Can't Eat

This is the complaint of thousands at this season. They have no appetite; food does not relish. They need the toning up of the stomach and digestive organs, which a course of Hood's Sarsaparilla will give them. It also purifies and enriches the blood, cures that distress after eating and internal misery only a dyspeptic can know, creates an appetite, overcomes that tired feeling and builds up and sustains the whole physical system. It so promptly and efficiently relieves dyspeptic symptoms and cures nervous headaches, that it seems to have almost "a magic touch."

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, aid digestion. 25c.

Commercial.

Local Market.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.
London, Saturday, Nov. 21.

Wheat, per bu	81c to 84c
Oats, per bu	17c to 24c
Peas, per bu	36c to 44c
Corn, per bu	25c to 34c
Buckwheat, per bu	24c to 29c
Rye, per bu	28c to 30c
Barley, per bu	20c to 29c
Beans, per bu	50c to 65c

There was a big turnout today for such disagreeable weather.

The receipts of grain were quite large. There was a steady demand.

Wheat sales ranged from $1 35 to $1 40.

Oats brought 67c for standard weight and 55c to 60c for common.

Peas sold from 65c to 72c.

Barley brought 45c to 60c.

No rye or buckwheat offered.

New corn was neglected at 40c to 50c.

Butter was steady at 14c to 15c by the basket, for pounds; 14c for crocks.

Eggs were quiet at 15c to 16c by the basket.

Meats sold slowly, and were unchanged in price.

Potatoes were dull at 30c to 35c by the load.

Hay was hard to sell at $7 50 to $8 50, on account of being wet.

Quotations:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, per 100 lbs	1 35	to	1 40
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 35	to	1 40
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 35	to	1 40
Oats, per 100 lbs	55	to	72
Peas, per 100 lbs	60	to	74
Corn, per 100 lbs	40	to	60
Barley, per 100 lbs	40	to	65
Rye, per 100 lbs	50	to	53
Beans, bu	50	to	65
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	50	to	60
PROVISIONS.			
Honey	8	to	12
Cheese, per lb	9	to	10
Honey	8	to	12
Eggs single dozen	17	to	18
Eggs fresh, basket, per doz	15	to	16
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	12	to	14
Butter single rolls per lb	15	to	17
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets	14	to	15
Butter per lb, large rolls or crocks	12	to	14
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins	9	to	12
Lard, per lb	9	to	9
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, quarters, per lb	3½	to	5
Mutton quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Lamb, quarter	7	to	8
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	4 50	to	5 25
Live hogs	3 25	to	3 50
Hides, No. 1, per lb	5	to	5
Hides, No. 2, per lb	4	to	4
Hides, No. 3, per lb	3	to	3
Calfskins, green	5	to	5
Calfskins, dry, each	25	to	25
Sheepskins, each	50	to	50
Lambskins, each	50	to	50
Wool, per lb	18	to	18
Tallow, rendered, per lb	3	to	3
Tallow, rough, per lb	1½	to	1½
HAY AND SEED			
Hay per ton	7 50	to	8 50
Straw, per load	2 00	to	3 50

FRESH BUCKWHEAT FLOUR.

Guaranteed absolutely pure. It is not self-rising. Add your own baking powder and know what kind you are using. Order direct from us, or your grocer will get it for you, but be sure you get OUR MAKE. 10c and 25c packages, also ½ and ¼ barrel bags.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON,
373 Talbot Street. Phone 662.

The Dairy Markets.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Nov. 20.—Cheese firm; dead poor; finest American, white and colored, September, 51s.

Butter—Finest United States, 98s; good, 60s.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 20.—Butter firm; State dairy, 11c to 19c; do, creamery, 13 1-2c to 21c; western dairy, 8c to 13c; do, creamery, 13 1-2c to 22c; do, factory, 7c to 18c; Elgins, 22c.

Cheese quiet; State large, 7 1-4c to 10 3-8c; do, small, 7 1-2c to 10 1-4c; part skims, 3 1-2c to 6 3-4c; full skims 2 1-2c to 3c.

BRANTFORD.

