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(Trade Review)

been purchased. The exports for the \$10.10 to \$10.55 wholesale, per 100 week were: schr. John, Rose Blanche, 1bs. for Oporto, 3,364 for Funchal, 170 present. qtls. for Patras and 16 brls. caplin for Hay and Oats-Large shipments of the Island of Jersey. The schooner Western Hay and Oats have been re-George A. Wood entered to load at ceived from Canada during the past Burin for Brazil, and the Helen Vain couple of months by the ships plying

at Grand Bank for Halifax. produced last season, 85,073 barrels come forward during the next few of Refined Cod Liver Oil, and has ex- weeks. The imports of oats for the ported, up to the 3rd of November a week were 4200 bushels by S.S. Peliki total of 85,629 barrels. This shows from P.E.I., 11,293 by S.S. Canadian that an enormous business has been Sapper, and 7780 by "Union Jack," a done in Cod Liver Oil this year. The total of 23,273 bushels. The consignimmense production in Norway last ments of hay received here from the season which was about 20 p. c. great- same place were 1649 bales by S.S. er than any previous records, has all Canadian Sapper and a small shipgone into consumption. There was ment by Union Jack. The prices a surplus left over from the previous quoted in the local market for oats year, and in all probability this too are for Black (P.E.I.), \$3.45, Mixed fore the new fishing season opens. It English ton. is not surprising that the very low | Dried Fruit-The United States De-prices at which Norway is selling has partment of Commerce has issued the prevented any possibility of business following statement:here, but when our Newfoundland oil Currant Crop of Greece is about greatest scientists of the world, we production of the previous year. which is nothing more than a pro- pared with the crop of the previous hibitory measure on continuance of year.

> Common Cod Oil-There has been a fairly active enquiry, but suvers must get the Oil at a reduced price before any business can result. It has been reported that there has been recent shipments are hanging fire. New England States show no great activity, but there is such an unusually small stock held in Newfoundland that it will make very little diffierence to anyone, even if prices were cut in two.

incoming ships in the future in the clean kitchen use Crisco. future though considerable imports will be made during the winter Twenty-Two Ships months by the Red Cross, Furness Withy, and other lines via New York and Halifax. While freight rates have increased there is also noted some NEW YORK OFFICIALS ESTIMATE strengthening of the markets abroad and consequently the possibility of a drop in the price of flour seems from present indications to be very remote dently for the pleasure. The imports nounced to-night. for the week were by the S.S. Peliki, 1,500 barrels, and Rosalind, 1,765 barweek varied from \$7.65 to \$7.95 and fog. \$8.15 per barrel, wholesale.

good demand all round and the mar- limit. ket abroad shows a slightly stronger The customs authorities made pubtendency, so that higher prices are lic the names of 22 vessels now in the looked for in the near future and the fleet. Many registeries were presentmarket will be firm for several ed, but most of the craft were British. months more. Fat Back cannot be procured and only one shipment was received during the week, vix: 225 for the THREE FLOWERS Talbarrels by the Rosalind from New cum contest? Competition soon York. The prices quoted locally this closing. Someone will get the week were Fat Back \$31.50 per bar- twenty dollars for CHRISTMAS rel, wholesale, S. C. Clear and Family gift.—dec14,tf Back the same, Ham Butt \$29.50 and

Spare Ribs \$23.50. Beef-The market remains very strong and all indications point to a continuance if present day conditions remain undisturbed. Sharp advances covering several weeks past have been the salient note in the pickled New York, a total of 1,436 barrels. across the city. Prices locally are Bos. Flank \$26.50 They were above the clouds; our

Sugar-The market in Sugar the past few weeks has been unsteady and fluctuating, and though somewhat easier figures were recorded last Codfish-A feeling of optimism is week, another change has occurred abroad and the general impression within the past few days when it adin the Trade is that our catch will vanced 10 cents. As the Christmas seabe marketed to better advantage this son is now with us large consignseason than last year. Late reports ments of sugar are due to arrive by from Oporto were good and show that the Silvia and other ships next week, sales continue at reasonably fair and an active market is looked for for figures and the stocks held there are some weeks. Raw sugars still remain not large. Very little fish is now firm. The imports noted this week coming to St. John's and dealers say consisted of 315 cwts. by the Rosalind that most of the fish held for sale has and the prices quoted were from

