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CRAIG STREET,

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The Chartered Banks.

Bank of Montreal.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of

FIVE PER CENT,
AND A BONUS OF
ONE PER CENT.

upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution have been declared for the current half-year, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this city and at its branches, on and after

MONDAY, THE 1st DAY OF JUNE NEXT.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st of May next, both days inclusive. The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Bank on

Monday, the First day of June next,

The Chair to be taken at ONE o'clock. By order of the Board,

W. J. BUCHANAN,
General Manager.

Montreal, 21st April, 1885.

BANK OF TORONTO.

DIVIDEND No. 38.

Notice is hereby given that a

DIVIDEND OF FOUR PER CENT.

for the current half-year, being at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, and a bonus of 2 per cent. upon the PAID-UP CAPITAL STOCK of the Bank, has this day been declared and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its branches on and after

Monday, the 1st day of June next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st day of May, both days included.

The Annual General Meeting

of Stockholders for the election of Directors will be held at the Banking House of the institution on

Wednesday, the 17th day of June next.

The chair to be taken at noon. By order of the Board.

D. COULSON,
Bank of Toronto, April 29, 1885. Cashier.

Banque Ville-Marie.

HEAD OFFICE, - MONTREAL.

Capital Authorized, - \$500,000.
Capital Subscribed, - \$500,000.

DIRECTORS:

W. Weir, Pres., J. G. Guimond, Vice-Pres., The Hon. A. H. Paquet, Somerville Weir, J. G. Davie, C. F. Vinet, Ubaldo Girard, Cashier. Branch at Berthier. A. GARNIER, Agent. Branch at Louiseville, F. X. O. LACOURSIERE, Agent. Branch at Nicolet. C. A. SYLVESTRE, Agent. Branch at St. Jérôme, J. A. THÉBERGE, Agent. Agents at New York:

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THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.

Incorporated by Royal Charter.

Paid-up Capital, £1,000,000 Sterling.

London Office—3 Clement's Lane, Lombard St. E. C.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

J. H. Brodie, H. J. B. Kendall,
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Edward Arthur Hoare, J. Murray Robertson.
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W. H. NOWERS, Inspector.

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Paris, Montreal, Halifax, N.S.
Hamilton, Quebec, Victoria, B.C.
Toronto,

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CHICAGO.—H. M. Breeden, Agent.
SAN FRANCISCO.—W. Lawson & C. E. Taylor, Agents.
LONDON BANKERS.—The Bank of England and Messrs. Glyn & Co.

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The Molsons Bank.

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Capital paid-up, \$2,000,000. Rest, \$600,000.

HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL.

DIRECTORS.

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M. HEATON, - Inspector.

Branches of the Molsons Bank.

Aylmer, Meaford, Toronto,
Brookville, Morrisburg, St. Thomas,
Clinton, Owen Sound, Sorel, P. Q.
Exeter, Ridgetown, Trenton,
Hamilton, Smith's Falls, Waterloo, Ont.
London, Woodstock, Ont.

AGENTS IN THE DOMINION.

Quebec—La Banque Nationale and Eastern Townships Bank.

Ontario—Dominion Bank.

New Brunswick—Bank of N. Brunswick, St. John.

Nova Scotia—Halifax Banking Company and its Branches.

Prince Edward Island—Union Bank of P. E. I., Charlottetown and Summerside.

Newfoundland—Commercial Bank of Newfoundland, St. Johns.

AGENTS IN UNITED STATES.

New York—Mechanics' National Bank, Messrs. Morton, Bliss & Co., Messrs. W. Watson and Alex. Lang; Boston, Merchants National Bank, Portland, Casso National Bank; Chicago, First National Bank; Cleveland, Commercial National Bank; Detroit, Mechanics' Bank; Buffalo, Farmers and Merchants' National Bank; Milwaukee, Wisconsin Marine and Fire Insurance Co. Bank; Toledo, Second National Bank; Helena, Montana—First National Bank; Fort Benton, Montana—First National Bank.

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The Chartered Banks.

Merchants' Bank OF CANADA.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That a Dividend of

Three and One-half per cent.

For the current half year, being at the rate of

7 Per Cent. per annum

— UPON THE —

Paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution

Has been declared, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this City, on and

after

Monday, the 1st of June next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st May, both days inclusive. The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Bank on

Wednesday, the 17th day of June next,

The Chair to be taken at Twelve o'clock.

By order of the Board.

G. HAGUE,
General Manager.

Montreal, 22nd April, 1885.

La Banque du Peuple.

Capital \$1,200,000.

HEAD OFFICE, - MONTREAL.

President.

GEO. S. BRUSH, Esq., - Vice-President.

A. A. TROTTIER, Esq., Cashier.

FOREIGN AGENTS.

London—Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
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HEAD OFFICE, QUEBEC.

CAPITAL PAID-UP \$1,000,000

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AGENTS:—England—National Bank of Scotland, London; France—Messrs. Alf Gruenbaum & Co.; La Banque de Paris et de Pays Bas; United States—National Bank of the Republic, New York; National Reverse Bank, Boston; Newfoundland—The Commercial Bank of Newfoundland.

CANADA—Prov. Ontario—The Bank of Toronto, Maritime Provinces—Bank of New Brunswick, Merchants Bank of Halifax, Bank of Montreal; Manitoba—The Union Bank of Lower Canada.

A general Banking, Exchange and collection business transacted. Particular attention paid to collections and returns made with utmost promptness. Correspondence respectfully solicited.

The Chartered Banks.

THE CANADIAN

BANK OF COMMERCE

Head Office - - - Toronto.
 Paid-up Capital - - - \$6,000,000
 Rest - - - - - 2,000,000

DIRECTORS.

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Barrie	Guelph	Sarnia
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Brantford	Montreal	Stratford
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Commercial credits issued for use in Europe, the East and West Indies, China, Japan and South America.
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The Dominion Bank.

CAPITAL, \$1,500,000. RESERVE FUND, \$930,000.
DIRECTORS:

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HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.

AGENCIES: Brampton, Belleville, Cobourg, Lindsay, Napanee, Oshawa, Orillia, Uxbridge, Whitby, Queen St., Toronto, cor. of Esther St.
 Drafts on all parts of the United States, Great Britain and the Continent of Europe bought and sold.
 Letters of Credit issued available in all parts of Europe, China, Japan and the West Indies.
R. H. BETHUNE, Cashier.

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HEAD OFFICE, - MONTREAL.

Capital Authorized, \$500,000.
 Capital Subscribed, \$500,000.

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 Agents in London, Eng.: Glynn, Mills, Currie & Co.

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OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

Head Office, - - - ST. JOHN, N. B.
 CAPITAL PAID UP - - - \$3,190,000
 REST - - - - - \$40,000

Board of Directors.

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 AGENCY—FREDERICTON: A. S. Murray, Agent.

The Chartered Banks.

BANK OF HAMILTON

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED, - \$1,000,000
 Reserve Fund, - - - \$250,000
 Head Office, - - - Hamilton.

DIRECTORS.

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 Agents in New York—The Bank of Montreal.
 Agents in London, Eng.—The National Bank of Scotland.

BANK OF OTTAWA, OTTAWA.

Authorized and subscribed Capital... \$1,000,000
 Paid up Capital... 999,580
 Rest... 160,000

JAMES MACLAREN, Esq., *President.*
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DIRECTORS:

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 Branches.—Arnprior, Pembroke, Winnipeg, Man., Carleton Place, Ont.
 Agents in Canada, New York, and Chicago, Bank of Montreal, Agents in London, Eng., Alliance Bank.

The Central Bank of Canada, HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, ONT

CAPITAL AUTHORIZED, - - - \$1,000,000
 CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED, - - - 500,000
 CAPITAL PAID-UP, - - - 285,000

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DIRECTORS:

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 Agents in Canada—Canadian Bank of Commerce.
 Agents in New York—Importers and Traders National Bank. Agents in London, England—National Bank of Scotland, London.

The Western Bank of Canada.

HEAD OFFICE, OSHAWA, ONT.

CAPITAL AUTHORIZED..... \$1,000,000
 CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED..... 500,000
 CAPITAL PAID-UP..... 250,000

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

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CAPITAL PAID-UP, - - - \$2,000,000.
 HEAD OFFICE, - - - QUEBEC.

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The Chartered Banks.

THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA.

CAPITAL AUTHORIZED..... \$1,000,000
 CAPITAL PAID-UP..... 803,000
 RESERVE FUND..... 183,000
 HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.

DIRECTORS:

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 Montreal—Bank of Montreal.
 New York—Bank of Montreal.
 London, Eng.—The Royal Bank of Scotland.

THE BANK OF LONDON IN CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE, LONDON, ONT.

Capital Subscribed..... \$1,000,000
 Capital Paid-up..... 185,000
 Reserve Fund..... 50,000

MANAGER—A. M. SMART.

HY. TAYLOR, Pres. JNO. LABATT, *Vice-Pres.*
 DIRECTORS.—W. R. Meredith, W. Duffield, Isaiab Danks, F. B. Leys, Thos. Kent, Benj. Cronyn, Thos. Long (Collingwood), Jno. Morison (Toronto), John Leys (Rice Lewis & Son, Toronto), Hy. Northrop (Northrop & Lyman, Toronto).
 Branches.—Ingersoll, Dresden, Petrolia, Watford.
 Correspondents in Canada.—Molson's Bank and Branches. In New York.—National Park Bank.
 In Britain.—National Bank of Scotland (limited).
 Collections made in all parts of the Dominion and returns promptly remitted at lowest rates of Exchange. Letters of Credit issued, available in all parts of the world.

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA.

CAPITAL PAID UP . . . \$1,500,000.
 RESERVE FUND . . . 680,000.

DIRECTORS:

H. S. HOWLAND, Esq., *President.*
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Head Office--Toronto.

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 Drafts on New York and Sterling Exchange bought and sold. Deposits received and interest allowed. Prompt attention paid to collections.

Eastern Townships Bank.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of this Bank will be held at their Banking House, in the City of Sherbrooke, on

Wednesday, 3rd day of June next.

The chair will be taken at 2 o'clock, p.m.

By order of the Board,

WM. FARWELL,

General Manager

Sherbrooke, 28th April, 1885.

The Chartered Banks.

THE QUEBEC BANK.

Incorporated by Royal Charter, A.D. 1818.

CAPITAL, \$3,000,000.

Head Office, - - - Quebec.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

- JAS. G. ROSS, Esq., President.
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 Branches and Agencies in Canada.
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 Montreal, Que. Thorold, Ont. Three Rivers.
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 Agents in London—The Bank of Scotland.

LA BANQUE VILLE MARIE.

NOTICE

I HEREBY GIVEN that a dividend of Three and One Half Per Cent. (3 1/2 per cent.) upon the paid-up capital stock of the institution has been declared for the current half year, and that the same will be payable at its Head Office in Montreal, on and after

MONDAY, the 1st day of June next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 21st to the 30th of May, both days inclusive. The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Bank, in Montreal, the Seventeenth day of June, next at Twelve o'clock, noon. By order,

U. GARAND, Cashier.
Montreal, 21st April, 1885.

Loan Societies.

THE ONTARIO

Investment Association

(Limited.)
OF LONDON, ONTARIO.

CAPITAL Subscribed, - \$2,650,000.00
CAPITAL PAID UP, - 634,715.71
RESERVE FUND, - 509,000.00
INVESTMENTS, - 1,998,621.66

Parties wanting money on Real Estate Mortgages, Apply to HENRY TAYLOR, Manager.

Dominion Savings & Investment Soc.

LONDON, ONT.,

INCORPORATED, - 1872.

Capital, \$1,000,000.00
Subscribed, 1,000,000.00
Paid-up, 868,810.28
Reserve Fund, 140,000.00
Contingent Fund, 868.12

Loans made on farm and city property, on the most favorable terms. Municipal and School Section Debentures purchased.
Money received on deposit and interest allowed thereon.

F. B. LEYS, Manager.

THE PETERBOROUGH

Real Estate Investment Co.

[LIMITED.]

Incorporated 1878 by Letters Patent under Great Seal of Canada.

Authorized Capital, \$2,000,000
Subscribed Capital, 1,498,000
Paid-up Capital, 279,400
Assets 31st January, 1885, 1,150,000
Paid-up Capital held in Great Britain, 117,400
Debentures issued in Great Britain, 672,769.40

Directors in Canada.
MAJOR-GEN. HAULTAIN, late of Her Majesty's East Indian Forces, President. JOHN WALTON, Esq., J. P., Vice-President.

GEORGE A. COX, Esq., Mayor of Peterborough.
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Bankers in Canada—The Ontario Bank.
Bankers in Great Britain—The British Lion Company Bank.

Chief Agents in Great Britain—Finlayson & Auld, Writers, 150 and 151 West George Street, Glasgow.
Agents in Edinburgh—Ronald & Ritchie, S.S.C., 20 Hill Street.
Agent in Aberdeen—Geo. Allan, Advocate, 56 Canina Street.

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Loan Societies.

THE HAMILTON

PROVIDENT & LOAN

SOCIETY.

President, GEORGE H. GILLESPIE.
Vice-President, JOHN HARVEY.

Capital Subscribed . \$1,500,000.00
paid-up 1,100,000.00

Reserve and Surplus 133,028.21
Profits 2,997,129.64

Total Assets 2,997,129.64
MONEY ADVANCED on Real Estate on favorable terms of Repayments. The Society is prepared to issue DERENTURES drawn at THREE or FIVE YEARS with interest coupons attached, payable half-yearly.

Banking House: Cor. of King and Hughson Sts., HAMILTON, ONT.

H. D. CAMERON, Treasurer.

The Chartered Banks.

THE DOMINION BANK.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of five per cent. upon the Capital Stock of this institution has been this day declared for the current half year, and that the same will be payable at the banking house in this city on and after Friday, the 1st day of May next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th of April next, both days inclusive.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders for the election of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the banking house, in this city, at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 27th day of May next.

By order of the Board.
R. H. BETHUNE, Cashier.

Toronto, March 25, 1885.

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DIVIDEND No. 25.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of Four Per Cent for the current half year upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Agencies, on and after Monday, the 1st day of June next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to 30th May, both days inclusive.

The annual general meeting of the stockholders, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at their Banking House, in this city, on TUESDAY, the 16th day of June next. The chair to be taken at 12 o'clock, noon.

By order of the board,
E. A. COLQUHOUN, Cashier.
Bank of Hamilton,
Hamilton, April 22nd, 1885.

The Federal Bank of Canada.

CAPITAL - - - \$1,250,000.

DIVIDEND No. 20.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of 3 per cent. upon the capital stock of this Bank has been declared for the half year ending May 31st next, to be paid at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, and will be payable at the Bank and its branches on the 1st day of June next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st of May, both days inclusive.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders will be held at the Bank on TUESDAY, the 16th of June next, at noon.

By order of the Board,
G. W. YARKER, General Manager.
Toronto, May 1st, 1885.

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For Accountants, &c., see other page.

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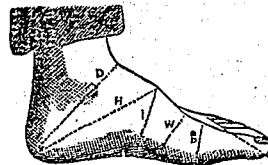
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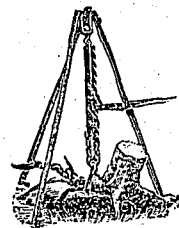
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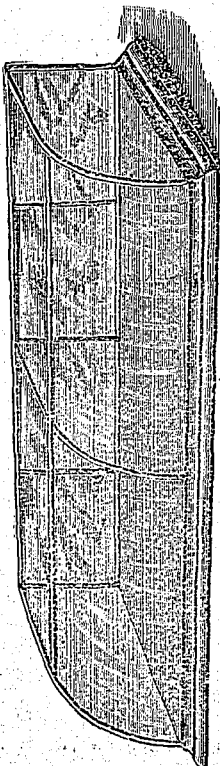
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In order to avoid possible misunderstandings, advertisers and subscribers of the **JOURNAL OF COMMERCE** should invariably make remittances to head-quarters, this city.

All remittances of subscriptions are acknowledged by change of date on address label.

A new daily paper, the *Morning Times*, has made its appearance at Peterborough, Ont.

The Canadian Pacific Railway are carrying large quantities of timber from Ottawa to Quebec.

Messrs. Belding, Paul & Co., silk manufacturers, this city, are running only about two-thirds time.

TRACK-LAYING on the last gap of the Canadian Pacific, near Jackfish Bay, Ont., was completed on Sunday, the 17th inst.

The Federal Life Assurance Co. is contemplating a call of three per cent on its capital stock of \$700,000.

MADAME ISIDORE BAULET, of Fraserville, Que., has compromised with her creditors at the rate of 25 cents in the dollar.

GREAT BRITAIN buys her postal card supply from Germany, the last order given the successful bidder being 150,000,000 cards.

The grain merchants of Orangeville are generally holding stocks, though they could for some time past sell to good advantage.

A REWARD of \$1,000 is said to be offered for the arrest of Robinson, the absconded St. John,

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THE Boston India rubber market has continued active, and 65cts. is now asked for new fine Para and 66cts., for old. Most of the shoe factories are in operation.

THE fashionable rage for donkey carts is such, says an American Exchange, that donkeys that can be purchased for \$5 in Wales sell for \$100 to \$150 in New York and at Newport.

THE number of persons willing to undertake the superintendence of the insurance registration office in Ottawa is largely in excess of the demand. The salary is from \$4,000 to \$5,000 a year.

AT a meeting of the Corn Exchange Association, of this city, held Wednesday last, it was unanimously decided to establish a reading room in the Exchange building. The movement was freely subscribed to.

TWO fine vessels were launched at Levis, opposite Quebec, a few days ago. The Cambria, from the yard of Mr. Sanson, is a bark of 1,313 tons; and the Cheshire, from the yard of Mr. Charland, is also a bark rig of 1,354 tons.

THE assessment of Dundas, Ont., is \$995,700; population 3,768. There is an increase of \$12,980 in the assessment, and a decrease of 73 in population compared with 1884, the latter due probably to dullness in the local cotton and shoddy mills.

Messrs. Bower, Porter & Bower, Kemptville, Ont., are settling with their creditors at 45 cents in the dollar in five equal instalments, payable in 3, 6, 9, 12 and 15 months, without interest, the notes to date from 1st June and the last three to be endorsed.

H. J. Squires, who while yet in his minor

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ity started a small grocery and fancy goods business at Warkworth, Ont., about three years ago, is now troubled with the presence of the bailiff.—M. M. Sanson, stationery, etc., Orillia, Ont., is said to be in difficulties.

WE TAKE pleasure in informing the Belleville *Intelligencer* that our article on "the Creamery System," which it reproduces *without credit*, was printed by us from the original manuscript, and that if we take anything from the *Intelligencer* we carefully give it credit.

A TORONTO paper states that the general offices of the Great Western divisions of the Grand Trunk railway are to be removed from Hamilton to Toronto, and the management of the Midland system will be transferred from Peterboro to that city.

CAMERON & Cummings, Brandon, Manitoba, referred to last week, have assigned to J. A. Christie.—E. P. Blaiklock, grocer, etc., Emerson, Man., formerly of this city, is reported to have assigned.—John Ferguson, of Sheffield, N.B., lumber manufacturer, has assigned.

THE Hamilton and Dundas Railway company has constructed a new bridge on its line over the creek about one mile east of Dundas. The bridge is a queen-post truss, and crosses the bridge at an angle of 45 degrees; the center span is 40 feet, and the two shore spans 12 feet each.

Mr. Alex. McGibbon, who has spent about a quarter of a century in trying to make money in the family grocery trade in this city, has been appointed purchasing agent for the army of the North-West. No one will deny that Major McGibbon deserves something at the hands of his party.

SOME clever thief took advantage of the Provincial holiday, the 14th inst., to enter the

office of the license department of the City Hall, open the safe and extract therefrom \$2,000, of which \$1,200 was in cash, and the balance in cheques. Payment of the cheques has been stopped.

