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# MONEY AND COMMERCE.

TRUE WITNESS OFFICE. Monday, June 30.

### Financial.

The local financial situation has not undergoue The local financial situation has not undergone much change during the week closing to-day. Money is abundant at the banks for undoubted co-ume clal paper, but the demand continues very light. Call loans on stock security are made at 5 per cent, and loans on time are neg-tlated at 6 per cent, and the customary rates of disc on 5 ure from 6 per cent for glit edged line to 7 to 8 for the general run. Sterling exchange is dull and lower, at 91 to 91 premium for 60-day bills between banks, and 91 premium for 60-day bills between banks, and 91 presider areas for sterling are 54 87 for 60-day bills, and \$489 for demand drafts, Currency drafts on New York are gulet, at 1-16 to § pre-mium.

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-The Ville Marie bank has declared a dividened of 3 per cent for the current half year, payable on the 1st August next.

-The Sun Mutual Life Insurance company, of this city, has declared a dividend for the half year, of 4 per cent, payable on the 2nd July.

-The earnings of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway, for the third week in fune, show an increase of \$3451 ou the amount for the corresponding week of last year.

-At their monthly meeting the other day, the directors of the Imperial bank of Germany passed a res lution declaring that an increase of the silver colunge of Germany is imperatively necessary.

-Mr. Montague Anderson, late accountant of the Union Bask of Lower's anida, in the Moni-real branch, son of the Rev. Canon Anderson, has been appointed manager of the Ottawa branch.

-The Canada Gazette contains notice of the incorporation of "The Intercolonial Express company of Canada," with a capital of \$100,000; and "The International Kaliway Supply com-pany," with a capital of \$560,000.

-The Grand Trunk railway returns of traffic for the week ending 21st June, 1879, compared with the corresponding week of 1878 show an in-crease of \$1,92. 1879 1878 

-The Merchants' bank of Halifax has declared a half-yearly dividend of 31 per cent.

LONDON, June 27 .- The Times this morning says the amount of bullion in the bank of England, 35 million pounds, is the largest on r word, and there is no reason to think that is sum cannot be considerably exceeded. -The Grand Trunk railway traffic rerns for the week ending the 21st of June w an increase over the corresponding week last year of \$4,927. The figures are, for ), passengers etc., \$58,061; freight and stock, \$89,772; 1878, passengers, 58,417; ght and live stock, \$84.489, the increase Long in freight and live stock. -The New York weekly bank statement for last week is favorable. The changes are as follows :- Loans decreased, \$2,336,100. Specie, increased, \$369,500; do, decreased, \$23,626,100. Legal tenders, decreased, \$3,-043,200. Deposits, decreased, \$63,400. Circulation, increased, \$215,100. Reserve, increased, \$3,428,550. -The bank of England gained the enormous sum of £893,000 specie during the last week, and raised its reserve to the exceptionally high figures of 573 per cent of liabilities. It is becoming a serious question in London what to do with money. Mercantile ventures are distrusted, and manufacturing prospects are far from encouraging. It is not unlikely, therefore, that a summer stock exchange speculation will be developed in London. All classes of fair to good securities are in demand. The specie in the bank of France was increased 19,275,000 francs during the week. The Imperial bank of Germany gained 3,240,000 marks during the week.

-At an informal meeting Thursday afternoon of Messrs. T. James Claxton's creditors, Messrs. George Hague, of the Merchanis' bank, F. Wol-ferstan Thomas, of Molsons' bank, Mr. Turn-bull, of Messrs. George Stephen & Ca., David Morrice, G. W. Mogs, Bell and J. Lockhurst were appointed inspectors. A statement of as-sets and Habilities was submitted, which showed a deficiency as mer the assigned, which showed a deficiency as per the assignee's valuation of \$325,459. No offer was made by the insol-