2,601 ptls. for Oporto; Netherton, 2,- Tea-The tea market still remains 200 drums containing 457 lbs., ship- active and the prices quoted recently ped by Job Bros. and Co., for Brazil; show no sign of abatement, nor is Gen. Gough, 1,300 drums and 3,872 any incline looked for until the halves, containing 3,698 qtls. for Ba- spring. Some dealers say they would hia; Nontarfik, Burgeo for Oporto, not be surprised to witness a further with 2,720 qtls., and the Dauntless, advance in tea soon, owing to the from Grand Bank with 2,237 qtls. for short crops gathered and to the Halifax. There was also exported by noticeable acceleration in the conthe Canadian Coaster 600 qtls. for the sumption of "the cup that cheers" West Indies, and 16 qtls for Canada; during the past month or so. No tea by the Douglas E, Perks, 3,051 qtls. shipments were recorded during the for Brazil; and by S.S. Canadian Sap- week, and the prices in the local per 160 qtls. for Barbados; by S.S. market vary very much according to Digby 8,898 qtls. for Liverpool, 577 grade 34, 48, 52, 56, 60, and 80 cents for Madeira, 135 qtls. for Malta, 300 the lb. wholesale, being quoted at

from Montreal and now Prince Ed-Cod Liver Oil-By the recent ad- ward Island is about to have its invices we get the facts that Norway nings, and large consignments will will be exported from Norway be- oats, \$3.20. Hay sells at \$35.00 the

has been praised so highly by the 90,000 tons, or 25 per cent. below the should be doing more to encourage its Sultana Raisins will amount to manufacture and the first necessity 2,500 tons in Corinth and 3,000 tons in is the removal of the Export Tax Crete, a considerable shortage com-

> California Raisins-The situation is unsettled and confied to immediate re-

Miscellaneous — The miscellaneous imports for the week were: 69 cwt. butter, 2584 boxes cheese, 1776 brls. a decline in the English market, and potatoes, 455 boxes soap, 70 brls. tar, 410 kegs oatmeal, 50 head horned the steamers "Watuka" and "Erich Lindoe" from Sydney.

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These officials declared that, although the rum fleet all displayed rels; a total of 3,265 barrels. Prices lights, their number constituted a quoted in the local market for the menace to navigation, particularly in

The custom house officials confirm Perk-The pork market remains ed dispatches from New Jersey points the same as last week. If anything, stating that the fleet now was lying it is slightly stronger. There is a well outside the proposed 12-mile

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on, and thus the Zeppelins could not of £50,000. What would have hap-

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pened had they dropped the two hun-

The only thing that saved us was the fact that the enemy did not know where he was. Even without the searchlights, the airship commanders would have been able to estimate their position but for one thing—the wind. By a miracle, the breeze freshened all of the command of the c

through the night. The Germans,

therefore, could not tell how quickly

they were drifting over London, for

it is impossible to calculate the speed

they started on their flight; they knew

it had increased. How great was the

increase This was the question they

had to answer. Fortunately for us,

they could not do so. Thus was Lon-

This is only one of the amazing

stories told in "The Defence of Lon-

don," by Colonel Rawlinson (Melrose).

One of the greatest difficulties the

anti-aircraft brigade had to meet was

the habit of Zeppelin commanders of

taking their ships above the clouds.

thus rendering them invisible to our

gunners and making firing more or

less useless. Consequently, experts

had to discover a means of locating the

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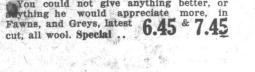
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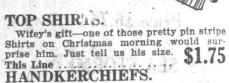
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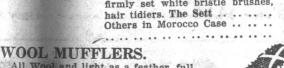
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ported and there will be no very fleet of Zeppelins hovered over the leavy surplus stocks to be availed of. town. Seven airships made their way The imports for the week were 780 to a spot about fifty miles north-west barrels by the Digby from Boston, of London. Here they shut off their and 656 barrels by the Rosalind from engines and drifted on the wind right

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