THE seeding on low lands throughout Peel, Wellington and neighboring counties of Ontario has been much delayed, owing to the unusual lateness of the Spring. The townships are rapidly taking advantage of the "Drainage Act," which in the future will in a great measure obviate this difficulty.

HON. J. C. Pope, of Charlottetown, ex-minister of marine and fisheries, and for the last thirty years prominent in Prince Edward Island public life, died on the 18th inst. He was compelled to resign office and his seat in Parliament a few years ago because of an attack of softening of the brain.

ACTS of incorporation have been applied for by the "Electro Mechanical Company" with headquarters at Montreal, and capital of \$100,000, in shares of \$100 each; and "The Alfred Harvester Binder Company of Ontario" with headquarters at Glencoe, Ont., and capital of \$100,000 in shares of \$50 each.

MR. Thomas W. Hotchkiss, an old and well-known lumberman, has been appointed United States commercial agent at Ottawa, Canada. The position is equivalent to that of consul, but being at this point so largely of a commercial character, it was most fitting that an experienced business man should be placed in charge.

PAPER bottles are now made on a large scale in Germany and Austria. The paper is composed as follows: 10 parts of rags, 40 of straw, 50 of brown wood pulp. The paper is coated on both sides with 60 parts of defibrinated blood,

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35 parts of lime powder, and 5 parts of sulphate of alumina. These bottles are made in two pieces, which are joined afterwards.

Messrs. P. LEARN & Sons, founders and saw millers, Ridgeway, Ont., has assigned to H. N. Hibbard and a meeting of creditors is called for the 30th. They have been hard pressed for some time, owing to dullness in trade, and held an auction sale to realize on certain chattels. Mr. Peter Learn is treasurer of the township. It is feared the estate will turn out poorly.

In explanation of the reference made to the proposed deposit of the Mutual Reserve Association of New York it is necessary to say that they have placed \$50,000 in American bonds in the hands of the Receiver General, to be employed as a deposit in case the new Insurance Bill should become law, a contingency not very probable during the present session of Parliament.

The Canadian business of the London Guarantee and Accident Co. for 1884 shows premiums for the year amounting to \$20,236; number of policies new and renewed 2,387, amount of these policies \$3,615,100; losses incurred \$5,390; unsettled claims—resisted—none. The company should be able to point with satisfaction to the record of its Canadian branch.

M. BLESNER, of St. Justine de Newton, Vaudreuil county, Que., sold his farm save a small corner about two years ago and with the \$2,000 remaining after paying a few debts, started a general store. He has just assigned to Messrs. Kent & Turcotte. He probably bought from too many houses.—C. H. Martin, general dealer

Upper Bedford, Que., late Martin Bros., has assigned to Edward Evans.

The town of Orangeville, Ont., generally has held its own during the depression, and its merchants have been doing a safe and fair, if not a large and prosperous, business. Its banking facilities have been improved within the current year by the opening of a branch of the Bank of Hamilton under the management of Mr. R. T. Haun, formerly the popular agent of the Bank of Commerce in that town.

Several Quebec lumber merchants who formerly were content to transact their Montreal business through agents find that the export trade in deals is concentrating here to such an extent that they find it necessary to start branch offices in this city.—The ship *Polynesian* of Quebec, bound for Montreal from Iliolo, Batavia, with sugar has put into the Mauritius leaking, and will discharge cargo there.

Mr. A. Blackburn of Kemptville, Ont., is also receiving a settlement at 75 cents on the dollar, payable in five equal instalments, at 3, 6, 9, 12 and 15 months, with interest at seven per cent, the notes to date from 1st June, the three last payments secured by Thomas Blackburn, and a transfer of all the real estate owned by Andrew Blackburn to be made to Mr. Geo. Lightbound in trust for creditors until all payments are met.

R. M. FITZSIMMONS, grocer, etc., Brockville, Ont., has assigned to W. A. Reid. He was for some years of the firm of R. M. Fitzsimmons & Bro. in that town. In 1882 he removed to Montreal and opened up a wholesale grocery

and liquor business as R. M. Fitzsimmons & Co., but this venture not proving equal to expectations, he returned to Brockville nearly a year ago. The brother continued the business and R. M. opened a new store with the result noted.

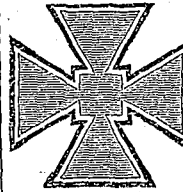
NORMAN H. PHINNEY, general storekeeper, in pumps, etc., Lawrencetown, N.S., recently made an assignment, showing liabilities of about \$6,000 and assets of about \$2,800. He offers secured creditors 25 cents in the dollar, payable in 3, 6 and 9 months, secured.—Alex. McKay, a steady attentive druggist of Dorchester, N.B., who has latterly been troubled with excruciating amounts to less than \$1,000, has assigned his book-debts, etc., to J. E. Church in trust.

A BANK clerk named A. Bernard (son of the late Dr. Bernard, ex-mayor of Montreal) employed in a leading monetary institution in this city is missing, and a shortage has been detected in his accounts of nearly \$1,000. He is believed to have gone to Boston, and the Guarantee Company of North America, which is interested, will probably effect his arrest. With its extensive agencies throughout the continent the Guarantee Company is in a position to deal summarily with such cases.

The Allan SS. Corean, which arrived at Quebec from London recently brought 1,800 boxes containing 1,000,000 rounds of ball cart ridge. The SS. Scotland at the same port discharged seven 9-pounder guns, 6 wagons, 12 limbers, 6 gun carriages, and 3 cases of merchandise which were removed by the Citadel authorities. The steamer *Campna* has arrived at Port Arthur from Collingwood, being the first

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 HAMILTON, Ont.

vessel from Eastern ports. Large fields of broken ice were encountered.

The total premiums of the Accident Ins. Co. of North America, Canadian and foreign for 1884, reached the enormous sum of \$286,993; the number of policies new and renewed was 15,718 for \$27,644,450. The losses incurred were \$115,583, every dollar of which was paid. The abstract of the Insurance Department, from which the above figures are taken, has evidently no need for the headings and columns for "Unsettled Claims" as regards Mr Rawlings' companies. Under them we read "none—none—none—none."

At a meeting of the creditors of R. F. Killaly, hardware, etc., Camington, Ont., held the 13th inst., the insolvent offered 70 cents in the dollar, which was accepted. Mr. Killaly is fortunate in having a near relative able and willing to assist him. His difficulty is attributed to the recent failure of Wm. Thomson & Co., of Toronto.—Mrs. M. Doyle, of Toronto dry goods dealer in a small way, has been closed up by the bailiff.—C. M. Larson, of the same city, carver and turner, has been sold out under chattel mortgage.

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A. N. Reid & Co., dry goods dealers, Belleville, Ont., have assigned in trust. A year or two since, when Mr. Foster withdrew, taking little or nothing with him, the business showed stock of about \$30,000 and outstandings of nearly \$3,000, against liabilities of \$25,000. Mr. Reid interviewed his creditors some three weeks ago and offered 60 cents in the dollar, but he could furnish no security. The estate is now being examined by the creditors. The liabilities are about \$43,000 and the assets about \$40,000, of which \$35,000 is in stock.

Bookless & Galer, hotelkeepers, Guelph, Ont., are reported to have assigned. They have been hard pressed and slow in meeting their engagements for some time.—Another firm of hotelkeepers, J. & N. Harrison of Toronto, are troubled with the shadow of the bailiff across their floor.—Quetton St. George & Co., wholesale liquor dealers, Toronto, whose affairs were referred to at some length a few weeks ago, have at length assigned in trust to E. R. C. Clarkson.—Still another hotelkeeper, Gilbert Crosbie of Cornwall, Ont., has thrown up the sponge after a year's run.

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INSURANCE BROKERS.—A meeting of the Board of Fire Underwriters was held in this city last Monday to consider the whole question of dealing with Insurance Brokers. Considerable discussion arose, resulting in the adoption of the rules by a majority vote, three of the leading companies dissenting. The recommendation to reconsider the clause permitting a firm of two members to act under a single broker's certificate was adopted, as was

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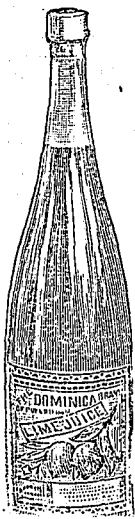
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also that part of clause 10 allowing ten per cent commission to the managers and agents of banks, the secretaries and managers of life insurance companies and of loan and building societies on the business from property in which these have a direct proprietary or hypothecary interest. The rules go into force on the 15th June next.

The severe winter of 1884-5 has been succeeded by fine spring weather, and for several days past by delightful summer temperature. The rapidity of growth during our Canadian May is proverbial, but few persons have witnessed more rapid "clambering through the darkness" than that of the last fortnight. In the city-lawns grass has been mown in some places twice; the trees are out in leaf a week earlier than usual, and apple, pear, plum and cherry blossoms are proportionately early,

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Under the head of "Unsettled Claims," resisted
or unresisted, the Accident of North America
and the London Guarantee and Accident are
represented by "none—none"; the Travellers
by \$2,000; the Sun by \$1,000; and the Citizens
by \$350. The record of the Norwich and Lon-
don is not a little singular; its total premium
income was \$3,344, and its losses were \$2,550
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FINANCE AND INSURANCE REVIEW.

MONTREAL, MAY 22, 1885.

RECIPROCITY.

There is an opinion held by many in Canada that it is desirable that the Government should make a new effort to obtain a treaty of reciprocity with the United States, but, so far as we can judge, there is no ground whatever to anticipate a satisfactory response to overtures on the subject. In the May number of the New York Banker's Magazine there is an article entitled "Financial Facts and Opinions," which, among other subjects, treats of reciprocity, with special reference to the suggestion that an arrangement might be made by which the United States should admit the products of the British West Indies free of duty, provided similar favors were extended to the products of the United States. The effect of such an arrangement, according

to the writer of the article, would be that the United States would surrender \$12,000,000 of duties, while the surrender of duties by the British West Indies would have been \$750,000.

The opinion of the writer in the *Banker's Magazine* is that it is impossible for the United States, with its large population, to make a profitable exchange of markets with the countries which have been desirous of effecting such arrangements. The reason is said to be the obvious one, which is that the United States market is that of 57,000,000 of the largest consumers in the world, while no other American country has more than a few millions, and in respect to most of them, the average *per capita* consuming power of their people is comparatively small. Our chief reason for noticing the article in the *Banker's Magazine* is to point out the wide difference between reciprocity between countries producing articles of a different description, and which are likewise produced by other countries, the effect being to impose discriminating duties against such countries, and a reciprocal free exchange of natural products, which are exported by both the countries which are parties to the arrangements.

It by no means follows that because the United States would suffer loss from abolishing the duties on sugar the produce of the British West Indies, in exchange for the free admission into such a limited market, of its flour, provisions and lumber it would also suffer by the free admission of breadstuffs from Canada, both countries being exporters to foreign markets of their surplus. There can be no doubt, however, that there is a strong prejudice in the United States against treaties of reciprocity, and we confess that we have little hope that it will be found possible to obtain a renewal of the old reciprocity treaty of 1854, which worked most satisfactorily for many years, and was only abrogated owing to feelings of dissatisfaction arising from the sympathy manifested in favor of the South by a portion of the Canadian people. The necessity, which is becoming more urgent, of raising a large revenue by import duties is another bar to the success of any scheme of reciprocity that would be found practicable in Canada, and we must console ourselves with the reflection that we have other markets for our natural products.

IMPERIAL FEDERATION.

It appears evident from the studied silence of the Federation League as to any definite scheme for giving effect to

their proposal that they find wide differences of opinion among themselves. Mr. McGoun, it is well known, has a scheme which he thinks well worthy of support, but in a letter addressed to the *Gazette* he has most carefully avoided entering into details. The *Toronto Week* suggests that if the promoters of the Federation League have formed any practicable scheme they should at once bring it before the Imperial Parliament, with which body any measure or authoritative overture to the Colonies must originate. From the same periodical we learn that it has been suggested by Mr. Freeman in an article in *McMillan's Magazine* that a Federation of the Empire would necessarily include the two hundred millions of *Hindoos* and give them, if representation was to be proportioned to numbers, a preponderance in the Federal council.

This is hardly a fair objection, as all the advocates of Federation have limited their demand for Colonial representation to the self-governing colonies. The issue is a most serious one, involving, as it does, the disintegration of the Empire, for the conviction that such would be the result of a successful effort to bring about the contemplated change in the relation of the self-governing Colonies to the Mother Country is by no means confined to the people of any particular section of the proposed Confederacy. Even among the leaders of the movement in England Mr. McGoun's views would be pronounced wholly impracticable. On the other hand, what has seemed to many in Canada to be a very harmless, if not desirable, change, that suggested by Earl Grey, of organizing a council composed of representatives of the Imperial Government and of the self-governing colonies, has by no means received general approbation in England, although it has satisfied the greater number, if not the whole, of the federationists whose names are being used by Mr. McGoun to entrap people in Canada. We venture to assert that not a single one of the statesmen named by Mr. McGoun, Mr. Forster, Lord Roseberry, Lord Dunraven, Mr. W. H. Smith, and Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, would countenance a proposition for a general body of representatives of the United Kingdom and the self-governing colonies to meet in London.

In Canada there is a great deal of misapprehension on the subject, and there are the widest differences of opinion among those who have allowed their names to be used as promoters of the League. Free traders and protectionists have gone to listen, in the hope that some scheme would be developed that would tend to promote their special views. No

one at the late meeting attempted, any more than Mr. McGoun has done, to state the grounds on which the disintegration of the Empire is apprehended. No one of the literary champions of Imperial Federation, embracing Sir William Dawson, Principal Grant, Dr. Johnson, Dr. Cornish, Mr. Murray and others expressed the least doubt of the continuance of our present relations, until certain gentlemen in London suddenly discovered that disintegration would certainly take place unless some new bond of union could be devised, which they, in their wisdom, felt assured that they could agree on.

At the very first meeting that was held, Sir Charles Tupper, the Canadian High Commissioner, succeeded in eliminating from the resolutions the declaration that disintegration was certain to ensue unless a remedy was found, and from that time to this no reason has been assigned for a change in our present system of Government. On the contrary, it will appear to reflecting minds that the English movement affords conclusive proof that its originators believe that the self-governing colonies enjoy such great advantages under the existing arrangements that they ought to be called on to contribute to the defence of the Empire. In addition to that feeling, there is a conviction in England that in return for the protection they enjoy, the colonies should either receive British manufactures duty free or at low revenue duties. That such opinions are held in England need cause no surprise, but that any people in Canada should be desirous of sacrificing the great advantages of our present position is a mystery, which we do not find that any one even attempted to solve at the late meeting in Montreal.

We entirely concur in the *Week's* opinion that the responsibility for proposing a change in our subsisting relations should devolve on the Imperial Parliament. If that Parliament should determine that, unless the Colonies agree to share in the expenses attendant on foreign wars in Europe, Asia and Africa, and unless they agree to adopt a fiscal policy such as may be determined on by some general authority, the subsisting connection must cease, then will be the proper time for Canada to determine whether it can give its assent to such a proposition. Meantime we must bear in mind that even when Canada did not enjoy that self-government which has been conceded to her, and when there was war with the great neighboring republic, there was not a whisper of a desire for disintegration, but a general union of all races in the common defence. At a later pe-

riod, when there was a disastrous war with Russia, nothing occurred to lead any one, either in Great Britain or Canada, to think disintegration desirable. Our own belief is that the movement in England, to which we have adverted, has had so few supporters that it has completely collapsed, although it may possibly be revived by the recent attempt to create an impression that it is likely to receive encouragement in Canada. Of one thing there can be no doubt whatever, which is that those visionaries who profess to be anxious to prevent the disintegration of the Empire are doing all in their power to bring it about.

A COOL PROPOSITION.

The New York *Herald* of the 18th inst. contains a remarkable letter from Captain Babson, Collector of Customs at Gloucester, Mass., dated 17th inst., which is headed "Our fishery interests." "What this great undertaking requires under our treaty obligations." "Important rights in peril." We gather from the introductory remarks that a *Herald* representative called on Mr. Babson, as one familiar with the subject, to obtain from him "a comprehensive statement of the historical aspects of the fisheries and the present relations of our people engaged in that industry with the people and Governments of the British Colonies along whose shores the hardy fishermen ply their vocation." Mr. Babson alluded especially to the treaty of 1818, which in his opinion is the cause of all the trouble between Canada and our fishermen. He frankly admits that by that treaty a complete surrender was made of all the shore fisheries, except those specially excepted. It is satisfactory to have such an admission from Captain Babson, although we have more than once had occasion to cite a similar opinion given by Daniel Webster. Mark what follows: "What is demanded," continues Captain Babson, "as an act of justice to our fisherman is the abrogation of the fishery provisions of the treaty of 1818." Justice to our fishermen, forsooth! A cool proposal from the very fishermen who have procured the abrogation by the United States of two treaties by which Canada conceded her admitted rights for a very inadequate compensation. Capt. Babson adds: "The treaty of Washington will expire on the 1st of next July, and there is no doubt but that Canada intends to enforce the wood, water and shelter to the furthest extent." The sum and substance of the recommendation of Capt. Babson is that the United

States should violate a solemn treaty and set Great Britain and Canada at defiance. Forewarned, we are told, is forearmed, and our Government would do well to take prompt measures to enforce our treaty rights after the 1st July. As usual in all such cases the commissioners who negotiated the treaty of 1818 are said to have been "lost to all considerations of common-sense or shrewdness for having allowed the insertion of a clause forbidding American vessels from entering Canadian ports for any purpose except for shelter or to procure wood and water, thus cutting them off from all commercial privileges, and putting into the hands of the Canadians the power by our own concession to drive our vessels to sea and forbid the purchase of ice or bait or supplies." It is added that "this provision of the treaty is not superseded by any of the clauses of the Treaty of Washington, and is still in force to-day." Captain Babson takes special care to omit all notice of the fact that there was a *quid pro quo*, that Great Britain held that the war of 1812 declared by the United States, had abrogated all the fishery rights previously enjoyed, but a compromise was arrived at by which the United States obtained all the fishery rights they wanted on the southern and western shores of Newfoundland, around the Magdalen Islands, and north west along the Labrador coast, through the Straits of Belle Isle indefinitely. It was in consequence of this most liberal concession by Great Britain that the United States formally renounced all the claims that they would like now to insist on being granted. Even if the American Commissioners had been "lost to all consideration of common-sense or shrewdness," the treaty was formally ratified by the Senate of the United States, and, moreover, it is held just as strongly by Canadian writers that the British Commissioners were on every occasion when treaties were negotiated with the United States "lost to all considerations of common-sense or shrewdness."

THE CO-OPERATIVE SUPPLY ASSOCIATION.

The establishment of a co-operative store in this city some five years ago produced no little disturbance in the minds of retail dealers. Whether it proved a success or a failure its operations were certain to have more or less influence upon their business. The idea of a co-operative store would scarcely have occurred to any business man brought up in Canada. It was wholly exotic, and the neces-

sity for it in the great centres of England was the outcome of economic conditions not likely to occur for some time on this side of the Atlantic. The idea was evolved through the gradual decrease in the purchasing power of fixed incomes, inherited or acquired, among government service employes in England—owing in a measure to increased prices of goods in ordinary establishments which, through the losses incurred by the credit system, were compelled to make the good pay for the bad, thus widening the difference between wholesale and retail prices. These people had just so much ready cash to spend, and as they usually managed to live up to their means it became a question how, in the gradually altering state of things, they could manage to eke it out so as to maintain them in the genteel manner to which they had long become accustomed. The co-operative system thus came into vogue, became fashionable, select but not exclusive, and proved more or less successful.

