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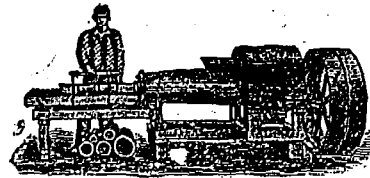
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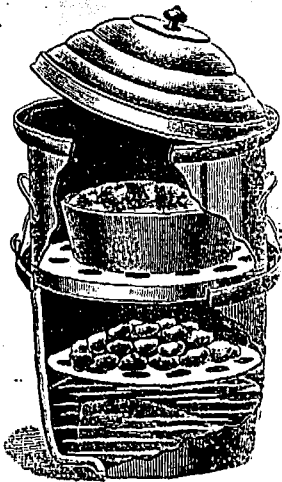
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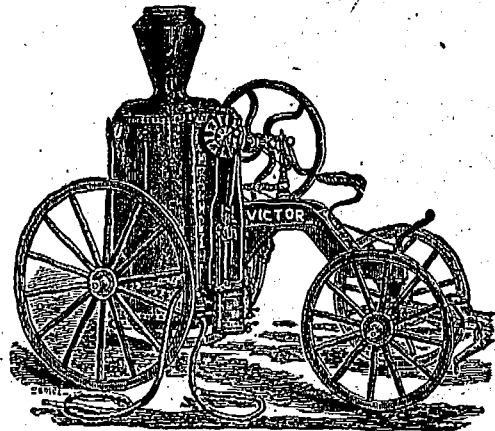
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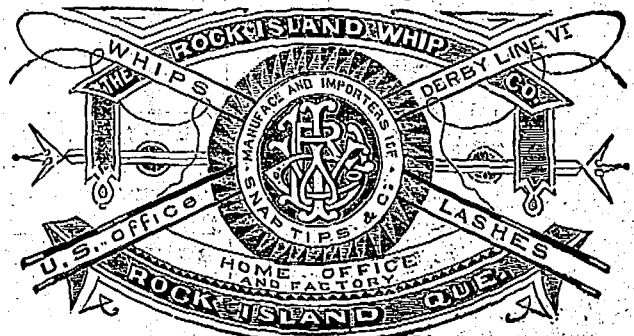


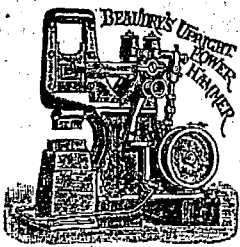
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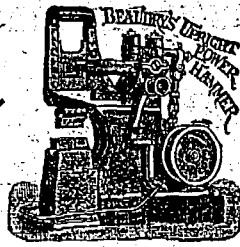
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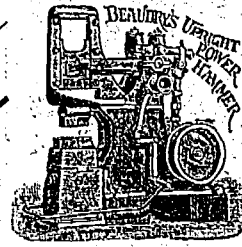




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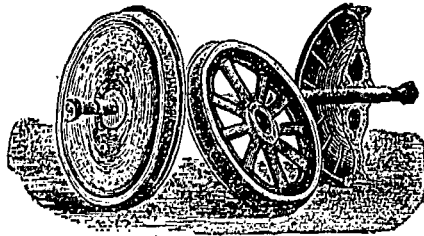
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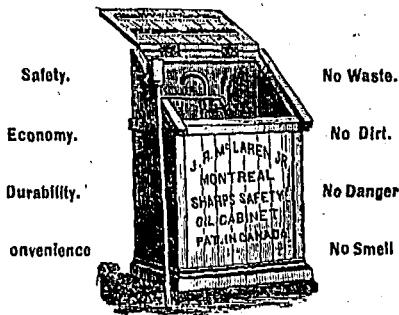


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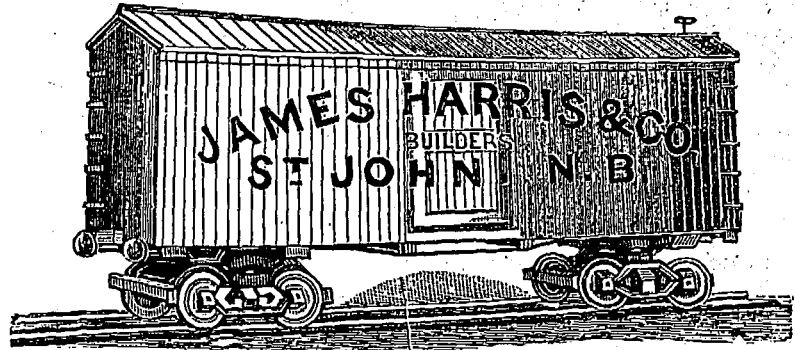
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THE N. Y. Bulletin says that 205 puns of molasses, valued at \$2,358, were exported to Canada last week.

THE first season's arrivals of British Columbia salmon, comprising several car loads, are expected in Montreal in a few days.

TWENTY tons of cotton were shipped last week from Kingston to Shanghai, China, making the sixth car-load sent from that place.

THE fishing trade of Lake Winnipeg is assuming large dimensions, and some firms have refrigerator barges of large capacity employed.

CANADIAN buyers are still on the New York market looking for molasses, and the few parcels suited to their wants are held confidently.

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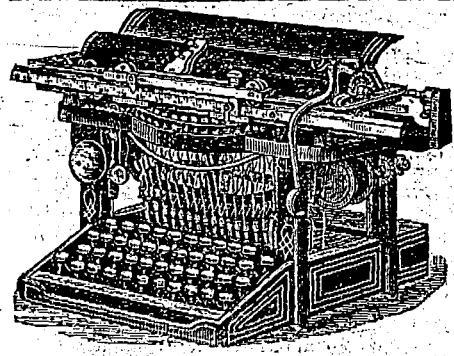
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The Citizens Insurance Co. has notified its shareholders of a call of ten per cent, five per cent, payable in Au ust, and the other five in November.

The Ottawa Granite Company is shipping a large quantity of crushed marble and granite to Toronto where it is manufactured into artificial stone.

The insolvent estate of N. Desrochers, of Quebec, amounting to \$5,200, has been sold. The stock realized 65 cents in the dollar and the book debts 40 cents.

QUEEN bees and their attendants can now be forwarded through the mails between the United States and Canada, when put up conformably to regulations.

The Montreal exports of cheese last week were 87,106 boxes, including 29,669 boxes to Liverpool, 15,446 to Bristol, 16,415 to Glasgow and 26,576 to London.

Both the new railway stations and offices will be lit up with the Edison electric light, chiefly the incandescent system. Over 700 lights will be used in each.

The Nova Scotia Steel Company is making application to increase their capital from \$300,000 to \$1,000,000, and to change the

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Work has ceased on the anthracite mines at Banff. This is said by some to be owing to a dispute with the C. P. R. about freight rates, and by others to internal dissensions in the company.

The cultivation of coffee has been inaugurated Guantanamo, Cuba, on a very fair scale, and is another straw indicating the stimulus given production by the ruling of full and profitable prices.

JAMES R. BAIN, a small locksmith and bell-hanger of this city, has assigned. He owes \$2,200. Some time ago he suffered by a fire, and up to the present has been unable to collect his insurance.

H. H. CAIRNS, stationer, of Ottawa, has asked for an extension for one year, offering quarterly payments with interest. His statement to his creditors shows liabilities of \$2,994, and assets of \$2,835.

The large export trade in apples from Montreal, which last year represented a value of \$650,000, has attracted the attention of New York shippers, who are endeavoring to divert the trade to that port.

The Union Bank is shortly to open a branch

at Morrickville. This village is situated in a first-class farming section, and the short line of the C. P. R. has had the effect of materially improving its business prospects.

FAIRHEAD & TAYLOR, trunk makers of Toronto have assigned. They started about eighteen months ago with about \$500 capital which has all melted away. They now owe \$1,050 and have assets worth \$400.

The warring cable companies have come to an agreement to fix the rate at a shilling per word, to go into effect on August 15. It is stated that John Mackay has disposed of his cable to Jay Gould for \$11,000,000.

The export of tea from Shanghai to United States and Canada, May 31st to June 15th, was all blacks and footed up 237,600 lbs, against 1,054,200 lbs same time 1887, 1,646,100 lbs in 1886, and 1,014,000 lbs in 1885.

It being stated that the head offices of the Hudson Bay Company will be removed from London to Canada, the Winnipeg press claim that the Prairie City should be chosen as the location. Montreal may, however, be selected.

The Fisheries Department has concluded the payment of bounty claims to Canadian fishermen, the number of men interested being 45,000. Forty thousand checks, involving an expenditure of \$150,000, were issued.

J. S. BAILEY, refrigerators, of Toronto, has assigned. He might perhaps be more accurately described as a jobbing carpenter and

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The caterpillars have made dreadful havoc among the apple orchards in Annapolis and other parts of Nova Scotia. In some sections the trees are completely stripped of their foliage, and look as though they had been scourged by fire.

A WIRE from San Francisco says the "fish on the Columbia are running 25 to the boat." This is a favorable report, and should this "take" continue during the remainder of the month, a pack equal to that of last year may be counted upon.

HENRY TAYLOR, the ex-president of the Ontario Investment Association, who has been in jail for eleven months on a capias, has made application for release under the indigent debtors' act. He is suffering in health from his long confinement.

FIVE tons of raspberries were taken last week by express from St. John, N.B., to Boston. These berries are just beginning to appear in good quantities. The crop will not be as large this year as last, but a fair amount will be obtained.

The charter of the Metropolitan Street Railway Co., of Ottawa, expires on the 10th September next. Efforts are now being made to form a syndicate to purchase the charter and commence track-laying in order to prevent the expiry of the rights.

Mrs ELLIOT has increased her offer of 30c. for the insolvent estate of J. Elliot & Co., to 31c. One of the creditors opposes the settlement, and a further delay has been ordered by the judge to allow the parties to see if something better can be arrived at.

WM. MYERT, plumber and gas fitter of Halifax, N. S., has assigned. He owes \$3,900 of which \$3,200 is due to the man he purchased

his business off a year ago. The estate may pay this claim, but that is all. Outside creditors need not look for much.

THE EUREKA CONCRETE Co., of Toronto, have held a meeting of creditors, at which it was decided to wind up the concern. The proprietor is a Londoner who secured one or two good jobs at first, but having very little means, has been unable to get on.

A FINAL dividend of 5 1/2 cents on the dollar has been declared by the trustees in the matter of the insolvent estate of James Campbell & Son, the once well-known publishing firm in Toronto. This will make a total dividend to creditors of 16 1/2 cents on the dollar.

At a recent meeting of the Board of the Accident Insurance Co. of North America, Sir Alexander T. Galt, vice-president, was elected president in the place of the late Hon. James Ferrier, deceased, and Mr. Edward Rawlings vice-president and managing director.

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Notice has been given that a statement of the claimants and creditors of the Briton Medical and General Life Association [Limited], now in liquidation, has been filed in the office of Superintendent of Insurance, under the provisions of the Winding-up Act.

The Government of Manitoba is still considering the proposition to guarantee 4 per cent. on four and a half millions of Hudson Bay railway bonds for 25 years. The chief officers of the company are hopeful that some assistance of the kind will shortly be given.

C. S. ARNOLD, books and papers, of Sherbrooke, Que., has been served with a demand of assignment. He came from Boston, and has done a news-vending business since the fall of last year. A seizure for rent has now been put in, under which his store has been closed.

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Joseph Moise Dufresne, David Linton Lockerby, and William Clendinning, of Montreal, give notice of their intention to apply for letters-patent of incorporation as the Balmoral Hotel Company with a capital stock of \$100,000.

THOS. IRVING, grocer, of Strathroy, Ont., whose financial difficulties have already been noticed in these columns, has repurchased his stock at 65 cents on the dollar.—The export cattle trade at St. Thomas is keeping well up. Last week ten carloads of cattle were shipped to Liverpool.

MAURICE A. HARLOW, general storekeeper of North Brookfield N. S., has kept a small grocery there for the past 5 or 6 years. He appears to have fallen into the error of over-crediting and as he has in consequence lost heavily by bad debts, he has to take refuge in an assignment.

J. S. MONTGOMERY, painter of Toronto, has assigned. Local report speaks of him as never worth anything and as a most unsatisfactory customer.—Edward Peltz, broom-maker of Walkerton, Ont., has been in poor circumstances and slow pay ever since he started. He has now assigned.

J. H. ENGLISH, druggist of Alexandria, Ont., has assigned. He started in 1885, succeeding A. O. Harding, but is spoken of locally as of a careless disposition, and not too regular in his habits. His liabilities are \$4,000, against which he can only show assets of about half that value.

