

3.00; alum, \$1.60 to 1.70; copperas, per 100 lbs., 90c. to \$1.00; flowers sulphur, per 100 lbs., \$2.25 to 2.40; roll sulphur, \$2.10 to 2.25; sulphate of copper, \$6.00 to 6.50; epsom salts, \$1.75 to 1.90; saltpetre, \$8.25 to 8.75; American quinine, 45 to 50c.; German quinine, 45 to 50c.; Howard's quinine, 47 to 50c.; opium, \$4.75 to 5.00; morphia, \$2.10 to 2.20; gum arabic, sorts, 70 to 90c.; white, \$1.00 to 1.25; carbolic acid, 55 to 65c.; iodide potassium, \$4.00 to 4.25 per lb.; iodine, re-sublimed, \$5.00 to 5.25; commercial do., \$4.25 to 4.75; iodoform, \$6.50 to 7.00. Prices for essential oils are:—Oil lemon, \$1.50 to 2.00; oil bergamot, \$3.00 to 3.75; orange, \$2.90 to 3.10; oil peppermint, \$3.75 to 5.00; glycerine, 25 to 28c.; senna, 12 to 25c. for ordinary. English camphor, 85 to 95c.; American do., 80c.; insect powder, 40 to 45c.

FISH. Business in this line is of a trifling character, the only momentary demand being for dry cod in limited lots at about \$3.75; Labrador herrings nominally \$3 to 3.50.

FURS.—The situation is unchanged since a week ago. Some fair lots of raw furs are still expected from far northern points, but trade will quiet down from this out. There is no chance of recovery this season from late decline. We quote for average prime skins:—Beaver, \$4.00 to 4.50; bear, \$10.00 to 14.00; cub ditto, \$4.00 to 5.00; fisher, \$3.00 to 5.00; red fox, \$1.20 to 1.30; cross ditto, \$2 to 4; lynx, \$2.00 to 4.00; marten, 80c.; mink, 60c.; spring muskrat, 15 to 16c.; otter, \$8 to 10; coon, 25 to 50c.; skunk, 40 to 60c.

Belt Line Railway. ANNUAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the office of the Company, No. 82 King Street East, Toronto, at noon, on

Tuesday, 10th Day of June next,

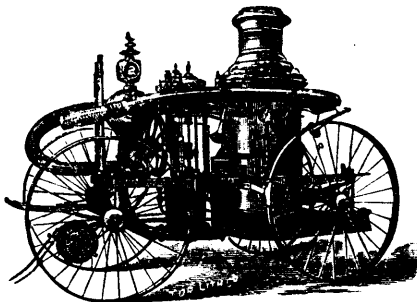
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GROCERIES.—We can note little change in the general situation; the movement is of a fair distributing character, and values show but slight alteration. Sugars continue exactly at the level of the past several weeks; molasses easier, with fair lots of Barbadoes at 22c. per gallon, small jobbing lots 34 to 35c.; on the Island it is reported the market has receded to 13c. In teas there has been a very fair demand, principally for medium and low-priced Japans, the latter are now very scarce, and may be called a point or two firmer; low-grade blacks are reported firmer in London owing to increased demand. The Japan market for new teas opened April 15th, and the "China" sailed on the 28th with

4,000 packages for New York and Chicago; these are high-priced teas of which few come to this market. It will probably be over a month before any new teas get here. Coffees are moving slowly; we quote Rio 21 to 23c., Mocha 30 to 32c., Java 26 to 28c., Jamaica 20 to 22c., Ceylon 24 to 26c. Valencia raisins continue very firm, and nothing desirable can be had under 8c.; layers, 9½ to 10c.; good sound currants, 6c.; sultanas, nothing under 11c., and best qualities 12 to 12½c.; no French prunes in the market, Turkish 5½c. The "Barcelona" sailed from the Mediterranean on the 26th ult., and with the "Dracona" to follow are expected to have some supplies of dried fruits. The cargo of the "Avlona" is

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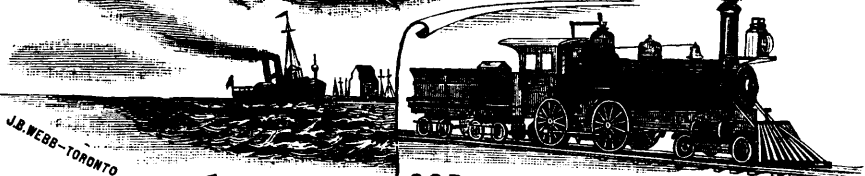
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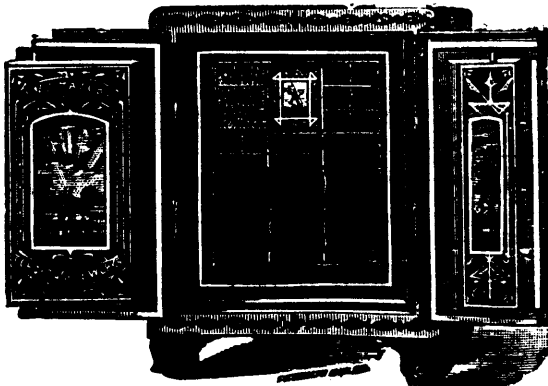
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