In Canada and the United States the efforts to establish the system have not proved so successful. We do not purpose here to enter into a history of the co-operative association established in Montreal. To an ordinary observer the Association possessed all the elements of success. Its capital was proportionately as large as that of ordinary general retail establishments; its membership [customers] rapidly increased, until they exceeded 3,000. [The present membership is 3,542]. Think of 3,500 customers—representing the patronage of a number of families equal to that of a city of 15,000 to 20,000 inhabitants, and all paying cash down for everything they buy. One would say that surely something must be wrong if such a concern did not pay. For, notwithstanding the exotic nature of the business, the Association succeeded in drawing to its counters the patronage of people from far and near, Montreal contributing scarcely one-third of the members. Professional people, employes in public and other offices, and even many persons who derived most of their means from sources naturally opposed to the system, flocked to the co-operative store.

But at the outset serious errors had been made in purchasing supplies, especially in dry goods, furs, drugs and other articles where great skill is demanded. Too much or too many of one article were bought. We need only refer to the large quantity of buttons on hand. In groceries the concern appears to have made money, having had the good fortune to secure a trained man for the head of that department. The dry goods department, on the other hand, was a complete failure

—except in being useful on occasion to raise the wind by supplying pledges for the auction commission houses. About a year ago it became evident that the concern could not go on without a further supply of capital. It became necessary to raise about \$50,000; appeals by circular were made to members to little effect. At the recent meeting a committee of fifteen was appointed to canvass for increased subscriptions to the preferred stock, and it is now claimed that over \$20,000 has been promised, but on condition that the balance to make the whole amount \$45,000 be secured. And here the matter rests. An offer of 50 cents in the dollar has been made for the dry goods stock, but they seem of opinion that they can get more for it over the counter.

At the annual meeting on the 14th inst. the assets and liabilities were understood to be about as follows, no statement having been made public:

Assets.		Liabilities.	
Groceries.....	\$19,000	Bills payable..	\$16,000
Wines.....	5,000	Advances.....	54,000
Dry goods.....	86,000	Open accounts	22,000
Stationery, etc.	12,000	Overdue rent	1,800
Jewellery.....	4,000	Depositors.....	10,000
Crockery.....	10,000	Shareholders	
Other assets..	7,700	(ord.).....	52,000
		Shareholders	
		(pref.).....	43,000
Total.....	\$143,700		
		Total.....	\$198,000

Mr. J. F. Nott, the lately resigned manager, who has been called to more active service in the North-West, stated at the meeting that "the position of affairs is far better now than 3 years ago when the present directors took charge. On their entry upon their duties it was commonly stated that there would not be 60 cents on the dollar for the creditors if the estate had gone into liquidation. This was caused by laying in goods that were suitable for customers in England, but not the kind for consumption here, and hence they became dead stock. Notwithstanding this state of affairs and commencing on too large a scale in expensive premises, the directors had met their creditors in full and had made a profit the 1st year of \$10,000 and the 2nd year of \$12,000 and at present there was a surplus. It had last year been agreed by the shareholders to raise \$45,000 or \$50,000 of additional capital on preference shares, to place the company out of debt instead of having to pay banks heavy interest for advances. The directors, to prove their confidence in the investment being a profitable one, actually subscribed for a large portion of \$22,000, or half the whole amount demanded, although they were the largest original shareholders. From the registered stockholders, of whom there

are 3,500, only a sum between \$1,000 and \$1,500 had been received after repeated appeals were made, and with the knowledge that the money subscribed could not be used without all the stock being taken. This has been embarrassing to the directors, who have given their own personal security for \$45,000 to keep the company going, and without any collateral security whatever. They rank only with the general creditors. Mr. Nott further remarked that they had the nucleus of a fine and profitable business that would grow and increase every year hereafter. He had no doubt there would be favorable balance sheets if the business is continued and dividends would be declared. The directors were the largest creditors of the company, and could only get what was due them *pro rata* with the other creditors. In conclusion, he said the assets were amply sufficient if the company went into liquidation to pay the creditors in full and leave a large surplus besides."

Mr. Yates of Brantford, Ont., the owner of 420 shares, only 20 shares less than Mr. Geo. R. Grant, the president, said he still had confidence in the future success of the Company, and had proved that by going security with his creditors for \$70,000, to keep up the company's credit. This amount had been greatly reduced. He appealed to the shareholders present to help in raising the \$22,000 required to complete the \$45,000 of preference stock, or the Association would have to go into liquidation, there being no other alternative.

The number of directors was reduced to five, and the meeting was closed by the re-election of Messrs. Grant, Yates, Henshaw, Simard and Mathews as directors for the current year. The business for the year (ending last month) was less than for the twelve months preceding, being only \$288,850, or less than an average of \$82 for each customer. The president attributed the falling off to the dullness in business and the necessity for forced economy. The head of a family whose grocery bill would amount to only \$80 a year—let alone his dry goods (including buttons) crockery, stationery, etc.—must have discovered some methods of economy not generally known, and might confer a benefit by giving it to the public—say anonymously.

It is remarked as not a little singular that those members who acknowledge having saved \$100 to \$125 a year by trading at the counters of the Association—some members must buy much less than \$80 worth—do not seem to be willing enough to subscribe to the increased preference stock: they argue;

wisely enough, that the simple membership, which costs only \$1, gives them all the advantages they desire. Herein lies a weak spot, evidently overlooked by the original promoters of the system as practised in Montreal. In conning over the recent report one can hardly avoid running against one or two inconsistencies. We may be mistaken,—but here they are: The late manager is reported to have said at the last meeting that they had lost \$16,000 on goods which they had sold. It is probable that in these were included some \$17,000 worth recently pledged for about \$4,000 to an auction firm, who have doubtless since disposed of them for the Association; but he also remarked that the goods on which the above loss was made cleared them completely out of bad stock. His remarks that they were in a far better position now than they were three years ago seems rather at variance with the words of the president, Mr. J. S. Hunter, in May, 1882, as then reported: "Mr. Hunter said he was glad to report the affairs of the Association in a prosperous condition." At the same meeting "a shareholder asked if it was true that so far the institution had not paid its expenses, and that there was a deficiency of over \$6,000. Mr. Nott, the manager, replied that it was true." (We quote from the reports printed at the time). In the directors' report, printed for 1883, it is stated that the profits after paying all expenses and charges, amount to over \$12,000; at the meeting held on the 14th inst., Mr. Nott said "the profits for the first year were \$10,000, for the second year \$12,000, and for the year under review a surplus. Surely it were but reasonable to ask, what disposal has been made of these profits?"

Notwithstanding the discouraging aspect of affairs as they appear to an outsider, the new manager and directors are still hopeful of being able to secure the \$22,000 necessary to put the concern fairly on its keel and launch it on a more prosperous career.

THE BANK STATEMENTS.

The usual comparative statements of the returns of the Chartered Banks will be found below. The circulation is about \$1,300,000 less than last month, while the aggregate liabilities are only about \$430,000 less. The deposits have increased. The available assets have decreased to about the same extent as the reduction of circulation. There is an increase in

the loans to the Dominion Government, and also to the Provincial Governments. The discounts to the public are much as they were in March. There is a reduction in the overdue notes, both secured and unsecured. On the whole there is no important variation between the returns for March and April. The Dominion note circulation continues to fall off, and

is less than at any period since the commencement of the fiscal year. The reduction since October has been very nearly two and a half millions of dollars chiefly in the large notes held as bank reserves. It is satisfactory to find that there is no material change in the small note circulation which is chiefly in the hands of the public.

SIR AMBROSE SHEA'S MISSION.

We learn from the *Montreal Gazette's* Newfoundland correspondent that Sir Ambrose Shea has given an account of his mission to Washington and Ottawa to those who sent him. It is rather absurd to announce that Sir A. Shea did not visit Washington "for the purpose of negotiating a separate reciprocity treaty," considering that he was a mere delegate from the Chamber of Commerce in St. Johns, and not even provided with credentials of any kind from the Newfoundland Government. His object was "to ascertain the views of the American Government" in regard to future commercial relations, and he had repeated interviews with Mr. Bayard, the Secretary of State, and met with a courteous reception, and "had every opportunity of fully expounding his views regarding the trade relations of the two countries." The result of all his representations was an assurance of the anxiety of the American Government to have the whole question "of the fisheries settled on an equitable basis which would permanently remove all causes of dissatisfaction." We have no doubt whatever that the United States Government would be ready to inaugurate a scheme that would, in its opinion, settle the question on an equitable basis.

There is not the slightest allusion in the letter to which we have referred to the really important question that demands an immediate solution, viz., the true construction of the treaty of 1818. When Canada, some fifteen years ago, prepared for a reference of the long-disputed question to arbitration, the United States preferred a reciprocity treaty in fish, with an arbitration as to the value of the right to fish in Canadian waters. All was arranged accordingly to the desire of the United States, but when the award was given it created dissatisfaction, and at the earliest moment possible the treaty was abrogated, and the old causes of dispute will soon be as likely as ever to create trouble. The letter writer, who of course is bound to extol Sir Ambrose Shea, assures his readers that the mission "has been attended with this important and beneficial result, that it has brought the whole question in practical shape before the American Government and pressed it on their attention." Now we rather think that before the American Government determined to abrogate the treaty, they must have given full consideration to the consequence. The letter-writer thinks that there can be no doubt that "an international commission" will

	Apl., 1885.	Mar., 1885.	Apl., 1884.	Apl., 1875.
Capital authorized	\$71,896,666	\$71,896,666	\$71,896,666	\$75,166,666
Capital subscribed	64,685,934	64,685,934	65,050,034	70,694,916
Capital paid up	61,668,520	61,664,110	61,761,417	64,422,785
Reserve fund (Rest)	18,373,100	18,323,100	17,989,129	.....

LIABILITIES.

Circulation	\$28,491,693	\$29,791,263	\$29,239,636	\$21,642,318
Dom. Gov. deposits on demand	3,428,598	3,384,051	3,722,172	3,961,474
Dom. Gov. deposits payable after notice	130,000	130,000	290,407	5,746,136
Deposits sec'g Gov. Contracts & Insur.	522,969	581,426	517,866	.....
Prov. Gov. deposits payable on demand	662,294	1,018,886	329,358	1,418,538
Prov. Gov. deposits payable after notice	2,083,511	2,308,511	2,540,597	3,486,567
Other deposits on demand	41,475,747	40,587,557	42,480,223	30,228,940
Other deposits payable after notice	50,568,826	50,740,196	54,058,663	31,157,130
Loans or deposits from other Bks. secured	21,000	21,000	.....	.....
Do by other Can. Banks, unsecured	1,063,902	841,368	1,235,623	.....
Due Banks in Canada	1,593,590	1,425,655	1,352,789	1,182,056
Do. in foreign countries	113,103	161,612	120,746	527,453
Do. in the United Kingdom	1,445,532	1,048,102	2,992,916	4,068,338
Other Liabilities	194,093	184,517	293,297	547,470
Total liabilities	\$131,794,860	\$132,224,144	\$139,174,293	\$103,971,040

ASSETS.

Specie	\$6,592,130	\$7,029,818	\$6,953,397	\$6,708,004
Dominion notes	9,950,823	10,327,091	12,078,345	8,535,533
Notes and cheques on other Banks	4,639,887	4,599,867	5,568,440	4,193,832
Due from Banks in Canada	2,606,369	2,692,043	3,087,451	3,946,742
Due from Ag's or B's in for'n. countries	8,463,473	8,187,184	13,168,643	5,930,903
Ditto in the United Kingdom	2,427,871	2,728,976	1,650,765	415,285
Available Assets	\$34,680,493	\$36,064,979	\$42,507,071	\$29,730,299
Gov. debentures or Stock	\$1,055,699	\$1,519,453	\$907,049	\$1,321,454
Loans to Dom. Govt.	4,132,926	3,381,960	3,936,102	158,829
Do. Prov. Govt.	1,083,549	708,096	2,172,030	16,101
Securities other than Canadian	1,889,051	1,383,534	1,502,379	.....
Loans on stocks, bonds, debntrs. Can. or for'n	12,534,073	12,364,588	12,192,872	8,154,275
Loans to Municipal Corporations	1,348,691	1,312,321	1,484,618	.....
Loans to other Corporations	17,740,181	17,112,618	14,413,785	3,368,686
Loans or deposits in other Banks, secured	99,154	380,478	186,702	.....
Loans to or Deps. in other Bks., unsecured ..	376,494	211,405	316,676	.....
Discounts	125,172,154	125,045,808	130,806,977	138,117,369
Notes overdue not specially secured	3,150,860	3,311,134	2,028,190	1,743,728
Overdue notes, secured	2,979,124	2,735,750	2,421,416	1,533,690
Real Estate	1,254,632	1,292,130	1,134,388	703,726
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by Banks ..	872,481	874,226	820,618	.....
Bank Premises	3,221,480	3,212,449	3,102,514	2,874,926
Other Assets	1,881,121	1,894,722	1,787,274	2,153,318
Total Assets	\$213,072,153	\$212,805,681	\$221,720,661	\$189,867,660
Directors' Liabilities	8,950,816	8,939,550	7,646,306	.....
Average Amt. Specie during month	6,500,430	6,994,138	6,838,414	.....
Average Dom. Notes during month	10,243,844	10,967,559	12,110,184	.....

be appointed. For what object? Is there the most remote probability that any international commission would be able to agree as to the proper construction to be placed on a treaty which has been a subject of controversy during more than half a century? It would have been most desirable that this question had been finally set at rest by the award of the arbitrators at Geneva, but it has been sufficiently apparent that the United States Government has long felt, as indeed was admitted by Daniel Webster, that the British view of the treaty is the true one. It will resort to any pretext to evade a solution of the question, and we fear very much that, in a few weeks, systematic trespassing in the Canadian waters will be resumed by the New England fishermen. What is necessary at the present moment is a vigorous effort on the part of Great Britain to procure an arbitration to define the rights of the American fishermen in regard to their entrance into bays. When that point has been settled it will be easy to come to an agreement as to the compensation to be given for the permission to enter our bays for the purpose of fishing. We have great doubts as to the good results likely to ensue from Sir A. Shea's mission, and we look on the maintenance of the *status quo* as simply absurd. It was tried once before and proved "a mockery, a delusion and a snare."

Sir Ambrose Shea, it is said "at the earnest request of a number of the commercial gentlemen of Montreal who are interested in the Newfoundland trade, visited Ottawa on his way home." He had interviews with Sir John Macdonald and other members of the Cabinet, and was able to assure the Chamber of Commerce of St. John's on his return home that the difficulties in regard to the duties on fish had been satisfactorily adjusted, that no such duties would be exacted, and that the trade would go on as before. This at least entitled Sir Ambrose Shea to the thanks which were unanimously voted to him by the St. John's Chamber of Commerce.

THE FORGED CIRCULAR NOTES.—Montreal and Toronto seem to be subjected to periodical visits by bank swindlers, and no amount of caution would appear to be wholly a match for them. The attempt made early this week to cash Circular Notes to the extent of \$15,000 by two men calling themselves Wm. Henry Hall and Robt. Fox was happily frustrated by the penetration of the bankers to whom the application was made. The swindlers managed their cards well, and it is surprising that they did not meet with more success. By a judicious exhibition of the notes and declaring their intention to

purchase lands in the North-West, they procured an introduction to a leading member of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., from whom they secured a letter of introduction to Mr. McTavish, agent of the Hudson's Bay Co. at Winnipeg. Armed with this letter they applied at the Bank of Montreal to have the notes cashed, but they, it is said, referred them to the Bank of British North America as more likely to have direct dealings with the National Bank of Scotland, in Edinburgh, by whom the Circular Notes appeared to have been issued. To Mr. Penfold, the local manager of the Bank of British North America, Hall's exterior and general air seemed inconsistent with the possession of so much money. While comparing the signatures with those in his books, the applicant, became impatient, and at length made a hurried exit, leaving behind him the note for £50 under examination. This action confirmed the suspicious entertained, and two clerks of the bank were sent to shadow Hall. He joined his confederate in the St. Lawrence Hall bar-room shortly, and both left the hotel by the rear entrance. They were soon after arrested, and Notes to the amount named, less that left in the Bank, were secured. Fox dropped notes for £1,500 in a corner of the police court. They were charged on affidavit of Mr. Penfold with uttering forged paper, and were remanded. Information has arrived from Hamilton, Ottawa and Toronto of similar attempts, probably by other confederates. The following account has been received from Toronto. On Saturday evening an elderly gentleman put up at the *Rossin House*, registering himself as "T. White, London." He kept to his room all Sunday and yesterday. This morning he left the hotel and called at the Bank of British North America, and on being shown into Manager Grindley's room produced travelling circular letters, issued by the National Bank of Scotland's Edinburgh office, and signed Geo. L. Rorie, secretary, and John P. Duncan, accountant, for \$24,000, requesting that they be cashed. The manager told him he did not care to cash the whole, although urgently pressed upon to do so. He, however, cashed one for fifty pounds, and White departed, making his way to the Federal Bank, where the same proceedings were gone through a £50 letter being cashed there also. He next visited the Bank of Commerce, but failed to do any business there. By this time it was about noon, and he returned to the hotel, where he paid his bill and drove to the Union station, taking the one o'clock train for Cobourg. Shortly afterwards Mr. Grindley, manager at Toronto, received word from the head office in Montreal that two men had been arrested there for attempting to pass forged circular letters, and he at once suspected there was something wrong about Mr. White. He informed the detectives, and steps were taken, resulting in White's arrest on the arrival of the train at Cobourg. He had a companion on the train with him, who was also arrested. Detectives left here to-night (Tuesday) to bring them to Toronto.

THE STANDARD LIFE.—At the 59th annual general meeting of the Standard Life Assurance, held at Edinburgh, on Tuesday, the 28th of April, 1885. The following results for the year ending 15th of November, 1884, were reported:—

2,773 New Proposals for Life Assurance were received during the year for.....	\$7,557,678
2,302 Proposals were accepted assuring.....	5,822,614
The total Existing Assurances in force at 15th November, 1884, amounted to \$99,608,971, of which \$7,973,494 was reassured with other offices.....	
The Claims by Death which arose during the year amounted, including Bonus additions.....	2,676,544

The Annual Revenue amounted at 15th of November, 1884, to.....	4,301,573
The Invested Funds, at same date amounted to.....	31,470,457
Being an increase during the year of.....	902,969

REGULATIONS passed by Order-in-Council with respect to the importation of horses into Manitoba and British Columbia, owing to the prevalence of glanders amongst American horses, prohibit the importation of horses into Manitoba or British Columbia until they have been examined by a duly-qualified veterinary surgeon approved by the Minister of Agriculture, and declared to be free from glanders or any other infectious disease. The owner or importer shall furnish a certificate to this effect to the proper officer of customs before an entry for the admission of such animal is allowed to be made. In the Province of Manitoba all horses from the United States or Territories shall be entered at Emerson, and in British Columbia at Victoria, New Westminster and Nanaimo. To defray the cost of examination, the owner or importer shall pay in Manitoba a fee of \$1 for every horse examined, and in British Columbia \$2. All horses imported, or attempted to be imported or introduced from the United States into either of these Provinces contrary to these regulations, shall be forfeited.

A "RASCALLY IMPOSTOR" has been operating in the enterprising city of Guelph, Ont. The individual in question registered as Thompson, and passed himself off as an American cattle dealer. He secured the services of an official of one of the city institutions to drive him to some of the farms of the vicinity, with the purpose, as he said, of purchasing a few cattle for shipment. Several of the farmers were visited and different lots of cattle bought, Thompson paying one and two dollars on lots of from five to ten animals, as a guarantee of good faith. By and-by these draughts upon his treasury abstracted all the funds he had brought with him, and he borrowed from the official who accompanied him, as well as from some of the hotel-keepers of Guelph, money enough to carry him through until more funds should arrive. After the official had wasted seven days in driving the stranger through the country the latter skeddaddled, leaving the man who had befriended him not only to mourn the loss of time but also of the money he had lent, and leaving the hotel-keepers from whom he had borrowed to brood over their losses.

