TELEGRAMS CONDENSED.

Dean Stanley is seriously ill from erysipe-

Farm laborers are in demand in the vicinity of London, Ont.

The French Senate has passed a bill granting liberty to the press.

There are sixteen cases of small-pox in the outskirts of Wilkesbarre, Pa. Bradlaugh threatens to appear at the House

of Commons with 5,000 followers.

It is rumored that Prince Leopold will visit America some time in the autumn.

Another comet has been discovered at Ann Arbour, Michigan, visible only by telescope. The bakers in Chicago have ordered an advance of one cent a loaf in the price of

bread. During last week 732 tons of iron ore have been shipped from Belleville to the United

States. The number of deaths in New York last week was 990, the greatest of any week

On Saturday, at Albany, Miller, the haifbreed candidate, was elected Senator in place

of Platt. The religious leaders of Arab notables at Biserta have fixed a day for joining an in-

surrection. Advices from Oran say that Chief Bon Amena has been deteated by the French and is in full flight.

Polling under the Canada Temperance Act will take place in Hants County, N. S., on September the 15th.

Business at Genoa, Italy, is impeded by a strike among the coal heavers, and which has extended to other laborers. It is said that a sloop-of-war of six guns

has been sent to reinforce the squadron protecting the fisheries. The Fiji Times of April 30th reports the massacre of over 1,000 persons at Tipitawa, one of the Tino Islands.

The Paris papers are calling for a suppression of the annual review of the French army, which they declare useless and cruel.

When Ireland suffers, America sends her bread, and England sends not a stone but buckshot.

manifest actions against the present form of It is reported from El Paso that while Governor Terrasi was en route to El Pago, he

was attacked by Indians, and thirty of his

men killed. Richard Weddis, a farmer, of Walpole Township, was struck by lightening and instantly killed while riding a reaper cutting grain on

Saturday morning. By a Russian Imperial ukase, granted at the suggestion of Gen. Ignaticff, on the 2nd inst., the sentence of death passed on Hessy

Helfmann has been commuted. The confederation of the Liberal Association in England are considering the proposal for holding a monster meeting in favor of the

Land Bill when it reaches the Upper House. Large numbers of agricultural laborers in the District of Marcroom, County Cork, have struck for higher wages, and are marching through the country compelling others to

The Hawalian Minister of State, now travelling in England with King Kalakaua, denies that that monarch has any intention of disposing of his domains to England or

Count Tyner, a former attache of the German Embassy in London, and who was plunged into disgrace there, has been dismissed from the army, and degraded from the ranks of the goomity.

The Secretary of the Treasury has awarded a gold life-saving medal to Ida Lewis, now Mrs. Ida Lewis Wilson, in recognition of her services in rescuing a number of persons from drowning.

HIS LAST WORDS.

A French newspaper tells the following story to illustrate that English enterprise is ahead of American: Lately, at Calcutta, a dangerous criminal was arrested and condemned to death. On the day of the execution, when the jailer was about to prepare the condemned man for the supreme moment, an English gentleman arrived hurriedly and presented an order from the governor of the city authorizing him to hold a private interview with the prisoner. They were left alone for a quarter of an hour, and when they separated the condemned man of wheat from January 1st to July 15th this was heard to say: "It is distinctly under-year, were 2,640,167 bushels, a decrease of stood that you will give £10,000 sterling to my heirs?" "I swear it upon the Bible," replied the mysterious Englishman. The pri-soner was then prepared and led to the scaf-bushels, a decrease of 62,838 bushels. There fold, where he claimed the exercise of the right always awarded to those about to suffer | 691 bushels; in the receipts of peas of 814.325 execution—the right before dving to say a farewell word. Advancing to the front of the of 600,915 bushels. In the shipments scaffold he at once won the attention of those present, and then exclaimed in a stentorian voice: "The best chocolate in the world is named there was a decrease this year amountthat of the firm of So-and-So or Piccadilly, London." Then he calmly yielded himself in shipments of any one cereal was in peas, up to the executioner.

