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Bank of Toronto, Toronto, 23rd October, 1895. 3411

D. COULSON, General Manager

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MONDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF DECEMBER NEXT.

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MONDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF DECEMBER NEXT.

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By order of the Board,

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Toronto, October 21th, 1895.

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DIVIDEND No. 57.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Three and One-Half Per Cent. upon the capital stock of this institution has been declared for the current half-year, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches on and after

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By order of the Board.

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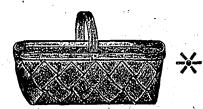
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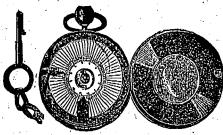
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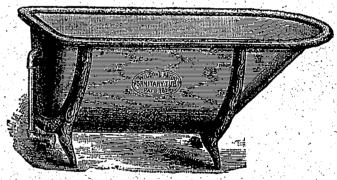
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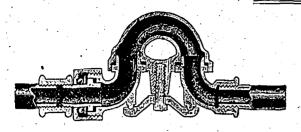
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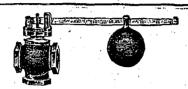
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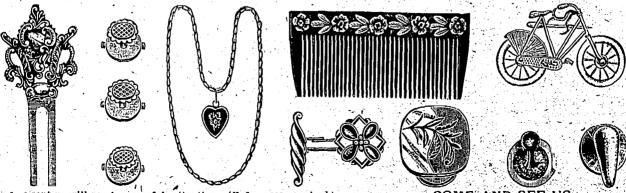
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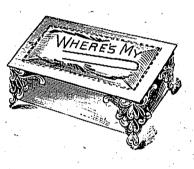
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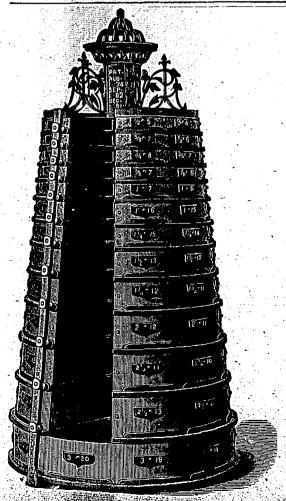
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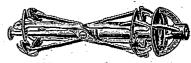
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-The Russian Government intends to coin next year one hundred million roubles in gold, and twenty-five million roubles in silver

-THE October exports from England to Canada increased sixteen per cent., and the imports from Canada decreased four per cent., as compared with the corresponding period last year.

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-Napoleon Coulombe, trader of St. Rosaire, has assigned with liabilities of \$975. He was only in a very limited way.

—The Imperial Privy Council on Saturday handed down a decision in the matter of the appeal of the city of Toronto against the peddlers, dismissing the appeal with costs to the appellant.

MR. R. LaTouche Tupper thinks that the Selkirk hatchery will be kept in operation all winter, notwithstanding that the number of eggs is not so great as last year.

-A GENTLEMAN who has travelled recently through all parts of Southern Manitoba, estimates there are 200,000 bushels of wheat still in stock. The number of stacks in every district is

-IT is reported, and generally credited, in official circles, that the Imperial Government has decided to join in the establishment of a fast trans-Atlantic service.

-A verbict in favor of the plaintiff was rendered yesterday in London in the suit brought by Dr. Conyers Herring, of New York, for the recovery of insurance money on his yacht Mohican. The jury awarded him \$15,000.

-C. M. LAMPSON & Co., and the Hudson's Bay Company, will hold their seal skin sales in London this year on Dec. 3rd and 4th respectively. Formerly the sales were held in October, but the new regulations have made the seasons later.

-A WINDING up order has been granted for the Montreal Stave & Barrel Co., which was started in this city in February 1803. They do not seem to have been able to secure sufficient trade to mak: it pay.

-Joseph Fyre, general storekeeper of Midland, Ont. has assigned. He was formerly at Barrie where he was unsuccessful in '93 and finally effected a settlement. He has since had uphill work in face of dull trade.

-Twenty St. John Street Railway bonds, per value \$100 each, were sold at auction for eighty per cent. The incorporators are Montreal men and a dividend of from 2 to 21/2 per cent. is guaranteed.

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-WATER in the St. John River continues to rise rapidly, and it is now thought that all of the 25,000,000 feet of stranded logs will reach the booms before the close of navigation.

-The liquidators of the Montreal Paper Mills Co., limited, have declared a second dividend f 5 cents in the dollar, open to objection until the 2nd December next after which it will be paid.

-Messrs. W. Hogg, James Dickson, W. T. Goff, J. W Michand, and Frederic Godwin, all of Montreal, apply for the incorporation of the A. M. C. Medicine Company, with capital \$45,000, in 200 shares.

-The Sherbrooke Telephone Association are applying to amend their letters patent, for the purpose of increasing their capital stock, issuing bonds, changing their name to that of the Eastern Township Telephone Company.

-MR. G. H. BRADBURY, the independent candidate for Selkirk, Manitoba, says that two thousand five hundred tons of whitefish are sold annually, principally in t e United States. He complains that the catch is controlled by American fishermen.

-The International Radial Company gives notice in the Canada Guzette that it will apply for an act to extend the Guelph branch to a point on the Georgiau Bay through Wellington, Dufferin and Grey and the Waterloo branch to Goderich.

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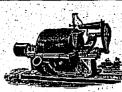
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announcement of the shutting down of the Eastport and Lubec factories has strengthened the market.

-The financial community were surprised to learn of the suspension of the banking firm of Farquhar, Forrest & Co., of Halifax, N.S No particulars were given; beyond the bare fact of the suspension. It is understood a statement is being prepared.

-McCracken, Boyle & Co., lumber, East Templeton, Que., already noted, are now offering 40 cents in the dollar-Wallace Campbell, contractor, Kingston, Ont., has assigned. He was previously a carpenter. He had very little capital and probably

-The preliminary investigation into the charge of conspiracy to defraud laid against George Elisha Alger, in connection with the Equitable Life Insurance case, was concluded at Whitby ou Saturday. Alger was committed for trial. The second case, against Alger and others, was also concluded, and judgment reserved.

LETTERS patent have been issued incorporating Messrs. A. & J. de Lorimier, of Caughnawaga; Stephen A. de Lorimier, Albert E. de Lorimier, and Eugene H Godin, of Montreal, under

the name of "The Northern Lumber Company," with a total capital stock of \$20,000, divided into 200 shares of \$100 each.

An action has been instituted for \$10,000, against the Perrault Printing Company, for balance of salary and damages, for breach of contract with Mr. A. B. Chaffee, their managing director, against whom the company took an action in July, 1804, which was dismissed, with costs, by Mr. Justice Davidson.

-Our correspondent at Kingsville, Ont., writes that Thomas Johnston whose foundry was lately burned, no insurance has been again rebuilt and now in operation. A number of new businesses have been opened up lately. S. H. Guest has opened up a boot and shoe business. Theron Barnes has started a drug business, E. T. B. Cornell has opened a new grocery store.

-Mrs. E. Morris, general store, Burin, Nfld., has had an insolvency declaration applied for. Her liabilities are \$5,900. She was reported to be in comfortable circumstances, but the general depression no doubt affected her. - Chas. Butler, grocer, Harbor Grace, Nfid., is endeavoring to effect a compromise. He started in the fall of '92, but did only in a small trade.

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—The current year has proved disastrous to companies transacting hall insurance in France, and the shares of the two leading offices have fallon very considerably from the high level they attained a year ago. In 1894 a very large profit was realized, and 1893 was also favorable, but the past season shows that the results from this branch of insurance business are most uncertain.

—A commany has been formed in Japan with the object of establishing a regular line of steamers between Kobe and Yokohama and Mexico, in connection with the Tehuantepec Railway, which will bring down cotton from the Gulf and the States. The Osaka Cotton Spinning Company is said to be at the head of the enterprise, for which a subsidy has been promised by the Japaness Government.

—Masses, Louis Tourville, Horace Archambault, Ald. Prefontaine, E. N. St. Jean, J. C. Robert, and M. E. Dansereau, ask to be incorporated under the name of "The Dominion Publishing Company." The object of the company is the publication of newspapers, fashions, engravings, general printing, and publishing, etc. The principal place of business of the company will be in Moutreal. Its capital will be \$10,000, divided into 100 shares.

-Nortce appears in this week's Ontario Guzette of the Ottawa Novelty Co., Limited, with a total capital stock of \$10,000, to

manufacture and deal in lamps, lamp brackets, electroliers, general fancy goods, etc.; the members of the company being: L. K. McLaurin of East Templeton, and A. E. Schyer, W. B. Hitchcock, M. J. Hitchcock and H. T. Sayers, Ottawa.

—It is generally remarked that the Canadlau Pacific railway is proving equal to the occasion in moving the vast amount of wheat that is being sent out from Manitoba. No delays of any consequence are being experienced and the movement of wheat is still heavy. Over 4,500,000 bushels have been sent out of Fort William this season, and nearly 8,000,000 bushels have been taken from the farmers' hands.

The Chicago & Lake Superior Railroad Company, behind which the Canadian Pacific is said to be working, is building a new line into Chicago to connect with the Soo line at Lake Superior. This will give Chicago another route to the Pacific coast. The construction of the new branch has already begun. It is said that sufficient bonds to prosecute this end of the work have been issued and taken up. The bonds are in denominations of \$100, \$300 and \$500.

—The October statement of railroad gross earnings is by far the best in the present upward movement, and reflects the improvement in conditions—the large crops, the revival of business activity and the heavy grain movement. The statement is very

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-THE lumber cut on the Restigouche this year will, it is expected, be slightly short of last year, which was between twelve million and fourteen million. There were some logs hung up in the smaller streams last year, and if these come down next spring with the cut of the fall and winter, the numbers of logs available will probably be thirteen million feet. It is thought that the Muskoka Company will not operate on the Restigouche this winter, and that, perhaps, they will do something on Green River. In that event, their cut will come down the St. John.

-Unless all signs to the contrary fail, there promises to be a lively mercantile war between the large cigarette manufacturers. This is brought about by the fact that the National Tobacco Company, which is a New York concern, and the second largest in the United States, is talking seriously of establishing a business in Montreal.—It is said that if the National Tobacco Compauy does not open a factory here, as they now anticipate, Mr. W. C. McDonald will go into the cigarette manufacturing business extensively.

THE creditors of the estate of the late Francis Pelchat, general storekeeper of St. Alexandre, are likely to accept an offer of 50 cents in the dollar made on behalf of his nephew L. J. Parent who is to continue the business. They consider it more advantageous than a liquidation. Pelchat's liabilities are \$13,2 584, of which \$1,561 is privileged, \$2,276 for money loaned, and \$6,646 due to ordinary creditors. The estate shows a nominal surplus of \$4,379; but this includes bad and doubtful debts

amounting to \$5,755, and only \$2,513 is in stock and fittings. The remainder is in real estate, etc., which it is doubtful if it would fetch anything like its stated value.

-A special general meeting of the shareholders of the Dominion Cotton Mills Company was held at which was confirmed the by-law, recently adopted by the directors, authorizing the issue of \$1,500,000 twenty-year debentures at 41/2 per cent. The debentures will be issued in Montreal and London simultaneously at par value. In the report the directors say that their production and delivery of printed goods alone have increased from 87,000 pieces per annum in 1890 to over 400,000 pieces in 1894; that a further increase in these goods of from 60,000 to 70,000 pieces will be required for the spring trade of 1896. In addition to the home trade they have been shipping to China for some years past. The different mills represent 194,014 spindles and 4,394 looms.

James Bowles, trader, of Windsor Mills, has made an assignment at the demand of Messrs. Hodgson, Sumner & Co., of Montreal, the liabilities will amount to over \$12,500. The principal creditors are: Eastern Townships Bank, \$1,500; La Banque Nationale, \$2,200; Hodgson, Sumner & Co., \$619; Canadian Underwear Co., \$50; Alfred Small & Co., \$776; Kyle, Cheeseborough & Co., \$512; James Coristine & Co., \$305; Liddell, Lesperance & Co., \$389; Jas. Witham & Co., \$386; Greene & Sons Co., \$278; Gault Bros. A Co., \$385; Ames Holden & Co., \$138. Mr. Bowles was for many years a member of the firm of Bowles Bros, general merchants at Windsor Mills. When that firm was dissolved a year or so ago he continued alone in the drygoods line. He attributes his misfortune to heavy losses through the failure of two local mill-owners; over competition, cutting of prices and long credits. Nominal assets about \$16,000.