Two Troy men have invented a machine which, it is claimed, will practically revolutionize match-making. It has been operated to make 24,000 perfect matches in a minute, and its capacity is expected to reach 15,000,000 in ten minutes. The veneer of pine wood is fed upon a small platform and passes between rollers, which partly cut it crosswise, the width of a match. From the rollers the veneer passes over the abrupt edge of a concave, where the splints are caught by a rubber roller, separated by the action of the roller and rubbed along over the concave, so that all the adhering fiber is removed. Then the splints are carried by a chain, from which they are forced into a dipping web or strip of paper. The web containing the splints is then conveyed into a trough wherein, by the action of a revolving wheel, paraffine is put on the end of each of the splints. When the paraffine is dry by passing through a heated chamber, another wheel, revolving in a phosphorous composition, applies the composition to the end of the splints, and the webs pass to reels, where they remain until dry.—*Ex.*

Sixteen separate logging operations have been going forward in Westmoreland county, N.B., during the past season, 105,500 logs having been got out. In Cumberland county 27,750 logs were banked, besides which, it is said "Kelley Brothers have got out 2,000,000 feet; Prescott, Gillespie & Co., at Shulee, 3,000,000 feet; White, of Apple river, 4,000,000 feet; M. L. Tucker at Southampton 750,000 feet; Fillmore, at River Herbert, 1,500,000 feet; B. Young & Son, at same place, 3,000,000 feet. At Ramshead river, Cumberland, 2,000,000 feet of logs have been got out by Farnworth & Jardine. E. I. White, of Sand River, got out about 4,000,000 feet of logs, piling, spars, etc., and expects to saw 1,500,000 feet of lumber. At West Brook mills, Ben Young has 2,000,000 feet of logs out, and at Newville 3,000,000 feet. The Killam mill has about 2,000,000 feet. A. Laudels and the Christies will saw a million or more of deals and boards."—*N. W. Lumberman.*

A FRENCH savant claims to have discovered in cotton-tree seed a new nutritious matter, presenting some most remarkable features in its composition. An analysis of the seed of cotton-tree, of which several varieties are cultivated in Bolivia, shows that this is the richest of all known grains in nitrogenous substances. He is convinced that cotton-tree seed will make a flour destined to take an important place as a food for man.

COMPLIMENTARY notices continue to reach us concerning the market reports in the JOURNAL OF COMMERCE. We resume quotations of the Boston Egg market by request, and shall be glad to hear from any of our readers who require information as to other articles—not usually quoted in our reports.

LA BANQUE NATIONALE.

The twenty-fifth annual general meeting of the shareholders of this institution was held at the office of the Bank, on the 12th inst.

There were present: Sir N. F. Belleau, the Hon. Judge U. J. Tessier, P. J. O. Chauveau, I. Thibaudeau, P. Garneau, and Messrs. Ledroit, Ul. Tessier, jun., Ant. Painchaud, Joseph Hamel, M. W. Baby, Dr. O. Robitaille, James Carrel, L. J. Demers, N. Maheux, G. LaRue, Geo. Demers, Thos. E. Roy, L. P. Pelletier, J. E. LaRue, V. W. LaRue, Edmond Giroux, Elisee Beaudet, Chas. Letellier, Frs. Gourdeau, J. E. Fortier, L. N. Carrier, J. P. Fremont, Chs. Cinq-Mars, Dr. N. Lacerte, Th. Beaulieu, Henri Delegrave, N. S. Hardy, Eleustippe LaRue, Gy. Tessier, P. Dugal, Amedee Robitaille, R. F. Rinfret, L. M. Lapointe, Ferd. DeLille, F. E. Hamel, Chs. Bertrand and others.

Hon. I. Thibaudeau was called to the chair and V. W. LaRue, Esq., was requested to act as Secretary.

The following gentlemen were elected scrutineers, viz: Messrs. E. W. Methot, E. LaRue and A. Robitaille. Hon. I. Thibaudeau, President, read the following, the 25th annual report and statement of the affairs of the bank:—

GENTLEMEN,—Your Directors have the honor to submit to you the report of the operations of the Bank for the year ending 30th April last. The profits of the year (deducting expenses) are \$141,459.76. This amount, added to \$36,806.12, balance at credit of last year's Profit and Loss account, gives \$178,265.88. From this sum the Directors have appropriated \$139,001.12 for bad debts and deductions on sundry properties and on debts which are considered doubtful, leaving a balance of \$39,264.76 now at the credit of the Profit and Loss account. Your Directors regret that they could not pay any dividend this year on account of the crisis from which the trade is suffering since

a long time, and depreciation on some immovable properties and on some debts forming part of the assets of the Bank. This measure taken by your Directors has the effect of strengthening the position of the Bank and should give confidence in its administration. The Depositors will find that their security is increased, and the public will have the satisfaction of possessing a national institution enjoying a deserved confidence. Your Directors hope that that present crisis is coming to an end, and that before long the Bank will be in a position to pay regularly dividends to its shareholders. The Branches have been visited several times during the year by Directors with the Cashier. The Inspector has also made his customary examinations. The Cashier, Managers and other employes of the Bank have, as formerly, given entire satisfaction to your Directors. The whole respectfully submitted.

For the Directors,
I. THIBAudeau,
President.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

1884.		
April 30.—Balance to credit of Profit and Loss.....	\$36,806	12
1885.		
April 30.—Net profits of the year, after deducting costs of management and accrued interest on deposits.....	141,459	76
	\$178,265	88

DEDUCTING.

For doubtful and bad debts.....	139,001	12
Leaving balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account on 30th April, 1885.....	\$39,264	76

LIABILITIES.

Capital paid up.....	\$2,000,000	00
Notes in circulation.....	664,680	00
Deposits bearing interest.....	1,032,972	87
Deposits not bearing interest.....	605,963	81
Due to other Banks in Canada...	28,416	23
Due to Agencies of the Bank, or to other Banks or Agencies in foreign countries.....	566	69
Profit and loss account.....	39,264	70
	\$4,361,764	36

ASSETS.

Specie.....	\$120,764	74
Dominion notes	201,761	00
Notes of and cheques on other banks.....	75,204	47
Balance due from Agencies of the Bank or from other Banks or agencies in foreign countries ...	21,337	63
Balances due from Agencies of the Bank, or from other Banks or Agencies in the United Kingdom.....	12,074	89
Loans, discounts or advances for which stock, bonds or debentures of Municipal or other Corporations, or Dominion, Provincial, British or Foreign or Colonial public securities other than Canadian, are held as collateral securities.....	34,045	50
Other current loans, discounts and advances to the public.....	3,270,054	13
Notes and bills discounted on overdue and not specially secured	48,570	24
Notes and bills discounted overdue, and other debts secured by mortgage or other deed on real estate, or by deposit of or lien on stock, or by other securities	148,658	96
Real estate, the property of the Bank (other than the Bank premises).....	219,341	86

CARSLEY AND CO.

WHOLESALE

DRY

GOODS,

93 St. Peter St.

MONTREAL,

—AND—

18 Bartholomew Close,

LONDON, England.

Mortgage on real estate sold by the bank.....	18,432 78
Bank premises and furniture.....	122,962 83
Other assets not included under the foregoing heads.....	1,399 10
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	\$4,361,764 36

P. LAFRANCE, Cashier.
N. MATTE, Inspector.

Moved by Hon. I. Thibaudeau, seconded by Joseph Hamel, Esq. :—

That the report and statement of the Directors now read, be adopted, printed and published for distribution amongst the shareholders—Adopted.

Moved by E. Beaudet, Esq., seconded by Chas. Bertrand, Esq. :—

That the thanks of this meeting be presented to the President, Vice-President and Directors for their attention to the affairs of the Bank during the year now elapsed—Adopted.

Moved by L. N. Carrier, Esq., seconded by Chs. Bertrand, Esq. :—

That the thanks of the shareholders be presented to the Cashier, Managers, and other officers of the Bank for their particular attention in the fulfilment of their respective duties—Adopted.

The election being proceeded with, the following gentlemen obtained the largest number of votes, and were duly elected Directors for the ensuing year, viz., the Hon. I. Thibaudeau, M.M. Jos. Hamel, U. Tessier, jr., T. LeDroit, Hon. P. Garnneau, M. W. Baby and Antoine Painchaud.

The President left the chair and Jos. Hamel, Esq., being called thereto, it was then moved by U. Tessier, jr., seconded by T. LeDroit, Esq. :

That the thanks of this meeting are due to the Hon. I. Thibaudeau, for his services in the chair, as also to the scrutineers and secretary for the fulfilment of their respective duties. And the meeting adjourned.

I. THIBAUDEAU, President.
V. W. LAURE, Secretary.

Quebec, 12th May, 1885.

FIRE RECORD.

ONTARIO.—*Oakville* May 14.—J. A. Wilham's house. Loss \$200; insured in Waterloo Mutual. *Ridgetown*, May 14.—Moody & Sons' roller mill. Loss heavy, fully insured. *Ancaster*, May 17.—Ancaster Carriage Co.'s works. Loss \$10,000; insured for \$5,000 in Waterloo Mutual, Mercantile and Perth. *Midland*, May 18.—Commercial Hotel owned by P. Campbell, occupied by Mr. Cahill. Hotel insured for \$2,000 in North of Scotland; contents insured for \$900 in Northern and \$900 in Hartford. *Shelbourne*, May 19.—J. McCue's house and outbuildings. Loss heavy; partly insured.

QUEBEC.—*Somerset*, May 17.—One hundred houses destroyed. Insurance not ascertained. *New Brunswick*.—*West Point*, May 19.—Thomas Vre's building and barn. Insured for \$2,500 in Liverpool and London and Globe, \$600 on furniture in City of London.

**JOSEPH E. SEAGRAM,
DISTILLER,**

WATERLOO, ONTARIO.

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MONTREAL WHOLESALE MARKETS.

MAY 21, 1885.

The volume of business appears to be gradually augmenting; the aggregate is probably little, if anything, below that of last year, and merchants hope that the summer trade will prove a good average one. Sterling 60-day bills, between banks, 9½ to 9 3/8 prem; demand 9 5/8 to 9 13/16 prem; New York funds 1-8 discount to par. Counter rates about ½ higher. Money on call 3¼ to 4 per cent. Street rate in London, as cabled to-day 1¼. British Consols opened at 99 3/16 money and account, and declined to 99 1/16. Canada Pacific in London advanced from 39 3/8 to 40 1/8. The Stock Market to-day was quiet, with sales in small lots. Bank of Montreal sold at 194 and 194½ and Merchants at 111½ and 111½. There were two sales of Molsons at 114. Toronto changed hands at 177 and 176½ and Commerce at 122½ and 123. Gas sold to the extent of 75 shares at 181½ and 225 shares were placed at 182. Richelieu was firm, with sales at 58, 58½ and 58½ and 24 shares of Montreal Telegraph sold at 124. The following were the total sales and highest and lowest prices of leading stocks for the week :—

Banks.	Shares.	Highest price.	Lowest price.
Commerce	228	123	122
Jacques Cartier.....	14	60	60
Molsons.....	78	114	113
Merchants.....	238	113½	110
“ x d.....	60	111	110½
Montreal.....	262	199	193½
“ x d.....	346	194½	193
Toronto.....	95	177	176½
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>			
Can. Pac. Ry.....	150	41	40
Gas.....	2786	182	180½
Mon. Tel. Co.....	197	123	122½
Passenger.....	173	115½	115
R. & O. Nav. Co....	428	58½	56½

ASHES.—Receipts have been light. Prices are easier, First Pots closing at \$3.70 to \$3.75; Seconds \$3.10; no Thirds offering. Pearls are dull, no sales reported, but some shipments have been made, reducing stock considerably. Receipts since 1st January, 1,511 brls. Pots, 39 brls. Pearls. Deliveries, 1,418 brls. Pots, 87 brls. Pearls. Stock in store at 6 p.m. on Wednesday 1,549 brls. Pots; 159 brls. Pearls.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—Travellers are only just out, in fact some houses report that they have scarcely completed samples. Under the circumstances trade is quiet, and it is not surprising at this season of the year. The leading manufacturers express as satisfactory the condition of this important industry and hope to transact a brisk fall trade. A fair number of city orders have been placed.

CANNED GOODS.—A fair demand exists for new pack lobsters, and we believe quotations to the trade are \$5.40 to \$5.50 in lots. Fruits and vegetables are quiet at quotations. Corn, 2 lb. tins \$1.20 to \$1.25 per dozen; turkey, \$3 to \$3.10; corned beef, \$3.25 to \$3.50; peas, \$1.50 to \$1.60; chicken, ¼ lb. tins, \$2.30; tomatoes, 3 lb. tins, 90c to \$1; apples, 90c to \$1; ditto in gallon tins, \$2.75 to \$3 per dozen.

CHEMICALS AND DRUGS.—In heavy chemicals new business is licited, importers being occupied in storing goods that have arrived during the past week. The upward movement in

bleaching powder and caustic soda continues on the other side, but we make no change in quotations here. English advices just to hand are as follows:—Peace prospects have improved the market. Sal soda in Tyne £2 9s 3d, gross weight net cash. Liverpool Sal-soda £3, net weight. Bleach, £6 to £6 2s 6d. Caustic soda, 70 p.c., £8 12s 6d, 60 p.c., £7 12s 6d to £7 15s. Lump alum £5 2s 6d to £5 5s. Sulphate of copper, £17. Bi-carb soda £6 17s 6d to £7; all less discount of 2½ to 3½ per cent. The local trade in drugs was only moderate, and the situation is as fully described last week. A report of the New York market says:—About the only feature of interest is the sharp competition between quinine manufacturers, and consequent unsettled prices for that article and cinchonidia. American manufacturers have met the recent reduction made by Bohringer. We quote quinine at 80c in ounce phials, 75c in 5-ounce cans and 73c in 100-ounce cans; while cinchonidia is reduced to 25c for ounce phials, 20c for 5-ounce cans and 18c for 100-ounce cans. Foreign quinine in bulk is offered as low as 70c, and cinchonidia at 16c. Iodide potash is down to 2.75 for bulk, and \$2.83 for ounces. Trade generally is slow, with very little doing outside of moderate purchases in a jobbing way.

COAL AND WOOD.—Receipts by water have been light for the season, and prices are not notably changed. In anthracite coal little is being done. Stove and chestnut \$6; egg and furnace, \$5.75. Cordwood quiet. Prices per per long cord, delivered ex-yard, are as follows: Maple \$6.50; birch, \$6; beech, \$5.50; tamarac, \$5. Cargo lots of soft coal, to arrive, are quoted as follows: Cape Breton, \$3.25 to \$3.30; Nova Scotia, \$3.75 to \$3.80. Scotch steam, \$4.25 ex ship. There has been some enquiry this week for coal on spot, but arrivals so far have been light.

DAIRY PRODUCE AND PROVISIONS.—A few lots of old butter were taken for the Lower Ports, at 10c to 11c. The receipts of new, so far, have not been heavy, but the demand continued light and prices have got well down, sales being reported at 13c to 16c. No transactions have been reported on spot for European shipment. The first export lot was a parcel of creamery, shipped on the Polynesian on through bills from the West. No sales of creamery are reported here, but buyers' views are low and it would probably be difficult to exceed 18c. Some few lots of new butter from Ontario (fodder made) are going through this week on consignment. In cheese there is little doing. Exporters appear afraid to take hold at all, and prices are gradually getting down to a lower level. We quote 8c to 8½c, buyers' views being still lower. There have been few orders from the other side and shippers are doing nothing. Most of the cheese going through this week is on account of factories, principally new make. It is said there is a block of medium quality, owing to cold weather during the process of curing. Eggs.—Receipts have not been large this week, but with a fair demand stocks appear to be pretty well cleaned up. Prices about the same; bulk of sales at 12½c. At Utica on Monday the ruling price of cheese was 8c. At Canton 100 pkgs sold at 7½c and about 1,300 were withdrawn. At the close of last week nearly 1,600 boxes were placed in Brockville at 9c to 9½c. Provisions have continued moderately active in a jobbing way at our prices current. Pork in Chicago to-day sold at 11.17½ June, 11.27½ July, 11.37½ August, and lard at 6.77½ June, 6.87½ July, 6.95 August.

DRY GOODS.—Remittances are not up to the mark, and in some quarters we hear of serious complaints, a marked improvement is, however, looked for. Navigation is open in all direc-

tions, and this should cause more money to come into circulation. The city retail trade report a satisfactory out-put in the aggregate, and every day is expected to, and generally does, bring increased orders. Wholesale houses while not busy, find themselves called upon to fill a fair number of small orders, both by letter and through travellers. Buyers, as a rule, have purchased sparingly this spring, and with anything like a revival of trade wholesalers may, before long, find their stocks well reduced. Cotton goods of all kinds, while not showing any actual advance are held firmly, any change that may take place is more likely to be to a higher, rather than to a lower, basis. Linens are, as previously stated, costing more money in Europe, and, with the increased duty here, stocks on hand are good property.

FLOUR AND GRAIN.—The flour market has been only moderately active and closes quiet and in buyers favor. Early in the week under review a lot of 500 bbls. Superior Extra sold at \$4.90, and subsequently a like amount was placed at \$1 85. The demand was chiefly from local sources, and small lots of choice Superior might to-day realize \$4.90. There were transactions in Extra at \$4.75 and in Spring Extra at \$4.60. A car of Canada Strong Bakers sold at \$4.70 and Manitoba Strong Bakers was offered at \$5.20. Revised quotations elsewhere. In grain, we hear of cable enquiries for wheat, and some business has resulted. Earlier in the week peas are reported to have sold in boat loads at 82c to 83c, sellers are now asking 82c, and buyers offer 80c to 81c. English cablegrams to day reported: Floating cargoes of wheat firmer-held high; on passage, turn dearer; Liverpool spot, more enquiry. Floating cargoes of corn firmer; on passage turn dearer; Liverpool spot rather easier. Wheat in Chicago to-day sold at, 89 3/4 June, 91 7-8c July, 93 7-8 August; receipts 58,000; exports 97,000. Corn 48 1-8 June and July, 48 3-8 August; receipts 68,000; shipments 154,000.

FRIGHTS.—Lots of tonnage is offering, and in consequence of the scarcity of outward dead weight low rates have been current. An engagement of grain is reported at 1s per quarter to Liverpool. Deals to direct ports, Liverpool, London and Glasgow, 52s 6d per standard. Lumber to Buenos Ayres, sailing vessels, \$13 per 1,000 feet. Engagements of cattle to Liverpool are reported at 55s. Phosphates to Liverpool by steam—a lot reported at 3s 6d per ton. English advices say:—Freights are again easier, and we quote:—

	Quebec and Montreal	Canada West.
From Liverpool:		
Rice, soda, etc.....	7s to 8s 6d	15s
Raisins, figs, currants, etc.....	10s to 12s	17s 6d to 20s
From Tyne:		
Chemicals.....	11s to 12s	17s 6d to 20s
From London:		
Groceries generally	15s to 17s 6d	20s to 22s 6d
From the Clyde:		
Sugar.....	12s 6d	20s

All per 20 cwt. and with ten per cent prime age.—Salt freights by sailing vessels to Quebec 3s.

TORACCO.—Trade this week was quiet, and prices are steady. The excitement over the fear of increased duties has about died out, but buyers showed a strong disinclination to purchase stock in bond. Within the past ten of fifteen days one firm is reported to have paid out \$100,000 on account of duties and another \$12,000.