Brantford, Nov. 20.—At the cheese market there were offered 2,607 boxes, October and November make; 9 1-2c offered; 9 3-4c would have cleared the board; 327 boxes sold at 9 1-2c.

THE EXPORT BUTTER TRADE.

For a number of years past the British demand for Canadian butter has fallen off immediately after the close of navigation, and judging from the reports of our shippers it is likely to do so this season, unless holders make up their minds to accept lower prices, as the English market for finest grades have lately declined 5s to 8s per cwt, which probably accounts for an exporter offering to sell a round lot of October creamery in boxes in this market at 19c. This shows a reduction of 1 1-4c from the highest prices paid some time ago. The shipments of butter from this port last week were 6,742 packages, against 1,400 packages for the corresponding period last year, making the total for the season up to the close of last week 154,433 packages, showing an important increase of 86,342 boxes. The Trade Bulletin, which makes this statement, says that one dealer first held out for 20c in Montreal, but is now willing to take 19 1-4c.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Nov. 20.—Cheese, 9 1-2c to 10c.

Butter—Townships, 16c to 18c; western, 13c to 15c.

HORSE AND CATTLE FOOD

Composed of Oil Cake, Millet Seed, Cotton Seed Meal and Flax Seed Screenings making a very rich and strong food, $1 25 per 100 pounds; $1 per 100 in five sack lots. A few good Feed Bins for sale.

BART. COTTAM & CO., Talbot and Dundas Streets. tf ywt

IN THE MINDS

Of thoughtful men there's not the shadow of a doubt as to the superiority of our clothes. At other places they may look well, but have not the style and wear. We make a suit to please yourself and be the envy of an observer. See the beautiful designs for Overcoatings.

A. SLATER

Merchant Tailor,
Corner Richmond and Carling Streets. ywt

American Produce Markets.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Nov. 20.—To-day's session of the wheat market brought further and greater discomfort to the bulls than they have experienced in many days. It was believed at the close that the heavy selling was on account of a syndicate which is said to exist, and which it is claimed was a prominent factor in engineering the bulge which lately culminated. The weakness which finally resulted in the complete demoralization of today's market originated abroad. Liverpool lost 1½d to 2½d for the futures and No. 1 northern spot declined 3d. Berlin, Antwerp and Paris were all sensationally lower. During the earlier hours of the session prices were supported by the influence exerted by sales of cash wheat aggregating 200,000 bushels, but that finally lost prestige, and then the break began. December wheat opened from 76c to 76⅝c; sold between 77½c and 75½c, closing at 75½c to 75¾c—1½c to 1¾c under yesterday. Cash wheat was irregular, closing weak and nominally 1½c under yesterday. May corn declined ⅛c, but cash was firm, especially for new, which advanced 1c to 1½c. Oats were steady to a shade lower. Provisions were steady.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 Nov., 75½c; Dec., 75½c to 75¾c; May, 79½c.

Corn—No. 2 Nov., 22½c to 22¾c; Dec., 22½c to 22½c; May, 25½c to 25¾c.

Oats—No. 2 Nov., 18c; Dec., 18½c to 18¾c; May, 21½c.

Mess pork—Dec., $6 35; Jan., $7 42½; May, $7 75.

Lard—Dec., $3 67½; Jan., $3 90; May, $4 10.

Short ribs—Dec., $3 62½; Jan., $3 70; May, $3 90.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 75c to 77½c; No. 3 spring wheat, 76½c to 77c; No. 2 red, 82½c to 87½c; No. 2 corn, 22½c to 23½c; No. 2 oats, 18½c to 18¾c; No. 2 rye, 36½c to 37c; No. 2 barley, 37c; No. 1 flaxseed, 74c to 75c; prime timothy seed, $2 55; mess pork, $6 40 to $6 45; lard, $3 70 to $3 75; short rib sides, $3 50 to $3 80; dry salted shoulders, $4 25 to $4 50; short clear sides, $3 87½ to $4.