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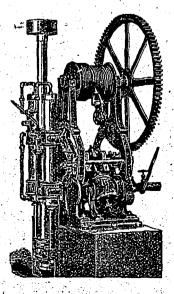
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—Mr. R. B. Smith, late cutter for Currie & Co. of Sarnia has opened up a gents' furnishings and merchant tailoring store here. Two handsome new brick hotels are under way.

-OPERATIONS at the Clendinneng foundry, St. Henri suburbs, were practically suspended at the close of last week. As nearly 300 hands had been employed during normal working times, the closing-down cannot fail to bear hardly upon a large number of families the coming winter. The 75 to 100 hands employed latterly-during the superintendency of Mr. John Livingstone, accountant, acting for the People's Bank-were duly notified of the stoppage last week, and there are now only some twenty hands in the premises. The agreement with the corporation of St. Henri, covering a nominal bonus value of \$33,000, already referred to in these columns, has consequently become a liability of the estate. It is to be regretted that some means had not been devised by which the foundry could be kept alive-a running concern.

-MR. C. C. JAMES, Secretary of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, has issued a bulletin giving the final estimate of yields of crops in Ontario for the year 1894, which are based on actual threshing returns reported to the Bureau of Industries by correspondents. Briefly summarized the report is as follows :-The poor hay crop of 1895 is the most important item in farm production. There was a dropping off from 1894 of over 1,700,000 This deficiency represents a loss greater than the value of the entire wheat crop of the province. There has been a shortage of straw also. The corn crop, however, has been extraordinarily large, and in many cases will help to make up for the loss of coarser fodder. The grain crops have turned out better than was at one time anticipated, all being well up to the average, Fall wheat has turned out fair, spring wheat about the average corn away above the average, barley fair in quantity, oats an extraordinary crop, peas fair, potatoes an exceptionally large crop, roots fair, clover seed almost a failure, buckwheat over the average and beans very good.

-California London layer raisins, having been packed more argely this year than formerly, have been and stil are in liberal supply. Large shipments were made to Eastern markets long



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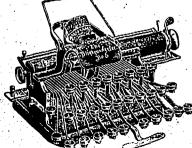
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before the time when demand from consumers could be expected, and urgent efforts to sell have resulted in a steady depreciation of values, until at the present the stock can be bought in New York delivered as low as the f.o.b. price in California. Last year there were no California London layers to speak of, and the demand for them was active. This season, in anticipation of a demand, the output was large, but the quality was not carefully looked after, and as a result there has been placed upon the market a good deal of trash, efforts to sell which drags down the p ice of good stock, which is in comparatively small supply.

-()un Bridgeport correspondent writes as follows :- "There a ea very few business changes to report in this locality, and no losses by fire to amount to anything. We have been exceptiona ly fortunate in that respect. There has been very few failures in business the past year in this vicinity in fact only one that we c n at present call to mind and that is B. E. Cheese, general trader. He skipped out some time ago leaving a host of mourning creditors. He is in the United States somewhere.-N. J. Munroe sold out his meat business to T. A. Fodder, who is now running that in addition to his general store.-R. S. McCormick is also running a meat business in connection with his store in charge of Alfred Viaito who was formerly engaged in the same business here. David Palfrey is dead and his business is run by his son.

-W. J. GILLIES, drygoods, St. Mary, Ont., has assigned with liabilities of about \$20,000. He commenced in July 1888 with a moderate capital but carried too large a stock and so became hard up until he finally had to assign-Ulric Vigneault, logs, of Brompton Falls, is effecting a settlement at 25 cents on the dollar with creditors.-Nap. Toupin, general store, Fecteau's Mills, Que., already noted, is now offering 50 cents on the dollar at 3, 6, 9 and 12 months secured or 40 cents in the dollar cash-Henry Foulger, grocer, Brantford, already noted, is now offering 25 cents on the dollar-T. A. Baker, tailor, Coldwater, has assigned. He only started recently, coming from Midland where he had been since spring and prior to that at Flesherton. He was always in a very small way and moving about does not seem to have improved his position-A. H. Brown, shoes, Toronto, has assigned. He has been in business since the summer of '94 but only in a small way. He had very limited means and competition and dull trade proved too much for him-The Bon Ton Clothing Co., tailors of Truro N.S., have assigned. Liabilities are between \$6,000 and \$7,000. Mrs. Janet McMinn has been doing business as above since last' summer. The business being managed by husband, who however was unsuccessful once on his own account and does not seem to have done any better on hers. They had very little capital of the ir own.

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THE INFLUENCE OF DEPARTMENT STORES.

The later years of this century have been characterised by, what in the language of the "street" are called, Combines, or, to use a scientific term, a centripetal movement. This has been shown in the most extended spheres of human activity, as seen in the unification of

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Italy and the founding of the German Empire (not forgetting our own Confederation) by which a number of petty States were effaced by being combined into a large political entity. The prodigious expenditures of life and treasure in the American Civil War were made to stop disunion. The efforts made some years ago to break off the colonies of Great Britain from their attachment to the mother land have only resulted in consolidating the British Empire. In the ecclesiastical world there is seen the working of the ferment of an universal desire for unity. International movements for the federation of labor, for the furtherance of science and other objects are fully organized.

In the sphere of commerce we have had great combinations of railways and vast aggregations of manufacturing and mercantile enterprises. The "combine" spirit is the spirit of the age. In a narrower sphere, but one of more importance to thousands because of its direct influence upon their fortunes, we have the same spirit of combination shown in the concentration of various trades in Departmental Stores. Just as in the larger spheres we have named, the modern tendency towards union is not an invention, not a novelty, but a renaissance; it is a return merely to more primitive usuages, and conditions. The nations of Europe, large as they are, are still only fragments of the Roman Empire. The large emporiums alluded to are small editions of the vast Fairs which in olden times were held at Stourbridge and Oxford, where annually for a month, there were collected goods of every class, from every known clime, and where the vast bulk of the retail: trade of England was done in booths that were the progenitors of the departmental stores of to-day, as well as of those international Fairs or Expositions in the great cities of Europe and America:

The general store in remote settlements is departmental. The division of the retail trade into branches in-towns and cities became necessary as individual capital was not equal to undertaking such business, except in small establishments, and public convenience demanded the distribution of stores at a number of These two conditions no longer exist. Capital has been so accumulated by single merchants, they are now able to concentrate vast stocks of goods of various kinds under one roof, and the facilities of street transit are such as to bring all the retail buyers within easy reach of the stores where such large and varied stocks are held. The buyers can now purchase in one store what a few years ago required a visit to a dozen. By handling such a large trade merchants conducting this form of business are able to economise in "running expenses," to buy favorably, and to do a

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cash business by offering tempting prices to cash buyers. They also keep up a constant "sacrifice sale" of certain classes of goods, mostly those of ephemeral fashion-after their day has lapsed. This being an existing, and developing condition of the retail trade, it is now a very grave question as to the future of the smaller traders. Those in the country are being wiped out or distressed by competition in near cities, to which electric as well as steam conveyances afford easy access, and those in the city who sell only one class of goods. and those on a comparatively small scale, are finding the rivalry of the department stores disastrous. These emporiums do not utilize existing buildings; they require large, specially constructed ones. This is resulting here and in other cities, in the wholesale depreciation in value of the middle-size store properties. We have only to walk along Notre Dame, St. James, and some other streets, to see buildings either wholly deserted where not long ago a large retail business was done, or let for temporary purposes or manifestly running down in value. Owners of retail stores are unable to secure desirable tenants; indeed, even tenants not desirable are scarce, as the poorest have something to lose, and they fear to open out in face of the competition of their departmental rivals. These vast establishments are running down and crushing the life out of retailers like a .commercial.car of Juggernaut.

The ultimate effect of this movement upon civic finances has not yet been looked at. The city assessors have gone on blindly following precedents of days when such influences as now exist were not at work, and recording store property values wholly regardless of their depreciation in the last few years. We venture to say that, with some rare exceptions,those most favorably situated—the saleable and renting values of the retail stores in this city have heavily declined in the last five years, and are certain to be on the down grade in the future as the business they might otherwise do becomes more and more monopolized by such vast establishments as now exist and are projected. We view them then with much anxiety as certain to seriously depress the value of city properties. They must also have a deplorable effect upon those engaged in retail life, by annihilating opportunities for individual enterprise. The store clerks will have little to work for, or hope for, beyond a life-long grind as servants in a big establishment. Any system which closes the avenues of enterprise to individuals, who have the ability and character to conduct an independent business, is a source of weakness to the community, and a source of waste, and of latent power.

We have grave fears, too, of the concentration of business in a few hands' leading to very serious commercial troubles. The founders of these vast stores are men of exceptional force of character, executive ability and long experience, and where lacking adequate capital themselves can borrow at very low rates from or through wealthy houses across the ocean-in Glasgow and other cities. The chances are that they will not be succeeded by persons as well qualified for conducting the business; men so qualified are exceedingly rare. It is inevitable, we fear, that some of the department stores will come to grief in time from falling into incompetent hands. What a crash there will then be ! To restrain such enterprises from cutting into a variety of trades we regard as beyond the function of law; and a war of reprisals is not very hopeful. But so far as they are affecting the values of store properties, we protest against the maintenance of assessments as though depreciation were not going on and values threatening to be further reduced as department stores increase.

We hear of the contemplation of departmental stores in some of the larger country towns and villages, really a return to the general store system which so many dealers have been abandoning for years past.

THE SALT FISH TRADE.

The salt fish trade, of course, felt the effects of the curtailment of consumption which took place in nearly every line of commerce during the summer months, as well as the drawback of the warm and unseasonable weather we have lately been experiencing. But now that colder weather is in sight the demand is picking up, prices are improving, and the outlook is certainly brighter for the dealers. Customers, however, make complaints of the curing, and it looks as if in some cases this had been carelessly performed, for in some instances the fish have evidently been imperfectly dried, and in others much over-salted.

Green cod is in fair demand with the market carrying only a moderate stock. The fish are of good quality, and the movement is quite up to the expectations of the dealers. No 1 cod bring \$4.25 to \$4.50 and No. 1 large \$4.50 to \$4.75. Draft cod sell at \$4.75 to \$5. The dry cod this season is of better quality than usual, with the exception of some lots which have been imperfectly dried. It sells at \$4.50 to \$4.75 per quintal of 112 pounds, and is still a staple article in the country general stores. For city consumption its place is taken by skinless and boneless cod. The former is put up in cases weighing 100 lbs. each and sells at \$4.50 per case. They are large selected fish, packed at full length, and beautifully put up. In cleanliness and delicacy they are far superior to the bundled cod, exposed to the dust and dirt of the warehouse and the ship, and in consequence have driven bundled fish out of the better class trade. Boneless cod are also daily

in greater favor. Only the backbone and a few of the larger bones are removed before the fish are cut up and packed into one and two pound bricks to suit customers, although they are called "boneless" cod; but the fish is so heavily salted in order that it may keep three or four months if necessary, that it is distasteful to many consumers. Another point is that unscrupulous dealers sell boneless fish which costs $3\frac{1}{2}$ to 4c per pound instead of boneless cod which is worth 6 to $6\frac{1}{2}c$ per pound and thus deceive the unwary customer. These two drawbacks have militated against the growth of boneless cod in popular estimation, but its cleanliness and convenience are so far superior to the old style bundled fish that it has evidently come into the market to stay.

Salt herrings are coming in freely. No. 1 shore herring bring \$3 to \$3.50 per barrel and Labrador \$4 to \$4.25. Cape Breton herring bring \$4 to \$4.50, the higher price being for large, bright, and well-cured fish. The supply of both Labrador and British Columbia salt salmon is short. Labrador of this season's pack sell at \$12 to \$12.50 per barrel, and British Columbia at \$12 for 1895 pack and \$11 for 1894. There are some barrels of 1893 pack in the market which are offered at \$10.50. But sellers do not guarantee the quality and the buyers must take their chances as to how the stock will turn out.

Smoked fish are moving freely, although there is complaint of inferior curing among handlers of finnan haddies. There is a legend that only one man in the world knew the proper way to cure a finnan haddie and that the secret died with him. This is possibly only a legend; but the fact remains that many grocers grumble at the quality, more especially as they are now bringing 6½ to 7 cents per pound in 30 lb. cases. Loch Fyne Scotch herring bring \$1 per keg, Nova Scotia Yarmouth bloaters \$1.25 per box, St. John, N.B., herring 90c to \$1, smoked herring 10 to 12c a box, and kippered herrings \$1.50 per 100, or \$1.25 in boxes of 60.