GREEN FRUITS, VEGETABLES, ETC.—The SS *Escalona*, from the Mediterranean, having-grounded at Contre Coeur did not arrive in port until Wednesday, and the auction sale was

postponed until Tuesday next. She is reported to have on board 5,000 pkgs. of oranges and 3,000 pkgs. of lemons. Strawberries continue steady at 35c per quart. Bermuda tomatoes were easier, at 90c to \$1 per box. Valencia oranges were down to \$6.25 to \$6.50 per case; lemons in boxes steady, at \$3.50 to \$4.50. Bananas were unchanged; red, \$2 to \$2.50 per bunch; yellow, \$3 to \$6. Havana pineapples, \$2.75 to \$5 per dozen. Canadian apples \$3 to \$4 per bbl. Dates, 4c to 6c. Cocoa nuts \$4.50 per 100. Maple syrup is selling slowly, at 60c to 70c per wine gallon tin; Eastern Townships maple sugar scarce and firm at 7 1/2c to 8 1/2c; Quebec dull and plentiful at 7c. Imported vegetables—Cucumbers, \$4 to \$4.50 per bushel; green peas, \$3.50; American asparagus \$3 per dozen bunches; Upper Canadian \$2.

GROCERIES.—Generally speaking, trade has been moderate in volume. *Teds.*—A fair jobbing demand was experienced, but there was an absence of the excitement formerly noted. A cablegram from Japan dated May 20th reported the market \$1 to \$2 per picul (133 1-3 lbs) higher. A previous cablegram from Yokohama by way of New York, said:—Purchases have been made to the extent of 19,000 piculs: market is firm, owing to tight receipts. Rate of freight by the SS. San Pablo, sailing about 6th prox., is 3c per lb., to overland cities. Cablegram from Hiogo:—We can buy similar to standard No. 4, at 26 to 27c per lb. c. f. and i. via Suez. Teas grading below fine—stocks are almost nothing. Quality of new crop is up to the average. *Sugars.*—Refiners are stiff, and are holding for higher prices; they are strengthened in their position by the firm tone of English advices. The advance in beet sugar is confirmed. Refiners ask 7c for granulated and it is difficult, if not impossible, to buy any grade of refined sugar under 5c. English mail advices, dated May 7th, contribute the following:—Both Powers having entertained the questioned of arbitration, the markets have assumed a tone more compatible with a peaceful issue of the dispute with Russia. Sugar has been active with advancing prices, based on expectations of considerable smaller acreage being sown with beet root, and a probable diminution of West Indian cane, the low prices having tended to stop its production. We quote 3d advance since our last and the Clyde market is reported cleaned to-day at full prices. Beet has advanced to 14s. Another leading house, at Liverpool, reports a nominal advance, within a week, of 1s. It also says:—Stock of raw is 301,792, showing a surplus over last year of 21,267 tons, but this is quite discounted by the expectation that 10 to 30 p. c. (according to various estimates) less Beet has been sown this year than last. The following is said of the British Tea trade:—The recent clearance of teas out of bond has considerably lessened the stock of Blacks suitable for export, and prices of Congous are firmly maintained. Greens.—The lower lines are still in good demand at full rates, but the export from China is large, and we look for easier prices. The better grades, especially of Gunpowder and Gomee Young Hyson are at present low and offer tempting value. India tea very firm. *Rice* is reported easier in England at 9s to 9s 6d per cwt. Here trade is quiet and prices are unchanged. The first cargo of new unshelled has just arrived from Burmah. *Molasses* are dull but steady: sales of Barbadoes in lots at 29 1/2c to 30c. Fruit, spices, etc., are quiet and unchanged.

HAY STRAW AND FEED.—Farmers being busy with their seeding, receipts of loose hay were not large and prices were firm. The quality offered, was generally good, and sales occurred at \$11 to \$16 per 100 bundles. Straw was firm at \$7 to \$8. There was an active enquiry for pressed hay at \$16 to \$17 per ton for No 1 and \$15 to \$16 for No. 2; straw in bales, \$8 to \$9 per ton. Shorts \$18 to \$19 per ton; bran weaker at \$16, moulie \$24 to \$26 as to quality, buckwheat, 70c per bushel.

HIDES AND TALLOW.—No change has been made in the price of hides this week and business is moderate. Tallow, as usual on the opening of navigation, is firmer; and we now quote rendered at 6 1/2c to 7 1/2c and rough at 4c. There is a fair demand.

IRON AND HARDWARE.—There is an easier feeling in pig iron on account of lower freight rates. Vessel owners, however, are not willing to contract more than a month ahead, as a settlement between England and Russia is not considered to be assured yet. A few round lots, and the average number of jobbing lots were placed this week at about our quotations, large orders being probably accepted for Gartsherrie, Summerlee and Calder at \$17.50. Block tin keeps firm, and we advance our prices of Lamb and Flag to 21c and of Straits to 20c. Ingot copper recently advanced £2 per ton. Tin plates are unsettled—there have been few arrivals so far. Transactions this week are said to have taken place on the basis of \$4 25 to \$4.50 for charcoal and \$3.80 to \$4 for coals. Wire is quotable at \$2.40 up to No. 8 per 100, usual extra 15c per No. for thinner gauges.—*British metal cables are:—Warrants, 4 1/2 10d; Middlesborough No. 3 foundry, 33s; London ingot tin, £34 17s 6d; best selected copper, £48 10s; and Chili bars, £44 12s 6d.*

LEATHER.—Business has ruled quiet, the season with manufacturers not being advanced enough to allow them to judge what their requirements will be. Prices are fairly maintained. There have been a few large shipments, principally splits, from Quebec by first outward vessels. Some lots of sple are also going from this city.

LIVE STOCK.—Considering the lateness of the season the exports of cattle have been fair and the season promises well. Freight room has been secured at 55s per head and shippers expect lower rates. About 300 good cattle were sold for shipment here at 42c to 5 1/2c; extra choice bringing 5 1/2c. Several hundred were sold to local butchers at 3 1/2c to 5c. Sheep changed hands at 4c to 5c per lb., spring lambs at \$3.50 to \$4 and calves at \$1.50 to \$6 each. British cablegrams report the market 1c lower owing to large receipts. Prime Canadian were quoted at 14c: fair to choice at 13 1/2c; poor to medium at 12 1/2c; and inferior and bulls at 9c to 11c. Dressed beef in Liverpool has been steady at 5d. Refrigerator beef in London is firm with a fair demand and short supply at 4s 4d for hindquarters and 3s for forequarters per 8 lbs., by the carcass. *Horses.*—The *Concordia* brought five fine Clydesdale stallions. One was sold for nearly \$2,000 and two others realized \$1,750. There was a fair demand for Canadian horses for the States, but, desirable animals being scarce, business was dull.

LUMBER.—The first cargoes have come into the market from the Ottawa district and are going into the yards for local use, considerable stuff is also passing en route to Lake Champlain and beyond. The prospects are, that building operations will be above the average in the city, this summer, and dealers anticipate a good trade. Desirable goods have maintained their value this winter, though stocks of all descriptions were pretty full. Laths per M., as will be seen in our prices current, are now quoted at \$1.60. Shingles 1st, per lb. are selling at \$3 and seconds at \$2.50.

NAVAL STORES.—Orders have been moderate, and the market is unchanged. We quote:—coal tar, \$3 to \$3.50; pine pitch, \$2.75; pine tar, \$3 50; resin, common, \$2.75 to \$3 per bbl; spirits of turpentine, 47 1/2c to 52 1/2c; oakum, 7c to 8c.

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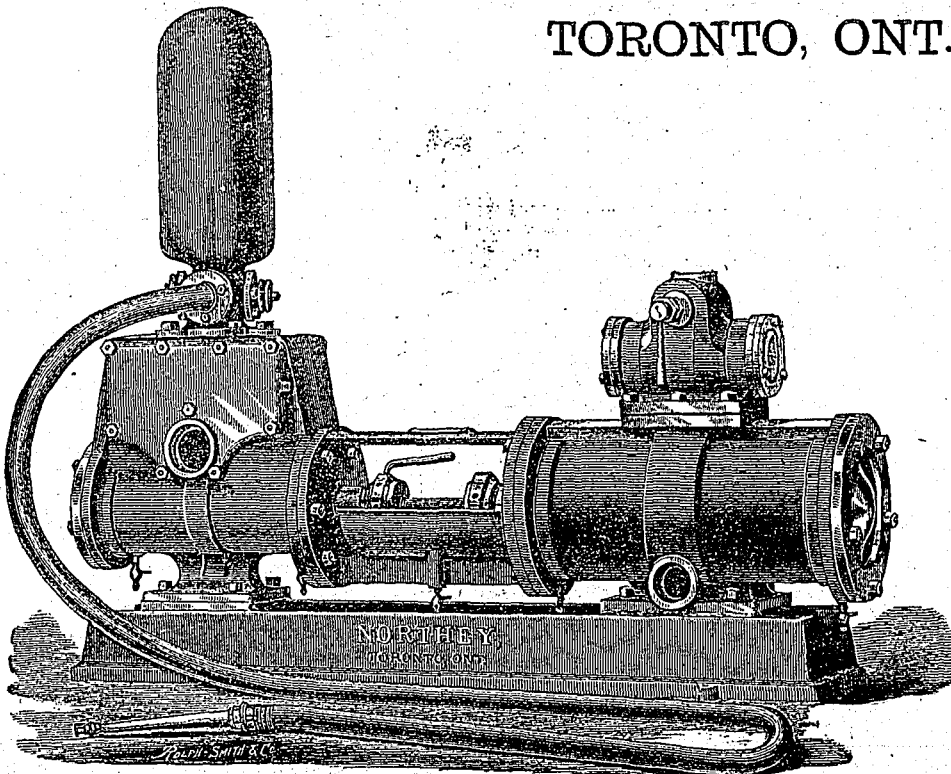
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OILS AND SALT.—The movement of fish oil was small, and sales were in jobbing lots at prices current. Petroleum unchanged. Salt was in light demand. First lots have arrived and prices opened at 50c for elevens and 48c for twelves.

PHOSPHATES.—In consequence of the scarcity of high grades, which are well sold up, little business transpired. About 750 tons may go to Hamburg this week and 250 to Liverpool. Freights respectively are reported to be 15s 6d and 6s. Prices to direct ports, London, Liverpool and Glasgow, are as follows:—86 p.c., is 1½d; 75 p.c., 11½d; 70 p.c., 10½d; 60 p.c., 9½d.

SEEDS.—Purchases keep fair for the season and prices are steady to firm. Timothy, \$2 to \$2.25 per bushel; red clover per 100 lbs., \$11 to \$11.50; alsike \$7 to \$8.50 per bushel; tares, \$1 to \$1.50; flax, \$1.10 to \$1.40.

WINES AND LIQUORS.—In anticipation of an advance in the duties, distillers all over the Dominion are taking time by the fore-lock. A big concern in Toronto disbursed \$475,000 to the Government in one day and there are reports of other large payments. The distillers and brewers of the West, whose business is threatened by the Scott Act, are said to have received tempting offers to settle in Buffalo, Syracuse and other places in the States, and will be allowed to introduce their plant free of tariff charges. Receipts and shipments of imported goods continue on a fairly large scale at this port.

WOOL.—There have been no arrivals of foreign at this port, by steamer, so far, but a lot

is on passage, and due here about the beginning of the month. The market is quiet but firm; stock held small. Domestic is also in light supply and firm. There is a good demand, and higher prices may be established before long.

TORONTO WHOLESALE MARKETS.

(Revised by Telegraph.)

Toronto, May 21, 1885.

There is but little of interest to report concerning general merchandise this week. The wholesale trade is quiet, with travellers doing less than it was expected a month ago. Farmers are busy seeding, and the putting in of the crops is later than usual. Purchases, therefore, are deferred. Fall wheat, in many sections of Ontario, is reported as looking good, and a few warm showers of rain would go a great way to assure fair crops. Wheat Market closes steady at 94c for No. 2 Fall. The money market is quiet, and rates easy. Call loans on stocks rule at 5½ to 6 per cent, and at 4c to 5c on debentures and miscellaneous shares. Commercial paper is in moderate offer; prime is discounted at 6½ and the general run of paper at 7 to 7½ per cent. Sterling exchange is quiet and easier; 60-day bills are quoted at 109½ to 109½ between banks and at 109½ across the counter; demand bills 109½ to 109½ between banks, and 110 across the counter. New York funds are 1.8 premium between banks and ½ across the counter. The Stock Market has been quiet and prices somewhat lower for bank shares. Mont-

real sold at 193½ ex-dividend, Merchants at 111 ex-dividend, Commerce at 122½, Dominion at 186½ and 187, and Federal is 96 ex-dividend bid. Yesterday Northwest Land sold up to 38½ the highest price for some time. Building and Loan sold at 104, and London and Canadian at 137. Following are prices bid to-day compared with those of last Thursday:

Banks.	Bid		Loan Cos.	Bid	
	May 21	May 14		May 21	May 14
Montreal...	193½	193½	Can. Per.....	208	208
Toronto ..	176	182	Freehold.....	160½	165
Ontario...	106	109½	Western Can... 188	188	188
Merchants	110½	113	Bldg. & Loan...	104	105
Commerce	122½	121	Farmers' Loan...	109	109
Dominion	187½	186½	Land. & Can'dn	137	135
Hamilton	118	121	Landed Credit...	119½	122
Stand'd...	112½	112½	National Inv't...	106	106
Federal...	96	99	Ontario Loan...	124½	124½
Imperial...	113	123	Hamilton Prov....	122	122
Molsons...	110	110	Imperial Sav....	110	110

BUTTER.—Trade continues unsatisfactory and prices rule low. There is an accumulation of inferior quality, which it is hard to get rid off. Some of it has sold as low as 5c. Several lots of very fair tub sold at 7c during the week for shipment to Quebec. Choice new tub is quoted at 13c to 14c. Fresh large rolls sell at 10c to 12½c. Eggs are offering more freely, and prices are easier in consequence; case lots sell at 12½c per dozen. Cheese is dull and lower; new jobs at 10c to 10½c, and inferior quality at 9c to 9½c.

COAL AND WOOD.—Coal is inactive but prices remain unchanged. Stocks are increasing, with receipts from the other side,

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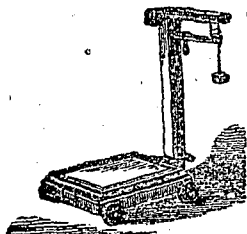
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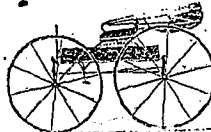
Ton lots of hard, all kinds, sold at \$6 a ton delivered, and the best soft at the same price. Wood is in fair demand; best quality of hard \$5 a cord; second quality, \$3.50; and pine \$4.

COAL OIL.—The demand is reported fair and prices easy. Canadian refined sells at 17c per gallon for small lots and at 16½c for five to ten barrel lots. Carbon safety unchanged at 19c. In Petroleum, crude is firmer at 77c to 78c, and refined at 13½c per gallon by the car lot. American oils unchanged at 23½c for prime and 27c for water white.

DRUGS.—There is a fair trade reported, and as a rule prices are unchanged. Castor oil steady at 9c to 11c. Opium unchanged at \$4.10, and glycerine unchanged at 17c to 26c. Quinine steady at \$1.15 to \$1.20; German, 95c per ounce in bottles; morphia, \$2.40 to \$2.50; bicarbonate of potash, 18c; potash iodide, \$3.90 to \$4.00; potash bromide, 48c to 50c per lb.; cream of tartar, firm, 35c to 40c; linseed oil, firm 65c for raw, and 66c to 67c for boiled; cod liver oil \$1.75; Norwegian \$3; oil of peppermint steady, at \$5.75 to \$6. Beeswax, 50c per lb.

FLOUR AND GRAIN.—The flour trade is reported as quiet, the demand having fallen off in consequence of lower prices at outside points. During the latter part of last week there were sales of extra at \$4.30; choice extra at \$4.35; and Spring extra at \$4.25. Superiors are offering at \$4.50, but the best bid appears to be \$4.40. Extras are easier at \$4.25 to \$4.30 and spring extras at \$4.20 to \$4.25. The stock in store is 2,125 barrels as compared with 2,375 barrels last week, and 1,935 barrels the corresponding week of last year. Wheat is depressed on more liberal offerings, but few sales have been effected. The English markets have been weak, and buy-

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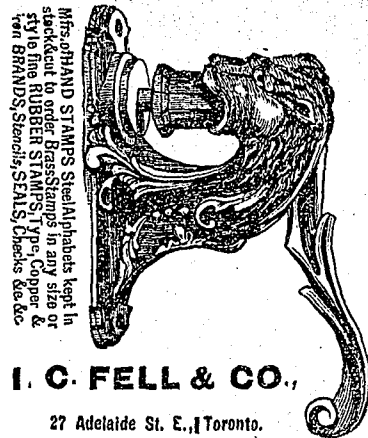
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ers here are holding off. On Monday No. 2 full sold at 95c and No. 2 spring at 93c. Yesterday, however, No. 2 fall was offering at 94c with 93c bid, and No. 2 spring was nominal at 92c to 93c. No. 3 fall is quoted at 91c to 92c, and No. 1 Spring at 96c. Red winter is nominal at 94c to 96c. The stock of wheat in store is 248,676 bushels, as compared with 158,182 bushels at the corresponding period of last year and 310,857 bushels in 1883. Barley is dull and prices nominal; the season is over. The stock in store is 25,861 bushels as compared with 20,683 bushels a week ago and 10,398 bushels at the corresponding period of last year. Oats are easier, on account of freer offerings; car lots sold the latter part of last week and on Monday at 41c, and on Tuesday and yesterday at 40c. The closing is unchanged. The stock in store is 15,930 bushels, as compared with 7,515 a week ago and none at the corresponding date of last year. Peas are dull and easy at 68c to 69c for No. 2. The stock in store is 16,458 bushels as compared with 48,615 bushels last week and 43,632 bushels the corresponding week of last year. Rye nominal at 70c to 72c. Cornmeal is quoted at \$3.25 a barrel, and Oatmeal at \$4.40 in car lots and \$4.75 to \$5 in small lots. Bran lower, with sales at \$11 on track on Tuesday.

GROCERIES.—There has been a fair demand this week, and prices rule firm. Sugars hold their own, with granulated quoted at 6½c to 6¾c. The demand for teas has been fair and liquors and tobaccos rule firm. Fruits are in moderate demand. Payments are reported fairly satisfactory.

HARDWARE.—Business is moderately active and prices unchanged. There are increased shipments since the opening of navigation. Nails 10 to 60 dy, sell at \$2.05, 3 dy. to 9 dy at \$2.90, and 3 dy at \$3.65. Ingot copper is unchanged at 15c to 16c. Tin-plates are unchanged. I. C. coke sells at \$4.25 to \$4.35, I. C. charcoal at \$4.65 to \$4.85, and I. X. at \$6.15 to \$6.25. Pig iron is nominal, at \$18 to \$19.

HIDES, SKINS, ETC.—There is a quiet trade in

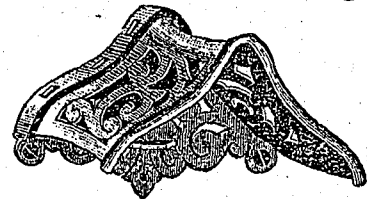


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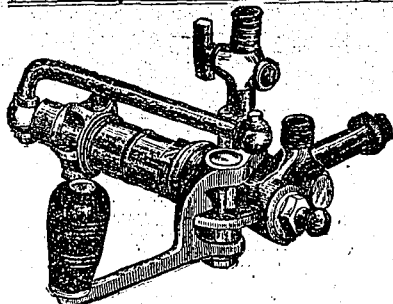
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hides, without change in prices. Cured are selling at the same prices dealers are paying for green. No. 1 green are bringing 9c, No. 1 cows 8½c, No. 2 cows 7½c. Calfskins are unchanged, with sales of cured at 15c; green are quoted at 11c to 13. Sheepskins continue firm; the best bring \$1.35, and ordinary lots 90c to \$1.15. Lambskins are higher, dealers now paying 25c. Tallow is unchanged at 3½c for rough and 6½c to 6¾c for rendered.

