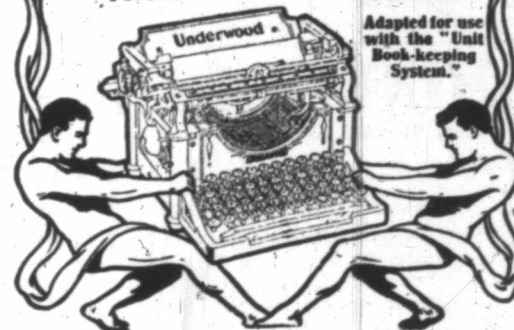
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