In fact the demand for all kinds of dried, smoked and salted fish is improving in spite of the number of substitutes now offered in the shape of fresh and frozen fish and fish products which are available in every city having ready communication with the seaboard, and it is evident that they still represent important adjuncts to the table, more especially at the country points to which so large a proportion of the output is sent. This year the enquiry is fully as large as it was last, and as the market is by no means overstocked, importers have no cause to complain of either the present or prospective demand for their fish.

The rough weather prevailing on the Atlantic Coast during the past week seems to have put an end to the hopes that there might yet be a fair catch of shore mackerel, and that the vessels at Block Island might take in some good fares. The prospects of a catch off Cape Cod, where the fish are expected to strike in about this time, have so far been disappointing owing to the weather. Of the vessels fishing in the North Bay only six remain on the grounds, the other twenty-four having come into Gloucester during the week with an aggregate of less than 2,000 barrels. There are ten vessels on the shore and about six in the neighborhood of Block Island. There have been comparatively few receipts of Irish mackerel in New York, but there is

said to be a considerable quantity on the way, which, however, may wind up the shipments from the other side, where it is reported little stock remains. receipts of salt mackerel so far this season have been lighter than in many years. The New England catch has not been so small since 1890, when but 15,071 barrels were received from the beginning of the season to November 15. This year the catch to date falls nearly 18,000 barrels below that for the same period in. 1894, is 18,150 barrels less than in 1893, and 26,234 barrels less than in 1892. For the past six years the imports of foreign mackerel have also been steadily diminishing, and, at Boston, this year were nearly 42,-000 barrels, or 65 per cent. less than in 1890. The difference in other years is not so great, but is still wide. Last year there were nearly 10,000 barrels more imported than during the present.

THE EUROPEAN WAR CLOUD.

The war cloud in Europe does not appear to be in any way dissipated. The Russian government has issued an order for reorganizing and reinforcing the divisions of their Asiatic forces stationed on the frontier of China, and it has transpired that the Celestial Empire has only paid a part of indemnity to Japan. The Mongolian has clearly outwitted the Muscovite. The proceeds of Russo-Chinese loan which was to be paid to Japan to induce her to evacuate the Liao-Tong peninsula were duly remitted from Paris to the Bank of England, to the credit of China, and every one believed they had been at once handed over to the Japanese government. It appears, however, that the Tsung-li-Yamen did nothing of the sort. They seem to have used the money for purposes of their own, and as Japan has not been paid she naturally declines to surrender her security. Some sharp dispatches have passed between St. Petersburg and Pekin on the subject, China claiming that she has until the end of the present month to pay the Japanese indemnity, that she needed the money for internal purposes, and that there is plenty of time to raise the money before the limit of delay expires. Behind this is the thinly veiled threat that unless Russia aids her again she would just as soon see Japanese troops as Cossacks in Port Arthur.

These prospects of an anxious winter have naturally caused alarm in financial circles; although most of the larger operators are now well aware that the bellicose utterances of the Russian press were principally intended to break prices on the Continental bourses for the benefit of speculative politicians. Still there is an uneasiness in Threadneedle street, which has sources of diplomatic information that no cabinet can boast, and the market for foreign securities is distinctly weaker. It is true that for the next four or five months Russia will be locked up within her own icy borders, and that no hostile operations are possible for her before the spring. It is also true that the British are a purely commercial people, that their government is conducted for business ends and not for territorial conquest, and hence they will endure considerable irritation before resorting to the stern arbitrament of war. Hence a policy of exasperation can be pursued farther with Great Britain than with any other nation, as the fire eating senators across the line are perfectly well aware.

may go so far that her national pride is aroused, and then war is inevitable. This is the danger that menaces Europe. Not that Russia is in herself a very formidable foe. The Russian army exists very largely on paper, as is always the case where the regiments are farmed out to the colonels for a fixed sum. It is naturally to their interest to have as few men with the colors as an easily hood-winked inspector will permit, and as the average Russian has all the Tartar instincts of peculation ingrained in him, it is only in the regiments of the guard that even one-fifth of the halfstarved soldiery who are supposed to be on the strength really draw their half-a-cent a day. What men there are with the colors are usually hired out by the colonel to the factories and farmers instead of being drilled and exercised as they are supposed to be, and they are only too glad to be allowed to do so for the meagre percentage of their earnings which their commanding officer permits them to retain. Such an army is not as formidable in the present days of long distance warfare and weapons of precision as it was in years gone by, and hence when the severe test of war is applied to so insecure a framework a severe defeat might be among the immediate possibilities. But it is difficult to think of war breaking out between Russia and England without involving the other great powers. If France should rush at the bidding of a Chauvinistic press into the conflict, Austria, Germany, and Italy could hardly stand aloof. Japan might seize the opportunity to recover some of the advantages she has been deprived of, and thus a general conflict would be precipitated. Such a disturbance of commerce it is somewhat alarming to contemplate; but, fortunately, its immediate outbreak is not likely. It must be the spring before Russia is in any condition to move, and by that time the tension may be over. But it cannot be doubted that at the present the situation is grave, and that it would take only a very tiny spark to kindle a general conflagration.

THE SOAP TRADE.

Some little stir was caused in soap manufacturing circles by a report that Japanese imitations of English soaps were being smuggled into the British Columbia seaports. The rumor had behind it sufficient backing to render it credible. The Japanese are excellent soap makers, as their feather weight shaving soaps prove, and that they have deluged the East from India to Aden with imitations of Pear's, Cleaver's and other celebrated soaps, is well known. In fact it is not uncommon for buyers to prefer the Japanese imitation to the genuine article. But that it is being imported into this country is dubious, unless it is smuggled; for although we receive soaps from Australia and China there is no mention made in the customs returns of soaps from Japan, unless they masquerade under the name of English soaps imported by way of the land of the chrysanthemum, and this is hardly likely, for our total imports from Japan last year were valued at \$1,-411,568 of which \$1,247,080 was represented by free goods, principally teas, and as the duties on soaps are 2 cents per lb. for Castile, 1 cent for cotton seed oil soap and 35 per cent. ad valorem for all other soaps (except harness soaps which are 25 per cent.) it is evident that only a very small proportion of the \$53,214 worth of duty levied on Japanese goods could possibly But there is always danger that her assailants have applied to soaps. If any came in, therefore, they

must have been smuggled, and that smuggling of soap can be carried on to any great extent on the British Columbian coast is hardly likely in face of the activity of our customs officials. Soap is too bulky in proportion to its value to attract the attention of smugglers, and had any large quantity been brought in some of it would surely have made its appearance in the Eastern markets.

Canada makes most of the soaps in domestic use within her own borders, but that our factories cannot yet supply the whole demand is shown by the fact that during the past fiscal year we imported 2,160,535 pounds of soaps valued at \$164,061. Of course the leader was the common yellow or brown unperfumed soap, of which we received 873,819 pounds valued at \$45,757. Of this 645,413 pounds came Great Britain, and 135,955 pounds from the United States. Next in importance is castile soap which is imported principally from France. Of the 457,379 pounds of this soap landed at Canadian ports during the year 255,232 pounds came from France, 48,891 pounds from Great Britain, and 49,283 pounds from the United States. Our soap powders, pumice, and mineral soaps, come almost entirely from the United States. Out of the 743,670 pounds imported during 1894, no less than 676,231 pounds came from across the border, and only 53,432 pounds from across the Atlantic. Harness and soft soaps are also imported in small quantities, and last year we purchased abroad 138,353 pounds of perfumed toilet soap of which 71,923 pounds were from England and 52,459 pounds from the United States. We also buy abroad a large proportion of the ingredients for soap making. Thus the United States supplied us with 938,814 pounds of tallow and 663,664 gallons of refined cotton seed oil during the past fiscal year, while the necessary alkalis, perfumes, etc., come largely from European points. In fact the soap manufacturers of Canada contribute largely to the revenue, although owing to the low value of the products they import, the returns they make to the government are light in proportion to the mass of material they use.

At present Canadian soaps share in the general dullness of the market, and sales of late have been within Competition is also very keen. In narrow limits. fact there are not wanting those who say the business is overdone, despite the evidence of soap imports to the contrary. There are in Canada, according to the last census, 95 soap factories with a capital of \$1,027,529, paying out annually \$204,623 in wages and having an output valued at \$2,151,910. This is certainly a large number: but with the steady increase in population and the gradual return of prosperity resulting from a good harvest, it is hoped that the demand will improve until it not only overtakes production but exceeds it to a sufficient extent to warrant the maintenance of prices and abolish the present too prevalent practice of cutting, more especially as the quality of Canadian made soap, both laundry and toilet, is equal to that of any other soap in the world.

THE PRICES OF HORSE FEED.

When the trolley car and the bicycle came into popular use it was freely predicted that the day of the horse was over, and that from a commercial standpoint that useful animal would become as extinct as his ancestor, the echippus. Yet we have now canal boats to wed by the trolley system, as well as horseless carriages operated by storage batteries, or by petroleum engines, and yet the horse is as much in evidence as ever. Certainly for some of the classes the demand is not as heavy as it once was; but the universal ruin which was to fall upon the farmer through the loss of his market for hay and oats has not materialized. Indeed the prices for both of those commodities are as high to-day, when the use of electricity as a motive power is expanding with unexampled rapidity, as they were in the old days when it was looked upon in the light of merely a scientific toy.

There are perhaps special reasons for the high prices ruling this year. The hay crop was a failure in Western Ontario and in much of New York state, while it was plentiful in the Ottawa Valley and in Quebec. Nearly 4,000 tons were purchased in the Ottawa Valley on Western account by one house alone, at prices ruling from \$9 to \$10 delivered at the car side, and in this market prices are very firm under an export demand that would be larger were there cars available to move the hay. Sales of No. 1 hay have been made in this province at \$11.50 at country points, and holders are demanding \$12 f.o.b. cars, while in parts of the West the price has risen to \$14. Locally prices are \$12 to \$12.50 for No. 1 and \$11 to \$11.50 for No. 2 hay, and in Eastern Ontario sales have been made at \$11.50.

In the United States the market holds up firmly under heavy receipts. Good hay in large bales is scarce, and eagerly looked for. Clover is also strong in view of the fact that the canals are virtually closed to hay and clover at this season and because storms and poor roads may reduce the receipts of hay at country purchasing points. No. 1 Timothy is quoted at \$17, No. 2 at \$16, No. 3 \$14 to \$15, mixed clover \$14 to \$15, and clover at \$12 to \$14. As 65 per cent of the hay received in New York last week came from Canada, these prices are of interest to our farmers. In England the demand is also fair, although Dutch hay and French clover are steadily working out Canadian hay. The Dutch can place good hay on the English market at 55s to 67s 6d while for Canadian hay of fair average quality 70s is asked in London. French clover is also cheaper than our own and sells in the same market at 60s to 90s as to quality.

Oats are certainly a little cheaper this year. No. 2 oats rule at 30½ to 31c against 34½ to 35c at this time last year. But this is due simply to the large crop and heavy offerings and not to any falling off in the consumption. In fact it is evident that so far this city is concerned, as many horses are kept as ever; for the demand for all kinds of feed in brisk and price s firmly maintained. The use of electricity and the bicycle has apparently made no difference whatsoever in the market, and the farmer is receiving, proportionately, just as good prices for his hay and oats to-day as he was when the horse formed practically the sole motive power in city transportation.

LAST YEARS' TRADE.

The revised figures for last year's trade have been compiled, and show, as the monthly statements have already demonstrated, that Canada's trade, during the period of general depression, was better than any other year's business since Confederation, except 1892-3 and 1894. Only once before has the balance of trade been in our favor. In 1880 the exports of Canada exceeded the imports by about \$1,500,000; in 1895 the excess of exports over imports was nearly three million. Since Confederation we have spent in foreign markets five hundred millions more than we have received from them. This year the outside world bought from us goods to the value of \$113,638,808, ank we bought abroad goods to the

[—]Among the weeks's changes in the Province of Ontario are the following: The stock of Griffin & Wright (drygoods, &c.) St. Thomas, is to be sold out on the 28th inst.—Grant & Labelle are opening a shoe store in Gananoque—Hurlburt & Co., (lumber &c.), Seguin Falls, have assigned to S. Armstrong—Wm. Wright's flour mill, Bradford, has been destroyed by fire; partially insured.

value of \$110,781,682. The exports of 1894 were \$117,524,949, somewhat larger than those for the year just ended, but this is mainly, if not altogether, accounted for by the shrinkage of values in the world's markets. The most striking feature of our export trade was the increase in the shipments of animals, and their products. Under this head, we sent abroad in 1894, which was an exceptionally good year, \$33,040,407, while in 1895 we exported to the extent of \$35,656,394.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF COTTON.

