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WHY MESSES. DEZUUCHE & CO.'S PLANU WAS REFUSED ADMISSION TO THE "QUEEN'S HALL."

EMTORY OF THE "PIANO WAR"-THE OTHER SIDE OF THE STORY.

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To the Editor of THE POST and TRUE WITNESS : SIE,-Understanding that the public are not fully informed of the facts regarding the late. attempt to force a certain piano into the Queen's Hall in spite of the lessees, and as prejudicial statements regarding that adver-tising trick have been made public by one of the parties, as one of the late Syndicate I purpose furnishing the correct version of the maiter

On letting the Hall to the Syndicate, over a year ago, Sir Hugh Allan agreed to furnish it with a large organ and first-class grand pisno. There was a severe contest about choosing a piano, from the several instruments offered, but the N. Y. Weber was selected, purchased by Sir Hugh, and placed in the hall.

The plane new causing all the trouble was one of the rejected applicants for the place, but its agent was appointed manager of the hall. This placed the Weber plane in an unfortunate position ; the men who should have protected it were its bitter enemies, but as yet private and underhand means only were used in its detraction. The artists who says nothing of any desire to change performed on it were followed into the ante- the furniture, but, on arriving with his sooms, and efforts made to obtain unfavourable opinions regarding the piano. Even customers visiting their store were told of its harsh and discordant tones, until at last Messrs. De Zouche & Co. resigned their position as managers, and their hostility became more open and avowed.

I do not wish to bring individual names into this controversy, but must state the case of one eminent artist whose name has been unwantonly introduced by Messrs. De Jouche & Co., and who could not be induced to disparage the plano she had lauded so highly, and on which she had built up her grand reputation as the greatest pianiste of the age. When this lady refused Decker's offer to play on his piano in Montreal, his agents inserted the following paragraph in the papers here :--

"She (Carreno) uses a Decker Bros, Parlor Grand for her own special delectation in her own nonee, It was not furnished gratis. She uses a Weber when she is paid for it. It goes against the grain, but business is busi.

ness. For public performances, plano makers select A tists now a days. Artistado not select planos. It is a new way of adverising. In the history of the plano trade no maker has ever supplied so many planos GRATIS as

weber. To repeat, then, the fair Carreno-than whom there is not a greater living pianiste-uses Weber when he pays her."

It is easy to judge how much such articles were calculated to help(?) an artist in the eyes of the public. Beaides, it is not true that Carreno ever paid for a Decker pi ano for her private use. It is true that the house of Decker at one time did pay Carreno a large sum to make a tour of the west and south with their plano, at which time (as is customary) one of their planos was furbished to her residence free of charge. But to our story.

WHY DEZOUCHE & CO.'S PLANO WAS REFUSED THE USE OF THE QUEEN'S HALL.

Early last spring Messrs. D. Zouche & Co.'s predecessor applied for the Queen's Hall. That gentleman having been nominally the agent here for the Decker piano naturally wished to use it, but with his characteristic fairness asked if there was any objection. The reply was "None whatever." With the concent of the writer the Weber was set aside, and their piano was used. The next morning Messrs. De Zouche & Co., inserted the following article in the papers :

"CORNERED."-At the Mendelssohn Choir Concert last night the Decker piano was used, the Weber being relegated to the corner from which its staring label announced that it took second place. According to the admirers of the much-puffed instrument, wealth of harmony in the corthere was

knowledge or consent of the lessees, who sware of the object in introducing the piano, and remembering former experience, had forhidden its entrance to the Hall. In softer bowever, of the manager of the Hall, with the aid of a dozen or more "satellites," they succeeded in forcing their plano on the stage. Not wishing to renew the disturbance, and at the earnest request of Sir Hugh Allan and Mr. Brown, the lessees desisted from further

It seems to have dawned upon Messrs opposition. D. Zouche & Co., that this audacious proceed-ing required some spology, and they offer the foltowing: "No lessee in America dares to dictate to

troupes what piano shall be used in his hall, as no landlord orders his tenant to use a particular kind of furniture."

