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suburban dealers are disposed to complain of somewhat slow sales. Taking sorting business and fall orders together of trade. General collections are favorably spoken of, and some of the larger houses report 90 per cent. of customers' paper as being met on the 4th June. Some manufacturers of blankets, sweat- price. ers, and other woolens have given notice of a withdrawal of quotations.

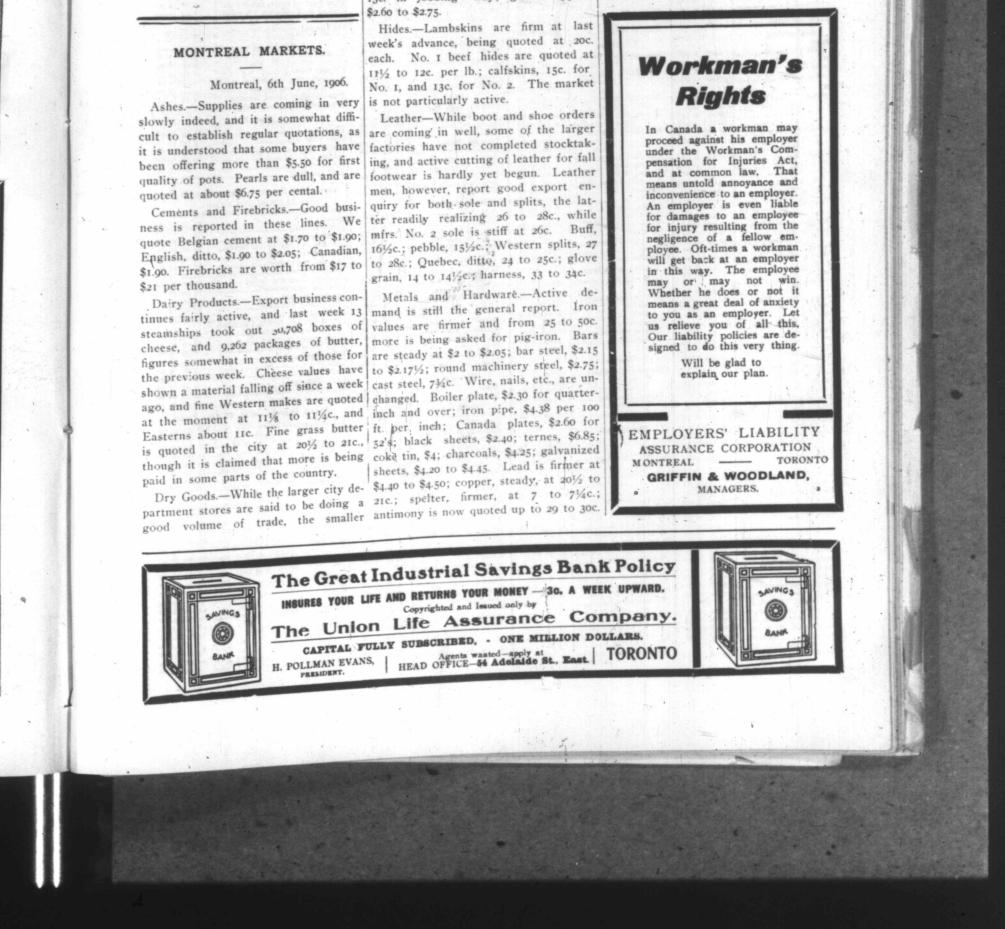
marked by any special activity at the moment. Sugar refiners report a moderate demand for sugars, and factory quotations are about steady at \$4.10 for standard granulated in barrels, ranging down to \$3.65 for low grade yellows in bags. In teas there is nothing of special interest to say. Some small lots of early picked Japans have reached here, and have sold at from 23 to 28c. June pickings, which are the goods mainly bought for this market, are said to be improving in leaf quality. In prices of Ceylons and Indian teas' there has been no recent variation, the market holding steady. The firmness lately noted in dried fruits is fully sustained, owing largely to unfavorable crop prospects. Evaporated apples are held at 13c. in jobbing way; gallon apples, \$2.60 to \$2.75.

Oils and Paints .- As anticipated last week the price of window glass has been reduced to \$3.50 per 100 ft. for first wholesale dealers report a fair aggregate break. Turpentine is also easier at 88 to 90c. as to lot; linseed oil, 53 to 54c. for raw, and 56 to 57c. for boiled, with a slightly firmer tone to the market abroad. All other lines are unaltered in

Wool .- Importers in this line report a very light volume of business, indeed, Groceries.-The distribution is not but prices are very firmly held. We quote, Capes, 20 to 24c.; fine washed B. A., 45 to 46c.; scoured, ditto, 52 to 55c.; pulled, domestic, 30c. per pound.

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For the past thirty odd gears one of the most prominent general store firm in the Gaspe Coast has been that of J. & W. Baker at Anse du Cap, below Percé. They have been asked by Thibaudeau Freres & Co., Quebec, to assign, and Lefaivre & Taschereau, accountants of that city have the estate in hand. They have been more than usually slow in their payments during the past six months, it is true, but their failure does not seem to have been anticipated. Impossible to learn as yet the amount of their liabilities.



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