Receipts—			
Flour	7,000	Wheat	56,000
Corn	143,000	Oats	261,000
Rye	5,000	Barley	81,000

Shipments—			
Flour	11,000	Wheat	200,000
Corn	283,000	Oats	295,000
Rye		Barley	198,000

Chicago, Nov. 21—12:30 p.m.—Wheat—Dec., 75½c; May, 78½c to 79½c. Corn—May, 26⅝c; Dec., 22½c. Oats—May, 21½c; Dec., 18½c. Pork—Jan., $7 47; May, $7 80. Lard—Jan., $3 90. Ribs—Jan., $3 70.

Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 20.—Receipts of beeves, 2,136 head; steers barely steady for the best, while common and medium were easier; rough butchers' steady; poorest to best native steers, $3 75 to $4 75; stags and oxen, $2 to $4; bulls, $2 50 to $2 75; dry cows, $1 35 to $2 60; dressed beef slow at 6 1-2c to 8 1-4c for poor to prime native sides.

Cables from British market quote American steers at 10c to 10 3-4c dressed weight; American refrigerated beef, 6 1-4c to 7 5-8c; American sheep, 8c to 8 3-4c, dressed weight; no exports today; tomorrow, 970 beeves and 432 quarters of beef.

Receipts of calves, 279; prices about steady on all sorts; poor to prime veals, $4 to $6 75; grassers, $2 25 to $2 62 1-2; western calves, $3 62 1-2 to $4; dressed calves lower; city veals, 7c to 10c.

Receipts of sheep and lambs, 2,859; steady for sheep; lambs slightly firmer; poor to very choice sheep, $2 to $3 50; common to very choice lambs, $4 to $4 85; dressed mutton, 4c to 6 1-2c; dressed lambs, 7c to 8 1-2c.

Receipts of hogs, 2,500; firm at $3 50 to $4 for state hogs.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Nov. 20.—Receipts at the Toronto cattle market today, 41 cars, including 1,582 sheep and lambs, 547 hogs, 12 calves and half a dozen cows; feeling was steadier; export quiet; prices small. Nothing done in export cattle. Butchers' cattle were firm at 2c for common to 3 1-2c per pound for best; a number sold at 2 3-4c to 3c. Eleven cars were taken for the Montreal market. Stockers and feeders were in fair demand; feeders sold at $2 85 to $2 90 per cwt. Stock bulls sold at 2c to 2 1-2c per pound.

Sheep and lambs were in fair demand; good shipping sheep sold at $2 85 to $3 per cwt. Lambs were quiet at 3c to 3 1-2c per pound. Butchers' sheep were dull at $2 50 by the load.

Calves were firm at $2 to $6 each. Wild cows and springers were steady at $15 to $40 each.

Hogs were in fair demand and steady; choice selections went at $3 70 to $3 75 per cwt; thick fat at $3 50. The future of the market is uncertain, owing to the probability of changes in the tariff on hog products.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, Nov. 20—Cattle—Receipts, 12 cars; steady. Prime steers, $4 to $4 35; good butchers, $3 75 to $4 20; good to fat cows, $2 to $3.

Hogs—Receipts, 59 cars; strong. Yorkers, $3 55 to $3 60; pigs and light, $3 55 to $3 65; mixed packers, $3 40 to $3 50; heavy, $3 30 to $3 40; roughs, $2 25 to $2 60; stags, $2 25 to $2 55.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 36 cars; steady. Prime lambs, $4 25 to $4 45; fair to good, $3 55 to $3 95; culls and common, $3 25 to $3 60; good to choice mixed sheep, $3 25 to $3 50; culls and common, $1 50 to $2 25.

WARNING LESSONS

To Those Who May Attempt to Vote Illegally.

Chatham, Nov. 21.—The fall sessions of the High Court closed Thursday, with the sentencing of prisoners.

When Jas. Richards was asked if he had anything to say, he replied: "I was under the impression that I could not, without incurring a penalty of $200, refuse to give a ballot paper to anyone stating that his name was on the list, even though I knew, as in this case, that the voter was not as he represented."

His lordship said he believed him, and, while ignorance of the law was no excuse, he believed all the prisoner had said, and could not punish him under the circumstances. He was released on suspended sentence.

Wm. Branton, on the charge of personation, was sentenced to three months in the common jail. His Lordship held that he had been made the dupe of others, and did not punish him severely. He must, however, inflict a lesson that would be a warning.