STANLEY M. LOBB, cashier of the London Guarantee and Accident Co. of Toronto, is now being looked for by detectives, as a de-

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Profit of \$2,500 has been discovered in his cash. The deficit occurs in the manager's, Mr. McCord's, private business, and it is said none of the company's money is missing.

SIXTEEN years ago the deposits in the Fredricton branch of the Dominion Savings Bank amounted to only \$36,000. Now the amount exceeds \$500,000. Many people in the Lower provinces seem to dread the embarking of their capital in commercial and industrial enterprises. Why is this?

An American box shoo factory at Ottawa, which uses 18,000,000 feet of lumber annually, recently refused an offer of exemption from taxes, a fair building and a bonus of \$10,000 to go to St. Albans, Vt. Its natural advantages on the Chaudiere more than counterbalanced the enticing bait offered.

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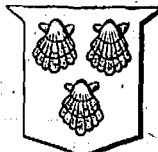
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being conceded to all railways except the Manitoba and the Canadian Pacific, which are considered deadly rivals of the Northern Pacific.

J. Scott, Sn., & Co., general storekeepers of Stanstead Plain, have assigned. This firm started in 1884, but were poor and hard pushed from the start. Trade has been dull in their vicinity, and for some time past they have been very hard up. Liabilities are placed at \$3,500 against nominal assets of \$2,800.

The retail dry goods people of this city are up in arms against the alleged practice of wholesale firms in selling at retail. At a recent meeting it was proposed to boycott the offenders. Leading wholesalers deny that the practice complained of is general, but admit that in isolated cases employees sell to their friends.

H. W. DEARE, hardware, of Essex Centre, Ont., has assigned. The firm was first Deare

& Harris, Mr. O. W. Harris retiring some two months ago. Deare was formerly a school teacher, then kept books, and finally started for himself, but for lack of capital has been compelled to close up. His liabilities are about \$6,000.

A LARGE proportion of the lumber transported from the Ottawa district is now carried by the Canadian Pacific and the Canada Atlantic. The quantity taken by these two railways in 1886 was 89,000,000 feet, which increased last year to 100,000,000 feet, while the canal traffic decreased 22,000,000 feet in the same period.

GEO. ANDREWS & Co., dry goods, of Guelph, Ont., has assigned. Mrs. Andrews is the sole owner, the business being run for her by a manager, and, as usual under such circumstances, unsuccessfully. The liabilities are placed at \$3,000, with assets nominally worth \$1,000 more, but in all probability the business will be wound up.

E. FORCIMMER & Co, jewellers, of this city, have called a meeting of their creditors. They show liabilities of \$8,000 and are making an offer of fifty cents in the dollar. Forcimmer was in this business at Renfrew, and as he failed badly and has since had to do business under a cover, his account has not been much sought after.

THERE are now 8,000 Icelanders in the North-West, and immigration is rapidly adding to the number. Iceland is in a bad condition, and is apparently destined to suffer the fate of Greenland, as it is gradually growing colder. Agriculture is becoming impossible, and the fisheries are unprofitable. Nature is practically driving the people away.

THE Brandon Sun distances all its rivals on crop stories. It says: "On Thursday last S. S. Simpson brought into this office a sample of the wheat he is growing on the section, measuring 28 miles in length. He has 100 acres just as good as the sample. Mr. Simp-

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THIRTY-FIVE hundred cases of salmon, valued at \$24,000, for points in Eastern Canada, and seven bales and six casks of furs, valued at \$13,000 for New York and London, were shipped recently from Victoria, B.C., to go via the Northern Pacific railroad. It is stated the Northern will carry most of the salmon to be shipped out of British Columbia this season.

THE St. John, N.B., *Sun* says that half-wild Texan steers from the great prairies are being sold in Maine at such prices that beef fetches only half as much as in New Brunswick. This statement is no doubt intended to convince farmers down that way how much better off they are than their American brethren. Consumers might form different conclusions.

THE Inland Revenue department has issued a circular that methylated spirits will be sold by the department in two grades—No. 1 at \$1.40 per gallon will contain 25 per cent. of wood naphtha, and be supplied under special regulations only to varnish and other manufacturers; No. 2 at \$1.60 per gallon will contain 50 per cent. of wood naphtha, and be sold to anybody.

THE announcement that the Government would reduce the rate of interest payable upon money deposited with it has caused a small run on the Government Savings Banks in Toronto. The consequence is a decrease in the amount on deposit by \$300,000 during

June. So far, however, the anticipated reduction has not come. The bankers who have asked it are not pleased.

J. B. PONTREMIAND & Co., grocers, of this city, have assigned. There were three partners in the concern; a machinist, a shoemaker and a medical student, the latter being the capitalist. None of them knew much about the trade they embarked in and hence their success was always doubtful. Liabilities are \$3,300 and the assets show a surplus of \$1,500, mostly in accounts.

OVER 10,000 bushels of grasshoppers have been caught in Ottertail County, Minnesota. A Manitoba paper says: Different parts of the province are invested with grasshoppers. The districts affected, however, are isolated and limited, nor has any damage resulted. Moreover, this insect is not the much dreaded pest commonly called the grasshopper or Rocky Mountain locust. It is simply the common local grasshopper.

THE Northwest and British Columbia seem determined to continue the policy of having independent connection with American railways. The city of New Westminster is giving a bonus of \$150,000 to a railway which is to connect it with the American system, and an additional \$100,000 towards the construction of a bridge across the Fraser. The road, when completed, will run from the city to Seattle, Washington Territory.

THE insurance on the Government buildings and new court house at Quebec has just been replaced, according to the *Gazette*. The amount is stated to be \$750,000, of which \$250,000 is on the court house. The total premium was \$8,125, on which the Premier's brother, Mr. J. A. Mercier, who acted as broker, is alleged to have received a commission of \$812.50. The story is denied in toto by the Local Government press.

THE gradual killing off of the lobsters in the Maritime provinces, owing to the reckless destruction by canneries, has opened the eyes of British Columbians to the fact that the splendid fisheries of that province are liable to partial, if not complete, extinction from the same greed of the canning companies, and

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THE new ocean steamers the "City of New York" and the "City of Paris" have been recently cited as instances of American capital being forced to seek foreign ship-yards and sail under the British flag. Brother Jonathan is now disgusted to find out that these vessels are owned to the extent of eight tenths of their value by the British builders, and that this is another instance of British gold under the guise of American enterprise.

IT is said that there are no fewer than 54 sets of counterfeit and altered Dominion notes and Canadian bank bills in circulation. The recent arrest of a dangerous gang of counterfeiters in the west has led to the suggestion that the banks and the government should establish a better system for protecting their issues. Denominations ranging from \$1 to \$50, particularly the smaller bills, have been generally imitated. The distinctions should be promptly and officially made public.

ALFRED FLORANT, shipping clerk in the large wholesale millinery house of Thomas May & Co., in this city, has been arrested on a charge of embezzlement and has confessed his guilt. His *modus operandi* was as follows:—When the Customs clerks go down to take out packages they are given so much money to pay the duty. Supposing he had to take out packages on which the charges were \$500, he would only take out packages to the extent of \$300 and pocket the other \$200. As the Customs do not give receipts for money, and the large firms nearly always have goods there, it is a very difficult matter to discover these defalcations until some con-

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siderable time has elapsed. The total amount pilfered is about \$1,000.

A LARGE ship, the Sardinian, which has been lying in Halifax Harbor for over three months, oil laden, is now discharging preparatory to extensive repairs. About a year ago she left an American port for Japan, became leaky, and went into one of the West India Islands for repairs, which were effected, but on going to sea again she leaked so badly that the captain was obliged to run for Halifax. By the time the oil gets to Japan it will be of the value of olive oil.

LOBSTERS AND SALMON.—Of all the fish, whether shell or scale, which abound in the waters of Canada, few are so valuable and so readily saleable as lobsters and salmon. It is, therefore, all the more necessary that the most stringent measures should be adopted for their preservation. The British Columbia Board of Trade, being of the opinion that the salmon fisheries of the Province are liable to partial, if not complete, extinction from the

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greed of the canning companies, has recently petitioned the Ottawa authorities to take action, and it is stated that the gradual killing off of the lobster in the Maritime Provinces first opened the eyes of the British Columbia people to the great danger. Of course, the canning companies, many of which are American or controlled by American capital, do not like to be interfered with, and as some of the American rivers and grounds have been fished out they will leave no stone unturned to get the northern fish to fill their contracts with American, British and foreign markets. It is all important, however, that these greedy money grabbers should not prey upon our fisheries, and the paternal authority of the Dominion government will not be called for in vain. The United States fish commission has recently succeeded in transporting live lobsters across the continent and the Pacific coast is now being stocked with New England lobsters. A shipment left Wood's Holl on the 16th June and arrived at Sacramento, when they were planted at different points north and south of San Francisco. The lobsters were packed between layers of rock-weed, occasionally moistened with seawater, in a crate placed within another box; the intervening space being filled with broken

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ice. An independent drain prevented fresh water from entering the lobster receptacle. They were thus kept fifteen days, and at the end of the voyage appeared as vigorous as when first caught. One hundred crates, containing six lobsters each, or 600 lobsters in all, were sent. The temperature was kept at about 45 degrees. On the first day 45 lobsters died, and on the second 55. After that the number of deaths gradually decreased. Those who died were either in an advanced state of shedding, or sickly when they started. On arrival at the Pacific coast 350 were found alive and vigorous. It now remains to be seen whether these crustaceans will thrive and prosper in their new abodes, and if they do the Canadian Fisheries Department should resume its experiments and stock the coasts of British Columbia with this valuable article of food and commerce.

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DATING AHEAD.

In our recent articles upon trade subjects it will be noticed that, in nearly every branch of Canadian commerce, dating ahead is spoken of as a growing evil. Undoubtedly the spread of this unbusiness like inducement to purchase is due to the severity of competition. Every solvent storekeeper in this Dominion is called upon over and over again, and consequently the traveller who visits him is perfectly aware that, unless his prospective customer be a supply account of the house he represents or in some similar manner be compelled to purchase from him, he must offer some inducement beyond those granted by his rivals if he wishes to secure his trade. Usually this inducement takes the form of a reduction in price or an increase in the trade discount; but, in times like these, prices have already been pared down to the lowest living point and in some lines even to cost, and hence any reduction in price is impossible. Under these circumstances his only resource is to offer longer time in which to pay for the

goods, and to such an extent has this practice grown in consequence, that the ostensible term of the note rarely represents the true length of the credit and, in the words of an old merchant, travellers are now selling on any time that they can get.

The loss that this practice entails upon the wholesale house is easily and plainly visible, but it is not often that merchants realize that the evil effects of dating ahead extend beyond the wholesaler and affect equally the retailer. [who is popularly supposed to reap an advantage from it] and the manufacturer who at first sight would not appear to be implicated at all. It affects the retailer because it causes him to overbuy, owing to the fact that he has so long a time in which to turn over his purchase; and because it encourages him to buy his stock at an earlier date than usual and before he has had time to feel the pulse of his market and calculate with any degree of exactitude upon his actual requirements. Large, hasty, and ill considered orders are given which naturally result in a desire for their cancellation or diminution later on. In the mean time the wholesaler has obtained the supplies to fill these orders from the manufacturer or agent and does not desire to see them lie on his shelves. Friction naturally arises; often resulting in the loss of a customer, and even if a compromise be accepted a portion of the loss must be borne by each.

The injury to the manufacturer lies in the artificial market that these hasty orders create. Finding a rush for his goods early in the season he is apt to stimulate his production in the belief that the coming months will furnish their average demand. He is unaware that these orders probably represent more than the retail trade's absolute requirements for the entire season, but looks upon it as an expansion of trade and consequently, even if he does not at once increase his output, he will most likely secure a larger stock of raw material to be in readiness for such a step. His hands seeing the unusual rush of work generally take advantage of it to press for higher wages and the manufacturer, unwilling to risk a strike at the commencement of an apparent "boom," usually gives in and grants it.

When the retailer finds himself overstocked and endeavors to cancel his orders he may perhaps be able to make the wholesaler shoulder most of the loss, under the threat of losing him as a customer. The wholesaler, when possible, applies similar pressure to the manufacturer, who in his turn is compelled to make his hands bear a portion of the loss he has incurred. If the wholesaler cannot induce the manufacturer to release him from his contract he is simply ob-

liged to get rid of the goods as best he can. The result is usually their sacrifice at a ruinous reduction which enables their final purchasers to undercut the very retailer whose thoughtlessness first led to their production, and thus the chain of loss is complete from end to end.

