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Maritime Summary.

CORRECTIONS.—In our last issue the article "Associated Defence" should have been credited to an English Exchange, and "Whither are we drifting?" should have come under the head of Correspondence. In the editorial review of Sir A. T. Galt's address, page 453, foot of middle column, for the word "dissension," read "discussion which will follow."

— All the collieries in Picton, N. S., are now shipping coal; the shipments of last week amounted to 6,276 tons.

— The Western Canada Loan and Savings Co., have declared a dividend of 5 per cent. for the current half year.

— The steamship *Texas*, of the Dominion line, is preparing pens for 40 head of cattle, to be shipped to England from Western Ontario.

— London, England, is increasing at the rate of 50,000 people a year, by natural increase only, involving the erection of some 12,000 new houses.

— Mr. McRea, who for some time acted as agent for a Glasgow dynamite firm, has started a factory for the manufacture of that dangerous explosive in Bowmanville.

— The total imports of Halifax in May amounted to \$687,563, against \$741,652 in the same month last year. The exports for last month were \$291,326, against \$309,145 in May, 1875.

— The information contained in the paragraph in the issue of the 2nd, relating to Messrs. Collins & Scully, tailors, Fredericton, was not obtained from anybody resident in Montreal.

— The exports at the port of St. John for the first five months of 1876 foot up to \$1,066,176, while for the same period of 1875 they were but \$738,252. This is encouraging, as there has been a falling off in the imports.

— The exports of eggs on the 13th inst., at Belleville, says the *Intelligencer*, was 6,369 dozen, which were valued at \$759. Prices are declining in the Boston market, hence the reduction in the value invoiced there.