LORD ROWTON'S VISIT TO THE QUEEN.

The daily visits to royalty by Lord Rowton, who seems, as it were, a legacy be-queathed by the lost one, have, as a matter of course, given rise to many surmises. One is that of a possible marriage between him and the Queen's unmarried daughter, the Princess Beatrice. It is asked, with some reason, why has Lord Rowton become so suddenly a constant visitor at court. It is answered that the Queen is anxious to assist at the examination of Lord Beaconsfield's papers, and that he is merely called to a seance every morning for the purpose, just as Sir Theodore Martin attended the Queen during the compilation of the Life of the Prince Consort; but many of the female sex declare that the project of an alliance which is looked on as ridiculous is not really so absurd when examined. The Queen, who hurrled on the union between Lord Lorne, the Governor General of Canada, with the Princess Louise, which has been anything but a happy one, may look with a favorable eye on a union which would keep her youngest and favourite daughter by her

Strange to say, though in all European countries he who attempts to take the life of the head of the State is guilty of high treason and incurs the penalty of death, the miccreant who may endeavor to take the life of the President of the United States incura merely the penalty attaching to an attempt on the life of an ordinary citizen. This is not as it should be. A President has an official life which belongs to the State, and the State should take more than ordinary caution for the preservation of that life.—St. Thomas

which medical skill does battle. The latter, if less dangerous, is the most inveterate of the try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which gives a quietus to both these complaints, even in advanced stages, but the early use of which inwardly and outwardly is specially to be recommended, as all diseases are most successfully combatted in their infancy. Piles, neuralgic pain, stiffness of the joints, inflammation, hurts, tumors, and the various diseases and injuries of the equine race and cattle are among the evils overcome by this leading remedy. Sold by medicine dealers everywhere. Prepared only by Northbor & LYMAN, Toronto, Önt.

Finance and Commerce.

FINANCIAL. TRUE WITNESS OFFICE.

TUESDAY, July 91, 1881. The Money market is quiet at 4 per cen for call loans on stocks and 5 per cent for time loans. Mercantile paper of good make is discounted at 6 to 7 per cent. Sterling Exchange is steady at 84 prem. between ranks, 8% to 8% counter. In New York the posted rates are 4.84 and 4.86. Documentary is quoted here at 81, and currency drafts on New York are drawn at about par.

Business at the Stock Exchange this mornng was almost exclusively confined to Montreal Telegraph, 1,460 shares of which changed hands. The stock rose from 1192 bid yesterday afternoon to 1201 bid at noon. Bank of Montreal at the close of the early board exhibited a rise of 1 per cent; Commerce of 1 per cent; Richelieu of 1 per cent, and Gas of 1 per cent. Ontario and Merchants Bank stocks were steady at 80 and 123% bid respectively.

Morning Stock Sales -103 Ontario 80; 5 Commerce 1403; 75 Gas 1413; 70 Richelieu | filberts, 81c to 9c. 64; 25 Montreal Telegraph 1191; 50 do 1191; 50 do 1201; 50 do 1201; 75 do 1201; 75 do 1201; 100 do 121; 100 do 121; 100 do do 121; 325 do 121; 50 do 121; 75 75 do 1203; 10 do 120½; 25 do 120¾; 100 do Don Carlos has been engaged in certain proceedings in France, which are regarded as per cent, 112. 1201; \$1,500 Montreal Corporation bonds, 6

The stock market this afternoon was duli but firm. Bank of Montreal stood at 1921 bid; Ontario at 80; Commerce at 1403; Montreal Telegraph at 1201, and Richelieu at 64. Afternoon Sales-25 Montreal at 1923; 50 Ontario, 804; 2 Merchants, 1231; 10 Molsons, 14; 20 Commerce, 1404; 55 do, 141; 8 Exchange, 140; 25 Gas, $141\frac{3}{4}$; 250 do, 142; 50 Montreal Telegraph, $120\frac{3}{4}$; 165 do, $120\frac{3}{4}$; \$4,000 Corporation 6 per cent bonds, 106, due 1885; \$4,000 do, 108, due 1887; \$2,000 do, 112, due 1891; \$2,000 do, 110, due 1889.

