

INSOLVENT ACT.

A circular was lately received from the Dominion Board of Trade asking the views of the several Boards of Trade as to the expediency of any changes in the Insolvent Act ; but as the time in office of the present Council was so short it was thought best to leave the question for the consideration of their successors.

BOARDS OF EXAMINERS.

The various Boards of Examiners for Flour, Ashes, Leather, Beef and Pork, Wheat and other Grain, Butter, Fish and Fish Oils, Petroleum, and Weigher, Measurer and Guager have been duly elected.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CULLERS' OFFICE.

At the request of the Supervisor of Cullers, a ballot took place for an Examiner for the Cullers' Board, to replace Hon. John Sharples, deceased, and resulted in the election of James Connolly, Esq.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, PORT WARDEN'S OFFICE.

Messrs. Weston Hunt, R. H. Smith, John Ross, O. Murphy and H. Fry were unanimously re-elected as a Board of Examiners for the office of Port Warden.

STANDARD SAMPLES OF FLOUR AND MEAL.

The usual meeting of the Boards of Examiners for Flour and Meal was held at Montreal, on the 3rd October last, in accordance with Act 37 Vict., Chap. 45, Sec. 25, for the purpose of choosing and approving standard samples of the several grades.

R. Brodie, Esq., one of the Examiners for this Board, was present.