One-Minute Cure for Toothache.

Magical in potency and power, penetrating at once to the diseased nerve, Nerviline—nerve pain cure—cures toothache in a moment. Nerviline, the most marvelous pain remedy known to science, may be used for all nerve pains. Test at once its efficacy.

Important Results.

The Manitoba School Settlement Eminently Fair.

A System Which Sir John Thompson Warmly Approved.

"One School for All," Religious Instruction, But Disabilities for No One.

Ottawa, Nov. 21.—The Manitoba school settlement calls for one or two comments:

First, it is in accordance with the declared intentions of the Manitoba Government.

Second, it protects the Roman Catholic children from inefficiency, while insuring religious instruction from their own Church.

Third, it extends advantages to Roman Catholics which they did not possess until 1890.

Fourth, it preserves to the province its autonomy in matters of education and leaves untouched the principle of one school for all.

The first proposition is proved by the following language, taken from the dispatch of the Manitoba Government of Dec. 20, 1895: "In amending the law from time to time, and in administering the system, it is the earnest desire to remedy every well-founded grievance and to remove every appearance of inequality or injustice that may be brought to notice, and with a view to so doing the Government and Legislature will always be ready to consider any complaint that may be made in a spirit of fairness and conciliation."

This assurance was repeated in April last. The good effect of the settlement on the Roman Catholic children will be seen by a moment's attention to the following facts. The last census showed that in 1890, when the school act was adopted, the total population of Manitoba was 152,506, of which 20,571 were Roman Catholics. The Roman Catholics were so scattered as to make a separate system of schools inadequate and very short of meeting the requirements. In Lisgar, 4,017 Catholics were distributed in 17 municipalities; in Marquette, 1,986 in 29 municipalities; in Provencher, 8,900 in 15 municipalities; in Selkirk, 3,198 in 29 municipalities; and in Winnipeg, 2,470. In many municipalities fewer than five families were scattered over a wide area. The total school population of the province was 36,459, the number of pupils on the roll 32,680, and the average attendance, 16,260. The total number of Catholic children on the rolls was 3,116, and the average attendance 2,267, distributed among 97 schools. Outside of Winnipeg, which had eleven, St. Boniface ten, and St. Norbert seven, there were only 69 separate schools in the province. With a total Catholic population of one-seventh the total Catholic school population should have been 5,208, whereas there were only 3,116 on the rolls. The rest either attended no school or the public school. Those who attended public schools had no religious instruction in their own faith, and had no teachers of their own faith; under the settlement they will, where their numbers warrant it, and their parents desire it, have both. In Winnipeg, St. Boniface, and St. Norbert there will certainly be Catholic teachers, certificated by the Department of Education. The ecclesiastical authorities will have nothing to do with the control or management of the schools. In that respect they are in the same position as they were placed by the Territories' school ordinance, which Sir John Thompson reported to council to be a perfectly just and equitable law. This settlement also gives the Protestant minority in St. Boniface, St. Albert or elsewhere the right to have a Protestant teacher where there are 25 or 40 Protestant children attending school. The settlement seems to meet with general approval here.

Mr. Beausoleil, M.P., one of the champions of the minority in the session when remedial legislation was introduced, is here, and was asked by your correspondent what he thought of the settlement. He replied cautiously: "I have not looked thoroughly into it, but it seems to be a great improvement on the present condition of things."

OPERA AT THE ASYLUM

Girofle-Girofla Presented by the Thorne Opera Company—A Good Performance.

The Thorne Opera Company last evening presented the comic opera of "Girofle-Girofla" at the Asylum in a manner that was very creditable to themselves and very entertaining to the 500 patients, employes, and employes' families, who had assembled to hear them.

Miss Marion Le Clair as Girofle made a decided hit, singing her part with a peculiar sweetness and roundness of tone which showed careful training.

Miss Alice Galbraith's rendering of the part of Aurora was very fine, her regal style suiting her nicely to this difficult character.

Mr. Will Thorne sustained the part of Bolero in fine shape, giving a vigor to the lines and a funniness to the acting that was greatly appreciated by the audience.