COMMERCIAL.

WEEKLY REVIEW - WHOLESALE MARKETS.

We have now arrived at that uninteresting

period of the year called by merchants "between seasons." In most wholesale branches the spring trade is fully over, while the fall trade has yet to commence. The first half of the year, or the spring trade portion, has witnessed an increased movement in staple goods, and preparations for the latter half of 1881 indicate that an active fall trade is looked forward to with certainty. Remittances are dropping in satisfactory, and country merchants seem more than ever alive to the importance of securing the large discounts offered for prompt payments. The hay crop is engaging attention and harvesting operations may now be said to have fairly commenced, at least, in the West. Crop reports from points in 104; oats 102; peas 102; rye 72; hay 92; morphia, \$3.40 to 3.50; castor oil, 10c; shelpotatoes 106; corn 84; roots 101; apples 67; other fruits 77. This may be considered a gold exhibit, as last year the spring wheat crop was so affected by weather influences as to be generally considered a failure. Of course later and more accurate returns may modify the above figures very materially. The movement of grain at Montreal so far this season exhibits a falling off. Last year the receipts of grain of all kinds from the let of January up to the 15th of July were 7,623,351 bushels, wi ile this year there were received within the same dates 7,013,400 bushels. Flour and meal reduced to bushels were, however, received to the extent of 2,295,175 bushels this year, in the same period, while last year only 1,634,260 bushels arrived. In detail it may be mentioned that the receipts year, were 2,640,167 bushels, a decrease of 230,535 bushels. The receipts of corn were 2,032,266 bushels, a decrease of 1,385,594 was an increase in the receipts of oats of 254. bushels, and in the receipts of flour and meal of grain, flour and meal from Montreal to Europe in the period of time above

9,333,240 bushels for the corresponding time in 1880. GROCERIES. -The only transactions in teas of any importance during the week were corfined to good medium Japans and low grade Congous, and at the steady prices, country store keepers are buying freely. Of grocery goods generally it may be stated that the cheering prospects in all parts of the country seem to have the effect of brightening up trade with retail merchants who are doing a most satisfactory business. In a short time we shall probably see the jobbing trade undergo an improvement as stocks must he considerably reduced. Japan, common, 221c to 25c; good common to medium; 27c to 30c; fair to good, 34c to 40c, fine to choice, 41c to 53c. Nagasaki, 25c to 35; Young hyson firsts 48c to 55c; seconds, 38c to 45c; thirds, 30c to 35c; fourths, 26c to 29c; Gunpowder, low grades, 38c to 40c; good to fine, 50c to 60c; finest, 65c to 70c; Imperial, medium to good, 33c 38c; fine to nuest, 45c to 60c; Twankey, commen to good, 29c to 32; Oolong, common, 33c to 38c; good to choice, 40c to 65c; Congou, common, 26c to 32c; medium to good, 32c to 40c; fine to finest, 41c to 60c; Soucheng, common, 28c to 36c; medium to good, 33c to

ing to 2,191,160 bushels. The only increase

said increase amounting to 561,684 bushels.

Wheat, corn, cats, barley, flour and meal were

each exported in much less quantity than

last year. The total shipments so far this

year were 7,142,080 bushels, as against

45c; fine to choice, 50c to 70c. IRON AND HARDWARE -Bar-iron, pig iron, copper and ingot tin are possibly firmer, but the market is without much change, as consumers are not eager purchasers. Remittances are well up to the mark, and travellers still in the country are sucoccoing quite so well as was pre-!