That dating ahead could possibly be put a stop to at the present moment, in spite of its manifest disadvantages, is very doubtful. Trade combinations to this end are rarely strictly kept, since the nature of the practice renders it extremely difficult of detection and the present cut-throat competition in nearly every branch of trade has led to the sanctification of methods by which sales can be secured that would be sternly frowned down in more prosperous times. Possibly trade is at the present moment overdone. We have more men in every branch of commerce than the country absolutely needs; and consequently the first time that a bad harvest or other cause of that nature diminishes the purchasing power of the country the weaker houses are compelled to resort to every form of concession in order to secure sufficient trade to tide them along to better times. The evils that such a condition of affairs leads to we have already pointed out but to suggest a remedy is a very different thing. Possibly the only course open is to possess our souls in patience, and wait until either the purchasing power of the country resumes its normal condition or until hard times have weeded out the weak and shaky houses.

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Some time since—not very long ago, judged by the historic standard, but a considerable period when measured by those upon whom the burden of higher insurance rates was placed—the Fire Underwriters entered into an agreement for the wiping out of the last heavy advance in the premiums charged in this city, upon the condition that certain improvements were made in our Fire Department. We have persistently maintained that those improvements were absolutely necessary to place the Fire Department of Montreal upon an equal footing with the departments of cities of the same population and requirements in other parts of this continent, as well as to be worthy of the commercial metropolis of the Dominion; and we need not now repeat in detail what the said improvements consisted of, as it is sufficient for our purpose that the demands of the underwriters have been emphatically endorsed by their confreres in the United States, and, consequently, by our property-holders here, from the fact that the latter could not otherwise obtain cheaper insurance. This clearly

proves that there is a certain market value for fire insurance, the same as for any other mercantile commodity, and that in order to bring about a reduction in the price for the purchaser, the vendor must be placed in the position of being able to sell the article he offers for consumption at a lower figure.

After various delays, which we have already commented upon, the Fire Committee have presented their final report, as amended, to the Finance Committee; whereupon there has been a passage at arms between the two chairmen of those committees, which, while it may have been somewhat amusing, was neither very edifying nor very dignified. Colonel Stevenson—going upon the principle, we presume, of "ask and it shall be given you"—requested a number of things over and above what the underwriters demanded, for which he is severely taken to task by Alderman Grenier, who "cannot find it;" 'tis not in the bond," and is righteously indignant at the chairman of the Fire Committee having budged one inch from the "pound of flesh" which—being driven into a corner—the Finance Committee are prepared to give, neither more nor less. The chairman remarked, in answer to a member who hopes rates will now be quickly reduced, that "the underwriters are gentlemen and will stand to their word." At this point we cannot help recalling the words: "Tarry a little; there is something else." The Fire Underwriters stipulated, first and foremost, that there should be a competent chief, being convinced that without such all else is "full of sound and fury, signifying nothing." Now, how has this most important demand been met? We know that after much bickering and discussion the Fire Committee recommended that a new chief should be provided at the magnificent salary of \$2000 a year! Really, one's breath is almost taken away at the idea of remunerating a man who is to have the charge of protecting some \$80,000,000 of property from fire with such a munificent stipend; one who is liable to answer the call of duty at any hour of the day or night in a city numbering 200,000 inhabitants; who has the charge of about 100 men, not counting the reserve force, and of all the various stations and appliances, for the enormous sum of a trifle under \$40 a week!

To drop satire and come down to plain matter of fact, it is palpable that the salary named is quite insufficient to attract any talent from abroad; and we must give it as our unhesitating opinion that it was a great mistake to fix any stated salary at all before seeing who would come forward as applicants for the post. To our mind the business course to have adopted would have been to have advertised both in Can-

ada and the States for a suitable party, asking for experience, references and salary expected, in which case there is little doubt there would have been plenty of choice, and for the right man the matter of an extra \$1000 or \$2000 a year is a mere bagatelle when the position and value at stake are considered—the city would save the amount in a single hour. We may here observe that as the name of Captain Beekingham has been mentioned for the appointment of chief, that it is quite possible he might be competent, but if so, the salary is too small, and if otherwise, it will be merely time wasted to place him in the position. All things equal, no doubt the insurance companies would prefer one who has served the city faithfully for so many years rewarded, than have a stranger come among us, but sentiment must not override business; and since what is wanted by the public quite as much as the insurance companies is, as the latter put it, "a competent chief," we strongly object to see the choice, by the action of the Fire Committee, narrowed down to one, or even two or three applicants.

This appears to us to be the weak spot in Alderman Grenier's bond—to continue the metaphor,—and while we have all along deprecated unnecessary delay, it would be infinitely preferable to follow the old adage, "festina lente," than by undue haste to have the same ground to go over again.

THE POSITION OF COPPER.

The ignominious collapse of the French syndicate who forced the price of tin up to £166 per ton naturally weakened the belief of the trade in their ability to successfully maintain their hold upon copper either, and although, up to the present moment, they have succeeded in continuing their purchases and absorbing all the copper they contracted for, of late the stocks they hold of this metal have increased with such rapidity that we are justified in assuming that the time is now approaching when the syndicate must abandon at least a portion of their holdings from sheer lack of the funds necessary to carry such a load. The principal question then to be considered is whether the syndicate is doomed to a sudden and disastrous break-down or whether they may be able to hold out long enough to force consumers to purchase, at least in part, and so by getting rid of some of their holdings be enabled to effect a gradual liquidation of the rest.

The enormous burden they are carrying can be estimated from the fact that they have now in stock on their hands 45,000 tons of Chili bars, and 35,000 tons of other copper taken under contracts with English, American, and African companies. This represents an expenditure of twenty-

seven to thirty millions of dollars. Out of the estimated world's production of 275,000 tons of copper during the present year they have already purchased for future delivery 210,000 tons, leaving only 65,000 tons for the consuming public. Of these 210,000 tons 175,000 have been contracted for at an average price to the English companies of about £65 per ton of fine copper, or £70 if delivered as best selected ingots; at 13c per lb (£61 10s per ton) to the American Lake companies, some of them receiving half the excess realised over 13c; and 11c per lb (£52 2s per ton) to the Montana companies. The balance consists of Chili bars, of which the entire production this year, some 35,000 tons, is controlled by the syndicate. If we take this amount of metal at even a moderate average, such as £60 per ton all round, it is evident that the syndicate will require over sixty millions of dollars in ready money in order to meet coming obligations, and when we add to this the thirty millions already disbursed we are confronted with a sum whose magnitude will strain the resources of the most powerful clique.

In the mean time consumers are holding rigidly aloof. The trade feel convinced that now that the visible supply is increasing by a thousand tons a week, it is only a question of time before the syndicate must drop some portion of its load in order to retain the rest. On this continent consumption only reached 100,000,000 lbs last year, a figure which is barely one half of the amount produced in the United States alone. Even on this basis American mines will be able to send 44,600 tons to France which the syndicate must take up at contract rates; and this is not all. Every mine on this continent is working to its utmost capacity in order to rush metal home before the syndicate loses its grip, and we must remember that the effects of the disastrous fire in the Calumet and Hecla are being steadily surmounted and that shortly this mine will be able to put 3,000 tons of copper on the market every month.

Under these circumstances it is hardly to be wondered at that Mr. Secretan is working hard to form a company in order to shift the enormous burden he and his friends are carrying on to other shoulders. The need of fresh capital is imperative, unless the "corner" is to collapse ignominiously; but whether the French public will be gullible enough to put their money into a company formed for the purpose of enabling its promoters to get out of a tight place, is yet to be seen. That the new company is not regarded with favor by capitalists is proved by the fact that one of the directors of the Comptoir D'Escompte has resigned his seat to mark his disapproval of the bank's policy in supporting

the syndicate. When we add to this marked want of confidence upon the part of the public the constantly increasing disparity between the supply of copper and the demand, and the growing tendency to replace this metal in the manufacture of articles for which it was formerly considered indispensable by other and cheaper substitutes, we can easily see that the position of the syndicate becomes daily more precarious. The fact that the copper clique feels itself in need of further assistance in order to carry its existing load will strengthen consumers in their determination to hold off until the crash comes, so that it is now felt that it is only the mode and time of the collapse that is uncertain and that the collapse itself is practically inevitable.

THE BANK STATEMENTS.

The returns furnished by the chartered banks for the month of June indicate a larger number of important changes than are usual at this period of the year. They point out the unfavorable conditions for making money under which the banks are now laboring, and they show that the present diminution in the volume of business is making itself unpleasantly palpable in financial circles.

Taking the various items in rotation we find an increase in the circulation of \$1,166,569 over that of the previous month. As the principal cause of any change in circulation is the increase or diminution in handling the products of the soil, we may safely credit this change to the larger marketing of products of the farm, fruit, vegetables etc., which always takes place at this season of the year. Circulation is not so much governed by the fluctuations of general business, since with the steady development of banking facilities less actual money is now required for transfer from hand to hand in the interchange of commodities, and payments by cheque and similar banking instruments take the place of bank notes or coin. Hence the expansion or contraction of circulation is usually not attributable to the fluctuations of commerce, but is created by the requirements of persons handling the products of agriculture.

The increase of \$5,903,870 in the Dominion Government deposits is easily explained. It is simply due to the financial blunder committed by the Government in borrowing between thirteen and fourteen millions of dollars in London at 3 per cent interest before it was wanted for use. Mr. Foster was only able to place five millions of the whole sum on deposit at 1½ per cent, and it is this sum which caused the sudden rise in the item under discussion. The whereabouts of the balance of the loan is indicated by the increase of \$6,672,626 in sums due from foreign agencies conse-

quent upon its being placed in the form of sterling exchange with the American agencies of Canadian banks. The increase in Provincial Government deposits is also due partly to the successful placing of loans and partly to the June payments of the Federal subsidy.

The growth of \$1,117,122 in general deposits must, we fear, be ascribed more to withdrawals from the Government savings banks under the apprehension of a reduction of the interest rate allowed in those institutions, than to any improvement in the financial situation. Indeed it is certain that payments are distinctly worse; a fact which entirely precludes our attributing the augmentation in deposits to any amelioration in this respect. The growth of \$696,324 in loans on stocks and bonds, and the decline of \$1,547,170 in discounts to the mercantile community are due to one and the same cause. The caution with which the retail storekeepers throughout the country are now purchasing has naturally decreased the volume of paper tendered for discount, and the banks, cut off from this source of profit, are competing eagerly for call loans on stock. The unusual cheapness of money now renders it profitable to carry certain stocks and hence the outlet for funds in this direction has been fortunately so much enlarged as to afford an opening for the employment of accumulated funds and thus relieve to a certain extent the glut of money.

The most unsatisfactory point in the whole return is the increase of \$1,037,354 in the item of "other assets." This is a heading that should not appear, since there are surely plenty of captions under which items of so large a volume could more properly be put. The fact that so large a sum as \$4,177,597 is put under this head is not encouraging and gives the impression that the assets in this column are either very doubtful or else are really losses not yet written off. The enlargement of \$797,884 in the item of loans from other banks in Canada unsecured, is one of the most difficult to account for. Probably it is due partly to the fact that owing to the abundance of money the smaller banks have not called their balances, as their funds might be just as well there as in their own safes, and partly to the accumulation of funds collected from the shareholders of the Central Bank in anticipation of the payment of another dividend.

Taking the returns as a whole, they do not indicate a favorable condition of business for our great banking institutions. We see an increase of eight millions of dollars in the deposits of which the majority bear a certain amount of interest, even if only a small one, and on the other hand we have to witness a serious curtailment in the field for its employment. In other

words this large sum is simply eating its head off. Under these circumstances it is not strange that money should be a drug in the market; that paper should be discounted at rates below those ostensibly charged; or that the competition for call loans should be so keen. The bank manager who makes money at the present moment does so in the teeth of adverse circumstances, and is either exceptionally fortunate or unusually sagacious. Really first class borrowers can now almost dictate their own terms, and the failure of the Government to dispose of more than five

millions of its spare money, (even at such a trifling rate as 1½ per cent.) shows how anxious bank managers are not to burden themselves with any accumulations of funds, and how well they are aware of the little chance they have of employing them profitably for some time to come. We fear that the returns for the present month will indicate only a continuance, if not indeed an aggravation of the present conditions, and that not until the gathering of the harvest shall revive trade, can we look for much improvement in the financial situation:

	May, 1888.	June, 1888.	June, 1887.	June, 1878.
Capital authorized	\$75,279,999	\$75,279,999	\$77,079,999	\$69,466,666
Capital subscribed	62,148,349	62,148,449	63,438,159	65,294,106
Capital paid up	60,167,266	60,168,010	60,815,356	62,709,203
Reserve fund (Rest)	18,686,215	18,736,215	17,600,296	.....

