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## HOW TO OPEN A COUNTRY GROCERY STORE.

Ato opening a country grocery store let us first see what the average country grocery sometimes is. 1 have in my mind's eye country grocery stores which are arranged something like this : One counter, containing a cigar case, the glass of which is almost opaque from fly dirt and dust : a pair of old-fashioned scales, either the brass or tin scoop covered with a thick layer of sugar or something else that has just been weighed in it ; the shelving filled with a motley lot of canned goods, with here and there a sprung can, or "swell," showing plainly that the goods are old, with a lot of lamp chimneys covered with dust and dirt; bottled pickles in the same condition and faded from exposure to light ; bottles of tomato catsup, with the tops of the contents turned black; with sugar kept in open barrels on etther side of the store, in summer time attracting flies by the thousands.

At the back part of the store, on a platform a foot or two high, a barrel of vinegar with a leaky spigot, a barrel of coal oil or a coal oil tank, nearby a barrel of salt pork, open ; a barrel of molasses, a barrel of syrup and a half-barrel of mackerel, exposed to the dust and dirt of the store and not covered with brine ; a half-barrel of salt herrings, a box of boneless codfish and a bundle, maybe, of old-fashioned codfish ; a barrel of roasted coffee, opened, and a sack or two of green coffee ; sacks of flour piled up, with the flour leaking from the sacks caused by the work of mice and rats ; a pile of brooms, some standing on their handles and some standing on their ends ; boxes of clothes pins scattered about; boxes of matches here and there ; a trayful of eggs a bin of potatoes ; a lot of roll butter in a barrel for people to claw over ; tubs of lard, opened ; tubs of packed butter, opened piles of empty cigar boxes on top of the
shelving ; piles of filled cigar boxes, some open, some closed ; pails of fine-cut tobacco, open ; kegs of nails ; a cheese cut on top of a barrel-head, showing the marks of the dirty knife used to cut it : a barrel or two ot green apples ; a pile of cabbage and a crate of onions completes the picture.

This picture is not by any means either a rare one or an extreme one, but it is unfortunately too true that it is a frequent one. Now, then, how should I start a country grocery store to better or improve upon such a store as I have pictured? My experience in business has been that the less money a man starts with, providing he has money enough to pay for his fixtures and the greater portion of his stock that he starts with, the better chance he has to succeed. In other words, I think a man starting with $\$ 500$ and not having his first stock paid entirely for, will have a better chance of succeeding than the man who starts with $\$ 1,000$, with his stock paid for and a little money left in the bank, because the man who starts in a small way with something to work for that must be paid off will take less risks as to the giving of credit, and will work harder than the man who starts in comparative affluence and with no care upon his mind.
I am frequently asked to furnish goods for new stores, and no matter how much the man proposes to put into the business I invariably advise him to cut his stock down very much lower than he has already anticipated. For instance, a man came in a few days since and wanted to buy goods to the amount of $\$ 2,000$ with which to stock a new store. I advised him that in the locality in which he proposed starting $\$ 500$ would give him as much stock as he wanted, and that his chance of success with the $\$ 500$ stock would be greater than if he bought $\$ 2,000$. He took my advice, and when his bill was
footed up it did not reach $\$+00$ and he had a good assortment of all the goods his locality required. I would advise, therefore, that $\$ 1,000$ ought to be sufficient to start a man in a country town of any reasonable size. This would give him ample stock to work from, bearing in mind that he could replenish his stock at any rate within a day or two of his ordering, and he would have all the goods he needed to do an aggressive and profitable business with.

Now, first of all, I would insist upon having a place outside of the store, if possible. for keeping kerosene oil, as the odor of the coal oil has a deleterious effect upon tea, cottee, fish and other things sold in a small store. Second, I would have up-to-date scales and tea caddies. I would have proper bins for the reception of sugar, oatmeal, tlour, biscuits, rice, barley, hominy, coffee, starch, beans, peas and dried fruits. I would keep the flour absolutely clear of anything in barrels opened for sale. I would have attractive tea canisters and bright show cases, kept clean. I would have the window dressed once a week and with only one article at a time and would have the windows polished with "e!bow grease." I would keep the butter in a refrigerator, also the cheese. I would keep the goods on the shelves clean, taking them down and dusting them at least once in two weeks, and occasionally changing them from one part of the store to the other. By doing so it always makes the stock look newer and fresher. Having no barrels in the store to weigh from, I would have no barrels for idlers to sit upon, which is one of the curses of the country grocery store. In place of using common straw paper for wrapping, as the average country grocer does, I would use the best manila paper and the best hand-made bags. I would see to it that my stock of coffee was kept free from foreign odors of fish, coal oil, pork, smoked meats, etc. I would buy only enough of it so as to have it fresh-roasted as

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near as possible two or three times a week. I would educate my trade to buy bulkroasted cotiee in place of package coffee, which is almost invariably sold in country stores, from the fact that on package coffee you rarely, if ever, make a living profit, whereas on your own bulk coflee you are sure of getting a remunerative profit. I would study the blending and sale of my own blends of teas. I would see to it that the crackers and biscuits that were sold were fresh and also kept from exposure to foreign odors. I would keep anything and everything that would be asked for in a country store, and keep that anything and everything in the best and most up-to-date methods, but I would not carry a large stock of any one thing. 1 would keep the store scrupulously clean, and 1 would depend more upon the attention given to the wants of the trade, to cleanliness, politeness and the sale of goods at the proper prices to win and hold customers, rather than to carrying a large stock and furnishing a lounging place for the idle elements of the surrounding country,--tirocery World

## AMONG THE RETAILERS.


#### Abstract

ommatation Tickets. miles from Toronto I had the of learning what results the ceasing of the issue of the commutation tickets has had upon the country trade. While they were being issued people within the radius of that distance from Toronto used to come into the city as often as occasion required to do their shopping at the department stores. Now, however, the traveling expenses are too great to warrant the trip for that purpose alone, and as a consequence the country stores get more of their rightful trade. On the other hand, the merchants used to come, too, in order to pick up bargains and pointers among the wholesale warehouses. Although they do not come as frequently now, yet they do not feel the expense when large purchases have


In conversation with a retailer
to be made, and can on that account continue to visit the city while their customers cannot. Thus, then, the thanks of these country storekeepers is due to the railway companies.

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There is no doubt but that window dressing is daily bemressing. coming more of an art. The window is gradually being considered the most important part of the store, as it should be. Although the art cannot be mastered in a little time and without a good deal of experience, yet 1 notice there are a few special principles that are worthy of a good deal of attention and which, if acted upon, will materially improve the appearance of the windows. Of course, the style and size of the windows determine to a greater or less extent the possible appearance. It is important that the window should be well lighted and that there should be more than one pane of glass in connection with it. In my opinion, mirrors at the back and sides of the window are greater factors in adding to the appearance of a dressed window than is anything else. Another tendency that must be guarded against by inexperienced window dressers is the desire to put too many goods on display. People don't stay long looking at a window, and they cannot see everything in a minute, therefore it is better to have only one or two special lines of goods for them to notice. Then, too, the window should be a place to display goods that a merchant is desirous of getting rid of, and as he is generally devoting his energies to the getting rid of one line only, the window should contain samples of that one article. But these samples should not be placed on the floor of the window, huddled together, as if they were put there out of the way, and as if the floor of the window was intended to be hidden. The goods should be scattered and hung around in a position that gives a pleasing appearance. Another necessity for a well-dressed window is some colored cloth or felt spread on the
floor which, 1 notice, all nicely dressed windows have.

## ${ }^{\text {Cutting }}$

 CuttingPrices.

Grocers, who are steadfast in cutting in prices, and who have done business on this principle for some length of time are, I find, seldom sorry that they have adopted this fixed rule and have not followed so-called up-to-date competitors. It is a frequent thing to have grocers tell me of men who have started business in their neighborhood, who have acquired a large trade by low prices, who have given 6 bars of Surprise soap for 25 cents, who were willing to handle 23 to 24 pounds of sugar for a dollar, but who have stood the pressure for only a few months or, at the outside, a year, and have then compromised. The situation has resolved itself into the certainty that no retail grocer can reduce his prices without, at least, getting in the danger of bankruptcy. It is a hard matter to intelligently answer the question: How far can a grocer cut prices without incurring this danger? There is no doubt but that on the goods he handles more profit will be made than if he did not cut prices, provided, of course, that the cutting was not done recklessly, and that his competitors did not adopt the same tactics. But there is an offset to this profit. A large volume of business causes larger expenses, and they must be considered in answering the question. Rents remain the same, but extra clerks are required, and all expenses that vary with the size of the business must increase, and most expenses vary with the volume of business and not with the profits. If a grocer could tell exactly how much he would increase his sales by cutting down his gross profits he could easily calculate how far he could reduce his prices. But he can't. In reducing prices he further runs the risk of having his competitors follow suit, and when affairs have settled the change is probably detrimental to the interests of both himself and his competitors. It's a dangerous step to take and ought to be avoided.

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## THE BEET-SUGAR INDUSTRY.

SGAR is a much discussed product in this country at present, but unless all signs fail the present public interest is only a sample of that which seems likely to be aroused during the next few years. The " "friends of sugar," and under this may be classed those really interested in the upbuilding of a great domestic industry and those who will espouse the cause because of the political features of the movement, may be expected to rise to the occasion in a vast expenditure of ink and paper, to say nothing of vocal demonstrations in favor of this comparatively infant industry. The opportunities which have been afforded the enemies of bounty systems and of "hydraheaded trusts " to denounce these phases of sugar trade development will, no doubt. look small compared to the volume of similar outgivings that may be expected in the not distant future. It is true that the effects upon the nervous systems of the average every-day sugar consumers of the impending vigorous "campaign of education" may be serious, but the present outlook favers no escape from it.
Seriously considered, the prospects seem to favor an immense development of the American sugar industry, chiefly on the lines of sugar-beet culture, which, complicated with Hawaiian annexation, Cuban difficulties, tariff regulations at home and export bounties abroad, are likely to have farreaching political and economic results.
Sugar-beet culture, compared with that of cane, is of comparatively modern origin. The stoppage by blockade of importations of cane sugar into F rance is said to have turned the attention of Napoleon to sugar-beet culture, at that time used entirely for cattle feeding, and to this the European beet-sugar culture as it is to-day owes its origin. beet containing 6 to 8 per cent. of sugar is classed as commercially profitable in Europe, and 10 to 12 per cent. of sugar is considered a fair average, whilein this country beets containing less than 12 per cent. are considered almost unmarketabie. In Europe
the encouragement given the beet-sugar industry has been exceptionally great. As pointed out in an article in The St. Louis Globe-Democrat recently, the raising of sugar beets and their manufacture into sugar is one of the leading agricultural industries in most of the great continental countries. The export trade in German sugar, which last year entered so largely into this country's imports, is of very late date. In 1872 (iermany exported only 14,720 tons of sugar. In 1894 the Government reports show 473,000 tons exported, and in 1895 the export exceeded $1,000,000$ tons, while the total production of Germany in the same year was only $1,850,000$ tons. Therefore more than one-half of their production has been exported. We thus see what progress the German industry made in twenty-five years, producing from beets more sugar today than the total production from tropical cane in the entire world twenty-five years ago.
To-day the influence of the sugar-growing and manufacturing interests of Germany, Austria, Italy and Russia with the Governments of those countries is very great, and the demand is for increased bounties upon exports, to the end that the foreign trade of those countries in beet sugar be so enlarged and at the same time cheapened that cane sugar will be practically driven out of markets which hitherto have been heavy consumers of the latter product. The bounty system is responsible for some peculiar features of the sugar trade. Where the American pays for granulated sugar 5 c . per lb ., the German citizen pays $6 \frac{1}{4} \mathrm{c}$., the Austrian $8 / 8 \mathrm{c}$. and the Frenchman 10 c . All these Governments collect from their people an internal revenue of about 2 c . per lb . for the privilege of manufacturing sugar, but on American and other exports, in order to stimulate home production, an export bounty is paid by the Government to the sugar manufacturers, more than equalizing the original paid revenue. Therefore, when the German pays $6 \frac{1}{4} \mathrm{c}$. per lb . for his granulated sugar, this same German export
bounty-paid sugar can be sold in the United


The possibilities of the American market as an outlet for European beet sugar have already been taken advantage of. The imports of beet sugar below No. 16 Dutch standard in the calendar year 1896 amounted to $\$ 22,903,000$, and adding refined beet sugar the total amount imported was fully $\$ 25,000,000$ or almost five times the amount imported in 1895 . The imports from West Indian and South American countries (all cane) during 1896 fell off heavily, but the East Indian, the Philippine islands, Africa and the Hawaiian islands all sent heavily increased totals, although not anything like the gain in beet importations was shown. The world's production of beet sugar increased 78 per cent. in ten years, from $188_{4}$ to 1894, according to Mr. Herbert Myrick, while that of cane sugar increased only 41 per cent. The above statistics are merely given to illustrate the onward march of the beet-sugar industry and give point to the claims made by those interested in the beetsugar industry that this country, with its vast area adapted to beet-sugar cultivation, should share in the profits of sugar cultivation.

Beet sugar cultivation in this country dates back to 1835 , but the record of work done is merely a list of failures made owing to peculiarities of soil or treatment of product, or of insufficient capital, till the year 1879, when the first successful enterprise was started in California. Since then successful efforts have been made in Nebraska, Utah and New Mexico, and to day the area within which sugar beets may be profitably grown covers the larger part of the United States. That there is an opening for the production and sale of beet sugar seems evident from the fact that fully $\$ 100,000,000$ was paid for sugar imports in 1896 , of which fully one-fourth was beet sugar. Our total exports of wheat and wheat flour last year exceeded this sum by very little, so that the money return of one only about counterbalanced our payments for the other food

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THE MEANING OF "A REMNANT."

AWEARY-LOOKING man stood behind the counter of an American department store the other day, and cemed to regard with an almost affectionate interest the wooden partition that protected nim from the surging crowd of women on the other side of the counter. They struggled with one another desperately, and as one eceded two or three sprang forward to eize her place in the front row of the group that had gathered there. One woman with t fine stroke squeezed herself into a vacant space against the counter. She picked up piece of silk, dropped it, and after having treated half-a-dozen more in the same way, seized a piece that she held in her hand longer than she had any of the

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others. "Lovely," she said to the clerk. " How much of it is there ?"

- Five yards" he said mechanically. "Oh, that's too bad," she answered, and it takes six this year for a waist. But I could get some more, I suppose, at the silk counter ; An expression of exceptional fatigue crossed the man's face, and he answered remnant, ma'am, means the last of a piece.
"Oh, pshaw !" was the woman's answer, as she threw the silk down and began to fumble again among the other pieces. " How much in this piece?" called out a woman next to her as she held up a blue and white check. " Is there a waist pattern ?""
"Only four yards in that, ma'am," the salesman answered. "But couldn't I buy some more at the silk-" "A remnant means the last of a piece, ma'am," answered the clerk, and another piece of silk dropped back on the counter. The women swarmed around the counter, picked over the silks, and some bought. They were talking, and there were murmurs of admiration or disapproval from the disturbed group. But there was one continuous, dominant tone in the talk, and that was the expressionless, invariable voice of the salesexpressionless, invariable voice of the sales-
man repeating the words, "A remnant man repeating the words, "A remnant
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## THE EXPORTS OF JAPAN TEA.

RECENT intelligence from the tea-producing regions of Japan have afforded more encouragement to holders of tea on this continent. These advices seem to indicate that the tea growers in the Island Empire are more or less aware of the fact that the trade in the United States is pretty well loaded up with tea, and are acting in accordance. One letter that The Canadian Grocer had access to said that it was learned from growers that the second crop was a great deal short. It is expected that the third crop will be equally so, and, as it had been decided to materially curtail the picking, the fourth crop would be nil, or nearly so. In fact, estimates are that the Japan crop will be fully twenty million pounds smaller this season than it usually is. At the same time no scarcity may be anticipated, but, owing to the above circumstances, the country people in Japan were expecting higher prices. According to mail advices of Yokohama, July 8, a liberal business had been transacted there during the previous three weeks, transactions amounting to 24.849 piculs transpiring, as against 27,164 during the corresponding period last season, the demand being best for teas suitable for the Canadian market, grading from good medium to choice. Rates ruled fairly steady during the interval, but at the close the market was in a very unsettled condition, and dealers were unwilling to make concessions in prices that would lead to a larger business being done.
Supplies came forward pretty freely, the unsold stock on the date mentioned being estimated at 8,000 piculs, consisting mostly of second crop leaf grading from good medium to finest.
At Kobe up to July 8 the settlements amounted to 27,319 piculs, making the total settlements to that date 77,616 piculs as against 70,232 piculs last year. The total settlements at Yokohama and Kobe up to July 8 were, 219,309 piculs as against 214 , 186 in 1896 and 266,739 in 1895.
The tea exports from Yokohama up to July I were as follows

| Previously reported ....... ${ }_{231}$ 2anada $^{\text {a }}$ | United States $11,051,185$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| June ${ }^{18}$ ) 389,884 | 287,119 |
| - 19 | 130,364 |
| " 25 -Pacific ....... 74,250 | 239,614 |
| " ${ }^{27}$ 144,447 | 126,097 |
| ". 29$)$ 84,808 | 724,482 |
| " 30 ) via Suez ...... 10,323 | 99,834 |
| July 15 via Suez …… 220,552 | 82.487 |
| Totals .................1,160,267 | 12,761,280 |
| Same date 1896 . . . . . . . . 1,574,519 | 7,432,613 |
| Total to date at Yokokama... | 13,921,547 |
| " ${ }^{\text {a }}$ Kobe ...... | 6,141,091 |
| Grand total. | 20,062,638 |
| Same date last year ........ | 12,984.593 |

It will be seen from the above figures that the exports to the United States have in-
creased enormously over last year, viz. $5,328,667$. On the other hand, the exports to Canada of Japan tea have fallen off 414 , 252.

The total exports for the season 1897-98 from Yokohama and Kobe to July I were $18,263,604$ to the United States and 1,799,034 to Canada. The same date in 1896 the exports were $10,957,466$ to the United States and $2,027,127$ to Canada, and, in 1895, 19,014,051 to the United States and $2,470,841$ to Canada.

## CALIFORNIA RAISIN CROP.

Late advices from California state that the crop of raisins will be much smaller than was originally estimated, owing to various vine diseases. The action of some commission houses in makıng low prices on what is claimed to be a purely speculative basis is condemned in strong terms by some of the growers. Owing to unfavorable weather, attacks of insects and the prevalence of diseases to which the grape vines are

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than Tuesday must be held over till the following week.
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prone, it has been stated in various despatches of late from the Coast that the output this year is not likely to rise above the average. People here who are interested in raisins are inclined to accept this as final, and are disposed to wait for further reports saying that information as to the condition of affrirs in California has proved in the past to be so uncertain that it is impossible to form anything like a correct idea of the situation from the reports now being issued from that source. Several of the prominent receivers of California fruits have stated that the views expressed by growers and curers early in the season are likely to do more to hurt the trade in California fruits in both home and export markets, than all of the statements, pro and con, that may be made by Eastern handlers.-N. Y. Journal of Commerce.

## THE RUN OF SALMON.

Advices received by brokers in Montreal this week continue as conflicting as ever regarding the run of salmon on the Coast. It is undoubted that in some of the northern rivers the catch will be smaller than last year.

Whether this will be the case generally is extremely uncertain. For instance, one advice this week stated that the run on the Fraser would be smaller, and another received the same day that it would be larger.

## HOW TOMATOES ARE PRESERVED IN ITALY.

IN every house and cottage the preserving of tomatoes is carried on. Terraces, balconies, and even the flat roots of the houses, are half covered with plates containing the deep-red substance. After gathering, the tomatoes intended for preserve are spread out for some hours in the sun till the skin has somewhat shrunk. They are then passed through a sieve so that they may be freed both seeds and skins. As they contain a large proportion of water, the substance which has been passed through the sieve must be hung in bags, from which the water exudes, and soon a pool of dirty-looking water is formed beneath each bag. Strange to say, it is in no way tinged with red. The mixture which remains in the bags has the consistency of a very thick paste. It is then salted, the proportion being a little less than an ounce of salt to a pound of preserve. The process now requires that it should be spread on flat plates, exposed to the sun, and stirred from time to time with a spoon, so that the upper part may not form a crust, while underneath it remains soft. it is a picturesque sight when the women are to be seen flitting about their roofs and terraces, attending to their deep red preserve, their colored handkerchiefs flung on their heads to screen them from the rays of the burning sun when it is at its fiercest. In the evening the contents of the various plates are taken in and stirred up together, for if moistened by the night dew the whole would be spoiled. After being exposed to the sun for seven or eight days, the same process being repeated each day, the preserve is finished and placed in jars for winter use.
Though it is used by all classes of persons, it is more necessary to the poor than to the rich, for the latter can make use of the fresh tomatoes preserved in tins. Tomatoes may be tinned whole, as we know from those usually imported into England from America. But in Italy the fruit is usually passed through a sieve, the pulp being then placed in tins, which are immediately soldered down and then put into boiling water for five minutes. The original flavor is thus retained. The cost of a small tin is half a franc, so it is, as a rule, beyond the means of the poor. The price of the preserve is seldom more than 8d. a pound, and a little of it goes very far; but those who are thrifty take care to make it for themselves, the cost then being absolutely insignificant. It is chiefly used by them for flavoring their macaroni in the winter; in fact, there are very few dishes which are not improved by a little tomato preserve, and it finds favor in all classes.-Chambers' Journal.


## A Business Pointer

We offer no premiums or prize packages as inducements. We make and sell first-class goods, and find this all the intelligent public require. Merchants, beware of goods that take premiums to sell them. Our goods are endorsed as being the best in the market.


For sale by all leading Wholesale Grocers.

## Manufactured by THE ALPHA CHEMICAL CO., BERLIN, ONT.

## SAMPLING.

SAMPLING by consumers is a practice much complained of in retail circles, notwithstanding that some of the department stores invite the public to taste freely of the food products on their shelves, but nowhere is the practice more general or its effects more serious than in the larger wholesale salesrooms. Imagine the consequences where a score or more boys are employed, when they and a hundred salesmen, besides numerous customers, are sampling, sampling, sampling, more or less all day long, the dried truits, nuts, coffee berries and rice suffering the most. Sometimes goods are thus attacked when their wholesomeness is a matter of doubt. Recently one of the younger clerks in a certain wholesale house appeared in the salesroom munching a white powder. A buyer idly asked him what it was. The clerk professed ignorance, but told where he had procured it. The buyer's face immediately took on an alarmed look : "Great Scott ! man," he cried, "that's sugar
of milk ; it's just like sugar of lead!" Spitting out the remains of the powder, the clerk made for the door, out of which he shot and flew to a near-by hospital at a gait that would have done credit to a speedy ball-player trying for first base on a short hit. Arriving there he gasped out an appeal for help, explaining that he had swallowed sugar of milk, but he was at once satisfied when informed that he could safely browse on the stuff, it being merely the raw material of baby food.
Samplers in retail grocers' stores chiefly attack the fresh fruits, and no doubt in the aggregate inflict considerable loss, without corresponding benefit in increased sales. The judicious distribution of samples of prepared coffee, tea, flour or other staple among visitors to the store almost always works well, and it is a good plan to open a jar of pickles or jam occasionally, so that customers can help themselves whenever it is desired to introduce new brands of such goods.-Merchants' Review.

GEN. SHERIDAN'S INTERPRETER.
While visiting the Spokanes, Gen. Philip Sheridan related to the Indians, through an Indian interpreter, the wonders of the railroad, and waited to see what effect the revelation would have upon them.
" What do they say?" he asked the interpreter.
"They say they don't believe it."
Sheridan then described the steamboat, and the interpreter repeated this.
"What do they say to that?" the General again asked, seeing the Indians' faces all impassive.
"They say they don't believe that, either."
Then the General gave an account of the telephone, and told how a man, at the end of the long wire, talked to a man on the other end of it. The interpreter remained silent.
"Well," said the General, "why don't you tell them that story ?
'Because I don't believe it myself," answered the interpreter. - Our Dumb Animals.


It pays the GROCER to sell them, because there is a good demand and a good profit
It pays the CONSUMER to buy them, BECAUSE they are the strongest ąnd finest flavored Extracts sold in this country

## PURE GOLD MANUFACTURING CO.

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## Canned Meats we Camping Delicacies <br> <br> Hein's Famous Pickes, <br> <br> Hein's Famous Pickes, Sauces and Relish

 Sauces and Relish}Specials in CANNED SALMON AND TOMATOES.

## H. P. ECKARDT \& CO. <br> Wholesale Grocers <br> — TORONTO

## GILLARD'S New Pickle

Best in the World. PUNGENT AROMATIC DELIGHTFUL

Compounded from the finest known ingredients. In daily use on the tables of over 6,000 of the principal hotels and restaurants throughout Great Britain. 10 Gold Medals awarded at the great Pure Food Expositions held in England.

## GILLARD'S NEW SAUCE

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Packed 2 dozen in case.
Single case lots, \$3.40 per doz. 5 case lots and over, 3.30 " "


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## AN UNBUSINESSLIKE POLICY.