Warnings.—Lung disease and rheumatism dicted they would. We quote: Pig peas, 1,200 do; oats, 80 do; flour, 3,250 harare perhaps the most obstinate maladies with iron per ton, Coltness, \$19 00 to \$20.00; Sie-which medical skill does battle. The latter, mens, \$19 to \$20.00; Gartsherrie, \$19.00 to pkgs; cheese, 3,350 boxes; pork, 160 bar-19 50; Summerlee, \$18.75 to 19 25; Langloan two. Both make their approaches gradually \$19 to 19.50; Eglinton, \$17 50 to 18 00; two. Both make their approaches gradually and are heralded by symptoms which ought to warn the sufferer of the approach. As soon to warn the sufferer of the approach. As soon \$1 80 to 190; best ditto \$2.05 to 2.20; Swedes \$1 80 to 190; best ditto \$2.05 to 2.20; Swedes \$1 80 to 190; best ditto \$2.05 to 2.20; Swedes they who can be advised for their good will \$4 to 4 25; Norway, \$5 to 5 25; Lowmoor & Bowling, \$6 25 to 6 50. Canada plates, per box: Hatton \$3 to 3 10; other brands \$3 10 \$3 20; Tin Plates, per box: charcoal IC, \$5 50 to 5 75; ditto, IX, \$7 50 to 0 00; ditto, DC, \$5 to 0 00; ditto, DX, \$7 to 0 00. Coke, IC, \$4 50 to 0 00. Tinned Sheets, No. 26, charcoal, \$10 50 to 11; Galvanized Sheets No. 28 best \$6 75 to 7 25; Hoops and Bands, per 100 lbs \$2 25 to 250; Sheets, best brands \$2 75 to \$3. Boiler Plates, per 100 lbs., Staffordshire, \$2 75 to 3; do Bradley, \$4 50 to 462]; do. Lowmoor & Bowling \$7 to \$12. Russia Sheet Iron per lb, 12;c to 13c. Lead, plg per 100 lbs, \$4 25; do sheet, 5 50; do bar, \$5 to \$5 50; do shot, \$6 to \$6 50; Steel, cast, per lb, 111c to 121c; do Spring, per 100 lbs, \$3.75 to \$4; do Tire, \$3.50 to \$3 75; do Sleigh Shoe, \$3 to \$3 25. Ingot Tin, \$25 to \$26. Ingot Copper, \$17 25; Sheet Zinc per 100 lbs, \$6 to 650; spelter, \$5 50 to \$6. Horse Shoes, per 100 lbs, \$4 25 to \$4 50. Proved Coil chain, \$\frac{3}{4}\$ inch, \$5 50. Iron Wire, No. 6, per bdJ, \$1.75.

Sugars.—There is evidently no intention on the part of our refiners to reduce prices: in fact, the price of raw sugar does not warrant it, and as soon as the next brisk demand sets in we may safely look for a "jump." Granulated, 103c to 104c; Grocers "A," 101c to 104c; Extra Bright Yellow, 94c to 91c; Bright Yellow, 81c to 9c; Fair, 81c

to 8 c; Medium, 9 c to 8 c. Fruits .- All sorts are very stiff, and before the new fruit arrives our market will probably be cleared as "clear as a whistle." Currants, 6gc to 7cl; valencias 8lc to 9c; layers, \$2.25 to \$2.30; London layers, \$2.70 to \$2.80; loose muscatel, box, \$2.30 to \$2.40; sultanas, nominally, 12c; seedless, 9½c to 10½c; prunes, 5½c to 6½c; malaga figs, 6c to 7c; h s almonds, 6c to 7c; s s tarragona, 13c to 15c; walnuts, French, 91c to 10c

Coffee .- No animation, whatever, can be worked up on this staple, the demand being very light. We quote:—Green mocha, per lb, 30c to 38c; Java, 23c to 28c; maracaibo, 21c to 23c; cape, 19c to 20c; Jamaica, 18c to 20c; Rio, 18c to 20c; Singapore and Ceylon, 22c to 27c; chicory, 12c to 12½c.

