

having in the interim, of twenty-one hours and a-half, unloaded her cargo and taken on board her return freight. To fully realize the extent of this performance, it is necessary to know that the "Scandinavian" is a vessel of 3,000 tons burthen. The great advantages of the electric light, now in constant use on the wharves, were in this case, fully demonstrated, enabling the stovedores to carry on their work with equal facility by night and by day.

The Montreal exhibition has attracted the usual quota of confidence men and thieves, who make it their business to attend such gatherings among their harvest fields, and that there are some among them marked by pre-eminent coolness and daring, is evidenced by the robbery of \$7,000 committed last Monday in the Bank of Montreal. Between twelve and one o'clock of that day, the paying teller had occasion to leave his compartment for a few minutes, when, though the counter was lined with people transacting their business, a stranger walked through the side door into the compartment, coolly helped himself to a packet containing the above amount, paused a moment as if in deep contemplation, and deliberately walked out the way he came. The clerk at the adjoining wicket noticed the entrance, but supposed it was the paying teller, until the latter himself returning, excited his suspicion, when the robbery was revealed. Pursuit was immediately made, but without any result, and a reward of \$1,000 has now been offered for the recovery of the money, and the conviction of the thief. There are few robberies on record marked by such cool audacity and sang froid.

A new lumber company, with a capital of \$1,000,000 has been organized. As the name "British Canadian Lumbering Company" indicates, it is composed of capitalists on both sides of the Atlantic. The principal office of the company is in Edinburgh, as a considerable portion of the stock is owned in Scotland. In Canada the principal office will be in Toronto, but there will also be branch offices at Quebec and at Midland. The Bank of Scotland will be the company's banker. The timber limits and lands in fee simple over which the operations of the company will extend are situated on the River Ottawa and the north shore of the Georgian Bay in the Muskoka and Parry Sound districts, and in the State of Michigan and Wisconsin, covering in all an area of about 1,300 square miles. These lands formerly belonged to the well-known firm of Cook Bros. and to Mr. Allan Grant, and have been transferred by them to the new company, in consideration of which they hold about half the capital stock, and will take a leading part in the management of the company's affairs. Already operations have been commenced by sending a large number of men up the Ottawa. The company have arranged to cut between 600,000 and 600,000 feet of timber on the Ottawa and 5,000,000 at Midland, and they will employ during the winter somewhere in the neighbourhood of 400 men. For wages and supplies they expect to spend annually between \$200,000 and \$300,000.

FIRE RECORD.

Ottawa, 20th.—P. Nolan's outbuildings, with contents, destroyed by fire. Loss about \$4,000. Partly insured.—Durham, 20th.—F. McKac's dwelling and barns burned. Loss about \$2,000. Supposed incendiarism.—Markdale, 20th.—The barns and outbuildings, with content, of J. Dormer, consumed by fire, loss about \$2,000, insured in Agricultural Mutual for \$600.—Harwood, 14th.—The Orser House, J. Harstone's stables, and R. Drope's new building, all destroyed by fire. The hotel and contents were insured.—Craigvale, 15th.—J. Hill's barns and contents burned. Loss about \$2,000, partly insured.—Omenee, 18th.—C. Die's dwelling, damaged to extent of \$200, fully insured.—Parkdale, 23rd.—The following is a list of insurances held on the buildings and stock destroyed by fire on Thursday morning:—H. Timms, building, B.A. Assurance, \$1,700; stock, Citizens, \$300; A. McKnight, Western, \$975; T. P. Worth, building, \$1,500, stock, \$200, in the B. A. Assurance; G. A. Devlin, \$1,800, in the Queen.—Markham, 21st.—George Miller's farm house burned; insured \$1,200 in Waterloo Mutual Ins. Co.

STOCKS IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Sept. 22, 1880.

Stocks.	Lowest Point in Week.	Highest Point in Week.	Total Transacted in Week.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Average Price, 1879.
Montreal.....	151	154	622	153½	154	129
" x.d.						
Ontario.....	85	86½	302	86	86½	56
Consolidated.....		80½	19	80	82	43
Peoples.....	97	98½	245	98	99	67
Molson's.....			10	134	137	113
Toronto.....	88½	90	250	88	90	58½
Jac. Cartier.....	103½	105½	681	105½	106	78
Merchants.....	127½	128½	337	128	129	111½
Commerce.....		107½	35	106	107½	
Eastern Tps.....					86	
Union.....						
Hamilton.....		55	30		51½	
Exchange.....	130	134	3112	133	133½	91½
Mon. Tel.....					75	
Dom. Tel.....					C	
Rich. & O. Nav.....	59½	61½	753	B	60½	61½
x.d.						
City Pass.....	115	118	908	118	119	82
Gas.....	148	149	265	148½	149	118½
It. C. Ins. Co.....		55	50			
Sterling Ex.....						
Gas x.d.....						
Mon. Tel.....						

Total number of shares dealt in during week, 7981
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