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## General Summary.

There were more quotations from the **TRADE REVIEW** last year in Canadian, American and English papers than from all the other journals of its class combined, that are issued in the Dominion.

The Brantford local Board of Health has reported to the Provincial Board of Health that a number of bakeries in that city are in a filthy condition.

The latest rumour in banking circles is that the Banque d'Hochelaga has offered \$125,000 for the building of the Banque du Peuple and that possibly the directors may be induced to go as high as \$150,000.

Notice has been received by the city clerk that the Hamilton Iron & Steel Company is applying to the Commissioner of Crown Lands for a patent of the water lots in front of the smelting works property.

The Government is preparing to send an expedition to Hudson's Bay during the summer. The object is the establishment of customs officers to prevent American whalers from smuggling goods into the country, and also to complete the investigation into the navigability of Hudson's Straits.

The London Ont., bakers have restored the price of bread from four cents a loaf to five cents. They have also formed a Master Bakers' association with these officers.—President O. J. Bridle, vice-president, Jos. Johnston, secretary, Harry Ranahan; treasurer, W. West.

Workmen excavating in the Imperial navy yard at Halifax unearthed the remains of an old-fashioned British man-of-war. The timbers are about four inches thick, of oak, and in a splendid state of preservation, notwithstanding the fact that they have been imbedded there for probably a century.

John H. Campbell was to have opened a restaurant in St. Thomas last week. He purchased goods on credit, saying that he had money in a Chatham bank. The store was not opened, and, on learning that Campbell had gone away, the creditors broke open the door and took away their stuff.

The Superior Court of Manitoba has set aside the judgment of Judge Killam, ordering the sale of the first division of the Manitoba and Northwestern Railway. The decision holds that the first division cannot be sold under the bondholders' mortgage on the same. The line extends into the North-West Territories, and must be sold as a whole, not in part. The bondholders will appeal direct to the Privy Council against the judgment of the Manitoba Court.

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It is probable that a private reception and banquet will be tendered Manager Hays, of the G. T. R., on his return from St. Louis, by the Board of Trade of Toronto.

The returns issued by the London Eng. board of trade for January show an increase of £1,730,000 in imports and of £2,900,000 in exports during the month as compared with those of January 1895.

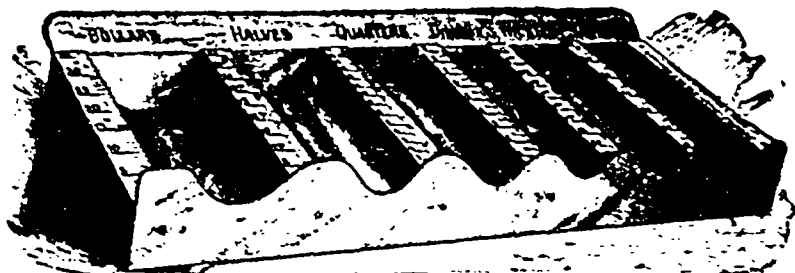
The customs statistics of Victoria B. C. for the month show a very marked improvement in the business of the port over the corresponding month of 1895. The exports amounted in value in January to a little over four times those of the same month last year, while an appreciable increase all round is shown.

Ribbon manufacturers have every reason to be elated over the prospects for the coming season, says an exchange. Paris letters are filled with notes concerning the use of ribbons. With ribbon sashes for young girls, neck ruffs and bows of ribbon on the new capes, ribbon ties on the spring bonnets, folded belts, fancy collars, rosettes, bands and bows of ribbon here, there and everywhere on the dresses, the consumption promises to be something enormous.

The new management of the G. T. R. have decided upon another improvement. It will consist of heated cars day and night for passengers leaving Ronaventure Depot. Mr. Hays has issued an order that a special engine shall be provided in the yard, from which heat will be furnished for all standing passenger coaches, and instead of the chilly cars heretofore known, travellers will find comfort as soon as they enter their quarters no matter what time they choose to do so.

The result of a conference between General Manager Hayes, of the G. T. R.; General Superintendent Spicer, of the C. & G. T. R.; and President Ledyard and Mr. Mitchell, of the M. C. R., on Saturday last was a denial of any existing contract with the Shedden people and the declaration that the free deliveries by the cartage company were on their own responsibility, and that while the G. T. R. could not refuse to receive freight from the Shedden Co., it would honor no claim whatever for hauling. This positive position on the part of General Manager Hays will compel the Shedden Co. to seek payment for their cartage bills since Feb. 1 in the courts, and the disputed question of a contract will be fought on legal lines.

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