LIABILITIES.

Circulation	\$29,278,071	\$30,444,643	\$30,438,152	\$19,143,573
Dom. Govt. deposits on demand	4,664,560	5,668,430	5,726,536	6,677,370
Dom. Govt. deposits after notice	169,500	5,069,500	103,960	
Deposits securing Govt. contracts and insurance	375,080	378,642	550,180	149,936
Prov. Govt. deposits on demand	1,250,787	1,212,177	463,126	
Prov. Govt. deposits after notice	2,858,251	3,536,079	484,902	34,975,551
Other deposits on demand	50,069,016	50,331,413	50,473,479	
Other deposits payable after notice	61,674,660	62,529,285	56,681,003	29,744,410
Loans from or deposits by other Banks in Canada secured	919,184	786,849	.....	.....
Do. unsecured	1,465,032	2,262,916	1,243,421	
Due Banks in Canada	802,534	1,299,671	690,831	2,051,768
Do. Foreign Countries	205,908	307,671	122,986	252,811
Do. the United Kingdom	2,280,947	2,256,216	2,034,104	1,410,678
Other liabilities	828,916	261,354	400,945	360,753
Total liabilities	\$156,842,356	\$166,344,852	\$149,413,632	\$94,767,811

ASSETS.

Specie	\$6,351,246	\$6,942,090	\$5,900,776	\$5,746,103
Dominion notes	10,600,895	10,594,023	9,694,739	8,024,155
Notes and cheques on other Banks	5,496,339	5,911,089	6,193,085	4,051,851
Due from Banks in Canada	3,253,909	4,281,835	2,863,590	4,218,978
Due from Foreign Agencies or Banks	17,344,919	24,017,545	14,100,038	5,999,362
Do. in the United Kingdom	1,931,891	1,562,138	2,075,902	
Available Assets	\$44,979,199	\$53,308,720	\$40,828,130	\$28,040,449
Govt. Debentures or Stock	\$2,141,164	\$2,166,616	\$3,133,841	\$2,829,554
Loans to Dominion Govt.	935,480	834,024	1,426,417	1,246,436
Do. to Provincial Govt.	634,629	728,035	2,122,544	
Securities other than Canadian	3,819,297	3,978,230	3,518,405	.....
Loans on stocks, bonds, deb. Can. or Foreign	10,739,871	11,436,195	11,688,122	8,041,114
Loans to Municipal Corporations	2,867,608	3,731,064	1,419,007	3,861,309
Loans to other Corporations	19,232,215	18,042,302	14,196,726	
Loans to or deposits in other Banks secured	1,024,146	910,978	220,308	.....
Loans to or deposits in other Banks unsecured	119,070	300,985	194,857	.....
Discounts	137,766,265	137,409,008	138,263,340	115,878,269
Notes overdue not specially secured	1,246,196	1,198,901	1,169,333	6,376,635
Overdue notes, secured	1,609,918	1,368,342	1,623,795	
Real Estate	1,082,250	1,055,536	1,210,189	1,993,799
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by Banks	692,080	701,758	809,919	3,372,128
Bank Premises	3,644,504	3,626,919	3,570,854	
Other Assets	3,140,243	4,177,597	2,848,566	2,173,085
Total Assets	\$235,674,146	\$244,975,223	\$229,241,464	\$172,853,805

Directors' Liabilities	\$ 7,767,737	\$ 7,603,810	\$8,260,119	.....
Average Amount Specie during month	6,266,302	6,576,975	5,900,976	.....
Average Dominion Notes during month	10,664,721	10,703,087	9,678,834	.....

SWEET STUFFS.

In decided contrast to most of the staple articles dealt in, the market for sugar, molasses and syrup has been active and advancing.

The statistical position has all along been favorable to an advance in sugar, and there has recently been an unusually heavy demand for both refined and raw. The Redpath refinery has been doing an enormous business, but will soon find a formidable rival in the new St. Lawrence refinery, which will start so soon as it can get its machinery into working order. The sugar trust in New York was recently so overwhelmed with orders that a bright genius thought he would check the demand by reducing the price. This dodge might have worked in a purely speculative market, but the demand was healthy and legitimate, the public wanting the sugar at any price. From 7½c the price was put down to 7¼c., and then to 7¼c., but the demand continued brisker than ever, and the trust could not supply it. The price was then rushed up without a break to 7½c., the peculiar tactics adopted being a heavy loss to the trust. The export of refined sugar from New York to recent date was 2,024 tons, against 34,698 in 1887. Owing to the competition of foreign buyers and other causes, the receipt of beet sugar at the same port were only 621 tons against 38,558 last year.

Our weekly reports on the molasses market have been an almost uninterrupted record of advancing prices. At writing the sole topic is the reported total loss on the Bird rocks of the "Maria," for Montreal, with 500 puns. This is tending to further stiffen the market. There is nothing offering in a large way at present, but two or three cargoes are reported on passage. Barbadoes is selling in puncheon lots at 37c. @ 38c, and 36½ would probably be obtained for a good round lot, but most of that on spot is in second hands. Some local operators are trying to purchase in New York, and already this year some quantity has been picked up there on Montreal account. At the opening of the season the price here was 31c., but first arrivals struck a bare market, and all offerings since have been absorbed at gradually advancing prices. The price at the Islands opened at 13c. and declined to 11c., going up subsequently until it has reached 17c. A good deal of molasses has been sold on the Canadian market, compared with former years. Arrivals, however, were earlier than usual, and there is not supposed to be much more to come forward from the Islands. There has also been a good demand for Porto Rico, St. Kitts, Trinidad, etc., which kinds have all advanced in sympathy with Barbadoes. The Canadian refineries have been offer-

ing very little syrup, and it has been almost a favor to get it. A recent sale of D syrup was made at 3¼c.; last year the same line sold at 2c.

SUMMER NOVELTIES.

This may be considered the height of our Canadian summer. All those who purpose leaving the city for the summer holidays, are now on the wing, and the popular supposition is that only those whom necessity chains to the desk are still in town. But still the ordinary observer would see very little difference in the crowded streets. The dry goods stores are doing a fair trade; the dress makers make no complaint except perhaps in the exclusively fashionable quarters; and certainly the number of well-dressed ladies on the street has suffered no diminution. If "everybody" is out of town we have still with us many thousands of "nobodies"; and so far as elegance and taste in dress is concerned they will compare favorably with the most fashionable of their sisters.

Of course at the present moment white dresses rule, and to fill this demand white cambrics or nainsooks, powdered all over with tiny embroidered spots, have been imported. They come in forty-inch widths and are made up in somewhat novel style. The overskirt has only one seam and is deeply shirred at the top in close rows all around, forming a kind of yoke; it then falls full and straight, and is only caught up once, usually on the left side. The flounce at the foot may have a scalloped edge cut from that part of the cambric required for the waist, or else it may have a plain hem joined to the edge with insertion. The foundation is a woven spotted opaque muslin, and the underskirt is provided with two steels and a small pad buckle. The belted waist has a pointed yoke of open embroidery to which the cambric is gathered with tiny standing ruffles; the back has side forms, and the fullness at the waist line is gathered (in front and back) to an under belt of strong linen; the standing collar is of embroidery, with a scalloped edge. The full sleeves are tucked down to the elbow, with a puff below and deep embroidered cuffs. The inevitable sash, without which no white dress is complete, is used to finish what is really a stylish and becoming costume.

For those who do not care to go in for white cambric the old favorite cross-barred muslins and Victoria lawns are again available. For these and similar fabrics a belted blouse or full waist, or a blouse waist without platings or shirrings are appropriate. The skirt is full and made of plain breadths finished with tucks. These dresses convey the idea of perfect simplicity and are intended to be completed by a broad sash tied in a baby bow at the back.

Revivals of old fashions are certainly the order of the day. The long lace scarves our grandmothers wore are to be again in fashion, and are to be tied round the neck and allowed to drop in two long ends in front. In fact it was said that the old style of carrying a hand embroidered silk or cashmere scarf thrown carelessly over the arm is to be revived; but, although this is stated on good authority, we prefer to wait till we see it general, before giving currency to an old and ridiculous custom. Lace flouncings are more fashionable than ever. Chantilly are, of course, first choice, but the Lamballe laces which are really a combination of Chantilly and Spanish in large floral designs are very effective and are taking very well.

Striped Chantilly nets, having floral or dotted stripes with point d'esprit dots between, are new and very popular. They are yard and a half wide and are made up to conceal the foundation material. Point d'esprit net in black and colors is steadily growing in favor. It is trimmed with platings of the same material and should be made up over a foundation of the same color. Very coarse heavy Brussels in black, made up over dark yellow satin or sateen, and trimmed with very fine platings and a profusion of black ribbons, is another stylish fancy. On all these lace dresses a large amount of individual latitude in taste is allowed. If the wearer wishes it, any amount of ribbon is permissible, but if not, none need be used at all.

A HEAVY FAILURE.

Ross, Haskell & Campbell, wholesale fancy dry goods men, of this city, have assigned. The direct liabilities are placed at \$76,000 and the indirect at \$43,000 more, or \$119,000 in all. The assets have not yet been ascertained, but it is learned that the estate will show a large deficit. The impression now is that it will not pay more than 25 cents in the dollar. The firm commenced business in this city in 1881, but owing to the ill health of Mr. Ross, a dissolution took place, and he retired from the firm just six months before his death in the spring of 1884. The two remaining partners, Mr. John Haskell and Mr. Geo. A. Campbell continued the business under the same firm name; but have always been hampered by an insufficiency of capital in proportion to the extent of their business. This spring's trade has been particularly unsatisfactory. Bad stock has accumulated; payments have been poor and renewals frequent; and of late it has become evident that the expenses of the firm were far heavier than the volume of trade warranted. But the primary cause of their failure was the action of their principal creditor and private banker in Glasgow, who insisted upon curtailing their line of credit. Previous to this

they had made all their purchases through him in order to secure the cash discount and had paid him 2½ per cent. commission for so doing. Up to a short time ago, Mr. Foulds had allowed them a line of \$70,000, but becoming suspicious of their solvency he reduced it more than one-half, and consequently goods which they had already been at the expense of selling could not be delivered, and the profits expected were never realized. The firm had in its employ, it is stated, no less than eight travellers, and, consequently, the expenses of selling amounted to over 20 per cent. of the total turn-over; a condition of affairs which reduced any prospect of profit to a minimum. After examining their books they found themselves unable to meet their September payments, and although the estate will not make such a good showing now as it would have done later on, they did not feel justified in taking in new goods, and consequently notified their creditors of their suspension. Their principal liabilities are as follows:—

Archd. Foulds, Glasgow	\$16,885
R. Campbell	6,956
The Misses Campbell	6,198
Schultze & Siebenmark	4,890
Loeb & Schoenfeld	4,853
Williams, Green & Rome	5,114
Breithaupt, Hache & Co	3,939
Spencer, Wicks & Co	3,128
J. Y. Schantze & Co	1,811
Heyman & Alexander	1,732
Theo. Windhoff	1,243
T. Brodengayer	1,166
S. G. Speichen	1,301
Small amounts	16,798

\$76,014

Much sympathy is expressed for the two partners, both of whom are hard-working energetic men who thoroughly deserved success even if they have not attained it. Their drawings from the firm were most moderate and no portion of the blame of the failure can be laid to this cause. It seems doubtful, whether they will make any offer, as the present stock is poor, and the line of accounts weak; but an effort will be made to get some one to take over the business as it is said over \$55,000 worth of orders have been received for fall goods. Failing a purchaser the estate will be wound up. A meeting of creditors is in progress as we go to press.

THE NORTHERN ASSURANCE CO.

In another column will be found the report read at the annual general meeting of the Northern Assurance Company, held at its offices, in Aberdeen, on the 8th June last. It is only necessary to refer to the figures given to show how extremely satisfactory the past year's business has been, and how untiring must have been the efforts of the officers, both in this and other countries, in order to bring about such results as the report lays before us. The accounts of the fire branch show an exceptionally favorable

record for the year. Instead of the losses being largely above the average, in accordance with the common experience of 1887, they are actually slightly below it—a most uncommon experience—and the profit balance of the year's operations amounts to \$236,000, and the reserves to \$4,385,000. This makes a splendid showing, and guarantees absolute security for its clients. In fact, the sufficiency of the assurance fund to answer any and every claim that could be brought against it is so self evident that, in the case of the Northern, it need not enter into our calculations at all. Of late one of our morning contemporaries has been attacking the Northern upon every pretext possible, and endeavoring to annoy, by every means in its power, Mr. Robt. Tyre, the local manager. We do not like to rake up by-gone events; but we may hint that if the results of the late fire in Victoria Square were closely investigated and the destination of some of the machinery, supposed to be totally destroyed, were traced up, we feel sure that the Northern would be placed in possession of facts that would effectually checkmate its newspaper opponent. The Northern transacts only fire business in the Dominion, and, therefore, we direct particular attention to the facts of this department only. It is needless to say that the life branch is, if anything, even more successful in its showing than the fire, and that the solvency and financial stability of the company are above question.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF MANITOBA.