The visible supply of cotton in the world, as made up by telegraph and cable to midnight on the 9th inst. shows a considerable inc ease over last year and certainly accounts for the recent break in the speculative market. According to the figures of the *Chronicle* it is distributed as follows:—

	1895.	1894.	1893.
LiverpoolBls	887,000	679,000	769,000
London		11,000	
Dondon	0,000	11,000	0,000
T'l Gt. Britain	893,000	690,000	778,000
Hamburg	32,000	24,000	10,000
Bremen'	99,000	69,000	91,000
Amsterdam	9,000	8,000	14,000
Rotterdam	200	200	200
Antwerp	10,000	18,000	8,000
Havre	255,000	263,000	299,000
Marseilles	4,000	5,000	5,000
Barcelona	38,000	31,000	40,000
Genoa	20,000	4,000	9,000
Trieste	23,000	29,000	23,000
T'l Continental stocks	490,200	453,200	499,200
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T'l European stocks	1,383,200	1,143,200	1,277,200
Indian cot. afl't for Eur	37,000	16,000	32,000
American	876,000	641,000	465,000
Egypt, Brazil, &c	52,000	38,000	33,000
Stock in U. S. ports	902,520	821,347	878,176
Stock in U.S. int. t'ns	325,574	284,265	276,982
U. S. exports	52,161	21,501	44,207
Total visible supply	3,128,455	2,955,313	3,007,265

SHIRT WAISTS.

Last season the business done in shirt waists was enormous and it is believed that next season the amount will be still larger. The general opinion of buyers seems to be that styles and fabrics will be much the same as last seasons. The main changes in styles will be in collars and sleeves. Fabrics that will be popular for early wear are percales, chambrays and cheviots, and sheer materials, such as organdies, dimities and lawns for hot weather. When to buy is the only important point on which there is a difference of opinion. It would seem, however, a good plan to buy at least a portion of the line early for the early season. It is reported that already some manufacturers are sold up to their full capacity of production for some months to come. Waists will be good property, and the merchant who has a fair supply at the beginning can better stand the delay of getting goods, which always comes later in the season, than the one who has no waists at all.

THE CEREAL CROPS OF 1895.

The United States government crop report for October is always looked for with more interest than that of any other month since it is held to give a tolerably accurate report of the crops as well as to foreshadow the final report of the bureau in December. The returns for the present month indicate that, in spite of the reports of crop damage that have been so general this season, the total crop of wheat comes within 36,000,000 bushels of the 1894 figures. In corn the crop promises to be the largest on record, the October figures indicating a production of 2,263,200,000 bushels, which is almost double that of 1894. Heretofore the largest corn crop on record has been that of 1889, which was 2,112,-892,000 bushels. The average yield per acre in that year was 27. bushels, and the acreage was 78,319,561, while this year the October returns indicate a yield of 27.6 bushels per acre on an acreage of 82,000,000. Later returns may of course change the corn figures, but the wheat and oats estimates are regarded as practically final.

Independent Section.

[Unler this heading will occasionally appear articles of merit with some portions of which, however, the editor may not entirely agree, or wish to hold himself responsible. Opportunity will be afforded for comments subject to editorial approval.—Editor Jounnal of Commence.]

WILLIAM CLENDINNENG & SON

This old established firm, the senior in which was successor to the aforetime old established business of William Rodden with whom ex-Alderman Clendinneng had his first experience in manufacturing, as an employee in 1852, is now with the individual estates of Wm. Clendinneng and his son William, the partner, in the hands of Kent & Turcotte, assignees, appointed by La Banque du Peuple. The Canada Pipe & Foundry Co., Ltd.; which is only another name for William Clendinneng & Son, the assets of the one being the assets of the other, is also in the same hands on the same demand for a winding-up-order.

Perhaps never before in the commercial history of Montreal has there been a failure that evokes so many emotions; there has certainly been none in respect to which the press has been more forbearing, but it is the talk of every depositor and of every shareholder in the Bank, a bank which has been brought down chiefly by the amount of the indebtedness of the firm. causing suspension on the 16th of July last. This forbearance is in some measure due to regard for Wm. Clendinneng, senior, his long public career entitling him to some consideration, but a large measure of the seeming magnanimity is really due to an assurance to the public in August last that measures were then adopted to avoid a large loss to the bank, and the creditors of the firm. The future will now make evident the comparative history of the wisdom then with the policy now; creditors are already anticipating the worst with a disposition to kick, and lawyers are asking, What next?

On every hand the question is asked—where has the money gone—and it is even said that the senior in the firm has asked—Where can the money have gone? There is generally cause in failures, causes that invoke sympathy; in this the element of disaster is lacking and the conditions of trade have been normal, the business affording a manufacturing profit, though not shown in the books of account; nothing to show the profits, nothing to answer the question, as it must be answered by any systematic audit—worthy of even the smallest measure of respect.

"The figures of record in the books are implications of unwritten conditions," were the final words of a report by me, as accountant, on the 23rd of Sept. last, and it is seen that the reports from the books suggest at least an indifference that extends to a number. Among the creditors there is a feeling that the censure upon those in the office of the firm is anathema to some in the bureau of La Banque du Peuple.

The creditors of William Clendinneng & Son and the depositors in the Bank have good reason to be indignant with men who were fatuously blind or worse, and who kept others in ignorance to their hurt and damage. The capital of the Bank was only \$1,200,000, yet William Clendinneng & Son were so favored with prodigal profusion that they are now debtors for \$800,000 and the prodigality with the money of the depositors had been always increasing through recent years, the strangulation of the bank being delayed only by the confidence of the public in the old and supposed conservative institution which was kept affoat by its offers of interest of 4 per cent. and upwards to depositors when other banks were paying no more than 8 per cent.

It has been said that the bank ran the business. Perhaps it did; evidently some one ran the business who was more interested in the dollars of the People's Bank than in the sales of stoves or the other goods manufactured, for it does not appear from the books that there was business enough to employ \$800,000 besides the Capital of the firm and the ac-

cumulating profits from the business. The sales showed no use for money in such large amounts thus :-

1898 Sales of Goods, Stoves, C. I. Pipes, Repairs etc. \$293,432.88 1894 do do do 224,427.79 1895 do 8 months 101,610.32

True, the debit side of the Merchandise account impeaches the said sales, for that account shows the following :--

1894 To balance..... 1895 To balance..... 658,406,93

And no inventory, if taken at any time in those years, would lessen either of the said balances, 33 per cent. That portion of the statement prepared to the 1st of August last, by me on September 23, reduces the said balance for 1895 by only \$195,801.84; and a reference to the account entitled the Canada Pipe & Foundry Co. which is an adjunct of Merchandise account, when divested of Cash entries therein, leaves another large discrepancy in respect to merchandise.

The bookkeeper in charge is most respected. It has touched his feelings that public reference was made to the fact of there having been no balancing of the Books in about 14 years; and to his credit be it said—if creditable—that he was not bookkeeper more than the last eight of those years. But the public have a right to know why the debit side of the merchandise account was so heavily loaded, or the credit side so lightly credited with the products of the factory. It is said the Account was like chowder soup,-it contained something of everything, including the creditors "in the soup and inflated invoices"; it is not admitted that it contained the blonde hair of the cook or the darker hair of a French girl, but it is believed it contained quite a respectable variety - from seal-skin sacks to doublets, furniture and pig iron with "straight cheques for bent purposes"-thrown in as reckless of the gifts of Providence, or of the Bank, as the wanton who casts her pearls and diamonds in the swill-barrel, where the creditors may now search and ask-Where can the money be?

On the 1st of Jan. 1889 there purported to be at the credit of Mr. William Clendinneng's capital ac-

and the unanswered question is-Where has the money gone?

(Signed)

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BUILDING STONE.

A curious change in the character of building stone employed has been made since the modern system of construction whereby the weights of tall buildings are transferred to an or iron steel truss framing has come into vogue. Formerly it was essential that the stone of the walls of a high building should be capable of bearing enormous weights without crushing. Now it is only necessary that the stone should be handsome in appearance and of moderate strength, as it is used only in "facing" the buildings. It is indeed only the application of the truss principle to the framing of buildings, indeed, that renders the fifteen and twenty story commercial and industrial towers of to-day practicable, for to make the walls thick enough in the lower courses to stand the weight of some of the high structures, nowadays put on narrow lots, in many cases would be to use up half the area devoted to the building with foundation walls. The strongest stone known to American builders will bear a pressure of 24,000 pounds to the cubic inch. The trap rocks of New Jersey and the dolerites of Staten Island will both take this weight, which is somewhat in excess of the capabilities of the granites. Thus the granite of Rhode Island crushes when the pressure reaches more than 17,750 pounds to the cubic inch, that of the Virginia will bear 21,250 pounds and that

of Maryland 19,750 pounds. The strength of the granites of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont varies somewhat, but not greatly from these figures, and the strength of granite has been the quality that has most recommended it in the past. The strongest marbles in the world come from Lee, Mass. They will bear the weight of 13,440 pounds to the cubic inch. The marble of Tuckahoe, N.Y., will bear 12,950 pounds to the inch, and this in excess of the strength of some of the Fundy red granites, which are capable of bearing only 11,812 pounds. The statuary marble of Carrara will bear only 9,723 lbs. The strongest limestone will support 13,-900 pounds to the cubic inch, and it is quarried in the vicinity of Kingston, N.Y. The Empire State is especially rich n limestone quarries, the products of which are greatly valued for their variety of color. That of Glen Falls is jet black and will take a high polish; the stone of Medina, Albion and Lockport is of various gray shades, and there are cream and dove tinted stones found in other portions of the State. Some of the handsomest light-shaded limestone is found in Florida and the Bermudas. A most valuable property of the Ohio limestones is their power of resisting fire, a quality shared by the limestones of Northern Indiana and Illinois. These stones are quarried in slabs, and at one time in the geological history of the earth formed a part of the beach or bottom of the seas of the Niagara period.

THAT QUEBEC CASE.

There has been some little stir in leather and boot and shoe circles over the aberrations of a well-known manufacturer in Quebec, who is alleged to have disturbed the marital relations of a mercantile agent of the Ancient City. He managed to cleverly elude the writ of capias served upon him by the irate husband and, from the fact that he telegraphed for his trunk to be sent to Boston, he was believed to be in that city. at least temporarily. The damages claimed are \$25,000, and seizures are alleged to have been served on the manufacturer's accounts in banks, as well as on the goods in the factory A large number of hands are threatened with lack of employment for a time. There be those who wonder whether the rating (\$20,000 to \$40,000) of the manufacture of shoes is due to the intimacy existing between the families. A new copartnership is being formed.

BAY OF QUINTE NOTES.

