

NEW PACK—NOW IN STORE.**"ANCHOR" BRAND SALMON—****GUARANTEED THE FINEST FRASER RIVER SOOKEYE FISH PACKED.****ALSO THE WELL-KNOWN "HORSE-SHOE" BRAND—IMMEDIATE DELIVERY—****SPECIAL PRICES ON****NEW CURRANTS, RAISINS, SULTANAS, PEELS.****THE EBY, BLAIN CO., LIMITED****WHOLESALE GROCERS, ETC.****TORONTO.**

and it was finally decided to announce a special meeting to discuss the matter.

SUNDAY CLOSING.

There are quite a number of small grocery stores that keep open in Montreal on Sunday, and it was proposed that the association exert itself to have them closed. Ald. Turner was encharged with the task of looking after the matter to see what was needed, and the subject will come up again.

CAPACITY OF LIQUOR FLASKS.

The secretary read the resolution passed the day before by The Licensed Victuallers Association, condemning the illegal practice of the grocers selling flasks of

liquor containing less than an Imperial pint. It seems that, while there is a law against this practice, there is a tacit understanding with the Government that it shall not be enforced. The president, ex-president and secretary were appointed a committee to interview the Hon. Mr. Duffy on the matter and ask him to tolerate the custom until the Legislature meets to pass a suitable law, giving the grocers legal power to sell these small flasks. It would seem unfair to the grocers to be forbidden to sell small flasks of domestic liquor and yet be allowed the privilege of selling foreign goods in bottles of like size. Quite a number of merchants evade this point in the law by selling these small bottles in pairs.

SCHEME TO INCREASE MEMBERSHIP.

The secretary was authorized to send out the following notice to eligible non-members of the association.

Seeing that our association is some 600 members strong, and that there are 1,200 grocers in Montreal to-day, we want you all to join. It is not for the cost of \$2 a year you have to pay as a member of that body that we ask you to join us; it is because you can be of great value to us in more ways than one, and the association will give you in return all the benefits of our body of grocers, such as fighting combines, "trusts," seeing that the Governments and municipal bodies give us fair treatment in our lines of business, and that the large departmental stores are taxed so that we in suburban quarters of our city may live without being forced to the wall by those big monopolies.

After passing some accounts, the meeting adjourned.

Fresh Chewing Gum**BRINGS FRESH CUSTOM.****ADAMS' TUTTI FRUTTI****is always fresh.****Price, \$1.00 per box, containing 36 five-cent bars.**

DID you ever figure the profit on the premium system of buying Chewing Gum? Take, for instance, the rocking chair that costs \$6.75 with gum which sells for \$8.00. Your cash profit is \$1.25, without figuring the freight you pay on the chair. Now, figure 800 pieces of Britten's Havana Fruit Gum at 80c. per box, which contains one dollar and eighty cents worth of gum, and you will find the 800 pieces would cost you \$3.55 5-9. Consequently, you pay \$3.19 4-9 for your premium chair. This seems an easy way of getting the chair, but, if you'll watch some of the advertisements of the departmental stores, you'll see some of the same chairs sold for \$1.98. Don't forget that the jobbing house, the railway company, the chewing gum company, all have to make a profit on this chair, and, as you are the purchaser, you must pay the piper.

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