THE people of the United States have the reputation of being sharp business men. And the reputation is not unwarranted. But of late years, at any rate, it has applied only to their manner of dealing with one another. In regard to the arts of international trade they appear to be merely tyros.

Large as is the population of the United States, and great and varied as are the possibilities of that country, it is more or less dependent upon international trade for its development. And that need is becoming more pronounced as the nation grows older.
Back a decade or two, when unsettled portions of the country were being settled, the dependence upon the export branch of trade was necessarily much less than it is at present. Now the country is what might be termed settled : at least, there are no arable lands of any importance to be opened up.
In the meantime the manufacturing industries have developed in a manner unparalleled in history. But they have developed at such a rate that the home market has been glutted to an enormous extent for some years. And it is getting worse.

According to the last census, the products manufactured in the United States were valued at over ten billions of dollars. And a recent statistician, an American, by the way, has averred that as far back as January 1, 1893, the amount of manufactured goods in the United States for which no customers could be found was over three and a quarter billion dollars' worth, or
more than 30 per cent. of the total output of 1891, the year of the last census.

These figures in regard to the unsold goods may not be even approximately correct. But there is no question in the minds of those who are at all conversant with trade matters that the factories of the United States are over-producing to an enormous extent.

We, in Canada, know it from personal experience. We know that during the past few years the United States has been flooding this market with its manufactured products. But Canada is not the only country which our neighbors have been using as a dumping ground. Into Great Britain have been sent lines of manufactured goods which five years ago would not have even been thought possible. Other countries have had a similar experience, only in a lesser degree.
In an attempt to relieve themselves of the uncomfortable excess of manufactures, the business men of the United States have been heroically engaged for some time. With this object in view they have organized associations, sent out agents to foreign countries, and organized excursions of buyers from foreign countries to the United States. Only this very month has been witnessed an excursion of business men from Central and South America; and these guests have been taken from one end of the United States to the other and feasted and entertained.

But just as the need of a foreign market for the surplus manufactures of the United States increased so developed the ludicrous desire for hostile tariff legislation, the climax of which is to be seen in the Dingley law which received the approval of President McKinley on Saturday last.

The United States is to-day in the position of a man who, while holding in one hand a commodity which he desires to sell to another man, has in the other a sword with which he proposes to cut off the hand of the customer the moment it is extended in an offer to sell him some of his products.

As a result of this hostile and unbusinesslike policy the United States is fast becoming an Ishmaelite : its hand is against every nation and every nation's hand against it. Witness the attitude of Germany, AustriaHungary, Japafi and other nations, let alone
ourselves, whom the United States appears to have taken special pains to irritate.

If a nation desires to sell it must be willing to buy. Business is still barter. And nations who have goods to sell must, like individuals, study to earn the good-will, and not the ill-will, of those whose custom they are anxious to secure.

If a merchant's stand is poor it is only natural he should fall.

## IT IS THE BEST WHO SUCCEED.

IT is only the best who climb to the top in business to-day. And it is demanded that the best of to-day shall be a great deal better than were those who were thus termed yesterday. This is in keeping with the spirit of the times, which demands a higher standard of qualification for every-thing-except, perhaps, politics.

Best is not the gift of genius. It is the product of the will. Everyone, therefore, who has the will can earn a place in the ranks of the best.
Of course, the man who has no adaptation whatever tor business can hardly be expected to qualify high for that which Nature never intended him. We are presuming that there is adaptation.
The foundation of success in whatsoever avocation a man may engage is education.
There is, first of all, the knowledge to be acquired that will enable him to read, write and figure. And then there are the elementary lessons in the business, or any other calling in which he engages, to be mastered.
The great majority of the failures in business to-day are due to the fact that there are so many engaged in it who have had no training for it. And the trouble is that a good many of those thus situated know everything. They know so much that they do not even require a trade paper.
In the sphere which it has pleased themselves to call themselves they twirl around for a while and twirl out of it again, sadder if not wiser men.

Training is needed for the shop every bit as much as it is for the bar or the surgery, and the sooner this is recognized the sooner will there be a better class of business men and a healthier business done.

It is the practical, not the theoretical, advertising which pays.

## THE DINGLEY TARIFF AND

 CANADA.THE Dingley tariff now lives and moves, President McKinley, by the stroke of his pen, having on Saturday last given it its being. The object of the Act, as set forth in the preamble, is to provide revenue for the Government and to encourage the industries of the United States.

If a high tariff will secure the desideratum there does not seem to be much question as to the result. According to the Senate Committee's estimate, the revenue, under the new tariff, will be $\$ 176,884,000$ for the current fiscal year. Next year, with improved trade, the amount is expected by some authorities to be $\$ 220,000,000$, leaving a surplus of $\$ 26,000,000$.

Nothing is said in the preamble of the bill in regard to the commercial war which it inaugurates against other nations. One has to turn to the speeches of Congressmen for that. A blow has been aimed at Canada, at any rate; the increased duties which have been put on certain articles proves it, no matter what United States politicians may assert to the contrary. Canada, for instance, is the country of the white pine, and this article has been removed from the free list and made dutiable at $\$ 2$ per thousand feet. Then there is coal, lead ore, hay, potatoes, horses, eggs, wood pulp and a good many other articles, on all of which the duty has been increased, in some instances enormously. Here are a few of the articles in the new tariff in which Canada is most interested

| Lead contained in silver ores | New Tariff | Old Tariff |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | ${ }^{2} \mathrm{~L}$ c. per lb. | 3/4. per lb. |
| Boards of hemlock, white |  |  |
| pine, etc. | \$2 per M. feet | Free |
| Horses. | \$30 per head | 20 per cent. |
| Eags | 5c. per dozen | 36. per dozen |
| Hay | \$4 per ton | \$2 per ton |
| Potatoes | 25c. per bushel | ${ }^{\text {15 C.per bushel }}$ |
| Wool, class 1 | nic. per lb | Free |
|  |  | Free |
| 3. valued at |  |  |
| not more than 12 c . .... | 4c. per lb . | Free |
| Wool, class 3 , valued at more than 12 c . | 7c. per ll. | Free |
| Wood pulp, mechanically | r-12c. perl lb . | to per cent. |
| Coal, bituminous | 67 c. per ton | 40c. per ton |
| Hides of cattle | 15 per cent. | Free |

Logs and round unmanufactured timber, including unground pulp-wood, are free. Upon Canada our neighbors are practically dependent for pine logs and pulp-wood; but instead of acting graciously on account thereof, they impose a high tariff upon these when advanced a stage from their raw con-
dition. It is possible an export duty on logs and pulp-wood may put an end to their ungraciousness, or at least bring them to their senses.
Canada has every desire for closer trade relations with the United States. Upon half a dozen distinct occasions we have sent representatives to Washington as an evidence of good faith on our part ; but with what result we are all acquainted. We believe that this desire is reciprocated by the great majority of the business and better classes across the border, but unfortunately there is in United States politics a predominating influence which prefers to follow a policy quite to the contrary.
We are not without hopes of a better day dawning. The business men of the United States, as well as of Canada, are gradually awakening to the fact that they are being made the lick-spittles of party politicians.

By-and-bye when a sufficient number of them awake, business principles, and not party exigencies, will prevail in both the Congress of the United States and in the Parliament of the Dominion.

In the meantime Canadians can gain nothing by turning their face towards the United States. On the contrary they must lose by so doing. The business for us to be about is that of pushing trade with the British Empire.

At any rate our trade with the United States has been gradually getting more of a one sided affair: That country's exports to Canada have for years been increasing, while ours to it have been practically stationary. In 1891 our exports to the United States were $\$ 41,138,695$, and our imports from that country $\$ 53,685,657$. In 1896 the figures were $\$ 44,448,410$ and $\$ 58,574,024$. Away back in 1882 we sold more to the United States than we do now, while the latter country has increased her sales to Canada by about ten million dollars since that year.

Of our total exports in 1896 nearly 60 per cent. was to the British Empire and less than 30 per cent. to the United States. Of our exports to the British Empire over 54 per cent. was to the Motherland alone. It is not strange in view of these facts that Canadians are not as much concerned about the going into operation of the Dingley tariff as they were seven years ago the McKinley tariff.

## RAW SUGAR VERY EASY.

AFEATURE of the sugar situation lately has been the continued weakness of the market for the raw material. Prices abroad on this have declined during the past two weeks from 3 d . to $4 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{~d}$. and are now at the lowest point ever known in the history of the trade. This is due to the lack of speculation in futures and the prospects of an unusually large yield of beet this season. This easiness abroad on the crude has had no influence whatever on the range in the refined article either in Canada or the United States or on the raw material either at New York, for that matter, as prices have been fully maintained on crystals, with an upward tendency. For fair sized lots $35 / 8$ to $33 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. have been asked while granulated there is firmly held at $\$ 4.59$ per 100 lbs nett. The situation at the local refineries in Montreal is unchanged.
Demand from jobbers continues quite brisk, which emphasizes the claim made some time ago in these columns that the stocks of refined, both granulated and yellows, in second and third hands throughout the country were allowed to run down much lower than usual. Refiners, in fact, have all the orders they can attend to at present, as the most of them stipulate for prompt shipment. Car lots of granulated are held firm at 4 c . at the refinery and yellows $3^{1 / 4}$ to $33 / 4 \mathrm{c}$.

Co-operation is not reform but the former is essential to securing the other.

## REDUCTION IN PAPER BAGS.

For some time, as intimated in former issues, the paper bag trade in Canada was not in a satisfactory condition owing to the cutting of prices among the manufacturers. Matters instead of being better are now rather worse, for one manufacturer, and an important one, too, is understood to have made a further reduction of about 5 per cent. in prices in order to meet the figures of certain of his competitors.
As paper-bag making has for some time not been returning adequate profits to those engaged in it, the opinion obtains among some with whom The Canadian Grocer has conversed that this last reduction in price will eventually induce the remedy.
J. W. LANG \& CO. IN TROUBLE.

THE wholesale grocery and liquor house of J. W. Lang \& Co., Church and Front streets, Toronto, has been the subject of some interest in both commercial and legal circles during the past few days.
On Monday the unexpected information was given out that the business had been disposed of to Mr. F. J. Lumsden, who for some years has been the firm's chief accountant. But a still greater surprise came when it was learned that Mr. Lumsden had given a chattel mortgage for $\$ 20,000$ on the stock to Mr. T. H. Steele, an Orillia lumber dealer.
Lang \& Co. have been looked upon as being fairly healthy financially, but when it became known that the business had been sold and the stock subsequently covered by a chattel mortgage the creditors naturally became a little nervous, which was not at all mollified when efforts made to find Mr. Lang were futile.
On Monday afternoon an informal meeting of the creditors was held, and on Tuesday a wnt for $\$ 2,378$ was issued by the Canada Sugar Refining Co. This was argued before Justice MacMahon on Wednesday. An affidavit was put in from Mr. Lang, in which he stated that he had not been concealing himself from his creditors with fraudulent intent, and, except when he had been out of the city on business, was in an office in his former warehouse preparing a statement for his creditors. The affidavit also further set forth that Mr . Lang believed he was able to pay 100 cents on the dollar. The judge, however, issued an order for speedy judgment.
The Standard Bank holds $\$ 80,000$ of customers' paper, and the firm's total liabilities of all kinds are said to be about $\$ 200,000$, of which about $\$ 25,000$ are to the trade, but in the absence of an official statement this can only be taken for what it is worth.
Numbered among the creditors are both the sugar refineries at Montreal and four or five of the leading wholesale grocers in Toronto.

## the new canadian tariff.

As promised some time ago, we this issue reproduce, in alphabetical order, the new tariff of the Dominion, which contains the
changes as finally made by Parliament. The commencement of it will be found on page 17 .

Business men should take particular pains to preserve this issue of The Canadian Grocer.

## A SENSATIONAL FAILURE.

THE failure of the John Eaton Co., Limited, has developed sensational features which promise to be the subject of more than the usual nine days' talk. The character of the statement is sufficient in itself to create a sensation in business circles, but the arrest of three of the members of the company on a charge of defrauding their creditors is more so.
The fire which destroyed the company's place of business together with the stock took place on May 20th last. A few days after the fire a notice was issued to the effect that the company would rebuild, continue in business and pay one hundred cents on the dollar. The loss by the fire was placed by the company at $\$ 289,233.57$, but all but $\$ 63,603$ of this was covered by insurance. There was, therefore, some ground for the gratifying statement which the company made in regard to the payment of its liabilities.
Instead, however, of securing one hundred cents on the dollar the creditors may consider themselves lucky if they get io cents on the dollar, for it was revealed at the meeting of the creditors a few days ago that to meet the liabilities of $\$ 136,178.37$ to unsecured creditors there were only available assets to the amount of $\$ 34,350.29$, leaving a deficiency of $\$ 101,828.08$. All the insurance policies for $\$ 225,540$ and hypothecated goods valued at $\$ 9,986$ had been handed over to the Bank of Toronto as security for a claim of $\$ 207,000$.
Ranking as creditors to nearly the amount of $\$ 40,000$ are the members of the firm and their immediate relatives, but there are other features which do not reflect creditably upon the members of the company.

At a meeting held on June 2 they voted each other, for alleged services, sums aggregating $\$ 8,000$, while at another meeting the officers were authorized to pledge all the assets still unpledged. At least some of the money raised on the hypothecated goods
appears to have been divided among the members of the company.

The authorized capital of the company was $\$ 100,000$ in 5,000 shares of $\$ 20$ each. The shareholders, with the amount subscribed and paid by each, were : R. Baker, Toronto, manager-amount subscribed, $\$ 200$; amount still unpaid, $\$ 200$. John Eaton, Toronto, manager-amount subscribed, $\$ 600$; amount still unpaid, $\$ 540$. J. H. McConnell, Toronto-amount subscribed, $\$ 20$; amount still unpaid, $\$ 20$. G. Noble, law student-amount subscribed, $\$ 20$; amount still unpaid, $\$ 18$. H. E. Ridley, solicitor-amount subscribed, $\$ 20$; amount still unpaid, $\$ 18$. Fully paid up : Boyce Thompson, merchant-amount subscribed, $\$ 30,000$. T. Thompson, capitalist -amount subscribed, $\$ 10,000$. T. C. Thompson, merchant-amount subscribed, $\$ 5,000$. W. A. Thompson, merchantamount subscribed, $\$ 35,000$. Harton Walker, agent-amount subscribed, $\$ 1,100$; amount still unpaid, $\$ 550$. H. K. Bowden, -amount subscribed, 820 ; amount still unpaid, \$20.

## A MERCHANT FINED FOR LYING.

A lying advertiser ought to be punished. And it ought to be done now and not in the hereafter.
The difference between the ordinary liar and the advertising liar is this : The former may deceive, but there it usually ends ; the latter not only deceives but he robs. That is why he should be punished while in the flesh.
In this country we have no laws against the liar of the advertising type. Probably we are too advanced in civilization. There is one country, however, which has. Tha country is Germany.
A short time ago a merchant in one of the towns there advertised that his "entire stock consisted of the finest quality of brand new goods, and that it was utterly impossible for any house in town to come up to the price or quality of goods offered."
Another merchant in the town was of a dubious turn of mind. Perhaps he had " been there himself." He purchased some of the alleged extraordinary quality goods. And so confirmed was he in his doubts that he issued an informakion against his competitor, with the result that the latter had to pay a fine and shoulder all the costs.
But it pays to tell the truth, even where there is no law against untruthful advertising.


THE ESSENCE of the finest Coffee, combined with all the strength-giving qualities of the Kola Nut, produces...


## Mackay's

 Kola CafeTHE CANADIAN GROCER

## Absinthe

Acetate of lime
Acetate and nitrate of lead, not ground.. Acid, acetic and pyroligneous, n. e. s., and vinegar, of any strength, not exceeding a
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exclusive use in dying or printing, or for the manufacture of such acetates or colors, in their own factories.
Acid, muriatic and nitric, and all mixed acids Acid, phosphate.
Acid, phosphate
Acids used for medical, chemical or manufacturing purposes, not specially provided for
in this Act Aconite root
Acorns as nuts
Advertising bills, stickers and folders
Advertising pamphlets, pictures and pictorial show cards, illus. advertising periodicals,
illus. price lists, advertising calendars, advertising almanacs, tailors and mantlemakers' fashion plates. Agaric
Alabaster, spar, terra cotta or composition ornaments
Ale, beer and porter, in bottles ( 6 q . or 12p. to Imp. gal.)
Ale, beer and porter. in casks, or otherwise
Albumenized and other papers chemically prepared for photographers use..
Albums, insides of paper...........
Albums or books of views, without reading matter.
Ale, ginger Alkanet root, crude, crushed or ground. Almonds, shelled
Almond paste as confectionery
Aloes, unground
Alum, in bulk only, ground or unground Alum, burned or calcined.
Aluminum, or aluminum and alumina and chloride of aluminum or chloralum, sulphate of alumina and alum cake Ambergris.
Ammonia, sulphate of
Anatomical preparations and skeletons or parts thereof
Anchors.
Animals, living, n.e.s
Animals, for improvement of stock Animals, live hogs.
Animals, brought into Canada temporarily and for a period not exceeding 3 months, for
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household effects (not merchandise) of British subjects dying abroad, but domiciled in Apples, including the barrel.
Apples, dried.
Apple trees of all kinds
Argols, not reined, Artist color boxed
Arms, including muskets, rifles and other fire Army and navy and Canadian military arms clothing, musical instruments for bands, military stores and munition of war
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they represent, and who are not engaged in Articles ex-warehoused for ship's store
Ashestos in any form other than crude, and all manufactures thereof..
Ashes, pot and pearl, in packages of not less than 25 lbs. weight.
Asparagus
sphalt or asphaltum, and bone pitch, crude
Awnings and tents
Babbit metal
Bacon and hams, shoulders and sides
Bagatelle tables or boards, with cues and balls Baggage, travelers ...
Bags, cotton, seamless
Do. made up
Bo. made up by the use of the needle
Bags, carpet bags
Bags, paper seed
Bags, paper ........
Bags, jute or hemp.
Baking powders.
Ramboos, manufactured.
Bamboo reeds, not further manufacture. . . . . . . cut into suitable lengths for walking sticks or canes, or sticks for umbrellas, parasols or
sunshades ................................. Sunsh
Barilla
Barilia
Bark, oak
Barley,

| Free Free | Same Same |
| :---: | :---: |
| 25 Pc | Same |
| Free | Same |
| 25 Pc | Same |
| Free | Same |
| 25 pc | Same |
| 25 Pc | Same |
| 10 pe | Same |
| 2 c , per lb. | Sume |
| 35 Pc | Name |
| Free | Same |
| 20 Pc | Same |
| $321 / 2 \mathrm{Pc}$ | . |
| 30 pe $6 \mathrm{c} . \mathrm{lb}, ~ \& ~ 20 ~ p e$ | Same |
| ${ }_{20 \mathrm{pc}}^{\mathbf{6 c} . \mathrm{lb}, \& 20 \mathrm{pc}}$ | 35 Pc Same |
| 20 pc | Same |
| 6 c . per lb . | Same |
| Free | Same |

Barley.....
Barometers
Free Same
Free empty under such reg' ns as the Min. of Cus.
 Barrels cont. petroleum or its products, or any
mixt. of which petroleum is a part, when mixt. of which petroleum is a part, when
such contents are chargeable with a specific
 Beads and bead ornaments
Beans .................................................
Bean, tonquin, van vole only
Bed comforters, or quilts of cotton, white .....
Beef, salted in barrels, the barrel containing the same to be free of duty
Bees
Bells, when imported by and for the use of churches.
Belts, leather
Belts, silk...
Belts, cotton....
Belting of leath
Benzole, n.es or other material, n.e.s....
Berries for dyeing, or used for composing dyes
Bicycles, tricycles or velocipedes .............
Billiard tables, with or without pockets, and bagatelle tables or boards, cues, balls and cue racks..
Billiard balls, papier mache, when imported
separately, illiard balls, bone or ivory, when imported
separately ..................................
Billiard balls, ceiluloid, when imported separ-
ately ............................................
Birds, skins for taxidermic purposes .
Bird cages
Biscuits of all kinds, not sweetened.
Biscuits, sweetened
Bismuth, metallic, in its natural state
Blacking, shoe and shoemakers ink, sho
harness and leather dressing, and harness-
Black lead, plumbago manufacture
Black book muslin.
Blackberries, gooseberries, raspberries, straw
berries, cherries and currants, n.e.s. the weight of the package to be included in
the weight for duty.......................... the weight for duty.
Blanketing and lapping, and dises or mills for engraving copper rollers imported by cotton manufacturers, calico printers and wall paper manufacturers, for use in their own factories
Blood albumen, tannic acid, antimony salts, tartar emetic and grey tartaz
Blueing, laun
Blue vitriol.


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$\begin{array}{ll}25 \mathrm{pc} & \text { Sume } \\ 30 \mathrm{Pc} & 35 \mathrm{pc}\end{array}$
2c. per lb.
20 pe ..... Sume
Free ..... $\stackrel{23 \text { pe }}{\substack{\text { Pree } \\ \text { Red }}}$

Same
Same
Same

THE CANADIAN GROCER


Farm and freight wagons, carts, drays and similar vehicles........................... arriages, parts of, or other manufactured articles, shall be charged with same rate of duty, on a proportionate valuation, as that chargeable upon the finished article.
Carriage hardware.
arriages of travellers, and carriages laden with merchandise, and not to include circus art or wagon skeins or
aish boxes.
Casts, as models for the use of schools of design Catgut strings, or gut cord for musical instruCatgut strings, or gut cord for musical instru-
ments............................................... Catgut or whipgut, unmanufactured... Caustic soda................................. ware, cutlery, and other like articles of any material.
Celluloid, xylonite, or xyolite, in sheets, lumps. balls, or blocks, in rough
elluloid moulded into sizes for handiles of knives and forks, not bored nor otherwise
manf............... manf
filuloid balls and cylinders, coated with tinfoil, or not, but not finished or further
manufactured elluloid collars.
Do. cuffs.
Cement, hydraulic or water lime, ground, Portland or Roman, including barrels......
Chalk stone, china or Cornwall stone, felspar Chalk stone, china or Cornwall stone, felspar and cliff stone, ground or unground Chalk, manufactured
Chamomile flowers .......... Chamois skins.
Charts, admiralty
Do. other
Charcoal
Cheese cloths, white
Cheques, pro. notes and drafts, printed
Cheques, pro
Chewing gum, if sweetened
Chicory, raw or green
Do. dried, roasted or ground
China clay, natural or ground
Chloralum or chloride of alum.
China and porcelain ware
Chloride of bariun
Chronometer clocks, as clocks
hronometers and compasses for ships
Chromos, chromotypes, oleographs and other cards, pictures or artistic works of similar kinds, produced by any process other than hand painting or drawing whether for inusiness or adverrising purposes or not, printed or stamped on paper, cardboard or other
materials, n.e.s...................................... hurch vestments
Churns, brooms, pails, tubs, pounders and rolling pins
ider, not clarified or refined.
Do. clarified or refined
Cigars and ciga

## innabar

Itrons, rinds of, in brine
Citric acid.
Clays
Cliff stone, unmanufactured
Do. manufactured locks and clock cases of ail kinds
lock springs and clock movements other than lock springs and clock movements othe
for tower clocks, complete or in parts. lothes wringers

Clothing, cotton, silk and linen
Do. ready-made, and wearing apparel of
every description, composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, the hair of the alpaca goat or other like animal, n.o.p
Clothing, donations of for charitable purposes Clothing, imported by and for use of army and cording to material. Duty refunded upon reference to Department.
oal, and coal dust, anthracite
Coal, bituminous, per ton of $2,000 \mathrm{lbs}$.
Coal dust and slack, bituminous
Coke.
oal tar and coal pitch.

## Old.

25 Pc
35 Pc
same
Same Same
$3^{21 / 2} \mathrm{pc}$ Free 25 pc Free Free
Free Free
Free

## 5 cents each

Free Same
$10 \mathrm{Pe} \quad$ Same

10 pe Same

$40 c$. per barrel $121 / 2 \mathrm{c}, 100 \mathrm{lbs}$


| 6 c . per ll . and |  |
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| 20 pc | 3) pe |
| 20 pc | Same |
| 20 Pe | Same |
| $5 \mathrm{c} . \mathrm{Im} . \mathrm{gal}$. | Same |
| 10c. Im. gal. | Name |
| \$2 lib, \& 25 pe | 831b and $25 p$ |
| Free | Same |
| 20 Pc | Name |
| Free | Same |
| Free | Same |
| Free | Same |
| Free | Same |
| Free | Same |
| 30 pe | Same |
| 25 Pc | Same |
| 25 Pc | Same |
| 25c. each and | 35 pc |
|  | 33 pec |
| 5 c . per lb, and |  |
| 30 pe Free | $35 \mathrm{pc}$ |
| Free | Same |
| 6oc. Per ton | Sisc. per ton |
| zopc | Same |
| Free | Same |

Cochineal
Cocoa mats and matting
Cocoanuts, imported from place of growth by vessel direct to a Canadian port. Cocoanuts, not imported direct.
Cocoa paste and chocolate paste, cocoas and
cocoa shells and nibs, chocolate and other
preparations of cocoa......... and other Cocoanut, desiccated, sweetened or not....... Cocoa beans, not roasted, crushed or ground Coffee, green, n.e.s.
Coffee, green, imported direct from the country of growth and production, or purchased
in hond in any country where coftco is sulsin hond in any country where coffee is sub-
Coffee, roasted or ground, when not imported direct from the country of growth and pro-
duction ....................................
of and substitutes for, n.e.s.................. Coffee, extract of, or substitutes for, of all Coffee and milk
offee mills or roasters.
Coffins and caskets, of any materials.
Coins, silver coins from the
Coins, gold and silver, except U.S. silver coins
Coilars of linen, cotton, celluloid, xylonite, or xyolite
Collars, lace collars
Collodion
Cologne water, alcoholic perfumes, and perfumed spirits, bay rum, and lavender waters, preparations containing spirits of any kind. when in bottles or flasks weighing not more than +oz , each.