Spices show no change but are firm all round. Cassia, per lb., 13c to 18c; mace, 90c to \$1; cloves, 40c to 50c; Jamaica ginger, bl, 22c to 28c; Jamaica ginger, unbl, 17c to 21c; Cochin ginger, 14c to 18c; African, 10c to 11c; black pepper, 13c to 14c; pimento, 16c to 17c; mustard, 4 lisjars, 19c to 20c; mustard, 1 lb jars, 24c to 25c; nutmegs, unlimed, 85c to 95c; limed, 90c to \$1.

Syrups and Molasses. - There is little or nothing doing. Syrups-Bright, 70cto 72c; medium, 65c to 68c; fair, 58c to 62c. fear of putting up prices beyond a shipping Molasses-Barbadoes 56c to 58c; Trinidad, 46c to 50c; sugar house, 35c to 37.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.-The market is firm in consequence of the increased cost of manufacture in England. Opium is irregular. A Bosion paper says that probably only 10 cases of poor stock opium was sold at \$3. which was the lowest price reached. The New York clique holds from 1,500 to 1,800 cases, and the drop was caused by reports of a large crop and the rumor that the "corner" was about to be broken. Bi-carb soda, \$3.05 to \$3.25; soda asb, \$1.50 to \$1.65; bi-chromate of potash, 131c to 15c; borax, 15c to 16c; cream tarter crystals, 29c to 31c; ditto ground, 31c to 33c; caustic soda, \$2.50 to 2.60; sugar of lead, 13c to 14c; bleaching powder, \$1.40 to \$1.60; alum, \$1.75 to 1.85; copperas, 100 lbs., 90c to \$1; flour sulphur, \$2 to 3.25 epsom salts, \$1.30 to 1.50; sal soda, \$1.05 to \$1.15; saltpetre, per lac, 42c to 45c.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—Orders for the fall trade continue fairly numerous, but for present delivery only small odd lots are being turned There is no alteration in prices, which, however, are very firm. Men's split boots, \$1.75 to \$2.25: do, split brogans, \$1 to \$1.10; do buff congress, \$1.80 to 2.25; do kip boots, \$2.50 to 3.25; do cowhide boots, 2.30 to \$2.75; women's split bals, 90c and S1; do pebble and buff balmorals, \$1.10 to \$1.40; do prunella, 50c to \$1.60; Misses' buff and pebble bals, 90c to

LEATHER .- A moderate business is passing, the principal demand being for sole leather. Calfekin leather is in more request and stocks are light. Black leathers are probably moving slightly better in jobbing lote, but trade is not by any means in large volume. Hemlock Spanish sole, No 1, BA, 25c to 27c; ordinary, 241c to 251c; No 2, BA, 23c to 24½c; No 2, ordinary, 22½c to 23½c. Buffalo sole, No 1, 21c to 23c; No 2, 19c to 21c; hemlock slaughter, No 1, 27c to 29c; waxed upper, light and medium, 36c to 42c; splits, large, 25c to 30c; small, 22c to 25c; calfskins (27 to 36 lbs), 60c to 80c; do (18 to 26 lbs), 60c to 70c. Harness, 26c to 34c; buff, 140 to 16c; pebble, 121c to 151c; rough, 26c to 28c.

Wood.-Market is still unsettled, with prices more or less nominal. The nominal price for fleece wool in the west The is 27c to 28c. Cape, 18c to 19c; Greasy Australian, 23c to 31c; Canada pulled, A super, 34c to 35c; B super, 31c to 33c; and unassorted, 30c.

Hipes are quoted at \$10, \$9.00 and \$8.00 for Nos. 1, 2 and 3. Sheepskins, 65c to 70c;

PETROLEUM is still dull at 21 to in car lots. Broken lots are quoted at 22c to 22kc, and single bbl. lots at 22½c to 23½c.

SALT .- Coarse, 55c to 571c; factory filled, 90c to \$1 00; eureka, \$2, \$1, and 50c for bags, halves and quarters.