Mr. J. D. Raymond, as Mirisquin, was good. He sang some of his numbers with a heartiness and a clearness that brought reward for his efforts several times in the form of applause.

Mr. Hamilton Nicholls, as Maurzouk, was received with laughter and applause every time he showed his face, his ferocious get-up being simply immense.

Mr. Redfern, as musical director, kept the singers well under control, and showed great ability as an accompanist. The chorus, though small, did its work very acceptably.

THE MEDICINE FOR LIVER AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.—Mr. Victor Auger, Ottawa, writes: "I take great pleasure in recommending to the general public Parmelee's Pills as a cure for Liver and Kidney complaint. I have doctored for the last three years with leading physicians, and have taken many medicines that were recommended to me without relief, but after taking eight of Parmelee's Pills I was quite relieved, and now I feel as free from the disease as before I was troubled."

The Mississippi negroes are said to have had a very prosperous season in cotton raising. They will have more cash money this winter than before in ten years and are paying up their debts rapidly.

Use Kur-a-Kof, the cough and cold cure, 25c, at Anderson & Nelles' Drug Store. ywt

Visited the Coves.

Board of Works Members Look Over the Ground There

To See How Much Sewerage Work Can Be Done by Day Labor—Engineers Consulting—City Hall Notes.

The members of the board of works, excepting Ald. Cooper, accompanied by the city engineer, paid a visit to the Coves yesterday, and tramped through mud and marsh for the benefit of the public. Their object was to ascertain how much of the sewerage work at the Coves could be done by day labor. It seemed to the committee that day labor would be feasible for a good deal of the work there. Nothing can be done for some time, as the pipe has to be manufactured and shipped after it is ordered.

Willis Chipman, C.E., is in the city, consulting with the city engineer on the sewerage plans. Engineers Graydon, Chipman and Ashbridge visited the west end of King street today. It is proposed to run the main pipes over the river at this point, if the topography is satisfactory. A deep cutting will have to be made in the King street hill.

The next section of sewerage work for which tenders will be called is the Wharncliffe road. The cuttings will have to be very deep, as a large portion of South London sewers will drain into this pipe.

CITY HALL NOTES.

A few non-resident contractors are figuring on the sewerage plans. One is from Manitoba and another from Chicago.

Taxes are coming in slowly, but a rush is expected towards the end of the month. "We will issue warrants for unpaid taxes, ten days after Nov. 30," said Tax Collector McCoubrey today.

Hon. Clifford Sifton, the new Minister of the Interior, was once a pupil under Mr. C. A. Kingston, city clerk, when the latter was on the faculty of the Dundas Wesleyan Institute.

None of the South street ratepayers who were granted a rebate of sewer taxes have yet applied to the city treasurer for the money.

DOING GOOD WORK.

The Y. W. C. T. U.—A Choral Class—The Large Attendance.

At the regular meeting of the Y. W. C. T. U., held in their rooms Thursday afternoon, the reports of the work for September and October were presented.

The Bible class commenced its meetings for the season in October, Mrs. Kennedy kindly consenting to act again as its leader.

Educational classes in grammar, composition, reading and spelling have been arranged for those who wish to take advantage of them.

A choral class has been organized under the able leadership of Mrs. F. H. Moore. The class is making good progress, and will at any time welcome others who wish to join with them on Thursday evenings.

The annual meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held in October, and one Saturday evening was spent in listening to the reports of the delegates to the Y. W. C. A. conference in Hamilton. Many useful hints were gleaned, not only of the methods of work of other associations, but of the progress of the Y. W. C. A. throughout the Dominion, as well as in its world-wide extension.

A fruit social was held in September, and Hallowe'en was celebrated right royally.

The first of the series of Saturday evening "Talks" was given by Dr. Woolverton, on his trip to the "Soo," describing the scenery and historic associations of Mackinac Island and other points of interest. Geological specimens were exhibited, and their formations explained.

The total attendance at the rooms for the two months has been 2,754; at the evening meetings, 616; at the lunch hour, 1,158, and during the day, 2,138.

SUICIDED IN CHURCH.