The Hero is carrying large quantities of freight this fall. The King Ben is assisting her in the removal of the apple crop-The fishermen on the Bay of Quinte are still shipping large quantities of fish, principally bullheads, for which they find a good demand. in the leading cities of the United States-The Quinte Club has closed its doors and is numbered in the long list of defunct institutions-Woodcock and other game birds are reported to be very scarce, on account of the dryness of the season-The representatives of the different insurance companies interested were in town the other day and satisfactorily adjusted the losses which Mr. Egar sustained by the late fire-Large hauls of whitefish have been made during the past week along the bay. There were many on the Deseronto market yesterday, the price ranging from one dollar to two dollars per hundred-Work is progressing very favorably in the lumber operations of the Rathbun Company, There are now two hundred and thirty men at work in the shanties on the Moira River division -Twenty-nine head of cattle, all fat, went down from Deseronto to Montreal last Saturday. Yesterday a large car with sheep purchased in this district left Deseronto, for shipment to Bristol, England The railway transfer barge Osiris has been busy carrying apples to Deseronto for shipment over the Bay of Quinte Railway-Capt. Daly made a quick trip with the steamer Nile. He left Deseronto with a load of lumber on Friday and reaching Montreal discharged his cargo, reloaded with lumber and was back again in Deseronto on the following Friday-The Ayrshire cow, No. 21, of the Rathbun Company's farm, gave 9,1601/2 lbs. of milk in the period beginning with Nov. 17th, 1894, and ending with Oct. 26th, 1895, both dates included. This is a magnificent record-The Newburgh carriage shop is rushed with orders-Rankiu & Joy, Napanee, have dissolved partnership. Joy will carry on the business-The barn belonging to Collingwood Hicks, seven miles east of Milford, was burnt last Friday evening together with four horses, four cows, this year's crop and farming utensils-Another canning factory will be started in Picton-Mr. Dade has purchased the Potter hotel in Consecon-Two or three summer boarding houses will be erected at Stella The Hungerford creamery has received an order for butter from Montreal—Trenton is taking action with a view to securing a system of water works-About two hundred men will be employed at Newboro' taking rock out of the canal-Building to the value of \$125,000 was done in Belleville during the past season-On account of low water only two schooners have been able to load at Consecon this season—The Miller canning factory in Picton has put up a million cans of goods this present season. There is some talk of an electric railway being built from Marmora to Port Hope to carry ore-U. Wilson, M.P., has purchased the Hub hotel property in Napanee and is fitting it up as a shop-The Bay of Quinte Railway has been carrying large quantities of very long telegraph poles from Tweed to Napanee -A great many men in all parts of the district, have been engaged for the lumber shanties at Georgian Bay and in Michigan -Kingston merchants complain bitterly because so many residents of that city patronize the department stores in Toronto-Pittsburg farmers are agitating for a canning factory. Many farmers in that township are not marketing their apples. They are feeding them to the pigs-The water in Kingston harbor was last week at the lowest point ever recorded, that in February. fifty years ago. It will go down many inches below that until May next-Everything is buzzing in the sash and door factory of the Rathbun Company, Deseronto, and the staff find their hands full responding to the numerous orders daily arriving-The Deseronto Big Mill is cutting away, and will do so until the arrival of wintry weather-The Bay of Quinte Railway is carrying vast quantities of freight these days.-Mr. Close, Violet, and an other gentleman are building a mill for cracking feed at Bath. The site is D. W. Ball's old mill site—On Sunday morning a fire was discovered in the basement of the English church Napanee. It was extinguished before much damage was done.

-Louis Couture, general storekeeper of St. Francois Riviere du Sud, is offering 75 cents in the dollar, secured, and payable in three, six, nine and twelve months. He was formerly a farmer and had no experience in business when he succeeded to the business of the late J. B. Roy in 1893. As a result he became overstocked, his capital has gradually melted away and he is now compelled to appeal to his creditors-The Collins Manufacturing Co., of Toronto, already noted, are now offering 25 cents in the dollar-Edmond Belanger, drygoods, Quebec, has assigned. He was at one time of the firm of Vaudry & Belanger. He got iuto difficulties iu the fall of 1894 and effected a settlement at 75 cents in the dollar in three, six, nine, twelve and fifteen months. This seems to have been more than he could work throu h and he has assigned-The Sellars Furnace Co., of Toronto, has assigned. They lacked capital, and the concern seems to have been poorly managed-J. A. Gagnon, saw-mill, coal, etc., of Three Rivers has assigned with liabilities of \$55,000 He was at one time of the firm of J. A. Gagnon & Co., who failed several years ago. He then went into the manufacture of matches, next branched off into the coal business and then into a saw-mill. He seems to have tried to do too much-Roderick McDonald, carriages of North Sydney, N.S., has assigned. He had but very limited means-J. G. Miller, foundry, Chatham, N.B., is offering 50 cents in the dollar to his creditors. He was burnt out with heavy loss last month, -Thos. Deery, poultry &c., of this city has assigned. Liabilities \$27,000. He has been in business a number of years and at one time made money; but the past couple of years trade has been very dull with him and he has slowly gone behind.

Our Buckingham, Que., correspondent writes: "Life insurance agents have done lively business of late around here, about 50 \$1,000 policies having been taken out within a few weeks—The Walker Mining Co. are now employing about 20 men, 4 being engaged in mining and the balance about the mill preparing the plumbago for shipment—Renfrew, Ont., creamery butter is being brought all the way to Buckingham, and is sold there at 23c, an advance of 3c on ordinary price—Brumell's new mill is

to be in operation within a fortnight—Weart's saw mill is turn ing out about 30,000 feet of lumber daily, exclusively for North American Graphite Co., at present—Wm. Thompson of Thurso is lumbering extensively this season in railway ties above Buckingham on the Lievre—It is estimated that the MacLaren estate of Buckingham will cut this season about 15 million feet of lumber and that Ross Brothers, of Quebec, who have large limits on the Lievre river and mills at Buckingham, will cut about 4 million feet.—Farmers seem to be satisfied with the amount of rain we have had lately; plowing is well advanced; in fact fall plowing is mostly finished."

—The death of Robert Leslie Gault, of the firm of Gault Bros. & Co., this city, on the 16th inst., after a brief illness, removes from our midst a highly esteemed citizen and man of business, one who has been closely identified with the trade of Montreal over a third of a century past. Mr. Gault was, as to age, the senior partner of the firm, being in his 65th year. The funeral from his residence on Sherbrooke street, on Tuesday last, was attended by a large concourse of citizens, the front of the procession of pedestrians, taking no account of carriages, reaching the doors of St. George's church on Osborne street, before the rear end had left Sherbrooke street. The deceased gentleman's family and relatives have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement.

—People in the upper parts of the city will not want for drug stores at convenient distance. Nearly every business block on St. Catherine street west has its shop or two in this line, to say nothing of the department stores. The chemists are thinking of introducing other lines, such as fine glass and chinaware, the various best kinds of fine ladies' wear, gloves, headgear, cutlery, &c. W. A. Dyer, who was closed up a few months ago, after a hard struggle to keep alive, is resuming on St. Catherine street, between Metcalfe and Mansfield. The fittest will survive.

—We regret to learn that Mr. Samuel Davis, head of the great tobacco and cigar manufacturing firm of S. Davis & Sons, Montreal, is seriously ill. Mr. Davis who, until his present indisposition (an abscess in the lungs), looked more like an elder brother than the father of his stalwart sons, has the best wishes of hosts of friends for his ultimate recovery. His numerous and liberal deeds of charity have been always performed without ostentation—being, as an intimate friend said of him, one of those who does "not let his left hand know what his right hand doeth."

—Among the week's changes in the Province of Quebec we note that the assets of McCrae & Watson, plumbers, Montreal, are to be sold the 28th inst.—Louis Solomon, a city tailor, has been asked to assign; Walter Martin, a St. James St., restaurateur, meets his creditors to-day; and D. Stewart, a St. Antoine street grocer, has conferred with his.—The assets of Jas. Cuddy (dry goods) are to be sold on the 27th inst.

—London high-class weeklies who have been devoting much space to pricking South African bubbles, have lately turned some attention to home enterprises. Among them the "Lynotype Company" as known in the great metropolis, has come up for notice, and we are promised something more on the subject next week.

—MR. J. J. LANNING, assistant to the general manager of the Grand Trunk Railway, who has not been in the best of health for some time past, has for the last few weeks been confined to his house. It is to be hoped that the complete rest—which he was slow to take—may restore him to his wonted vigor and activity. The company can ill spare such men.

—A NUMBER of the friends of Mr. L. J. Seargeant, the retiring general manager of the Grand Trunk railway in Canada, have decided to tender him a banquet at an early day as an acknowledgement of the many courtesies they have received at his hands.

—The Merchants Bank of Canada will open, on Monday the 2nd December next, a branch at the corner of Notre Dame and Richmond streets (2454 Notre Dame street) the premises lately occupied by La Banque du Peuple.

—Among the large suits entered this week is that of Blandy Bros. & Co. vs. the Cauadian Prading & Shipping Co., of this city, referred to last week, for \$50,000.

.—Tue mining "boom" predicted in these columns has begun to make its appearance. New companies are being steadily incorporated in British Columbia.

	LEGAL RECORD, &c. Week ended Nov. 19, 1895. The following is a record of transactions and cases in our Canadian courts of law, comprising Writs Issued and Judgments endered for sums of \$250 and upwards, and Chattel Mortgages and Bills of Sale for sums of \$500 and upwards: Writs Issued, Province of Quebec.	London—J. Labatt vs. T. D. Hodgens et al
	November 18. Beebe Plaine—L. T. Carter vs. G. N. Wilkinson	Alnwick—T. Frost vs. Margt. & Walter Hicks
,	Duchesneau, \$400; A. F. Gault et al vs. T. Dupuis \$328; R. J. Wynne vs. W. R. Fee, \$860; W. L. Bond vs. J. B. Gronier, et al, \$723; P. Isseman vs. W. Jacobs, \$650; C. W. Lindsay vs. Dme. B. McDonall, \$300; Municipality of St. Louis de Mile End vs. Montreal Park & Island Railway Co., \$204; Whitlock Machine Co. vs. H. Owens et al, \$1,500; Bank Nationale vs. J. B. Pauze et al, \$1,986;	Galt—Balfour & Co. vs. Geo. Laird et al
	Banque Nationale vs. G. A. Raymond et al, \$4,852; Banque Nationale vs. Rev. A. L. Sentenne, esql. et al, \$9,644; W. L. Bond vs. J. B. Grenier et al, \$723. Stanstead—H. M. Hovey vs. F. Lareau	\$620; H. S. Howland, Sons & Co. vs. Reynolds & Co., \$444; J. Netter vs. F. R. Wilson, \$1,149. Note—Writ in last week's issue, under date 12th inst. vs. W. J. Shean & Co. of Owen Sound was for a declaration as to ownership of certain goods. November 18.
	vs. Queen's Hotel Co. \$258; S. Hyman vs. A. E. Smith, \$377. St. Mathias—G. Trouillette vs. T. Monost	Alliston—J. J. Foy vs. Thos. Morrow 969 Deer Park—R. Hodge vs. G. E. White 266 Emily—T. G. Foster vs. S. Faulkner et al 2,000 Manvers—J. A. Phillips vs. T. Eakins 1,287 Nottawasaga—S. R. Fleming vs. R. S. & A. W. Beatty 765 Ottawa—W. Lesperance et al vs. J. Gallagher 294
	Levis—N. Briere vs. J. Paquet et al	Peterboro—J. Lundy vs. Bridget Condon
	vs. B. D. Johnson, \$556; S. Elias vs. H. Shabond et al, \$977. St. Pheele—A. F. Gault vs. T. Dupuis	Albion Tp—J. Lougheed vs. Ann J. Nixon et al
	 Isle au Coudres—N. Lemieux vs. G. Dufour et al 1.154 Montreal—J. Legare vs. X. Boudrias et al, \$4,100; G. F. Benson vs. D. Phelan, \$310. Quebec—W. Blais vs. Jos. Lamothe, \$291; W. R. Michaud vs. M. Murtin \$250. 	Middlesex Co.—W. F. Rampf vs. London Mutual Fire Ins. Co., \$450. Milverton—Welland Vale Mfg. Co. vs. Schnenker & Rother- mel, \$702.
	Martin, \$255. St. Tite—Peoples Bank of Hallfax vs. H. J. Dery	Nepean—Mary J. Green et al vs. A. & Margt. Wilson
•	Lac Megantic—N. F. Bedard vs. J. N. Thibodeau\$ 256 Montreal—Chanteloup Manig. Co. vs. C. Berger, \$4,489; P. Brosseau vs. E. Demers, \$452; J. McDonald et al vs. J. F. Lemire et al, \$268; Dme. M. L. Bastlen vs. L. Pillard, \$3,690; M. J. Curot vs. Dme. M. L. Poirier esql., \$601; A. McLean vs. Florence I. A. Spragge exrx. \$4,392; N. F. Bedard vs. J. N. Thibodeau, \$256.	Toronto—Toronto Genl. Trusts vs. F. A. Bell, \$812; Burns & Lewis vs. E. B. Cheyne et al. \$600; M. Wilkes vs. J. A. McIlwain, \$7,477; J. W. Malloy vs. Jas. Mannell, \$312; W. Ramsay vs. Adam Miller et al, \$854; G. Brouillet vs. Tawse & Hawthorne, \$1,687. York Tp—F. W. Walker vs. C. Beckway et al, \$672; F. C. Tisdell vs. Alex. Cumming, \$250.
	N.D. des Neiges—J. Logare vs. X. Boudrais et al	Toronto—W. A. Campbell vs. T. W. Horn
	November 18. Ancaster Tp—Rebecca A. Wass vs. E. Oliphant\$ 468 Barrie—The Queen vs. J. C. Grant et al	Qu'Appelle—W. Campian vs. W. H. Bell
	D. Pruyn, \$1,400. Nissouri E—Belle Frendenthal vs. Charlotte M. McLaren 626 Ottawa—H. Robillard vs. A. G. D. & Mary E. Taylor & G. Powell, \$4,199. Peterboro—Standard Oll Co. vs. Peterboro Carbon & Porcelain Co., \$400.	Lake Dauphin—La Banque Nationale vs. McKinnon & Stewart, \$623. Winnipeg—T. A. Jackson vs. J. Jackson
	Smith's Falls—J. McManus vs. Mary A. Bisonette et al 620 Sudbury—J. Sage vs. J. A. Sharp	Montreal—Bank of Montreal agt. A. M. Featherston, \$980; B. Bastien agt. A. Guenet, \$427. November 14. Danville—W. W. Lockerby et al agt. W. H. Stockwell \$ 364
	Toronto Junct—O. Gerdau vs. G. P. Wagner et al	Montreal—G. W. Stephens et al. agt. L. J. Gauthier, \$390; E. Maryand agt. A. Robert, \$400. November 15. Montreal—W. Denovan agt. Jas. Baxter, \$1,661; R. Lamb et al. agt. Dom. Blanket & Fibre Co. Ltd., \$414; J. S. Buchan
	November 14. Chatham—S. A. Robinson vs. W. Gray & Sons \$ 340 Humphrey Tp—Nancy Mallory vs. James & Jessie S. M. Pullar, \$317.	agt. A. Lesser, \$346; J. R. Wilson et al agt. McCrae & Watson, \$1,609; Bauque Nationale vs. W. D. O'Brien, \$2,706; J. R. Wilson et al agt. Nap. Turcot et al, \$1,888 St. Laurent—L. Robert et al agt. Henri Frigon et al 510