When in bottles, flasks, or other packages weighing more than 40
Combs, dress and toilet, all kinds.......... Combs, curry combs, as saddlers' hardware.
Commercial blank forms. Commercial blank forms.
ate imported by and for use in
Composition metal for the manufacture of filled gold watch-cases..
Compasses for ships
Composition nails, spikes and sheathing nails Composition fuel, in blocks.
Concentrated lye.
Condensed coftee
Confectionery and sugar candy
Copper, old and scrap in pigs, bars, rods, bolts over six feet in length, ingots and sheathing
not planished or coated, and copper seamless drawn tubing
Copper wire ..................................
Copper rollers, for use in calico printing when
opper rollers, for use in calico printing, when factory in the printing of calico and for no other purpose, such rollers not being manu-

## factured in Cinada.. <br> Copper, in sheets .... Do. bath, finished. <br> Do. all manufactures of, n.e.s. <br> Copperas, sulphate of iron. <br> Copperas, suooks. <br> Copy books... <br> Cords and tassels of silk or any other material Cordage, cotton, of all kinds. <br> Corduroy, white, 25 per cent. colored.... <br> Corn. Indian........... <br> Cornmeal <br> Corks and manufactures of cork-woot ......................... <br>  <br> Cork-wood or bark, unmanufactured.......... Cornice poles. <br> Corsets <br> Do. elasps, spoon clasps or busks, blank side steels and other corset steels, whether plain, japanned, lacquered, tinned or covered with paper or cloth; also back, bone or corto lengths and tipped with brass or tin, or to <br> untipped, or in coils. <br> Do. covered wire <br> Do. seed in bulk. <br> Do. bed quilts, white

quilts with woven colored border.


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|  | Old. | New. |  | Old. | New. |
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| Felt, roofing, tarred or coated | 25 Pc | same | Flour, buckwheat or meal | 3/c. per lb. | same |
| Felt, roofing, not tarred ...... | 25 pc | same | Flour of corn | 1\%/2. per 1 lb . | same |
| Felt cloth, n.e.s | 5c. lb. \& 25 PPC | ...... | Flour of | 50c. per bbl. | same |
| Ferro-manganese and ferro-silicon | 5 Pc | same | Flour of whea | 75 c . per bbl. | same |
| Fertilizers, artificial and mineral . | 10 P c | same | Flour of rice or sago | 25 pc | 60c. per bbl. |
| Fibre, Mexican, Tampico or Istle . . . . . . . . . . | Free | same | Fluting machine, | 271/ Pc | same |
| Fibreware, indurated fibreware, vulcanized fibreware and all articles of like material ... | 25 Pc | same | Fly paper Fog signals, detonating | 35 Pc 30 Pc | 25 pc same |
| Fibre, vegetable, for manufacturing purposes | Free | same | Folding machines...... | 10 pe | same |
| Fibrilla....................................... | Free | same | Folia digitalis | Free | same |
| Filberts | 2c. per lb. | same | Food, milk, and all simil | 30 Pe | same |
| Files and rasps | 35 pc | 30 pe | Foot grease, refuse of cotton seed, but not |  |  |
| Fillets of cotton and rubber not exceeding 7 inches wide, for manufac. of card clothing .. | Free | same | when treated with alkalies............... | Free | same |
| Firearms . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 20 Pc | 30 pc | or otherwise further manufactured. | 10 Pe | same |
| Fire bricks, for use exclusively in processes of manufactures, not to include stove linings.. | Free | same | Fossils <br> Fowls, domestic, pure bred, also homing or | Free | same |
| Fire clay gas logs ........................ | 20 Pc | same | messenger pigeons, pheasants and quails for |  |  |
| Fire clay gas retorts | 20 pc | same | improvement of stock. | Free | same |
| Fire clay retorts, crucib | 30 pc | same | Fowls, other | 20 Pc | same |
| Fire clay... | Free | same | Frames, clasps and fasteners, for purses and |  |  |
| Fire works | 25 Pe | same | chatelaine bags or reticules, not more than |  |  |
| Fire hose, of cotton or linen, lined with rubber, or of rubber | 32 pc | 35 pc | 7 inches in diameter, when imported by the manufacturers of same in their factories.... | 20 P c | same |
| Fire dogs, iron .............................. | 271/2 | 25 pe | Fringes .................................. | 30 Pc | 35 pc |
| Fish, and the products thereof, from Newfoundland | Free | same | Fruit syrups, lime juice, and fruit juices, n.o.p. Fruits, dried, desiccated, or evaporated apples, | 20 Pc | same |
| Fish skins and fish offal....................... | Free | same | dates, figs, and other dried, etc., fruits, n.e.s. | 25 Pc | same |
| Fish.-Mackerel, fresh | Ic. per lb. | same | Fruits, dried, raisins, currants and prunes.... | tc. per lb. | same |
| Herrings, pickled or salted | 1/2c. per lb. | same | Fruits, bananas, plantains, pineapples, pome- |  |  |
| Salmon, pickled or salted. | rc. per lb. | same | granates, guavas, mangoes, shaddocks; wild |  |  |
| Salmon, fresh. <br> All other fish, pickled or salted, in bbls | Free | 1/2c. per lb. same | Fruits, green, grapes........................ | ${ }_{\text {Free }}$ 2c. per lb. | same same |
| Foreign caught fish, imported otherwise than in bbls. or half bbls., whetther fresh, dried, salted or pickled, n.e.s. | 50 c .100 lbs . | same | Fruits, green, blackberries, gooseberries, raspberries, strawberries, cherries, and currants. The weight of the package to be included |  |  |
| Smoked and boneless fish ............... | Ic. per lb. | same | in the weight per duty, n.e.s.............. | 2c. lb. | same |
| Anchovies and sardines, packed in oil or otherwise, in tin boxes, measuring not more than 5 in . long, 4 in . wide, and |  |  | Fruits in air-tight cans or other packages. The weight of the cans or packages to be included in the weight for duty | 21/4. per lb. | same |
| $3^{1 / 2} \mathrm{in}$. deep $\ldots . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .$. | 5c. per box | same | Fruits preserved in brandy and other spirits.. | \$2 per Im. gal. | same |
| In half boxes, measuring not more than |  |  | Fuller's earth. | Free | same |
| 5 in . long, 4 in , wide, and $15 / 8$ deep.... | 2\%/2. half box | same | Fuller's earth, prepared.................... | 30 Pc | 25 pc |
| In quarter boxes, measuring not more than $43 / 4 \mathrm{in}$. long, $2^{1 / 2}$ wide and $13 / 4$ deep | 2c. per quarter box | same | Furniture, of wood, iron or any other material, for house, cabinet or office, fin. or in parts, |  |  |
| Imported in any other form............. | 30 pc | same | including hair and spring and other mat- |  |  |
| Fish preserved in oil, except anchovies and sardines. | 30 pe | same | tresses, bolsters and pillows. <br> Fur skins, of all kinds, not dressed in any | 30 Pc | same |
| Salmon and all other fish prepared or pre- |  |  | manner .................. | Free | same |
| served, including oysters, n.e.s........ | 25 Pc | same | Fur skins, wholly or partially dressed........ | 15 Pc | ame |
| Oysters, shelled, in bulk.................. Oysters, canned, in cans not over one pint | 10c. per gal. 3c. per can, in | same | Fur hats, caps, muffs, tippets, capes, coats, cloaks and other manufactures of fur. | 25 Pc | 30 pe |
|  | cluding cans | same | Galvanized Nails and Spikes, wrought and |  |  |
| Oysters in cans over one pint and not over one quart. | 5 c . per can, including cans | same | pressed. Galvanized sheet iron, number 17 gauge and | 30 Pe | same |
| Oysters in cans exceeding one quart ..... | 5 c . for each gt. | same | thinner... | 5 Pc 2 | same |
|  | or fraction of a |  | Galvanic bat | 25 Pc | same |
|  | qt. of the capa- |  | Game... <br> Gannister | 20 pc | same |
|  | city, including cans, 5 c . qt . |  | Gas and coal oil, or kerosene fixtures, or parts |  |  |
| Oysters in the shell.................... | 25 pe . | same | thereof | ${ }^{271 / 2} \mathrm{Pc}$ | 30 pc |
| Oysters, seed and breeding, imported |  |  | Gas coke. . <br> Gas meters |  | same same |
| for the purpose of being planted in Canadian waters. | Free | same | Gas meters.... Gas, for dentists | 35 Pc 20 Pc | same same |
| Packages containing oysters or other fish |  |  | Gelatine | 25 Pc | same |
| not otherwise provided for........... | 25 Pc | same | Gentian and ginseng ro | Free | same |
| Oils, spermaceti, whale and other fish oils, and all other articles the produce of the |  |  | German spirits of nitrous ether (sweet nitre), | $\$ 2.25 \mathrm{imp}$. gal. and 30 pc | \$2.40 and 30 pc |
| fisheries, n.e.s. Cans or packages made of tin or other | 20 Pc | same | German and nickel silver, manufactures of, not plated | $25 \mathrm{Pc}$ | same |
| material, containing fish of any kind.... |  |  | German and nickel silver, plated, n.e | 30 Pc | same |
| Not exceeding one quart in contents. | 1/2c. on each |  | German silver, and silver in sheets ......... | Free | same |
|  | can or pkg., and when ex- |  | Giant powder, dualin, dynamite and other explosives | 4c. per lb. | 3 c . per lb. |
|  | ceeding one qt. an additional |  | Gilling twine, imported for the use of the fisheries |  |  |
|  | duty of $11 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. |  | Gilling twines, line | 20 pc | same |
|  | for each addi- |  | Gilt ware, of all kinds, except | 30 Pc | same |
|  | tional quart or |  | Ginger, preserved. | 30 pc | same |
|  | fractional part |  | Glacier, window decoratio | 6 c . per lb , and | 20 pe |
| Fish hooks, nets, seines, lines and twines, not, to include sporting fishing tackle or hooks with flies, or trolling spoons, or threads or twines commonly used for sewing |  |  | Glass, crystal and decorated table-ware, made expressly for mounting with silver-plated trimmings, when imported by manufacturers of plated ware.. | 20 Pc | same |
| or manufacturing purposes .............. | Free | same | Glass, ornamented, figured and enamelled |  |  |
| Fish hooks, n.e.s. | $271 / 2 \mathrm{pc}$ | 30 pe | celored glass ; painted and vitrified glass; |  |  |
| Fish nets, seines | 30 pc | same | figured, enamelled and obscured white |  |  |
| Fishing rods........... | $3^{\circ} \mathrm{Pc}$ | same | glass, and rough rolled plate glass | 25 P C | 30 pc |
| Fishing hooks, with flies................... | 30 p c | same | Glass stained windows. | 30 Pc | same |
| Flagstones, sawn or otherwise dressed....... |  | 35 pc | Glass, carboys and demijohns, empty or filled bottles and decanters, flasks and phials. |  |  |
| Flannels, of every description, n.e.s. (wool), Flax, fibre............................ | 5c. lb . and 25 Free | 35 pec same | bottles and decanters, flasks and phials.... Glass, flasks and phials; telegraph and light- | 30 pc | same |
| Flax, tow | Free | same | ning rod insulators, jars and glass balls, and |  |  |
| Flax seed. | Free | same | cut, pressed or moulded tableware........ | 30 pc | same |
| Flax sail twi | 5 Pc | same | Glass, lamp, gas and electric light shades, |  |  |
| Flax, manufactures of, n.e.s | 20 Pc | 25 pc | lamps and lamp chimneys, side lights and |  |  |
| Flint, flints and ground flint stones......... | Free | same | head lights, globes for lanterns, lamps, gas |  |  |
| Floor earthenware tiles . . . . . $\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$. | 35 Pc | same | and electric lights, n.e.s.................. | 30 Pc | same |
| Fiorist stock, viz., palms, orchids, azaleas, cacti and flower bulbs of all kinds. | Free | same | Glass, all other, and manufactures of, n.o.p.. including bent plate glass | 20 Pc | same |

Glass bulbs for electric lights
Glass, common and colorless window glass glass in sheets.........................
Glass, imitation porcelain shades, and colored glass shades, not figured, painted, enamelled or engraved
Glass and emery paper.
Glass, German looking glass, unsilvered.
Glass, plate, not bevelled, in sheets or panes Glass, plate, not bevelled, in sheets or panes, Glate plate, bevelled, in sheets or panes. Glass, silvered
Glass, silvered, bevelled.
Glaziers hacking and putty knives.
gloves and mitts
Glue, sheet, broken sheet and ground
Glucose and
Glycerine glucose syrup
Goat hair, unmanufactured
Gold beaters moulds and skins
Gold laces, gold and silver cloth or thread Gold and silver bullion, in bars, blocks or in gots, and bullion fringe
Gold medals
Gold and silver leaf, and Dutch or schlag metalleaf.
Gold and silver, manufactures of, n.e.s
Gongs for doors, as bells..
Gooseberry bushes .................
Grape vines
Grain of all kinds when damaged by water in transitu (on appraised value)
Granite ware, enamelled iron
Grass, manilla and sea grass
Grass, manufactures of, n.e.s.
Gravels.
Grease, rough, the refuse of animal fat, when
imported by the manufacturers of imported by the manufacturers of soap for
use in their own factory only............... Grease, axle
Grease, foot, refuse of cotton seed after oil is pressed out.
Grease, other, n.e.s............................ 36 inches in diameter
Grindstones, n.e.s
Guano, and other animal and vegetable manures ................................. Copal, Damar, Kaurie, Mastic, Sandarac Senegal, and shellac; and white shellac in gum or flake, for manufacturing purposes ; and gum Tragacanth, gum Gedda and gum Gum, Britis
Gum, British, Dextrine, sizing, cream and Gum, sappato and chicle, crude
Gum, opium, powdered
Gum, opium, prepared for smoking
Gum, opium (drug).
Gums, assafctida, camphor and others, n.e.s
Gunpowder, gun, rifle, sporting, cannon and
Gunpowder, blasting and mining
Guns, rifles and muskets. .
ut and worm gut, manufactured .............
factured, for whip and other cord.
Gutta percha clothing, or clothing made waterproof with guta perc
Gutta percha, manufactures of
Gypsum, crude (sulphate of lime
Hair, cleaned or uncleaned, but not curled or
Hair
Hair cloth of all kinds
Hair mattresses
Hair, plasterers' and manufactures of, n.e.s. perfumed preparations pastes, and all other mouth and skin..

## Hair pins.

Hammers, blacksmith hammers
Hammers, other, n.e.s.
ammocks and lawn tennis nets and othe like articles manufactured of twine, n.e.s. Harness and saddlery of every deseription and parts of same
Hatchets, n.e.s
Hat boxes
Hat covers of rubber
Hatters' plush, of silk or cotton, and furs not on the skin.

| Old. | New. |  | Old. | New. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10 pe 20 pe | same same | Hatters' bands, bindings, tips and sides ; linings, both tips and sides ; hat sweats ; when imported by hat manufacturers for use in | Free | same |
|  |  | Hay | 82 per ton | same |
|  |  | Hemlock bark | Free | me |
| $\begin{aligned} & 30 \mathrm{pc} \\ & 20 \mathrm{pc} \end{aligned}$ | same 35 pc | Hemp paper, made on four-cylinder machines and calendered to between . 006 and .008 in. |  |  |
| $17^{1 / 2} \mathrm{Pc}$ | 20 p c | thickness, for manufacture of shot shells, |  |  |
| 4 to $6 \mathrm{c} . \mathrm{sq} . \mathrm{ft}$. | 25 pc | primers for the manufacture of shot shells and cartridge and felt board, sized and hydraulic pressed and covered with paper or |  |  |
|  | 35 pc | uncovered for the manufacture of gun wads, |  |  |
|  | 30 pe | when such articles are imported by the |  |  |
| $271 / 2 \mathrm{pc}$ | 30 pe | manufacturers of shot shells, cartridges and |  |  |
| 321/ pe | 30 pe | gun wads, to be used for these purposes only |  |  |
| 35 pe | 30 pe | in their own factories ; provided always that |  |  |
| 35 Pc | same | the said articles when imported shall be en- |  |  |
| 25 Pe | same | tered only at such port or ports as may be |  |  |
| ${ }^{25} \mathrm{pc}$ | same | named by the Controller of Customs, and at |  |  |
| 11/4. c. per lb. | 3/4. c . lb . | no other place | Free | same |
| $\begin{aligned} & 20 \mathrm{pe} \\ & \text { Free } \end{aligned}$ | same same | Hemp, undressed | Free | same |
| Free | same | Hickory spokes, rough turned, not tenoned, | 20 Pc | 25 Pc |
| 3 Pl | 35 pc | mitred, throated, faced, sized, cut to length, round tenoned or polished. | Free | same |
| Free | same | Hides, raw, whether dried, salted or pickled.. | Free | same |
| 30 Pc | same | Hob nails. | 30 pe | 30 pc |
| 25 Pc | 30 pec | Hoes. | 35 pe | 25 pc |
|  |  | Holly | 20 P c | same |
| 25 pc 25 pe | 20 pc | Hominy, in barrel | 4oc. per barrel | same |
| 25 pe | 30 pe | Honey, in the comb or otherwise, and adulterations and imitations thereof | 3c. per lb. | same |
| 20 Pc | same | Hoofs, horns and horn tips | Free | same |
| Free | same | Hoop skirts and similar goods, | $3^{21 / 2} \mathrm{Pc}$ | 25 pc |
| 20 pc | same | Hops | 6 c. per 1 l . | same |
|  |  | Hop extract and hop roots. | 20 pc | same |
| 20 pc | same | Horns, in the rough. | Free | same |
| 35 pc | same | Horn strips. | Free | same |
| Free | same | Horse clothing, shaped, n.o.p. .............. | 5c. lb. \& 30 pc | 30 pc |
| $20 \mathrm{pc}$ Free | same | Horse clothing of jute, shaped or otherwise manufactured. | 30 Pc | same |
|  |  | Horses, n.e.s. | 20 pc | same |
|  |  | Hosiery, of silk | 35 Pc | same |
| Free <br> ${ }_{25} \mathrm{Pc}$ | same same | House furnishing hardware, rated according |  |  |
|  |  | Hubs, rough hewn or sawn only | Free | same |
| Free | same | Hymn books ..... | Free | same |
| 20 pc | same | Hydrants, valves and watergates (iron) | $27^{1 / 2} \mathrm{pc}$ | 25 pc |
|  |  | Ice ..... | Free | same |
|  | $25 \mathrm{p} \mathrm{c}$ | Ice boxes. <br> Illuminating oils, composed wholly or in part | $3^{\circ} \mathrm{pc}$ | same |
| Free | same | of the products of petroleum, coal, shale or lignite, costing more than 300 . per gal. ..... | 25 Pc | same |
|  |  | Incense . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 20 pc | same |
|  |  | Indian corn of the varieties known as "Southern White Dent Corn, " or horse tooth ensilage corn, and " Western Yellow Dent |  |  |
| Free | same | Corn, " or horse tooth ensilage corn, when imported to be sown for soiling and ensilage |  |  |
|  |  |  | Free | same [feed |
| 10 pe | same | Indian corn............................... | $7^{1 / 2} \mathrm{c}$. per bush. | free when for |
| Free | same | Indian corn meal | 40c. per bbl. | 25 c . per bbl. |
| \$1. 35 per lb. | same | Indian corn and corn meal, when damaged by |  |  |
| \$5 per lb. | same | water in transitu on appraised value....... | 20 Pc | same |
| \$1 per lb. | same | India rubber boots and shoes with tops or |  |  |
| 20 pc | same | uppers of cloth or of material other than rubber | 30 pe | 25 pc |
| 3c. per lb. | same | India rubber boots and shoes and other manu- |  |  |
| ${ }^{2 c}$. per lb. | same | factures of India rubber, n.e.s. | 25 Pc | same |
| 20 Pc | 30 pc | India rubber clothing, or clothing made waterproof with India rubber, $n_{2}$ e.s.............. | 35 pc | same |
| Free | same | India rubber hose, belting, packing, mats and matting, and cotton and linen hose, lined |  |  |
| 35 pc | same | with rubber............................... | $32^{1 / 2} \mathrm{Pc}$ | 35 pc |
| Free | same | India rubber, unmanufactured |  | same |
| ${ }_{2}^{25} \mathrm{pc}$ | same | India rubber, crude and hard rubber in sheets, |  |  |
| Free | same | but not further manufactured, and re-covered rubber and rubber substitute. $\qquad$ | free | same |
| Free | same | Indigo . | free | same |
| 20 pc | same | Indigo auxiliary or zine dust... | free | same |
| 30 pc | same | Indigo paste and extract of..... | free | same |
| 30 pc | same | Infants food, all kinds | 30 Pc | same |
| 20 Pc | same | Ink, for writing | 20 pe | same |
|  |  | Ink, for printing | 20 pc | same |
|  |  | Inkstands, n.e.s. | 30 Pc | same |
| 30 pe | same | Insect powder, n.e.s. | 20 Pc | same |
| 30 Pc | same | Iodine, crude. | free | same |
| 35 pc | 30 pe | Iodine, resublimed | ${ }^{20} \mathrm{Pc}$ | same |
| 35 Pc | 30 pc | Iris, orris root. | free | same |
|  |  | Isinglass. | 25 Pc | same |
| 30 Pc 2c. per lb | same | Iron sand or globules and dry putty, for polish- |  |  |
| ${ }^{2 c}$. per lb. | same | ing granite. | 20 Pc | same |
|  |  | Iron borings. | free | same |
| 30 p c | same | Iron liquor, solution of acetate of iron for dye- |  |  |
| 35 pe | 30 pe | ing and calico printing................. | free | same |
| $3{ }^{3} \mathrm{pe}$ | same | Iron, oxide of, dry .......................... | 25 Pc | same |
| 25 Pc | same | Iron and steel and manufactures of :- |  |  |
| 30 Pc | same | Adzes <br> Anchors | $\begin{aligned} & 35 \mathrm{pec} \\ & \text { free } \end{aligned}$ | 30 pe same |
| Free | same | Anch | free | same |

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Angles，rolled iron or steel angles，chan－ nels，structural shapes and special sec－ tions，weighing less than 35 lbs．per lineal yard
Angles，rolled iron or steel angles，chan－ nels and special sections，weighing no less than 35 lbs ．per lineal yard，and rolled iron or steel beams，joists，gird－ other building or bridge structural sec tions，weighing not less than 25 lbs ．per tineal yard，and rolled iron or steel bridge plate not less than 36 of a inch thick，nor less than 15 inches wide，and flat eye bar blanks，not punched or drilled
Axes，chopping axes
hammers，kinds，adzes，hatchets and
Axles，springs and parts thereof，axle bars
and axle blanks of iron or steel for rail
way or tramway vehicles．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．
Axles，springs and parts thereof，axle bars
and axle blanks of iron or steel，n．e．s ．
Bars，crowbars
Bar iron，rolled or hammered，comp． rounds，squares and bars and shapes of inches in diameter，and flats not thinner than No． 16 gauge，whether in coils， bundles，rods or bars，n．e．s
Barbed wire and other wire for fencing．． Steel rails，weighing not less than 45 lbs per lineal yard，for use in railway tracks ； but this item shall not extend to rails for
use in the tracks of railways used or in tended for private purposes only，nor tended for private purposes only，nor
shall it extend to rails which are not used or intended to be used in connec－ tion with the business of common carry ing of either goods or passengers，nor shall this item extend to rails for use in the tracks of street railways or tramways ron or steel railway bars or rails of any
form，punched or not punched，n．e．s．， for railways，which term for the pur－ poses of this item shall include all kinds of railways，street railways and tram－ ways，even although the same are used for private purposes only，and even al－ though they are not used or intended to be used in connection with the business of common carrying of goods for pas－
sengers．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． sengers．．．
cluding corrugated tubes or flues for marine boilers．
marine boilers．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． Bolts with or without threads or nuts，and bolt blanks．
Bridges，iron and structural iron works
Bridge plate not less than $3 / 8$ of an inch thick，nor less than 15 inches wide．
Cast iron vessels，plates，stove plates and irons，sad irons，hatters irons，tailors irons．
Castings，other，n．e．s．，iron
Chain traces，iron
Chains，iron or steel， $5^{-16}$ of an inch in Chains，other
Chains，other，n．e．s
Clock springs and corset steels，to be fla wire of steel of No． 16 gauge or thinner to be used in the manufacture of dressed stays，crinoline and corset wire ；steel of No． 20 gauge and thinner，but not thin－ ner than No． 30 gauge，to be used in springs and shoe shanks，when imported springs and shoe shanks，when imported
by the manufacturers of such articles for by the manufacturers of such articles for Crowbars．
Crucible cast steel wire
Crucible sheet steel， 11 to 16 gauge， $21 / 2$ to 18 in ．wide，when imported by manu－ facturers of mower and reaper knives for the manufacture of such knives in their own factories
waste or refuse wrought iron or steel， fit only to be re－manufactured，the same having been in actual use，not to include cuttings or clippings which can be used as iron or steel without re－manufacture and steel bloom ends and crop ends of steel rails，$\$ 3$ per ton，and on and after
the ist day of January $1895 . . . . . . .$.

