THE MONETARY TIMES, TRADE REVIEW AND INSURANCE CHRONICLE.

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| Description. | in Que- | Banks in On- tario. | | Total. | |
| | \$ | 8 | 8 | 8 | |
| Capital paid up | 36,305 | 18,918 | 6.383 | 61.606 | |
| Circulation | 16.892 | 11.320 | 3.724 | 31.936 | ١. |
| Deposits | 52,588 | 37.322 | 10,325 | 100.235 | - |
| Loans & Discounts. | 85,008 | 60,239 | 16,770 | 162,017 | |
| Cash and Foreign | | | | - | |
| Balances (Net) | 21,786 | 10,608 | 3,214 | 35,608 | ; |
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DRY GOODS IMPORTS AT TORONTO.

Continuing the method of tabulation which we began two years ago, founded upon the monthly statements of imports issued by the Board of Trade of this city, and summarising the figures of the past year we reach totals which will prove of interest, especially to our readers connected with the dry goods trade. The items we have grouped together, as covering what are termed "dry goods," are those of cotton goods, woollen goods, hats, caps, and bonnets, fancy goods and silk wares. The total value of imports of these at Toronto during last year was \$5 378,892 as compared with \$6,583,322 in the year preceding, a decrease of a million and a quarter in cost; though taking into account the decline in values of merchandise, there does not appear to have been any great decrease in the quantity of goods purchased. We append the figures for the several items in each mon h of the two years and also the total imports for each month :-

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| | Jan. '84. | Jan.' 83. |
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| Cotton goods | 115,954 | 331,655 |
| Fancy goods | 3 :,092 | 93.456 |
| Hats and bonnets | 16,428 | 37.075 |
| Silk goo is | 44,022 | 81,999 |
| Woolien go ds | 166,607 | 208,012 |
| | | |
| Dry goods, Jan'y | \$375,103 | \$752,197 |
| | Fab. 10 (| Est. 100 |
| Cotton goods | Feb. '84. 239.990 | Feb. '83. |
| Fancy goods | 122,365 | 384.762 |
| Hats and bonnets | 41,120 | 137,777 56,981 |
| Silk goods. | 136,394 | |
| Woollen gocd | 289,610 | 163,844 284,301 |
| 8,00 | 205,010 | 204,501 |
| Dry goods Feb'y | \$819,489 | \$1027,165 |
| | Mar. '84. | Mar. '83. |
| Cotton goods | 156 828 | 284,205 |
| | 55,225 | 78,155 |
| | 40,976 | 42,245 |
| | 85,041 | 101,131 |
| Woollen goods | 205 047 | 242,447 |
| Dry goods, Mar | \$540,147 | \$748,183 |
| | 1 204 | 1 103 |
| Cotton goods | Apr. '84. | Apr. '83. |
| | 94,135 | 161.613 |
| | 40,825 | 42,330 |
| Silk goods | 38,190 28,813 | 46,296 |
| Woollen goods | 98.812 | 23.809 145,859 |
| n | | 110,000 |
| Dry goods—April | \$301,475 | \$419,907 |
| Cotton | May '84. | May '83. |
| Cotton goods. Fancy goods | 76,647 | 91,665 |
| Hats Boods | 35,092 | 35,804 |
| Silk good | 21,170 | 28,678 |
| Silk goods | 3 3,480 | 28,508 |
| 00048 | 81,848 | 64,951 |
| Dry goods—May | \$248,237 | \$249.606 |
| | June '84. | June '83. |
| Cotton goods | 70,222 | 79,661 |
| 4819 0 | 18,355 | 37,344 |
| Ollin good a strange of the second se | 11,363 | 12,095 |
| Silk goods | 21,695 | 21,047 |
| Woollen goods | 115 485 | 87,696 |
| Dry goods-June | \$238,030 | \$237,845 |
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November