November 18.	CHATTEL MORTGAGES, PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.
Montreal—R. Chartrand agt. Arthur Joyal, esql., \$734; A. Gagnon esql agt. Dme. Wm. Ousborn, \$807; Banque Ville	Ruden Doub Ruce to A Doub
Marie agt. Delle Eusebe Pepin, \$6,494; Elizo Mayrand agt.	Baden—Daub Bros. to A. Daub. \$1,200 Eganville—W G. Allan to J. A. Allan 600 Hamilton M Newmen & wife to Many S. Melloch \$500 F. R.
A. Robert, \$400. St. Sophie -S. Bell agt. P. Rea	Hannion II. Howman to wife to many b. mandon, addo, 2, 11
Novem ber 19.	Tobias to W. F. Burton, \$500. Niagara—J. W. Redhead to A. Servos
Montreal-A. Lecompte agt. C.A. Duclos et al, \$490; Dme. M.	Ottawa—L. Garello to A. Hawley
Snowdon agt. Oct. Duseau, esql, \$302; R. J. Wynne agt.	Parkhill—J. H. Laughton to T. Kenny
W. R. Fee, \$310; J. Versailles agt. F. McCool, \$341; A. Laurendeau agt. Montreal Stave & Barrell Co., \$399; F.	Woodstock-J. C. Walker to G. Foster
Tremblay agt. The Wm. Clendinneng Co., \$252.	Note—Chattel mortgage given by Ottawa Electric Ry. Co. should read Ottawa Electric Co)under date Nov. 11).
JUDGMENTS RENDERED, PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.	November 14.
November 13.	Brooke-Robt. Pieper to J. G. & A. B. Hay \$ 600
Cornwall—J. D. Ivey & Co. agt. Misses Massey \$ 256 Elmsley S Tp—J. M. Clark agt. J. O'Mara et al 509	Dunwich—J. A. Bobier to J. Bobier
Ingersoll—R. D. Malcolm agt. S. M. Berry	Kingston—F. Boyd to R. J. Carson
Lowell, Mass—D. B. McLennan et al, exrs. agt. Margery McDougall et al, \$8285.	Ottawa—B. R. Whitely to Ottawa I. Ice Co
Monticello-Bertiam Engine Works Co. agt. Clara M. Es-	St. Thomas—C. M. Arkell to Robinson & McDonald 810
sery, \$310. Ottawa—B. & S. H. Thompson agt. Jacob Erratt 506	Toronto—Mrs. Claire R. Cleave to Mary A. Meir
Owen Sound—W. J. Thompson agt. James Corbett 298	November 15.
Pembroke—A. Fraser agt. A. McCormack 11,007	Albemarie Tp—David Eidt to H. Raty 500
Toronto—A. Currie agt. W. W. Park & Co	Alnwick—J. Herrington, admr. to W. T. Fish
November 14.	Marysburgh S.—P. L. Fry to C. S. Wilson
Seaforth-T. B. Greening & Co. agt. Charlesworth & Co. et	Peel—Isaac French to L. Keating
al, \$628. Toronto—E. R. C. Clarkson agt. J. L. Hughes 320	Port Elgin—F. H. Wells to Ida Wells
Williamsburg Tp-D. F. Sutherland agt. G. H. McMillan et	Dunwich—Martin Baker to Merchants Bank\$1,091
al, \$823. November 15.	Grand Rapids, U.S-W. T. Lamoreaux & Co to 9,000
Kenebutch—Holland-Emery Lumber Co. agt. Henry Colclough,	Manitowaning—A. McLean to D. McDonald
\$251.	Ottawa—Louis D'Auray to F. X. Lambert
Middlesex Co—T. D. Hodgens agt. Bow River Horse Ranch Co. \$4,585.	Peterboro—S. W. English to R. A. Morrow et al, \$696; S. W. English to J. English, \$1,272.
Toronto—Mary Lellis agt. Mary Lambert, \$2,250; J. J. Walsh	Toronto — A. D. G. Hazle to Jane Hazle
agt. W. C. McCarthy, \$1,026; L. Swabey agt. H. H. Moore-	Welland—A. L. Poole to B. Spain
house, \$1,325; J. Ferguson agt. W. A. Morrison, \$387. November 18.	
Belleville-Lydia Lingham agt J. A. Barkley 305	Georgina Tp—Hannah Horner to Western Cau L. & S. Co. 2,657 Hamilton—J. Hanrahan to Grant, Lottridge Brew. Co., \$599; O.
Brooke Tp—Merchants Bank agt. N. Lambe et al 391	A. & Jennie L. Horning to J. D. Evans, \$650.
Lakefield—J. S Boswell vs. E. J. & Mary Quinn	Luther W—Rebecca & I. Jackson to J. Gillies et al 961 Napanee—G: W. Snlder to W. H. Snider 650
Tamworth—Sarah Bragg et al vs. J. Aylesworth 1,079	Onondaga Tp-J. A. Beuke et al to W. Harrison 636
Toronto—W. Sparkhall vs. J. E. Foreman, \$1,560; Union L. & S. Co. vs. G. B. Stevenson, \$1,465; Credit Foncier vs. T. M.	Ridgetown—A. B. Cameron to H. W. Lumley et al 1,327; Stratford—R. B. Montgomery to J. H. Hergott 500
Stephenson, \$1,824; Freehold L. & S. Co. vs. F. & R. M.	Sullivan Tp-W. C. Thomson to G. Thomson 1,500
Woodall, \$1,884. York Co-J. H. Cotton vs. R. B. Cotton	Toronto—J. Bain & Son to T. West, \$900; T. J. Best to W. Adams, \$12,712; T. J. Best to Cosgrave Brewery Co., \$3,755; J. W.
November 19.	Collins to J. W. Lawrence, \$17,648; J. D. Lea & Co. to C.
Baden-S. E. Moyer agt. Weiler Bros. et al 295	W. & J. H. Lea, \$1,000; Marchment & Haskins to A. H.
Brantford Tp-W. Buck agt M. Phillips	Sinclair, \$541;-T. J. Best to E. O'Keefe, \$1,927. Toronto Junct—J. W. Wescott to Cosgrave Brewery Co 2,005
Camden—B. Levin & Co. agt. G. E. Hinch	Note—Chattel mortgage under date of Sept. 17th, M. Pearse to
Detroit-A Gilroy agt. John Cond. \$1,399; J. W. Sharpe agt. D.	Ellen Pearce, should have been a bill of sale. Chattel Mortgages, Manitoba.
Watson, \$360. Napanee—M. B. Wagar agt. T. D. Pruyn, assignee 1,857	
Ottawa—Wall Stewart & Co. agt. A. Arter	Arrow River-Man, Cheese & Butter Mfg. Assn. to Hon. T.
Oxford E—Eleanor Vroman agt. W. R. Vroman	Greenway, \$500. Brandon—E. Warner et al to C. Adams et al, \$3,499; Jackson &
Toronto-W. J. Burney agt. W. J. McLelland 625	Co. et al to C. Adams et al. \$3,499.
Vaughan Tp—G. Smith agt. J. J. Cameron	Innisfail—A. W. Gillingham to C. F. Gigot 519
Zorr W—Trusts Corpn. of Ont. agt A. McDonald 5,427	CHATTEL MORTGAGES, B.C. November 14.
JUDGMENTS RENDERED, MANITOBA.	Nanaimo—J. G. Cameron to E. M. Yarwood \$1,924
November 13.	BILLS OF SALE, PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.
Winnipeg—Molsons Bank agt. J. G. & M. Denlson, \$824; Commercial Bank agt. A. H. Van Etten, \$7,300.	Picton—G. W. Walker, harness, for
November 14.	Picton—G. W. Walker, harness, for
Winnipeg-A. Templeton agt. J. Robinson\$1,611	
November 15.	Toronto—J. Barwell to R. R. Barton
Winnipeg—Campbell Bros. agt. J. H. Bennett, \$912; Lailey	November 18.
Watson & Co. agt. P. Brown, \$291; Schaeffer Plano Co. agt. R. M. Simpson, \$798.	Grand Rapids, Mich-W. T. Lamoreaux & Co \$10,000
JUDGMENTS RENDERED, BRITISH COLUMBIA.	Niagara Falls—J. S. McDonogh to R. B. Jermyn 900 November 19.
November 15.	Brantford—W. T. Wickham to W. Harrison 558
Enderby—W. C. Ward et al agt. T. McK. Lambly \$4,186 &	Collingwood—Chas. Denby et al to W. A. Clark 980
\$1,738. Nelson, U.S.—R. E. Lemon agt. W. Springer et al 975	Onondaga—Wm. Harrison to J. A. Beuke et al
JUDGMENTS RENDERED, NOVA SCOTIA.	St. Joseph—D. H. Jacobi to C. N. Grace
November 18.	Wellington—T. Garratt to G. A. Wellman 5.500
New Glasgow—G. M. Devan, grocer, for \$ 305 Oxford—Robt. Brownell, mill, for 1,118	Bills of Sale, N.B. November 18.
Picton Island—Curry & McLood Lob Packers for A84	St Tohn Vail Bros Jaindey for
Strathlorne—D. A. Campbell, G. S. for \$252, \$146, & \$304	BILLS OF SALE, B. C.
November 18.	November 14.
Halifax—Jacob Goldberg, Clo., for	BILLS OF SALE, B. C. November 14 Nanaimo—J. G. Cameron to W. H. Thumpson et al
Sydney—A. A. Boreham, drugs for	Victoria—T. W. Fletcher to G. A. & J. H. Fletcher, \$4,800; F. W. Weldon to J. Preston, \$1,500.
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Thursday Ev'g., Nov. 21st, 1895.

To-day being Thanksgiving Day the Stock Exchange and the other financial centres are closed. Our quotations, therefore, are based upon yesterday's business.

The features of the week in monetary circles have been the resumption of gold exports from the United States, and the hardening of money in London due to the collapse in Kassirs. It is now believed that the U.S. Treasury gold balance will be reduced to \$85,000,000 by Saturday, and the spectro of a new issue of \$50,000,000 gold bonds before spring is assuming a definite shape. The heavy importations, and the detention of produce exports in the hopes of better prices, are given as the causes of this unusual movement of gold to Europe. But even were the current to turn, and set back just as strongly in this direction it would not advantage the Treasury, as the U. S. Government has no longer any source of gold income, and can get the metal only by borrowing it against bond issues. This has given peculiar prominence to the sterling exchange market which opened strong in New York under a fair demand and closed slightly easier. Posted asking rates for sterling, \$4.881/2 for long bills, and \$4.90 for demand. Actual rates are : Long bills, \$4.87% to \$4.88; sight drafts, \$4.89% to \$4.89%; and cable transfers \$4.89% to \$4.89%. Francs are quoted at 5.17% to 5.16% for long and 5.15 for short; reichmarks, 95 3-16 to 95% for long and 95% to 95% for short; guilders, 40% to 40 3-16 for long and 40 5-16 to 403% for short. In this arket sterling exchange was firm. Between banks sixties were 9 11-16 to 9%, demand 10 to 10%. Cables 10 3-16 and New York funds 3-64 discount to par. Over the counter 9% to 10 for sixties, 10 to 10% for demand, 10% for cables, and % to % premium for New York funds.