### WEEKLY REVIEW OF THE CITY WHOL'SALE TRADE.

MONDAY EVEN'G, June 30. The month closes with a very quiet city wholesale market. The state of trade in Montreal remains in much the same coudition as at our last reference. The only line in which there has been any increased activity is groceries, staple articles of which seem to have been in very fair demand. Jobbers have been purchasing some leading lines, and a considerable amount of business in general goods, at former prices, has been done with the country trade. In sugars the demand has been brisk for low grades, and the movement was rather large last week; the Montreal refiners have been unable, recently, to keep up with the demand. This may be taken as a satisfactory evidence of the success result-ing from the protection afforded to this line of industry by the national policy. The extreme range of prices for Montreal lefined yellow sugars is from 64c to 8c. In teas, over 3,000 half chests of Japans have been sold within the week, at from 20c to 34c, with the principal demand for qualities at 30c to 34c. Prices for these grades have advanced in consequence

of the now established fact that the new crop will be too fine and too high in price for this market, hence there is an unusually active enquiry for old Japan teas, which are very scarce in this market. In dry goods there is not much doing ; a fair

sorting-up business continues, but travellers have not yet started out with their general lines of fall goods. It is expected that they will start out early in July. Remittances are generally improving. In general hardware there continues a quiet jobbing trade, but there has been but a limited demand for pig iron, and a small movement in bar and manufuctured iron; prices unchanged. In drugs and chemicals business has been dull, in con requence of the further decline in England. Bicarb is quoted at \$2 00 to \$3 for large lots; and sil-soda at about 95c. In leather, a fair movement to meet present requirements, has been noticed in No 1 B.A. sole, black and measured leathers, within the range of previous quotations. Advices from Chicago and other American centres report a decided improvement in the leather trade ; the demand is decidedly active, and the fall boot manufacturing has commenced considerably earlier than usual. The prices of hides there have consequently advanced, and tanpers are also very firm. The travellers for our local boot and shoe manufacturing houses have just started out with their fall samples, and no reports of their trip have yet been received.

Much of the future revival of trade depends upon a good harvest, and from almost all quarters we receive very encouraging reports of the cereal crop ; the prospects of an abundant grain harvest in Canada have seldom been more promising in the history of the country. If they be realized, and let us hope they will, then we may expect decidedly better times. The local wholesale provision trade has continued inanimate all week, with no important changes in the prices quoted in our last weekly report. Butter, which has continued in a stagnant condition for some weeks, sold to-day in fair-sized lots at 14c for tubs of Eastern Townsphips, and 16c for creameries. There has been a fair movement in grain during the week, and the flour market has been decidedly healthier.

The following were the prices current to

	day :					
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f	Fancy	0	00	Ø	4 50	
5	Spring Extra, new ground	0	00	0	4 40	
- 1	Superfine	-1	115	Ø	4 15	
tj	Strong Bakers	4	60	Ø	4 80	
	Fine.	3	35	Ø	3 50	
	Middlings	3	10	0	3 15	
- i	Pollards	2	60	0	2 80	
вΪ	Ontario Bags	2	15	Ø	2 22	
	City Bags (delivered)	2	3 !	ñ	2 35	
- 1	Cornmeal	2	40	Ø	2 45	
r	Oatmeal	4	25	Ø	4 30	

worth \$1.25 per bush, and green beans, \$2 per bush. Montreal cucumbers were retailed at \$1 per doz. Gooseberries were sold at 50c per gal., at the waggons, wholesale, and at 60c, retail.

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The following are the prices current, corrected up to date :---

FARM PRODUCE. -Butter-Prints, 15c to 20c per lb; roll 11c to 14o per lb; Eastern Townships, tub, 10c to 18c, Fine cheese, 10c to 11c per lb; ordi-nary, 6c to 7c. Maple sugar, 6c to 10c per lb. Lard, 8jc to 10c. Fresh Eggs, 14c to 10c per dozen; roched de loc to 19c

Lard, 540 to 10C. Fresh Eggs, 14c to 10c per dozen; packed do 11c to 13c. GRAIN, ETC.—Oats, 70e to 85c per bag; buck-wheat, 80c to \$1.10 do; peas, 90c to 95c per bushel; bran, 80c per ewt; cornmeal, \$1.20 to 1.30 per bag; barley, 60c to 75c per bushel; corn, \$1.40 to 1.25 per bag; Canadian corn, \$1.2°; beans, \$1.40 to 1.50 per bushel; moulte \$1.00 to 1.10 per bag; flour, \$2.20 to 2.30 per bag; caimeal, \$2.00 to 2.25 per bag.

