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## PRICE LIST, JUN 14th.

Ginger Wine, Extra No. 1, 90c. to 95c. per gallon;  
Cases \$3.50.  
" " 70c. to 75c. " " Cases \$3.00.  
" " No. 2, 50c. to 55c. " " Cases \$2.50.  
Old Tom Gin, Extra No. 1, \$1.25 to \$1.35 per gallon;  
Cases \$5.25.  
" " \$1.00 to \$1.10 " " Cases \$4.75.  
" " No. 2, 90c. to 95c. " " Cases \$4.50.  
Choice Fruit Syrups, 90c. to 95c. per gallon;  
Cases \$3.50.  
John Bull Bitters, large Cases \$5.00 to \$5.25;  
small " \$4.00 to \$4.25.  
Brandies—Registered Brands \$1.00 to \$1.75 per gal.;  
Cases \$3.50 to \$6.00.

Prize Medal and Diploma, Exposition Universelle a Paris, 1867.

Silver Medals, Provincial Exhibitions, 1868, '70-'73.

Townships Meat Factory in its midst. A meeting of inhabitants, held a few days since, initiated solid steps towards raising the required capital, the Solicitor-General of the Province heading the stock list by subscribing one hundred shares of five dollars each, and a number of leading local capitalists following in proportion.

—The advance copy of the "Report of the Superintendent of Insurance, Dominion, for the year ending 31st December, 1876," printed by order of Parliament, is on our table. The volume, containing 494 pages, is replete with statistical information regarding Companies doing business in Canada, including also Statements made by Fire and Inland Marine Insurance companies in compliance with 38 Vict. Cap. 20. We shall refer to the Report at length anon.

—Petrolia advices at writing do not speak encouragingly of new oil developments thereabouts. "The London Refinery Company are trying to raise the price of refined oil, and it may now be quoted at 10½c, London delivery, wine measure. Crude is firm at previous rates. The developing enterprise has not been a success for this year, and unless new territory is found the business here will have enough to do to supply home demands. The shipments are about the same, but not quite so large, and there is but little probability at present of any combination being formed."

—Chatham, Ont., wheat raisers refuse, says a correspondent, to sell their grain under a price considerably above that ruling at present, and intend to hold on to this resolution, and have formed a sort of combination to that effect. Chatham wheat-buyers have adopted a retaliatory policy, and have formed a "combination" not to give the prices demanded. The result is a dead-lock between seller and buyer, and a partial suspension in the wheat trade about Chatham for a few days past.

—The insolvents, Converse, Putney & Co., Barnston, P. Q., referred to in our issue of a week back, have been endeavoring to effect a

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settlement with their creditors. At a meeting of the latter, held at Barnston, Monday, the insolvents made an offer of 40c. on the dollar at 6, 12 and 21 months, with interest at 7 per cent., secured. A portion of the creditors were disposed to accept this, but others demanded 45c. in the dollar. The meeting adjourned to the 14th September next to receive a deed of composition and act upon the same. There is a feeling in favor of the insolvents, who are believed to have been made the dupes of the absconder Parker.

—The Anglo American Cable Telegraph Company have issued their half-yearly report. The document states that the total receipts, including a balance of £22,458 brought forward, have amounted to £216,466, and the expenses to £37,501, leaving therefore a disposal balance of £178,965. Of this sum the Directors propose to set apart £50,000, in addition to £22,488 represented by spare cable and renewal fund; leaving a balance of £106,506. After providing the quarterly dividends already announced, the sum of £1,566 will remain to be carried forward. The traffic receipts have, it is said, greatly improved since the 1st May, when the 3s. tariff was resumed.

—A Brampton, Ont., subscriber is informed that the Atlantic Mutual Life Ins. Co. is in the hands of a receiver. The report of the N. Y. Ins. Commissioner dated May 9th, says that the item "cash deposited in banks, \$162,548.71" in the last statement of the Company, did not legally exist. At a subsequent interview, the Company's superintendent admitted the fact that the above sum should have been put down at \$117,000, and that it was deposited with the Hope Banking Co., a private and insolvent concern. The stockholders may get a slight

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dividend out of the wreck. We shall gladly furnish any further information required.

## ASSIGNMENTS IN ONTARIO DURING PAST WEEK.

L. F. Lauders & Co., shirt factory, Belleville.  
A. Williamson & Co., clothing, Stratford.  
J. B. Giles, liquors, St. Catharines.  
J. Massie, wholesale grocer, Guelph.  
Gomlay Bros., St. Catharines.

## WRITS OF ATTACHMENT ISSUED VS.

C. & J. Cohen, boots and shoes, Toronto.  
Flora Manufacturing Co., Guelph.  
G. H. Disher, hotel, Welland.  
S. G. O. Côté, hatter, Ottawa.  
J. G. Howe, boots and shoes, Ottawa.  
M. M. Pyke, haberdasher, Ottawa.  
F. Legendre, general merchant, Ottawa.  
B. Handy, general store, Mount Brydges.  
F. & J. McInnes, Lindsay.  
Yule & Co., foundry, St. Catharines.  
Gibson & Campbell, tanners, Colborne.  
J. Bailey, Armiprior.  
J. Dennison, jun., watchmaker, Cornwall.  
Annie McAdams, millinery, Struin.  
J. S. Lammman, harnessmaker, Mount Brydges.  
F. Menard, general store, Clarence Creek.

## ASSIGNMENTS IN PROVINCE OF QUEBEC DURING PAST WEEK.

Converse, Putney & Co., general store, Montreal.  
P. J. B. Hensley, dry goods, Montreal.  
Horace B. Canfield, Stanstead Plain.  
Buzinet, Quintal & Co., grocers, Montreal.  
P. P. Putvoye, hatter, St. Johns.  
A. H. LaRoque, chemist, Montreal.

## WRITS OF ATTACHMENT ISSUED VS.

D. A. St. Amour, Montreal.  
O. Toupin, baker, Three Rivers.  
T. S. Lambert, Montreal.  
Pouliot & Robitaille, dry goods, Quebec.

## ASSIGNMENTS IN NEW BRUNSWICK.

Martin Hache, Bathurst.  
L. S. Joudry, Moncton.

## WRITS OF ATTACHMENT ISSUED VS.

Wm. R. Taylor, Chatham.  
James Reid & John Fox, lumber, Gagetown.  
G. Miles Bleakney, Moncton.