

s, rice, and tobacco without a fair, healthy demand for potatoes are firm at \$1.15 to \$1.20 per bushel, the former at \$1.70 to \$1.80, scarce, \$7.00 a case being

SHOES.—The leather market there is no expectation of, after the holidays, when should begin pretty freely, as

NOTICE

will be made to the Parliament session, for an act to incorporate the "York County Bank," carrying on the business of banking in the city of Toronto.

R. M. WELLS,
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TISH CANADIAN
Investment Co., Ltd.

END NO. 24.

that a Dividend at the rate of 5 per centum on the Paid-up Capital, for the half-year ending 31st March 1889, has been declared, and that the same will be payable on

of January next. The books will be closed from 31st March 1889, inclusive. By order of the

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DISTRICTS.

shoe men as a rule express gratification at the amount of spring orders booked so far. English mail advices just to hand report a better demand, with some reduction in stocks, but no notable advance as yet. Local prices are stationary. We quote:—Spanish sole, B.A., No. 1, 19 to 22c.; do., No. 2, B.A., 16 to 19c.; No. 1, ordinary Spanish, 19 to 20c.; No. 2 ditto, 16 to 17c.; No. 1, China, 18 to 19c.; No. 1 slaughter, 22 to 23c.; No. 2 do. 20 to 21c.; American oak sole, 39 to 43c.; British oak sole, 40 to 45c.; waxed upper, light and medium, 30 to 34c.; ditto, heavy, 24 to 30c.; grained, 28 to 32c.; Scotch grained, 30 to 33c.; splits, large, 16 to 22c.; do. small, 12 to 18c.; calf-splits, 32 to 33c.; calfskins (35 to 46 lbs.), 35 to 55c.; imitation French calfskins, 65 to 75c.; russet sheepskin linings, 30 to 40c.; harness, 20 to 25c.; buffed cow, 11 to 13c.; pebbled cow, 10 to 14c.; rough, 16 to 21c.; russet and bridle, 45 to 55c.

METALS AND HARDWARE.—There is comparatively little doing, but there are no elements of weakness apparent in the market, rather the contrary. In iron, Scotch warrants are cabled at 61s. 7d., Middlesbro' 62s. 3d., while makers' prices are firm, and this in the face of a dear money market and the holiday dullness. Local quotations of pig iron are unchanged; bar very firm, and \$2.75 asked for British bar; hoops and bands are up to \$3.00; galvanized iron is cabled dearer by £1 a ton, and local quotations are up a quarter of a cent; zinc also cabled as advanced and we put up quotation a quarter cent; spelter \$6.00 stiff, and antimony very firm at 20c.; copper very strong in

New York, but still selling at 14½c. here in quantity. Plates of all kinds are as last quoted, though tin plates are advancing in England. We quote:—Coltness, none here; Calder, No. 1, \$27.00, and none here; Calder, No. 3, \$26; Langloan, \$28.00; Summerlee, \$28.00; Eglington and Dalmellington \$25; Gartsherrie, \$27.50; Carnbroe, \$26; Shotts, \$27.00; Middlesboro, No. 1, none here and cannot be got; No. 3, none; cast scrap, railway chairs, &c., \$22; machinery scrap, \$20; common ditto, \$14; bar iron, \$2.50 to \$2.60 for Canadian, British \$2.75; best refined, \$3.00. The products of the Londonderry Iron Company we quote as follows: Siemens' pig No. 1, \$26.50 to 27.00; Acadia bar, \$2.40; Siemens' bar, \$2.60; these figures for round lots. Canada Plates—Blaina, \$3.00 to 3.15. Tern roofing plate, 20x28, \$8.25 to 8.50. Black sheet iron, No. 28, \$3.50. Tin plates—Bradley charcoal, \$6.50; charcoal I.C., \$4.65 to 4.75; do. I.X., \$5.90 to 6.00; coke I.C., \$4.25; coke wasters, \$4.00; galvanized sheets, No. 28, ordinary brands, 5½c.; Morewood, 7c.; tinned sheets, coke, No. 24, 6½c.

No. 26, 7c.; the usual extra for large sizes. Hoops and bands, per 100 lbs. \$3.00; Staffordshire boiler plate, \$2.75; common sheet iron, \$3.00; steel boiler plate, \$3.50; heads, \$4; Russian sheet iron, 10½c.; lead per 100 lbs., pig, \$4.00; sheet, \$4.50; shot, \$6.00 to 6.50; best cast steel, 11 to 12c.; spring, \$2.50; tire, \$2.50 to 2.75; sleigh shoe, \$2.50 to 3.00; round machinery steel, \$3.00 to 3.25; ingot tin, 24 to 25c.; bar tin, 26 to 27c.; ingot copper, 14½ to 15c.; sheet zinc, \$6.50; spelter, \$6.00; antimony, 00 to 20c.; bright iron wire, Nos. 0 to 8, \$2.60 per 100 lbs.; annealed do., \$2.65.

OILS, PAINTS, AND GLASS.—Trade is seasonably quiet in these lines. Linseed oil is steady at 64c. for raw, 67c. for boiled in fair lots; turpentine has eased off a little in the South, and sales are being made at 68 to 70c. as to lot; castor oil firm at high prices of late prevail.

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That application will be made at the next Session of the Parliament of Canada, for an Act to amend the several Acts relating to the Board of Trade of the City of Toronto, and to increase their borrowing powers from \$350,000.00 to \$500,000.00, and to extend the right of the said Board to hold lands to the value of \$750,000.00. And to provide for the confirming or re-arranging of certain agreements entered into by the said Board with subscribers for or holders of Debentures issued or to be issued by them. And to declare that Section 7 of the Act respecting interest, Chap. 127 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, shall not apply to debentures or securities issued by the said Board. And for such other powers as may be necessary to fully empower the said Board to complete and deal with their debentures, and to carry out the purposes and objects for which they are empowered to issue the same, And for other purposes.

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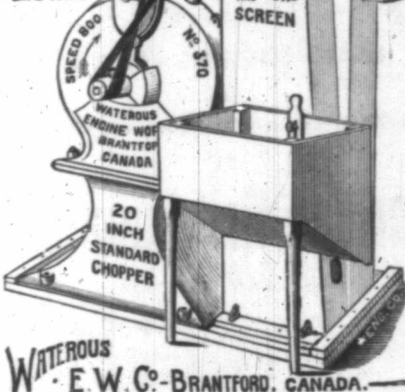
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Dr. I. Comeau, Maniwaki, Que., Nov. 23, 1889:

I would feel inclined to apologize for not writing sooner, had I not been too busy and my desire to give the 20 inch Standard Chopping Mill a fair trial before writing. I am most happy to state that I am entirely satisfied with the mill; it is doing splendid work.

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