per bag. VEGETABLES.-Potatoes. 75c to 85c per bag; carots, 30c to 40c per bushel; onlons, 90c to \$0.00 do; parsnips, 35c to 50c do; beets, 34c to \$5a do; turnips, 40c to 50c per bushel; celery, 00c to 00c per parcel of a dozen bunches; spinach. 50c to 0 c per bushel; pineapples, 20 to 30c each; rhubarb, 15c to 20c per dozen bunches; radishes, 50c do; water cresses 40c per basket; new cab-bage, \$1 50 per dozen our 20c per head; lettuce, 10c to 15c per dozen bunches. FRUIT.-Apples-Russetts, \$4 to \$6 per brl. and from 40c to 50c per peck; Lemons, 30c to 35c per dozen; \$11 to 12 per case; oranges, 35c to 40c per dozen; \$11 to 12 per case; cranberries, 00c per gallon; coccanuts, 00c per patr; ducks (wild), 00c to 00c per patr; chickens, 40c to 65c per pair; qualis, \$200 per dozen; prairie heans, 70c \$1.00 per pair. MEAT.-Beet-moas beef (trimmed), 10c to 12c; sirloin stenks, 12c to 15c; spring lamb, 50c to \$1.59 per quarter; mutton, 8c to 12c; venl, 6c to 13c; fresh snuwages, 8c to 10c; bolorna sausages, 12c to 15c; dressed hogs, \$6.00 to \$6.50 per 100 pounds. per bag. VEGETABLES.-Potatoes. 75c to 85c per bag;

#### THE CATTLE MABRETS. St. Gabriel.

#### MONDAY, June 30.

Business at this market to-day was rather quiet, the receipts of live stock being much smaller than last week. The arrivals at the St. Gabriel market Saturday night and this morning were between 4 and 6 car-loads the demand for export grades continued good, at firm prices, Mr. Alderman McShane being as usual the principal buyer. He bought up all that was suitable for shipping, and, in conversation with the writer, stated that he would pay stiff prices for all first-class stock arriving. There were only a few local butchers in attendance, and the demand from them was slow, but the quality of the cattle offering for local use was rather inferior. Mr. McShane purchased about 104 head of cattle altogether, as follows :- from St. Burnett, Toronto, 32 head, averaging about 1,300 lbs. at S70 each : from Wm. Roberts, Granby, 19 head, averaging 1,450 lbs. each, at \$1,300 for the lot; from Mr. Denis, Ingersoll, 15 head, averaging about 1,560 lbs. each, at \$1,275, or \$85 each; from Duncan McLean, London, 13 head for \$605; from Hugh Elliot, Kings-ton, 12 head, for \$678; from Thomas Ponner, Toronto, six head at \$62 each, and from R. J. Hopper, five head, for \$215. Mr. John Stagg, of Brockville, sold 20 head cattle, averaging about 1,000 lbs. each, to Mr. R. J. Hopper at about 41c per 1b. Prices ranged to-day at from 43c to 55c per 1b. for strong shipping grades, and about 4n to 41c for cattle for local purposes. About 100 hogs changed hands at St. Gabriel market to-day at about 4% to 5c per lb. There were no calves or sheep offering.

## SHIPMENTS.

Mr Ald McShane will ship 160 head of cattle per the Canadian next Thursday, and 80 head per the Scandinavian on Wednesday Messrs H Walker & Sons, of Walkernext. ville, Ont., will also ship about 250 head of cattle per the Scandinavian. During the past few days, Mr Robson, of St Mary's, shipped from this port 909 sheep ; Messrs Elliott and Williamson, of Brampton, 61 cattle; Mr C Flanagan, of Toronto, 80 cattle; Alderman McShane, 95 cattle; and Messrs DeSola Bros & Collins, 60 cattle-all for London. Messrs Frankland, Reeves & Morse, of Toronto, shipped 223 cattle; and Messrs H Walker & Sons, of Walkerville, 100 cattle for Liverpool. From the effects of the recent excessive heat, no less than twenty-five head of choice cattle have died belonging to the two last-named firms.