LIVE STOCK.—The market has been firm during the past week, which is due in a measure to light supplies. In Britain late despatches state that the markets are depressed. A few head of very choice cattle sold on Tuesday as high as 5½c per lb., and other lots for export at 5c to 5½c. Butchers cattle are firm, with sales of first-class at 4½c to 5c per lb., and inferior to medium at 3c to 3½c. Sheep in better demand and steady, with sales at \$5.50 to \$6 a head. Spring lambs rule at \$3 to \$5 a head. Hogs are firm at 5½c to 5 3/8c per lb. Cutes range from \$3 to \$12 a head, according to quality.

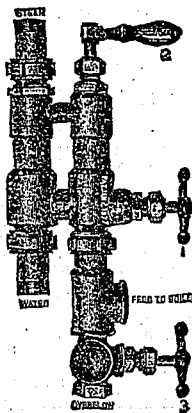
PROVISIONS, ETC.—Trade this week has been very dull, and prices in many cases lower. Bacon quiet; round lots of long clear are quoted at 7 7/8c to 8c, and small lots sell at 8½c. Cumberland cut 7½c to 7¾c, and rolls 9½c to 10c. Hams firm, with sales of smoked in a small way at 12c; round lots are held at 11½c; sweet pickled are quoted at 10½c. Lard quiet and steady; and round lots are quoted at 9c, and tubs and pails sell at 10c to 10½c in small lots. Mess pork is quoted at \$15.00 to \$15.50. Hops dull, with a few small sales at 10c to 12c. Beans dull at 75c to \$1 a bushel in lots, and \$1.10 for small quantities of hand-picked.

SEEDS.—The trade is about over, and prices remain steady. There is a small jobbing business in red clover at \$11 a cental.



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AMERICAN MARKETS.

Boston, May 21—Flour, market quiet, prices unaltered. Superline quoted \$3.25 to \$3.75; Extras \$4 to \$4.25, including choice bakers \$4.50 to \$5. Cornmeal firm at \$2.70. Oatmeal sells for \$5.25 for fine, and \$5.75 cut. Hay, market firmer, strictly choice sells at \$21.00 to \$22.00, medium \$18.00 to \$20. Butter in moderate demand, prices unchanged. Fine creamery quoted at 21c to 22c, good to choice, 18c to 20c. Cheese in light request, best new sells at 8c to 10c, general 8c to 9½c. Old selling at 10c to 10½c, for extra, and 8c to 9c fair to good. Eggs steady, with sales of Canadian at 13½c to 14c. Canada Peas in fair demand at 90c to \$1.15. Potatoes easier with sales at 50c to 68c as to quality.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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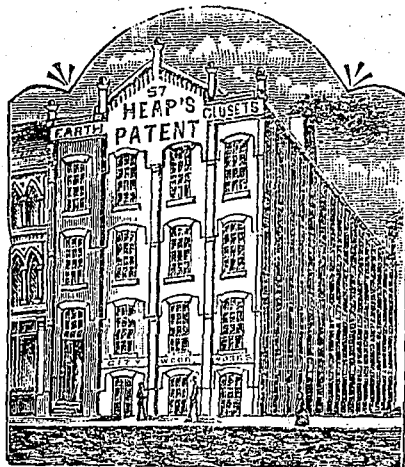
Table with columns: BANKS, CAPITAL (Authorized, Subscribed, Paid up, Reserve Fund, Dividend Rate p. c. p. annum), LIABILITIES (Notes in Circulation, Dom. Govt. Deposits on Demand, Dom. Govt. Deps. payable after notice, Deposits securing contracts & Ins., Provincial Govt. deposits on Demand).

Table with columns: BANKS, Pro. Gov. Dep. payable after notice, Other Deposits on Demand, Other Deps. payable after notice, Loans fr. Banks in Can. sec'd., Loans by Banks in Can. unsec'd., Due other Banks in Canada, Due Banks or Agts. not in Canada, Due other Bks or Agts in U. K., Other Liabilities, Total Liabilities.

ASSETS

BANKS.	Specie.	Dominion Notes.	Notes Chec. on other Bks.	Bal. due from Bks in Can.	Bal. due from Bks not in Can.	Due from Ag in U.K.	Dom. Gov. Deb. or Stock.	Prov'l. or Pub. Sec's. not Can.	Loans to Dom. Govt.	Lns to Prov. Govts.	Loans on Sec. of Crp's Bk's. or other Coll.	Loans to Muni. cipalities.	Loans to other Corp.	Loans to other Bks secured.	
1 Toronto	220,624	\$ 274,066	\$ 126,132	\$ 43,625	\$ 48,235	\$ 70,624	\$ 122,822				\$ 298,194	\$ 936,255	\$ 652,500	\$ 21,000	1
2 Commerce	494,372	477,298	410,459	149,028	1,770,149	152,000	152,000	\$ 551,574		6,394	715,389	126,157	1,540,531		2
3 Dominion	149,197	657,740	160,200	136,185	399,102			462,763			1,512,278	38,833	305,642		3
4 Ontario	218,007	280,047	232,063	83,003	167,873	200,871		140,920			76,696	32,500	90,707		4
5 Standard	114,783	160,023	74,364	57,003	21,280	12,160	24,388			63,678	173,897		81,000		5
6 Federal	91,920	157,179	133,536	63,251							340,330		68,000		6
7 Imperial	299,710	437,803	118,638	330,433	60,251			183,321	260,000		444,523	135,186	317,177		7
8 Hamilton	102,577	130,290	64,728	24,148			186,880				418,237		196,971		8
9 Ottawa	96,110	87,002	68,109	152,146	113,048				64				72,884		9
10 West. Bk. of C.	12,495	24,122	9,213	85,597	9,732	11,299					8,600				10
11 B. London C.	80,895	38,108	36,309	4,06	19,736	22,08					31,500		11,217		11
12 Cen'l B. of C.	3,602	65,676	101,037	12,682	6,126	5,980					22,307				12
Total, Ont.	1,853,205	3,019,986	1,606,012	1,157,890	2,865,646	332,742	480,035	1,288,678	250,004	70,078	3,999,366	575,932	3,881,122	21,000	
13 Montreal	2,241,508	2,513,186	980,722	91,050	3,836,381	1,562,257			3,168,677	782,610	3,372,259	218,116	8,213,700		13
14 B. N. A.	478,680	1,006,221	147,188	28,823	2,832	568,552		2,000			1,140,715	74,251	574,262		14
15 Du People	24,510	90,556	105,770	68,611	5,435	7,419					162,679				15
16 Jacq. Cartier	20,267	21,274	19,861	49,192	1,400	8,519									16
17 B. V. Marie	19,731	17,139	40,224	17,527	4,046						11,051	1,222	4,000		17
18 D'Hoehelaga	35,013	31,608	37,079	60,516	22,850						67,090				18
19 Missons	334,014	613,763	297,898	54,574	128,111	19,0			3,401		124,122	22,000	807,042		19
20 Merchants	319,08	507,254	447,159	54,732	475,172		256,250		521,608	6,300	2,024,932	267,505	1,650,572	14,653	20
21 Nationale	120,761	201,761	76,204	61,147	21,337	12,074					34,045				21
22 Quebec	81,111	217,541	161,030	70,842	66,006	83,751	148,488			4,019	770,021	117,376	467,802	30,000	22
23 Union	74,281	96,995	317,243	27,928	21,812						309,047				23
24 St. Jean	6,024	5,720	3,045	20,087	6,186										24
25 St. Hyacinthe	1,825	35,685	34,000	25,084									220,438		25
26 E. P'wshps.	114,578	82,397	24,811	139,938	257,380						84,894			32,500	26
Total, QUE.	3,983,416	5,591,877	2,003,185	770,372	5,471,408	1,670,945	624,683	2,000	3,693,685	793,129	8,936,984	720,531	11,867,399	78,153	
27 Nova Scotia	246,868	322,001	83,974	212,231	60,043	20,322		881,402	150,000	49,475	207,698		687,323		27
28 Merchants	262,802	246,523	56,428	59,014	28,454	120,119		17,970	6,687	4,626		27,579	90,752		28
29 People's Bank	29,823	125,222	23,914	48,511	21,012	61,173									29
30 Union	17,815	29,118	30,277	33,277	44,367	21,367	26,766	200,000	858	108,552	29,500				30
31 Halifax B. Co	20,045	52,006	44,772	7,272	13,127	56,078			8,511			11,129	181,581		31
32 Yarmouth	20,045	20,102	4,122	108,900	6,115	7,836	18,213				14,113				32
33 Exchange	12,628	11,500	1,000	45,257	8,523								67,104		33
34 Pictou Bank	10,714	23,136	19,490	11,406	998	25,388						6,450	5,148		34
35 C. B. W'dsor.	11,990	10,159	2,616	39,728		2,760			1,291			80	98,935		35
Total, N. BRUNSWICK	579,776	860,308	280,560	566,159	188,141	315,005	44,980	598,472	165,449	162,654	251,300	45,239	1,998,242		
36 N. Bru' w'ck	108,287	878,005	31,852	84,664	81,175	68,368			23,726		154,584		30,580		36
37 Maritime	38,17	90,545		18,390	35,452	38,320				57,692	91,888	6,997	10,267		37
38 St. Stephen's	29,268		38,357	9,334	51,748	6,488									38
Total, N. B.	175,729	478,160	90,102	112,395	168,376	109,175		23,226	57,692	243,422	6,997	41,417			
Gr. Total.	6,552,130	9,950,928	4,689,857	2,806,308	8,463,473	2,427,871	1,055,609	1,880,051	4,132,926	1,083,548	12,534,072	1,848,691	17,740,181	99,153	

BANKS.	Loans to other Bks unsecured.	Public Discounts.	Notes overdue not sec.	Other debts unsec'd.	Notes, etc., payable by R. E. or Stk., &c.	R. E. Bes. & R. E. sold by Bank.	M'tges on Bank Premises.	Bank Premises.	Other Assets.	Total Assets.	Liabilities of Directors and their firms.	Average specie for month.	Average of Dum. Notes for month.	
1 Toronto	\$ 6,097,960	\$ 18,378	\$ 29,167	\$ 130,246	\$ 105,399	\$ 952	\$ 11,309	\$ 50,000	\$ 5,000	\$ 8,997,181	\$ 52,325	\$ 217,347	\$ 303,162	1
2 Commerce	15,000	14,167,113	130,246	29,167	294,304	61,244	75,303	201,169	21,778,098	462,270	480,000	719,000	2	
3 Dominion	5,193,102	86,285		86,285	84,909	9,450	133,308	39,308	3,819,684	822,100	140,000	400,000	3	
4 Ontario	5,495,307	38,253		38,253	28,214	107,912	49,442	108,115	4,169	7,044,311	160,200	210,000	810,800	4
5 Standard	85,000	14,804		14,804	4,500		1,000	92,400	13,933	3,980,361	125,518	111,020	166,476	5
6 Federal	4,459,990	1,456,285		1,456,285	60,149	50,048	142,748	14,253	7,489,450	229,715	93,263	210,936	6	
7 Imperial	4,014,620	107,332		107,332	106,338	42,216	124,553	14,263	6,992,130	193,658	286,173	440,974	7	
8 Hamilton	109,848	2,584,164	80,123		42,490		25,000	22,102	4,027,366	120,000	99,181	127,603	8	
9 Ottawa	2,946,915	5,692		5,692	81,748	2,800	3,297	46,953	3,586,060	555,076	95,531	94,642	9	
10 West. Bk. of C.	690,139				3,607				7,842	603,52	11,659	26,206	10	
11 B. London C.	498,825	7,449						9,986	716,3	48,762	38,212	38,212	11	
12 Cen'l B. of C.	21,646	1,185,895	2,011					14,637	1,470,118	64,483	31,113	45,20	12	
Total Ont.	321,494	50,067,149	1,024,781		741,716	275,035	183,229	1,072,244	95,208	78,707,941	1,865,615	1,823,552	3,029,521	
13 Montreal	16,388,864	264,233			142,891	80,773	109,304	440,000	846,622	45,302,382	2,456,442	2,375,830	3,102,083	13
14 B. N. A.	4,880,884	29,167			48,911	6,800	20,000	200,000	9,302,234	462,270	480,000	781,578	14	
15 Du People	2,588,580	60,984			102,657	48,294	17,826	35,000	5,761	3,919,035	218,682	24,771	53,500	15
16 Jacq. Cartier	289,009	8,210			197,003	89,574	226,205	80,000	225,043	1,160,358	92,551	21,079	15,809	16
17 B. V. Marie	768,236	32,280			13,455	63,475	9,650	47,000	312,302	1,366,946	92,123	16,717	17	
18 D'Hoehelaga	1,281,828	2,080			97,056	66,072	24,410	39,497	1,110	1,719,393	128,208	36,678	31,182	18
19 Missons	6,097,940	37,000			106,700	31,928	39,497	190,000	2,218	9,474,105	131,931	31,066	421,102	19
20 Merchants	11,697,092	237,411	21,429		125,019	146,708	76,630	430,000	91,214	19,361,727	1,027,162	241,000	727,000	20
21 Nationale	3,279,054	48,019			146,038	109,341	18,882	90,826	27,535	4,301,174	269,815	116,000	205,000	21
22 Quebec	4,966,750	74,216			487,972	213,510	80,653	70,657	21,198	7,945,168	639,632	72,207	236,442	22
23 Union	3,511,377	165,553			78,747	28,212	40,000	112,590	59,308	4,962,960	280,827	63,073	112,000	23
24 St. Jean	410,209	26,627			38,996	650	18,509	541,270	5,630	541,270	35,629	4,000	5,628	24
25 St. Hyacinthe	50,000	687,114	85,905		31,793	23,384	3,296	10,979	27,263	963,683	42,670	12,109	86,055	25



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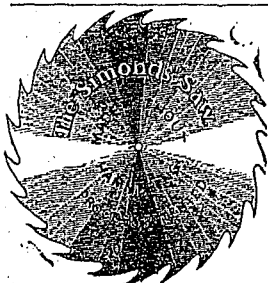
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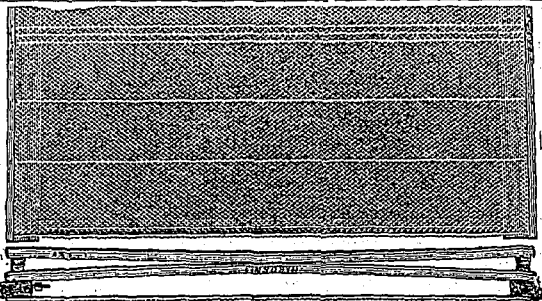
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The Steamer **QUEBEC**, Capt. R. NELSON, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and the Steamer **MONTREAL**, Capt. L. H. ROY, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 7 o'clock, p.m., from Montreal.

STEAMERS BETWEEN **MONTREAL AND TORONTO**, will commence running daily on 1st June

Steamer **BOHEMIAN**, Capt. BAKER, will leave for Cornwall and Intermediate ports every Tuesday and Friday, at 12 o'clock noon, commencing Friday, 8th May.

Steamer **THREE RIVERS**, Capt. COLLETTE, leaves for Three Rivers every Tuesday and Friday at 1 p.m.

Steamer **CHAMBLY**, Capt. GEO. NELSON, leaves for Chambly every Tuesday and Friday at 1 p.m.

Steamer **TERREBONNE**, Capt. LAFORGE, leaves daily (Sundays excepted) at 3:30 p.m., Saturdays at 2:30 p.m.; for Verchere, calling at Boucherville, Verennes and Bout de l'Isle. For L'Assomption and St. Paul l'Ermite, on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Saturdays; and for Outrecoeur on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

COMPANY'S TICKET OFFICES—K. A. JACKSON, 180 St. James St., opposite St. Lawrence Hall; J. McCORMICK, Windsor Hotel, Robt. McEwen, Canal Basin, and at the Company's Ticket Office, Richelieu Pier, foot of Jacques Cartier Square.

ALEX. MILROY, J. B. LABELLE, Traffic Manager, General Manager. General Office, 228 St. Paul St., Montreal, May 6th, 1885.



NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Indian Supplies," will be received at this office up to noon of MONDAY, 26th MAY, 1885, for the delivery of Indian Supplies during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1886, consisting of Flour, Bacon, Groceries, Ammunition, Twine, Oxen, Cows, Bulls, Agricultural Implements, Tools, &c., duty paid, in Manitoba and the North-West Territories.

Forms of tender containing full particulars relative to the Supplies required, dates of delivery, &c., may be had by applying to the undersigned, or to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs at Regina, or to the Indian Office, Winnipeg.

Parties may tender for each description of goods (or for a portion of each description of goods) separately or for all the goods called for in the schedules.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an accepted Cheque in favor of the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs on a Canadian Bank, for at least five per cent. of the amount of the tenders for Manitoba, and ten per cent. of the amount of the tenders for the North-West Territories, which will be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

Tenders are required to make up in the Money columns in the Schedule the total money value of the goods they offer to supply, or their tender will not be entertained.

Each tender must, in addition to the signature of the tenderer, be signed by two sureties acceptable to the Department, for the proper performance of the contract.

In all cases where transportation may be only partial by rail, contractors must make proper arrangements for supplies to be forwarded at once from railway stations to their destination in the Government warehouse at the point of delivery. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

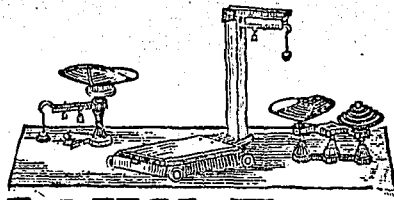
L. VANKOUGHNET,

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, OTTAWA, 19TH MARCH, 1885.

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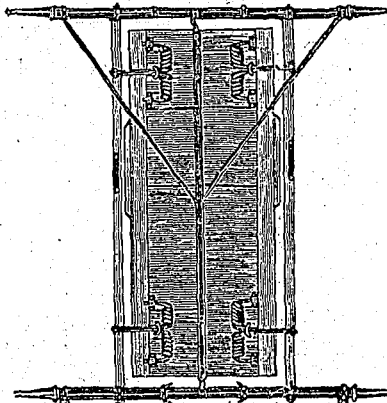
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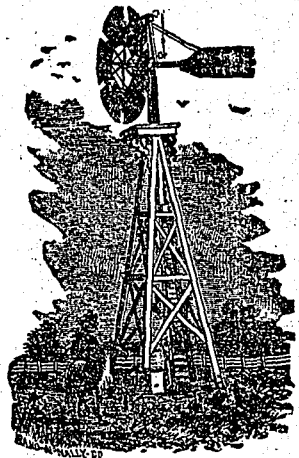
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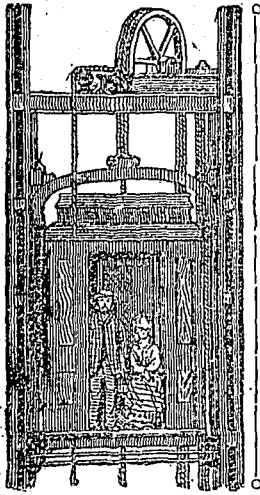
Forms of Tender, with full particulars, can be had on application to John Taylor, General Storekeeper of the Company at Montreal, or to the Deputy Storekeepers at London and Portland.

Tenders endorsed "Tender for Stores," and addressed to the undersigned, will be received on or before Saturday, May 30th.

JOSEPH HICKSON,

General Manager.

Montreal, April 21st, 1885.



