AUDITORS' REPORT.

We, the undersigned auditors of the Perth Mutual Fire Insurance Company, hereby certify that we have made a detailed audit of all the books of the company, for the year ending 31st day of December, 1887, and all the securities, vouchers and documents relating to the same, and have compared the company's balance sheet and profit and loss account with the said books, all of which have been found correct and satisfactory in every respect.

JOHN PEARSON, Auditors. G. G. EWART,

Stratford, Jan. 11th, 1888.

STOCKS IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Feb. 1st, 1888.

Stocks.	Highest.	Lowesta	Total.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Average. 1886
Montreal	218	2151	800	2153	2151	2421
Ontario	113 1	110	17	113	111	115
Peoples,	104	101	14	104	101	102
Molsons	140	1324	7	140	1324	142
Toronto	199	190	1	198	190	215
Jac. Cartier	85			•••••		. อา
Merchants	126	123	108	124	1231	131
Commerce	1123	110%	1032	1111	11 🖥	124
Union	95	90		95	90	92
Montreal Tel	92	901	350	913	911	943
Rich. & Ont	43	391	1961	412	403	67
City Passenger.	230	220		230	221	270
Gas	2114	210	679	2101	210	2323
C. Pacific R. R.	59 1	56 1	74	562	56	65₫
N. W. Land	62	55	125	59	57	
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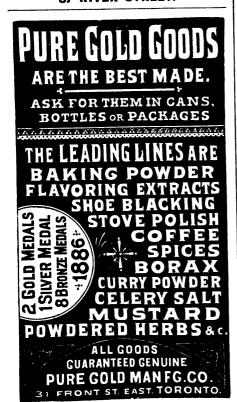
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—The Customs' receipts at the port of Montreal last month amounted to \$579,295 as compared with \$674,951 for the same month of 1887. Inland Revenue collections at that city were \$115,393, where in January, 1887, they were \$108,635.

-Winnipeg customs' officers report exportations for January as \$75,914. The total importations for consumption were \$100,774; duty collected, \$25,188. Inland revenue collected, \$13,505.

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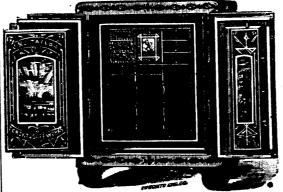
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