The report presented at the annual meeting of the Commercial Bank of Manitoba discloses a fair amount of progress. The figures of course appear small to those accustomed to the statements of our leviathan institutions, but from the steady progress of the bank it is evident that the right men are at the helm, and that the bank is sharing in the prosperity engendered by one good harvest and the prospect of another. After paying a dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, and providing for bad and doubtful debts, the bank has been able to add \$5,000 to the Rest. The paid-up capital has been increased from \$261,000 to \$276,000 and will shortly be increased to \$300,000. We learn from a cablegram from England that the agents of the bank are offering 2,500 shares there at the equivalent of \$107, in order to secure further capital to meet the requirements of their growing business.

LARGE CUT OF LUMBER.—Several causes have combined to increase the output of lumber at the Chaudiere, and nearly one hundred million more feet will be sawn this season than last. In consequence of the very poor cut of logs the winter before last, the lumbermen sawed much less last summer in the mills than would fill their contracts, and had to sell and ship every stick of timber in

their piling grounds, even after sawing not only the logs cut the winter before, but also the whole of their reserves. Thus last fall the lumbermen found themselves with scarcely, and in many cases, not enough logs to keep their mills running this spring only day watch until the drive logs cut last winter came down—and with not a stick of unsold lumber in their yards and piling grounds to begin the season's shipping with. This low state of affairs last fall had the effect of making the different firms place unusually large gangs of men in the bush last winter, and despite the want of snow in the beginning of the shanty season, more logs were cut during the winter than any season yet known in the history of lumbering operations in the Ottawa valley. This spring as soon as the ice was out of the Ottawa and from under the mills, the different firms at the Chaudiere began sawing up the small reserves of saw logs held over from last fall. The reserves were so small that for nearly two weeks many of the mills had to lay idle. Not a single mill ran night and day watch until about the middle of May. Anticipating a heavy season's sawing most of the firms increased the capacity of their mills during the winter. One authority says that including Gilmour's mills at Chelsea and Edward's mills at Rockland, the cut will be fully 500,000,000 feet, an increase of about 25 per cent. over last year. The low water last year "hung up" a large portion of the drive, and there was no reserve left to commence this year's cut with. The water this spring, however, has been high for an unusually long period, and not only was the lumber which was stuck last fall got down but the immense cut of last winter is all in fair way to reach the booms. Shipments are being very freely made, prices keep fair and everything indicates a big year for the lumbermen.

Last year about 300,000,000 feet of lumber were sawn at the Chaudiere. This year the cuts of the different firms, as estimated by themselves, will be as follows:

	Feet.
E. B. Eddy Manufacturing Co....	90,000,000
J. R. Booth & Co.....	75,000,000
Hurdman Bros.....	70,000,000
Perley & Pattee.....	60,000,000
Bronson, Weston & Co.....	55,000,000
Pierce & Co., (formerly G. B. Grier & Co.).....	35,000,000
Conroy & Co.....	30,000,000
	415,000,000

THE CASH BAKERY.—The fire which partially destroyed the premises of the Montreal Cash Bakery some few weeks ago, has contributed more information than seemed attainable for some time before. The Bakery (a joint stock concern) was organized two or three years ago. In the course of time it became apparent to some of the directors that the operations of the Bakery were not set forth with sufficient clearness in the monthly audit, and they accordingly applied for information to the manager. They were referred to the

secretary, who, they were informed, had "taken the books to his house." A search, continued over a day or two, failed to discover the books or custodian, who, at the time, was said to be occupied on a jury. The reply given by the manager to the complaint of these directors was that if they were not satisfied, he would pay them cash for their shares, as he had done with other malcontents. The sale was effected. The concern, as announced many months ago in these columns, continued on without directors or secretary, they having all sold out or resigned. On demand being made upon the Citizens Ins. Co. a few days ago for the amount of the insurance—about \$1,500—it was found necessary to have a resolution of the "Board of Directors" of the Cash Bakery to enable the manager to get the money. There being no such body, it was arranged that one of the creditors—a leading flour firm—should bind themselves to hold the insurance company harmless, should the payment not be legally ratified by the Bakery company, and on this understanding we learn that the money has been paid and the creditors all satisfied. It appears to be the intention to call a meeting of shareholders, at an early day, and have them appoint a new Board which shall pass the necessary resolutions. An informal meeting of shareholders was held Wednesday at the office of Mr. D. R. McCord, solicitor of the company, but nothing of importance was transacted. The manager, Mr. Pole, was not present. It is to be regretted that he has not adopted more effective means to keep inquiring shareholders better informed as to the state of affairs. The liabilities of the company amounted to some \$1,500. The concern is claimed to be solvent, and, if we may rely on statements made at the recent meeting, will resume business shortly, with its standing and credit unimpaired. Mr. Pole confesses having bought out one or two shareholders lately—since the fire—and is reported as ready to buy more. "The books" are said to have been destroyed by the fire, but the office would seem to have escaped.

The right of labor societies to appoint men to watch and linger about works where a strike has taken place, for the purpose of obtaining information, etc., is involved in the recent judgment condemning one Dalton to a fine of \$2. The conviction was obtained under the Dominion Act concerning threats and intimidation. The defendant was a walking delegate of the Knights of Labor, and was prosecuted by the Dominion Steamship Company. The magistrate held that Dalton having seen those who were not disposed to work for the wages offered them the prisoner should have gone away when ordered to do so, as his sole presence, in his capacity, was of a nature to terrorize the men who wanted to continue working. His presence there was not a passive one, as he spoke to the men and

asked them not to go and work. This would seem to indicate that the watching cannot be continuous. The defendant has given notice of his intention to appeal to the Court of Queen's Bench, his contention being that the exception made by the statute in favor of trade unions being permitted to watch is in no way restricted, either by day or night, so long as it is done peaceably and for a lawful object.

As was anticipated, there is great indignation among the Chaudiere lumbermen at the passing by the Quebec Government of the act amending the Forest Reserve Act of 1883, whereby the forest lands of the province under license were withdrawn from settlement except under certain restrictions, the lands so set apart not to be sold or appropriated for settlement purposes for at least ten years. The new act repeals this latter clause, and the lumbermen claim that the practical effect will be that under the guise of settlers any number of people will walk into the best parts of the limits, cut and sell all the good timber on the lands, for which the lumbermen pay three dollars a mile license fee, and walk off with the proceeds. The lumbermen hold that as the Government issued the licenses subject to the conditions of the Forestry Reserve Act, it has no right to repeal that act, at least until the expiration of ten years. All the large lumber firms are interested, and it is understood that a great effort will be made to induce the Dominion Government to advise His Excellency to disallow the act, and, failing that, the act will be fought in the courts.

We regret to learn that, owing to heavy losses sustained during the last twelve months, Mr. Jas. Guest, the well-known commission merchant, has been obliged to suspend payment. The pressure which led to the suspension was made by Mr. Neale Reid, of the firm of Reid, Pye, Cunningham & Campbell, London agents for W. & J. Grabam, of Oporto, and Ivison & Co., of Xeres, who are among the largest creditors. The total direct liabilities are \$80,000. An offer of 60 cents in the dollar, equivalent to cash, was made, and agreed to by the legal representative of the London house referred to, but on further consultation with interested parties, this was refused, although within about \$3,000 of the demand. The offer was conditional on Mr. Reid's agreeing to secure the consent of the other European creditors. Mr. Guest has long been considered among the trade, one of the most successful, as he certainly is one of the most popular, business men on the road. His yearly turn over is about \$200,000. His losses during the last year by bad debts, foremost being that through the failure of the Balmoral Hotel, amounted to about \$28,000. He assigned yesterday, to Ald. Wm. Farrell and N. Reid. An early settlement is probable.

Two prominent citizens, both well known to the mercantile community, have been suddenly removed by death. Mr. John Ogilvie was for many years connected with the milling and grain firm of A. W. Ogilvie & Co., which consisted of his two brothers, Messrs. Alex. W. and William W. and himself, till the retirement of Hon. Senator Ogilvie about fifteen years ago. He bore the reputation of a shrewd and successful business man, and to his foresight and energy is ascribed in no small degree the success his firm has achieved in Manitoba and the Northwest. His unexpected death, at the early age of 54, has therefore caused profound regret among a large circle of friends. The other victim to the dread reaper is Mr. John G. Hunt, for the past fourteen years car accountant of the Grand Trunk Railway Company. Mr. Hunt was deservedly respected and esteemed. He held the position of vice-president of the Car Accountants' Association of America, and from his geniality and many good qualities had hosts of friends in the railway world.

Favorable advices have been received from Denia and Patras regarding new crop raisins and currants. A writer at the former place says: The vines have been favored a good deal by rain, and should the existing dry and hot weather hold out, the berries will soon be fully developed, and the gathering of the crop may take place rather earlier than in 1887. The following is from Patras: The coming crop of currants is progressing most favorably. The fruit everywhere appears most healthy, and promises to be very abundant. According to the present appearances, and if we have no rot when fruit ripens, and no rain during the drying season, we may have a crop of 140,000@150,000 tons of fine fruit, say, by far the largest crop ever grown. Under these circumstances it is to be hoped that growers will be satisfied with low opening rates. Cutting will commence about as usual, and first steamer for England will sail about 20th August, and that for New York about a week later.

Along the Gaspé coast unusual damage has been caused this year by storms, and a number of fishermen have been lost. Upwards of twenty boats were lost or damaged at their anchorage alone. The poor fishermen are quite discouraged; the fishery is almost a total failure so far, and gives cause to fear a disastrous season and a coming hard winter for a great part of the population. The want of harborage for boats is more and more felt. Our fishermen cannot, with the small boats they have of necessity to use, hold on the outer fishing grounds, and one of the most important industries of the Province of Quebec is in danger of being lost if the Government does not promptly furnish a remedy. The Gaspé coast has not been for many years past so bare of fish as it is at present, and the state of trade is very dull.

SUPPLEMENT.



CANADA,
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC,
DISTRICT OF MONTREAL.

List of Licenses Granted under the Quebec License Act of 1878, and its Amendments, for the Year Commencing May 1st, 1888.

Hotels in the City of Montreal.

APRIL 26.

Louis A. Lapointe, 1424 Notre Dame
Louis Lapointe, sen., 1007 Ontario
Joseph Emond, 11 Bonsecours
Louis Racine, 32 & 34 St. Paul
Stanislas Richardson, 27 Chaboillez Sq.

APRIL 27

Henri Turcot, 463 Notre Dame
Alexandre Fillion, 661 Ontario
Charles Perrault, 1283 Ontario
Julien Bourassa, 200 St. Lawrence

APRIL 28

Robert Robert, 1149 Notre Dame
William Bogie, 636 Notre Dame
Cyprien Dumouchel, 597 & 599 St. Jacques
William Bolton, 583 Wellington
George W. Swett, Windsor
Benoni Dufresne, 14 Papineau Sq.
Eugène Lalumière, 369 Craig

APRIL 30

George Carslake, 522 & 524 St. James
Joseph Quévillion, 1 Papineau Sq.
Honoré Bonenfant, 165 St. Paul
Vincent Demers, 1235 Ontario
Napoleon Tremblay, 315 Commissioners
Williard N. Kinne, 141 to 145 McGill
Jean-Bte Ratelle, 48 Common
Thomas H. Waddell, 690 Craig
Philomène Godin, 46 Bonsecours
Etienne Aubry, 121 St. Lawrence
William Dépatie, 275-7 Visitation
Adolphe Sabourin, 21 St. Gabriel

MAY 1

Jean-Bte Desourdie, 2645 Notre Dame
Modeste Piché, 934 Common
Louis Lasonde, 644 Notre Dame
Angele Hautfield, 77 St. Paul
Marius Raymond, 205-207 St. Paul
Francois-X. Desormeaux, 1360 Notre Dame
Agnes Ruckwart, 1629 Notre Dame
Antoine Cyr, 190 St. Lawrence
Joseph Vezina, 1357 St. Catherine
Joseph Lefort, 15 Place Jacques Cartier
James O'Dea, 645 Notre Dame
Emilie Ferras, 1821 Notre Dame
Theophile Dolle, 53 St. Paul
Owen Tansey, 466 St. Jacques
David A. Hawes, 39 St. Antoine

MAY 2

Edouard Delorme, 71 St. Paul
Ehard Moag, 4854 Craig
Antoine Molinari, 35 & 40 St. Lawrence
Auguste Lebeau, 295 Craig
Louis Jette, 1900-2 Notre Dame
Joseph Sarrazin, 703 St. Catherine
Joseph A. Simon, 2537 Notre Dame
Alfred Laurin, 50 St. James
Mederic Guibault, 311 & 313 Craig

Edouard Girard, 1177 St. Lawrence
Henri Boismenu, 845 St. Dominique
Alphonse Perrault, 1383 Ontario
Phileas Desormiers, 961 Ontario
Moise Brosseau, 95 St. Paul
Benjamin Jubinville, 813 & 815 Notre Dame
Fortunat Goudreau, 544-6 Dorchester
Louis Goudreau, 1899 St. Catherine

MAY 3

Joseph Lepine, 443 Craig
Alfred Adelin dit Ricard, 2212 Notre Dame
Thomas Styles, 534 & 536 St. James
Nobert Paquin, 641 Notre Dame
Magloire Dumont, 1474 St. Catherine
William L. Cameron, 1912 Notre Dame
Jean-Bte. Vincelette, 1255-55 St. Catherine
Alphonse Lacroix, 8 Claude
Louis A. Jacques, 90 Chemin Napoleon

MAY 4

Lawrence Flynn, 31 & 33 Chaboillez Sq.
Alphonse Goulet, 401 Craig
James A. Molson, C. P. R. yard
Louis J. Lamontagne, 770 St. Denis
Napoleon Ouimet, 965 St. Lawrence
David Meunier, 133 St. Dominique
Napoleon Picard, 123 St. Maurice
Arthur Beau, 121 Vitre
Remi Arbour, 629 St. Lawrence
Telephore Valade, 65 Chaboillez Sq.

