

## Produce and Provisions.

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ambucco for Messrs. Hickman & ped out to market. man from Catalina to Malaga by salted trout from the Harmony. Swyers, 3,014 quintals by schooner PORK.—The Pork market is quiet

dland is limited, and those who day, Mess, \$38.00, Ham Butt, \$56.00, hold can, in most cases, afford Fat Back, \$44. so till the conditions improve. CODLIVER OIL.-There is very in-

Grape Fruit.

Lemons.

California Oranges

by the box or doz.

Local Tomatoes.

PAN YAN PICKLES.

MACONOCHIE'S PICKLES.

H. P. SAUCE.

Almeria Grapes, 20 & 30c. Ib

"OK" Mackintosh Red Apples

16.622 qintals. The schooner about 5,000 cases (48 one pound tins) be, small till after New Year. laabert took 6,857 to Bahia for yet in Newfoundland, 3,000 in St. dessrs. Job Bros., the Mary Hannigar John's and 2,000 in the outports, 155 to West Indies for Barr and chiefly on the West Coast. About an Bidel, the J. N. Rafuse 4,572 to Per- equal quantity has already been ship-

and the Hazel J. Myra 3,038 quin- TROUT. - The barrelled trout for various shippers to Barbados. brought from Labrador in the S.S. n the outports there was shipped Harmony, were sold by auction at C. otal of 18,171 quintals, viz:-4,889 F. Bennett's wharf yesterday. The tals by schooner E. D. Bailey, to 1525 barrels were bought by Messrs. aga from W. J. Moore, Carbonear, A. E. Hickman (700 barrels), and W. quintals by schooner Review A. Munn (825 barrels) at prices m Bonne Bay to Halifax by Far- ranging from \$4.00 to \$8.00. This is & Co., 3,915 quintals, schooner about half the price of last year's

don from Spencer's Cove to this week. Trading in "futures" on orto by J. Sellars, and 4,827 quin- the Chicago market, as indicated by by schooner John Llewellyn from Cables received by the Board of am ofr Oporto by Harvey & Trade here, shows slight declines all This added to the St. John's ex- the week. Mess Pork, always regardgives a grand total of 35,098 ed as the great "fall seller for the outports, is now being quoted as a COMMON COD OIL. There is very very low figure compared with pork le doing in either the local or for- prices of the past four years. Ham gn market. Prices have declined, Butt continues scarce and the local ter the turn of the year it is ex- market is almost bare of this cut. The the usual demand will arise same applies to Family Mess, which part of the United States and has been practically unobtainable in an Leather Manufacturers, and the American market for some time. the price will improve accord. Spare Ribs is now the great seller The quantity held in New- amongst the grocers. Prices are to-

BEEF.—The Beef Market shows considerable strength this week. lowing: rent demand these days, and the Cables received Tuesday quote high now offered is below the cost grade beef at an advance of \$2.00 a roduction. Conditions are ex- barrel. Poorer grades, although not ted to improve in the course of the showing the same advance, have still ter and a price to be offered that a firmer tendency. There has been pay those who are holding Re- a fair movement of Boneless this raw products, that the continued fall oil. There are some indica- week to supply the now limited dens of improvement this week as per mand of the outport trade. Local determined effort on the part of provision dealers report on the whole, LOBSTERS.—Advices from New unprecedented dullness in their lines

k to dealers here this week, in- at a season of the year when the

trade should be at its best. We quote Lost in a London Tunnel. Soneless \$31.00 to \$32.00, Plate \$25.00,

special Family \$38.00. FLOUR.—There has been some a tivity in flour this week, and a total of 73,985 barrels were landed here by and Canadian Miner up to Friday. resterday. The local market price

months progress.

MOLASSES.—Information received the normal, and planters are alarmed over the prospect of such poor returns. This fact together with our short importations of 1920 molasses, means high priced molasses again next spring.

Edward Island's advanced this week the shipments arriving are, and will

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## **Check Upon Credit** Needed in Canada.