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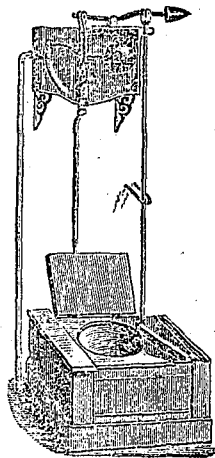
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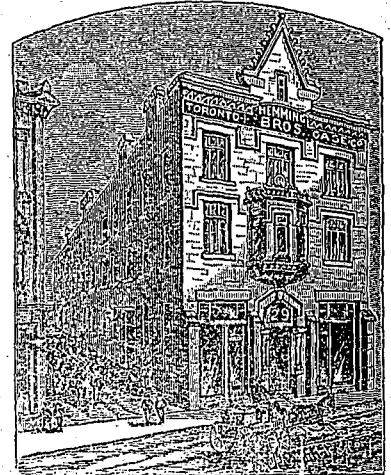
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TIME TABLE,	Morning Express.	Night Express.
Leave Montreal	8.40 A.M.	7.30 P.M.
Arrive Ottawa	12.03 P.M.	11.00 P.M.
" Toronto	9.55 P.M.	8.30 A.M.
Leave Toronto	8.25 A.M.	7.55 P.M.
" Ottawa	6.07 P.M.	5.17 A.M.
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NAME.	Par Value	Capital Subscribed.	Capital paid-up.	Rest.	Div. last 6 Ms.	Per Cent Prices May 21.	Cash Value per Sh.
British North America	\$ 243 1/2	\$ 4,866,666	\$ 4,866,666	\$ 81,129	3	114	277 40
Can. Bank of Commerce	50	6,000,000	6,000,000	2,000,000	4	122 1/2	61 37 1/2
Central Bank	100	1,000,000	255,000		3		
Commercial Bk of Windsor	40	500,000	260,000	78,000	4	124	49 60
Dominion Bank	50	1,500,000	1,500,000	930,000	5	186	186
Du Peuple	50	1,200,000	1,200,000		2	56	60
Eastern Townships	50	1,500,000	1,446,142	375,000	3 1/2	108	111
Exchange Bank, Yarmouth	70	280,000	246,715	30,000	3	84	57 00
Federal Bank	100		1,260,000		3	100*	100 00
Ifalifax Banking Co.	20	500,000	600,000	50,000	3	103	20 60
Hamilton	100	1,000,000	984,770	250,000	3 1/2	114	114 00
Hochelaga	100	705,970	710,100	50,000	3	76 1/2	76 25
Imperial Bank of Can.	100	1,600,000	1,500,000	680,000	4	133 1/2	133 50
Jacques Cartier	25	500,000	500,000	140,000	3 1/2	67	75
London	100	1,000,000	321,000	50,000	3 1/2		
Maritime	100	321,000	185,000	40,000	3	110	110 75
Merchants' Bank of Can.	100	5,700,000	5,700,000	1,200,000	3 1/2	111 1/2	111 25
Merchants' Bk of Halifax	50	1,000,000	1,000,000	180,000	3 1/2	103 1/2	93 15
Molson Bank	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	600,000	4	114	67 00
Montreal	200	12,000,000	12,000,000	6,000,000	5	193 1/2	194 1/2
Nationale	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	30,000	4	6	31 60
New Brunswick	100	1,000,000	1,000,000	300,000	4	121 1/2	121 50
Nova Scotia	100	1,114,300	1,114,300	470,000	3 1/2	135 1/2	135 50
Ontario Bank	100	1,500,000	1,500,000	425,000	3 1/2	106 1/2	106 60
Ottawa	100	1,000,000	999,580	160,000	3 1/2		
People's of Halifax	20	600,000	600,000	70,000	2	100	20 00
People's Bank of N.B.	50		150,000			100	50 00
Pictou Bank	50	500,000	249,360	70,000	3	95	47 50
Quebec Bank	100	2,500,000	2,500,000	325,000	3 1/2	95	95 00
St. Stephen's Bank	100	200,000	200,000	50,000	4		
Standard	50	803,700	783,005	185,000	3 1/2	109	110
Toronto	100	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,100,000	4	176 1/2	177 1/2
Union Bank, (Halifax)	50	1,000,000	500,000	80,000	3	103 1/2	51 75
Union Bank of L. C.	100	2,000,000	2,000,000	30,000	2 1/2	69 1/2	58 50
Ville Marie	100	500,000	464,300	20,000	3 1/2	81	81 00
Yarmouth	100	400,000	383,230	20,000	3	121 1/2	121 50
Agrie. Sav. and Loan Co.	50	600,000	578,313	67,000	4	118 1/2	59 25
Brant. Loan and Sav. Co.	50	130,000	121,000	6,000	3 1/2	108	54 25
Brit. Can. Loan and Inv. Co.	100	1,350,000	267,066	27,000	3	104	104 00
Brit. Mortg. Loan Co.	25	450,000	181,312	127,000	3 1/2		
Building and Loan Assoc.	100	750,000	697,000	85,000	3	103 1/2	105
Canada Cotton Co.	100	750,000	697,000		0	30	30 00
Canada Landed Credit Co.	50	1,500,000	683,500		4	123	61 50
Can. Perm. Loan and Sav.	50	3,000,000	2,200,000	1,100,000	6 1/2	210	105 00
Can. Sav. and Loan Co.	50	700,000	650,410	120,000	4	120	60 00
Dominion Sav. and Inv. Co.	50	1,000,000	868,840	149,000	4	114	56 50
Dominion Telegraph Co.	50	1,000,000	1,000,000		3	106	53 00
Dundas Cotton Co.	100	500,000	500,000			25	47 1/2
Farmer's Loan and Sav. Co.	50	1,057,250	611,430	76,857	4	108	x.d.
Freehold Loan and Sav. Co.	100	1,050,400	690,680	261,500	5	160 1/2	x.d.
Hamilton Prov. and Loan	100	1,500,000	1,100,000	125,000	4	122	122 00
Home Sav. and Loan Co.	100	1,000,000	100,000	40,000	3 1/2		
Hudson Cotton Co.	100	2,000,000	850,000			65	68
Huron & Erie Loan Soc.	50	1,000,000	1,008,160	320,000	5	158	9 00
Huron & Lambton Loan Co.	50	350,000	230,000	32,000	4		
Imperial Loan and Inv. Co.	100	629,850	621,704	85,000	3 1/2	111	111 00
Landed Banking and Loan		700,000	310,977	20,000	3		
Land. & Can. Loan and Ag.	50	4,000,000	560,000	250,000	5	139	69 50
London Loan Co.	50	659,700	464,519	45,000	4	116	118
London and Ont. Inv. Co.	100	2,700,000	400,000	50,000	3 1/2	113	113 00
Manitoba Inv. Assoc.	100	300,000	100,000	3,000	4		
Manitoba Loan	100	515,900			5	109	109 00
Montreal Telegraph Co.	40	2,000,000	2,000,000		4	122 1/2	123 1/2
Montreal City Gas Co.	40	2,000,000	1,876,722		6	181 1/2	182 1/2
Montreal City Pass. Ry. Co.	50	600,000	600,000		4	114 1/2	116
Montreal Cotton Co.	100	750,000	794,000		0	75	67 37 1/2
Montreal Building Assoc.	50	300,000	300,000		0	80	57 50
Montreal Loan and Mortg.	50	1,000,000	832,812	106,000	3 1/2	79	35 00
National Investment Co.	100	1,469,000	350,000	20,000	3 1/2	107	44 50
N. S. Sugar Refinery	100	350,000	350,000		2 1/2	30	107 00
Ont. Indus. Loan and Inv.		308,500		20,000	4		30 00
Ont. Inv. Assoc.	50	2,650,000	634,715,71	500,000	4	124	62 00
Ont. Loan and Deb. Co.	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	285,000	4	124 1/2	62 50
People's Loan and Deb. Co.	50	500,000	487,048	42,000	3 1/2	141	70 50
Real Est. Loan and Deb. Co.	50	500,000	346,213		3	71	37 50
Richelieu and Ont. Nav. Co.	100	1,619,000	1,619,000		3	58	58 1/2
Royal Loan and Sav. Co.	50	400,000	299,308	24,000	4	116 1/2	58 12 1/2
Starr Mfg Co., Halifax	100	200,000	200,000		4	95	95 00
St Paul, M & M. Ry.	100				3 1/2		
Toronto City Gas Co.	50	800,000	800,000		2 1/2	134	x.d.
Union Loan and Sav. Co.	50	600,000	575,000	160,000	4	131	65 50
Western Can. Loan and Sav.	50	2,000,000	1,200,000			188	94 00

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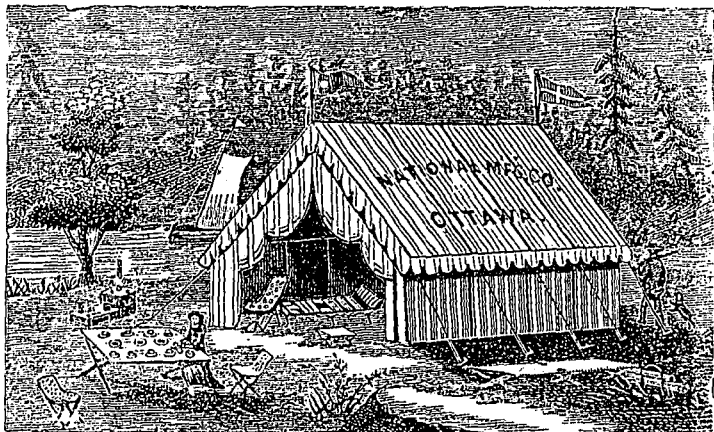
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For Tents, Marquees and Camp Furniture.

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OFFICE OF THE INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION ASSOCIATION, TORONTO, MARCH 10, 1884.

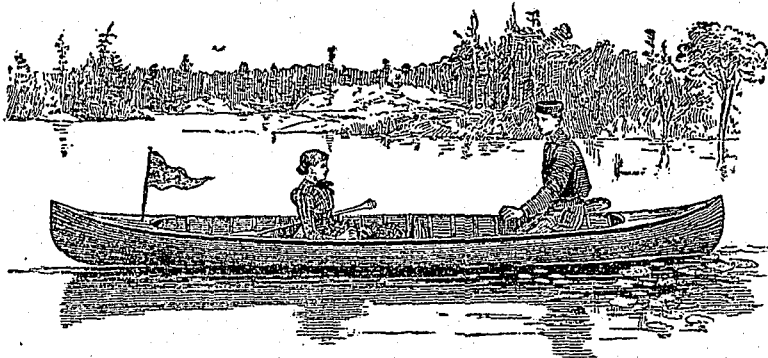
The National Manufacturing Company Ottawa:

GENTLEMEN.—In reply to your inquiry, I beg to say that the highest awards made at the Industrial Exhibition for the years 1881, 1882, and 1883, for Tents, Marquees and Flags, were to your Company, being a Silver Medal for each year. Last year, 1883, was the first in which a medal was specially offered for Camp Furniture and Equipages, and it was awarded to the National Manufacturing Co'y, of Ottawa.

I am, yours respectfully, H. J. HILL, Manager and Secretary

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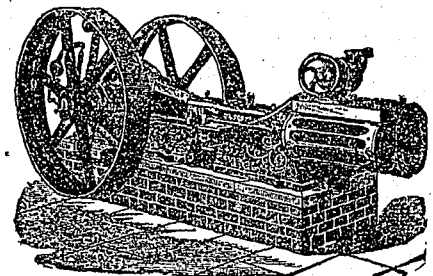
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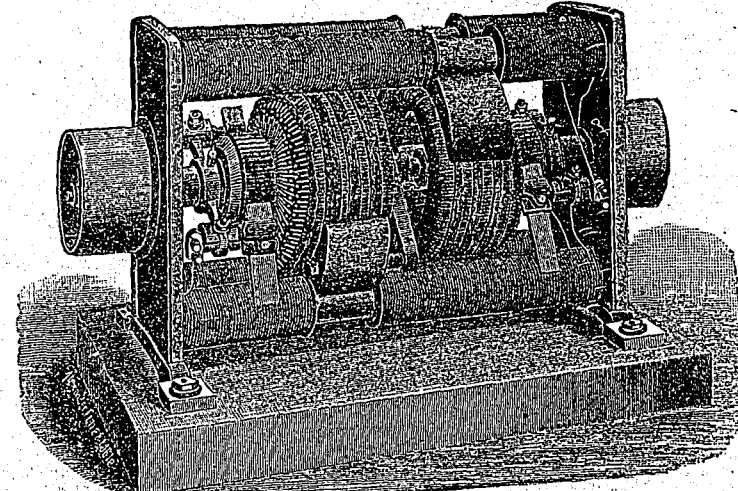
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Name of Article.	Wholesale.	Name of Article.	Wholesale.	Name of Article.	Wholesale.	Name of Article.	Wholesale.
Boots and Shoes.							
Men's Thick Boots Wax...	2 15 3 00	" Am. Ref.	0 82 0 85	Gunpd. Finest. lb	\$ c. \$ c.	Sago. per il	\$ c. \$ c.
" Split "	1 50 2 25	Guu Arabic, per lb.	0 30 0 60	Imperl., med. to gd. "	0 25 0 33	Tapioca, Pearl. "	0 04 0 05
" Kip Boots.	2 50 3 25	" Traj.	0 45 0 90	" Fine to finest. "	0 37 0 58	" Flake "	0 05 0 06
" Calif Boots, pegged. "	2 30 4 75	Coppers per 100 lb.	0 95 1 00	Twankay, com. to gd. "	0 12 0 18	Gelatine, Favorite, (Pollwka's) 1 lb can.	1 00 0 00
" Kip Boots.	1 20 4 40	Blue Vitriol.	3 00 0 00	Oolong.	0 45 0 63	Do do do 1 qt pk.	0 80 0 00
" Split do.	0 75 1 10	Potash Bichromate.	0 09 0 10	Congou common.	0 16 0 20	Do do do 2 1/2 qts.	1 80 0 00
" Split Congress.	1 30 1 50	Strychnine.	1 75 0 00	" med. to good. "	0 23 0 30	Do (Cox's) 4's.	1 10 1 12
" Buff "	1 50 2 00	Brom. Potass.	0 50 0 55	" fine to finest. "	0 36 0 65	Do do 0's.	1 60 1 63
" Buff & Pebbled Bals. "	1 50 3 00	FSH.		Souchong common. "	0 18 0 20	Hardware.	
" Split.	1 00 1 40	Labrador Herrings, No. 1	5 20 0 07	" med. to good "	0 25 0 30	Tin: Block, L & F per lb.	0 00 0 21
Wom's Pebbled & Buff Bals	1 00 1 50	" No. 2	4 25 4 50	Fine to choice "	0 36 0 66	do Stralts.	0 00 0 20
" Split Bals.	0 80 1 10	Cape Breton Herrings.	5 00 5 75	Offees, green Mocha per lb.	0 28 0 27	Strip.	0 21 0 22
" Prunella do.	0 57 1 25	Mackerel No. 1.	0 00 0 00	Java.	0 18 0 22	Copper: Ingot.	0 13 0 15
" Inferior do.	0 10 0 60	Green Cod No. 1.	3 25 4 50	Maracabo.	0 11 0 14	Sheer.	0 19 0 24
" Cong. do.	0 50 1 25	Ordinary No. 2.	2 50 0 00	Cape.	0 12 0 14	Cut Nails, Net Cash:	
" Buskins. do.	0 60 1 00	Dry "	3 00 4 50	Jamaica.	0 11 0 14	Hot Cut Am. or Can. Pat'n	
Misses' Pebbled & Buff Bals	0 85 1 35	N. Shore Salmon.	12 00 12 50	Rio.	0 12 0 14	3 in. and above "	2 40 0 00
" Split Bals.	0 75 0 90	Brit. Col.	11 00 11 50	Singapore & Ceylon "	0 17 0 24	2 1/2 & 2 1/2 ins. "	2 85 0 00
" Prunella do.	0 80 1 00	Oysters.	0 00 0 00	Chicoory "	0 11 0 12 1/2	2 & 2 1/2 ins. "	2 90 0 00
" Cong. do.	0 60 0 70	Flour.		Sugars, (Caks. & Brls.)		1 1/2 & 1 1/2 ins. Am. "	3 40 0 00
Childs' Pebbled & Buff B's	0 60 1 10	Patents.	4 90 5 50	Porto Rico. per lb	0 04 0 65	1 1/2 & 1 1/2 Cold Cut, Can. "	2 90 0 00
" Split Bals.	0 60 0 60	Superior Extra.	4 20 4 85	Jamaica.	0 00 0 60	1 1/2 ins. "	3 40 0 00
" Prunella do.	0 60 0 70	Extra Superfine "	4 70 4 75	Barbados. per lb.	0 00 0 00	1 1/2 & 1 1/2 Cold Cut, Can. "	2 90 0 00
Infants' Cacks. doz.	3 50 6 00	Canada Strong Bakers. "	4 85 5 00	Yellow Refined.	0 04 0 05	1 1/2 ins. "	3 40 0 00
Dairy Produce.		Do American.	5 25 5 50	Paris Lump.	0 07 0 07	Casing, Box, Shook :	
Creamery, fine to choice.	0 00 0 20	Do Manitoba.	5 15 5 21	Granulated "	0 00 0 07	1 1/2 in. p100 lb. keg.	4 40 0 00
Township, choice.	0 17 0 18	Fancy.	0 00 4 65	Syrups.—Extra. per lb.	0 03 0 04	1 1/2 in. to 1 3/4 "	3 65 0 00
Do fair to good.	0 00 0 15	Spring Extra.	0 00 4 60	Good.	0 03 0 03 1/2	2 in. 1/2 to 2 1/2 "	3 40 0 00
Brookville, choice.	0 15 0 17	Superfine.	4 35 4 45	Fair.	0 01 0 02 1/2	2 1/2 in. 1/2 to 2 p. 100 lb. kog	3 15 0 00
Do fair to good.	0 00 0 00	Pine.	4 10 4 20	Molasses (Barbados) 1m g.	0 30 0 35	3 in. to 4 1/2 "	2 80 0 00
Morrisburg, choice.	0 15 0 17	Middlings.	3 7 3 8	Trinidad.	0 26 0 28	Cut Spikes, all sizes.	2 65 0 00
Do fair to good.	0 10 0 00	Pollards.	8 55 3 60	Antigua.	0 23 0 26	Finishing Nails:	
Western Dairy.	0 14 0 15	Ont. Bags.	2 10 2 35	Fruit Loose Muscatel, new	2 50 2 50	1 in. to 1 1/2 in. p. 100 lb. kg	5 65 4 70
Do fair to good.	0 00 0 00	City Bags.	2 55 2 6	Sultanas.	0 08 0 07	1 1/2 in. to 1 3/4 in. "	4 60 3 80
Cheese, new.	0 65 0 65	Oatmeal brls.	4 75 5 00	Seedless.	0 00 0 00	3 in. and up. "	3 30 0 00
Fair to Good.	0 00 0 00	Cornmeal white.	3 45 3 65	Valentia, choicest, net per lb.	0 07 0 08	Tobacco Box Nails:	
Drugs & Chemicals.		" yellow.	3 25 3 45	" rain damaged.	0 06 0 07	1 1/2 in. & 1 1/2 in. p. 100 lb kg	4 65 3 50
Aloe Caps.	0 16 0 18	Crain		Currants, new.	0 05 0 06	1 1/2 " 3 "	3 3 3 15
Alum.	1 80 1 90	Canada, cod. No. 2.	1 02 1 04	" old.	0 04 0 04 1/2	2 1/2 " 3 "	3 05 2 95
Borax xtls.	0 12 0 14	" White Winter "	1 00 1 02	Prunes.	0 04 0 04	Clinch and Heavy Clinch:	8 20 6 20
Bleaching Powder.	2 00 2 25	" White No. 2.	1 01 1 04	Figs C. Mats.	0 04 0 04	3 in. and up.	5 20 0 00
Brimstone.	2 50 2 60	White Michigan No. 1.	0 00 0 00	H. S. Almonds bxs "	0 10 0 10	Fat & Sharp pres'd N's:	1 85 0 00
Castor Oil.	0 09 0 10	Red Winter, No 2 Toledo.	0 00 0 00	S. S. Tarracon.	0 14 0 15	1 and 1 1/2 in. per 10 lb.	1 55 0 00
Caustic Soda.	2 25 2 35	Chicago No 2, in bonds.	0 00 0 00	Walnut, English "	0 06 0 08	1 1/2 " 2 "	4 20 0 00
Cream Tartar.	0 35 0 37	Whiteaukie No. 2 do	0 00 0 00	" Grenoble, new "	0 12 0 14	2 1/2 " 2 1/2 "	8 85 6 85
Epsom Salts.	1 25 1 40	Oats.	0 38 0 39	Fibrets.	0 08 0 07 1/2	3 in. and up.	5 85 0 00
Extract Logwood, best	0 09 0 10	Barley.	0 50 0 65	Brazils, new.	0 07 0 08 1/2	25 per cent. discount.	4 15 0 00
" ordinary.	0 08 0 09	Peas. per 6 lb.	0 80 0 82	Ratt's Nebob Pickles, doz	2 70 3 8	Net 30 ds or 4 mos note with	3 40 0 00
Indico Madras.	0 70 1 00	Rye.	0 72 0 73	" Mixed do	2 80 2 80	Int. These terms apply to	3 65 0 00
Morphia.	2 25 2 40	Corn in bond.	0 60 0 61	" Nabob Sauce. pt	0 09 0 15	all the above nails.	0 00 0 00
Mustel, best.	0 12 0 13 1/2	Groceries.		Spices: Cassia. per lb	0 80 0 85	" Horse Nails F. & F B. light.	0 00 0 00
" ordinary.	0 08 0 09	" EA, (H.C.H. & Cad.),		Mace. per lb	0 18 0 22	" No 7	0 21 0 00
Onium.	4 35 4 50	Japan, com. to med. lb.	0 16 0 22	Cloves.	0 45 0 70	" No 8	0 28 0 00
Oxalic Acid.	0 13 0 15	" good med. to fine. "	0 28 0 34	Nutmegs.	0 40 0 70	" No 9	0 22 0 00
Phosphorus.	0 75 0 90	Japan, med. to choist	0 37 0 48	Jamaica Ginger. Bi.	0 18 0 18	" No 10	0 28 0 00
Potash Soude.	4 25 4 50	Japan Nara-saki.	0 17 0 25	Jamaica " Unbl. "	0 13 0 13	" M Brand 40 to 5 8 p.c dis	0 22 0 00
Quinine.	1 20 1 40	Y. Hyson com. to gd	0 16 0 25	African.	0 11 0 14	" C Brand 40 to 5 & 2 1/2 p.c dis	
Soda Ash.	1 05 1 70	Y. Hyson fine to finest, lb	0 36 0 60	Pimento.	0 06 0 08	Wrot or Ship Spikes.	
Soda Bicarb.	2 30 2 50	Gunpd., fair to med. "	0 28 0 34	Pepper, Black.	0 17 0 18 1/2	7-16 and 1/2 in.	3 90 0 00
Sul Soda.	1 12 1 20	" Good to fine "	0 40 0 50	" White.	0 28 0 27 1/2	3-8 in.	4 25 0 00
Tartaric Acid.	0 55 0 80			Mustard, 1/2 lb. Jars. "	0 17 0 19	5-16 in.	4 75 0 00
Sul Soda.	0 65 0 75			1 lb. "	0 24 0 27	1/2 in.	4 75 0 00
Camphor Eng. Ref.	0 38 0 38			Rice: Arracan. & n. 100 lb	0 07 0 00	(Dis 20 to 25 p.c)	