In London money on call has risen to 1 per cent., and the rate of discount in the open market is now 1% per cent.\ In New York money on call runs at 11/2 to 2 per cent. The rates for time money are 21/6 per cent. for sixty days, 8 per cent. for ninety days, and 31/2 to 4 per cent. for six months. Commercial paper is quoted as follows: Prime endorsed bills receivable at 4 to 41/2 per cent., choice single name paper at 41/2 to 5 per cent., and good at 6 per cent. In this market call money is unchanged at 4 to 41/2 per cent, and commercial paper discounts at 6 to 7 per cent, Silver closed weak in London at 30%d. and in New York at 67 to 6716c for commercial bars:

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brief speculative flurry. Gas was the principal stock dealt in, and 7,535 out of the 13,100 shares credited to the week's sales were of this stock, which rose to 208 and finally closed at 207. Montreal Street was neglected and closed at its lowest point of 207%. Cable was fairly active, closing at 166%, or % under the highest price reached during the week. The remainder of the list does not call for comment. The following are the transactions of the week as per Chas. Meredith & Co., stock-brokers:

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	Shares	Hig	Lowest	Last
Montreal X.D	66	225	220	2201/4
Commerce X.D.,	30		140	138
Merchants X.D	31	168	167-	1631/4
Nationale	10	70	70	
Peoples	71	18	15	
Miscellaneous.		•		
Cable	2259	1671/8	163 14	140%
Can. Pacific	480	59	56	59%
Gas	7535	208	206	1863
Mt. St Ry	. 805 ·	209 -	20734	15738
Toronto Ry		811/4	79	
Duluth Pref		.101/	101/	91/2
Royal Electric	107,	. 181	129	129%
Mont. Cotton. Co	2112	130	126	
Dom. Cot		98	971/2	96.
Col'd Cot. Bd's	\$500	991/2	991/2	••••

MONTREAL WHOLESALE MARKETS Thursday Evg., Nov. 21, 1895.

Thanksgiving Day, and its accompanying blizzard, reduced the amount of business during the week to an even narrower volume than that reported at last writing. The hot, wet unseasonable weather which prevailed up to last night has been succeeded by a sudden plunge downward of the thermometer, and this, it is to be hoped will stimulate enquiry. In all lines of trade business has been dull and slack, although prices hold their own fairly well and there are few reductions to chronicle Cheese is in a more satisfactory position. The stock of summer makes in cold storage is rapidly going forward, and already more than half has left the warehouses. Butter is steady at the recent decline although there is practically no enquiry for export. Eggs are fairly active. Teas are quiet for the moment while the cargo of the Dalgonar is being distributed. Sugars -re unchanged, but with a firmer under-

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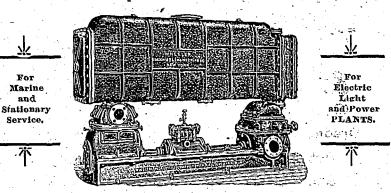
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tone. The market is bare of dried fruits and what few boxes there are, are firmly held. It is evident 4 crown Californias will be scarce all winter. Leather is dull, but heavy shipments of both sole and black leather to England keep stocks from accumulating. In iron and the metals values remain firm although the volume of business doing is very small. Heavy supplies, the poor quality of the stock coming forward, and the cessation of the export demand, have weakened the local live stock market. Petroleum is firm, prices higher. There is but little change in the dry goods situation. Wool is dull pending the opening of the next series in London. Money is still a subject of complaint. Remittances are both slow and irregular, and collections are hard to make.

BUTTER, CHEESE, ETC .- The most encouraging feature in the cheese market is the steady moving out of summer makes of which half a million boxes were in cold storage at the middle of August. About half of this has gone forward at prices ranhing from 8c to 8%c and thus the congestion is being rapidly relieved. We quote 93% to 9% for finest Ontario fall makes, 8% to 9c for finest Quebec and 8 to 8%c for summer makes. The cable quotes 42s 9d, which means 8%c here, but local buyers are confident in the future for they offer 8%c for Quebec Octobers and 8%c for Quebec Novembers. Butter is quiet and steady, with business restricted to a local jobbing trade. Finest September creamery brings 21 to 22c and Western rolls sell at 16 to 17c with dairy at 14 to 15c. Eggs are moderately active under a fair demand. New laid bring 18 to 20c, choice caudled 14 to 15c, and ordinary stock 11% to 12c per dozen. The market for potatoes was quiet and steady at 35c to 40 per bag for choice early rose in car lots. The market for beans was dull, and prices were unchanged at \$1.10 to \$1.15 per bushel for choice hand picked in car lots, and at \$1.20 to \$1.80 for smaller quantities. In hops business continues dull at 5c to 8c per lb., for new, as to quality. A fair jobbing trade coutinues to be done in talof which half a million boxes were in cold per lb., for new, as to quality. A fair jobbing trade coutinues to be done in tallow at 6c to 6½c for prime refined, and at 5c to 5½c for lower grades. The offerings to by to by to for firmer reined, and as to to by to for lower grades. The offerings of poultry were fair, for which the demand was limited, and trade on the whole was slow at steady prices. We quote: Turkeys, 7½c to 8c; chickens, 5c to 6½c; ducks, 7c to 8c, and geese, 5½c to 6c per

CEMENT-The arrivals of the week are 3,100 barrels of English and 1,800 barrels of Belgian cement, besides 39,000 firebrick. These are the last arrivals of the season. We quote English at \$1.95 to \$2.10 and Belgian at \$1.85 ts \$1.95 ex-wharf. Firebricks are in good demand and the arrivals for store are heavy.

CHEMICALS-Business is dull in chemicals and most of the consumers have already laid in their winter supplies in expoctation of the usual advance in the prices of all lines which takes place next week-after the close of navigation. Prices, meantime, are unchanged, with the exception of bichromate of potash which is a cent higher.

DRY Goods-There is but little change to record in the dry goods situation. No branch of trade is more susceptible to meteorological influences than this, and the warm wet weather which prevailed p to Wednesday night naturally had a depressing effect upon the city trade. Travellers out upon the road have done fairly well, and there is no weakening visible in prices. In fact further advances in domestic cottons and woollens are looked for before long and this renders wholeselers five in long and this renders wholesalers firm in their ideas. But the volume of trade is not large and the difficulty in making collections is still marked.



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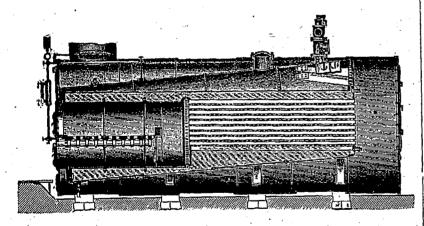
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FRUIT.—Fruit is tolerably active and apples are moving off freely at \$2 to \$2.75 for ordinary varieties and \$4 to \$4.50 for Fameuse. At the sale of apples in London 9,809 barrels were disposed of. Greenings brought from 8s 6d to 9s; Baldwins, 18s to 15s 6d; Newton Pippins, 8s 3d to 18s 9d; Northern Spys. 12s 8d, and Bostons, 10s 3d to 12s 6d. Oranges are dearer and we quote \$6.50 to \$7 per barrel and \$4 to \$4.50 per box for Jamaleas. Lemons run at \$3 to \$4 per box for Sicilians and \$6 to \$7 for Malaga in cases. Grapes sell at \$5

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GROCERIES-There is but little doing in teas at the moment although nothing in the way of Japans can be got under 13 cents. The SS. "Dalgonar" brought in a large cargo and this is now being distributed. Sugars are slightly firmer. Only for

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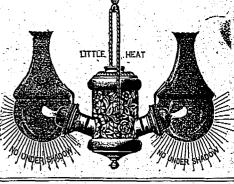
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lots of 100 barrels and upwards is the price of granulated 4 3-16. For anything less it is 44c. Yellow are 3 3-16c and upward. Regarding the "bull" talk in sugar owing to the Cuban rebellion there seems to be a difference of opinion as to the extent of its effect upon the crop. This year's crop is about a million tons. The new crop is variously estimated at from 600,000 to 800,000 tons. If it is as large a shortage as that it may advance the price of raw sugar, that it may advance the price of raw sugar, but the controlling factor in the price of raw sugar is the London market for beet, which is at present largely overstocked. Dried fruits are very strong as the market is thoroughly cleared out of stock. Valencies run from 4½ to 6½ as to quality. California four crown loose muscatel are extremely scarce and likely to remain so. They now run at 6½ to 7c with 8 crown at 5½c. Advices from the coast say that the packing season is over at this time, when packing season is over at this time, when

in ordinary seasons they are kept busy in ordinary seasons they are kept busy until Christmas. They claim that 90 percent of the first crop raisins have been shipped out of California, and that the crop is fully 1,000 carloads short of last year. It is also claimed that the pack of four-crown raisins will not equal 10 percent of the pack. Only a small percentage of the second crop raisins will be shipped, as the bulk of this crop has been sold to the wineries, who can afford to pay more money for the raisins than the packers, for the reason that the wine makers are getting nearly 100 per cent. makers are getting nearly 100 per cent, more for their wine this year than last. Letters from Leghorn say that there has been some slight improvement in the demand for candied citron during the last weeks, and a few lots have been contracted. for Holland and Germany at the parity of 30s per cwt., f. o. b. Manufacturers are now reluctant to enter contracts for for-

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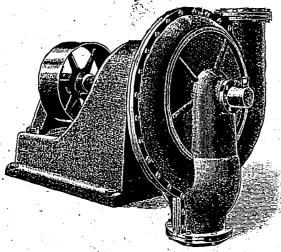
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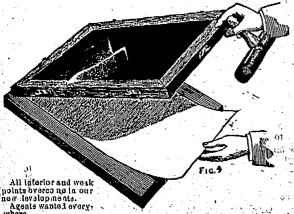
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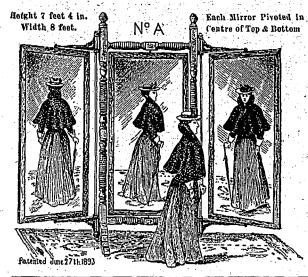
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IRON AND HARDWARE—The market is very flat and outside of some enquiry for tin plate there is, nothing doing. Values are firm, but the volume of business is small. English markets fully maintain their values and we again mark up prices for sheet iron. In the United States there is a duller tendency and there is an evident reaction toward lower figures, and a smaller volume of business. All branches of the market are practically at a standstill, but in some the only movement apparent is shown in lower figures. In Bessemer pig and the more finished forms of Bessemer steel the weakness has been most pronounced, and has resulted in quite a drop in prices. The entire market seems to be in a waiting condition as nobody seems disposed to push things. Those who believe that the coming year will bring better things argue that the present disposition of both sides to make contracts past the close of the year shows what may occur and that things are in such a shape that a small increase in buying may at once make a change in prices. Another hopeful sign is the apparent determination of producers to hold on. The lower prices so far have been made by brokers, as the makers of iron and steel still stick to the opinion that higher prices will be seen in the near future. It is evident, however, that in numerous branches of the trade there is some trouble experienced in keeping the producing capacity fully employed. It is argued that a dullness is to be expected at this season of the year, but the present degree of inactivity was entirely unexpected. The one redeeming feature of the situation is the large consumption of all forms of iron and steel now going on, and it may be that this is a lull naturally following the excitement of the summer.

Hides and Leather — There is no change in the situation in hides but supplies are moving out freely on local account. Dealers are paying 6c, 5c and 4c to butchers and getting a cent more from tanners when they can. Clips and lambskins have risen to 60 cents. Calfskins are at 6 cents, but as none are coming in, the quotation is almost nominal. Leather continues dull and unchanged, although prices are keeping up well. Shoe manufacturers are not pushed for leather. Most of them are taking stock, and fow have to deliver any goods before March, so that they can afford to keep out of the market and let prices come their way. The English market is really better than the local one. Shipments of some 1,000 sides of sole and a quantity of black leather have been made to the English market during the week, and more are expected to follow.