The monthly circular of the Canadian Bank of Commerce has the fel-

The industrial and commercial situation in Canada is influenced to so great an extent by the movement of commodity markets in the United States, particularly those of domestic in cotton and wool, combined with a growers to hold their stocks for higher prices, cannot fail to have an unsteadying effect upon Canadian

The prospect of a further decline in commodity prices continues to favor conservative buying. Other factors in determining this attitude control from the marketing of improducts, and the feverish movements of foreign eexchange On the other hand there are some reassuring factors. Immigration continues to increase, the greater number coming from British territory. Meanwhile United States farmers continue to take up holdings in Western Canada, where land values are firm with a de cidedly upwards tendency, as is also

the case in Eastern Canada. The bank statement for September shows an increase in current loans in Canada of \$32,000,000 over the August figures, while demand deposits increased by \$37,000,000 and notice deposits by \$9,000,000. It is only to be expected that during the cropmoving season the banks will be called upon for substantial advances, but the steady increase which has taken place in the amount of current loans in Canada for some months past, in spite of the evident slackening in a number of manufacturing and trade activities and the recent lowering of prices, indicates the necessity of some curtailment of credit in order that the country may avoid the dangers of over-expansion. A seasonal increase of \$4,000,000 has

taken place in note circulation.

extends from King's Cross to Gower Street Station on the Underground the Rosalind, Lady of Gaspe, Corunna, Railway, near the signal box, the signalman observed the form of an old Wheat has been declining gradually man tottering towards him about in Canada all the week and March | nine o'clock one night in November Wheat was as low as \$1.75% a bushel 1876. He was wet to the skin with water that had run down the walls for leading brands is down to \$15.00 of the tunnel, against which he had and \$15.30, and following the Can- squeezed himself to escape the pass adian decline will be lower as the ing trains. The King's Cross inspector was sent for, and Jones, for that SUGAR.—We are glad to find that was his name, was taken to the stathe Government has decided not to tion, and thence to St. Pancras Workgamble any further in Sugar, with house, to which he belonged. He had, the expectation of recouping the Food it appears, obtained special leave to Control Board for their losses. These visit some friends at Irongate Wharf, losses in the final analysis must be and had booked from King's Cross and corne by the consumer, and the logical back. On the return journey, a genand legitimate way to make up to tleman in the compartment appear them would be to increase the tariff ed to take an interest in him, and just on sugar. This is the function of a after they had passed Gower Street Government, and the actual trading Station, asked where he was going. in and importing of sugar should be On saying that he was going to St. left to sugar importers. Raw sugar Pancras Workhouse, the gentleman is now down to 61/4 cents in New said, "Oh, you ought to have got out York, which means 94 cents for Re- at Gower Street, it is much nearer. fined. This would sell here for about On reaching the King's Cross Station, 15 cents. The F. C. B. on Thursday and getting out, the old man asked decided to reduce the prices of con- the gentleman which was the way to trolled sugar by \$4.75 per 100 lbs. to Gower Street, and the latter pointing hold for three months. This will the way to the tunnel through which mean about \$24 wholesale per 100 lbs. the train had just come, said, "That way." Jones went in that direction, from Barbados this week is to the and finding there was an incline effect that the new crop of canes is leading under the arch, went down In bad shape and is many weeks' be- it, and though he found it getting hind in growth. The indication is darker and darker, yet seeing what he that the coming crop will be only half thought were lights in the distance, he proceeded, as he knew there were railway arches in the Pancras Road. As he went on, finding there were trains running backwards and forwards, he became bewildered; but, for safety, he crouches close to the wall POTATOES .- The price of Prince of the tunnel, and frequently had the greatest difficulty in escaping, as he 10 cents a bushel, and will, if import- felt that many of the trains touched ed have to sell here at \$5.00 per sack him as they went by. He believed dicate a prospect of better demand of 180 lbs. As the home grown are there must have been as many as two for tinned Lobsters next month. At now plentiful all over Newfoundland hundred trains pass and repass him the present time it is impossible to and are selling in the Outports at \$3.00 during the time he was in the tun-Saturday's Trade Review.) self Lobsters in St. John's, and as a and in St. John's at \$4.00, there is nel; but in this, of course, he was CODFISH.—The exports of dry cod- "fend off" price, the exporters name not much demand for imported, and mistaken. Finding that his end was certain, he prayed and sang to allay his fears. He did not know where he was going, but presently he saw a man with a lantern, and felt his deliverance was at hand. He hastened towards the man with all the speed his exhausted state allowed, and fortunately, at the same time, the man saw him. He was perfectly sober, and could not account for getting into the

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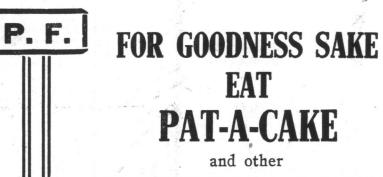
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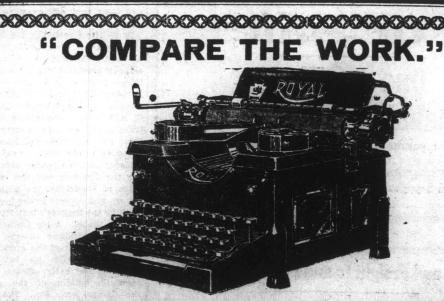
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