35 P c，but no
$12 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{pe}$
35 pc
${ }^{10 \mathrm{pc}}$
35 pc
$\$ 20$ per ton，bu not less than $35 \mathrm{pc} \quad 35 \mathrm{pe}$

30 pc
30 pc same
$\$ 10$ per ton
$1 / 4 \mathrm{c}$ ．per lb ． s7 per ton
15 pe till Jan． 98 ，then free
free
$12^{1 / 2} \mathrm{Pc}$
${ }_{50}$
気品品
25 pe
30 pe
5 pc
$271 / 2 \mathrm{pc}$
25 pc
free

New
$\$ 7$ per ton

Iron or steel，being pieces，punchings or clippings of boiler plate or other plates， sheets or bars of iron or steel，whether he same have had the ragged or crop ped ends or edges sheared off or not， and crops from iron or steel rails having both ends sawn or sheared off，the same fit for re－rolling or re－manufacture only

Engines，steam engines，boilers and ma－
chinery，composed wholly or in part of iron or steel，n．e．s．
Fencing，buckthorn and strip，iron or steel Ferro manganese，ferro silicon，speigel．
Files and rasps $\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$ ．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．
Files，steel，for the manuacture
imported by file manufacturers for use
in their factories
ish plates，railway
es，railway fish plates and tic
Forgings of iron and steel，of whateve
shape，or in whatever stage of manufac－ ture，n．c．s．， 35 per cent，but not less Forks，table，cast iron，not handled or ground or otherwise further manufac－ tured．
Garden rakes，hay knives，scythes，lawn mowers，rakes，n．e．s．，pronged forks of all kinds and hoes Hinges，$T$ and strap，and hinge blanks．
Hollowware，of cast or wrought iron， Hollowware，enamelled
Horseshoes and horseshoe nails
Hoop iron，not exceeding $3 / 6$ of an inch in width and being No． 25 gauge or thin－ aer，used for the manufacture of tubular
ron or steel sheets，hoops，bands and strips，n．e．s．，other iron or steel of all widths，sheet iron，common or black ized，and Camada plates，No 17 mauge and thinner． and thinner
Iron or steel hoops，bands and strips， 8 inches and less in width，No． 18 gauge
Iron or steel plates or sheets，sheared
or unsheared，and skelp iron or steel sheared or rolled in grooves，and iron
or steel of all widths thicker than No
17 gauge，n．e．s
ron or steel ingots，cogged ingots
bars，loops or other forms less finishe
than iron or steel bars，but more ad－ vanced than pig iron，except castings．
Iron or steel beams，sheets，plates，angles
and knees，for iron or composite ships or vessels
Vrought iron ships，or parts of ．．．．．．．． iron or steel rivets，bolts with or without threads，nut and bolt blanks，less than $3 / 3$ of an inch in diameter．
Wrought iron or steel nuts and washers iron or steel rivets，bolts with or withou threads，nut and bolt and hinge blanks， n．e．s．，and T and strap hinges
ture of iron shall be chargeable with the same rate of duty，if made of steel，or of steel and iron combined，unless other－ wise provided for
Knife blades or knife blanks in the rough，
for use by electro－platers ．；
Knives，reapers＇and mowers＇knives．．．
Locks．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．
in the rough．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． steel which at the time of their importa tion are of a class or kind not manufac tured in Canada，imported for use in the construction or equipment of ships or vessels
Manufactures，articles or wares not speci－ ally enumerated or provided for，com－ and whether partly or wholly manu－ factured．
Mattocks
Nails and spikes，wrought and pressed galvanized or not，horseshoe nails，and all other wrought iron or steel nails n．e．s．，and horse，mule or ox shoes．．．．． including railroad spikes．

## same

$271 / \mathrm{pe}$
30 pc
30 pe
$30 \mathrm{Pc} \quad$ same
／4c．per lb．K／ic．per lb．

Nail rods, Swedish rolled iron, under $1 / 2$ inch in diameter, for the manufacture of horse shoe nails and Swedish rolled iron rods, under $1 / 2$ inch in diameter and of not less than $13 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. per lb . in vails,
nails sposition, spes and shing Name plates, enamelled
der needles, hand frame needles and latch needles
\eedles, steel, n.o.p.
Picks, mattocks, grub-hoes, adzes hatchets, and eyes or poles for same and tools of all descriptions, n.e.s... Pipes, cast iron, \$1o per ton, but not les
than ............................... Planing mills, an
of manufacture
Plates, scraper plates
Plates, engraved on steel
Plates, steel plates less than 30 in. wide and not less than $1 / 4$ of an inch thick. and irons, sad irons, hatters' irons and tailors irons ........................... Plate, Canada
Plates, saw plates, cut to shape only, not otherwise manufactured.
lough plate, mould boards and land sides, and other plates for agricultural rolled plates of steel, but not moulded punched, polished or otherwise manufactured, and being of a greater value than 4 c . a pound .................. Portable steam engines, threshers, separators, horse power, portable saw mills
and planing mills, and parts of.........

ailway bars and rails, iron mills
railways and tramways, (See steel rails) railways and tramways. (See stee rails)
Rivets, iron or steel, bolts with or without threads, or nut or bolt blanks. (See wrought iron or steel nuts, etc.)
Rods of steel, rolled, under half an inch in diameter, or under half an inch square, imported by knob or lock manuin such manufacture in their own factories $\ldots \ldots$, olled ir
in diameter ; not over $11 / 2 \mathrm{in}$. wide ; iron tubing, lacquered or brass covered. not over $11 / 2$ in. diameter, all of which are to be cut to lengths for the manufacture of bed-
steads, and to be used for no other purpose: when imported for the manufacturers of iron bedsteads, to be used for these purposes only, in their own factories, until such time as any of the said articles are manuf 'd in Canada. .
Rope, raw hide, as belting, being so used. Sates, doors for safes and vaults, scales,
balances and weighing beams of iron or saws of all kinds
scrap iron and scrap steel, old, and only fit to be remanufactured, being part of or recovered from any vessel wrecked
in water subject to the jurisdiction of Canada
crews, commonly called wood screws-
2 inches or over in length
$I$ inch and less than 2 inches in length. that the duty shall not be less than. crews, iron, steel, brass. or other metals, n.e.s.
sheet iron, common or black, No. 17 gauge and thinner
Sheet iron signs, not framed
Sheet iron. (See iron or steel sheets, etc.)
Sheets, crucible sheets, steel, II to i6 gauge, $21 / 2$ to 18 inches wide, imported by manufacturers of mower and reaper knives for manufacture of such knives in their own factories
Shoes, horse, mule and ox shoes.
Shovels and spades, shovel and spade
blanks, and iron or steel cut to shape for same............................... Skates.....

## Old.

15 pc
15 pc
35 pe
30 pc
30 pc
30 p c
30 pc
$271 / 2 \mathrm{pc}$
35 p c
$\mathbf{S} 4$ per ton 35 pc $37^{31 / 2 p} \mathrm{pec}$ ${ }_{20 \mathrm{pec}}^{271 / 2 \mathrm{pc}}$ $121 / 2 \mathrm{pc}$ ${ }_{5}^{271 / 2 \mathrm{pc}} \mathrm{pc}^{2}$ freepe


Skates, steel for, valued at $21 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. lb . \& over Sledges.
Steels, table and butchers' steels.
Steel of No. I2 gauge and thinner, but not thinner than No. 30 gauge, imported by manufacturers of buckle clasps and
ice-creepers, to be used in the manufac-ice-creepers, to be used in the manufac-
ture of such articles only in their own factories
Steel for the manufacture of hammers, augers, and auger bits, when imported by the manufacturers of such articles for use in their own factories only .... Steel, Nos, 24 and 17 gauge, in sheets 63 inches long and from 18 inches to $3^{2}$ inches wide for the manufacture of
tubular bow sockets, when imported by the manufacturers for their own factories only..
Steel, manufactures of, or parts of iron and parts steel, n.e.s.
Stove plates
Swords..
Iron and manufactures of, or part iron and Strips specially imported for the manufacture of buckthorn and plain strip fencing for use in their factories. Tacks, cut, brads or sprigs, not exceeding 16 ounces to the thousand
Tacks, shoe, $1 / 2$ to 4 oz . to the thousand. . Tacks, cut, brads or sprigs, exceeding 16 Track tools, wedges, crowbars and sledges Traps
Tubing, wrought iron, over 2 inches in Tubingeter
Tubing, of lap-welded iron, threaded and two inches inclusive ind one-quarter to two inches inclusive in diameter, for use
exclusively in artesian wells, petroleum pipe lines and petroleum refineries .... Tubes not welded nor more than $11 / 2$-inch in diameter of rolled steel
Tubes or pipes, either wrought iron or Washers, n.e....
Provided that on all iron and steel iors rods, strips or steel sheets of whatever rods, strips or steel sheets of whatever irregular shape or section, cold rolled, cold hammered or polished in any way, in addition to the ordinary process of hot rolling or hammering, there shall be paid one-sixth of one cent per pound in addition to the rate imposed on the said materials.
And provided, further, that all articles rated as iron or manufactures of iron
shall be chargeable with the same rate of duty if made of steel, or of steel and iron combined, unless otherwise specially provided for.
Ivory knives and folders and fancy manufrs
 Ivory veneer, other ..
Ivory, manufactures o
Ivory vaccine points.
Jack Serews of every description, n.e. . . . .
Jalap root
Jams, jellies and preserves
pres .................... Jerseys, ladies'

Jewellery and manufactures of gold and silver Jews' harps.
ute and jute butts
Jute, carpeting or matting and mats.........
Jute cloth, as taken from the loom, neither pressed, mangled, calendered, nor in any way finished.
 Jute, manufacture
ute, manulactures of, n.e.s
te yarn, flax or hemp, plain dyed or colored
when imported by manufacturers of carpets, rugs, mats, jute webbing or cloth, and twines, tor use in their own factories.
Kainite, or German potash salts for fertilizers

Kerosene and coal oil fixtures or parts thereof
Knives, oyster knives.......................... Knitting machines
Knitting needles and machine needles and
needles of all kinds ..............................
Kryolite or cryolite

| Old. | New. |
| :--- | :--- |
| free | same |
| 30 p c | same |
| 35 Pc | 30 p c |

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ONTARIO MARKETS
Toronto, July 29, 1897. GROCERIES.

$I^{N}$N many lines during the past week business has materially improved. This is 1 particularly noticeable in sugar, both in yellow and granulated varieties, but more especially in the former brands. Canned goods are receiving moreattention, and new packs are weekly being expected for shipment. Continued advices in regard to the outlook for dried fruits, etc., show that there will be no famine in this line, but that the crops will likely be larger than they were last year. The prices on imported rices and sagos have advanced. English prices show in some cases an advance of two shillings. Retail prices, however, are not materially altered. Cheap fruit, and particularly raspberries, have had an enormous effect on the consumption of a great many different lines of groceries.

## CANNED GOODS.

Business in canned goods has noticeably improved during the week. The new pack promises to be in large demand, as the new goods now in are being ordered freely. Tomatoes are daily becoming scarcer and the lowest price at which they are now obtainable is 85 cents. By the time of the arrivals of the new tomatoes the stock will likely be exhausted. In canned salmon there have been no further developments during the last two weeks ; canners on the Coast still do not quote for futures, so that it is to

# BUTTER TUBS 

....Ex Warehouse or direct from Factory

Prompt Shipment Best Goods . . .
be inferred that they themselves cannot predict the results of the various things that are tending to restrain a large pack. Gallon apples are rapidly advancing in price, the price now ranging from $\$ 1.50$ to $\$ 1.60$ a dozen. For present delivery the market in canned salmon is firm. Orders for cherries are now being taken for shipment on August 1. Dealers claim to have had a satisfactory trade so far. Peas are not on the market yet. Corn is firm and strawberries are selling well. Canned beefs are firm. We quote as follows: Tomatoes, 85 c .; corn, 55 to 75 c .; peas, 75 c . for ordinary; sifted select, 90 to $\$ 1$; extra sifted, $\$ 1.25$ to $\$ 1.40$; beans, 65 to 95 c ;peaches, $\$ 2.50$ to $\$ 3$ for 3 's, $\$ 1.65$ to $\$ 2$ for 2 's ; raspberries, $\$ 1.50$ to $\$ 1.80$; strawberries, $\$ 1.50$ to $\$ 1.60$, according to brand and quality; blackberries, $\$ 1.40$ to $\$ 1.70$; cherries, $\$ 2$ to $\$ 2.25$; apples, $3^{\prime}$ s, 70 to 95 c .; gallons, $\$ 1.50$ to $\$ 1.60$; salmon, "Horseshoe," $\$ 1.50$; ditto, new season's, to arrive, $\$ 1.25$ in 5 -case lots and $\$ 1.30$ in less quantities; cohoes, $\$ 1.10$ to $\$ 1.25$; canned mackerel, $\$ 1.20$ to $\$ 1.30$; lobsters, $\$ 2.40$ to $\$ 2.50$ for tall tins; $\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{lb}$. flats, $\$ 2.70$; $1 / 2-\mathrm{lb}$. flats, $\$ 1.60$ to $\$ 1.70$; Canadian canned beet, I's, $\$ 1.25$ to $\$ 1.35$; 2's, $\$ 2.30$ to $\$ 2.45 ; 6 ' s, \$ 7.75$ to $\$ 8.25$; 14 's, $\$ 15$ to $\$ 16$.

COFFEES.
The situation in coffees has not materially changed during the last two weeks. The only thing worthy of notice is that Rios
are rather firmer. Jobbers quote green in bags as follows: Rio, $91 / 2$ to 13 c ., according to grade; East Indian, 27 to 30 c .; South American, 21 to 23 c .; Santos, 19 to $221 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; Java, 30 to 33 c .; Mocha, $27 / 1 / 2$ to 30c. ; Maracaibo, 18 to 20c.; Jamaica, 19 to 22c.

## syrups.

The syrup market is still quiet and featureless. We quote: Dark, 23 to 25 c .; medium, 28 to 35 c .; bright, 32 to 42 c .; corn syrup, 3 to $3 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. per lb .
moLASSES.
Molasses is dull and without feature. We quote : New Orleans, barrels, 23 to 35 c .; ditto, half-barrels, 25 to 37 c .; ditto, fancy, 50 to 55 c ., in barrels and half-barrels ; Barbadoes, 31 to 35 c.; half-barrels, 33 to 35c.
sugars.
Dealers here report an active trade in sugar this week. This is most likely due to the preserving and pickling season. So far retailers have been able to supply the demand from their own stocks, as quite a few of them purchased heavily before the tariff went into effect, but now this stock has to be replenished. A good many orders for carload lots are coming in. Yellows, too, are moving freely. There has been no alteration in prices, however. We quote for Toronto as follows: Granulated-St. Lawrence and Redpath's, 4 7-16c. for single barrel lots and $43 / 8 \mathrm{c}$. for 5 -barrel lots ; Acadia, $43 / 8 \mathrm{c}$. for single barrel lots, and

## DRINK : : : <br> :: Chocolate for Breakfast

It invigorates MIND and BODY whereas Tea and Coftee SLOWLY RUIN THE NERVES

## CHOCOLAT MENIER



But to get a good cup of Chocolate, you want to use the best of all

## VANILLA

CHOCOLATES
CHOCOLAT MENIER
And not that cheap stuff sold as sweet chocolates, which lacks purity and becomes injurious.
Ask your grocer for Chocolat Menier
The world-renowned French Vanilla Cbocolate.

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No Departmental Store selling it. No Pedlars.

Agrncies.
${ }^{25}$ Front Street East - . TORONTO
${ }_{318} \mathrm{St}$. Paul Street
${ }_{15}$ Niagara Street .
15 Niagara Street.
347 and 349 Fitth Ave.
106 State Street
$\begin{aligned} & { }^{136} \text { Exchange Street } \\ & \text { arg Cambie Street }\end{aligned}$
montreal
bupfalo
PITTSBUR
BOSHEN
VANCOUVER
> P. C. LARKIN \& CO.


Branches-<br>MONTREAL: Board of Trade Building.<br>TORONTO: Wright \& Copp, 51 Colborne St.<br>WINNIPEG: E. W. Ashley.<br>VICTORIA: La Patourel \& Co.

THE ST. CROIX SOAP MFC. CO.

8T. STEPHEN, N.B.

4 5-16c. for 5 -barrel lots; yellows, $31 / 2$ to $41 / 8 \mathrm{c}$. per lb .; German granulated, in $100-$ lb . sacks, $4^{1 / 8}$ to $4 \frac{13}{4}$ c. per lb.; Demerara crystals. $37 / 8 \mathrm{c}$.

## SPICES.

The heavy orders noted last week continue to flow in freely. Not only are duplicate orders arriving, but large orders are frequently received. We quote as follows: Pure Singapore black pepper, ground, IIC. in kegs, pails and boxes, and 13 c . in $5-\mathrm{lb}$ cans; ditto, whole, Ioc. per lb .; pure white pepper, ground, 18 c . in kegs, pails and boxes and 20 c . in $5-\mathrm{lb}$. cans; ditto, whole, 15 to 17 c ., according to quality; pure Jamaica ginger, 23 to 25 c.; cloves, 15 to 20 c .; pure mixed spice, 25 to 30 c .; cream of tartar, French, 23 to 25 c.; do. best, 28 to 30 c . per lb . ; allspice, 13 to 16 c .; cassia, 20 to 25 c . per lb . for ground and 40 c . for Saigon.

## nuts.

Trade continues to be quiet and featureless. The prices for the new crop of Tarragona almonds are not yet fixed. According to advices the crop promises to be large everywhere, and this has been largely discounted as regards shippers' ideas of price, by some shippers even too largely. If anything, prices will be higher than those now looked for. We quote as follows: Bra-
zil nuts, 11 to $121 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; Valencia shelled almonds, 18 to 22c.; Tarragona almonds, $91 / 2$ to IIC. ; peanuts, 10 to 12 C . for roasted and 7 to loc. for green; cocoanuts, $\$ 4.50$ to $\$ 5$ per sack; Grenoble walnuts, $121 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; Marbot walnuts, $91 / 2$ to IIC.; Bordeax walnuts, 8 to 9 c.: Sicily filberts, 10 . for sacks and $101 / 2$ to 1 Ic . for small lots ; Naples filberts, IIC.; pecans, 12 to $121 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.

RICE, TAPIOCA, ETC.
The trade in rice continues to have a steady volume. Although we quote no changes, the dealers say that polished Patna rice has advanced in England in some cases to the extent of two shillings. What effect the change is going to have here cannot as yet be exactly estimated. We quote: Standard "B," broken lots, $37 / 8 \mathrm{c}$.; 1 to to 5 sacks, $33 / 4 \mathrm{c}$., and 5 sacks and over, $35 \% \mathrm{c}$. per lb.; Japan, 5 c . ; Patna, $43 / 4$ to $53 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. ; tapioca, $31 / 4$ to $41 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; sago, $31 / 2$ to $41 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.

## teas.

The samples of Japan teas, which we mentioned last week as being on the way here, have arrived, and on being tested have shown good drawing qualites, and have proved this season's shipments as fully equal to those of last year. Dealers say that Ceylon and India teas are being largely enquired for, and it is reasonably certain that this year these brands will, to a great ex-
tent, push the China brands out of the market. Some shipments of Japan teas are coming in, and the dealers receiving them quote them at 18 to 22 c . The trade in teas is as yet quiet. Ruling prices on the Toronto market to retailers are : Young Hyson, 18 to 2 Ic . for low grades, 24 to 27 c . for mediums, and 30 to 45 c. for high grades; China Congous, 14 to 18 c . for mediums, and 25 to 55 c . for high grades; Japans, 15 to 20 c . for mediums, 28 to 35 c . for high grades ; Indians and Ceylons, 18 to 22 c . for mediums, and 30 to 65 c . for high grades.

FOREIGN DRIED FRUITS.
The indications are now that not a pound of old fruit will be on the market when the new shipments arrive, and, as a consequence, the prices of the first two or three arrivals will be high. Reports now are to the effect that the currant crop is not going, to be as large as was expected. Some advices say that the damage by rain will affect both quality and price. However, the letters received are conflicting, and the true condition of the crop cannot be guaranteed till after the drying season is past. Advice from Hancock \& Wood, Patras, is to the effect that complaints are daily becoming louder of the damage done by the peronosporos, but in some districts the malady has not appeared. They express the hope that plenty

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Latest advices in regard to the crop of Valencia raisins give a very satisfactory account, and if rain does not fall during the drying season a good crop and good fruit are assured. The first Valencias were shipped on the Soto, via Liverpool, on the 23 rd July, and will arrive here about the 25 th August. We quote: Off-stalk, $4 \frac{3}{4}$ to $5 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{c}$. ; fine off-stalk, $5 \frac{1 / 2}{}$ to 6 c .; selected, 6 to $61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; layers, $61 / 2$ to 7 c .

In regard to Sultana raisins, a letter from C. Whittall \& Co., Smyrna, gives an idea of the present outlook. They report that appearances now are the cause of hopes for a satisfactory yield. If the weather proves favorable during the drying season the quality also should be fine. They say, however, that there are reports of some vines shedding their fruit. With favorable conditions henceforward the crop will exceed last year's 38,000 tons. At present the local demand is steady, and prices are firm.
A few transactions in California loose muscatel raisins are reported, but business on the whole is dull. We quote: 3 -crown, $71 / 4 \mathrm{c}$.; 4 -crown, 8 to $8 \frac{1}{4} \mathrm{c}$.

Advices from C. Whittall \& Co., Smyrna, in regard to figs, are to the effect that the outlook is favorable. The weather has improved, and cool and dry winds have developed the fruit, and soundness is now assured. Present estimates are 70,000 to 75,000 loads, against 67,000 loads in ' 96 . Figures for August and September shipment are now to be had. We quote spot goods. $1002 ., 7 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. ; $10 \mathrm{lb} ., 9$ to 10 c .; 18 lb ., 10 to 12 c .; 28 lb ., 11 to 13 c .; taps, $31 / 4$ to $31 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. net ; natural, $41 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. in bags, and 6 to $61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. in boxes.
The outlook for California apricots is good, and prices will likely be lower this year. As yet trade is quiet. We quote : Peaches, 7 to $10 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{c}$. per lb ., according to quality ; apricots, $61 / 2$ to 15 c .; pears, $51 / 2$ to $101 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; egg plums, $51 / 2$ to IIC. ; silver prunes, $81 / 2$ to $131 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.

The prune trade is still very quiet, owing to the abundance of fresh truits. Advices from Trieste re Turkish prunes advise prospects of a good crop. The outlook for California prunes is_also good, and there is
a probability that this year's brand will be cheaper. We quote : Bosnias, U's (110 to 113 half kilo), 6 to $6 / / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; C's $(85$ to 90 half kilo), 7 to $71 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. per lb. California, 90 to $100^{\prime} \mathrm{s}, 61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. per lb . ; 70 to $80^{\prime} \mathrm{s}, 71 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; 60 to $70^{\prime} \mathrm{s}, 71 / 2$ to 8 c .; 50 to $60^{\prime} \mathrm{s}, 8$ to $81 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; 40 to $50^{\prime} \mathrm{s}, 91 / 2$ to $101 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; 30 to $40^{\circ} \mathrm{s}, 121 / 2$ to 13 c .; "Ruby " prunes, $7 \frac{1 / 2}{}$ to 8 c .; French, $41 / 2$ to $5 c$.
Dates are neglected. We quote : $51 / 2$ to 6 c . for Hallowee and 5 to $5 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. for Kadrowee.