Now this firm know that the Decker cannot obtain admission into the Steinway or Chickering Halls, New York. Any state. ment to the contrary is on a par with that made about Carreno's purchasing a Decker or Gensier's using one. Let us examine their argument about the "landlord." The agent of the troupe comes to Montreal ; he stays at the "Windsor," makes a bargain for board and lodging by the day; he knows the Windsor is already well-furnished; has been there before and liked its furniture well, the furniture, but, on arriving with his Company, several days after, he calls (impertinently) for the fandlord, "Is your name so-and-so?" "Yee, sir." "1 wish to use other furniture; this in your hotel is not good enough for my troupe." "But," says the Iandlord, unwilling to lose his guest, "my furniture is all of the best, and has been admired by all the guests who have stayed at my house-still, I shall change them for you, sir." "No, sir; I shall send in other furniture; I will not use yours at all. Landlord (angrily), "Why did you not tell me so when you rented my rooms? You are not in the habit of carrying your furniture with you; there is some design in this." "That's my business. 1 am the Manager of the _____ Troupe. We give all our earnings to the education of _____, and I will not be bullied or dictated to. I have hired your rooms, and have a right to use what furniture 1 like.,' "Where are you getting your furniture?" "I have arranged with Meesra. De Zouche & Co. to send up what I want." "But they will abuse my furniture as d run it down as they did before, and publish in all the papers that you had to get their furniture because mine was not fit for use. It is an advertising trick." "That is none of your business, I have rented the Hall." The landlord agreed that it was, and a very ooor business, too. Fourteen able bodied bruisers were too strong for three, and the furniture, which in this case was a Decker piano, went into the Hall. The picture is not overdrawn. If Messrs. D. Zouche & Co.'s mythical landlord does rent " farnished apartments by the day," and allows his tenant to bustle his furniture about in order to make place for other and inferior articles to be advertised at his expense, the lessees of the Queen's Halt do not intend to follow his ex. ample. They will, under proper conditions, permit other planes to be used in the Hall,

but not when the object is plainly to get up a "piarto war." ONE OF THE LESSES.

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ENGLISH CHILDREN HELD AS SLAVES. LONDON, NOV. 19 .- The Constantinople correspondent of the Dailg Telegraph says :--A French and Arab acrobatic troupe is performing here in which there are twelve English children virtually retained as slaves, and horribly ill-treated. It is understood that Lord Granville, British Foreign Secretary, has ordered the Consul General to recover possess. ion of the children and forward them to England."

CONSTANTINOPLE, NOV. 20 .- The English actobatic children, held in a condition of men's split do, \$160 to 2.25; men's kip slavery, have been set free by the British boots, \$250 to 300; men's calf boots, \$3 to Consul-General, acting in the capacity of Con- 3 75; men's kip brogans, \$1 35 to 1 40; men's sular Judge.

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Finance and Commerce

FINANCIAL. TRUE WITNESS OFFICE.

TUESDAY, Nov. 22, 1881.

This morning Montreal Telegraph fell 1; Merchants and Ontario 1; Commerce 1 and Richelien 1 per cent. Bank of Montaeal and Gas were steady.

Morning stock sales : 30 Montreal 2043; 25 do 205; 140 do 2043; 365 do 2041; 50 do 2041 ; 34 Proples 92; 46 do, 911 ; 25 Ontario 60; 25 do 601; 225 do 591: 200 Toronto 162; 50 do 1611; 50 do 162; 2 Eastern Townships 120; 8 do 122; 100 Merchants' 128; 75 Commerce 149; 25 Exchange 142; 10 Hochelsga 95; 6 Imperial 136; ; 75 Dundas 129]; 10 Bichelien 52]; 415 du 52; 45 Mon-treai Telegraph 129]; 100 do 128].

There was a bad "break" in stocks this p.m. vigorous assault being made by the bears, assisted by Western operators. Bank of Montreal closed at 2023 bid; Ontario 583; Merchants at 1271; Commerce at 1451; Montreal Telegraph at 128; Richelisu at 514; Gas at 144; and City Passenger 1224 bid.

Afternoon Sales-25 Montreal 204; 30 do 2031; 125 do 203; 35 do 2031; 225 do 203; 50 do 2021; 190 do 203; 2 do 2022; 65 do 203; 50 do 2023; 25 Ontario 59]; 25 do 591; 710 do 59; 50 Moleone 1192: 52 \$24 00 to 24.50; Eglinton, \$23.50; Carn Merchante 1282; 35 Eastern Townships 121; broe, \$22.50 Bars per 100 lbs, Sie-25 Commerce 1461; 500 do 145; 50 do 1441: 450 do 1443 ; 125 do 1x5 ; 550 do 146 ; 100 do 1453; 150 do 1453; 40 Canada Cotton 150; 50 Bichelieu 50; 175 do 51; 4 do 512; 25 Dundas 1293; 25 do 1293; 10 do 130; 6 do 1293; 1 do 130; 25 do 1293.