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Terms, 4 mos. or 5 p.c. or 30 days	3	70	F. F. to F. F. F.	4	75	" 51	0	00
Aces ss. & da.—25 to 30 dis.	11	00	Barbed wire, per lb	0	05	" 70	0	00
Galvanized Iron: No. 24	0	05	Hides and Skins.			" 71	0	00
" " " No. 26	0	05	Montreal Green Hides,	7	50	" 81	0	00
" " " No. 28	0	05	No. 1, p. 100 lbs.	0	00	" 86	0	00
Pig Iron: Stomch. No. 1	18	00	" No. 2	5	60	" 91	0	00
Coltness	0	00	" No. 3	5	60	" 96	0	00
Calder	18	00	Tanners pay \$1 more for cur'd and inspected.	0	00	Paints, &c.		
Langlois	18	50	Hamilton, No. 1 insp.	9	00	White Lead, pure 25 to 100 lb kgs.	5	50
Summerlee	18	50	" " 2	8	00	" No. 1	5	00
Garthrie	17	00	" " 2	8	00	" No. 2	4	50
Eglinton	16	00	Toronto, " 2	0	10	" No. 3	4	00
Honaitle	20	00	Chicago Buff.	0	10	White Lead, dry	4	75
Bar Iron, per 100 lbs.	1	05	Heavy Steers	10	50	Red Lead	4	25
Best Rolled	1	00	Calfskins, Western	0	70	Venetian Red, Eng'h.	1	50
Siemens	2	12	City Sheepskins, each	0	13	Yel. Ochre, French	0	50
Sweetes	4	00	" Clips	0	00	Whiting London Washed.	1	10
Sheet Iron to No. 20	2	12	" Lambskins	0	00	" Paris	2	75
Boiler Plates	2	75	" Calfskins, per lb	0	00	Portland Cement, bri.	2	50
Boiler Lowmoor	0	00	Leather (at 6 months.)			Roman " bri.	2	50
Hoops and Bands	2	00	No. 1, B. A. Sole	0	26	Water Lime, bri.	1	50
Canada Plates: Hatton	2	00	No. 2, B. A. Sole	0	23	Pine Bricks per M.	25	00
Penn. and W. P. & Co.	2	00	No. 1 Ordinary Sole	0	24	Calcined Plaster, p. bri.	1	60
Iron Wire: 0 to 8 p. 100 lbs	2	40	No. 2	0	23	Drain Pipes, 4 in. to 12 in. per yard	0	40
Wro't Iron pipe 70 to 70 & 2 1/2 p.c. dis.	0	11	Buffalo Sole, No. 1	0	21	Salt.		
Steel, cast per lb	0	11	" No. 2	0	19	Liverpool Coarse, per bag	0	48
" Spring 100 "	3	00	China " No. 1	0	22	Canadian, n small bags.	3	00
" Tire	2	75	" No. 2	0	19	Factory filled, per bag	1	20
" Sleigh Shoe	2	25	Zanzibar, " No. 1	0	21	Eureka factory filled do	2	40
" Blister, p lb	0	10	" No. 2	0	19	Timber, Lumber, &c.		
Tin Plate: IC Coke	3	80	Slaughter, No. 1	0	25	Ash, 1 to 4 in., M	18	00
IC Charcoal	4	25	Harness	0	25	Birch, 1 to 4 in., M	20	00
IX			Upper Heavy	0	32	Basswood	12	00
XXX			" Light	0	35	Walnut, per M.	6	00
DC			Grained Upr.	0	34	Butternut, per M.	25	00
DX			Scotch Grain	0	37	Cedar, round, lineal foot	00	06
DXX			Rip Skins, French	0	75	Cedar, flat, lineal foot	00	04
Russ. Sheet Iron	0	10	English	0	65	Cherry, per M.	63	00
Anchors, per lb	4	75	Canada, Rip	0	40	Elm, soft, 1st.	15	00
Lion & Crown, Tin'd Sheets	0	06	Hemlock Calf	0	70	Elm, Rock.	25	00
24 gauge	0	06	" Light	0	55	Hemlock, 1 to 3 in., M.	9	00
Lead: Pig, per 100 lbs.	3	25	French Calf	1	05	Hemlock, timber, M.	14	00
Sheet	3	75	Splits, Light & Medium	0	22	Maple, hard, M.	25	00
Shot	0	04	" Heavy	0	21	Soft, do.	16	00
Lead Pipe, per 100 lbs.	5	00	" Small	0	18	Oak, M.	40	00
Zinc: Sheet, lb	4	50	Leather Board, Canada	0	08	Pine, clear, M.	35	00
			Enamelled Cow, per ft.	0	15			

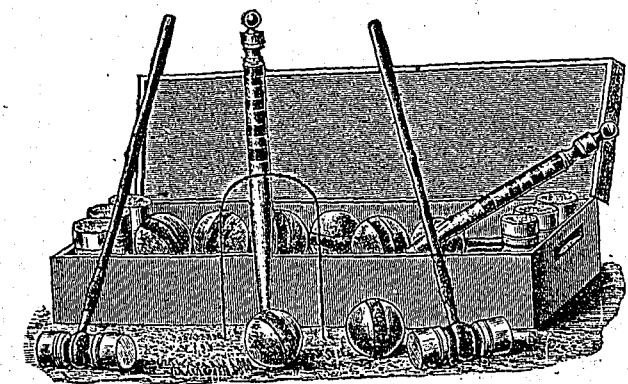
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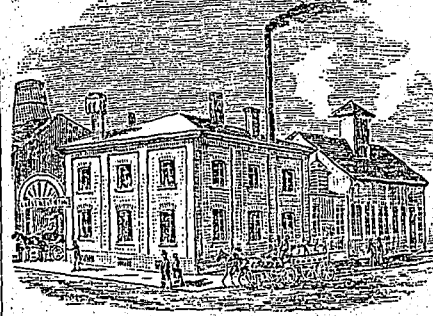
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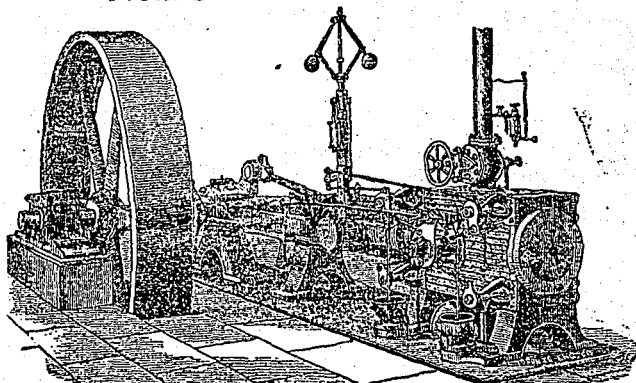


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2nd quality, do.....	\$ 22 00 24 00	Lochaber Scotch..... qts	\$ 6 50 7 00
Shipping Culls.....	13 00 16 00	Encore "..... case	6 50 6 00
Mill do.....	7 00 9 00	Jamaica Rum per Imp. gal.	2 50 2 80
Lath, M.....	1 00 0 10	Holland Gin..... imp. gal	2 00 2 10
Spruce, 1 to 2 in., M.....	10 00 13 00	" " " " " " " "	3 75 4 00
Shingles, 1st qual.....	3 00 0 00	" " " " " " " "	7 40 7 60
" " 2nd ".....	2 10 0 00	Old Tom..... flasks	6 00 0 00
Tobacco. (In Bond.)		E. F. J. Brand's Hnds.	2 10 0 00
Black, Chewing in boxes	0 16 0 19	Schoham Ghn, cases,	3 65 7 50
" " " " " " " " " " " "	0 19 0 20	Champagne	
Mahoganies, Smoking	0 20 0 22	G. H. Mumm, Dry Verzen'y	26 00 31 00
Do Chewing	0 22 0 24	Pommery "..... qts	20 00 31 00
Bright, Smoking	0 22 0 28	Bollinger "..... qts.	26 00 27 50
Fancy Bright Smoking	0 30 0 35	Sherries Pomartin.....	1 35 6 00
Solace, Common.....	0 17 0 22	" " " " " " " "	1 50 7 00
Solace Fair.....	0 25 0 30	Ports T. G. Sandeman.....	2 25 7 00
(Duty Paid.)		Graham's ditto.....	2 30 6 50
Black, chewing boxes 10's	0 28 0 31	Claret, (cases.)	3 00 8 11
Do Navy, Cads, 3's, 6's,	0 34 0 37	Class Clarets of good brands	7 50 13 00
& 10's.....		Larragona Ports, imp. gal.	1 15 1 30
Mahogany Chewing 6's & 8's	0 37 0 40	Burgundy	
Bright, Smoking, 3's & 8's	0 43 0 47	Still, Case.....	10 00 23 00
Do Fancy.....	0 50 0 55	" " " " " " " "	16 00 17 5
American Fancy ch and sm	0 70 0 80	Can. Spirits, Imp. gallon.	Paid Ben
Wines, Liquors etc.		Alcohol— 65 O. P.	2 71 0 99
Ale English..... qts	2 35 2 40	" " " " " " " "	2 72 1 05
" " " " " " " "	1 60 1 65	" " " " " " " "	2 47 0 90
Domestic..... qts	0 80 1 15	" " " " " " " "	1 29 0 45
" " " " " " " "	0 60 0 75	Whiskeys:—Family Proof.	1 39 0 53
Stout: Guinness'..... pte	1 40 2 45	Old Bourbon.....	1 39 0 53
" " " " " " " "	1 60 0 00	Rye, Today, Malt.....	1 82 0 57
Domestic..... qts	1 45 1 50	" " " " " " " "	1 60 0 78
Brandy: Hennessy's..... gal	0 70 0 00	" " " " " " " "	1 70 0 88
" " " " " " " "	5 50 5 50	" " " " " " " "	1 80 0 98
Martel,..... case	10 75 11 00	" " " " " " " "	1 90 1 03
Jules Duret & Co..... gal	4 00 4 60	Wool.	
" " " " " " " "	9 00 15 10	Fleeca.....	0 18 0 20
Pinet, Castillon & Co..... gal	3 50 3 80	Pulled, unsorted.....	0 21 0 23
Jules Bellorle & Co..... qts	7 50 8 00	" " " " " " " "	0 26 0 28
Pinet, Castillon & Co..... case	8 25 15 10	" " " " " " " "	0 21 0 24
Cheaper-shippers..... gal	2 50 2 75	" " " " " " " "	0 00 0 00
" " " " " " " "	8 00 6 50	" " " " " " " "	0 00 0 00
Irish Whiskey—Roe's case	7 75 9 75	Natal.....	0 19 0 22
Dunville..... case	8 50 7 00	Cape.....	0 17 0 18 1/2
Mitchells..... case	6 00 7 50	Australian.....	0 22 0 25
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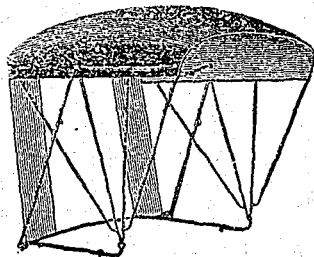


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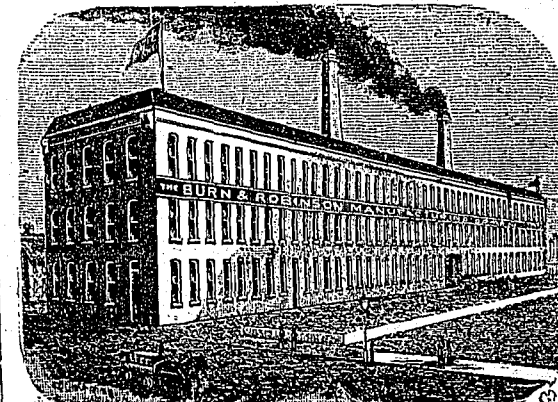
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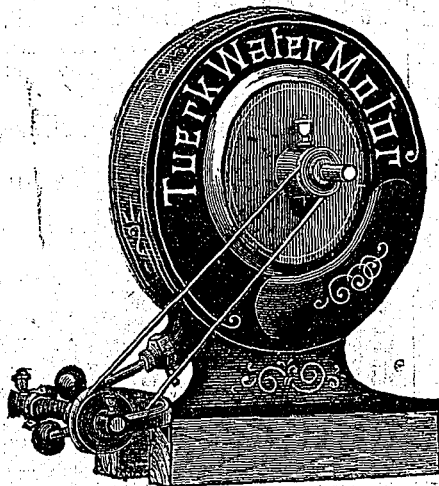
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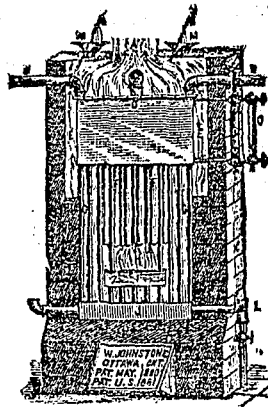
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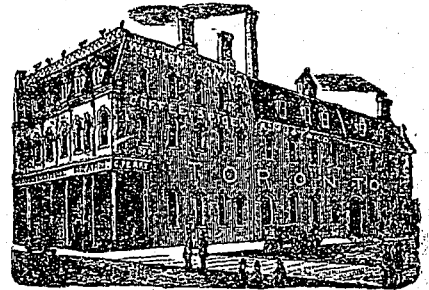
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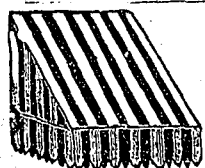
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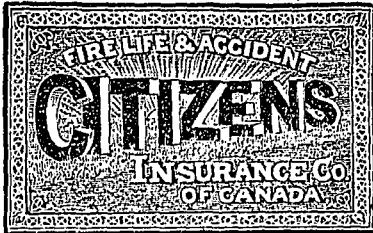
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INSURANCE COMPANIES. — CANADIAN.—Montreal Quotations, May 16, 1885.

NAME OF COMPANY.	No. Shares.	Last Dividend per year.	Share par value.	Amount paid per Share.	Canada quotation per ct.
British America Fire & Marine.....	10,000	5-6mos.	\$50	\$50	70
Canada Life	2,500	7½-8mos.	400	50	420
Citizens, Fire, Life, Guarantee & Acc't	11,880	6-12mos.	85	7½	.....
Confederation Life.....	5,000	5-6 mos.	100	10	220
Queen City Fire	2,000	.....	50	10	.....
Western Assurance.....	20,000	4-3 mos.	40	20	30½
Royal Canadian Insurance.....	20,000	.....	50	20	50 52
Accident Ins. Co. of North America...	2500	6	100	20	.....
Guarantee Co. of North America.....	13,000	6	50	10	92½ 100

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.—(Quotation on the London Market, May 4, 1885.)

British & Foreign Marine.....	50,000	50	20	4	Market value p'd up share
Caledonian .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	£21½ £21½
Commercial Union Fire Life & Marine.	50,000	30	50	5	£19
Edinburgh Life.....	5,000	10	100	15	£134 £14½
Fire Insurance Association	100,000	5	£10	£2	£42
Glasgow & London .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7s 6d 10s 20s
Guardian Fire and Life.....	20,000	13	100	50	£57 £59
Imperial Fire.....	12,000	£7 p. sh.	100	25	£148 £152
Lancashire Fire.....	100,000	30	20	2	96s 3d
Life Association of Scotland.....	10,000	15	40	0½	£30
London Assurance Corporation.....	35,882	48	25	12½	£43 £45
London & Lancashire Life.....	10,000	10	10	1 7-20	60 70s
Liverp'l & London & Globe Fire & Life	£391,752	70	20	2	£23 11s 3d
Northern Fire & Life	30,000	70	100	5	£26½ £26½
North British & Mercantile Fire & Life	40,000	56	50	6½	£26 9 £214
Phoenix Fire	6,722	£21 p. s.	.....	.....	42s
Queen Fire & Life.....	200,000	30	10	1	£27½ £27½
Royal Insurance Fire & Life	100,000	60	20	2	2s 26s
Scottish Imperial Fire and Life.....	50,000	6	50	1	£13½ £14
Scottish Provincial Fire & Life	20,000	15	10	5	£44½
Standard Life	10,000	55½	50	12	19½
Star Life.....	4,000	5	25	1½

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RESOURCES of the COMPANY.

Authorized Capital.....	£3,000,000	Stg.
Subscribed	2,500,000	"
Paid-up	625,000	"
Fire Fund and Reserves as at 31st December, 1883.....	1,592,236	"
Life and Annuity Funds	3,541,194	"
Revenue—Fire Branch	1,188,855	"
do Life and Annuity Branches.....	351,307	"

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