## green fruits,

Lemons are not moving as briskly as they were, hot weather being necessary to create a heavy demand. During the week we have seen a few pickling onions on the market, but there were only a few. Nearly all fruit has dropped a few cents in price this week. Cabbage is becoming more plentiful and the demand is good. Mississippi tomatoes have been replaced by those from Illinois, and the Canadian variety will soon be in the dealers' hands. Water-

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melons are coming in freely and are going out just as freely. Cherries, raspberries and currants have been the principal features during the week. The crop of raspberries has been exceedingly large this year and the prices ranged low accordingly. Cherries have been selling at low prices and the quantity coming in has been larger than was at one time anticipated. Some shipments of apples from Chicago arrived this week. California fruit, especially pears, has an active demand. OrangesSorrentos, $200^{\prime}$ 's and $300 ' \mathrm{~s}$, $\$ 4.25$ to $\$ 4.50$ per box ; $180^{\circ} \mathrm{s}, \$ 2.75$ to $\$ 3$, three-quarter boxes. Lemons, $\$ 5$ to $\$ 5.50$ per case. Cocoanuts, $\$ 4.50$ a sack and 60 c . per doz. Onions, $21 / 2$ to $23 / 4$ c. per lb. for Egyptians. Bananas, $\$ 1$ to $\$ 1.50$. New cabbage, $\$ 1$ to $\$ 1.25$ per bbl. Illinois tomatoes, 8o to goc. per case of 4 baskets. Watermelons, 22 to 35c. California peaches, $\$ 1.60$ to $\$ 1.80$ per box; Canadian gooseberries, 30 to 50 c . per 12-quart basket ; Canadian cherries, 50 to 75 c . per basket ; red currants, 50 to 60 c . per basket; California plums, $\$ 1.50$ to $\$ 1.90$ box ; California pears, $\$ 2.25$ to $\$ 2.50$ per box : muskmelons, $\$ 2$ to $\$ 2.50$ per crate of 2 doz.; cucumbers, 35 to 45 c . per 12 -quart basket; black raspberries, 5 c . per quart ; red do., 5 c . per quart; black currants, 75 c . to $\$ 1$; harvest apples, $\$ 2.50$ to $\$ 3.50$ per barrel ; Canadian tomatoes, goc. to $\$ 1$.

## bUTTER AND CHEESE.

BuTTER-The receipts of butter continue to show the effects of the hot weather. Many of the tubs in which the quality of the butter has been uniform are, when they arrive, off flavor on the top. Some butter that has recently come forward was practically in oil when received. Some of the country merchants do not seem to have acquainted themseives with the fact that the railways have placed refrigerator cars on the different lines. This service has been a great boon to a number of shippers who have availed themselves of it. The price of darry butter is easy and very little trading is being done. Creamery is in good demand and exporters are buyers. There is no quotable change in price. We quote: Dairy-Tub, 12c. for best, and others, 7 to 9 c.; pound prints, 11 to 13 c . CreameryTubs, $16 \frac{1}{2}$ to $17 \frac{1}{2}$ c.; prints, 17 to $181 / 2$ c.

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Cheese-A very little light trading business is reported for this week. Exporters are buying sparingly, and are also particular as to quality. In some factories, where no ice has been provided, the heat has had a considerable effect on quality, and cheese has had to be rejected from some of these factories. Prices are easy at about $71 / 2$ to $77 / 8 \mathrm{c}$. and selling at $81 / 2$ to $83 / 4 \mathrm{c}$.

## salt.

Trade is brisk. The hot weather has caused an increased demand in all lines. Prices are unchanged. Quoted at Toronto, carload lots go at $\$ 1$ per bbl. and 6oc. per sack; less than carload lots, $\$ 1.05$ per bbl. and 65 c . per sack. At the wells we quote: F.O.B. barrels, 700 .; sacks 50 c . for points west of Toronto, and 45 c . for Toronto and points east of Toronto.

## FISH.

The trade in fish has continued of a steady nature all week. The weather has not been so warm and the consumption has increased a little. We quote : Pickerel, 6 c . per lb .; pike, $51 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. per lb .; whitefish, $61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. ; trout, $61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; perch, 3 c . per lb ., fresh herring, $31 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. per lb. ; haddies, $71 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. per lb.; Labrador herring, $\$ 3$ to $\$ 4$ per bbl. and $\$ 2.25$ per half-bbl.; split herring, $\$ 4.50$ per bbl. and $\$ 2.50$ per half-bbl.; boneless fish, $31 / 2$ to 4 c . per lb.; pure cod, $61 / 2$ to $63 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. per lb . ; fresh water herring (heads off), $\$ 2.50$ per keg.

## PROVISIONs.

There is still another advance in live hogs, $\$ 6$ now being paid on the Toronto market. This makes the feeling in provisions very firm and higher prices prevail. An advance in some lines, particularly in heavier class of meats, which are in light supply, is quoted. The majority of the light lean cuts are now used for export, Canadian bacon being in great favor at present and at a premium.
Dry Salted Meats-Long clear bacon,
$71 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. for carload lots, and $73 / 4$ to 8 c . per lb . for ton lots and cases; backs, $8 \frac{3 / 4}{} \mathrm{c}$.
Smoked Meats-Breakfast bacon, $111 / 2$ to 12 c .; rolls, $91 / 2$ to 10 c . ; hams, large, 11 to $11 / 1 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; 12 to $121 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. for small and 12c. for medium; shoulder hams, 9 c .; backs, 11 to $111 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. ; all meats out of pickle, ic. less than above.
Lard - Pure Canadian, tierces, $53 / \mathrm{c}$.; tubs, 6 to $6 \frac{1}{4} \mathrm{c}$.; pails, $6 / 4 / 4$ to $61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.
Barrel Pork-Canadian heavy mess, $\$ 13$ to $\$ 13.50$; Canadian short-cut, $\$ 16$; clear shoulder mess, \$12.
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Grain-We quote: Red wheat, 72 c .; white, 73 c .; oats, $221 / 2$ to $231 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; peas, 45 to 47c.

Flour-Trade is fair. We quote in carloads on track, Toronto: Manitoba patents, $\$ 4.35$; Manitoba strong bakers', $\$ 3.85$; Ontario patents, $\$ 3.90$ to $\$ 4.30$; straight roller, $\$ 3.30$ to $\$ 3.40$, Toronto freights.
Breakfast Foods-Trade is moderate. We quote as follows: Standard oatmeal and rolled oats, $\$ 3.10$ in bags and $\$ 3.20$ in bbls.; rolled wheat, $\$ 2.60$ in 100-lb. bbls.; cornmeal, $\$ 2.30$ to $\$ 2.40$; split peas, $\$ 3$ to $\$ 3.25$; pot barley, $\$ 3$ to $\$ 3.25$.

## COUNTRY PRODUCE.

EgGs-The quantity coming forward is not liberal, but sometimes we hear of insufficient supplies. The consumptive demand is just fair, some say it is better than it has been for years at this season. We quote 9 to Ioc.
Potatoes-The supply of new potatoes has become exhausted, and the variety coming forward now is inferior. Dealers are now paying 75 c . per bush. willingly and selling at goc. per bush. Old potatoes are 20 c . by the carload and 30c. a bag out of store.

Honey-The trade in new light clover honey is active. Buckwheat is dull at about
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Dried Apples-Are in considerably better demand. There has also been a rise in price, which we predicted last week. The idea as to price now is $21 / 2$ to 3 c. f.o.b. The local jobbing price ranges from $21 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. upward.

Evaporated Apples-Are in exceptionally good demand. Buyers are paying $33 / 4$ to 4 c. f..o.b. Jobbers are selling at 5 to $51 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.

HIDES, SKINS AND WOOL.
Hides-Trade is quite brisk. Cowhides: Dealers pay $81 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. for No. $1,71 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. for No. 2 and $61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. for No. 3. Steerhides: 60 lbs . and up, $8 \frac{1}{2}$ c. for No. 1, $71 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. for No. 2 and $61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. for No. 3 .
Calpskins-Trade is brisk and prices are firm. No. I veal, 8 lbs . and up, ioc. lb. ; No. 2, 8c.; Dekins, from 30 to 35c.; cuils, 15 to 20 c . each.

Sheepsinins - We quote: Lambskins, 50 c . ; pelts, 30 c .

Wool-Trade continues about the same as it was last week. Buyers are paying 19 to 20 C .

PETROLEUM, ETC.
The time is drawing near for the orders for fall stocks in oils to come in. The trade
in lubricating oil is fully up to the average. We quote in 1 to 10 bbl . lots, imperial gallon, Toronto: Canadian, $14 / 1 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; carbon, safety, $161 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; Canadian water white, 17 c .; American water white, $17 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; Pratt's astral, 17c. in bulk.

## market notes.

The first arrivals of Japan teas have shown good quality.
J. A. Maclean has lately increased his cold storage facilities.
Dry salted meats have advanced $/ / 4 \mathrm{c}$. a lb ., owing to the high value of live hogs.

A cable to Mr. E. Fielding from Denia, Spain, quotes fine off-stalk and selected is. 6 d. lower for $1 m m e d i a t e ~ s h i p m e n t . ~$
The Toronto Fruit Auction Market is receiving several cars of California fruit every two weeks and is selling them by auction.*

If retailers find that they are not having their orders filled as quickly as usual by the Canadian Specialty Co. they may attribute it to repairs being made in their office.
D. Gunn, Bros. \& Co. say that the sale of dairy butter so far this season has not been as active as past seasons. They are, however, still buying dairy, as they know that it can be better cared for in their re-
frigerator than in a country store. They prefer buying from the dealers who make regular shipments every week or two.

## QUEBEC MARKETS. <br> Montreal, July 29, 1897. groceries.

THE week has not developed any radical change in the local situation of the grocery market. There is a fair trade doing in sugar both from first and second hands, and prices are steady here despite the pronounced easiness in raws in Europe. Molasses continue much as they were, while advices on tea from Japan are of a firmer nature and have given holders more confidence in the future. There has been no fresh news regarding dried fruit except some quotations on new crop currants for early shipment. Raisins furnished nothing either from Valencia or California. Canned goods remain much as they were. sugar.
Despite continued easiness in raw material in Europe, prices there having touched the record low price, there is no symptom of decline either in New York or Canada, values both here and in the States ruling steady. Demand for refined on spot is good for all grades, from granulated to cheap yel-
lows, an active business being transacted from second as well as from refiners' hands. Stocks in both these connections are light. We quote: Granulated steady, at $41 / 8 \mathrm{c}$. for 1 to 9 barrels and $4 \mathrm{I}-16 \mathrm{c}$. for 10 barrels and over, with yellows ranging from $33 / 8$ to $33 / 4 \mathrm{c}$., as to quality.

## syrups.

There has been no change in syrups, demand continuing slow at $13 / 8$ to $1 \frac{7}{\mathrm{c}} \mathrm{c}$. per lb ., as to grade.

## MOLASSES

There has been no new feature in the molasses market. Demand has been of a fair character, and quite a few good-sized lots have left first hands during the week on the basis of 20 to 21 c . for Barbadoes ex wharf. In a jobbing way values are steady at 22 to 23 c . for Barbadoes and Porto Rico, 29 c. for fancy, 25 c . for choice and 22 c . for prime.

## RICE.

There is a fair demand for rice, and the tone of the market is distinctly steady. We quote: Crystal Japan, $\$ 4.50$ to $\$ 5$ standard B, $\$ 3.50$ to $\$ 3.75$; Patna, $\$ 4.50$ to $\$ 5$; Carolina, $\$ 6.75$ to $\$ 7.75$; choice Burmah, $\$ 4$ to $\$ 4.25$, and Java kinds, $\$ 4.25$ to $\$ 4.50$.

## SPICES

There has been a fair jobbing mquiry for spices. We quote as follows: Black pepper, 9 c. ; pure white, 14 to 17 c . ; pure Jamaica ginger, 20 to 25 c .; cloves, 15 c . pure mixed spice, 25 to 30 c .; cream of tartar, French, 25 to 27 c .; do., best, 28 to 30 C per lb .; allspice, 12 to 14 c .; nutmegs, 50 to $90 c$.

## COFFEES.

Business in coffee remains quiet, and there is absolutely nothing to report. We quote Maracaibo, 16 to 1gc. ; Santos, 12 to 15 c .; Rio, 12 to 16c.; Mocha, 24c., and Java, 25 c . teas.
Advices regarding tea from Japan have been of a much firmer character, and holders of stock here and elsewhere on this continent believe that the situation will develop more steadiness as time passes. There was quite a farr enquiry this week for new crop Japan teas from first hands to jobbers, individual agents reporting sales of 500 packages up at a range of 16 to 20 c . We quote as follows: Young Hysons, 13 to 18 c . for low grades, 25 to 28 c . for mediums, and 30 to 45 c . for high grades; China Congous, 12 to 18 c . for mediums, and 25 to 55 c . for high grades; Japans, 15 to 21 Ic . for mediums, and 28 to 40 c . for high grades; Indians and Ceylons, $161 / 2$ to 20c. for mediums, and 30 to 65 c . for high grades.

## CANNED GOODS

There has been little to report in canned goods during the week, business continu-
ing quiet. Advices regarding salmon from the Coast are of a very conflicting character. We quote as follows: Tomatoes, 80 c .; corn, 50 to 8 oc .; peas, 80 c .; peaches, $\$ 1.75$ to $\$ 1.90$ for 2's ; raspberries, $\$ 1.40$ to $\$ 1.90$; strawberries, $\$ 1.75$ to $\$ 2$, according to brand and quality ; cherries, $\$ 2.30$; apples, 3 's, 85 to goc.; gallons, $\$ 1.55$ to $\$ 1.65$; pumpkins, 75 to 85 c . ; salmon, "Horseshoe," $\$ 1.40$ to $\$ 1.45$; "Clover Leaf," $\$ 1.35$; " Lion," $\$ 1.371 / 2$ to $\$ 1.40$; Lowe Inlet, $\$ 1.30$, in tall tins ; canned mackerel, $\$ 1.25$; Canadian canned beef, I's, $\$ 1.20$ to $\$ 1.25$;

2's, $\$ 2.15$ to $\$ 2.30$; lobsters, $\$ 11$ per case; French sardines, $\$ 10.25$ to $\$ 11$ extra brands ; ordinary brands, $\$ 8$ to $\$ 9$; Canadian brands, $\$ 4.25$.

## DRIED FRUIT.

There has been nothing additional to report in connection with Valencia raisins since last week. Spot prices are purely nominal at $41 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. off-stalk, $43 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. fine do., $51 / 2$ to 6 c . selected, and $61 / 4$ to $61 / 2$ c. for layers.

The currant market is steady and first offers were made this week as follows: Vostizzas, 225.; Patras, 18s., and Provincials, 15 to 16 s ., c.i.f. We quote the spot range


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on old crop 4 to $4 \frac{3}{4} \mathrm{c}$., as to quality and package.
California raisins have furnished nothing new during the past week. Prices on spot are nominal at $61 / 4$ to $63 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. for 2 -crown; 7 to $7 \frac{1}{2}$ c., for 3 -crown, and 8 to $8 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. for 4-crown.
Prunes are steady and unchanged and the same can be said of dates.

## nuts.

Business in these continues without special feature. We quote: Grenoble walnuts, Io to IIc. ; Brazils, IIC.; almonds, 10 to $101 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; do shelled, 17 to 18 c .; filberts, $81 / 2$ to 9 c .; peanuts, 7 to 9 c .; and cocoanuts, $\$ 3.50$ to $\$ 3.75$ per 100 .

DRIED APPLES.
Remain quiet at 2 to $21 / 2 \mathrm{c}$., with evaporated $3 \sqrt[3]{4}$ to $4 \frac{1}{4} \mathrm{c}$.
green fruit.
There have been heavy receipts of both domestic and California fruit during the week, but prices generally are pretty steady. Lemons ruled strong owing to the warm weather, while oranges, though quiet, were steady. We quote as follows : Valencia oranges, $\$ 6$ per case; bloods, $\$ 2.50$ to $\$ 3$ per half-box, and Messinas, $\$ 3$ to $\$ 3.50$ per box; lemons, $\$ 3.75$ to $\$ 4.50$ per box for choice, and $\$ 2.75$ to $\$ 3.50$ for common ; bananas, $\$ 1.25$ to $\$ 1.65$ per bunch; Canadian cherries, 40 to 75 c . per basket ; apricots, $\$ 1.25$ to $\$ 1.50$ per box ; California peaches, $\$ 1$ to $\$ 1.25$ per box; do plums, $\$ 1.25$ per box ; pineapples, $10 c$. each ; Canadian strawberries, 7 to loc.; raspberries, $51 / 2$ to Ioc.; blueberries, $\$ 1$ per box. Egyptian onions, 4 c . per lb ., and Bermuda ditto, 3c. per lb., and $\$ 3$ per crate.

## COUNTRY PRODUCE.

EgGS-There continues to be a good demand for eggs, and the market is fairly active and firm, with no change in prices to note. Selected near-by stock sold at $101 / 2$ to IIC.; ordinary No. 1 at 9 to $91 / 2 \mathrm{c}$., and No. 2 at 8 to $81 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. per dozen.
Maple Product-In maple product there is no improvement, sales being extremely slow. We quote: Maple syrup, 43/4 to 5 c . per lb ., and 45 to 55 c . per tin ; sugar, 6 to $61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. per lb.
Honey - The demand for honey is exceedingly slow and prices are nominal. White clover comb is offering at loc., and dark at 7 c . ; bright extracted at $61 / 2$ to 7 c ., and dark at 4 to 5 c . per lb .

Beans - Beans continue quiet, with car

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lots offering at 55 to 60 c ., and small lots at 65 to $70 c$.

## PROVISIONS.

A fairly active business was done in provisions, and the tone of the market is firm for all lines. We quote as follows : Canadian pork, $\$ 14.50$ to $\$ 15$ per bbl.; pure Canadian lard, in pails, at $63 / 4$ to $71 / 4 \mathrm{c}$., and compound refined at $51 / 4$ to $51 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. per lb .; hams, II to 13 c ., and bacon, II to 12 c . per lb.

## flour and meal.

In flour millers reported business active, there being a good demand from local and country buyers at firm prices. There was also considerable enquiry from abroad for Manitoba grades, but no sales were effected, as bids were not quite up to the mark. In Ontario brands dealers reported trade quiet. We quote: Winter wheat patents, $\$ 4$ to $\$ 4.25$; straight rollers, $\$ 3.65$ to $\$ 3.80$, and in bags, $\$ 1.75$ to $\$ 1.85$; best Manitoba strong bakers', $\$ 4$; second do., $\$ 3.50$, and low grades, $\$ 1.90$; Hungarian patents, $\$ 4.30$ to $\$ 4.40$.

The demand for feed is good, but the supply of Manitoba grades is small and values are firm at $\$ 13$ to $\$ 13.50$ for bran, and at $\$ 14$ to $\$ 14.50$ for shorts per ton, including bags.
Oatmeal has ruled easier, being quiet and of a jobbing character. Rolled oats are quoted at $\$ 3.65$ to $\$ 3.75$ per barrel, $\$ 1.75$ to $\$ 1$ :8o per bag ; standard, $\$ 3.50$ to $\$ 3.60$ per barrel, and $\$ 1.70$ to $\$ 1.75$ per bag.

## BALED HAY.

With increased receipts there has been a decline in baled hay of fully $\$ 1$ per ton. We quote: No. 1, $\$ 12$, and No. 2, $\$ 10.50$.

## CHEESE AND BUTTER.

The cheese market continues to boom along in the same old groove, high prices on this side in the face of little response from the other. If all accounts are to be believed, however, the nominal prices paid at the wharf Monday morning do not represent the actual hasis on which the cheese changed hands. Altogether, from 7,000 to 8,000 boxes were sold. The quality of the great bulk of the offerings was anything but desirable, as it was the output of the hot spell ten days ago, when the thermometer was at boiling point. Nominally the range was $71 / 2$ to $73 / 4 \mathrm{c}$., and goods that really graded as finest easily fetched the outside figure, but there were lots that were cut pretty sharply in the warehouse ; in fact, as low as 7 c . was spoken of on some that showed the effects of the weather, and quite a lot were bought at $71 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. Finest Ontario cheese, $83 / 8$ to $81 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; finest Townships cheese, $77 / 8$ to 8 c .; finest Quebec cheese, $73 / 4$ to $77 / 8 \mathrm{c}$.; under grades, $73 / 8$ to $71 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.
The butter market was quiet and unchanged to-day. Shippers who hold cream-
ery state that they are sellers of it at $171 / 2 \mathrm{c}$., though there are further reports from the country of $171 / 4$ to $17^{1 / 2} \mathrm{c}$. being paid in the country. Finest creamery, $17 / / 4$ to $171 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; seconds, 16 to $16 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{c}$.; dairy butter, 12 to $121 / 2$.
The stock of cheese in Liverpool on July 1 , this year, was 40,096 boxes, against 36 , 607 on June 1, and 53,207 on July 1, 1896.

## montreal notes.

It appears to be undoubted that there will be a short catch in several of the Pacific Coast salmon rivers.

First offers on new crop currants were made this week. The figures will be found in the market report above.

According to mail advices received from Japan this week the second crop of new Japan tea is a great deal shorter than expected.

## NEW BRUNSWICK MARKETS.

Office of The Canadian Grocer.

## St. John, N.B., July 29, 1897.

BUSINESS is beginning to be more active. The past week has been better than for some time past. This has been owing to advancing markets and the buying of fall goods rather than on account of country demands upon wholesale houses here. Tea merchants find demand dull. Samples of new teas are in from China. Quite a block of last season's China tea of particularly good value was placed with the dealers here this week. There is a growing demand for Ceylons. Our dealers are also giving more attention to blends and to teas in lead packages. Many dealers who bought rice in England since the change in duty are disappointed to find much of it was not English milled and so not entitled to the rebate in duty. Good samples of English milled rice are being offered rather lower. We are still having cool weather. The particularly interesting feature of the week has been flour, though sugar, oatmeal, oats and green fruit have been receiving attention.
OIL-There is an improved demand, though at this season both burning and lubricating are dull. Dealers are, however, beginning to give more attention to burning oil, as the time for taking fall orders is drawing near. Prices show no change. We quote: Best American burning oil, $171 / 2$ to $181 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; Canadian water white, 16 to 17 c .; Canadian, prime, 14 to 15 c .
Salt-The week has been a quiet one, there being no arrivals of English salt, and further arrivals not being expected for some little time. The market, both here and through the country, is being well supplied. There continue to be the regular arrivals
of Canadian salt, but there is nothing of particular interest. We quote as follows: Coarse, 44 to 47 c .; Liverpool factoryfilled, goc. to $\$ 1$; Canadian fine, $\$ 1$ to $\$ 1.05$ per bag.; $5-\mathrm{lb}$. bags, in bbls., $\$ 3$ to $\$ 3.25$; 10-lb. bags, in bbls., $\$ 2.85$ to $\$ 3$; butter and cheese salt, bulk, $\$ 2.50$ per bbl.; $20-\mathrm{lb}$. wood boxes, 20 c . each; Io-lb. wood boxes, 12 c . each ; cartoons, $\$ 2$ per case of 2 doz.; rock salt, $\$ 5$ to $\$ 6$ per ton.