New York Cattle Market.

New York Cattle Market. New York, June 25.—Trade in live stock gen-erally in New York on Monday was slow; ar-rivals were heavy, and in all degrees of quality the markets closed weak. Beeves were off in feeling, while sheep declined fully ic per lb, lambs being dull. At Sixtieth street yards horn-ed cattle sold at Sic to Oic per lb, weights 6 to 9 cwt. At Harsimus cove yards prices ranged from 6jc to 10c per lb, weights 5 to 10 cwt; gen-eral sales of 66 lbs net; range of allowance 55 to 58 lb net; quality poor to good; in the aggre-gate coarse and moderately fat. Milch cows, with their calves, sold at Sit per head; butter-milk fed calves 3jc to 3jc per lb; veals at 5c to 6jc per lb; mixed lots at 6c to 4jc per lb. Sheep sold at S3 to 35 fb per cwt; lambs at 4jc to 6c per lb; quality of the flocks to hand, poor to choice. Live hogs sold at \$420 per cwt. City dressed opened in moderate demand at 5jc to 5jc per lb; market pigs at 5jc per lb.

Montreal Fuel Market.

#### THURSDAY, June 26.

There is no essential change to note in the condition of the local fuel market. Some of our large dealers report a less active demand shore. for hard coal during the past week, while others state that they are as busy as before, and have a great many more orders to fill

than during the corresponding month of last year. A large quantity of Scotch and lower port steam coal has arrived in this port recently, and a few cargo lots have changed hands at a slight concession on our quotations, which are for retail lots. The arrivals of anthracite coal from New York continue to be rather light, and nearly all the vessels formerly employed in carrying this commodity have left port for want of trade. There exists some difficulty between the vessel owners and coal dealers as to freights, the former asking outside rates and refusing to make contracts for less. It appears that a good many householders are holding off from purchasing with the expectation of still

lower prices, but this seems highly improbable.

The mining companies still continue to be actively engaged in filling orders, and some are really short of coal. Further orders are not so numerous, however, and the indica-tions are that July will be comparatively a dull month. The increase of production from January 1st to June 14th was 4,072,451 tous over that of the same period in 1878.

In wood there is scarcely anything doing at all. A considerable quantity has arrived at the Victoria wharf from Upper Canada ports during the week, but sales are comparatively few, and for small lots only, at unaltered prices.

COAL-Betail prices per ton, delivered, for cash : Stove, S5 00 to 5.25 ; chestnut, S5.00 to 5.25; egg, \$4.75 to 5.00; farnace, \$4.75 to 5.00; Scotch grate (softe, \$5.50; Scotch steam, \$4.50 to 4.75; Pictou steam, \$4.00 to 4.25; Newcastle smiths', \$5.50; coke, per

chaldron, \$3 50. Woon -Retail prices per cord at the wharf cartage extra: Long maple, 31 feet, \$5.00 long birch, 31 feet, \$4.50; long beech, 33 feet, S4.00; short maple, three feet, S4.50; short birch, three feet, S4.00; short beech, three feet, S3 50; short tamarac, 21 to 3 feet, S3.00 to 3.25; short hemlock, 21 to 3 feet, \$2.00.

#### Montreal Hay Market.

SATURDAY, June 28

SATURDAY, June 23 As the result of a combination of causes the the receipts at the above-named market during the past week have been unavaily light, com-prising only about 2.0 loads of hay, and 30 loads of straw. Last Tuesday, one of the regular market days here for hay and straw, was a holiday, and yea-te day and to day the weather was unfavorable for farmers are becoming exhausted of their old stocks, and the new, of course, has not yet been reaped.