COMMERUIAL. WEEKLY REVIEW - WHOLESALE

MARKETS. BOOTS AND SHORS -- Manufacturers report continuation of the successful business they have had during the early fall, and every satistaction is experienced in the payments, cash orders being remarksbly plentiful. There are prospects of a most successful spring business. The following are the prices juoted :- Men's split boots, \$225. to \$2.75;

of raw fpra.on: the market, but the quality is poor. Skunk, otter, bear and boon have been in considerable demand. The demand for done, and spices creffirm. We quote: Teas-Japan, common, 22 to 25c; good common to medium, 27c to 30c ;-fair to good, 34c to 45c ; fine to choice, 45c to 55c. Nagasaki, 25c to 35 ; Young hyson, firsts, 48c to 55c ; seconds, 38c 'to 45c; thirds, 30c to 35c; fourths, 26c to 29c; Gunpowder, low grades, 38c to 40c; good to flue, 50c to 60c; finest; \$100. 65c to 70c; Imperial, medium to good, 33c; Gian 38c; fine to finest, 45c to 60c; Twankey, common to good, 29 to 32c; Oolovg, common, 33c to 38c; good to choice, 40c to 65c; Congou, common, 26c to 32c; medium to good, 32c to 40c; fine to finest, 41c to 60c; Souchong. common, 28c to 30c; medium to good, 33c to 45c; fine to choice, 50c to 70c. Sugar .- Granulated, 93c to 10c; Yellow refined, 7fc to 8fc; Porto Rico, 7fc to 73c; Barbadoes, 74c to 74c. Syrups and Nolasses-Bright 62c to 88c; medium, 55c to 58c; fair, 61c. to 54c. Molasses-Barba-does 55c 59c; Trinidad, 50c to 52c; sugar house, 36c to 40c. Coffee-Mocha, 32c to 33c; O. G. Java, 26c to 29c; Singapore

and Ceylon, 22c to 24c; Maracaibo, 21c to 23c : Jamaica, 171c to 20c ; Bio, 16c to 18c ; chicory, 12c to 12+c Spices-Cassia, per lb, 13c to 18c ; mace, 90c to \$1.00 ; cloves, 40c to 50c; Jamaica ginger, bl, 22c to 28c; Jamaica ginger, unbl, 17c to 21c; Cochin ginger, 14c to 18c; African, 10c to 11c; black pepper, 15c to 17c; pimento, 14c

to 15c; mustard, 4 lb jar,s 19c to 20c; mus. tard, 1 1b jars, 24c to 25c; nutmeys, no. limed, 85c to 95c; limed, 65c to 90c. HIDES .- The market is dull with prices steady at \$9 00, \$8.00 and \$7.00 for Nos. 1. 2 and 3. Sheenskins, at \$1 to \$1.05; calfskins, 12c. Hors.—The market has been chiefly notice

able for the fluctuations in prices, and sales have been effected at 22c to 271c. Brewers are not willing to pay the high prices at present asked and consequently there have only been few sales.

