

ROUND THE WORLD.

Mr. Gladstone has been elected an honorary member of a learned society at Bologna.

Mayor Mackintosh, of Ottawa, has announced that he will not be a candidate for the Mayorship.

Lieut. Joshua Wright, of the Ottawa and Carleton Militia, has been promoted to the rank of Captain.

Mr. Labouchere says in Truth that Mr. Biggar, M.P. for Cavan, will marry an Irish lady in Paris shortly.

Mrs. Lincoln, widow of the late President, writes that she has completely lost her eyesight, and is very weak.

Ald. Christian was on Saturday chosen at a small meeting of French Canadians as candidate for the Ottawa Mayorship.

The Life of Dean Stanley will be prepared by Dr. George Grove, editor of Macmillan's Magazine, who accompanied the Dean to America.

The Evening Mail, of Dublin, states that Lieutenant Lloyd, of the Royal Horse Artillery, has been appointed temporary Resident Magistrate at Clare.

Mr. J. L. P. O'Hanly and party have returned to Ottawa from the Northwest, where they have been engaged for the past few months in defining the new boundaries of the province.

Rev. J. M. Thompson has been appointed missionary for the diocese of Quebec by the Lord Bishop. Rev. A. Balfour has been appointed to succeed him at Richmond and Melbourn.

Messrs. Angus, McIntyre, Stephens, Mitchell and Drinkwater, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, were in Ottawa on Saturday afternoon to interview members of the Government on matters connected with the road.

On Friday last Lieutenant Lullier, an arrested Communist, waylaid Sibour, a nephew of the murdered Archbishop of Paris, and struck him. Lullier threatened to murder Sibour if he refused to fight with him.

Gen. Joseph E. Johnston publishes a statement alleging that Jefferson Davis removed nearly \$2,500,000 in specie, belonging to the Confederate Treasury at the evacuation of Richmond, and never accounted for it.

The Quebec Vigilance Committee have decided to apply to the Local Legislature at its next session for amendments to the City Charter, dividing the municipality into polling divisions for the purposes of the Dunkin Act.

The London Standard says that the Marquis of Lorne will remain in Canada another three years, he having made known his desire to complete the full term of the Governor-Generalship unless recalled to take up another appointment.

The Lord Mayor of Dublin has declined to call a meeting of the Corporation for Tuesday next to consider a resolution to confer the freedom of the city upon Messrs. Parnell and Dillon as the question was so recently decided by the Council.

The Wimbledon mystery is the great social topic in London. Opinions are much divided. Some think Dr. Lawson is guilty of oloman murder, but others, including many medical men, think the boy died in consequence of morphia administered by the doctors.

The Press Association Windsor correspondent says it is understood that the marriage of His Royal Highness Prince Leopold, Duke of Albany, with Her Serene Highness Princess Helena Waldeck, will take place at St. George's Chapel, Windsor Castle, in March next.

The Dutch Government intend to send a steamer on a cruise to every spot or island where it is possible that the missing members of the crew of the steamer "Konig der Nederlanden" which foundered on a voyage from Batavia for Amsterdam, may have taken refuge.

Lieut. Ferry, who recently graduated with honor at the Royal Military College, Kingston, and who refused an Imperial commission, owing to an accident to one of his legs, has been appointed Inspector in the N.W. Mounted Police, and will be stationed at Fort Walsh.

News from Hungary shows that crime is fearfully on the increase. The times are hard, and, it being hard to collect taxes, the burdens of the State are made as light as possible by the authorities. Criminals are sent to jail only in extreme cases, and, therefore, very short terms.

The census taken in April by the city authorities shows that the number of persons regularly employed or resident within the limits of "the city" of London on the day the census was taken was 261,061, and the number of persons who entered the city within twenty-four hours 797,563.

The British schooner "Royal Blue Jacket," Captain L. E. Tordise, from Oporto, for La Polle, Newfoundland, was abandoned in latitude 61 north, longitude 13 west, on her beam ends and dismasted. The captain and four of the crew were drowned. The rest of the crew were landed at Liverpool.

Representative Morrison has introduced a Bill providing that the dutiable value of merchandise imported into the United States, subject to the payment of *ad valorem* duties, shall be the actual wholesale price or general market value in the principal markets of the country from whence it was exported at the time of exportation.