# reaped. Prices for hay are about 50c per hundred bundles lower than at this time last week, the present range being from 37 to 9, and the best timothy can be bought at \$9 per hundred bundles, Price. for straw rule stead, and unreaped changed, at from \$1 too per hundred bundles.

#### Montreal Morse Market.

### MONDAY, June 30.

The demand for good useful horses, for expor-tation and also for driving purpuses in this and neighboring cities and surrounding country, continue good, but the supply is very light at present.

and 30c to 40c per barrel per schooner for flour. From Montreal to Quebec-Flour, 8c per barrel; ic per bag; pork, 10c per barrel; heavy goods, \$1 periton. SALT-The receipts during the past week have been 1.500 tons, now bringing this year's im-portations up to 10,296 tolls, which is 4,443 tons more than at the same time last year. One firm, it is said, has been trying to corner the market, but failed. Holders anticipate an ad-vance on last week's rates, and are now holding ier 45c per sack. The latest sale was at 42c per sack, 10 to the ton. COAL-Dealers having pretty heavy stocks, and consumption being limited, coupled with the fact of an arrival of five cargoes since yes-terday, has somewnat depressed the market. Receipts since last report have been 2,717 tons, making total importations to date 35, 04 to ns, which is 8,125 tons less than at this time last year. Transactions to-day have been at \$505, 4 90 and 4 80. Kinglish coals bring \$425 and Pictou \$450 per chaldron.

### Conmercial Items.

-The Dominion Telegraph company have awarded the contract for the construction of the new shore line between Canso and Halifax, connecting with all the lighthouses on the shore.

-Tenders having been invited by adrertise-ment, Messrs, Morton, Rose & Co., of London, in connection with Messrs. Morton, Bliss & Co., of New York, have been awarded the five per cent. sterling loan of the city of Toronto.

Activity in the Madoc iron business continues. It is reported that one of the mines has been sold to iron-masters resident in the United States, and the agent of the same parties is in trenty with the owners of a large and rich deposit of red hemalite for its purchase.
A good raft of timber from the Upper Ottawa of about 68 to 70 feet average, and about 17 inch girth, was sold yesterday at 30 per foot. The lot contained a small portion of wapey board-pine of iarge average and some choice red pine of 30 feet. A fair raft from the Pettawawa river, averaging 56 feet and 15 inch girth, was sold at 9 cents. A raft of oak, elm, etc., has arrived to Morris & Perry, Union Gove.
—At a meeting of the new board of harbor

-At a meeting of the new board of harbor commissioners yesterday, Mr. Andrew Robertson was elected chairman.

After the agreement recently between the American Union and Dominion Telegraph companies had been executed by the directors of both companies. Mr. Swinyard, the managing director of the Dominion company, was invited to accept the position of vice-president of the American Union company, in addition to the position of general representative of both companies in Canada, but he declined the proposition, until the agreement shall have been ratified by the shareholders of his own company.

-During the past week a fresh supply of shipping cattle has been discovered in this province. Mr. Gibb, of Quebec, and other drovers have bought a large number of firstclass beeves, weighing from 1,500 to 2,000 lbs. each, and said to be equal in every respect to the best western stock. They have been shipped to England, and Ontario has now a rival at home in this large and growing trade which bids fair to develop into one of the largest sources of revenue to Canada, viz .in the sister province of Quebec.

#### The American Coal Trade.

At the monthly sale the other day by the Lackawanaa and Western company prices showed an average advance of itc per ton, figures comparing with the previous month's sales as follows :-Yesterday's

Month's. Rise. \$2 083 2 10 8 c 2 11; 8 c average.  $\frac{2}{2} \frac{41}{27\frac{1}{2}}$ 15 c 10 c -The N. Y. Commercial Bulletin. a reliable authority, comments on the signation as ful-lows: "A further advance in the price o coal, it will be observed, was established at the trade sale in this city y-sterday. The advance is cer-tainly phenemenal, in view of the limited on-mand from the trade and the largely increased production compared with the output for last

#### Business Changes.

season.