Montreal, Nov. 21.—The wife of Alphonse Leduc, gardener, 477 Seigneurs street, committed suicide in the St. James' Cathedral by taking paris green. She died at the Notre Dame Hospital. She was 27 years of age. Domestic trouble was the cause.

BIG GAME.

St. Thomas, Nov. 21.—A large gray timber wolf, together with five handsome deer, were secured by a St. Thomas party which has just returned from the Parry Sound district, viz.: G. Fenwick, T. Fitzgerald, C. Hammond, D. Dewar, E. Wilson, P. Carter and W. Wardell. The wolf was shot by George Fenwick, while two of them were lying in wait for a deer. Mr. Fenwick could get $10 bounty on the animal by showing the ears, but prefers not to mutilate his prize. The party have been absent since Oct. 28.

THE TILBURY DROWNING.

Tilbury, Nov. 21.—In regard to the drowning on Wednesday of the 2-year-old girl of Leon Bouche, living on the 9th concession, and Richardson sideroad, of Tilbury North, by falling in an uncovered well, the following facts are given: The parents at the time were absent at a neighbor's husking corn, and a 10-year-old sister of the unfortunate child was the only witness of the accident. She ran for assistance, but it was half an hour before help arrived, and the body was cold in death before recovered.

You may eat cheap food and not be seriously hurt by it; but you cannot take cheap medicines without positive injury. If you use any substitute for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, you do so at the peril of your health, perhaps of your life. Insist on having Ayer's, and no other.

A rainfall of six and a sixteenth inches was recorded at Trieste recently in twelve hours.

Fever and Ague and Bilious Derangements are positively cured by the use of Parmelee's Pills. They not only cleanse the stomach and bowels from all bilious matter, but they open the excretory vessels, causing them to pour copious effusions from the blood into the bowels, after which the corrupted mass is thrown out by the natural passage of the body. They are used as a general family medicine with the best results.

HIS MOTTO.

A boy walked into a London merchant's office in search of a situation. After being put through a series of questions by the merchant, he was asked: "Well, my lad, what is your motto?"

"Same as yours, sir," he replied. "Same as you have on your door—push."

He was engaged.

S. & J.

THE WEATHER TODAY: Mostly fair; sleet or snow at night.

S. & J.

A Letter...

TO MRS. —— AND FAMILY:

Dear Madam,—You know it doesn't cost so much to be in style as it used to. That's why so many young ladies are dressing so fashionably and comfortably. It used to be that the rich alone could afford to wear WARM, STYLISH FURS. That day has passed, thanks to our method of buying and selling at close cash prices. Even the little ones, as you have doubtless noticed, have ceased to wear the superannuated garments of older members of the family. It doesn't pay now to make them over. Brand new and stylish Furs are being sold in large quantities by us, and you are aware that if we persisted in asking the old-time prices we wouldn't sell so many, and there would be less comfort among the people. We append a few prices for your consideration. These goods are all reliable, and if you should not be perfectly satisfied with the same you can have your money back.

WHITE LAMBSWOOL BOAS—Very nice quality at 25c each.

WHITE LAMB BOAS—Children's sets complete at $3 60—Muff, Boa and Cap.

HANDSOME MINK RUFFS—Good value at $3 25, our price $2 50.

ALASKA SABLE RUFFS—Very nice long fur, easily worth $5, our price $3 90.

FRENCH SABLE SETS—Muff and Ruff at $9 50; will break sets if necessary.

ARCTIC SABLE MUFFS—Very rich effects, good value at $6, our price $4 75.

GRAY LAMB RUFFS—For girls, $1 50; Muffs to match $2.

CHINCHILLA RUFFS—Nice long fur, three tails, at $1 25.

WARM COON SETS—Fine Muff, $3 25, Ruff, $3.

BABY CARRIAGE RUGS—Goat Rugs at $1 85; Bleached White Lambswool, $3 25; Bleached White Lambswool, two pieces, $4 50 set.