The Irish and descendants of Irishmen who held a convention in Chicago, resolved that they would stand by the people in Ireland in their demand for a national government based upon the good will of the Irish people, heartily endorsing "no rent" manifesto as the best available weapon to strike "the landlord-jailers" and recommended a special levy of a quarter of a million of dollars for the benefit of the Land League, to be forwarded before the first of February. It cannot be said that the Irish in America are forgetful of their kindred in the old land. They are a big-hearted and generous people, and would share their last potato with a hungry man. Already they have contributed several millions of dollars and seem not to weary in sending fresh supplies. They wisely refrained from advocating a recourse to arms, no doubt recognizing the hopelessness of such a step. The fact that the Irish on this side of the Atlantic are able to send money to the Irish on the other shows that America is the country to come to, whether it be Canada or the United States. There could be no better evidence than this of the success that has attended the efforts of thousands of those who were driven out of the old world and sought a home for themselves in the new.

There is comfort in store for persons troubled with lame back, rheumatic pains, corns or bunions, who commence without delay a course of Dr. Thomas' Electrolytic Oil, followed up systematically until relief is obtained.

AN EXPLODED FALLACY.—Among popular and professional fallacies which experience and scientific discovery have exploded is the belief, formerly very prevalent—that consumption is incurable—that it must run its course and terminate fatally. Probably no development in medical science has done more to disabuse men's minds of this preposterous error, than the benign results which have for years past attended the use of Northrop & Lyman's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda. Tried under the most unfavorable circumstances, in all various phases of lung and bronchial disease, this sterling medicine has invariably been found to fully justify the opinion early formed of it by medical men. While it is not claimed that it will rescue from destruction lungs utterly disintegrated and worn out, yet the assertion is fully warranted by evidence that if used in time it will afford thorough and permanent relief. Sold by all druggists. Prepared only by NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto.

Finance and Commerce.

FINANCIAL.

Money was quiet at 5 to 6 per cent on call and time. Rates of discount for good paper were 6 to 7 per cent. Sterling was inactive at 47 prem. between banks, 48 prem. counter. Drafts on New York were drawn at 7 prem.

The stock market this morning was 1/2 to 1 per cent weaker. At noon Montreal was at 20 1/2 bid; Ontario at 6 1/2; Commerce at 14 1/2; Merchants at 17 1/2; Montreal Telegraph at 12 1/2; Gas at 14 1/2; and Robinson at 5 1/2 bid.

Morning Stock Sales.—50 Montreal 20 1/2; 100 do 20 1/2; 25 Ontario 6 1/2; 100 do 6 1/2; 100 do 6 1/2; 50 Commerce (ex div) 14 1/2; 50 do 14 1/2; 75 do 14 1/2; 45 Merchants 12 1/2; 25 do 12 1/2; 60 Montreal Telegraph 12 1/2; 25 do 12 1/2; 125 do 12 1/2; 100 Gas 14 1/2; 30 do 14 1/2; 350 do 14 1/2; 101 do 14 1/2; 100 St. Paul 11 1/2.

The following is a comparative statement of the receipts of the North Shore Railroad during the first week of December, and also from the 1st of July to the 8th of December, for the present year and that of 1880.

Table with columns for 1881 and 1880, rows for Passengers, Freight, and Mails.

Total ... \$20,238 71 \$15,070 87 Thus, during the first week of this month, there is an increase of \$5,167.84 over the receipts of the corresponding week of last year.

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Total ... \$406,756 25 \$325,133 84 The increase for this period amounts to the large sum of \$141,622 41.

COMMERCIAL.

WEEKLY REVIEW—WHOLESALE PRICES.—Business during the week has not in the least brightened, in fact the continuance of unsettled weather is depressing business more every day it lasts.

From the 15th of the present month there was a stock in the city of Montreal, 127,244 bushels of wheat, 54,015 bushels of corn and 103,243 bushels of peas, while at the same time last year there was in store 115,494 bushels of wheat, 23,000 bushels of corn and 24,835 bushels of peas.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.—The demand continues light and prices are consequently steady. There is a firm tendency noticed in morphine, quinine and cream of tartar.

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THE LOCAL BREADSTUFFS TRADE WAS DULL, BUT ABOUT STEADY. SALES OCCURRED OF 125 BRIS MEDIUM BAKERS FLOUR AT \$6.25; 50 DO AT \$6.50; 50 FANCY AT \$6.75; 100 FINE AT \$7; 250 ONTARIO BAGS (BAGS INCLUDED) AND 200 DO AT \$7.75.

Canada Red Winter wheat is nominal at \$1.45 to \$1.47; White at \$1.40 to \$1.42; oats at 40¢; peas at 36¢ to 37¢; barley, 65¢ to 70¢, and rye 90¢ to 92¢.