New YORK, June 27 .-- On the first of January next Madison square garden, formerly Gilmore's garden, will pass into possession of a stock company and assume the name and character of the New York Arcade. The stock company and device and the Musical Institutions. For the premises has been leased from Vanderbilt for ther particulars, apply to ther particulars, apply to the previses the privilege of renewal. The ISI St. James Street Montree



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-Henry Harms, New York, sugar refiner, has failed. Liabilities, \$250,000.

-A writ of attachment was issued on Wednesday last against Jules Beaudry, painter, of this city, for \$353 85, at the instance of Antoine Beaudoin. L. Dupuy, assignee.

-A statement of the affairs of Henry Mooney & Co., grocers, St. Joseph street, against whom a demand of assignment for over \$802 has been made, is being prepared.

-James Brenning et al, auctioneers, this city, also took out a writ of attachment Wednesday afternoon against Josephine Brennan, wife of James O'Neil, of J. & R. O'Neil, dry goods dealers, for \$250.

-A writ of attachment has been issued against Robert Robinson, contractor, of this city, for \$215, at the instance of Wm Anderson Hall, also of this city. A. M. Perkins, esq., assignee.

-A writ of attachment has been issued against Pierre Amable Jodoin, stove manufacturer, etc., for \$500, at the instance of Dame M. H. Jodoin. Lajoie & Perrault, assignees; concurrent writ addressed to Perrault

-H. B. D. Bruce, wine merchant, of Ottawa has made an assignment. Liabilities, \$9,581 15.

-A London (Eng.), despatch says: George Plumbley, a dealer on the stock exchange, has failed; liabilities, \$20 000. -The liabilities of Pierre A. Jodoin, against whom a writ of attachment was issued on Satar-day, amount to \$89,000.

aay, amount to boy, www. —N. Germain & Son, hardware dealers, in Winnipeg, and who recently assigned, have bought back their slock at 80c on the dollar, the purchase amounting to about \$15,000.

-The official assignee's statement of the lia-bilitie- of Messrs. McGlobon & Baird, has been published The direct liabilities foot up to \$69,-180 13, indirect to the bank of Montreal, \$804,-867.64, privileged, \$1,665.83: total, \$110,833.14. The first meeting of the creditors takes place on the 3rd of July.

Strawherries and Other Fruit.

Strawberries and Other Fruit. The receipts of strawberries, per express, at this port Saturday morning were doctrates, being principally from Oakville, and with the excep-tion of a few lots from Jordan, Ont, which were soft, all were in good condition. The demand continued good, but the wet weather was favor-able to lower prices, which ranged from 6c to 9c wholesale, according to quality, a decline of about 4c on yesterday's quotations. All were sold out, at noon, the average price paid being 8c. Oranges and lemons remain firm and un-changed in values. The local market is almost bare of oranges just now, stocks held here being very small. very small.

#### Boston Wool Market.

The market has ruled quiet the past week and for two to three days past there have been but few buyers in the market. Most of the mills have a supply of medium wool for immediate use and are not anxious buyers, while there is on the part of some bouses a desire to reduce their stock of this description. The tone of the market is consequently hardly so firm, and on unwashed medium we think a sharp buyer would find he could make a better bargain for himself than a week ago. It would be very unusual if the volume of trade should continue equal to that of the last eight weeks, as in that time we report the sales of nearly 24, 000,000 lbs of wool, which is about one-half of the yearly business of this market. The market is naturally quiet, and on some grades that have been selling above their relative value, there will be an equalizing of values. There have been further sales of Canada combing at about 40c-a shade under that price perhaps. Pulled wools have ruled quiet, but the inaction has arisen mainly because there are no wools of this grade in the market. There has been a sale of Cape at 30c, but the market generally is quiet for these wools. -Advertiser.

#### THE FARMER'S MARKETS.

#### Bonsecours and St. Ann's Markets-Prices at Farmer's Waggons, etc. Friday, June 27.

There was a full attendance of farmers and other produce raisers at the above-named markets, to day, and as a natural consequence of the larger supplies of nearly every article of consumption, prices were somewhat easier than on last market day. There were also a good many purchasers out this forevoon.

