

EXECUTORS' SALE

OF THE

"Norris" Roller Mills, St. Catharines,
"Fyfe" Mills, Thorold, and the
Steamer "Persia."

To liquidate the estate of the late James Norris, the executors have decided to sell the following properties:

MILLS "A and B." on the Welland Canal, St. Catharines, Ont. Capacity mill "A" 400 barrels; mill "B" 325 barrels. These mills are on the direct line of water communication between Chicago, Duluth or Fort William and Montreal, and enjoy the benefit of water rates on all grain inward, and flour outward. Both mills have ship elevators capable of handling 1500 to 2000 bushels an hour. Grain storage capacity, 80,000 bushels; large flour and feed storage. Steamers can load for Montreal and way ports direct from the flour warehouses at mere nominal cost. Brick cooper shops and ample storage for coopers' stock and barrels. These mills are full roller process, thoroughly modern in all their appointments, and are running daily. The brands manufactured are registered, and are well known throughout Canada and Great Britain, and are standard wherever used. The mills enjoy a large and profitable local business. Never failing water power, costing only \$200 per annum. There is 400 feet dock frontage on the Welland Canal. On the property is a large two-storey stone warehouse now used for the storage of merchandise in connection with the steamer "Persia." Could be utilized for other purposes, or extra flour and grain storage. Entire premises electric lighted by a modern Thomson-Houston incandescent plant belonging to the property, and at a very small expense over cost of lamps.

STEAMER PERSIA—This boat is in excellent condition, and has always done a large freight and passenger business between St. Catharines, Toronto and Montreal. The "Persia" is a valuable auxiliary to mills "A and B," enabling them to deliver flour at seaboard at a very low rate of freight.

FYFE MILLS, on the Welland Canal, Thorold, Ont. Capacity, 160 barrels daily. Full roller process. Never failing water power, summer and winter. Water and railway communication. This mill will be sold cheap, and offers a capital opportunity for any practical miller.

For further particulars apply to EXECUTORS ESTATE OF JAMES NORRIS, St. Catharines, Ontario.

Canadian Pacific Railway Company**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS**

The Thirteenth Annual Meeting of the shareholders of this company for the election of directors and the transaction of business generally, will be held on Wednesday, the 4th day of April next, at the principal office of the company at Montreal, at 12 o'clock noon.

The Common Stock Transfer Books of the company will close in Montreal and New York on Saturday, March 24th, and in London on Monday, March 18th. The Preference Stock Books will close on Friday, March 16th. All the books will be re-opened on Thursday, April 5th.

By order of the Board,
CHARLES DRINKWATER, Secretary.
Montreal, 21st Feb., 1894.

Commercial.**MONTREAL MARKETS.**

MONTREAL, Mar. 7th, 1894.

ASHES.—A couple of small sales are at last reported in pearls at \$5.50, which establishes a quotation. Pots are weaker rather, and \$4.20 would be now the outside figure, seconds \$3.70. Receipts have been a little ahead of last, the figures for March 1st being 293 pots, as against 220 last year. Only 15 pearls have come to hand so far this year. In stock 66 pots, 25 pearls.

CEMENTS AND FIREBRICKS.—The prolonged thaw now existing, and the appearance of bare ground, has created some demand for cements, and resulted in a few fair sales, including a 700-brl. lot of English at the pretty

Woollen Factory.

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A. G. RANDALL, Town Clerk,
Edmonton, Alberta.**CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.**

A three months' dividend upon the Preference Stock of this company, at the rate of four per cent. per annum, will be paid at the company's London office, 1 Queen Victoria Street, E.C., on Monday, April 2nd, to stockholders of record on that date.

The transfer books will be closed at 3 p.m. on Friday, March 16th, and will be opened on Thursday, April 5th, at 11 o'clock a.m. by order.