Li R Stock—This is the last week for cattle exports from this city and cables from England are firmer. Yet the local market is weak in the face of heavy supplies, the poor quality of the stock coming forward and the dullness of demand. The top prices paid for the best stock by butchers were 3½c to 3½c, and inferior beeves sold at 1½c to 2½c per lb. live weight. The receipts of sheep and lambs were larger than they have been for some time past, and as the demand was only fair the feeling was weaker and prices declined ½c to ½c per lb. Shippers paid 3c per lb. live weight, and butchers' \$2.50 to \$4.50 each for sheep, and \$1.50 to \$3.30 for lambs, which figures show a decline of 50c to \$1 per head since last Monday. Calves continue to be in good demand at from \$2 to \$9 each, as to size and quality. Cables from Liverpool report a firmer trade in cattle and prices show an advance of ½c per lb., as compared with those quoted last week. Best States cattle are quoted at 11½c, and Canadians at 10½c. Sheep were easier at 11½c. There were no Canadian cattle at London.

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where the necessity for shipping goods by water routes before the close of navigation has temporarily stimulated business. New glues are coming in slowly the weather having been too warm to admit of a large output, while the condition of supply and cost of raw material is sufficient to give a firm tone to the market. Still with a somewhat limited demand, with stock carried over from last season, and a liberal supply of foreign the market does not show much improvement.

Provisions—Trade continues slow and dull at steady prices. Canadian short cut sells at \$14.50 to \$15 for clear and \$15 for mess. City cured hams and bacon 9 to 10 cents. Canadian lard in pails 8½ to 9c, common refined 6½ to 6½. In the Liverpool provision market light bacon was weaker and declined 6d to 30s: Pork was steady at 55s; lard at 28s 6d, and heavy bacon at 28s 6d. Cash quotations on provisions in Chicago closed: Mess pork, \$7.95 to \$8.00; lard, \$5.47.½ to \$5.50; short ribs, sides, \$4.45 to \$4.55; dry salted shoulders, \$4.25 to \$4.50; short clear sides, \$4.75 to \$4.87½.

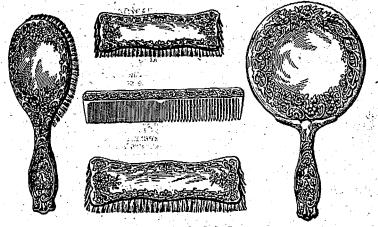
PETROLEUM—The market is firm and prices are higher. We quote Canadian oil brisk in sympathy with the rise in American. Sales are made at 14% in carload lots and 15% in single barrels. American prime white brings 18c, and astral and water white 19% in car lots. In small lots prices are 1 cent higher. Sales have been made of Canadian at the old prices but these were made out of stock which jobbers held before the advance took place. Benzine sells at 14% for Canadian and 22c for American in car lots. In small lots 1 cent more is asked.

Wool— he local market for wool is unchanged with prices firm and buyers awaiting the opening of the next series of wool sales before placing their orders. Up to the present the arrivals in London have been: New South Wales, 12,460 bales; Queensland, 14,509; Victoria, 21,307; Tasmania, 138; South Australia, 9,041; West Australia, 1,358; New Zealand, 14,667; Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 18,744. Of these, 2,600 bales of Australia and 13,000 bales of Cape of Good Hope and Natal have been forwarded.

TORONTO, WHOLESALE TRADE. (Revised by Telegraph).

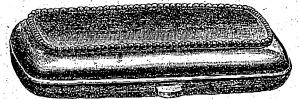
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Wholesale trade has been quiet and featureless the past week. The weather has been unfavorable and winter stocks have not been broken into to any extent as yet. There are no important changes in prices, but the outlook for business generally is not considered as favorable as a



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BUTTER, &c.—Receipts are heavier and prices a shade weaker. The best tub brings 17c and medium 11 to 14c; large rolls 14 to 16c. Creamery 19 to 21½c. Eggs are firm, with sales of new laid at 18 to 20c, ordinary at 16 to 17c and limed at 14½c per dozen in case lots. Cheese firm at 9½ to 10c for September.

DRESSED Hogs-Offerings are a little more liberal with prices easy. Choice

shippers \$4.75 to \$4.85, and heavy \$4.25 to \$4.50.

FLOUR AND GRAIN — Flour continues dull and irregular, with demand slow. Straight rollers quoted at \$3.15 but most holders are asking more and ninety per cent. patents are quoted at \$4.10 to \$4.15 for patents and \$3.75 to \$3.85 for strong bakers. Wheat is unchanged with sales of white and red outside at 69c. No. 1 Manitoba hard at 69c. Western freights, and 65c on track Midland. No. 1 Northern is quoted at 68c Western freights. Barley dull with sales of No. 1 at 44 to 45c is and of extra choice at 45c outside, No. 2 is worth 38c, and feed barley 31c. Oats steady with sales of mixed outside west at 28c, and of white at 23½ to 24c. Cars on track 27c. Peas steady selling at 51c outside. Rye sells at 45c, and corn at 34 to 35c outside. Bran unchanged at \$11.50. Toronto freights and shorts \$14 to \$15. Oatmeal \$3.10 to \$3.20.

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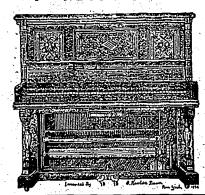
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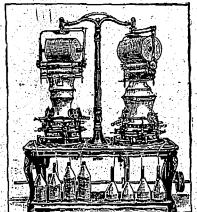
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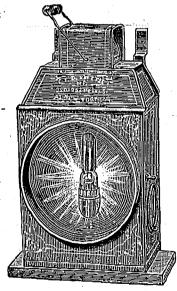
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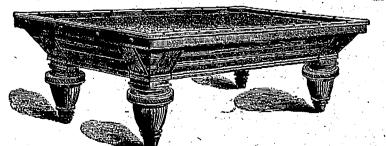
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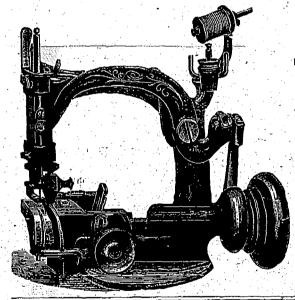
The wonderful progress of life insurance is shown in a little pamphlet just issued. In 1861 the total insurance outstanding in the world was \$1,195,000,000 of which \$850,000,000 belonged to Great Britain and \$177,000,000 to the United States. In 1895 the total was \$12,625,000,000 of which \$5,605,000,000 belonged to the United States and \$3,620,000,000 to Great Britain.

HOLDING THEIR WHEAT.

Stored in the farmers' granaries lies yet the bulk of Ontario's last wheat crop There the owners evidently mean to keep it awhile longer, to see what that course of action may bring forth. Their tenacity has already been rewarded with an advance of 12c above Chicago prices. Something better however, they believe to be in store for them. They look forward to a strong advance in outside markets, to a general hoisting up of the substratum of prices. At all events, for better or worse, they are carrying their wheat. This is noteworthy, not because it indicates infallible sagacity—for that remains to be seen—but because it is a clear proof that as a class they are prosperous. When the farmers have their affairs so well in hand as to be able to carry a reserve of a few million dollars worth of wheat without distressing themselves or causing any seri-Something better however, they believe to distressing themselves or causing any serious check to general trade, they must be well-to-do.



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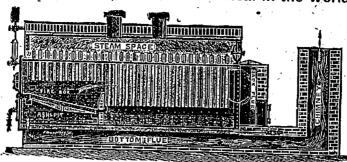
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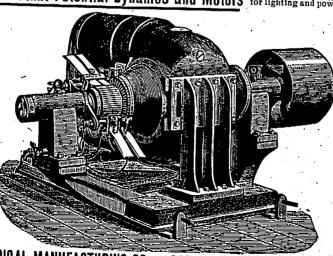
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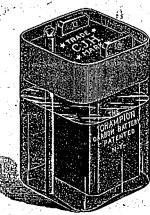
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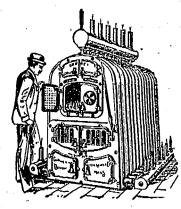
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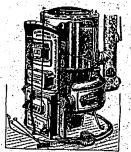
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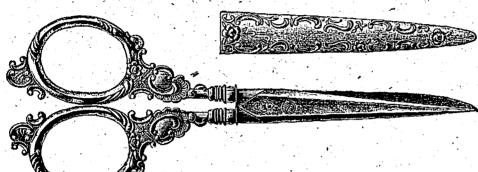
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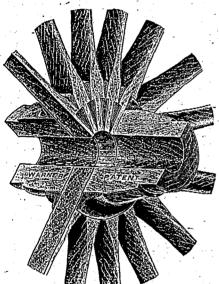
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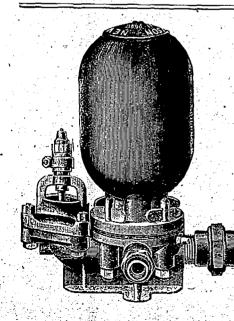
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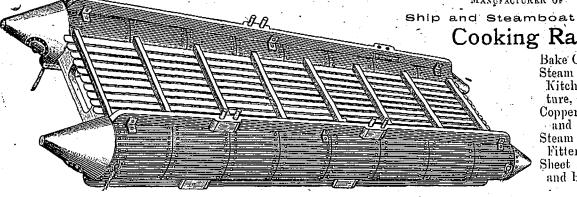
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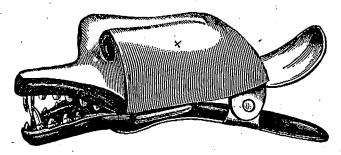
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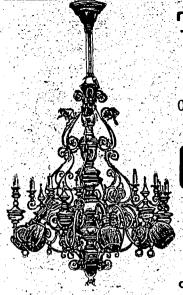
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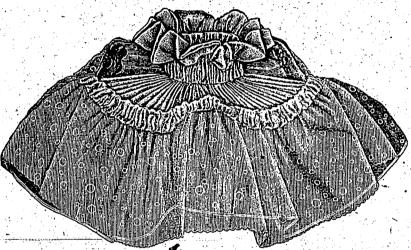
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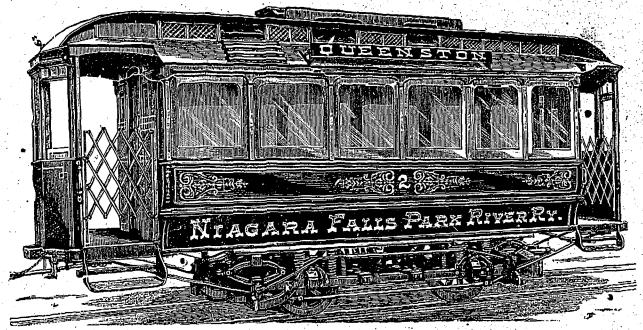
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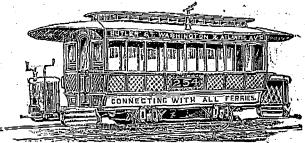


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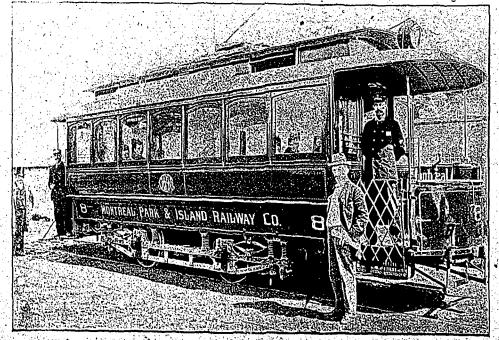
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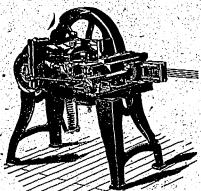
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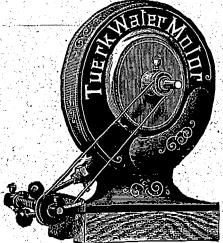


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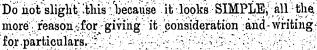
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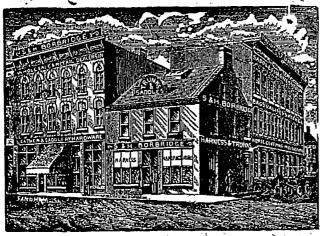
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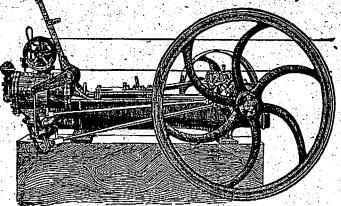
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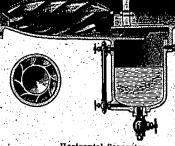
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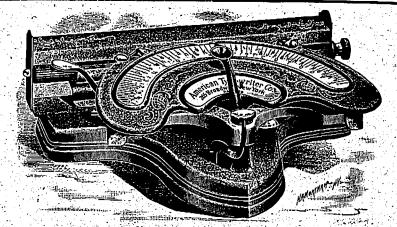
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