THE WHEAT PROVISION TRADE WAS DULL AND NOMINALLY UNCHANGED.

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also at this time to lay in supplies, the present time is a remarkably busy one for the trade. Remittances are highly satisfactory. Men's split boots, \$1.60 to 2.25; men's kip boots, \$2.50 to 3.00; men's calf boots, \$3 to 3.75; men's kip brogans, \$1.35 to 1.40; men's split do, 90¢ to \$1.10; men's buff congress, \$1.50 to 2; men's buff and pebbled balmorals, \$1.75 to 2.25; men's split do, \$1.25 to 1.50; shoes, \$1 to 1.75; women's pebbled and buff balmorals, \$1.00 to 1.40; do split, balmorals, 90¢ to \$1.10; do prunella balmorals, 50¢ to \$1.50; do inferior balmorals, 45¢ to 50¢; do cong. balmorals, 50¢ to \$1.25; do buckskin balmorals, 60¢ to 80¢; Misses' pebbled and buff balmorals, 90¢ to \$1.10; do split balmorals, 75¢ to 90¢; do prunella balmorals, 60¢ to \$1; do cong. balmorals, 60¢ to 70¢; child's pebbled and buff balmorals, 50¢ to 80¢; do split balmorals, 50¢ to 60¢; do prunella balmorals, 50¢ to 75¢; infants' cacks, per dozen, \$3.75 to \$5.

IRON AND HARDWARE.—Little else but a 1 1/2% jobbing business is being done in a hardware, while the iron market is at a standstill, and will probably remain so until the English markets, which have advanced wonderfully all round during the week, settle.

We quote the following:—Siemens, \$25.00; Gartsherrle, \$25.00; Summerlee, \$25.00; Langdon, \$25.00; Eglinton, \$23.50; Carnbroe, \$24.00. Bars per 100 lbs, Siemens, \$22.50 to \$23.50; Scotch and Staffordshire, \$22.00 to 2.10; Best ditto, \$22.50 to \$23.50; Swede, \$4.25 to 4.60; Norway, \$4.50 to 5.00; Lowmrow & Bowling, \$6.25 to 7.00. Canada plates, per box: Hutton \$3.25; other brands, \$3.25 to \$3.50; Tin Plates, per box: standard I, C, \$5.00; ditto, II, \$3.00; ditto, D, C, \$5 to \$6.00; ditto, DE, \$7.50 to \$8.00. Cokes, 10, \$5.00 to \$5.25. Tinned Sheets, No. 24, charcoal, \$10 to 11; Galvanized Sheets, No. 28, best, \$7 to 7.50; Hoops and Bands, per 100 lbs \$2.45 to 2.50; Sheets, best brands, 100 lbs, \$2.75 to \$3; do Tired, \$3.50 to \$3.75; do Sleigh Sheet, \$2.25 to \$2.50. Ingot Tin, \$28.00. Ingot Copper, \$19.00 to \$19.50. Sheet Zinc per 100 lbs, \$5.40 to 5.50; spelter, \$5.25 to \$5.50. Green Shoes, per 100 lbs, \$4.25 to \$4.50. Proved Oil chain, 1 inch, \$5.50; Iron Wire, No. 6, per hbl, \$1.60 to 1.70. Out Nails.—Fines, net cash within 30 days or 4 months note, 10 d to 60 d; Hot Cut, American or Canada Pattern, \$3.45 per keg; 8 d and 9 d, Hot Cut, do, \$2.70 per keg; 6 d and 7 d, Hot Cut, do, \$2.95 per keg; 4 d and 5 d, Hot Cut, American Pattern, \$3.20 per keg; 3 d, Hot Cut, do, \$3.95 per keg; 3 d, Fine, Hot Cut, \$5.45 per keg; 4 d to 5 d, Cold Cut, Canada Pattern, \$2.95; 3 d, Cold Cut, Canada Pattern, \$3.45.

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MONTREAL STREET MARKET—Dec. 20.

There was a good supply of coarse grains and also of dressed poultry, game, meats and fish, but the attendance of buyers was not large on account of the threatening weather. Dressed hogs were easier at \$7.50 to \$8, and hind quarters of farmers' beef were selling at 30 to 60 per lb. Most of the poultry was removed from the stalls to the refrigerators long before noon on account of the unreasonable mildness.