ISON AND HARDWARS -Although business appears to he a little less active there is, if. anything, a firmer tone in the prices. The travellers have been bringing in glowing reports, and plenty of orders. Payments are as good as could be desired. The prices quoted are as fellows :-- Pig iron, per ton, oltness; \$24 00 to \$24 50; Siomens. \$24.00 to \$24.50; Gartsherrie, \$24.00 to 24.50; Summerlee, \$24 00 to 24 50; Langloan, mens, \$2 25 to 2 35 : Scotch and Staffordshire, \$2 to 2 10; Best ditto \$2.25 to \$2.35; Swede, \$4 25 to 4 60; Norway, \$4 50 to 5 00; Lowmoor, & Bowling, \$6 25 to 7 00. Canada plates, per box : Hatton \$3.25; other brands, \$3 25 to \$3 50; Tin Plates, per box: charcoal IC, \$5 75 to \$6 ; ditto, IX, \$7 75 to \$8 00 ; ditto, D C \$5 25 to \$6; ditto, DX, \$7 25 to \$8. Coke, IC, \$4 75 to \$5. Tinned Sheets, No. 26, charcoal, \$10 50 to 11; Galvanized She ts, No. 28, best, \$7 to 7 50; Hoops and Bands, per 100 lbs \$2 45 to 2 50; Sheets, best brands, \$2 60. Boiler Plates, \$2 75 to \$3 00 Russia Sheet Iron per lb, 124c. Lead, pig, per 100 lbs, \$4 25; do sheet, 5 50; do bar, \$5 to \$5 50; do shot, \$6 to \$6 50; Steel, cast, per lb, 111c to 121c; do Spring, Tin, \$27 28. Ingot Copper, \$17 25 to \$18 50 Sheet Zinc per 100 lbs, \$5 40 to 5 50; spelter, \$5 25 to \$5 50. Horse Shoes, per 100 lbs, \$4 25 to \$4 50. Proved Coll chain, inch, \$5 50; Iron Wire, No. 6, per bdl, \$1.60 to 1.70. Cut Nails -- Prices, net cash within 30 days or, 4 months note, 10 d to 60 d; Hot Cut, American or Canada Pattern \$2.45 per keg; 8 d and 9 d, Hot Cut, do, \$2.70 per keg; 6 d and 7 d, Hot Cut, do, \$2.95 per keg; 4 d and 5 d, Hot Cut, American Pattern, \$3.20 per keg; 3 d, Hot Oat, do, \$3.95 per keg; 3 d, Fine, Hot Oat, \$5.45 per keg; 4 d to 5 d, Cold Cut, Canada Pattern, .95 : 3 d, Cold Cut, Canada Pattern, \$3 45. LEATHER .- The market is dull as manufacturers who are taking stock will only sell when good inducements are offered. Prices soldiers and one passenger. Five other per-are steady. We quote :-- Hemlock Spanish sons left the steamer in a small boat and are steady. We quote :-- Hemlock Spanish sole, No 1, B A, 25c to 27c; ordinary, 242c to 254c; No 3, B A, 23c to 244c; No 2, ordinary, 224c to 234c. Buffalo sole, No 1, 21c to 23c; No 2, 19c to 21c; hemlock slaughter, No 1, 27c to 29c;

TOITY BETAIL MARKETS-Nov. 22. of raw firs on the market, but the quality is poor. Skunk, otter, bear and boon have been in considerable demand. The demand for manufactured fors is brisk, especially from Manifobs and Ontario. The following are the prices Brave, prime, per 10, \$2 to 2 50; bear, per kin, \$6 to 8 00; thear ont, \$3 to 4 00; fakes, \$4, to 5 00; for, red, \$1 to 1.25; for, crose, \$2, to 3 00; just, \$1 to 2.00; m\$ries, 76 to 10, 00; mink, \$1 to 1.25; otter, \$2 to 50, 000; mink, \$2 to 50, 00; and 80c per beg Exports this fail to the sates were 59,085; busnels. Turkeys were sold as \$7, 50 to \$850, the former being of the market. to day, and partridges brought a better price on account of the sold as \$7, 50 to \$850, the former being of the angle; minker \$1, 10; and \$2, 50; goid com-transfer and being and bein poor appearance. Farmers' frozen beef sold at 5c by the hindquarters and at 4c forequarters.

FLOUR, per 100 lbs, \$3 55 to 3 60; oatmeal, do, \$2 50; commeal, do, \$1 60 to 1 65; moulie, do, \$1 70 to 1 80; bran, per 100 1bB,

GRAIN-Oats, per bag, \$1.05 to \$1.10; pear, per bush, \$1.06 to \$1.10; beans, per bush, \$1.60 to \$2.25 buckwheat, per bush 60c to 80c.

VEGETABLES.-Potatoes, per bag, 70c to 80c; carrots, per bushel, 50c; onions per oushel, 75c; per bbl; \$2 50; Montreal cab. bages, per 100, \$3 to \$5; indive, per dozen, 50c; celery, per dozen, 40c to 50c; Montreal turnips, per bushel, 50c; marrows each, 10c; beets per bushel, 50c; spinach, 75c per bushel ; Brussels sprouts, \$1.20 per dozen. FRUIT .- Apples per barrel, \$3 to \$4