Canned Goods-Packers are quoting full lines of futures, but are not pushing sales, and hold close to quotations. There is some little range in prices between them. A large quantity of last season's corn arrived this week. There have been arrivals of new peas and strawberries. Except in the old corn, which would seem good stock at the price paid for it, dealers are not buying as largely as last season owing to the very small profits they are able to get. In new salmon, on the whole, the market seems higher, though some packers have shaded quotations. Lobsters are very scarce, as other markets are offering canners better prices than our people are willing to pay. Haddies are rather lower. Oysters are firm and likely to be higher. There is a fair demand. Gallon apples are held rather firmer. They have been very low, and a short pack is looked for this year. We quote : Corn, 60 to 65 c .; peas, 75 to 85 c .; tomatoes, 85 to 90 c .; gallon apples, $\$ 1.75$ to $\$ 1.80$; corned beef,Canadian, $\$ 2.20$ to $\$ 2.30$; American, $2-\mathrm{lb}$ tins, $\$ 2.40$ to $\$ 2.50$; 1-lb tins, \$1.30 to $\$ 1.50$; oysters, 2 's, $\$ 2.10$ to $\$ 2.25$; 1 's, $\$ 1.40$ to $\$ 1.50$; peaches, 3's, Canadian, $\$ 2.75$ to $\$ 3 ; 2$ 's, $\$ 1.75$ to $\$ 1.85$; American, 3 's, $\$ 2$ to $\$ 2.25$; pineapple, $\$ 2.25$ to $\$ 2.75$; salmon, $\$ 1.25$ to $\$ 1.40$; lobsters, $\$ 2.50$ to $\$ 2.60$; haddies, $\$ 1$ to $\$ 1.15$; clams, $\$ 5$ for 4 doz; chowder, $\$ 2.60$ to $\$ 2.75$ for 2 doz. ; scallops, $\$ 5.50$ for 4 doz.; Digby chickens, $\$ 1$ per doz.; kippered herring, $\$ 1$. Io per doz.
Dried Fruit-California raisins have had some attention paid to them. The sharp advance from opening prices attracted the interest of the dealers, and several offers at old prices were made, but would not carry. The advance has been about $1 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. in two and three-crown and about $3 / 4 \mathrm{c}$. in fours. Cleaned loose muscatels will be quoted direct this fall. California prunes, which have opened quite low, are expected to go higher. There is little direct demand here. In Valencias prices are little different from last year. A good crop is reported, and it is said quality will be better this year. It is necessary that it should be. Our buyers are somewhat to blame in regard to the quality, as they persist in buying low-priced goods. Demand out of store in all lines is light. A (Continued on page 42 )
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laces, boot, shoe and stay......... laces, braids, fringes, embroideries, cords, tassels, and bracelets, elastic, round or flat, including garter elastic, braids, chains or cords of hair ; lace collars and all similar goods, lace nets and nettings of cotton, silk, linen or other materials, table cloths and
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| Muslin, plant bed muslin, | 25 pc | same | Ornaments of alabaster, spar, amber and terra |  |  |
| Music, printed, bound or in sheets | 10c. per lb | 10 pe | cotta, or composition | 35 p c | same |
| Musical instruments, n.o.p | 25 pe | 3) p c | Osiers |  | same |
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| Mustard, ground | 20pc | same | Oxide of copper, black and platinum, for use |  |  |
| Mustard, French mustard, liquid, as sauce. . . | 35 pc | same | in the manufacture of chlorate . | free | same |
| Naphtha, wood naphtha, or wood alcohol | \$2. ${ }_{6}^{2}$ Im. 1 mal . gal. | $\$ 2.40 \mathrm{Im}, \mathrm{gal}$. | Pails, tubs, churns. brooms, washboards, | 2) Pc | same |
| Naphtha, n.e.s. | (3) Pc | same | Paints and colors, ultramarine blue, dry or in |  |  |
| Needles, steel, all other | 3) Pc | same | pulp, metallic colors, viz.: oxides of cobalt, |  |  |
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| thereof, partly printed and intended to be completed and published in Canada . ....... | 25) pe | e | Ochres, ochrey earths, raw siennas and colors dry, n.e.s. | 2) Pc | same |
| Newspapers and quarterly, monthly and semimonthly magazines and weekly literary |  |  | Oxides, dry fillers, fire-proofs, umbers and burnt siennas, n.e.s. | 25 pc | same |
| papers, unbound ......................... | free | same | Fire-proof paint, dry | 25 pc | same |
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| Nitro glycerine | 4c. per ill. | 3c. per il). | Painters' metal graining comb | 35 pc | same |
| Noils, being the short wool which falls from the combs in worsted factories . . . . . . . . . . . . | free | same | Painters' pallet knives. <br> Paintings in oil or water colors, by artists of | 35 pe | 30 pe |
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| Nuts, shelled, n.e.s. | 5 c . per itb. | same | Paintings in oil or water colors, production of |  |  |
| Nuts, almonds, walnuts, Brazil nuts, pecans |  |  | Canadian artists ........................ | free | same |
| and shelled peanuts, n. | 3 c . per tlb, | same | Paintings, prints, engravings, drawings and |  |  |
| Nuts, cocoa.. | $\$ 1$ per 100) | same | building plans, photos and pictures, n.e.s... | 20) p c | same |
| Nuts, cocoa, when imported direct | 50 ck . per 100 | same | Palm leaf, unmanufactured | free | same |
| Nuts, all kinds, | 2c. per lf . | same | Palm leaf, when manufactured, | 2) pc | same |
| Nutgalls |  | same | Paper weights, glass | 30 pc | same |
| Oakum. | free | same | Paper cutters and printing | 10 pe | same |
| Oak bark | free | same | Paper bags, plain, n.e.s. | 25 Pc | same |
| Oats | 10c. per bush. | same | Paper boxes, with chromos, but without any |  |  |
| Oat flour | 20) pe | same | printed matter | 6c. lb. \& 20 pc | 35 pc |
| Oatmeal | 20 pe | same | Paper boxes, labelled empty | 15 c . $\mathrm{tb} . \& 25 \mathrm{pc}$ | 35 pc |
| Oil, aniline, crude. . . . . | free | same | Paper, drawing, mounted, enamelled or parch- |  |  |
| Oil, coal, illuminating oils composed wholly or in part of the products of petroleum, cual, shale or lignite costing more than 3oc. per gal. | 25 pc | same | ment............................... roll of 8 yds , and under, and proportionately for greater lengths. | 35 pc $11 / 2$ roll \& 25 pc | same 35 pe |
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| refined, naphtha, petroleum and products | 6c. 1 | 5c. im | on plain ungrounded paper, and colored with any material except bronze, gilt or flitter | 3 pec | 35 pe |
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| than naphtha, benzine or gasoline, when im- |  |  | Papier mache, manufactures of | 35 pc | same |
| ported by manufacturers other than refiners) |  |  | P'aper of all kinds, n.e.s........ | 25 pc | same |
| for use in their factories for fuel purposes or |  |  | Paper kites, as toys | 35 pc | same |
| for the manufacture of gas ............... | 3c. per gal. | 21/2c. per gal. | Paper, ruled, oiled or waxe | 35 pe | same |
| Oil, carbolic or heavy oil | free | same | Paper, tarred. | 25 pc | same |
| Oil, castor | 2) Pc | same | Paper, union collar cloth, in rolls or sheets, |  |  |
| Oil, cod liver | 2) Pc | same | not glossed or finished. | 15 pc | same |
| Oils, cocoanut and paim, in their natural state | free | same | Paper, union cloth, in rolls or sheets, glossed |  |  |
| Oil, colza. | 2) pe | same | or finished | 2) pe | same |
| Oil, flax seed or linseed, raw or boiled | 2) pe | 25 pe | Paper, filter paper, in sheets | 25pe | same |
| Oil, hair, perfumed | 3) pe | same | Paper, fly paper. | 35 pc | 2) pc |
| Oil, lard oil............................ | 2) Pc | 25 pe |  |  |  |
| Oils, lubricating, composed wholly or in part of petroleum, costing less than 25 c . Im . gal. | 6c. Im, gal. |  | bulk <br> Paper letters, gummed, put up in envelopes, | 35 pc | same |
| Oils, lubricating, all other .................. | 25. pc | same | with printed descriptions for special adver- |  |  |
| Oils, neatsfoot | 20 pc | 25 pe | tising purposes, signs or labels ............ | 15c. 1b. \& 25 pc | $15 \mathrm{c} . \mathrm{lb}$. |
| Oil, olive, for manufacturing purposes | free | same | Paper sacks or hags of all kinds, printed or |  |  |
| Oil, olive, prepared for salad purposes | 3) pc | 20) pe | not | 25 pc | same |
| Oil, sesame sced ................. | 2) Pc | 25 pe | Paper, waste or clippings | free | same |
| Oil, tallow | 20) pc | same | Paper, pressed, in sheets. | 35 Pc | sam |
| Oil, all other, n.e.s. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2) Pc | ne | Paper, glazed, plated, marbeled, enamelled |  |  |
| Oil cake and meal, cotton seed cake and meal, palm nut cake and meal. | free | same | paper, and card board, similarly finished n.e.s. | 35 pc | same |
| Oil cloths and silk India rubbered, focked or coated with rubber, n.o.p | $271 / 2 \mathrm{pc}$ | 3) pe | Paper, manufactures of, including ruled and bordered papers, papeteries, boxed papers |  |  |
| Oil cloth, table and shelf, enameled floor, cork | 30 p c , but not |  | and envelopes and blank books............. | 35 pc | same |
| matting or carpet and linoleum........... | less than 4 c . | 30 pe | Parasols. (See umbrellas). |  |  |
|  | per sq. yd. |  | Patterns of brass .. | 30 pc | same |

Passover bread for free distribution among the Hebrew community in connection with their religious rites. l'atterns of iron or steel .
I'aving blocks, made from slag of blast , furnace
P'eaches, n.o.p., the weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty
I'each trees . . . . .
Pear trees of all kinds
l'eas . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . l'earl card cases
l'earl collar buttons or studs as jewel'ry l'earl, manufactures of, fancy.
P'elts, raw .
'encils, lead, wood or otherwise
Pencils, slate.
'enholders, wood.
l'ens, steel.
P'ens, gold...
'en racks, iron
Perfumery, including toilet preparations (non-alcoholic), viz : Hair oils, tooth and other powders and washes, pomatums, pastes and all other perfumed preparations used for the hair, mouth and skin.
'erfumed spirits in bottles or flasks not weighing more than 4 oz .
Perfumed spirits in bottles, flasks or other packages, weighing more than 4 oz.
Persis or extract archill and cudb'r..... 'etroleum, crude, fuel and gas oils (other than naphtha, benzine or gasoline), when imported by manufacturers (other than refiners), for use in their factories for fuel purposes, or for the manufacture of gas.
Petroleum.
(See Oils.)
Pheasants for improvement of stock.
Pheasants, other
Philosophical instruments and apparatus, not manufactured in the Dominion, and when imported by or for the use of universities, colleges and schools and scientific societies.. Philosophical, photographic, optical and mathematical instruments and apparatus, n.e.s. .
Phosphorus
Phosphor bronze in blocks, bars, sheet and wire.
Photograph albums . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
Album insides of paper
Photographers' albumenized paper.
Photographic dry plates.
Piano covers, rubber and cotton.
Piano stools.
Pianofortes
Pianofortes, parts of
Pickers, raw hide, for cotton looms
Pickles, sauces and catsups, including soy
Pictorial illustrations of insects, etc., when imported by and for the use of colleges and schools, scientific and literary societies
Picture and photographic frames, of any material
Picture nails...
Pictures, framed.
Pillows and bolsters.
l'ins, manufactured from wire of any metal

Old.
New.

30 pc

Pipe clay, unmanufactured . . . . . . . . . .
Pitch, Burgundy . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Pitch, pine, in packages of not less than 15 gals.
itch, pine, other ...
Pitch coal, for roofing
. . . . . . . . . .
. . . . . . . . . . . free
Plaits, straw, Tuscan, grass, chip, manilla, cotton and mohair.
laning mills and parts of, in any stage of manufacture
Slants, viz.: Fruit, shade, lawn and ornamental trees, shrubs and plants, n.e.s.

Plaster of Paris or gypsum, ground not calcined
Plaster of Paris, calcined or manufactured
Plasters, medicated, all kinds
......
Plated ware and gilt ware, of all kinds,
whether plated wholly or in part....
Platinum and black oxide of copper for the manufacture of chlorate.

Plates, engraved on wood, steel or other metal, and transfers taken from the same ......................
Playing cards . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .

| 20 p c | same |
| :--- | :--- |
| 6 c. per pack | same |
| 3c. each | same |
| 10 p c | same |
| 25 p c | same |
| 30 pc | 35 pc |
| 30 p c | same |
| 30 p c | same |

Pocketbooks and purses ............... omades, French or flower odors, pre-
served in fat or oil for the purpose of conserving the odors of flowers which do not bear the heat of distillation, when imported in tins of not lessthan to lbs. each.
Pomades, all other
Pop corn, in cakes or balls $\qquad$

| 15 pc | same |
| :--- | :--- |
| 30 pc | same |
| 35 pc | same |
| 30 pc | same |
| 30 pc | same |

Portable machines, portable steam engines, threshers and separators, horse powers, portable saw mills and plan-
ing mills and parts thereof in any stage of manufacture
Potash, muriate and bichromate of, crude
’otash .......................... rroun, chlorate of, in crystals or ground only, when imported for manufacturing purposes only...... Potash, German mineral .
Potash, red and yellow prussiate of Potatoes, sweet
Pork, barrelled in brine (barrels con-
taining same to be free of duty)... .
Potatoes, other.
Poultry and game of all kinds ............
Precious stones, in the rough....... . .
Precious stones, also imitations, polished, but not set or otherwise manufactured, n.e.s. $\qquad$
Printing presses and printing machines, such only as are used in newspaper, book and job printing offices : fold. ing machines and paper cutters used in printing and bookbinding establishments, and lithographic presses. Prunella
Pulp wood.
Pumice or pumice stone, ground or un ground
Pumps, of all kinds
Pumps, steam.

laying cards . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . me

Plum trees, of all kinds . . . . . . . . . . . . .
Plumbago, crude . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
Plumbago, all manufactures of, n.e.s..
Plush, of cotton..
30 pe
30 pc
30 Pc
same same
$30 \mathrm{pc} \quad 25 \mathrm{pc}$
free same
free same free same

1oc. bushel same
2c. per lb.
25 pc
20 Pc
free
to pc
same
15c. bush.
same
same
same

## same

same
same
same
same
same
25 p c

|  | Old. | New. |  | Old. | New. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Putty | 15 pc | same | Sateens, tor use of corset manufactur- |  |  |
| Putty, dry, for polishing granite |  | sa | ers, etc. ................ | 25 pc | same |
| Quills, in natural state or unpl'd. | fre | same | Sauces, catsups and pickles, including |  |  |
| Qulls, other . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 20 pc | same | soy | $35 \mathrm{pc}$ | same |
| Quince trees of all ki | 3c. each | same | Sausage skins or casings, not cleaned. |  |  |
| Quinine, sulphate of, in powder. |  | same | Sawdust, of the following woods : amaranth, cocoboral, boxwood, cherry, |  |  |
| Rags of cotton, linen, jute, hemp and woolen, paper waste or clippings, and waste of any kind except mineral waste | free | same | chestnut, walnut, gumwood, mahogany, pitch pine, rosewood, sandal wood, sycamore, Spanish cedar, oak, |  |  |
| Rags from Europe, except Great Britain, prohibited |  |  | black heart ebony, lignum vitæ, red cedar, red wood, satin wood, white |  |  |
| Railway rugs of all materials. ........ | 30 p c | same | ash, persimmon and dogwood... | free | same |
| Raisins | Ic. per lb. | same | Scales, and weighing beams. | 30 pc | same |
| Raspberry and blackberry bushes | 20 p C | same | Scenery, theatrical and other | 20 pc | same |
| Rattans and reeds, manufactured or |  |  | School ink wells | 30 pc | same |
| partly manufactured | $171 / 2 \mathrm{p}$ | 15 pc | School bags. | 30 pc | same |
| Rattans and reeds in their natural state | free | same | Screws, commonly called wood screws, |  |  |
| Red liquor for dying and calico printing | free | same | 2 in . and over in length | 3c. lb. | 35 pc |
| Refrigerators | 30 pc | same | 1 in . and less than 2 | 6c. lb. | 35 pc |
| Rennet, raw or prepared | free | same | Less than I in., 8c. lb., provided |  |  |
| Resin, in pkgs, not less than $100 \mathrm{lbs.}$. | free | same | that duty shall not be less than | 35 pc | same |
| Resin or rosin oil | free | sam | Screws, of brass or other metals, n.e.s. | 30 pc | 35 p |
| Resin, other, n.e. | 20 p c | sam | Screw jacks of every description. | 35 pc | same |
| Ribbons of all kinds and materials | 30 pc | 35 pc | Seeds-beet, carrot, turnip, annatto, |  |  |
| Rice, uncleaned, unhulled or paddy, 3-1oc. per lb., but not less than... | 30 | 1/2C | flax, mangold and mustard........ Seeds-flower, garden, field and other | free | sam |
| Rice, other . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1/4. c. lb. | sam | seeds for agricultural or other pur- |  |  |
| Rice and sago flour and sago | 25 pc | same | poses, when in bulk or large parcels, |  |  |
| Rice, when imported by makers of rice starch, for use in their own factories. | 3/4. lb. | same | The same in small parcels | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \mathrm{pc} \\ & 25 \mathrm{pc} \end{aligned}$ | same <br> same |
| Rope, iron wire | 25 pc | same | Seeds-aromatic, which are not edible |  |  |
| Rope, or cordage | $11 / 4 \mathrm{c.lb}$. and 10 pc | 20 pc | and are not in a crude state, and not advanced in value or condition by |  |  |
| Roots, medicinal, viz., aconite, calumba, ipecacuanha, rhubarb, sansa parilla, squills, taraxicum and valerian | e | sam | grinding or refining, or by any other process of manufacture, anise, anise star, caraway, cardamom, coriander, cummin, tennel and fenugreek | free | same |
| The same ground or powdered | 20 pc | same | Seed peas-imported from the United |  |  |
| Rose bushes | 20 pc | same | Kingdom for the purpose of seed. | free | same |
| Rotten stone | 20 pc | same | Seedling stock for grafting, viz., plum, |  |  |
| Rove, when imported for the manufac- |  |  | pear, peach and other fruit trees | free | sam |
| ture of twine for harvest binders | 10 pc | 5 pc | Senna leaves | free | same |
| Ruling pens | 10 pc | same | Settlers' effec | free | sam |
| Rye (see grain) | 10c. bush. | same | Sewing machines, or parts of | 30 pc | am |
| Rye flour. | 50 c . bbl. | ame | Shades, glass and porcelain, for lamps |  |  |
| Saccharine or any product containing |  |  | and gaslights | 30 pc | sam |
| over one-half of one per cent. thereof. | 20 pc | same | Shawls and traveling rugs of all kinds. | 25 pc | 30 p c |
| Saddlers' soap | 25 pc | 35 pc | Shawls, silk. | 25 pc | 30 pc |
| Saddlery of every description | 30 pc | same | Sheep, for improvement of stock. |  | same |
| Saffron and safflower, and extracts of, and saffron cake | free | same | Sheep skins, tanned only <br> Sheep skins, dressed and waxed, or | 15 pc | same |
| Sago | 25 pc | me | glazed . . . . . . . . . . | 171/2 p | same |
| Sago flour | 25 pc | sam | Shellac, white, for manuf 'g purposes.. |  | same |
| Sails, for boats and ships, also tents |  |  | Shells of all kinds, unmanufactured |  | same |
| and awnings . | 25 pc | same | Shells, manufactured, fanc | 35 pc | sam |
| Sal ammoniac and sal soda |  | same | Sheet music | 1oc. lb . | 10 pc |
| Saleratus | 20 pc | sam | Sheet iron signs, not framed | 25 pc | 30 p c |
| Salt, imported from the United Kingdom or any British possessions, or imported for the use of the sea or the gulf fisheries, n.e.s | free | same | Ships, built in a foreign country, on application for Canadian register, except machinery <br> Machinery on same | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \mathrm{pc} \\ & 25 \mathrm{pc} \end{aligned}$ | same same |
| Salt, fine, in bulk, and coarse salt, |  |  | Shirts, costing more than $\$ 3$ per doz.. | \$1 doz, and |  |
| n.e.s . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 5c. 100 lbs. | same |  | 25 pc | 35 pc |
| Salt, in bags, barrels, or other pack- |  |  | Shirts, n.e.s | 35 pc | same |
| ages (packages same duty as if im- |  |  | Shoemakers' pitch and w | 20 | m |
| ported empty).................. | $71 / 2 \mathrm{c} 100 \mathrm{lbs}$ | sa | Show cases | 35 pc | ame |
| Saltpetre | free | same | Show cards, fram | 30 pc | 35 pc |
| Salt cake (sulphate of soda), crude | fr | same | Silex or crystalized quartz |  | same |
| Sand | free | same | Silk, clothing | $321 / 2 \mathrm{pc}$ | 35 pc |
| Sand, colored | 20 pc | same | Silk hosiery | 1oc. doz.prs. |  |
| Sand cloth | 20 pc | 35 pc |  | and 35 pc | 35 pc |
| Sand (iron) or globules for polishing granite |  | same | Silk, raw, or as reeled from the cocoon, not being doubled, twisted or ad- |  |  |
| Sand, glass, flint and emery paper | 20 pc | 35 pc | vanced in any way, silk cocoons, and |  |  |
| Satchels | 30 pc | same | silk waste | free | same |
| Sausage casings, n.e.s | 20 pc | same | Silk twist, sewing and embroidery silk. | 25 pc | same |


| Old. | New. |  | Old. | New. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 15 pc | same | hydrated oxide of ethyl, or spirits of wine : gin of all kinds, n.e.s.; rum, whiskey, all spirituous or alcoholic liquors, n.o.p. Amyl alcohol or fusil oil, or any substance known as potato | \$2.25 gal. | \$2.40 gal. |
| 30 pc | same | spirit or potato oil. | 82.25 gal . | \$2.40 gal. |
| 25 pc | same | Methyl alcohol, wood alcohol, |  |  |
| 30 pc | same | wood naphtha, pyroxylic spirit, |  |  |
|  |  | or any substance known as |  |  |
|  |  | wood spirit or methylated spirit; |  |  |
| free | same | absinthe, arrack or palm spirit, brandy, including artificial |  |  |
| 30 p c | 25 pc | brandy and imitations of |  |  |
|  |  | brandy ; cordials and liqueurs of |  |  |
|  |  | schapps, tafia, angostura, and |  |  |
| 30 p c | 25 pc | similar alcoholic bitters or |  |  |
| 30 p c | same | beverages | \$2.25 gal. | \$2.40 gal. |
| 25 pc | same | Spirits and strong waters of any |  |  |
| 30 pc | same | kind mixed with any ingredient |  |  |
| 30 p c | same | or ingredients and being or |  |  |
| 30 pc | 35 pc | known or designated as anodynes, elixirs, essences, extracts, |  |  |
| ic. per lb. 2c. lb. | same <br> same | lotions, tinctures, or medicines, | \$2.25 gallon | \$2.40 and |
|  |  | n.e.s. | and 30 pc | 30 p c |
|  |  | Alcoholic perfumes and perfumed spirits, bay rum, cologne and |  |  |
| 35 pc | same | lavender waters, hair, tooth and |  |  |
|  |  | skin washes and other toilet |  |  |
|  |  | preparations containing spirits |  |  |
| loc. doz.prs. and 35 p c | 35 pc | of any kind, when in bottles or flasks weighing not more than |  |  |
|  |  | 4 oz . each <br> When in bottles, flasks or other | 50 pc | same |
|  |  | packages weighing more than | \$2.25 gal. | 82.40and 40 |
|  |  | 4 oz . each .............. | and 40 pc |  |
|  |  | Nitrous either, sweet spirits of nitre and aromatic spirits of ammonia. | $\$ 2.25 \mathrm{gal}$. <br> and 30 pc | $\$ 2.40 \mathrm{gal}$. <br> and 30 pc |
| free <br> 20 pc <br> free | same | Vermouth, containing not more |  |  |
|  | same | than 30 per cent., and ginger |  |  |
| 30 pc | same | wine, containing not more than |  |  |
| 25 pc | same | 26 per cent. of proof spirits.... | 8oc. gal. | goc. gal. |
| 35 pc | same | If containing more than these |  |  |
| 30 pc | same | percentages, respectively, of |  |  |
| 20 pc free 20 p c | same same same | proof spirits. . | \$2.25 gal. | 82.40 gal. |
|  |  | Sponges | 20 pc |  |
|  |  | Spurs and stilts, used in the manufacture of earthenware | free | same |
| $\begin{aligned} & 121 / 2 \mathrm{pc} \\ & 25 \mathrm{pc} \\ & 25 \mathrm{pc} \end{aligned}$ | same same same | Square reeds and rawhide centres, textile |  |  |
|  |  | leather or rubber heads, thumbs and |  |  |
|  |  | tips, and steel, iron or nickel caps |  |  |
|  |  | for whip ends, when imported by |  |  |
|  |  | whip manufacturers for use in the mfr . of whips in their own factories. | free | same |
|  |  | Starch, including farina, corn starch or flour, and all preparations having the qualities of starch. (The weight of the package to be included in the weight for duty). | 1/2c. lb. | same |
|  |  | Stones, burr, in blocks, rough or unmanufactured and not bound up or prepared for binding into millstone. | free | same |
|  |  | Stone, rough freestone, flag stones, granite, sandstone, and all building stone, except marble, from the quarry, not hammered or chiselled | 20 pc | 15 Pc |
|  |  | Stone, granite, flagstones and freestones, dressed, all other building stone dressed, eqcept marble, and all |  |  |
|  |  | manner of stone, n.e.s........... | 30 pc | 20 pc |
|  |  | Stone, lithographic, not engraved .... | 20 pc |  |
|  |  | Stone, grindstones, not mounted and not less than 36 inches in diameter. . | \$1.75 ton. |  |
|  |  | Straw and manufactures of, n.e.s..... | 20 pc | same |
|  |  | Straw boards in sheets or rolls, plain or |  |  |
|  |  |  | 30 c .100 lbs . | 25 pc |



Travelers' baggage, under regulations to be prescribed by the Minister of
Trees, n.e.s . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
Tripoli
Trunk trimmings . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
Turpentine, raw or crude. . . . . . . . . .

harvest binders, of hemp jute, manilla or sisal, and of manilia

Type, for printing.
Type metal
Type writers
.ing accessories for printing
Typewriters, tablets with movable figures, geographical map and musical instruments, when imported by and for the use of schools for the blind, and being and remaining the sole property of the governing bodies ef schools, and not of private e verified by special affidavit on each entry when presented ........ Ultramarine Blue, dry or in pulp... all kinds and materials
mbrella and parasol, steel and iron or rass ribs, runners, rings, caps, notches, tin caps and ferrules, for the use of manufacturers of umbrellas
free same
mbrella, parasol and sunshade sticks
or further ............................ nenumerated articles
accine and ivory vaccine points.
Valerian root.