Oats were plentiful and selling at from 75c to 80c per bag, according to quantity and quality. For peas 90c per bushel was paid. For buckwheat farmers were asking \$1.20 per bag, but we did not hear of that figure having been paid, as it is a little over the market value. Potatoes were held generally at 80c per bag. Butter and eggs were nominally unchanged; Eastern Townships in tubs were offering at from 10c to 121c prints in baskets, were selling at from 1 to 18c and 20c; while good fresh eggi worth 15c to 16c per doz. A few new kins, large sizes, were offered at 40c Green onions, at waggons, were selling per doz. Montreal green peas were

#### Viger.

## FRIDAY, June 27.

The receipts of live stock at this market today were rather small, but yesterday they were very fair, and there was a good attendance of buyers. The quality of the stock under offer both days was fair to good, and for all really good animals there was a steady demand.

Yesterday about 100 beeves were brought to market, and this number was increased by 50 head. driven from the St. Gabriel market. Prices paid ranged from 3c to 4c per ib., live weight, for local use. One heifer changed hands at \$2 75 per cwt. About 100 calves sold at S8 for first-class; \$5 to 6 for second, and \$1 50 to 3 for third. Sheep and lambs were in fair request, and about 400 changed hands at \$4 to 4 25 per cwt. for sheep, and from \$2 to 4 for spring lambs, as to quality. Some 200 sheep were weighed at this market last evening by Mr. Wm. Price, prior to shipping them.

To-day the receipts comprised about 80 fat cattle, 60 milch cows, 20 culves, 25 hogs, and a few sheep, which remained over from yesterday. The fat cattle sold at from \$30 to 40 for the best, and \$12 to 20 for second class; milch cows brought \$40 to 45 each for extra quality, and \$25 to 30 for the remainder ; some third class cows were sold at from \$8 to 15 each. There was a good enquiry for calves at yesterday's prices, and the sheep also sold at yesterday's quotations. The quality of the hogs offering was poor, and prices paid rauged from \$4 to 5 per head.

#### English Cattle Markets.

Special cablegrams to the Drover's Journal report as follows :----

ISLINGTON, Eng., June 24.-CATTLE-Supply on the market 3,300 head ; trade very firm in all description of cattle, and in some instances higher prices have been obtained; a good clearance has been made.

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DEPTFORD, Eng., June 24.-Cattle-The supply on this market was 900 head; trade in this branch was very firm for all descriptions, and in some instances higher prices were obtained; here also a good clearance has been made.

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There have been comparatively few horses of There have been comparatively few horses of-fering in this market during the past week, but very latt prices were paid for all that were to be had. Some three or four car loads have been shipped to the United States during the week. There are at present wome four or five Ameri-can buyers, including the ers. Gen W Randall, of Paimer, Mass, Win E Libby, Berwicki, Me., and C F Trask, Gardiner, Maline, staying at the American house, and it is understood that they have good sized orders to fill. Several sales have occurred at the horse mar-k-t on Callege street, and on private terms, during the week through the computed States

The first of noises exported to the transfer States during the week through the consultate here is: On the 23rd inst, 1 horse at \$105; 12 at \$1.446.50. On the 24th: 8 at \$75; 9 at \$806. On the 25th:22 at 1839. On the 26th: 15 at 1.181.50; 8 at \$640.On the 25th: 6 at \$300; 5 at \$36.