Almeria, \$6 per keg ; cranberries, 50c per gai; pears, \$8 to \$9 per bbl. DAIBY PRODUCE .- Poor to choice print butter, per lb, 25c to 32c; tub butter, per lb, 18c

to 22c; Eggs, new laid, per dozen, 25c to 30c; packed, 22c to 23c. POULTRY-Fowls, per pair, 25c to75c ; ducks. per pair, 650 to 90c; chickens, per 1b., 9c to 100; turkeys, per lb, 9c to 10c; geese, 7c

to 8c. MEATS-Beef, per 1b, trimmed, 10c to 13c; mutton, 7c to 10c lamo, forequarters, 8c; lamb, biodquarters, 100; vesl; per lb, 9c to 15c; pork, per lb, 12c; hams, per lb, 14c; lard per , lb, 16c to 18c; sausages, per lb, 12c to 14c; dressed hogs, \$8 to \$8.50. FIBH.-Lake trout, per lb., 10c to '121c'; pike and lobster, per lb, 10c; white fish, per

lb, 10c. to 12c; halibut, per lb, 12c to 15c; haddock and cod, per 1b, 6c; mackerel, per lb, 10c to 12c ; black bass, per bunch, 40 to 50c; maskinonge, per 1b, 12c to 15c; sword fish, per 1b, 121c to 15c. GAME .- Woodcock is quoted at \$1 25.

per brace, plover at \$3 per. doz, and part-ridges 600 to 70c per brace; black ducks, \$1.20 to \$1.30 per pair.

MONTREAL CATILE MARKET.-Nov. 21. A fair business was done in buto ers cattle to-day, the season for shi ping stock be na now over. At Viger market the offering-foted up 350 he-d of catte and \$25 sheep and lambs. Mesers. Price & Di-lorme, of this city, sold 9 medium cattle at \$36 ach and J hn Campbell, also of M intreal, p ried with 15 cattle at \$35 to \$55 per head. Mr. R Cochrane, of Guelph, nad a load or shipp nr cattle weighing from 1,200 to 1,600 lbs., each and Hugh Kel y of Toronto, had 20 fair cattle for whion no bids were obtained. The largest noder was Baptiste Roy, city, who held 59 cat le of all sorts, some of which he so d at 3c to 4c. (ith r traders on the marke were:-Mesers. R. J. H: pper, city; R. K. Wil er and Wm Roberts, Townsnips; L. Martineau, city; B. Roy, ci Y; N. Bendt, city and N. Tallifeur, city. Of the cat le under offer 275 arrived from the west by rail. The top price for good cattle was \$4c. Sheep sold at \$50 per ib, and 1-mbs at \$3,50 to \$4 each. In consequence of large re-ceipts of both dress-d and 'live stock, live hogs are weaker at 550 to \$4 per ib. MONTREAL CATTLE MARKET .-- Nov. 21.

MILLIONS IN IT ...

J. D. Alexander, editor News, Barnsville Ga. U. S. A., says: " For the past twelve | CHALICES, months I have been suffering with inflammatory rheumatism. I tried several physicians \$3 75 ; do Sleigh Shoe, \$2.25 to \$2 50. Ingot but they failed to relieve me. A friend recommended St. Jacob's Oil. I at once procnred half a dozen bottles, which I have used,

was alive. His hat and gloves are table, and an effigy is also on the table. THE THRONE OF ZULULAND.

John Dann has given formal notice British Government that he is a cand for the throne of Zululand Cetewayo to come here next season to see about

N. MoRae, Wyebridge, writes :- Thave large quantities of Da Thomas Echrorato it is used for colds, sore throat, croup &c. in fact or any affection of the throat it w Wounds and Drulees.

The Fishery Society, of Germany, is a o send a consignment of German dog fit America as a return gift for the Calito salmon spawn received from Prof. Baird.

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DIED. MOONEY.—At Green Vale, Lot, 48. P. Island, on the 23rd Meptember, Bridget Moo wife of the taste Daniel Mooney, aged 58 ye She was a native of the County Carlow, Irels and emigrated to a marica in 1832, and has b a resident of this Island this Jait 40 years. leaves sur sons, one daughter and a large nu ber of grand-children and friends to mourn loss of an affeotionate mother and a large nu ber of grand-children and friends to mourn loss of an affeotionate mother and a large marked in death by the large concourse of p pie that accompanied her to her last resi place. May her s ul rest in peace. Boston Pilot, New York Tablet, and Cou Carlow, Ireland, papers please copy. 120



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ner, while the Decker men claimed that true merit received its proper recognition." Be this as it may, and joking apart, it is certain that no greater proof of the genuine worth of the Decker Piano, as compared with its more pretentious rival, could be furnished than by the fact that our finest musical organization preferred to procure one rather than use the Weber, which was as usual, conveniently on hand - Verb. Sap."

