

of prices may be noted for over a month, and we think but slight changes will take place during some months, as no serious additions to stocks can be looked for in this advanced season of the year. We quote: *Pig Iron*, Eglinton & Clyde, per ton of 2240 lbs., Canbroe, \$21.00 to 21.50; Summerlee & Calder, \$23 to 23.50; Langloan & Gartslerie, \$23 to 23.50; American, \$26 to 28; Hematite, \$30 to 31. *Bar*, per 100 lbs.—Scotch and Staffordshire, \$2.30 to 2.50; best do., \$2.55 to 2.75; Swedes & Norway, \$5 to 5.50; Lowmoor and Bowling, \$6.50 to 7. *Canada Plates*, per Box—Swansen, \$4.60 to 4.70, or Penn., \$4.60 to 4.70; Arrow, \$4.75 to 5.00; Hutton, \$4.25 to \$4.50. *Tin Plates*, per box.—Charcoal IC, \$3.50 to 0.00; ditto IX, \$10.50 to 11.00; ditto DC, \$1.75 to 8.25; Coke IC, \$7.25 to 7.50; 14 x 20, 25c. extra. *Tinned Sheets*—Charcoal best No. 25, 14c. *Galvanised Sheets*—best brands No. 28, 9c. to 9½c. *Hoops and Bands* per 100 lbs., \$3 to 3.25. *Boiler Plates*, ordinary brands, \$3.25 to 3.50; *Russian Sheet Iron* per lb. 16c. to 17c.; *Cut Nails* 2d Lath, \$1.75; ditto, 2½d to 4d; shingle \$3.95; ditto, 5d to 10d, \$3.45, ditto 12d and larger \$3.15; 100 keg lots, 5 per cent. discount. *Out nails* patent Chisel-pointed 25c. extra. *Pressed Spikes* \$4.25 to 5; Shot Canadian \$7 to 7.25. *Lead*—per 100 lbs. Pig, \$6.50; do sheets \$6.50; do Bar, \$6.50. *Steel*, cast—per lb. 13c to 14c. Spring per 100 lbs. \$5.00 to 5.60; Sleigh Shoe \$3.75 to 4.00; Tire ditto, \$4.25 to 4.50. *Ingot Tin*, 24c. to 25c.; *Ingot Copper*, 23c. to 24c. *Horse Shoes* per 100 lbs., \$5 to 5.25. *Proved Coil Chain* 7in., \$8.00 to 6.50. *Anchor*, 7c. to 8c.; *Anvils* 10 to 12c. *Iron Wire*, per bd., \$2.50 to 2.60; *Window Glass*, 25 up to united inches, \$3.20 to 2.30; up to 40 inches \$2.40 to \$3.50; up to 50 inches, \$2.80 to \$2.90.

LEATHER.—Since our last report the market has been fairly active, both in sole leather and measured stock. But prices still rule low, concessions having to be made to buyers. It is to be expected that next month will be a dull one, owing to the fact that manufacturers take stock on the 1st December, and are desirous of running down their supply of material as low as possible before that date. Spanish and Slaughter move in comparatively small lots; little or nothing doing in Buffalo. Buff has been sold in fair parcels but at reduced rates. Prices of other goods as quoted in our Prices Current.

LIQUORS.—No change in prices or movements since our last review. We quote *Brandy*: Hennessy's, \$2.60 to 2.75; Martell's per gal., \$2.60; Otard, Dupuy & Co., 2.30; Pinet, Castillon & Co., 2.30 to 2.50; *Vine Growers' Co.*, 2.30; *Dulany*, Bellemey & Co., 2.30; *Jules Robin's*, 2.30; *J. Denis, H. Mounie & Co.*, 2.30, in cases; per doz., 6.00 to 15.00; *Jamaica Rum*, 16 o. p., per gal. 2.25 to 2.30; *Hollands Gin*, 1.60 to 1.75; *Green Gin*, 3.75 to 4.00. *Red Gin*, 7.25 to 7.50; *Alcohol* 60 o. p., 57c per Im. gal.; 65 o. p., 62½c. per Imp. gal.; *Rye Whiskey*, 34c. per Im. gal. in bond; *Eng. Ale* per doz., 2.50 to 2.70; *Eng. Porter*, 2.50 to 2.70; *Dublin Porter*, quarts, 2.50 to 2.70; pints, 1.50 to 1.70; *Montreal East India* quarts, 1.15 to 1.24; *Montreal East India* pints, 70c. to 75c.