#### Halfax Markets.

Halfax Markets. The past week has been one of activity on our wharves, o et 5.0 Quintals of dry fish having come in, the greater portion from small ports, and the whole being taken off the market. Four cargoes left this port this work for the West indies, the principle fish cargoes being dry fish; 3.518 quintals, 756 barrels of mackerel, and 124 barrels of herrings. On the other hand we received four West India cargoes consisting entirely of sugar, with a total of 736 hirds, 24 thereas an 30 barrels of "uban sugar. Mack-rel receipts are small, only 257 barrels, and the ship-ments are 856 barrels. Fishing at the Magdai-n Islands has in some cases been abandoned for deep sea herring fishing in the guif. Herring receipts for the week are 1,181 barrels, of which 9 4 barrels were from Bonne Bay. Shipm-nts, 121 barrels. Alewives, 500 barrels in one lot. UIA-Cod oil receipts are only of two barrels, and shipments nil. Of seal oil 200 barrels came in with a late instalment of the Magdalen island seal skins, smounting to 1.768. Frauun-is scarce and advance", the millers in the west antic pate a short supply o wheat be-fore the crops are harvested, and are not als-posed to convede at as low figures as hitherto. The recelpts were 1,600 barrels, of which 200 bar-rels convede at as low figures as hitherto. The recelpts were 1,600 barrels, of which 200 bar-rels came from Boston, and the remainder via J. C. R. Cor. MFAL-Ts in fair stock, and the receipts

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CORMEAL-Is in fair stock, and the receipts were 1.725 barrels OATS-Are in demand, and the receipt of 2.754 burbels the past week is not sufficient to check TE. ANNE DE BEAUPRE. POTATOES - Are going down still to the West Indian mark+t via New York, the outlet, and 42 is the very round-st price; while for any potatoes in shipping order not less than 35c would be had from a buyer for export. Receipts, 5 255 buchele.

#### The Quebec Markets.

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The Quesce markets. Quester, June 23. — TIMBER. — Business in square timber this season has, so far, been very limited, shipments being far below former sea-sons, hence the difficulty of selling new timber coming into the market. The quantity placed on the market this season is, however, far be-low other seasons. A curple of white plne rafts have been sold during the week, but the figures realized are hardly remunerative. One large raft of 68 feet and 17 inches, with a small quan-tity of red pine and some large waney, changed hands at vice, and ano'her raft of 56 feet sold at 9c. Deals.—The great bulk of shipments con-tinue to be deals, and there is some demand for these goods. The greater quantity now going forward are, however, heing shipped by mills under last winter's contracts. The proprietor of St. Nicholas m'lls is reported to have sold some 125,000 siandard of spruce, but prices have not transpired. Pine stre in demand, and a large side has been made on private terms. FIREIGHTS —There has not been much done during the week; there are a few open vessels in port, and they are holding on for an advance; rates remain. furn, but the demand is limited; the transations reported are:—Glasgow, 80s for onk plank; f0s for deals. Liverpool, 22s 9d for timber; 61s 8d for deals. Liverpool, 22s 9d for timber. Greenock, 28s -6d for timber; 60s for deals. River and Gull Freights—To Montreal-Salt, 6t to 7c per sack ; coals, 90c to \$1 per ton; sawn lumber, \$1 to 10 per 1,000 feet, hoard mea-sure. To Gaspe, Picton, Miramichl. Shediac, dc., 55c per barrel and \$5 per ton per steamship, QUEBEC, June 26. - TIMBER. - Business in

months past well known citizens have been actively engaged in the movement whose result is the organization of the New York Arcade company (limited), with a capital stock of \$100,000. The purpose of these gentlemen is to establish a sort of permanent bazaar, turnishing under one roof facilities for tran-acting nearly every kind of business, wholesale and retail.

The linen trade at the present time is low in Lurgan and the neighborhood. In one power-loom factory, containing nearly 400 looms, there are about 120 of them lying idle.

### That's The Way They Used To Do It.

With a thumb and finger on the nose, a bright silver dime on the table as a bribe, and the Cas-tor Oil bottle in the other hand is the way our tor Oil bottle in the other hand is the way our mother had to approach us when she was about to attack a severe ease of colic that had the dour little intestines in knois. Those days, and that scene, comes no more to us, neither will our little ones ever be obliged to trend in the rough path their parents trod in their childhood. Now we take **Scott & Bowne's Palatable Caster** oil as complacently as we do coudensed milk. and it is just about as cheap-25 cents per bottle,

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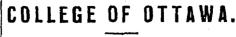
KEARNEY-DOHERTY-On June 24th at St. Patrick's Church, by the Rev. Father Dowd, William Kearney, Fsq., to Maggie, fourth daughter of John Doherty, Esq., of Donegana street, both of this city.

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