Now, 1 would ask any impartial business man if the rent of the Hall for one night was an equivalent for the injurious effects of such articles as the above inserted from day to day. The agents of the piano belonging to the Hall, thus rudely assailed, of course came to its defence, and enother " war" was the consequence. Messrs. DeZounche & Co. of course profited by the publicity it gave their piano, but the interests of the Hall suffered, and must continue to suffer, while this wrangling about the planes used in it is permitted.

AT THE HALLOWS'EN CONCERT

another attempt was made to get this piano into the Hall, and, when refused, they tried to involve Mr. Kennedy and the Caledonian Concert Committee in the controversy, but the latter gentlemen, in renting the Hall, stipulated that they were to have the use of the Weber Grand, and would not join Messis. DeZouche & Co. in their game of detraction. Mr. Kennedy also declined ; the letter speaks for itself :

NOVEMBER 1st, 1881.

o the Manager of N. Y. Plano Co.

DEAR SIR -- In answer to your note I would say that the "Weber" Grand Plano used by us at the Hallowe'en Concert in the Queen's Hall was found to be in every way satisfac-R. KENNEDY, Agent Songs of Scotland.

With the agent of the Jubilee Singers, however, they were more successful, the manager of that troupe entering heartily into Messrs. De Zouche's plans to get up a row. He knew the value of such advertising; with this view had got his company turned out of several hotels in western Canada, not on account of their color but his pertinacious impertinence.

[Having recently isarned something of this agent, who by some is supposed to be doing a work of benevolence, I may refer to him some other time.]

The Syndicate's lease of the Queen's Hall, expired on the 18th October, from which day the N.Y. Piano Co's lease dates. On the 17th of October, when the Hall was yet in the possession of the Synthester, Mr. David Brown rented it to Mr. Cushing, the agent above alluded to, telling him that by the time he should require it, the Hall would likely be in the hands of other parties, with whom he would have to deal, and who with whom he would have to deal, and who would carry out his arrangement. It is important to notice that nothing was, men-resort. Western Texas rivals California and considerably easing the market. Good wintioned to Mr. Brown about bringing in a Decker piano; the troups hitherto had not used one, and last year they used the one in the Hall-a Weber. But the agents of the Docker plano, like the monkey with the cat, were working behind the scenes. They procured (they say by purchase-query : from whom ?--plans of the Hall; there were

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TEXAS.

It is the first cattle-raising State in the Union, having about 5,000,000 head It is second in the number of horses, DRUGS AND CHEXICALS.—The market has with about 1,000,000 head. It is third in sheep with about 5,000,000 head. Total value of its live stock, excluding hogs, more than \$71,000,000. For the year ending Aug. 31, 1881, the sales of its products were, in-

cluding cotton, wheat, wool, hides. etc., \$95,-960,930, against \$57,820,141 in 1878 9. Add 960,930, against \$57,820,141 in 1678 9. And ass, 155 to 150, orlar, 165 to 170, orlar, to this the \$20,000,000 expended by railways and we have a grand total of \$115,960,930 as the sum derived by Texas to the credit of its sugar of lead, 13c to 15c; bleaching the sum derived by Texas to the credit of its agricultural and industrial resources-double that of 1878.9.

Cereals, grasses and vegetables of all kinds, perfection. There is on exhibition in New kez, \$9.50 to 10; sulphate of copper, 51c to York City a Texas raised pear weighing 32 7c; whiting, 55c to 60c quinine, \$3 to \$3.10; ounces.

Land is cheap and can be obtained on easy terms. A home once paid for cannot be taken \$4.75. from the citizen by forced sale, but is secured to his family.

Mechanics' wages rate from \$2 to \$4.50 per day; farm hands, with board, \$10 to \$15 per month ; railway laborers, from \$1.25 to \$1.75 per day, and they are in great demand. Spanish ponies bring \$10 to \$30; large beeves, \$15 to \$20; milk cows and calves, \$12 to \$20.

Railroads spent during the year ending August 31, 1381, about \$20,000,000, completing in that year 1,634 miles of road, and are now building ton miles per day. Within the last two years forty-one additional towns of commercial importance have been reached by at \$6.25 to \$6.50. North Shore Salmon, rail or sprung into existence.

The total railroad mlieage of the State on the 1st of January, 1882, will be over 5,000 miles.

and diminishing. The school fund is large and increasing. Churches are found in almost every settlement.