FLOUR, per bb' .- Superior Extra, \$5.95 to 600; Extra Superfine, \$585 to 500; Fancy, 5 80; Spring Extra, \$5.80 to 5.85; Superfine, \$5.40 to 5.50; Strong Bakers', \$5.85 to 6.50; Fine, \$4.85 to 5.00; Middlings, \$4.60 to 4.75; Pollards, \$4.25 to \$4.35; Ontario hags, \$2.80 to 2.90; City bags (delivered), 3.15 to \$3.20.

OATS-412c to 42c. Oatmeal-Ontario, 4.80 to \$4 90. Conv-57c in bond. Peas-90c to 90 c.

Cornmeal—\$3.05 to 3.15. Butter-Western, 17c to 18c; Eastern Townships, 20c to 22c; Morrisburg and district, 19c to 21c Creamery, 22c to 23lc.

Cheese—New, 91c to 101c. Lard—141c to 15c for pails. Pork—Heavy Mess, \$19.75 to 20.50. Hams—Uncovered, 131 to 14c. Bacon-11c to 12c.

Eggs-14c. Ashes-Pots, nominal at \$4.85 to 4.95 per 100 lbs for Firsts.

Eggs—14c to 141c. Beceipts of Produce-Corn, 900 bushels; rels; laid, 193 pkgs; tallow, 9 barrels.

CITY RETAIL MARKETS-JULY 19. There was a good average attendance of buyers to-day, and plenty of cheap vegetables and fruits were on sale. About 400 boxes of blueberries from Black River arrived by the steamer from Laprairie, and sold at \$1 per | 1 am acquainted." box, containing two gallons. There were no strawberries, but garden raspberries were druggists. freely offered at 8c to 10c per quart. Mont-real tomatoes were held at \$2.50 per bushel; cucumbers at 50c to 60c per dozen; red currants at \$1 per bucket; gooseberries at 60c per gallon; Southern water melons at \$1 50 each; Montreal small garden melons at \$1 each, Marafat peas at 60c per bush; string beans at \$1 50 per bush; cauliflowers at \$2 to \$2 50 per doz; lettuce at 20c per doz, and barvest apples at \$5 50 per barrel. Salmon is scarce at 30c per lb.

DAIRY PRODUCE.—Best print butter, 25c per lb.; best tub butter, 20c; eggs, in baskets,

FLOUR, MEAL AND GRAIN.-Flour, per 100 lbs., \$3.10 to \$3.15; Buckwheat flour, \$2.50 Oatmeal, \$2.50; Cornmeal \$1.55 to \$1.65 Bran, 80c per 100 lbs; Barley, nominal Oats, per bag, \$1.05; Peas, per bushel, \$1.05; Buckwheat, per bush, 80c.

FRUIT.—Apples, per brl, \$5.00 to \$5.50 Lemons, per case, \$5.00; do, per box, \$4; Oranges, \$12 per case; Strawberries, 10c to 13c per quart.

VEGETABLES.—Potatoes, new, \$1 to 1 20 per bush.; carrots, 30c per doz; onions, 40c per doz bunches; cabbages, new, per doz, 50c to \$1; beets, per doz, 25c; turnips, 10c per bunch.

POULTRY AND MEAT .- Dressed Fowls per pair, 60c to 70c; ducks do, 60c to 75c; turkeys, 12c to 13c per lb; beef, per lb, 10c to 12½c; mutton, do, 7c to 10c; veal, per lb., 6c to 10e; pork, 10c to 13c; ham, 14c; lard,

MONTREAL CATTLE MARKET-July 18

During the past week there was a large increase in the number of sheep brought on h re for export, the receipts by rail since and including Sunday last being 6,726 sheep, 1,100 cattle, 50 hogs and 20 horses. The live stock market to-day was fairly active, Mr. N. Kennedy buying about 56 head at 5c to 53c for export, while Mr. McShane took 19 head from Thos. Bonner at \$68 to \$70 each; 18 from M. Sullivan at \$68 each; 19 from Thos. Pierce at \$77 each; 18 from W. Lunnis at \$67 each; 8 from B. Roy for \$400. and 6 from John Ryan at 5½c per lb. Several loads of western butchers' cattle were driven to Viger Market, where medium to good butchers' stock was worth 41c to 5c. It was rumored to-day that as high as 5%c was paid for choice ship. ping cattle, but the rumor could not be traced and drovers appear particularly auxious to keep their proceedings private for

point in the country. Ocean freights for cattle are quoted at $\pounds 2$ 5s to $\pounds 2$ 10, and for sheep at about 6s. Insurance can be secured for cattle on good steamers at 2 per cent.