Varnish, black and bright for ship use.
Varnish and colors ground in spirits.. of petroleum for toilet, medicinal or other purposes ..........................
Vases, glass, plain or fancy
20 p c
30 p c

25 p c and 10 pc

Vegetables, sweet potatoes and yams . $V$ egetables, tomatoes and other vegetables, including corn and baked beans, in cans or other packages, n.e.s. The weight of the can or other package to be included in the weight for duty.
Vegetables, onions, sets for planting, not fit for table use.
Velveteens and cotton velvets and cotton plush.
Veneers of wood, not over 3-32 of an inch in thickness
Veneers of wood, not over 1-16 of an inch thick, made from woods native to Canada.
Velocipedes.
Veneers, ivory, sawn only. . . . . . . .
Veneers, ivory, other, n.e.s. . . . . . . . .
Vente, fireclay chimney linings, glazed or sunglazed.
Verd igris or sub-acetate of copper (dry)
Vinegar, of any strength not exceeding the strength of proof; for each deg. of strength in excess of the strength of proof an additional duty of 2C. . Vices
Wagon and cart brushes.
Wall decorations, Lincrusta Walton

Walking sticks and canes of all kinds, n.e.s. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .

Watches....
Watch cases.
 manufacture of filled gold watch cases
Watch keys, of brass . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
Watch keys, of steel
Watch actions or movements
Water meters.
Wax, parafine, and animal stearine of all kinds.
Wax, manufactures of, other . . . . . . . .
Webbing, elastic . . . . . . . . . .
Webbing, non-elastic
Whalebone, unmanufactured.
Whalebone, manufactures of, n.e.s.
Wheat
Wheat flour
Wheels, parts of, hubs and spokes, in the rough
Wheelbarrows and other like articles.
Whips of all kınds, including thongs and lashes.
Whiting or whitening, gilders' whiting and Paris white.
Willow for basket makers
Willow and osier works, n.e.s
Window curtain poles
Window blind rollers, finished or mounted . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
Window shades, made of paper.... . .
Wines of all kinds, except sparkling wines, including orange, lemon, strawberry, raspberry, elder and currant, containing 26 per cent. or less of spirits of strength of proof, imported in wood or bottles.
Wines of every degree above 26 up to $40 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{c} ., 3 \mathrm{c}$. more for each degree of strength and
Champagne and all other sparkling wines, in bottles containing each not more than 1 quart and more than I pint. .. quart and -

Old
Ioc. bush. same
$1 / 1 / 2 c . \mathrm{lb}$.
same
20 pc
30 pc

## same

## same

 same35 pc
free

15c.imp.gal. same
35 pc 30 pc $35 \mathrm{pc} \quad{ }^{25} \mathrm{pc}$ $11 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. roll of 8 yds . and 25 p c 35 pc

25 pc
20 pc
25 pc
35 pc
same
same
30 pc

10 pc same
$30 \mathrm{pc} \quad 25 \mathrm{pc}$
$271 / 2 \mathrm{PC} \quad 25 \mathrm{pc}$
10 pc
30 pc
2c. lb.

20 pc
20 pc
20 pc
free
20 pc
15c. bush.
75 c . bbl.
free
30 pc
35 pc
free
free
25 p c
30 pc

35 pc
35 P c
same
same
same
same
same
same
12c. bush. 6oc. bbl.

## same

same
same
same
same
same
same
same

25c.imp.gal. same
and 30 p c

30 pc
same
$\$ 3.30$ dozen
bottles

In bottles containing not more than
a pint and more that $1 / 2$ pint...
In bottles containing $1 / 2$ pint each
or less . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . quart each shall pay, in addition to $\$ 3.30$ per dozen bottles, at the rate of $\$ 1.65$ per gallon on the quantity in excess of 1 quart per bottle, the quarts and pints in each case being old wine measure; in addition to the above specific duty, there shall be an ad valorem duty of.. ..
Wire cloth of brass or copper...
Wire cloth, iron or steel
Wire, of all metals and kinds, n.e. ..... . .
Wire ferrules, iron or steel. . . . . . . . . . .
Brass
Wire phosphor, bronze blocks, sheets and wire. .
Wire, covered with cotton, linen, silk or other material
Wire rigging for ships and vessels.... . . . . .
Wire, barbed wire fencing ..........
Wire, buckhorn and strip fencing ....
Wire, brass and copper wire, twisted, when imported by manufacturers of

* boots and shoes for use in their own factories..
Wire, crucible cast steel
. . . . . . . . . . . .
Wire, of iron or steel, Nos. 13 and 14 gauge, flattened and corrugated, used with the wire grip machine for the manufacture of boots, shoes and leather belting, imported by manufacturers of such articles to be used facturers of such articles to be used
for these purposes only in their own factories
Wire rods, brass copper, iron or steel, rolled round, under $3 / 8 \mathrm{in}$. in diameter, when imported by wire manufacturers making wire for use in their own factories.
Wire, soft drawn Bessemer spring steel wire of Nos. 10, 12 and 13 gauge, and Homo spring steel wire of Nos. 11 and 12 gauge respectively, when imported by manufacturers of wire mattresses, to be used in their own factories
Wire, flat strip and flat steel, when imported into Canada by manufacturers of buckthorns, plain strip or other fencing, and safety barb wire fencing, for use in their own factories in the manufacture thereof
Wire screw hooks and eyes, iron. ....
Wire, platinum sheets ; retorts. pans, condensers, tubing and pipe made of platinum, imported by manufacturers of sulphuric acid for use in the manufacture or concentration of sulphuric acid. . .
Wire nails . . . . . . . .
Wire, brass rods cut to special length.
Wire rope, of iron and steel, n.o.p...
Wire work, and manufactures of iron wire, n.e.s...
Wood, cordwood ...................................
Wire'window screens $\qquad$
Wood furniture, house, cabinet or office, including bedsteads, hair, spring and other mattresses, bolsters and pillows, and picture frames....
Wood caskets and coffins.
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Wood for fuel
Wooden mallets $\qquad$

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Wood, logs, and round unmanufac tured timber
Woul th ......................... Wool, and hair of the alpaca goat, camel, unmanufactured, and other like animals, not further prepared than washed, n.e.s
Wool and woolen, manufactures of composed wholly or in part of wool composed wholly in part of wool worsted, hair of alpaca goat, or other like animals, viz. : Blankets and flannels of every description, cloths, doeskins, cassimeres, tweeds, coatings, overcoatings, felt cloth, n.e.s.. Wool and woolens-All fabrics composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, hair of alpaca goat, or other like animal, n.e.s
Wool clothing, ready-made, and wearing apparel of every description, composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, the hair of the alpaca goat or other like animal, n.o.p..
Wool knitted goods of every description, including knitted underwear, n.e.s .................................... Wool, viz. : Leicester, Cotswold, Lin-
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wools, or wools known as lustre wools, and other like combing wools, such as are grown in Canada...... 3c. lb.
Wool hosiery, shirts, etc........... 35 p c


## SCHEDULE D - RECIPROCAL TARIFF.

On all the products of countries entitled to the benefits of this Reciprocal Tariff, under the provisions of section sixteen, the duties mentioned in Schedule A shall be reduced as follows :

On and after the twenty-third day of April, 1897, until the thirtieth day of June, 1898 , inclusive, the reduction shall in every case be one-eighth of the duty mentioned in Schedule A, and the duty to be levied, collected and paid shall be seven-eighths of the duty mentioned in Schedule A.

On and after the first day of July, 1898 , the reduction shall in every case be one-fourth of the duty mentioned in Schedule A, and the duty to be levied, collected and paid shall be three-fourths of the duty mentioned in Schedule A.

Provided, however, that these reductions shall not apply to any of the following articles, and that such articles shall in all cases be subject to the duties mentioned in Schedule A, viz.: Wines, malt liquors, spirits, spirituous liquors, liquid medicines and articles containing alcohol ; sugar, molasses and syrups of all kinds, the product of the sugar cane or beet root ; tobacco, cigars and cigarettes

## "ONE COW'S TILK"

is often prescribed for infants, but the prescription is seldom honestly filled. Mothers and nurses are led to believe that milk delivered to them is the daily product of the same animal, but this is rarely true except in cases where one cow constitutes the whole dairy.

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somewhat better enquiry is noted for dried and evaporated apples, and prices are rather firmer. Onions show a continued demand and hold their price. We quote : Raisins, Valencias, $5^{1 / 4}$ to 6 c .; California L. M. 3 -crown, 7 to $7 \frac{1}{4} \mathrm{c}$.; London layers, $\$ 1.75$ to $\$ 2$; currants, cases, $53 / 4$ to 6 c .; bbls., $51 / 4$ to $51 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; cartoons, cleaned, $73 / 4$ to 8 c .; bulk, cleaned, $61 / 2$ to 7 c .; prunes, boxes, 5 to $10 c$.; dates, $41 / 2$ to 5 C . dried apples $21 / 2$ to 3 c .; evaporated apples, $4 \frac{1 / 4}{}$ to $4 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{c}$.; onions, $23 / 4$ to 3 c . per lb .; cocoanuts, $\$ 3.50$ to $\$ 3.75$ per 100 lbs. ; figs, 10 to 12c.; Sultana raisins, $71 / 2$ to 9 c .; Valencias, layers, 6 to 7 c .; Malaga loose muscatels, 6 to $61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. ; 4 -crown L. M. Californias, $73 / 4$ to 8 c .; seeded muscatels, $\mathrm{I}-\mathrm{lb}$. cartoons, 12 to I3c.

Green Fruit-Business is very active. Oranges are scarce and of but fair quality. Price is rather higher. In lemons prices are also higher and a good active demand characterizes the trade. Pineapples are about out of the market, good quality being difficult to get. The car of melons spoken of last week found a good sale. A car of Californıa fruit, the first full car to arrive here, came to hand this week. These goods are having an increased sale here, particularly pears, which are one of the most active lines in fruit at present. Apples have some sale, but at this season it is small. Tomatoes are lower and native grown are beginning to come in. Strawberries are about out of the market. There are fair receipts of raspberries. We quote: Lemons, $\$ 4$ to $\$ 5.50$; oranges, $\$ 4$ to $\$ 4.50$; bananas, $\$ 1.25$ to $\$ 2$; pineapples, 10 to 12 c . ; raspberries, 10 to 12 C .; green apples, $\$ 4$; California peaches, $\$ 1.55$ to $\$ 1.75$; California plums, $\$ 1.50$; melons, 30 to $40 c$.; California pears, $\$ 2$ to $\$ 2.50$.

Sugar-The market is firmer, with better local demand. Refineries begin to find enquiry for yellows, but little for granulated, the larger holders of which through the country are supplying the wholesale demand rather under refiners' prices. They are not caring to hold their present stocks. We quote: Granulated, 4 to $4 \frac{1}{4}$ c.; yellows, $31 / 4$ to $35 / 8 \mathrm{c}$.; Paris lump, $51 / 4$ to $51 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; powdered, 5 to $5 \frac{1 / 4}{4}$.

Molasses - A steadier tone prevails. Demand is not remarkably large, but there is a good steady sale. Porto Rico is more firmly held than Barbadoes, for which the demand is light. A small lot of very fine Demerara is offered here. Stocks all round are not heavy and holders are not, particularly in best grades, pushing sales. We quote: Barbadoes, 22 to 23 c.; Porto Rico, 26 to 30c.; New Orleans, bbls., 25 to 27 c .; Antigua, 22 to 23 c . ; syrup, 36 to 38 c . ; St. Croix, 20 to 22C.

Dairy Produce-The movement in this
line is not large. Butter is very plentiful and low in price. There is little creamery moving; in fact, the trade in this line is dull. In eggs for stock there is a steady but not large demand. In cheese, prices are rather easier. Buyers are now waiting for later cheese. Many of our factories have sold their futures for export. This will nelp to keep up the price. We quote : Dairy butter, 13 to 16 c . ; creamery, 17 to 18 c . ; prints, 18 to 20 c . ; cheese, $91 / 2$ to $93 / 4 \mathrm{c}$.; eggs, $91 / 2$ to IOC.
Fish-Prices except in pickled fish tend rather higher. The stock of medium diy cod is at present very light. The hot weather prevents the fish from being cured. Pollock are dull. In pickled fish the only herring to hand are bay, and they are low and dull. Pickled shad while on the market show little lite. In smoked herring we quote prices higher. This is on account of light stocks rather than on account of an increased demand, the price having been so low that the fishermen would not bring in catches. In fresh fish trade keeps growing smaller. A few salmon and shad still move, but halibut are, you might say, done. We quote as follows: Large cod, $\$ 2.75$ to $\$ 2.85$; medium, $\$ 2.80$ to $\$ 3$; pollock, $\$ 1$ to $\$ 1.15$; bay herring, $\$ 1.25$ to \$1. 30 per half-bbl. ; smoked, new, 7 to 8 c.; shad, halt-bbl., $\$ 4.50$; boneless, $21 / 2$ to 8 c .; Barrington, $\$ 3$ per bbl.; Shelburne, $\$ 3.25$ per bbl.; halibut, 9 to IOc. per lb.; salmon, 25 to 28 c .; boneless, $31 / 2$ to 4 c .; cod, 6 to $61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.; shad, 25 c. each.

Provisions-The hot weather is affecting the demand. A fair trade is being done in hams, for which the price is high. In fact, they are somewhat hard to get. These goods somewhat felt the effect of the new tariff. Thinking the duty might be lowered their sale was pushed at low prices by some dealers. When it was found the duty was not changed, the price at once began to advance. Pork and beef show no change. Lard keeps very low. We quote : Clear pork, $\$ 1350$ to $\$ 14.50$; mess, $\$ 12$ to $\$ 13$; plate beef, $\$ 11.50$ to $\$ 13$; hams 13 to $131 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. ; rolls, $91 / 2$ to 10 c .; pure lard, $63 / 4$ to $71 / 4 \mathrm{c}$.; compound, $6 \frac{1}{4}$ to $61 / 2 \mathrm{c}$.

Flour, Meal and Feed-The week has seen quite a movement in flour, the wholesale dealers buying quite freely. It is a pleasant change. It is hoped prices will hold. Dealers are firm. Oatmeal is also quoted higher, with a good demand. Oats show an improved demand, but are hard to get at buyers' prices. In cornmeal sales keep large, with prices low. Hay is rather easier, the crop prospects being better than they were a few weeks ago. This is one of the few things in which crop prospects are good. Bran is more freely offered, but middlings are scarce. The demand is not
large. Beans are still in large stocic. Western people do not seem to push sales. Market here shows little change. We quote as follows: Manitoba flour, $\$ 4.75$ to $\$ 4.80$; best Ontario, $\$ 4.45$ to $\$ 4.50$; medium, $\$ 4.10$ to $\$ 4.25$; oatmeal, $\$ 3.35$ to $\$ 3.50$; cornmeal, $\$ 1.80$ to $\$ 1.85$; mid dlings, car lots, in bulk, $\$ 15$ to $\$ 16$; bran, do, do, $\$ 13.50$ to $\$ 14.50$; hand-picked beans, 85 to 90 c . prime, 75 to 8 oc .; oats, 33 to 34c. ; hay, $\$ 12.50$ to $\$ 13$; barley, $\$ 2.75$ to $\$ 3$; round peas, $\$ 1.15$; split peas, $\$ 2.75$ to $\$ 3$; yellow eye beans, $\$ 1.50$; $\$ 2.85$ to $\$ 3$; yellow eye beans, $\$ 1.50$;
timothy seed, Canadian, $\$ 2$ to $\$ 2.25 ;$ do. do., American, $\$ 1.75$ to $\$ 2$; clover, $8 \frac{3}{4}$ to 9 c. ; alsike, $81 / 2$ to 9 c .

## ST. JOHN NOTES.

C. \& E. Macmichael are finding a good demand for Heinz's pickles, which they have just added to their stock. They claim that

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these are the finest goods packed in the United States. Their pickles in kegs are particularly popular, sweet pickles being in greatest favor.
It is said 1,500 new bicycles were sold this season in Halifax.
There is a new paper in Dorchester, N.B., a weekly called The Spectator.
A. L. Goodwin received the first full car of California green fruit to come to this market. It consisted of pears, peaches and plums.

The ship chandlery partnership between S. W. Milligan and John Splaine has been dissolved. Mr. Splaine continues the business.

Few banks get the premium for their stock which the Bank of New Brunswick does. One share at auction this week sold ex dividend brought $1611 / 2$ per cent. premium. On the 20th the thermometer in Moncton stood as high as 96 in the shade. A few days previous St. Stephen reported it at 100. A little St. John fog would be in order.
Mr. Robert Noble, of Norval, Ont., the well-known miller, has been in the city this week and has placed a large quantity of his flour. Mr. Noble is represented here by I. C. Bowman.

The Maritime Pure Food Co., Woodstock, N.B., of which Wm. Green is
manager, gave their friends a picnic on the factory grounds this week. The greatest interest was in the new canning factory.
H. F. Baker, Esq., of Halifax, called on The Grocer this week. He was in the city chiefly in the interests of Crosse \& Blackwell, for whom he is the Maritime representative. Messrs. Geo. Robertson \& Co., wholesale grocers, handle these goods largely here.
The steamer Tiber, from Montreal, arrived here this week. This is her second trip. The venture is proving a success, as she had a full cargo this trip. Among it was upward of 3.500 bbls . of flour and 1,500 cases canned goods. She will be due again in about three weeks.

Fifteen cheese factories in Kings county, N.B., report receiving up to the last of June $1,807,500 \mathrm{lbs}$. milk, which would mean about 90 tons cheese, which, at $81 / 2 \mathrm{c}$., an average price, would mean $\$ 15,300$. The Sussex factory, which is the largest included in the above, during June received 256,292 lbs. milk. One of the largest tactories in P. E. Island received $24,000 \mathrm{lbs}$. in one day.

During the past week $27,000,000$ superficial feet of lumber cleared from St. John, $21,000,000$ for British ports. Beside this a large quantity of laths, shingles and piling has been shipped. The French demand, while not large, is larger than usual. A number of very large cargoes have been shipped, there being many over two million,
and some as high as three and four. One was over four million. Other shipping points, as Hopewell, Grinstone Island, West Bay, and the Miramichi, all report extra large shipments.

## THE TOBACCO TARIFF.

Under the new tariff, foreign raw leaf tobacco is subject to a Customs duty. For the convenience of the trade, Customs bonded warehouses are authorized for the storage of such tobacco, and no charge is to be made for the privilege of using as a Customs bonded warehouse any premises licensed for the manufacture of tobacco or cigars. The Minister of Customs has been authorized by order-in-council to employ excise officers to act as Customs lockers on these premises. The excise officers are to be required to perform this duty without any other or extra remuneration.

## 'TWAS TOO COOL

There are various ways of getting cool and staying so for a while, says an exchange, but the plan adopted by a retail butcher and grocer in a suburb of Chicago, though efficacious, is probably the least to be commended of all. This dealer, suffering severely from heat, walked into his icechest, and, the spring lock snapping to, he was made a prisoner for nearly an hour. When he was released he fell in a faint, and at last accounts was confined to his bed. It is better to pour the coolness into one in the shape of certain beverages than to crawl into a place where ice is kept.

## HINTS TO BUYERS.

This department has become so popular that many more notices than there is space for are received every week. In future only important items of information will be inserted. Contributors are requested to send news only, not puffs of goods they handle, or the arrival of standard goods that everyone has in stock, or that they are offering goods at close figures, or that they have had an unusually large sale this season.]

ASHIPMENT of Phillipe, Canaud \& Cie.'s sardines is in stock with the Eby, Blain Co., Limited.
Clark's canned meats are having a heavy sale with the Eby, Blain Co., Limited.
Noble's 1897 pack lobsters, talls and flats, are in store with the Eby, Blain Co., Limited.
The Eby, Blain Co., Limited, have in stock an excellent sample of fine Sultana raisins.
S.S. Tyree is now unloading choicest Barbadoes molasses at Montreal for Laporte, Martin \& Cie.
Orders are being taken for delivery during fall for "Victoria" brand canned salmon by Laporte, Martin \& Cie.

- Yes, salmon is selling fast," say Lucas, Steele \& Bristol. "To arrive we are moving a good quantity of 'Empire,' ' Horseshoe,' 'Seal ' and ' Nimpkish.' '
Canned gallon apples, although generally scarce and firm, have been shipped in considerable quantities the past week by the Eby, Blain Co., Limited.

Several lots of new season's Japans have been sent out by Lucas, Steele \& Bristol, and for future delivery they are offering the "Uriba" and "Kiji" brands.
T. A. Lytle \& Co. have put a new brand of pickles on the market. "Sterling" is the trade mark. If they are as good as other lines made by this firm they should find ready sale.
D. Gunn, Bros. \& Co. report that they are still having a good demand for backs, which seem to be superseding breakfast bacon. This change in favor applies particularly to the larger cities.
W. H. Gillard \& Co. claim that their Seville orange marmalade is meeting with a large sale this season, due, they say, to the fact that nothing but extra standard sugar and the pure fruit is used in its manufacture.

## LATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

IThe following itens arrived too late for insertion in the regular advertising space. Reading notices inserted regular advertising space. Read
in this column at 5 c. per word.]
Some good values in Scotch sugars are offering by Lucas, Steele \& Bristol. Get their prices before buying.
W. H. Gillard \& Co. have in store and arriving shortly some lines of May-picked Japans, bought at advantageous prices and showing good values.

The Eby, Blain Co., Limited, are offering special values in "Blue Pearls" Vostizza currants in quarter-cases, which they claim are the finest goods imported.

## THE SUMMER STORE.

THE summer store should present an appearance in marked contrast to the store in winter. Everything about the window displays, the counters and the stock should remind one of the season. The general effect should be to impress customers that the store is clean, cool and captivating. The stock should appeal to capricious appetites, invite indulgence in dainty delicacies and summer beverages. "It always makes me hungry to come into your store," remarked a woman to Grocer B. What greater compliment could be paid a purveyor of food ?
A few handsome palms and rubber trees may be made very effective in giving the store a cool look. Keep a current of fresh air circulating in the store and in the cellar. It robs the room of that oppressive odor which comes from food kept in a close room with a high temperature, and which takes away the appetite.
Show windows should be neatly and artistically arranged with summer delicaciesolives, capers, olive oil, pickles, lime juice, sauces, sardines, lobster, clams, shrimp, pickled lambs' tongue, potted meats and poultry, curried fowl, luncheon beef, catsups and scores of other articles more in favor in July than January. Do not place maple syrup in a show window in July, for it reminds one of pancakes and winter diet. Rather have all the things which enter into salad making and such as are suggestive of dishes adapted to hot weather. Canned vegetables and fruits in the season when fresh fruits and vegetables are abundant and cheap should be made an effective background until October, when they should change places with the summer specialties.
Summer beverages ought to be in every
grocer's stock. A neat display of the vari ous summer drinks can be very effectively arranged inside the store and near the en trance. And let there be a reminder of iced tea and coffee, even if you have to serve the same free to customers as af ob ject lesson of how much comfort can be had at trifling expense.
Cereals and crackers are in favor, the former to be served hot as a summer break. fast dish with berries or other fruits, and cold for luncheon or supper. Crackers are in request for luncheons and for outing parties, and should be prominently displayed in great variety. The stock should be kept fresh-i.e., crisp. Avoid giving prominence to sticky cakes or such sort of biscuits as are identified with oyster suppers and other winter pastimes.
Hams and tongues are in favor in July and August, and therefore they should have a special setting, such as will tend to make the observer long for a sandwich and a bottle of ginger ale or root beer. Have everything about the summer meats clean and appetizing.
The floor ought to be kept as clean and bright as the deck of a man-of-war, and the windows sparkling and spotless. Fly specks, cobwebs, sticky scales or untidy counters are appetite killers. Flies can be kept out of a store if they are persistently fought. Drive them out and keep them out, even though screen doors are required.
When the store presents a seasonable and alluring appearance, than advertise in a cool and breezy fashion. Let the colors and the type used in your circulars, billheads, cards, signs, etc., be suggestive of a cool retreat, where physical comforts are to be freely had, There are what are designated "warm" colors, such as are suggestive of a log fire, instead of an ocean breeze or a cool grove. Be fertile in hints likely to prove acceptable to summer pleasure seekers and to all who seek comfort at the table. Remember that eternal vigilance is the price of a profitable summer trade.-American Grocer.

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HAMILTON GROCERS' PICNIC. IAGARA FALLS never wanes in popularity as a point of attraction for excursionists, and fully 3,000 people took in the annual grocers' picnic at Queen Victoria Park last week. By actual count there were 2,500 paid passengers on the excursion trains and there were about 500 children who traveled without tickets.
The excursion was on the T. H. \& B. line, and it was more successful than any of its predecessors, which is saying a good deal for a grocers' outing. The arrangements at the park were excellent, and only chronic grumblers could complain about them. The checking business was conducted as well as it could possibly have been done, considering the big crowds on the trains, and the impatience of some who could not wait their turn.
TA, coffee and milk were served with great liberality to the picnickers at the park. The weather behaved itself till $50^{\prime}$ clock, when it rained, and in consequence there was a big rush for the station. During the afternoon the Thirteenth Band, under the leadership of Bandmaster George Robinson, played numerous selections, and Miss Fraser sang " Where the Sugar Maple Grows."
The first train left the Falls about 6.30 , fourteen coaches being packed with people,
and about twenty minutes later another equally long train left with a big crowd. The first train was delayed a long time at the Welland Canal, owing to boats being locked through, and the second train was there some time before the first resumed its journey. The second train was held at Grassey's Corners to allow the first one to come down the mountain without any danger of a pitch-in, and while the delay caused some complaint, it was a wise thing to do. All the excursionists reached the city in safety, the last train getting in about 10.30 .
Following was the committee whose efforts caused the picnic to be so successful : C. H. Peebles, chairman ; W. R. Harvey, secretary ; C. Bremner, treasurer ; John O. Carpenter, president of the Grocers' Associaion; Adam Ballentine, G. Hunt, J. C. Bolligan, R. E. Wales, F. R. Close, John Ronan, D. Brown, Wm. Smye, W. Durance, T. Hazell.