Most of the State is from 500 to 2,000 feet Colorado. The agriculture of the State is in its infancy, and her mineral and manufacturing resources have barely been touched. Her future is almost beyond compre-

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The earnings of the South Eastern Railway, for the week ending November 14, were no such plans for sale), and advertised one of \$9,719.29, an increase of \$3,527.68 over the 10c to lic. their own planes for use, all without the corresponding week of 1880.

split do, 90c to \$1.10 ; men's buff congress, \$1 50 to 2; men's buff and pebbled bal SOME FACTS AND FIGURES ABOUT morals, \$1 75 to 2.25; men's split do, \$1 25 to 1 50; shoe packs, \$1 to 1 75; women's Texas is as large as Maino, New Hamp- pebble and buff balmorals, \$1 60 to 1 40; do shire, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New split balmorale, 90c to \$110; do prunella York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Dela-ware, Ohio and Illinois, and 0,000 square miles over, containing 175,587,840 acres. At \$152; do buckskin balmorals, 60c to 80c; the ratio of population of Massachusettes it Misses' pebbled and buff balmorals, 90c to can support the present population of the \$1.10; do split baimorals, 75c to 90c; do United States. Its population is 1,592,574 prupella balmorals, 60c to \$1; do cong. balby the last census, and it is receiving immi- morals, 60 to 70c; child's pebbled and buff grants at the rate of more than 1,000 daily. | balmorals, 60c to 90c; do split balmorals, 50c

not been noted for briskness, but remittances are good. The business in heavy chemicals for the souson is closing with navigation. Prices both here and in Eugland are firm. We quote: Bi-carb soda at \$3.10 to \$3 20: soda ash, \$1.50 to \$2.00; bi-chromate of potash, 13jc to 15c; borax, 16c to 17c; cream powder, \$1.40 to \$1.60; alum, \$1.75 to \$2.00; copperas, 100 lbs., 90c to \$1; flour sulphur, \$290 to 3.25; epsom salts, \$1.25 to fruits, melons and berries grow to great 1.40; sai soda, \$1.10c to 1.25; saltpetre, per perfection. There is on exhibition in New key, \$9.50 to 10; sulphate of copper, 5½ to morphia, \$2.50 to \$2.65; castor oil, 10c to

101; shellac, 42c to 45c; opium, \$4.50 to Day Goops .-- The dry goods trade is just

in the midst of the lull of business preceding the taking of stock. Payments continue good and a noticeable feature is the comparative absence of applications for renewals. Manchester manufacturers have made an advance in their prices for prints of 1s 6d per piece, American horses and mules, \$75 to \$150; and as a consequence an advance of 2c per yard may be expected in our spring markets. The price list of the Hudon Mill has been advanced about 5 per cent for grey cottons all round, and the Dundas Company is expected to shortly follow suit.

FISH .-- There is very little doing and prices keep firm at :- Labrador herrings \$18 to \$19 and \$20 for Nos. 2, 3 and 1. British Columbia salmon, \$16.50; No. 1 split herrings, \$5.50 to \$5.75 per hrl; No. 2 as you go" is the State policy. Most coun-ties are jout of debt. Taxation is very low \$6 50; No. 3, \$5.25; white fish scarce at \$5; \$4.75; 100 do \$5.05; 125 and the state salmon trout \$4.50.

FRUITS .- The transactions in apples conlinue to be numerous and prices are firm. to 89c and oats at 39cree Other grains The price this year will, average \$1, per barrel more than last. The recent large receipts ter apples are quoted at \$3 50 to 4 00; Valencla oranges, \$8 00 to 9 00 per case ; lemons, \$4 to 4 50 per box; Almeria grapes, \$6 per keg; Valencia raisins, 9c to 9½c; currants, 64c to 74c; layer raisins, \$2.95 to \$3 00; 10080 muscatel, \$3.10 to \$3.15; London layers, \$3.35 to 3 40; nuts unchanged; \$5 almonds, 15c to 16c; walnuts, 10c; filberts,

26c to 28c. PETROLEUM .- The market is fairly brisk and prices show a firmer tendency. Car lots sorely pressed steamer was steered for Kipgsare quoted at 231c to 24c; broken lots at town harbor. A ship fell in with the steamer 24 je to 25c, and single bbl. lots at 25 je to about the same time and remained near her 26c. American oil is had about 2c higher all round. SALT .- The demand is moderate and prices | cargo. When the harbor police got on board,

and 621c for tens; factory filled brings \$1 to to \$1.10, and Eureks, \$2.07. Oils .-- Newfoundland cod oil remains steady at 45c; Steam refined, seal is quoted

at 474c for wine gallon; linseed oil 73c for raw and 77c for bolled. WooL .- A steady businese is being done for this time of the year in small lots and prices are steady. The following prices are quoted :--Greasy Cape, 20c to 21c ; Australinn, 28c to 30c; Canadian, pulled, A super, 33c to 34c; B super, 30c to 32c; unassorted, 300.