WHEAT.—Per 100 lbs, \$3.55 to 3.60; buckwheat flour, \$2.60; oatmeal, do, \$2.50; cornmeal, do, \$1.60 to 1.55; moulie, do, \$1.70 to 1.80; bran, per 100 lbs, \$1.10.

GRAIN—Oats, per bag, 35¢ to \$1.05; peas, per bush, \$1.05 to \$1.10; buckwheat, \$1.35 to \$1.40 per bag.

VEGETABLES.—Potatoes, per bag, 75¢ to 90¢; carrots, per bushel, 50¢; onions, per hbl, \$2.50 to \$3; per bushel, 75¢; Montreal cabbages, per 100, \$4 to \$5; lettuce, per dozen, \$1.50; celery, per doz, 40¢ to 50¢; Montreal turnips, per bushel, 50¢; marrow, 10¢ each; beets, per bushel, 50¢; Brussels sprouts, \$1.20 per dozen; parsnips, 60¢ per bushel; artichokes, \$1 per bushel.

FRUIT.—Apples per barrel, \$3 to \$4; Montreal Fameuse, \$3 to \$3.50; American pears, \$5 to \$9; Alameda grapes, per keg, \$5; cranberries, 50¢ per gal, \$1.50 per hbl; Valencia oranges, \$5.25 to \$2.00 per case; Jamaica, \$8 to \$9 per hbl; Malaga lemons, \$3 per box.

DAIRY PRODUCE.—Poor to choice print butter, per lb, 23¢ to 30¢; tub butter, per lb, 18¢ to 23¢; Eggs, new laid, per dozen, 25¢ to 30¢; packed, 21¢ to 22¢.

PORK.—Pork, per pair, 60¢ to 75¢; ducks, per pair, 75¢ to 90¢; chickens, per pair, 40¢ to 60¢; turkeys, per lb, 9¢; geese, 7¢.

MEATS.—Beef, per lb, trimmed, 10¢ to 12¢; mutton, 7¢ to 10¢; lamb, forequarters, 8¢; lamb, hindquarters, 10¢; veal, per lb, 8¢ to 10¢; pork, per lb, 12¢; hams, per lb, 14¢ to 15¢; lard, per lb, 15¢ to 16¢; sausages, per lb, 12¢ to 14¢; dressed hogs, \$8 to \$8.50.

FISH.—Lake trout, per lb., 10¢ to 12¢; plaice and lobsters, per lb, 10¢; white fish, per lb, 10¢ to 12¢; halibut, per lb, 12¢ to 15¢; haddock and cod, per lb, 6¢; mackerel, per lb, 10¢ to 12¢; black bass, per bunch, 40 to 50¢; mackinonges, per lb, 12¢ to 15¢; sword fish, per lb, 12¢ to 15¢; fresh herrings, 30¢ per doz; smelts, 12¢.

GAME.—Partridges, 60¢ to 70¢ per brace; black ducks, \$1 to \$1.25; hares, 25¢ to 30¢; pigeons, 25¢ to 30¢; snowbirds, 25¢ per dozen.

MONTREAL CATTLE MARKET—Dec. 19.

There is usually a good show of live stock in Montreal on the Monday preceding Christmas Day, and to-day was no exception. An additional attraction for drovers were the prizes, ranging from \$10 to \$100, offered by our leading shipping agents and exporters and also by salesmen in London, Glasgow, Edinburgh and Bristol. The prizes were allotted 60 lots in the day for notice here, but the entries were inspected in the new division of the Grand Trunk Railway stock yards, managed by Messrs. Kennedy & Acer, by our reporter and others, and were very favorably commented upon by judges. The new yards are a great improvement on the old Corporation enclosures, being much more roomy, well drained, and fitted up regardless of expense with the latest fodder and water troughs. The offerings on to-day's market were as follows:—