The following dealers were offering stock to-day :-- W Lunnis and J Rodgers, Toronto; Massey & Bobec, Stratford; J C Willer, Lennoxville; T Pierce, Toronto; J Eakins, Port Hope; W Jack, Lindsay, and W McClanaghan, Perth.

Sheep were quoted at 41c to 5c per Ib, live weight, and a large number are awaiting shipment at Point St. Charles. Live hogs are dull at 63c to 7c.

MONTREAL HORSE MARKET-July 16. Business the past week was unusually slack, and only 77 steeds were bought up for exportation to the United States. Yesterday afternoon, at the Corporation market, 13 Canada show that fall wheat is 88 per cont of keg, \$9.50 to 10; sulphate of copper, 5½ to horses, comprising old hacks and working an average crop; spring wheat 92; barley 7c; whiting, 55c to 60c; quinine, \$3.75; horses were sold at prices ranging from \$8 to \$75 each. Since our last the following American traders were in town:-S T Nute, Lowell, Mass; J F Dale, Penbody, Mass; W F Demers, Springfield, Mass; J F Baker, Boston; C H Hansom, Lowell, Mass; W Gordon, Boston; D Hutchison, Worcester, Mass.

> Latest record of exports to the United States: -July 11th, 14 horses, \$1,126.50; 1 do, \$90; 1 do, \$250; 18 do, \$2,540; 20 de, \$2,015. July 13th, 3 do, \$332.50; 7 do, \$758. July 14th, 1 do, \$75; 12 do, \$1,305.

THE Pinnoforte has not that fullness of tone possessed by the grand organ, nor have its individual notes the richness or sustained quality of the human voice, violin or clarionet. The piano, however, indicates and suggests more than it really gives. It excites the imagination more and jades the senses less than more powerful instruments. Its nature being less sensuous is therefore more spiritual and serves to awaken and stimulate the imagination in a much greater degree than other instruments of music. Of this spirituality of tone, suggesting, and, as it were, creating musical ideas, the best exponent is the pianos of Weber. For the proper rendering of the quiet, dreamy music of Chopin, where great delicacy and purity of tone are required, it is unapproached by any other instrument. Hence all leading musical people give the preference to this plane.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS TO THE CANADIAN CAMP.

WIMBLEDON, July 16 .- Last evening Colonel Gibson was entertained by Viscount Bury, and met, besides other distinguished guests, Sir Garnet Wolsely. To-day the visitors to the Canadian camp included the Duke and Princess Mary of Teck, the Crown Princess of Germany, Earl and Countess Granville, Lord and Lady Lytton, and the Countess of Brownlow. In the absence of Colonel Gibson and Captain Curren, the honors of the camp were done by Captains Weston and Ballour.

THE well-known family medicines of Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co. have been before the public forty years, and time strengthens the favorable impression with which they were at first received. We have been in the habit of using them ourselves, and recommending them to our acquaintances. Ayer's Pills are a perfect regulator of the system; Ayer's Extract of Sarsa parilla is the best known purifier of the blood Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is a safe and sure remedy in complaints of the throat and lungs; and Ayer's Ague Cure is an effectual cure in cases of Fever and Ague and other malarial fevers These medicines are compounded with skill and accurate medical knowledge, and they are in no sense to be classed with the cheap nostrums of the day. The formulas from which they are

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50 cents and \$1 a bottle. Sold by all

DIED.

McCROSSON.—In this city, on the 15th inst.. Rose Ward, widow of Hugh McCreson, aged 70 years, a native or Strabane, Co. Tyrone, Ire-land.

