abroad for the goods named seem to have touched bottom about August, and the present rise is likely to be maintained. Tanners Materials are nominally the same in price as before, but a considerable shading of these figures would be done for quantities.

PETROLEUM .- Trade at this point continues brisk at prices which we quete. Stocks are light however, being mostly from hand to mouth. It is complained that profits are reduced to a fine point by competition, but that is a trouble which cannot always last.

PROVISIONS .- There is not much activity in this branch of trade. The atticle which is in greatest demand is probably choice Butter, which is very scarce and higher. 20 and 210 would be paid for this grade, and as high as 22c if it were fine enough. Good straight store is in consequence worth from 18 to 20c, but for any other grades we can scarcely give a quotation, so entirely are they neglected. There is abundance of ordinary and poor butter in market. All early made and stale is, however, entirely disregarded. Cheese .- The market is steady, a good article is scarce. The chances of an advance rendersprices rather firmer. Mess Pork is not in active demand, quotations as before \$18.00 to 19.50. Bacon is unchanged, not much actually selling but a lot of 1000 sides Cumberland was offered for 8c. with no takers. Lots of this size in any grade would scarcely find buyers readily. Smoked Hams a lot sold by one dealer to another 111c but for small lots our figures represent the market. Probably the quantity of green meats now offering keeps back the demand for cured meats. Lard say 11 to 13c with 11c for tierced. Eggs being as high as 24c for city trade. Hops are quiet, and from 25 to 28c is as high as the market now ranges. Tallow say $7\frac{1}{2}$ to 8c for rendered. For Hogs \$6.50 to 9.60 has been paid to farmers waggons.

830,000 HOOPS

For Fiour Barrels-Cood & Creen.

To sell in car lots at

WATFORD, G.W.R.R.

CAMPBELL BROS.

DICKSON & BENNING. MANUFACTURERS OF

PLUG TOBACCOS. PARIS, Ont.

H. L HIME & CO., Stock Brokers and Estate Agents, 20 KING ST. EAST, TOBONTO.

Buy and sell on commission, Stocks, Debentures, Mortgages, &c. N.B.-Loans negociated on Mortgage. Orders from the country promptly attended to.

ISOLATED RISK & FARMERS FIRE INSURANCE CO.

Notice is hereby given that the general annual meet-ing of the sharebolders of the "Isolated Risk and Far-mers' Fire Insurance Company of Canada," for the elec-tion of Directors, will be he'd at the Company's offices, corner of Church and King Stree's, City of Toronto, on THURSDAY, the 14th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1876, at 12 o'clock noon.

By order. J. MAUGHAN, Jr., Manager.

Toronto, Nov. 28th, 1876.

NOTICE

NOTICE Is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof, by the London and Ontario Investment Company (limited), for an act to amend the act passed in the 39th year of Her Majesty's reign. cap. 62, initialed "An Act to Incorpo-rate the London and Ontario Investment Company (limited), and particularly to amend the fifth section of the said act by striking out the last clause thereof and enacting in lieu thereof that the total amount of sums to be borrowed, as mentioned in the said section, shall never exceed the amount of the said act by striking out the last is words thereof, and to amend the fourth sec-tion of the said act by striking out the words 'not ex-ceeding eight per centum per annum,' and to authorize the sid company to make loans upon the security of stocks of banks, incorporate companies and municipal corporations, and to grant to the said company such corporations, and to grant to the said company such other powers as may be granted to other similar com-panies at the said session;" and to amend the said act in other respects, and for other purposes.

Dated at Toronto this 30th day of November, 1876. BEATTY, CHADWICK & BIGGAR, Solicitors for Applicants.

Dissolution of Partnership.

This day by mutual consent the partnership hereto-fore existing under the name and style of "W. H. STRATFORD & SONS," General Wholesale Merchants has been dissolved, W. H. Stratford, the senior partner, retiring from business.

The same business in all its branches will be continued hereafter by Joseph & Chailes Stratford, under the name and style of "JOSEPH STRATFORD & BROTHER." All debts due the late firm will now be payable to the present firm of Joseph Stratford & Brother, who will pay all legal claims against the late firm on presentation at their office in Brantford.

WITNESS : W. PARKINSON. W. H. STRATFORD, JOSEPH STRATFORD, CHARLES STRATFORD.

Brantford, Nov. 17, 1876.

HUGH SLEIGH & CO., Silk Mills, Leek, England.

MACHINE SILKS of all descriptions, TAILORS' TWIST

HARDASH, &c., &c. full assortment in Stock. Orders received from A full assortment in Sur Wholesale Importers only.

T. STAVERT FISHER, Agent. 17 PHENIX BLOCK, TORONTO.

CHADWICK'S

"SUPER" improved SIX-CORD extra quality

Spool Cotton.

EAGLEY MILLS, BOLTON.

Specially adapted for all Machines,

Orders received from Wholesale Importers only.

T. STAVERT FISHER, Agent, 17 PHŒNIX BLOCK, TORONTO

Insolvent Act of 1875.

In the matter of John Hunter and Automatic insolvents. A first and final Dividend sheet has been prepared, open to objection until the 11th day of December 1876, after which dividend will be paid. JOHN KEBR, Assignce.

Insolvent Act of 1869 and 1875.

In the matter of George Randclph, an insolvent. A first dividend sheet has been prepared, open to ob-jection until the 18th day of December, 1876, after which dividend will be paid. JOHN KERR,

Assignee.

Toronto, November 29, A.D. 1876.

THE ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA.

The only CANADIAN COMPANY solely devoted to Insurance against Accidents, and giving definite Bonus to the Policyholders.

This Company is not mixed up with Life, Fire, or any other class of Insurance. It is for

ACCIDENT INSURANCE

alone, and can therefore transact the business upon the most favourable terms, and a SECURE basis.

It is also the only Company including in its list of Stockholders many prominent Merchants and Capitalists in TORONTO and HAMILTON.

PRESIDENT:

SIR A. T. GALT, K.C.M.G.

MANAGER AND SECRETARY:

EDWARD RAWLINGS. 103 ST. FRANCOIS XAVIER ST., MONTREAL. EVANS & RIDDELL, Auditors.

Alexander & Stark, Ceneral Agents CO. YORK, TORONTO.

W. H. Campbell, Agent for City of Toronto.

SURETYSHIP.

THE CANADA GUARANTEE COMP

Grant Bonds of Suretyship for Government, Bank, Rail-way, Municipal and all Officers, and Employes, holding

way, Municipal and an others, and Employe, houng positions of trust. This Company has been specially approved by the Dominion and Local Governments and is the only one which has received the Government license for the Dominion .

minion. It is not mixed up with any other business. The full Deposit of \$50,000 has been made with Gov-ernment. This is the only company that has made any deposit for guarantee business. The capital and funds are solely for the security of hose who hold its bonds.

JOHN RANKIN.

SIR A. T. GALT, President.

Vice-President.

EDWARD RAWLINGS,

MANAGER.

EVANS & RIDDELL, Auditors.

COMPANY'S HEAD OFFICE. 103 St. Francois Xavier Street. MONTREAL.

> **GENERAL AGENTS:** Toronto-Alexander & Stark. Hamilton-Seneca Jones.