December

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| · Cotton goods | July '84. | July '83. |
| Cotton goods | \$217,389 | \$276,565 |
| Fancy goods | . 56,571 | 65,430 |
| Hats and bonnets | 8,740 | 8,189 |
| Silk goods | 90.593 | 64,098 |
| Woollen goods | 350,866 | 310,427 |
| . | - | |
| Dry goods, July | \$724,159 | \$724,709 |
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| | Au., '84. | Aug. '83. |
| Cotton goods | 193 074 | 233,264 |
| Fancy goods | 102 184 | 124,015 |
| Hats and bonnets | 24,668 | 16,176 |
| Silk goods | | |
| Woollen goods | | 126,832 |
| woonen koone | 470,384 | 487,086 |
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| Dry goods, Aug | \$921,071 | \$987,873 |
| | Sep. '84. | gan 199 |
| Cotton goods | 100 000 | Sep. '83. |
| Douton goods | 128,999 | 139,865 |
| Fancy goods | 52,567 | 48,465 |
| Hats and bonnets | 28,476 | 32.719 |
| Siik goods | 72,888 | 65,689 |
| Woollen goods | 283,600 | 252,017 |
| - | | |
| Dry goods, Sept | \$566,530 | \$538,755 |
| and Booms' Debe | | |
| | Oct. '84. | Oct. '83. |
| Cotton Goods | 72,540 | 78,427 |
| Faucy goods | 26,531 | 32,897 |
| Hats and bonnets | 13,351 | 13,126 |
| Silk goods | 30,999 | 35,503 |
| Woollen goods | | |
| | 161,906 | 124,272 |
| | | |
| Dry goods, Oct | \$305,325 | \$284,225 |
| 1 | Nov. '84. | Nov. '83. |
| Cotton goods | 59.038 | |
| Fancy goods | | 63,075 |
| | 20,235 | 18,611 |
| Hats and bonnets | 5,001 | 5,823 |
| Silk goods | 28,431 | 27,559 |
| Woollon goods | 63,955 | 56,293 |
| | | |
| Dry goods, Nov | \$176,660 | \$170,861 |
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| | Dec. '84. | Dec. '83. |
| Cotton goods | 56,160 | \$56,936 |
| Fanoy goods | 17,527 | 13,786 |
| Hats and caps | 15,000 | 17,204 |
| Silk goods | 19,670 | 15,816 |
| Woollen goods | 54,209 | |
| weeken goods | 54,203 | 38,956 |
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| Dur go de Dee | 0100 F00 | |
| Dry gor de, Dec | \$162,565 | \$142,498 |
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| | 1884 | 1883. |
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The position of affairs in the United States during the winter has in part accounted for the quietness in this line of Canadian trade. Not, perhaps, so much the peculiar commercial conditions (though even these were not favorable) as the uncertainty felt by business men as to the policy of the new government of that country. Added to this has been the depressed condition of the real estate market over there. The recent indications, however, of returning activity in manufacturing in the States-one hundred thousand persons, who were out of employment for some weeks or months, are said to have returned to work in factory, mill or furnace since 1st January-are significant, and cannot but have their effect upon the lumber market.

A lack of snow early in the winter has been unfavorable for operations in the Canadian woods, and it is thought that higher prices must come about in spring. Hence some are disposed rather to buy now than wait until the opening of navigation, only to pay higher prices. We hear of considerable sales, at Ottawa, of pine lumber-one to two inch sidings and stock boards-lately made for the American market.

-lt m y be remembered that when the British Association was in session last autumn in Montreal, the suggestion was made that a series of observations upon the influence of tides upon the navigation of the Gulf of the St. Lawrence was a matter well worthy the attention of the parliament and people of Canada. No small proportion of the wrecks which have taken place in the Gulf are believed to have been caused by tidal influences, inducing currents which have taken vessels off their course, unknown to their commanders. The tidal observations upon the coast of Britain have resulted in immensely enhancing the safety of navigation thereabout, and it is a matter of decided importance that the dangers of navigating our great water-way shall be removed, in so far as science and experience can determine them. We observe with interest that the Montreal Board of Trade has communicated with a deputation appointed by the British Association in the premises, and the matter is to be brought before parliament at the coming session. The gentlemen named by the Association are :--Professors Johnson and Bovey of McGill College, Montreal, Professor McGregor of Nova Scotia, Professor Cherriman of Ottawa, and Mr. Chas. Carpmael, Director of the Meteorological Survey at Toronto. We trust to see a grant made by the House for so deserving an object.

-The consideration for which the Pacific Railway Company undertakes to continue the road from Port Moody to Coal Harbor and English Bay is a grant of land by the local government in the vicinity, If the comprising about 6,000 acres. road had not originally s'opped short at Port Moody, these lands along with others would have been previously granted to the company by the Dominion Government. The extension of the road is to be completed, and workshops and other works are to be

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