

Iron and Metal Exchange on the 11th, 100,000 pounds of June copper were sold at \$16.55. This, says the *Times*, is a drop of five points, and the agents of the French syndicate were not the purchasers.

HIDES AND SKINS.—In hides the situation is practically the same as a week ago. Sales of car lots at 6c. and selected at 6½c. continue to be made. There are said to be plenty of hides still in the hands of dealers and prices are without change. Calfskins are very quiet at 6 to 7c. for green and cured respectively. A good many lambskins are coming to hand and command 25c. The price of sheepskins is nominal and there is no business to report. Tallow is weaker but previous quotations still hold good.

PETROLEUM.—Our list shows no change in prices. Trade for refined oil is very quiet, as is usual at this season of the year, but the demand for machine oils is brisk.

PROVISIONS.—Butter is very weak. Heavy receipts on farmers' market have reduced the demand from commission men to a minimum. We quote fine tubs nominal at 15c. and common 11 to 12c. Outside markets for cheese have advanced. The jobbing trade here is now being supplied at 9½ to 10c. In hog products the firm feeling previously noted continues. Long clear is being sold at 10½c.; smoked breakfast bacon, 12½ to 13c.; hams, 12½ to 13c. Lard is without change. Eggs are steady at 13½ to 14c. with higher prices looked for. There is nothing doing in dried or evaporated apples, and beans are nominal at \$2.30 to 2.40.

SEEDS.—Except for Hungarian grass, millet, buckwheat, and fodder corn, the demand for seeds is over. For the articles named there is a good enquiry at slightly higher figures.

WOOL.—New clip wool is beginning to arrive more freely from the farmers, and 18 to 19c. is paid here. The market is dull and dealers show no disposition to stock up. In pulled wools there is little or nothing doing and prices are as before. In the States values are 5c. per pound less than at this time last year, and the worsted mills which use our wool are running half time. Mr. John Hallam is in receipt of enquiry regarding prices from Moosomin and Elkhorn in the far West, and also from New Westminster, B. C.

WALKER BUTTER WORKERS.

Storekeepers and others engaged in packing Butter will save time and money by investing. Three sizes. Prices on application.

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THE
TORONTO LAND & INVESTMENT
CORPORATION.

DIVIDEND No. 4.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of Six per Cent. per Annum, for the half-year ending 30th instant, has been declared upon the paid-up capital stock of this Corporation, and will be payable at the office of the Corporation, 34 Toronto street, on and after

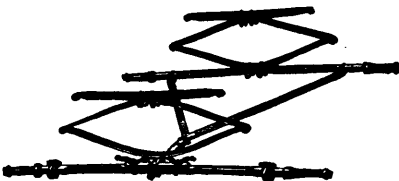
The 2nd Day of July, 1888.

The transfer books will be closed from the 18th to the 30th instant. Both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

THOS. MCCRAKEN,
Manager.

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GUELPH, - CANADA.

The Imperial Loan & Investment Co.
OF CANADA, (LIMITED.)

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of Seven per Cent. per annum, has this day been declared on the capital stock of this Company for the current half-year, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company, 30 Adelaide St., east, Toronto, on and after

Saturday, the 7th day of July next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to 30th inst., both days included.

By order of the Board,

E. H. KERTLAND,

11th June, 1888. Manager.

Ontario Industrial Loan and Investment
COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

DIVIDEND No. 14.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of Three and One-half per Cent. upon the paid up capital stock of this Company has been declared for the current half-year, (being at the rate of Seven per cent per annum,) and that the same will be payable at the offices of the Company, 32 Arcade, 24 Victoria street, Toronto, on and after **TUESDAY, the 3rd Day of July, 1888.** The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th June, both days inclusive. By order of the Board.

EDMUND T. LIGHTBOURN,

Toronto, 18th June, 1888.

Manager.

THE BRITISH MORTGAGE LOAN CO.

OF ONTARIO.

DIVIDEND No. 20.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of Seven per Cent per annum, on the paid up capital stock of this Company, for the half year ending the 30th of June, instant, has this day been declared, and the same is payable at the office of the Company, in the City of Stratford, on and after

Tuesday, the 3rd Day of July next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to 30th instant, inclusive.

By order of the Board.

WM. BUCKINGHAM,

Stratford, June 4, 1888.

Manager.

FOR SALE.

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CROFT & ANGUS,
Victoria, British Columbia.

Sale of Gardiner Biscuit Factory
IN KINGSTON.

By William Murray, Auctioneer, at his Auction Rooms, in the Market Square, in Kingston, at 12 o'clock noon, on **SATURDAY, THE 30th DAY OF JUNE**, instant, the land, buildings, machinery, and plant of the property known as the Gardiner Biscuit Factory, situated upon and including sub-division lots 9 and 10, on the corner of Earl and Division streets, in the City of Kingston.

The sale will be subject to the lease of the present lessee, Mr. R. J. Carson, which expires on the 12th day of August next, at which date possession will be given to the purchaser.

The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserved bid.

The factory is now fully equipped and in good running order.

The purchaser shall pay down ten per cent. of the purchase money to the Vendor's Solicitors at the time of sale, and the balance in 30 days thereafter. In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of the High Court of Justice.

Further particulars can be had from Messrs. Macdonnell and Mudie, Walkem & Walkem, or Tunis L. Snook.

MACDONNELL & MUDIE,
Vendor's Solicitors.

By Suckling, Cassidy & Co.

The undersigned have received instructions from E. R. C. Clarkson, trustee, to offer for sale by public auction, at their warerooms, No. 29 Front street west, Toronto, on

TUESDAY, JUNE 19th 1888,

at 2 o'clock, p.m., the stock-in-trade belonging to the estate of **WM. MCDOWARDS & CO.,** of Sarnia, consisting of:—

Tools	\$ 379 08
Tinware and housefurnishings.....	2,125 50
Stoves	680 71
Fittings and plumbing goods.....	627 38
Paints and oils	899 61
General Goods	3,598 42
Fixtures	678 30
Tools and machinery.....	369 80
Horse, wagon, sleigh, etc.....	130 00

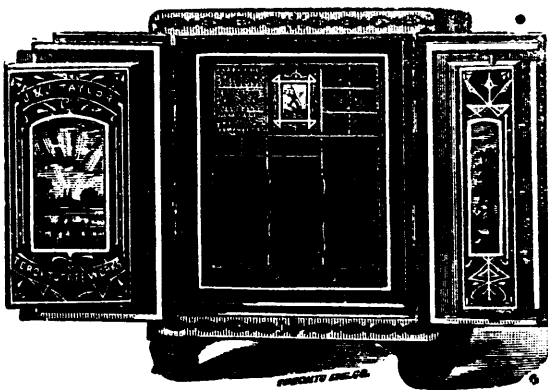
\$9,463 90

TERMS—One fourth cash, balance, 4, 6, 8 months, with interest at 7 per cent., secured to the satisfaction of the trustee; 10 per cent deposit required at time of sale.

Stock and inventory may be seen on application to Mr. Beaty in charge. Inventory also at trustee's office.

SUCKLING, CASSIDY & CO.

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