

been paid of 18c to 20c for fair to good combing wool. Coarser lots are bought at 14c to 17c. There are few offerings of Southdown, which are worth 23c to 24c. Demand from the factories has fallen off, and clothing wools are easier. Supers are quoted selling to the mills at 25c to 26c; Extra Supers at 30c.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

AN INCREASING INDUSTRY.—The sales of Messrs. W. Strachan & Co., of their well known brand of soap called "Gilt Edge" continue to increase from week to week. Perhaps the fact may be accounted for by saying that, in addition to this soap being composed of perfectly pure ingredients, every bar of it is accurately weighed prior to leaving the manufactory, such of them as do not reach the standard weight of one pound being summarily rejected. This is, as may be supposed, a work of some little time and labor, but the increased sales are said to amply repay the proprietors for their trouble. There are now being made considerable additions to and improvements in this firm's factory on Jacques Cartier street. The addition is 40 x 46, four storeys high, and will be used for the cutting, packing and storage of soap, which a steam hoist will convey from floor to floor. Messrs. Strachan & Co. also propose to augment their "soap pans" by two new ones, which, when done, will enable them to turn out the large amount of 100 tons of soap per week, the pans having a capacity of 25 tons at a boiling. Two new boilers, of 45 h.-p., open steam, are also intended. These important alterations are, Mr. Strachan says, absolutely necessary in order to keep up with the large demand his firm has for its soaps, and especially for the popular brand called "Gilt Edge."

CARSLEY & CO.

93 ST. PETER STREET,

MONTREAL,

AND

18 BARTHOLOMEW CLOSE,
London, Eng.

We have much pleasure in announcing that our Stock for the approaching Autumn and Winter Seasons will be one of the most complete in all respects we ever imported. As heretofore, our object will be to have the

LATEST NOVELTIES

in every department; and this season we are safe in saying that we shall far excel all former efforts; so that our customers may rely upon seeing the

VERY LATEST DESIGNS

in French, British and other European products.

We beg to call special attention this season to our carefully selected and fashionable stock of

Fancy Dress Goods,

ALSO TO OUR

BLACK AND COLORED

French Cashmeres and Merinos,

all of which will be quoted at special prices.

In **Gloves, Hosiery, Laces, New Fringes, Trimmings, &c.** our stock will prove exceedingly attractive.

Our **Fancy Woolens, Knitted Goods, &c.**, have been specially manufactured for us, and we shall be prepared to offer extra value in these goods.

The **HABERDASHERY STOCK** will, as usual, be very complete, especially in **FRENCH, ENGLISH AND AMERICAN BUTTONS**. New designs in **Cretonne Fringes**, Stylish Plain and Fancy Braids, in Blacks and Colors. Full lines of Men's Silk Handkerchiefs and Braces. Special attention called to our **Fingering Wheeling, Shetland, and Berlin Wools**.

CARSLEY & CO.,
93 St. Peter Street,
MONTREAL.



Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Post Office, Winnipeg, Man.," will be received at this office, until **WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of August next**, inclusively, for the erection of

POST OFFICE

AT

Winnipeg, Man.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the Public Works office, Winnipeg, on and after **SATURDAY, the 14th July next**.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an *accepted bank cheque, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent.* of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party declines to enter into a contract when called on to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

F. H. ENNIS,

Secretary.

Department of Public Works, }
Ottawa, 4th July, 1883.

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Available Assets, - - - - \$350,000.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.

MONTREAL, July 4th, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that an interim dividend of two and one-half per cent., for the current half-year ending 17th August next, upon the Capital Stock of the Company, will be paid at the Office of the Company, 63 William Street, New York, on and after that date.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed on Tuesday, the thirty-first day of July instant, and re-opened on Saturday, the eighteenth day of August next.

By order of the Board,

CHARLES DRINKWATER,

Secretary.

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