Hew Advertisements.

EXHIBITION:

Montreal Herticultural Society Will hold their usual Annual Exhibition in the

VICTORIA SKATING RINK, On Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 20th, 21st, 22nd and 23rd September next.

(During the second week of the Provincial Exhibition.)
Competition is open to the entire Province, and a Prize List is offered amounting to \$1.600.
Entries close Tuesday, 13th September. Prize Lists and all further information furnished on application to

to HENRY S. EVANS, Scc.-Treas,

GENERAL INFORMATION RESPECTING THE MINES AND MINING LAW OF THE PRO-

VINCE OF QUEBEC.

The chief provisions of the Qu bec General Mining Act of 1880 are:—

1. The declaration of ownership by the Crown and reserve of all mines not specially granted.

Sec. 3.

2. For the sale of mining rights on patented and seignorial lands, and on unpatented lands acquired for agricultural purposes. Secs. 4 to 12

3. For imposition of Royalty under Order in Council if deemed advisable Secs. 13 & 52.

4. For granting licenses to mine for gold or silver on public lands and on conceded portions of Seignory Rigaud, Vaudreuit, and other private lands. Ses. 14, 50, et 1eq.

5. For the sale of lands as mining locations. Sec. 23, et seq.

5. For the sale of lands as mining locations. Sec. 23, et seq.
6. For imposition of penalties for contravention of Act. Sec. 101, et seq.
Under this Act parties holding Letters Patent for lands granted for agricultural purposes may acquire the right to work any mines of gold or silver thereon, without lies se, by paying the Commissioner of trown Lands a sum sufficient to make up, with the amount paid before issue of patent, the price of twoodlars per acre. In the case of free grants, the which price of two collars per acre must be paid. Consitaires in the seignories in which the Crown holds mining rights may acquire these rights by paying one the seignories in which the Crown holds mining rights may acquire these rights by paying one dollar and a half peracre for the whole of their land, or at least one hundred acces; and the seignor or proprietor of the unconceded portion of a seignory may do the same on paying two dollars per acce; the extent over which such rights can be acquired being, however, limited to four hundred acres, or, in special cases, eight hundred acres.

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If a mine of any kind be discovered and worked on land sold for settlement but not patented, the settlement duties not being performed, the sale may be cancelled, unless the land be raid for in full as a mining location.

Sec. 12. Mining locations, which may be of any exten

Mining locations, which may be of any extent up to four hundred acres, or, in special cases, eight hundred acres, may be acquired by addressing a letter to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, specifying the lot or lots required, and transmitting at the same time—

1. The full price of the location at the rate of lirce dullars per acre, if it is to be mined for phosphate of time (this price fixed by OC. of 2rd March, 1881); two dollars per aire if to be mined for asbestos, or gold or silver (price fixed by O.C. of 7th Oct... 1880); one dollar per acre, if it be mined for inferior metals or other minerals, or deposits of any substance of appreciable value.

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2. A specimen of the mineral for which the land is to be worked, with an affidavit identifying it as having been taken from the land applied for.

Mines of gold or silver on public or private lands may be worked by parties taking out liceness for themselves and their employees, coating two dollars for each person for three months, if the mining is to be done on private lands and four dollars if on public lands.

The size and position of claims on public lands worked under such licenses argregulated by the Act or determined by the mining inspector according to circumstances.

The localities in the Province of Quebec in which minerals are chiefly found are as follows:

lows:—
Gold.—Eastern Townships, especially the counties of Beauce and Compton.
Phosphate of Lime.—Countles of Ottawa

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Ashestos.—Counties of Megantic and Wolfe. Iron.—Counties of Ottawa, Montalm, St. Murlee, Champlain, Charlevoix and Sagnenay. Coppet.—Counties of Bagot, Megantic and Sherbrooke.

Galena.—Counties of Ottawa (Lake Temiscaminguo), Gaspe and Rimouski.

Plumargo.—County of Ottawa.

Mica.—Counties of Berthier, Ottawa and Megantic.

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