MAY 5

Arthur Frigon, 327-277 Centre
Gedeon Coupal, 113 & 117 St. Paul
Charles Gagnon, 1061 Mignonne
Modeste Kaigle, 42 Chaboillez Sq.

MAY 7

Olivier Valieres, 1267 St. Lawrence
Joseph Lauzon, 1227 St. Lawrence
Chas. McKiernan, 4, 5 & 6 Common
Ignace E. Gadoua, 91 & 93 St. Paul
Alexandre Crete, 31 Cathedral
Marguerite Beauvais, 21 to 27 Jacques-Cartier Place.

Pierre Alix, 2059 Notre Dame
Augustin Lalonde, 59 Chaboillez Sq.
Patrick O'Neil, 67 Montmorency
Aime Baignet, 10 Jacques Cartier Place
Clement Lapointe, 2684 Craig
Napoleon Richard, 257 Notre Dame
Damase Ouimet, 1072 St. Lawrence
Henri Lamarche, Frontenac, near the Abattoirs.

Treffle Villemure, 301 Craig
Arthur Lanouette, 806 Notre Dame
Napoleon Desmaisons, 1903 St. Catherine

MAY 8

Cyrille Benoit, 64 Jacques Cartier Place
Francois X. Depatie, 963 St. Lawrence
Phillippe C. Milette, 57 & 59 Centre
Frs.-X. Charbonneau, 869 St. Catherine
Onezime Labelle, 2049-51 Notre Dame
Victor Gallipoli, 1883 St. Catherine
Pascal Renaud, 1183 Notre Dame
Paul T. Beauchamps, 334 St. Lawrence
Arthur Demers, 281 Notre Dame
Napoleon Cusson, 67 St. Paul
Jean-Bte. Fafard, 523 & 525 St. Hypolite

MAY 9

John B. Terry, 342 St. James
John Birmingham, 247 Commissioners
Louis Dompiere, 256-8 Seigneurs
Michel Renaud, 661 St. Lawrence
John P. Peavy, Moulin
Martine Barrette, 183 St. Paul
Napoleon V. Marcotte, 338 & 340 Notre Dame

MAY 12

Louis Rivard, 159 College
George Perrault, 55 Common
Charles Bayer, 1382 Notre Dame
Antoine Decary, 103-5 St. Paul
Amedee Lacombe, 351 Notre Dame

MAY 14

Simeon Deslières, 9 Bonsecours
Aime Terroux, 2219 Notre Dame
Christophe Brodeur, 17 Commissioners
Charles Lussier, 31-33 Jacq. Cartier Place
Damien Beaupre, 1026 Mignonne
D. Daniel Murray, 73 Commissioners
Caroline Floucait, 1612 Notre Dame

MAY 15

Arthur Brennan, 2 Chaboillez Sq.
Edouard Clement, 1258 Ontario
David Lariviere, 56 Bonsecours
Azarie Sincennes, 256 Fullum
William Fahey, 544-546 St. James
Ellen Kane, 347 Wellington

MAY 16

Joseph Riendeau, 64 St. Gabriel
Olivier Salvas, 33 & 35 Chaboillez Sq.
Pierre Cizol, 72 St. Lawrence
Babylas Courtemanche, 66 Papineau

MAY 17

Emery Cadieux, 312 St. Lawrence
Felix Paquin, 127 St. Paul
Emerie Gauvreau, 57 Common
Pierrie P. Dubois, 2950 Notre Dame
Napoleon Duquette, 1425 Notre Dame

MAY 18

Amedee Henri, 900 Ontario
Cheri Bedard, 35 Cathedral
James McKeown, 893 Notre Dame
Thomas Boyle, 11 St. Sulpice

MAY 21

Nobert Allaire, 2 Logan
Joseph Briere, 97 St. Paul
Joseph Germain, 260 Notre Dame
James Mahoney, 2624 Notre Dame
Joseph Moyen, 10 Barracks
Alfred Labrecque, 2164 St. Lawrence

MAY 22

Felix Dansereau, 653 Notre Dame
Leon Payette, 145 & 147 St. Paul
Elie Maille, 52 St. Lawrence
Pierre J. Godin, 422 St. James

MAY 23

D. Adelbert Melvin, 742 Lagauchetiere
Edmond Morrisseau, 151 St. Paul
Mederic Beaudry, 35 & 37 Bonsecours
Flavien Adelin, 116 William
Henri Dubois, 2170-72 Notre Dame
Philomène Lamoreux, 20 & 22 Bonsecours

MAY 25

Cleophas Ouimet, 1173 St. Lawrence
Joseph Beauchamp, 254 Lafontaine
Eliza Osbert, 25 to 29 St. Lambert
Avila Gervais, 157 Grand Trunk

MAY 26

Joseph Monette, 125 McGill
Jean Bte. Roy, East End Abattoirs

MAY 28

Samuel St. Jean, 1404 St. Catherine

MAY 29

Paul Verdon, 2626 Notre Dame
Ernest Boissonault, 321 Logan
Telephore Laganiere, 319 Commissioners
Goddhif Barker, 776 & 778 Craig

MAY 30

Edward Bradford, 204 St. Antoine
Ludger Leroux, 510 & 512 St. Jacques
Edward Kelly, 481 St. James
Joseph St. Denis, 2485 Notre Dame
Louis Palchat, 285 Notre Dame
Stanislas Fortin, 19 Gosford
Joseph Baker, 417 Craig

JUNE 1

Noel Bonin, 1028 St. Lawrence
Louis Gagnon, 1522 St. Catherine
Alfred P. Mazurette, 13 St. Lawrence
Hormidas O. Lemieux, 109 Lamontagne
Alexis Toupin, 747 & 749 Notre Dame

JUNE 2

Eber H. Dunham, Hotel Balmoral
Edouard Bazinet, 1387 Notre Dame

JUNE 4

Henry Hogan, 130 St. James

JUNE 6

Joseph Paquin, 217 Craig

JUNE 7

Louis Larin, 17 & 19 Windsor

JUNE 8

Charles Green, 99½ Vitre

JUNE 9

Elizabeth Langevin, 127 & 120 Commissioners

JUNE 12

Babylas Laporte, 37 St. Lawrence

JUNE 13

Leon Vervais, 550 to 556 Craig
William Anderson, 125 Congregation
John Crowshaw, 597 Wellington

JUNE 16

Isidoro B. Durocher, 47 St. Vincent

JUNE 25

George Gravel, 2203-65 Notre Dame

JUNE 28

Pierre Meunier, 74 St. Lawrence

Restaurants in the City of Montreal.

MARCH 26

William Kearney, 43 University
James McCarthy, 177 Bleury

APRIL 26

Gustave Bourassa, 60 & 62 St. Gabriel
Auguste Demers, 7 William
Felix McEltheron, 505½ Craig
David Girard, 1416 St. Catherine
Charles M. Walker, 36 Recollet
James McCormick, 1842 Notre Dame
Cleophas Pelletier, 1430 St. Catherine
Henry H. Kurr, 1920 Notre Dame

APRIL 27

James Hayes, 113 Colloge
Joseph Langlois, 773 Ontario
Robert Chaydler, 29½ Logan
Edward Clarkin, 1558 St. James
Edmond Lescarbeau, 1045 Mignonne
Hormidas Viau, 81 Common
George W. Crossen, 7½ Amable
Frederick Ricketts, 48 St. Vincent
Christopher B. Greaves, 571½ Craig
George B. Duncan, 550 Lagauchetiere
George Sibley, 794 Craig

APRIL 28

Philorum Lafrancois, 1079 Notre Dame
Rose Kano, 87 St. Antoine
Antonio Parado, 521 Craig

APRIL 30

Joseph Gauthier, 88 St. Lawrence
Jane Walton, 557 Wellington
Jules Champagne, 290 St. Lawrence
Adolphe Perrault, 1252 Notre Dame
Joseph H. Warrington, 111 Bleury
Michael Kenney, 11 Victoria Sq.

Michael J. Mullins, 2144 Notre Dame
Walter Martin, 227 McGill
James McKeever, 114 Williams
Charles Racette, 876 Ontario
Thomas Hasset, 110 Bleury
Harry W. Bachand, 88 St. James
Espy Steer, 1 Chaboillez Sq.
Joseph A. Lescarbeau, 2465 Notre Dame
Maurice Dorais, 114 Shearn
Nazaire Gauthier, 206 St. Lawrence
Edouard Baillargeon, 271 Craig
Albert Bonneville, 530 St. James
Elzear Lamoureux, 1045 Notre Dame
John Williams, 1035 St. James
John Cannif, 155 Wellington
John H. Smith, 1998 Notre Dame.
Albina Jacques, 131 Lagauchetiere
Leon Gagné, 2307 Notre Dame
Antoine Normandin, 1570 Notre Dame
Philius Quintal, 976 Mignonne
Alfred Clarke, 623 Craig
Edmond Bourdon, 668 St. Catherine
Ernest Pellerin, 45 Bonsecours
Peter Redmond, 185 Richardson
Elzear Parent, 294 Craig

MAY 1

Louis Cousineau, 1900-2 St. Catherine
Jane Garvin' 147 Bord-de-L'Eau
Hermine Larin, 1010-12 Ontario
Cleophas Vidricaire, 1121 Notre Dame
Hormidas Clouthier, 248 St. Lawrence
James Martin, 1797 Notre Dame
James McCarry, 96 William
Aureline Boitreau dit Lantier, 2128 Notre Dame
William Reed, 65 Montmorency
Thomas Ricketts, 36½ Bleury
Hormidas Courtois, 35 St. Paul
Maxime Vezina, 1407 St. Catherine
Anatole Brien dit Desrochers, 276 Mont-calm
Didace Robert, 621 Notre Dame
Joseph Prevost, 227 Lagauchetiere
Zephir Laroque, 16 St. Lawrence
Aime Terroux, fils, 802 St. Catherine
Carmel Hudon dit Beaulieu, 106 St. Lawr
Ellen O'Reilly, 37 Colleje
Louis Coutu, 1264 Mignonne
Edward Costello, 5 McCord
Emily Nichols, 97 Wellington
Bernard Tansey, 710 Craig
Jeremie Blouin, 212 Lagauchetiere

MAY 2

Albert Menard, 1137 Ontario
John W. Wiseman, 617 St. Lawrence
Paul C. Levesque, 1799 St. Catherine
Edward Brophy, 382 St. James
Richard Coogan, 241 Commissioner
Mary Graham, 485 St. Lawrence
Francois Blanchard, 214 St. Lawrence
Jefferson C. Everett, 63 St. James
Edward Gannon, 1013 St. James
Philius Miller, 331 St. Lawrence
Isaie Lamoureux, 1596 St. Lawrence
Trefle Gagnon, 482 Craig
George A. Armand, 1825 St. Catherine
James Enright, 21 Ottawa
John Fox, 680 Dorchester
Joseph Gagnon, 491 Craig
Calixte Parent, 861 St. Catherine
Philomene Loisselle, 1873 St. Catherine
Charles Lafleur, 1663 Ontario
Henry Gilchen, 1986 Notre Dame
Philemon Gougeon, 97 Lamontagne
Alfred Rodrigue, 958 St. James
Louis Demey, 252 & 254 Lagauchetiere
Francois-X. Lapierre, 2583 Notre Dame
Edmond St. George, 1920 St. Catherine
Ovila Perrault, 1297 St. Catherine
Japhet Giguere, 973 St. Catherine
Joseph Martin, 2729 Notre Dame
Charles Ruise, 484 Lagauchetiere