J. O. Robson, 19 cattle from St Mary's; E. B. Morgan, 8 cattle, 21 hogs and 19 sheep from Pickering; Peter Gulp, 16 cattle from Guelph; G. B. Morgan, 114 sheep from Oshawa; H. Kelly, 33 cattle from Guelph; Bryce & Bonallack, 12 cattle from Chandlere Junction; W. Roberts, 23 cattle from Richmond; O. Barbeau, 6 cattle and 1 deer from St Johns; J. Wilson, 23 cattle from Richmond; L. Dempsey, 26 cattle from Morrisburg; John Gleeson, 22 cattle from Brockville; M. Bolan, 20 cattle from Toronto; R. J. Hopper, 19 from Toronto; A. Barkley, 18 do from Morrisburg; Geo. Cameron, 20 cattle from Toronto; J. McQuillon, 16 do from Guelph; W. Hearn, 18 do, Guelph; Thos Spicer, 22 do, Guelph; Gilbert Bright, 21 do, Sweetsburg; D. W. Craig, 31 cattle from Guelph; A. Brown, 49 sheep from Galt; D. W. Craig, 19 sheep from Brockville; E. Cochrane, 63 cattle from Guelph; H. Gould, 21 cattle and 15 hogs from Whithy; N. Kennedy, 5 cattle, 7 hogs and 48 sheep; C. Chute, 10 cattle from Bidley; W. Roberts, 49 from Lennoxville; J. Martineau, 24 cattle from Millrose; F. Darragh, 19 cattle and 15 sheep from Elver Bourdette; M. Laporte, 19 cattle from Toronto; A. Snider, 17 cattle from Madadet; H. Gould, 26 hogs, 17 sheep from Whithy; Mr E. B. Morgan, of Oshawa purchased about 50 fine cattle and 50 sheep from B. Craig & Sons, of Brompton for export to Europe. He paid from 50 to 120 per lb live weight for the cattle which ranged in weight from 1,400 to 2,500 lbs and were raised by John S. Armstrong, of Speedville; J. R. McQueen, of Elora; H. Croft, of Waterloo; Alex Brown, of Galt; H. Croft, of Waterloo, and others, several being provincial prize winners. Mr M. H. Cochrane showed half a dozen choice well bred cattle, which realized a fancy price, being purchased by Roberts & Miller. Mr Bonallack of this city, also exhibited some fine steers. Messrs H. Gould, Hugh Kelly, Fred Ritchings, M. Laporte, W. Kinneer and others reported sales of good cattle at Christmas prices, the average run being from 50 to 60 lbs live weight. A bunch of 15 choice hogs were bought by Mr. Daouet at 6¢. The choice sheep on the market were of the Cotswald, Leicester, Oxford and South Down breeds, and were principally taken by exporters.

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LOUIS NAPOLEON'S COURAGE.

From Senior's Conversations.—September, 1850.—I asked Changarnier his opinion as to the courage of Louis Napoleon. Changarnier: It is great in theory; small in practice. As a general, when he retreated, he never hesitated to retreat. He was not a man who depended upon his support. He was found in a state of abject terror, hiding under a carriage. In the Boulogne attack, when he had got half way across the channel, he became alarmed and wished to turn back. The people about him called for champagne, and sent him to his purpose by making him half-drunk. As he approached, and no friend appeared, his alarm returned. The first troops that met him were under the command of a sensible old officer, who when he saw the strange procession, accompanied by the tame eagle, and was told that Louis Napoleon was at his head, instead of joining him, summoned him to surrender. You see, had not that brave Bourbion Louis Napoleon had not dared even to fire a pistol in his own defense. He recollected that he was a general in his hand and drew at the officer, but his hand shook so that though the man was not five paces off he missed him and wounded a poor cook who in his white apron, was standing in the way. He saw that what was going on. Louis Napoleon turned, ran into the sea and got into a boat. He took to the shore pulled after him. He gave himself up. He knew that he was in his pocket which he would give them. He was arrested by the Emperor. He said to the Emperor: "I am your prisoner. I am the Emperor's prisoner. I am the Emperor's prisoner. I am the Emperor's prisoner." He said to the Emperor: "I am your prisoner. I am the Emperor's prisoner. I am the Emperor's prisoner. I am the Emperor's prisoner." He said to the Emperor: "I am your prisoner. I am the Emperor's prisoner. I am the Emperor's prisoner. I am the Emperor's prisoner."

Senior: Did he show courage at Magenta? Changarnier: He never crossed the Rhine. He was smoking in a house during the time. At Solferino, where he was two miles in the rear, he did not move or give an order; but he smoked his pipe. We know that he always carried with him little boxes, each of which contains five cigars. One was quite exhausted, and three had been taken out of the boxes since a great battle was over. He said that is the only occasion on which he could be considered under fire. I saw a letter from one of the Cent Suisse to his mother: "You need not be anxious about me; I am with the Emperor, and therefore out of danger." In fact, none of them were hit.—Small Talk.

THE TRUE WITNESS FOR 1882.

The True Witness has within the past year made an immense stride in circulation, and if the testimony of a large number of our subscribers is not too flattering it may also claim a stride in general improvement. This is the age of general improvement and the True Witness will advance with it. Newspapers are starting