CHARLES DRINKWATER, Secretary.
Montreal, 26th Feb., 1894.

low figure of \$2.10; in a small way \$2.25 is the figure; Belgian, \$2 to 2.10. Firebricks are still selling fairly at \$18 to 25 as to brand.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.—Some very fair sales of cheese took place last week at prices ranging from about 11 to 11½c. per lb., and present stocks are in quite narrow compass; for small lots of finest 11½c. would be exacted. There is good sale for the finer grades of butter, of which there is some scarcity. We quote fine fall creamery 24 to 26c.; Townships dairy, 21 to 23c.; Western, 19 to 20c. per lb.; eggs are easier at 18c. for boiling stock, and packed goods 9 to 10c. per dozen.

DRY GOODS.—Payments of notes due on the 4th inst., concerning which there was a certain amount of foreboding, have been on the whole very fairly made. Four leading wholesale houses whom we have consulted, report from 50 to 60 per cent. of their customers' paper provided for. Some others do not speak so favorably of their experience; but, on the whole, there does not appear to be any very serious ground for complaint on this score, all things being considered. City retail men say that the very mild weather of the last week has caused quite an active enquiry for spring goods, but this weather is altogether unseasonable, and we will have a "spell" of quite severe frost yet.

FISH.—A fair demand still exists, but will not likely extend beyond this week. Green cod is wanted, and for No. 1 large, \$7.50 to 8 is readily got; ordinary No. 1, \$4.75 to 5. Salt herring are scarce and very firm at \$5 to 5.50 for Labrador. No. 1 N. S. salmon in bbls., \$13; B. C. do, \$11. Fresh frozen herring, 60c. to \$1.25 per hundred, as to size; cod and haddock, ¾ to 3¼c.

MONTREAL STOCKS IN STORE.

	March 5, '94.	Feb. 26, '94.
Wheat, bushels	633,320	635,667
Corn "	5,375	4,703
Oats "	154,717	140,216
Rye "	40,335	40,035
Peas "	158,567	157,845
Barley "	46,631	48,345
	1,038,945	1,026,811

GROCERIES.—Some houses report orders as showing some improvement in volume, but no great increase in business can be noted. The heavy thaw prevailing for the last week is having a serious effect on interior traffic, and business in the country will likely suffer to some extent. The situation as regards sugars is quite unchanged; refinery price for granulated being 4½c.; yellows, 3½ to 4c. Molasses 32 to 34c. per gallon, for small lots; 30 to 31c. in quantity; the quotation at the island for new Barbadoes is 14c. first cost, or 17c. including package. For teas there is an improving enquiry, some fair bids for good lots of the finer Japans being reported from the west; common kinds do not seem to be much wanted. Gallon apples have been advanced to \$2.50 by the packages; these same goods could be had not long ago at \$1.80. Dried apples are quoted at 6½ to 7½c.; evaporated do., 10 to 11c. For raisins and currants there is just a light jobbing demand; Valencia raisins are quoted from 4 to 6½c., the latter figure for choice layers; '92 currants are in the market at 3 to 3½c.; '93 fruit 3½ to 6½c., as to quality and package; sultanas, 5½ to 7c. Rice and spices present no new features. Canned goods still dull; the factory price for tomatoes is now said to be 82½c.

HIDES AND TALLOW.—Green hides continue to be bought at the figures as reduced last week, namely, on the basis of 3c. for No. 1, and there are no signs of any recovery. Calfskins are getting a little more plentiful, and are low at 6c. Sheepskins are scarce, as there is little killing being done, and it is yet early for lambskins. Rendered tallow ranges from 5½ to 6½c.; rough, 1 to 3c.

LEATHER.—Boot and shoe manufacturers are fairly busy outting, but this is being done very largely on dongolas, to some extent bought in the United States, and the general leather trade are not at all busy. Stocks, however, do not accumulate much, and only in pebble is there any surplus. English letters just to hand report a fair, quiet trade, with no improvement in prices. We quote:—Spanish sole B. A. No. 1, 19 to 22c.; do. No. 2 to B. A., 17 to 19c.; No. 1 ordinary Spanish, 18 to 20c.; No. 2, 16 to 17c.; No. 1, slaughter, 18 to 20c.; No. 2 do., 17 to 18c.; American

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