There was a fair enquiry for flour here to-

day and prices were about steady in spite of pretty full receipts and essier markets both in the West and in Europe. Sales were reported as follows ;- 50 barrels Superior Extra at \$6 10 ; 50 do 'Extra' Superfine \$6 ; 4; No. 1 half-bris, \$3, 25; dry cod, \$4 50 to 100 Spring Extra \$6; 125.) Medium Bakers' \$4.75 ; green do \$5 to \$5.25 for No. 1, \$4 to \$6.15 ; 100 do \$6.25 ; 125 do \$6.60 ; 120 do

The sale is reported of 15,000 bushels No. 2 red wheat at \$1.40. Pear are steady at 880 nomiual.

The choses market is steady, Little Falls and Utica markets advancing 1 to 1 yesterday on medium, cheese. 4 The sale of 200 boxes, of Sentember cheese was made here yesterday at 113. We quote 11c to 12c wholesale for good cheese. . H departs off moderate

Butter, eggs and hog product are, unchauged. RECEIPTE HERE TO-DAY. Peas, 000 bush; oats, 552 do; barley, 2,238 do; flour, 2,238 bbls; mshes, 12 do; butter, 156 pkgs; cheese,

and find that I am improving all the time. It relieves me at ouce when I am suffering terrible pain, and prevents me from speading many sleepless nights. Nothing has done me so much good."

THE EXPLOSION ON THE "SO LWAY, DUBLIN, Nov. 17 .- The explosion on the steamer "Solway" (not "Severn " as at first reported), which was towed into Kingstown harbor last night, was not caused by dynamite, but by the bursting of a barrel of naphtha oil, which ran along the deck and caught fire at the stove in the steerage. Six persons were enveloped in flames and burned to ashes, five have not been seen or heard of since." The disaster occurred at six o'clock yesterday morning twenty miles off the coast, and all day long the steamer lay at the mercy of the waves in a terrible storm, the crew and waxed upper, light and medium, 36c to 40c; be remaining passengers fighting the splits, large, 23c fo 26c; small, 21c to 24c; calfskins (27 to 36 lbs), 60c to 80c; do (18 to 26 lbs), 60c to 70c. Harness, 26c to 34c; buf, 14c to 16c; pebble, 114c to 14c; rough, cattacted by the signals of distress, put off buf, 14c to 16c; pebble, 114c to 14c; rough, cattacted by the signals of distress, put off from shore to the assistance of the imperilled steamer. The pilot want on board and the until she reached the barbor, lest the fire might reach the untouched portion of her are steady. Coarse sells for 60c for elevens a most heartrending and horrible scene presented itself to their view. The portion of the vessel which had been destroyed by the fire lay a blackened mass of aebris, the fire still burning where the crew had been unable to extingaish it. The charred remains of the

six bodies were laid out on the deck, and many wounded persons were lying in the cabin unattended. They were removed to the hospital.

I strongly recommend the use of Fellows Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites to all who suffer in any way from disease or weakness of the Lungs, Bronchial Tubes, or general

debility. J. H. W. Scorr, M.D., Gagetown, N.B. ,118-W

THE BISHOP OF MANCHESTER AND THE AMEBICAN REVIVALISTS.

LONDON, Nov. 21 .- The Bishop: of Manchester, at Oldham, yesterday, referring to the visit of Moody and Sankey added that he feated the effect of the startling excitement passed away as rapidly as it was produced. Where, he asked, were the teus of thousands whoj rughed to bear Moody and Sankey at Manchester ? ... They ... must not suppose that because a man could cry, Glory Hallelujah he

II AL THERE EUGENIE

The exempress Eugenie is adding eighteen rooms to her new residence at Famboro. There is to be a room filled with the relics of Prince Louis, and fitted up exactly the same as the one occupied by him at Camden Place. The Idea seems to have been taken from the 2,023 boxes; pork, 90 bbls; tobacco, 11 cases; dressing room of the Prince Consort at Balmoral, which remains the same as when he