LUMBER.—There is no change in the lumber trade this week, stocks are heavy and are still accumulating. Prices are about the same as last week, but the demand here has been almost nominal. Some shipments continue to be made from the Ottawa section to the States. Prices at Quebec: *Pine deals*, 1st quality, \$90 per Quebec standard; 2nd do, \$56do; 3rd do, \$28 00 *Spruce deals* 1st quality; \$32.00 do. 2nd do. \$24 do; 3rd do, \$16 do with little demand. Prices at Montreal shipping culls \$8 per m. feet. *Spruce Sidings* \$8 do. *Pine*—Common boards and scantling, \$10 to \$16 per m; *Clear lumber*, \$30 to \$45; *First quality lumber*, \$30 to \$35; *Third-class*, three inch deals, \$30 to \$36 per m, surface measure; *Oull deals*, \$18 to \$24 do.; do. dressed, \$35 to \$40 do.; 2 by 1 inch furrings, \$4 per 100 pieces; *Laths*, \$1.30 to 1.50 per m; *Spruce lumber*, \$10 to \$12 per m feet; *Spruce deals*, \$24 per m feet, surface measure; *Hemlock lumber*, \$9 to \$11 per m feet; long pine

lumber, for building purposes, \$18 to \$34, according to length and size; long hemlock lumber is \$3 less per m feet than pine. Dressed lumber—1 inch boards, \$18 to \$20 per m feet; do. 1½ inch roofing, \$20 do.; do. 1½ inch flooring, \$20 to \$24 do.; do. 1½ inch flooring, \$26 to \$30 do.; do. 2 inch flooring, \$28 to \$34 do. **OILS.**—There is a firmer tone in Cod Oil, and we learn that there will be very few further shipments of any consequence to this port before the close of navigation, so that we must look for an advance shortly. The quantity at present in the market is much below the stock of former years, but the stagnation in the leather trade will tend to keep prices rather lower than would otherwise be the case. There is no change to note in other fish oils. *Olive Oil* is firm at quotations, and the English market, which is very bare of this article, shows a slight advance.

Naval Stores.—Turpentine continues firm at the advance, and may be quoted at 54c. to 55c. Rosins, Pitch and Tar unchanged with moderate demand. Paints without change.

Provisions.—The demand for provisions generally is but small in sympathy with other branches of trade, but we note a good demand for some kinds. *Butter*—There is a good demand for fine late fall made Butter. Township, 21½c. to 22½c.; Brockville and Morrisburg, 21c. to 22c.; Western not much enquired for, 17c to 20c. *Cheese*—The demand for good fall continues brisk at 10½c. to 11c., and for first-class at 11½c. A large stock of early made in the market for which almost any price would be taken. *Pork* is in rather less demand owing to the depression in the Lumber trade, and prices are a shade lower. New Mess (inspected), \$23.75 to \$24.25, and Thin mess remains unaltered at \$22. *Beef*—In moderate request at old prices, \$15.50 to \$16.00. *Lard* scarcer and in great demand at old rates, tierces 15c., pails 15½c. *Eggs* in very good demand, and market almost bare of stock, 19c. to 20c. *Hops*—Brewers are pretty well supplied now, the market well stocked, 11c. to 15c. *Salt*—The importations are a little larger than were expected, and in consequence prices from wharf are easier though in store firm, as better prices must obtain. *Liverpool* coarse, 65c. to 70c.; *Pine*, 80c.; *Factory filled*, \$1.25 to \$1.35 according to brand.

SEEDS.—White Beans, \$1.20 per bush; Timothy \$2.75 do. Clover, 10c. per lb.

TALLOW.—Rough, 4½c. to 5½c. per lb.; do rendered, 7½c. to 8c. and 8½c. per lb.

WOOL.—The mills still remain closed and stocks are accumulating. Some offerings are made at a shade lower, still in the absence of demand we consider the price nominal. We quote as follows:—Fleeces, 30c. to 35c.; pulled super, 30c. to 35c.; do. medium, 28c. to 32c.; do. No. 1 quality, 26c. to 28c.; do. black, 26c. to 32c.

EXPORTS.