MAY 3

Elizabeth Ferguson, 307 William
William Kearns, 41 St. Paul
Hormidas Meloche, 1277 Notre Dame
Louis Lebeuf, 1253 Ontario
Alphonse Pelletier, 263 Craig
Andrew J. O'Neil, 96 William
Martin O'Loughlin, 22 Ottawa
Amable Parent, 309 Craig
Joseph Champagne, 2320 Notre Dame
Norbert Roy, 1144 Ontario
John McKinly, 39 St. Peter
Octave Bellefleur, 915 St. Lawrence
Joseph Malette, 201 & 203 Seigneurs
Victor Bougie, 519 William
George J. Neville, 1550 Notre Dame
Joseph Boyer, 236 St. Lawrence
Alphonse Pilon, 547 William
Stanislas Vallée, 2505 Notre Dame

MAY 4

James Robert, 590 Lagauchetiere
James Lonsdale, 121 St. Francois-Xavier
Leocadie Lepage, 95 Common
Etienne Dore, 405 Craig
Michel Martin, 524 Lagauchetiere
William McGuigen, 526 St. James
Delima Champagne, 1807 St. Catherine
Thomas Berry, 993 St. Lawrence
Zotique Roy, 1570 St. Catherine
Clovis Barbin, 2592 Notre Dame

MAY 5

Ferdinand Corriveau, 152 St. Lawrence
Maxime Simard, 1421 Ontario
Jean Bte. Peloquin, 8 & 10 St. Lawrence Market
Dominick C. Benson, 703 Craig
Edouard Roy, 131 McCord
Joseph O. Trudel, 311 Lafontaine

MAY 7

Joseph Hebert, 1931 St. Catherine
Thomas Merrigan, 85 Manufacturers
Owen Kelly, 18 Chaboillez Square
Theophile Ethier, 339 St. Lawrence
Edmond Robert, 713 St. Catherine
John Long, 198 St. Patrick
Leandre Dorais, 2089 Notre Dame
Hormidas Roy, 1500 St. Catherine
Alexandre Keester, 2606 Notre Dame
Edouard Demers, 1272 Notre Dame
Odilon Ritchot, 296 St. Hypolite
Thomas Champleau, 160 St. Lawrence
Joseph Gariepy, 82 Jacques Cartier Sq.
Henry A. Audet, 66 St. Antoine
Adolphe S. Compain, 118 St. Francois-X
Denis Tretault, 104 St. Lawrence
James Walker, 531 Craig

MAY 8

Alphonse Poitras, 201½ Craig
Philomene Vesina, 66 St. Lawrence
Caroline Smith, 32 & 34 St. Lambert
Bazile Cote, 2220 Notre Dame
Narcisse Parent, 1468 Notre Dame
Mary Ann O'Hara, 38 St. Henri
John Humphrey, 1786 Notre-Dame
Arthur Robinson, 1164 St. James
James Murphy, 197 Commissioners
Damase Moineau, 2525 Notre Dame
Leon Cartier, 85 & 87 St. Jean Baptiste
Charles Vezina, 1207 St. Catherine
Oliva Laganier, 43 Common
Mary Ann Barry, 60 Bleury
Joseph Lafard, 951 St. Lawrence

MAY 9

Edwidge Langevin, 125 Commissioners
Joseph Meilleur, 2121 Notre Dame
William Carson, 216 McGill
Bernard McClanaghan, 508 St. James
Theodore Castonguay, 12 & 14 St. James
Alfred Lagarde, 2073 Notre Dame
Pierre Ste. Marie, 1181 Ontario

Hugh McKenna, 1634 Notre Dame
George Maybank, 120 St. James
Leon Richard, 7 & 9 St. Claude
Liboire Laganiere, 8 Callieres
George Charbonneau, 1362 St. Catherine

MAY 11

Noe Champagne, 1445 Ontario
Timothy Kenna, 231 St. James
Charles Hirtz, 737 Notre Dame
Avila E Racicot, 1554 St. Catherine
Odilon Morin, 1177 Ontario
Wilbrod Roy, 307 Dorchester
Ellen Hayes, 2 Foundling

MAY 12

Angela Cardinal, 21 St. Claude
Mary O'Neil, 141 Duke
Arthur Jones, 397 Wellington
William Peardon, 307 St. James
Gordon Melville, 1752 Notre Dame

MAY 14

William Daoust, 1935 St. Catherine.
Joseph Pelletier, 1616 St. Catherine
Arthur Adelin, 1 McCord
Vital Raparie, 2397 Notre Dame
Francis Upton, 24 Hospital
Patrick McEnroe, 203 McGill
Edward Murphy, 2021 Notre Dame

MAY 15

James Dehoney, 125 Grand Trunk
Johannah Conroy, 64 Ottawa
Francois-X. Lanier, 615 1/2 Craig
Theotime Lanclot, 1761 St. Catherine
Jean Bte. Bureau, 1842 St. Catherine
Samuel Perrault, 30 Wellington
Anne E. Boyd, 108 McGill
Thomas Eymont, 1974 Notre Dame
Edward Askew, 1829 Notre Dame

MAY 16

James Thompson, 99 Mountain
William Lane, 1770 Notre Dame
Aristide Launois, 100 St. Lawrence
Oscar Beaudry, 1236 Ontario

MAY 17

Theodule St. Jean, 209 St. Paul
Damase Roy, 646 St. Catherine
Auguste Brouillet, 169 Visitation
Casimir Arcourt dit F. Labelle, 65 Bleury
Daniel Scanlon, 1114 St. James
Mathilde Payette, 27 & 29 St. Gabriel

MAY 18

Joseph Marsan dit Lapierre, 108 1/2 Craig
John Potts, 171 St. James
Charles Larin, 439 St. Paul
Lucie Serruriere, 2590 Notre Dame
William Hanley, 83 1/2 Manufactures
John Flanagan, 252 Seigneurs
Fabien Vermette, 910 Mignonne
George Morin, corner Cadieux and St.
Jean Baptiste
Alexis Poupard, 123 St. Urbain

MAY 19

Arthur Lapointe, 1727 St. Catherine
Lazare Alain, corner Farms & St. Patrick
Jean Leclair, 60 St. Francois-Xavier

MAY 21

Ferdinand Vinet, 15 Gosford
Jules Cojas, 56 Sanguinet
Nicholas Johnston, 51 Craig
Marie L. Marcil, 1311 Ontario

MAY 22

Ellen Doyle, 214 Bourgeois
William Phelan, 11 Papineau Square
Jean-Bte. Arcand, 84 St. James
Michael Hayes, 51 St. Maurice
Medard Landreville, 1405 Mignonne

Antoine St-Andre, 488 Lagauchetiere
John Meehan, 188 Ottawa
Hormisdas Boisjennu, 541 1/2 St. Lawrence
Julia Scheller, 461 to 465 Craig

MAY 23

Thomas McCarthy, 17 St. Lambert
Odilon Rodier, 673 Ontario
John Quinn, 43 Ottawa
Damase Roy, 756 Ontario

MAY 25

Pierre Bienjonetti, 1332 Notre Dame
Charles Lumkin, 39 1/2 Bleury
Arthur Delorme, cor. Shaw & St. Catherine
Michael Hughes, 4 Chaboillez Square
Lawrence McNeice, 74 St. Maurice

MAY 26

Joseph Hatch, 718 Lagauchetiere
Joseph Lepine, 1046 Ontario

MAY 28

Isaac Durocher, 5 Place d'Armes Hill
Onezime Beauchamp, 569 to 573 St. Lawr

MAY 29

Eveline Richter, 581 1/2 Craig
Napoleon Roch, 38 St. Paul
Michael Nolan, 1064 Notre Dame
Philip A. Elliott, 35 Aylmer
Joseph Rivet, 1336 St. Catherine

MAY 30

Joseph Lamarche, 1837 St. Catherine
Philomene St. Jean, 157 College
Julia Gannon, 799 Craig
Edmond Meunier, 1992 St. Catherine

JUNE 1

Ferdinand Papillon, 44 & 46 St. Urbain
William V. B. Hall, 414 St. Paul
Charles E. Dawson, 1748 Notre Dame
Henry Dunne, 1681 Notre Dame
Amedee Contant, 1744 St. Catherine
Patrick Coleman, 2138 St. Catherine
William Creamer, 111 Mountain.

JUNE 2

Israel Goyette, 95 & 97 St. Francois Xavier
Allan Freeman, 158 St. James
Robert H. Galloway, 2132 Notre Dame

JUNE 4

Michael Fox, 31 St. Antoine
Aime Beliveau, 1564 Notre Dame
John O. Glackmeyer, 112 St. Francis X.

JUNE 5

Pierre Meunier dit Lagase, 1004 Mignonne
John Stryde, 1104 St. James
Louis Perrault, 1364 Ontario
Ovila Demuy, 49 Commissioners
Joachim Levesques, 947 Ontario
Pierre C. Bourdon, 91 St. Andre

JUNE 6

Oscar Fortin, 127 McGill
Michael Derry, 781 1/2 Craig
James Ethier, 1290 Ontario
Dennis Hayes, 745 Craig

JUNE 7

Michael Moriarty, 347 Commissioners

JUNE 8

Mederic Menard, 94 St. Lawrence
Aime Beaubien, 281 Lagauchetiere

JUNE 9

William Banks, 188 Bleury

JUNE 13

Emma Madore, 24 & 26 St. Vincent

JUNE 14

Edward Wheeler, 395 Wellington

JUNE 15

Andrew Kerrigan, 91 Napoleon Road
George C. Devault, 1461 Notre Dame

JUNE 19

Louis N. Carle, 17 Roy
Hugh D. Brady, 73 1/2 St. Urbain

JUNE 25

Joseph Pont, 518 Craig

JUNE 30

Mary Fahey, 659 St. James

Stores in the City of Montreal.

APRIL 26

Seraphine Garlepy, 287 Logan
Adelard E. Charet, 330 Amherst
Albert Bigaouette, 1303 Notre Dame
Octave P. Allard, 163 St. Antoine
Honore Riendeau, 809 St. James
Hilarion Brunet, 364 Marie Ann
Louis P. Lavoie, 627 St. Catherine

APRIL 27

Pierre Dufour, 77 Barre
Michael Davins, 39 McCord
Hector Renaud, 261 Craig
Arthur S. Benoit, 183 Guy
Gedeon Benoit, 180 St. Martin
Auguste Marineau, 417 A Cadieux
Francois X. Dugas, 261 Dorchester
Augustin Vesina, 136 Plessis
Felix R. Beaulieu, 88 1/2 Dufresne
Joseph Sanche, 1390 Mignonne
Delphis Tessier, 343 Wolfe
Elzear Gauthier, 304 Fullum
Napoleon Latreille, 1100 Ontario

APRIL 28

Elzear Masicotte, 1283 Mignonne
James Donnelly, 429 St. James
Noe Renaud, 278 Lagauchetiere
Theodule Hurtibisa, 141 Craig
Robert P. McLea, 8 Common

APRIL 29

Joel Blain, 157 Dufresne
Bridget Downes, 140 Young
Michael Delahanty, 1 Jury
Stanislas D. Vallieres, 1072 St. James
Adelard Paquette, 345 St. Antoine
Louis Bellerose, 41 Logan
Eugene Fugere, 915 Mignonne
Charles R. Blanche, 473 St. James
Francois X. Beaucaire, 1343 Mignonne
Achille Dumont, 2741 St. Catherine
Pierre E. Normandeau, 1134 Mignonne
Edmond Robillard, 1220-22 Notre Dame
Honore Dussault, 637 St. Dominique
Magloire Bousquet, 89 Maisonneuve
John A. Johnson, 1087-89 Notre Dame
Hermenegilde Maille, 253 Lagauchetiere
Onezime Ricard, 1001 Ontario
Francois Guilbord, 339 Hypolite
Thomas Donnelly, 167 Ottawa
Joseph Abel, 23 St. Vincent
Joseph Charland, 245 St. Dominique
Joseph W. Rivet, 230 Lagauchetiere
Leandre Braut, 143-5 Commissioners
Mathias Croze, 66 Lagauchetiere