## CALIFORNIA PRUNE SITUATION.

ONE of the chief features in the California dried fruit market at the present time is the export demand for new crop prunes. The opening price of $21 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. for the four sizes is not looked upon as excessive by foreign buyers, who, having small crops of their own, have turned to California for supplies. It is claimed, however, that the quality of the Pacific Coast fruit has had as much to do with its increased
consumption on the other side as the comparatively low prices at which it can be bought or the shortage in European crops. It is reported, but not absolutely confirmed, that within the past week or ten days some fifteen carlots of California prunes have been sold to Europe on the basis of $21 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. per pound f. o. b.

Domestic buyers, however, do not seem to have been quite so anxious to secure early supplies. Reports from the Coast as to the condition and prospects for the current crop seem to have imbued them with the idea that by holding off they may be able to do better latter on and as there seems to be little prospect of any change in an upward direction and the consuming demand is rather slow, most buyers seem inclined to wait. Latterly, reports of a heavy drop in some sections as a result of excessively hot weather have been received here, but have failed to influence the market to any extent, though for a time it was said that some sellers had withdrawn quotations or declined to guarantee early shipments. However, all reports from the Coast indicate that under such adverse conditions as may erise from this time until the end of the drying season a very full crop may be expected, owing to the large number of trees coming into bearing this year. The uncertainty as to the future has had little or no effect upon prices for spot goods, as the stock here is comparatively small, well concentrated and moving out fairly in a jobbing way.-N. Y. Journal of Commerce.

## ANTISEPTIC FIBRE PACKAGE.

ANEW article which ought to receive great favor from this Dominion, which is striving to establish a wider trade in dairy products, is the Antiseptic Fibre Package, made for the purpose of holding butter and lard and of preserving

them in all their freshness for an indefinite period. This adds one more article to the long list of manufactures of wood fibre, for it is out of this material, treated so as to render it impervious to grease and water and antiseptic, that this patented invention is made.
Its shape is similar to that of the ordinary tin lard pail that is now in use, and is, on this account, handy for shipping goods as well as for keeping them on the shelf. Moreover, the packages can be made in any size that the market may require. Their cost is much below that of the tin packages.
They are commendable to the wholesalers, too, and, therefore, to the exporters, because on the package may be printed the dealer's name and trade mark.
It has long been an unsolved problem to keep butter sweet for an indefinite time, and the importance of a solution has lately been attracting even the Canadian Government and railway companies, who have provided refrigerator service on cars and boats, so that if the package is all that its patentees claim for it, and it has been recommended by the officials of both the Federal and Ontario Governments, it certainly ought to be a boon to the dairy trade.
At present it is manufactured in Grand Rapids, Mich., but Mr. H. J. Fogg, 37 Victoria street, Toronto, tells The Grocer that when the organization is completed the goods to supply the Canadian trade will be manufactured in Canada.

## HOW THEY DIE.

According to the newspapers very few persons merely "die." The banker " passes in his checks," the cashier "goes to his last account," the mugwump " joins the great majority," the bartender "seeks the spirit land," the gambler "shuffles off," the stableman "kicks the bucket," the spiritualist " gives up the ghost," the accountant " goes to his long reckoning," the printer " joins the heavenly quire," and the editor of a daily paper " goes to claim a pair of golden scissors lying on a table near the throne."-Wyoming Tribune.

## THE DINGLEY AND WILSON TARIFFS.

comparative rates in the two bills.

Boracic acid.
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Alcoholic pertumery, including toilet waters... Alkalies and alkaloids, and their combinations Argols or crude tartar
Bleaching powder
Coal tar colors or dyes
Opium, crude or unmanufactured
Chlorate of potash
Medicinal preparations containing alcohol.
Medicinal preparations without alcohol Soda ash
Roman, Portland and other hydraulic cements China clay or kaolin
Plain white earthen and crockery ware
China, porcelain and other ware, decorated
Glass, cut, engraved or painted.
lasmon, window glass, not exceeding ..... 15 inches square
Cast polished plate glass, silvered, not exceeding 16 by 24 inches.
Marble, in block
Iron in pigs
Bar iron, not less than one inch wide nor less than three-eighths of an inch thick Ties for baling cotton.
Tin plate, lighter than 63 lbs. per ioo sq. ft
Penknives or pocket knives, valued at not more than 50 c . per dozen

Copper plates, bars, ingots or
Lead contained in silver ore
Machinery
Machinery ...................................
Boards of hemlock, white pine, etc . .
Toothpicks ...........................
Toothpicks
Furniture, cabinet or house
Sugar, not above No. 15 Dutch standard

Tobacco suitable for cigar wrappers
Tobacco, for filling cigars
Cigars and cheroots
Hogs
Horses, valued at $\$ 150$ or less
Rice, cleaned
Wheat
Wheat flour
Butter
Milk, fresh
Eggs
Hay.
Potatoes
Mackerel, pickeled or salted
Oranges and lemons
Pineapples, in barrels and other packages Beef.
Salt, in bulk.
Champagne, in quarts

Old Rate of Duty. 3c. per lb. Free of duty. $\$ 2 \mathrm{gal}$ and 50 p . 25 per cent. Free of duty. Free of duty. 25 per cent. Free of duty. Free of duty. Free of duty.
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25 per cent. 1/4. per lb. 8 c . per 100 lbs . $\$ 2$ per ton. 30 per cent. 35 per cent. 35 per cent.

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6c. per sq. ft. 5oc. per cubic ft. $\$ 4$ per ton.

6-10 of a cent per 1 b Free of duty.
Free $1-5 \mathrm{c}$. per 1 b .
25 p. c. (up to $30 c$. value) and 12 c . per doz. and 25 p.c.
Free of duty.
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8 l . per cubic ft. 20 per cent. 20 per cent. 8c. per 100 lbs . $\$ 8$ per dozen.

Still wines, in quarts
Malt liquors, in bottles or jugs.
Mineral waters, natural, in quarts.
Cotton yarn, up to and including N at not exceeding 25 c . per lb . 15 , valued Cotton thread, on spools.
Cotton cloth, not exceeding 50 threads to the square inch, not bleached nor dyed.
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$13 / 8 \mathrm{c}$. per lb .
inc. per sq. ft. 65 c . per cubic ft . $\$ 4$ per ton.

6-10 of a cent per lb, $5-10$ of a cent per lb. $11 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. per lb .
$40 \mathrm{p.c}$. (up to 40 c . in value) and 12 C per doz. and 40 p.c. Free of duty. $11 / 2 \mathrm{c}$. per lb . $\$ 2$ per 1,000 feet 2c. 1,000 and 15 p.c. 35 per cent. $95-$ 100c. lb. at 75 deg and $35-1000 c$. for each additional deg $\$ 1.85$ per lb
$\$ 4.50 \mathrm{lb}$. and $25 \mathrm{p.c}$ $\$ 1.50$ per head. $\$ 30$ per head. 2c. per lb.
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$\$ 8$ per doz., but no separate duty shall be levied on the bottles. 4oc. per gallon.
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## Ready-made clothing of cotton,

Cotion hosiery, valued at not more than $\$ 1$ per dozen pairs.
Shits and drawers, valued at not more than $\$ 1.50$ per dozen...

50 per cent.
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Hemp and tow of hemp
Floor mattings, including Chinese and Japanese
valued at not more than ioc. per yard. Collars and cuffs of linen.
Linen laces, embroideries, et
Manufactures of flax containing more than 180 threads to the square inch

Wool of class I
Wool of class 2
Wool of class 3, valued 1 ................
Wool of class 3 , valued at more than $12 c \ldots$
Woolen dress goods, valued at not more than
7 oc . per $\mathrm{lb} \ldots$
Aubusson and moquette carpets
Silk velvets and chenilles
Silk laces..
Wood pulp, mechanically ground
Printing paper, valued above 5 c per lb
Agate buttons
Coal, bituminous
Hides of cattle
Pencils of wood and lead
Coffee
Tea
Paintings and statuary.

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1-12 of a cent per lb. 15 per cent.
$1-12$ of a cent per line per gross \& 15 p.c. 67 c . per ton.
15 per cent.
45 c . gross \& 25 p. c. Free of duty.
Free of duty. 20 per cent.

## A GOOD-HEARTED DRUMMER.

ACORRESPONDENT who was interested in the anecdote related under the title, "A Charming Act," on page 140 of The Companion for March 25, 1897, sends us an account of an incident which is worthy to go on record with the other :
" From 1889 to 1893," the correspondent writes, " I was postmaster at Huntington, West Virginia. A day or two before the Christmas of 1889 a stranger appeared at the post-office and asked if we had any letters or packages which could not be forwarded for lack of proper postage.
' ' ' Many,' I answered.

- Bring them all out, and let us send them on their way,' said he, at the same time taking a bank note from his pocket.
- The accumulations 'held for postage were produced, were properly stamped, and were sent to the cancelling table, the stranger paying for the necessary stamps.

Now,' said he, ' 1 will leave two dollars more in your hands to be expended for stamps, in case other matter should be deprisited during the holidays with insufficient postage. You can keep a record of the amount, and we will settle when I call again.'
' ' Will you leave your name ?' I asked.
'Oh, that's not necessary ; I'm only a drummer,' he answered.
"This act he repeated every year at the beginning of the season until 1893, when, being unable to reach Huntington before the holidays, he enclosed five dollars in a
letter to the postmaster, asking that it be expended, if necessary, in the same way. The letter was signed 'The Crank Drummer.'

- After his second visit he was traced to a hotel, and his name learned from the register. I give it to you privately, but it is perhaps not best to reveal it. Whether he has continued his 'crank' practice I do not know." -Youths' Companion.


## BUSINESS NINETY-SIX YEARS AGO

Not only was the field of business enterprise thus restricted, but the transaction of business within that field was slow and difficult. The merchant kept his own books, or, as he would have said, his own accounts, wrote all his letters with a quill, and, when they were written, let the ink dry or sprinkled it with sand. There were then no envelopes, no postage stamps, no letter boxes in the street, no collection of the mail. The letter written, the paper was carefully folded, sealed with wax or a wafer, addressed and carried to the post office, where postage was prepaid at rates which would now seem extortionate. To send a letter, which was a single sheet of paper, large or small, from Boston to New York or Philadelphia, cost eighteen and one-half cents, and to Washington twenty-five cents, and this at a time when the purchasing power of a cent was five times what it is at present. To carry a letter from Philadelphia, then the capital of the United States, to Boston and bring back an answer by return mail would have consumed from twelve to eighteen days, according to the season of the year and the weather.-Atlantic Monthly.

## WHICH IS THE BEST POLICY?

THE fierceness of competition in the grocery trade to-day, due partly to a forced increase of the sales of the grocers (necessitated by the reduction of prices and profits) and partly to the introduction of a grocery department in the bazar stores and the multiplication of branch stores of cash "cutters," has caused the retailers to seek a remedy, and they have looked for it in two different directions.
Some of them have joined in the movement to regulate prices of certain goodsto try to keep them as high as possiblewhile others have entered into combinations for the purchase of supplies-for the purpose of keeping prices as low as possible.

Able and enterprising men can be found in both classes of dealers, yet a search in that direction for the shining lights of the business would be a waste of time. They do not travel in crowds, but "go it alone;" at least they do so as soon as they can command sufficient capital.

Buying exchanges and card systems are well enough for the common run of dealers -those with no ambition beyond a com-petency-but the true American spirit is hampered by such bonds, and eventually must break loose and work out its manifest destiny alone. Each system may be of use in helping the beginner to get his foot upon the bottom rounds of the ladder of success, but afterwards it may prevent him from getting any higher.
The big prizes of the mercantile world are for the bold and enterprising merchant who plays a "lone hand." - Merchants' Review

## A NEW CLOTHES WRINGER.

There is being introduced by the Dowswell Manufacturing Co., Limited, of Hamilton, something new in clothes wringers. It is known as the "New Leader," and has some special features that are not only new but are claimed to accomplish results not attainable by any other wringer in the market. The advantages claimed for this machine over others is that it is driven by an internal gear, which reduces the amount of power required by about 50 per cent. It has also a new clamping attachment that is said to be very much quicker than anything of the kind in use, and can be readily adjusted to square or round tubs.
The clamping attachments are made of malleable iron and are therefore strong and durable. The rolls are made of an extra heavy quality of rubber. The machine generally is gotten up in first-class style throughout and is guaranteed by the manufacturers.

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## how to ruin a town.

AVERY pointed and practical article appears in The Orangeville, Ont., Advertiser, on the possible results of townspeople doing all their buying in the city. We quote it for the merchant to show it to intelligent customers, who are reasonable enough to see that city-buying, if carried out to its extreme limit, can empty a town of both trade and prosperity :
" Let us assume that a town which lacks local pride and spirit and whose inhabitants send much of their cash to departmental stores, carries the thing to its logical conclusion and buys everything away from home, and what follows? The merchants put up their shutters and quit. The main street has gone out of business. The post office and express office are the local branches of the departmental store and are busy sending off orders and handling parcels. The merchants with their families, and their clerks, scatter to the four corners of the earth. There are, perhaps, two banks in the town and one closes at once, but the other waits to see how business will be. The editor of the local paper looks over his field and peers into the future, and then removes his plant to some place far from an overshadowing city. Those who owned property along the main street find it almost valueless. One of the local lawyers moves away. One of the doctors
sells out to the other. The farmers of the surrounding country rise at $3 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. and drive on through the village to the city to sell their produce and make their purchases. They consult a city doctor, or lawyer, or dentist, if they need advice or treatment. Their farms, once worth $\$ 100$ an acre because adjacent to a living town, decline in value until they are worth only $\$ 30$ or $\$ 40$ an acre, because no living town and market are near. The owner of the big mill or factory, which was bonused years ago, will now hearken to the offers he gets to locate in other places, and the town having now no future, no prospect of better shipping facilities, the factory will pack up and go away. In short, the town will have no excuse for existing. The surrounding country does not need it ; it doesn't need itself ; its people might as well move away and get into the city to which they really belong. Logically, this is the outcome-a whole province with no industry or trade in it but places for tinkering and repairing in a small way; a whole province in which only rich cities and rich men can thrive at all, all retailing passing into the hands of millionaire men and companies strong enough to practise any trick or to resort to any tyranny, and none being strong enough to resist them.
An article on these lines should appear in every local paper in Canada this summer. Merchants cannot afford to drift in this
matter. They must act promptly, appealing to the common sense of property owners in a town not to set the example of buying outside. If the owners of property will not themselves buy in the place which returns them interest on their investment, of course the case is pretty hopeless. But try what can be done by some vigorous protests, and your local editors are the men to help you.

## HE PUSHED GUM.

You know the well-known adage "There's a tide in the affairs of men, which, taken at the flood, leads on to fortune," says a writer in Grocery World. I have been very much struck with the truth of that, as illustrated in the case of a retail grocer who is a friend of mine. While the tide he took at the flood has not brought him a fortune by any means, it has netted him a comfortable little sum of money. When the chewing-gum fad broke loose three or four years ago, this retailer expressed to me the opinion that it was to be a fad which would last for several years. So believing, he laid in a supply, and began to push it for all he was worth. Ever since that time he has constantly added to his stock every good new thing in chewing gum which has come out, and at present has as large a stock of gum as all the other dealers in his town put together. When anybody in that place wants chewing gum they go to my friend's. A month ago he told me he had cleared in 1896 nearly $\$ 250$ from chewing gum alone.


## business changes.

difficulties, Assignments, compromises.

HAMLIN \& BURK, general merchants, Emsdale, Ont., have assigned to E. J. Henderson, Toronto.

George McGarry, pork packer, Montreal, has assigned.
o. W. Trenholm, grocer, Grand Pre, N.S., has assigned.

Alfred Masse, grocer, Montreal, has assigned to Chas. Desmarteau.
F. Tremblay, general merchant, Les Eboulements, Que., has assigned.
Jas. McFatridge, lobster packer, Bay St. George, Newfoundland, has assigned.
John Hyde has been appointed curator of the estate of J. P. Landry, general merchant, Hull, Que.
Therien \& Co., general merchants, St. Remi, Que., are offering to compromise at 50 c . on the dollar.
A meeting of the creditors of Moore \& Kerr, general merchants, Orillia, Ont., was held on the 2gth inst.
Royer \& Burrage have been appointed curators of the general business of G. H. Kerr, Lake Megantic, Que.
A meeting of the creditors of L . Beaudet, general merchant, St. Jean des Chaillons, Que., was held on the 23 rd inst.
Goddu Freres, grocers, St. Hyacinthe, Que., have assigned. A meeting of creditors will be held on the zrd prox.
partnerships formed and dissolved.
L.aramee \& Co., hay and grain dealers, Montreal, have dissolved.
Garceau \& Gilmore, beer bottlers, Rock Island, Que., have dissolved.
F. Lavoie \& Cie., grain merchants, St. Martin, Que., have dissolved.
MacWillie Bros., grocers, Toronto, advertise dissolution dating from August ist.
Burls \& Banckham, tobacco and billiards, Toronto, have dissolved. Fred Banckham continues.
A. C. Buchanan \& Co., grocers, Nelson, B.C., have dissolved. Mabbe retires and C. J. Wilson is admitted.

Alex. L'Hote and J. B. D. Legare have formed a partnership to do business in Montreal as manufacturers of wines.
The firm of McDonald \& Dunning, general merchants, Cumberland, Que., has been dissolved. D. N. McDonald continues.
Harry C. Organ and Peter A. Carpenter have formed a partnership in Montreal, Que., to carry on a grocery business under the style of Organ \& Carpenter.
In connection with the firm Rimer, Leewen \& Co., general merchants, Otterburne, Man., N. T. Carey has been admitted and Rimer retires. Style now is N . T. Carey \& Co .
J. A. Bancroft, W. C. Healey, W. H. Winchester, Chas. Spurr, S. E. Bancroft, James and Edward McDormand, James and Wm. McLaughlin, George and Frederick Armstrong, have formed a partnership in Roundhill, N.S., to run a general store under the style S. E. Bancroft \& Co.

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Sales made and pending.
Geo. Genser, grocer, Montreal, has sold
The Windsor Brewing Co., Windsor, Ont., have sold out.
The assets of A. Masse, grocer, Montreal, are to be sold to day.
The general stock of W. J. Pepper, Shedden, Ont., has been sold.
E. H. Suffel, general merchant, Vienna, Ont., has advertised his stock for sale.
The assets of C. L. Begin, grocer, Levis, Que., are advertised to be sold August 2.
J. White, general merchant, Oak Lake, Man., is advertising his business for sale.
E. B. Morgan \& Son, grocers, Oshawa, Ont., are advertising their business for sale.
The assets of Paul Prozesky, manufacturer of cigars, Montreal, are to be sold to day.
The general stock of James Gillies, Metapedia, Que., has been sold at 5 Ic . on the dollar.
R. Stafford, general merchant, Joliette, Que., has sold his stock at 65 c . on the dollar.
The general stock of the late Clara Laidlaw, St. George, Ont., is advertised for sale by tender.
The grocery stock of E. Bergeron \& Frere, Montreal, has been sold at 45 c . on the dollar.

The immovable assets of Hunt, Barnes \& Co., wholesale fish dealers, Montreal, have been sold.

The assets of H. Blanchette, general merchant, Valracine, Que., are to be sold the 3rd prox

The assets of Jos. Comfoltez, general merchant, St. Michel, Que., are advertised to be sold August 2.
The general stock of C. H. Gerbig, Ayr and Woodstock, Ont., is advertised to be sold by auction August 3.

## changes.

Frank C. Doctor, Ottawa, is commencing a grocery business.
C. B. Shaw, grocer, Windsor, N.S., has sold out to John Riley.
T. J. Doak, grocer, Stratford, Ont., has sold out to J. W. McCabe.
E. A. Smith, grocer, St. Thomas, Ont., has sold out to A. J. Woods.
H. Hankinson is commencing a grocery business in St. Thomas, Ont.
P. Adelstein \& Co. have commenced a grocery business in Montreal.
Charles J. Lindstone has opened out a general store at O'Leary, P.E.I.
R. Thomas Vooght, Baddeck, N.S., has opened out in a general business.
Apps \& Hankinson, grocers, St. Thomas, Ont., have sold out to E. A. Smith.
Henry Cook, pork dealer, Lunenburg, N.S., has sold out to Capt. McCulloch.
H. Giegerich, general merchant, Sandon, B.C., has sold out to D. W. French \& Co.

Alonzo Smith \& Son, Mountain, Ont., have removed their saw, flour and shingle mill to Kemptville.
Mrs. E. O. Taylor, general storekeeper, Burk's Falls, Ont., has sold out to Jackson Bros., Gore Bay, Ont.
Maria M. Guay, wife of C. L. Begin, is registered proprietress of the grocery business of C. L. Begin, Levis, Que.

The Toronto Biscuit and Confectionery Co. has been succeeded by the Toronto Biscuit and Confectionery Co., Limited.
The Ambrose \& Winslow Brewing and Malting Co., Limited, Port Hope, Ont., are applying for permission to change their style to The Port Hope Brewing and Malting to The Port Hope Brewin
Co. of Port Hope, Limited.

## FIRES.

J. T. Goldthorpe, general merchant, Saltford, has been burnt out.
Charles Hackett, Ahouset, B.C. has had his general stock burnt out. It was insured.
J. H. Fielding, grocer and fruiter, Wiarton, Ont., has been burned out.
Sadleir Bros., general merchants, Wiarton, have been burned out.
J. A. Blondin, general merchant, St. Maurice, Que., has been burnt out. Partially insured.
deaths.
Isaac Marsten, general merchant, Eel River, N. B., has died.
John J. Nolan, of A. Nolan \& Co., grocers, Montreal, is dead.
E. G. Butler, general merchant, Chester, N. S., is dead.


MONTREAL

## PACKAGE TEA.

elsewhere, and are surprised to learn that this method of retailing has made such headway in Connecticut, There is no good reason why tea should not be sold in packages. It seems, indeed, the very article which should be handled in this way. But buyers are conservative and suspicious, and it is a most difficult matter to alter the traditions of the counter.
We remarked this a short time ago in referring to the street sales of India tea which were being tried in New York. This city is decidedly peculiar in the matter of package goods, having known practically no package coffee trade until the Arbuckle sugar fight began. Before that event hardly a single Ariosa package stayed here; and it was only the big cut in prices and the free advertising which the daily press gave that started these and competing goods into use in New York.
Some goods, like chocolate, are not known except in packages. We are glad to see package tea coming, and we expect to see package sugar some time, for there seems to be both economy and cleanliness in handling the goods in this way.

The Retail Grocers of Montreal are to hold their annual picnic at Ste. Rose on the 2gth inst. The following week we shall give a report of it.

Toronto's Greatest Celebration.
$\mathrm{F}^{\text {ULLY }}$ alive to the times, the management of the To fonto Exhibition, or, as the title runs this year, Canada's Great Victorian-Era Exposition and Indus Hial Pair," is to be conducted on a scale, from Augusi soth to September nth, that will even transcend any former eftort made to promote this, the most popular, most comprehensive and most attractive annual show held on this continent. Already a sufficient number of applications for space and of notifications of entries have been received to warrant the highest expectations. The nanagenient have increased the number of medals to be awarded, and have made many improvements to the buildings and grounds, showing that they are resolvid to leave nothing undone that will enhance the pleasure and comtort of both patrons and exhibitors. They have also deteruined on a special feature that promises to prove the greatest ourdoor spectacle in the way of entertainment that Toronto or any other city has ever known, outside the world's metropolis itself. This spectacle will take the Lrm of a reproduction of the wondrous Diamond lubilee procession in London, Agents are now across the water hiring and buying the necessary properties and costumes, which will be an exact replica of the uniforms and costumes worn by the soldiery, the sailors, the nobility and the Yeomen of the Guard in the magnificent procession. Scenes will also be reproducel of the ceremonies at Buckingham Palace, St. Paul's Cathedral and other places along the line of roxte. Many interesting specialties will also be introduced, while at night the effect will be heightened and magnified by brilliant illuminations and tireworks. Not only will spectators have brought home to them the grandeur and unity of the Empire, but they will be practically taken home to Oid L.ondon. While dwelling on this krand feature the material aspect of the Exhibition must not be lost sight of, therefore it is well to mention that entries of live stock, and the majority of the departments, close on Saturday, August 7 th. Programmes containing all details of the attractions will be issmed about the toth of Augus.
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