Comparative statement of Exports at the Port of Montreal to Great Britain, Ireland, Halifax, Picton, St. John, Prince Edward's Island, St. John's, N. F., Marcellis, Havana, Boston, Montevideo, Buenos Ayres, Australia, &c., 1 Jan. to 28 Oct., inclusive.

	1874.	1875.
Ashes.....	14,267	13,587
Bacon.....	27,459	13,728
Barley.....	1,499	1,341
Butter.....	80,693	100,440
Cheese.....	339,659	426,484
Corn.....	2,568,731	1,617,484
Flour.....	485,192	362,987
Lard.....	48,380	19,244
Oats.....	35,029	153,507
Pens.....	1,403,837	1,386,356
Pork.....	8,587	6,337
Wheat.....	7,205,174	6,473,131

REMARKS.

Ashes.—Decrease compared with last year 650 brls. Exports for the week, 374 brls. Pot, Pearl. *Bacon.*—Decrease, 13,731 brs. Exports for the week, 168 boxes. *Barley.*—Decrease, 198 bush. receipts

Butter.—Increase in exports, 19,744 tubs. Exports for the week, 10,302 tubs.

Cheese.—Increase in exports, 86,825 boxes. Exports for the week, 22,921 boxes.

Corn.—Decrease in exports, 951,347 bus. Exports for the week, 104,185.

Flour.—Decrease in exports, 122,205 brls. Exports for the week, 27,545 brls.

Lard.—Decrease, 29,136 brls. Exports, 15 brls.

Oats.—Increase in exports, 118,478 bush. Exports for the week, 300.

Pork.—Decrease in exports, 2,250 brls. Exports for the week, 90 brls.

Pens.—Decrease in exports, 17,481 bush. Exports for the week, 90,162 bush.

Wheat.—Decrease in exports, 731,743 bushels. Exports for the week, 297,301 bush.

The S.S. "Quebec" arrived off Father Point at 4 a.m. on Wednesday. 15 cabin and 20 steerage passengers.

The mail for England, per S.S. "Prussian," will be closed at the Post Office at 7 p.m. on Friday 29th inst.

S.S. "Gamma," Luckhurst, Master, from London, passed Father Point 3.45 p.m. on Wednesday. All well.

Per S.S. Polynesian.

(From the London Shipping and Mercantile Gazette, from the 11th to the 14th Oct.)

SAILED FOR GASPE.

Ezel, Rendel, Cadiz, Oct. 2.

ENTERED OUT FOR MONTREAL.

Quebec (s), Thearle, London, Oct. 14.

ARRIVED FROM THE SAGUENAY.

Thorsberg, Larsen, Southampton, Oct. 12. Sarah, Kepping, London, Oct. 13.

ARRIVED FROM MONTREAL.

Derwent (s), Gravesend, Oct. 9. Sneider, Anderson, Queenstown, Oct. 9. Sarah Ellen, Dublin, Oct. 9. Nathanja, Mekkleon, Gloucester, Oct. 12. Mustang, Birkland, Gloucester, Oct. 12. Marina (s), Glasgow, Oct. 12. Larkspur, Dublin, Oct. 11. Palestine (s), Liverpool, Oct. 12. St. Lawrence (s), Hyde, London, Oct. 13. Richard Mandell, Danielson, Gloucester, Oct. 13. Pomona, Johnson, Queenstown, Oct. 12. Esra, Jorgeson, Gravesend, Oct. 13. Sindemann, Dublin, Oct. 13.

BELLEVILLE CHEESE MARKET.

Oct. 26th.—2300 boxes of Cheese were shipped to-day; August, 10c to 10½; Sept. and Oct. 10½ to 11c.

IMPORTERS.

Comparative statement of Imports at the Port of Montreal from 1st Jan. to 28th October in each year, inclusive.

	1874.	1875.
Ashes.....	14,363	15,706
Bacon.....	5,302	29
Barley.....	45,451	84,600
Butter.....	78,956	106,321
Cheese.....	330,999	473,896
Flour.....	875,545	842,680
Indian Corn.....	2,464,835	1,719,941
Lard.....	27,935	315
Oats.....	160,642	132,123
Pens.....	817,201	880,506
Pork.....	20,919	20,642
Wheat.....	7,392,929	7,340,884

REMARKS.

Ashes.—Increase compared with last year, 1,343 brls. Receipts for the week, 257 brls. Pot, 20 brls. Pearl. *Bacon.*—Decrease in receipts, 6,273 boxes. Receipts for the week.