In addition to the above we are making a very special offer in our ever attractive millinery department. It is a lot of Stylish Felt Hats, all this season's shapes, at.. ..... **20C**

These are worth from 50c to $1 25, and you can select from brown, gray, blue, red, black and green. This is a very special offer. We don't think any store has ever offered such wonderful value. Our business is so big it takes us all our time to look after it. No time to attend to any one's business but our own. Yours respectfully,

Smallman & Ingram,

149 AND 151 DUNDAS STREET.

Thanked by the Queen.

Canadians Complimented on the Kind of Fruit They Raise.

Her Majesty Enjoyed the Present Sent Her From the Hamilton District

London, Nov. 21.—The Canadian High Commissioner, Sir Donald Smith, has received the following note from the Queen's Private Secretary, Lieut.-Col. Sir Arthur J. Biggs, dated Windsor Castle:

"I am commanded by the Queen to beg you to be good enough to arrange that her Majesty's best thanks be conveyed to those fruit growers of the neighborhood of Hamilton, Canada, who kindly offered, through you, for her Majesty's acceptance, a beautiful consignment of their year's crop, which the Queen is glad to hear has been unusually large and excellent in quality. The cases were received yesterday by the Master of the Household. Their contents were in perfect condition, and some of the fruit, served at her Majesty's dinner, proved excellent.

"Thanking you for the trouble you have taken to insure the delivery of the fruit, I am, etc."

Definitely Decided.

Date Set for the Visit of the Tariff Commission.

Secretary Nelles Will Look After the Reception.

Secretary Nelles, of the Board of Trade, has received word that the Ministers forming the Tariff Commission, will be in London on Dec. 3.

From Hamilton they will go back to Toronto for a few days and then come here.

Mr. Nelles has charge of the arrangements for their reception, and he will allot to the various committees the time for meeting the Ministers.

WHO IS HE?

Cuban Advices Say a Canadian Has Been Murdered in Cienfuegos.

London, Nov. 21.—Cuban advices received here say that a Canadian was murdered at Cienfuegos, Province of Santa Clara, at the end of October. The man's name is said to be Dalbrigeon.

According to the statements made, three men entered his house, and being informed that Dalbrigeon was not well, forced an entrance into his bedroom and shot him dead.

One version of the affair attributes the murder to the insurgents, and another version says it was the work of the Spaniards. The general Government of Spain is investigating the matter.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 21.—The attention of high officials of the Dominion Government having been called to the rumor of murder of their countryman, a demand will be made for a strict and impartial investigation that shall not stop short of a refutation of the report or of reparation for the wrong if it is proved to have been done. The Imperial Government will be invoked to aid the colonial authorities to obtain justice if necessary.

DISASTROUS FIRE.

Antwerp, Nov. 21.—A disastrous fire has occurred in the market known as La Cite. A number of stores and houses have been destroyed, and the damage done is estimated at $300,000.

AFLOAT AGAIN.

Rotterdam, Nov. 21.—The Netherlands-American steamer Spaardam, which grounded on Thursday in a fog near Maassluis, about ten miles from this city, was floated yesterday after her cargo had been practically discharged. Her passengers were landed the day s he went ashore.

DEATH OF SIR B. W. RICHARDSON

London, Nov. 21.—Sir Benjamin Ward Richardson, M.D., F.R.S., etc., honorary physician to the Royal Literary Fund, the Newspaper Press Fund, and the National Society of School Masters, is dead, aged 68 years. He was a member of a number of prominent societies. He had been president of the Medical Society of London, and was 32 times president of the St. Andrew's Medical Graduates' Association. He succeeded Lord Jervis Woode as assessor for the General Council in the University Court of St. Andrew's, and held that office for nearly sixteen years. He knighted in 1893.

Random Shots.

A Boy Accidentally Kills His Father.

Lad Shot Dead While He Was Rabbit Hunting.

Charing Cross, Nov. 21.—While Geo. Giddis and his son were out shooting quail in Raleigh township, the boy's gun was accidentally discharged, the father being shot in the face. Although over 70 shot hit him he will recover.

Grand Valley, Nov. 21.—Joseph Hunter, the 18-year-old son of James Hunter, an East Garafraxa farmer, went to Waldemar for a day's rabbit shooting, and accidentally shot himself in the abdomen, dying before his companion, a boy, could bring help.

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