MAY 1

Horace Mercier, 241 Lafontaine
Vanini Constantino, 293 Lagauchetiere
Ozie B. Ranger, 1019 Ontario
Ludger Legault, 104 Delisle
Honore Garipey, 359 Visitation
Stanislas Poulin, 56 Champlain
Louis Demuy, 152 Desire
John Johnston, 81 St. Hypolite
Bridget Sheehan, 169 Wellington

Cecil C. Wight, 472 St. Dominique
 Patrick Meehan, 62 Dorchester
 Joseph Lauzon, 320 Logan
 Alphonse Valois, 31 Houle
 Joseph Rabreau, 142 Centre
 Edouard D'Armour, 44 Labelle
 Dorothee Veronneau, 403 Plessis
 Joseph D. Bachand, 284 Lagauchetiere
 Arthur Beaufroy, 673 Dorchester
 Benjamin Lavallee, 324 Fullum
 Hermine Proulx, 1094 Ontario
 Napoleon Bastien, 163 Craig
 Francois X. Gaboury, 444 Montcalm
 James O'Shaughnessy, 53 Juror
 Jules Rivet, 770 Notre Dame
 Francois Belanger, cor. of Maple and St. Jean Baptiste
 Pierre Deziel, 265 Wolfe
 William McGowan, 337 St. Lawrence
 Francis Laporte, 384 Panet
 Mederic Courtois, 206 Lagauchetiere
 Napoleon Brodeur, 306 Seigneurs
 Edward Quin, 140 Manufacturers
 James E. Manning, 3 & 5 St. Antoine
 Pierre B. Menard, cor. Richmond and Mullin
 Elie Brodeur, 600 Dorchester
 Edouard Laurin, 187 Lagauchetiere
 Joseph Mathieu, 332 Centre
 Arthur Bourdon, 127 St. Lawrence
 Albert Dini, 2 St. Justin
 Urgel Mathien, 427 Wolfe
 Napoleon Collin, 1250 Notre Dame
 Levy Abel, 325 St. Constant
 Gephire Godin, 527 Lagauchetiere
 William J. Strong, 109 St. Antoine
 Henry Norman, 23 Busby Lane
 George Graham, 84 Victoria Sq.
 Charles Chaput, 307 to 313 Commissioners
 Michel Kilkory, 701 Craig
 Louis N. Coullier, 242 Beaudry
 Alphonse Joliceur, 1240 Mignonne
 David Ruel, 39 Sanguinet
 Francois X. Riopel, 433 Maisonneuve

MAY 2

Onesime Champagne, 21 Robin
 Jean Bte Didace Beaulieu, 188 St. Antoine
 Amedee Tellier dit Lafortune, 1 Bonsecours
 Pascal Courville, 45 St. Jean Baptiste
 Robert Bouthillier, 18 St. Felix
 Hormidas Lalonde, 42 Barre
 Chas. A. L. Malboin, 32 Carre Papineau
 Alexandre McCambridge, 57 Prince
 William Monticeth, 157 Congregation
 Prime Durocher, 26 Lafontaine
 Francois X. Martel pere, 1113 St. Laurent
 Jean Bte. Deschamps, 120 Canning
 Henry Adams, 237 Bleury
 Joseph Marchand, 1249 Ontario
 Camille Lippe, 2209 Notre Dame
 Joseph Cusson, 633 St. Jacques
 Francois X. Desautels, 395 Wolfe
 Alphonsine Ste. Marie, 396
 Peter A. Cutter, 235 Williams
 Alfred Masson, 386 St. Paul
 Eusebe A. Desormeault, 1133 Mignonne
 Ephrem Laberge, 1301 do
 Joseph Joutras fils, 2624 Sanguinet
 Thomas P. Strafford, 141 Dalhousie
 Joseph Buond, 33 St. Dominique
 David Maloney, 34 St. Philippe
 Ferdinand Filiatrault, 172 St. Laurent
 Augustin P. Desormiers, 602 Dorchester
 Pierre E. Cleroux, 232 do
 Louis A. Houle, 1191 Notre Dame
 Jean Bte. V. Droust, 1878 Ste. Catherine
 Oscar Melancon, 480 Dorchester
 Charles L. Tison, 2438 Notre Dame
 Arthur Goyer, 605 St. Laurent

MAY 3

William Brouillette, 115 St. Dominique
 George Lepino, 134 Centre
 Daniel Doyle, 54 Murray

Hilaire Corbeil, 701 St. Laurent
 Joseph E. Quintal, 274 St. Paul
 Daniel Kerans, 181 Vitre
 Marcel Lemieux, 1600 Ontario
 James McNamara, 150 Manufacturer
 John Slatery, 146 Ottawa
 Philippe Pilon, 542 Albert
 Gilbert Dragon, 305 St. Antoine
 Albert Forest, 686 Ste. Catherine
 Joseph Majeau, 447 Lagauchetiere
 Louise Batignolpi, 285 Dorchester
 Ernest Neveu, 256 Lagauchetiere
 Toussaint E. Langevin, 110 Craig
 Joseph Thoun, 950 Mignonne
 Achille Labrecque, 496 Rachel
 Pierre Dubuc, 168 Centre
 Adelard Lanthier, 34 Mountain
 Louis Rivet, 186 Lagauchetiere
 Anthime R. Archambault, 469 1/2 St. Lawrence
 Denis Tracey, 421 Wellington
 Louis Ouellette, 18 1/2 St. Dominique
 Wilfrid Corbeil, 46 St. Antoine
 Arthur Clement, 423 Laval

MAY 4

Auguste St. Jean, 312 Panet
 Camille Coderre, 92 Cadieux
 Caphael Beauchamps, 12 Manufacturer
 Emile Limoges, 22 Logan
 Anthony E. Sennat, 696 Dorchester
 Jean-Bte Lahmiere, 258 Montcalm
 George St. Pierre, 15 St. Louis
 Noel Emond, 39 Payette
 John Purcell, 114 Lagauchetiere
 Alexandre Galarneau, 130 Barre
 Henri A. B. Desrochers, 1944 St. Catherine
 Louis C. Gravel, 2 9/2 Lawrence
 Adelard Dussau, 595 1/2 St. Lawrence
 William Carignan, 101 Delisle
 Aristide Laurier, 281 Montcalm
 Godfroi Latreille, 1435 St. Catherine
 Louis S. Rivet, 73 1/2 St. Paul
 John Robertson, 12 Phillip Sq

MAY 5

Olive Mabriand, 182 Wellington
 John Hagerty, 63 St. Charles Borromeo
 Leandro Meloche, 581 Albert
 Philomene Racette, 134 Lagauchetiere
 Narcisse Guerin, 372 Richmond
 Charles S. Thompson, 1000 St. James
 Toussaint Decary, 1367 Ontario
 Wilfrid H. Latour, 774 Ontario
 Mathew Rappell, 40 Ermine
 Louis M. Soucey, 344 Richmond

MAY 7

Alfred Catudal dit St. Jean, 224 St. Hypolite.
 Alphonse Hogue, 176 1/2 St. Christophe
 Paul Lagarde, 2129 Notre-Dame
 Charles Leveille, 1081 Mignonne
 Louis G. Thoun, 39 Lacroix
 James K. I y, 183 Nazareth
 Michael Clarke, 227 Ottawa
 Stanislas Toupin, 2500 Notre-Dame
 Joseph Lefort, 331 Montcalm
 W. Philius Beaudoin, 92 Forfar
 Alexis Gauthier, 575 St. Lawrence
 Jos. Z Forest, 236 Visitation
 Angus e Bernbe, 237 St. Hypolite
 Paul V. Racicot, 1035 Ontario
 Arthur Provost, 770 1/2 St. Denis
 Pierre E. Gouin, 1590 St. Catherine
 Joseph Archambault, 44 St. Paul
 Louis Hetu, corner Rivard & Jean-Bte St
 Patrick Hayes, 27 Young
 Felix Lauzon, 465 Dorchester
 Joseph A. Collet, 416 and 418 Lagauchetier
 Edouard St. Antoine, 29 St. Andre
 Andre Fontaine, 173 Panet
 John Crothy, 41 McCord
 James B. Cartwright, 416 St. Paul
 Telesphore Poupart, 4830 St. Catherine
 Jean-Bte Brunet, 128 St. Urbain

Alfred Lefebvre, 166 Centre
 David Menard, 837 St. Dominique
 Armenius Legault, 98 Workman
 Nicolas Cleroux, 356 Panet
 Antoine S. Daoust, 1003 Mignonne
 Medard Payette, 1284 Ontario
 Alexandre Lortie, 309 1/2 Lafontaine
 Leon Lavigne, 1618 Ontario
 Onesime Noel, 945 Mignonne
 Bridget Collins, 154 Colborne
 Charles Chevalier, 246 Montcalm

MAY 8

Hormidas Depatie, corner Rachel & Pantaleon
 Mary Shannon, 189 Vitre
 Moise Dufresne, 1621 Notre Dame
 Jean-Bte Bourguignon, 635 St. Dominique
 Norbert Dubrenil, 362 Jacques Cartier
 Gmmanuel Charbonneau, 1231 St. James
 Hilaire Roy, 111 Marlborough
 Pierre Mailhot, 221 Champlain
 Jean-Bte Galarneau, 517 St. Hypolite
 Fortunat Themens, 472 Cadieux
 J. Pierre Beaudoir, 121 Congregation
 Joseph Lafrance, 28 Fullum lane
 Omer Archambault, 364 Montcalm
 Joseph Chabot, 326 Jacques Cartier
 Joseph L. Amoud, 230 Montcalm
 Stanislas Larcheveque, 227 Visitation
 Jean-Bte Leonard, 122 Dufferin
 Jean-Bte Thibaudeau, 1230 Ontario
 Joseph Beaucaire, 1069 Mignonne
 Olivier Archambault, 382 Panet
 Eugene Beland, 142 Pantaleon
 Napoleon St. Antoine, 120 Sanguinet
 Felix A. Chagnon, 1000 Ontario
 Francois St. Amour, 2455 Notre Dame
 Albert Racicot, 158 Courville
 Hormidas Laporte, 2476 Notre Dame
 Hilaire Brien dit Desroches, corner Rachel and Dunham
 Zetique Gascon, 1233 Ontario
 Alfred St. Antoine, 1453 St. Andre
 Arthur Julien, 1653 Ontario
 Joseph Belisle, 84 Maisonneuve
 Ambroise Boisvert, 36 Hibernia
 Bernard Rafferty, 75 Papineau road
 Joseph Beaulieu, 298 Dorchester
 Thomas Lamb, 2072 Notre Dame
 Alexandre Bergeron, 44 Visitation
 Cordalie Normandin, 235 Lagauchetiere
 John C. Campbell, 2554 St. Catherine

MAY 9

Ovide Renaud, 1234 St. James
 Joseph Renaud, 17 Beaudry
 Joseph Renaud, 1370 Ontario
 Joseph Audet, 413 Craig
 Hyacinthe Charlebois, 96 McGill
 Michael Maloney, 254 William
 Joseph H. Mayrand, 51 Common
 Joseph A. Cote, 409 1/2 Wellington
 Lizzie Wiggins, 1122 St. James
 George Hayes, 385 Wellington
 Dolphis C. Brosseau, 1436 Notre Dame
 Auguste Dionne, 2696 St. Catherine
 Walter M. McMillan, 92 Bleury
 Orelan A. Bigouette, 313 St. Lawrence

MAY 11

George Croteau, 116 St. Maurice
 Camille Brien dit Desroches, 27 Roy
 Telesphore A. Lesage, 1308 Mignonne
 Joseph G. Guenard, 902 Mignonne
 Joseph Larange, 122 Montcalm
 Louise Favreau, 2064 St. Catherine
 Telesphore E. Germain, 177 Dorchester
 Narcisse Lapointe, 64 Quessnel
 Christophe Messier, 648 Notre Dame
 Joseph E. Gagnier, 461 Rachel
 Ulderice David, 1366 St. Catherine
 Henri Jonas, 10 DeBresolles
 Joseph Picard, 460 St. James
 Venance Payment, 63 Versailles
 Leon Jodoin, 36 Iberville
 Joseph L. Laurier, 309 St. Hubert

Elzear Sirois, 124 1/2 St Christophe
 Thomas Murphy, 58 Shannon
 Joseph E. Morois, 210 Montcalm
 William R. Adams, 275 St Lawrence
 Robert T. Dinham, 430 St James

MAY 12

Euchariste Leclair, 435 Cadieux
 Hormidas Therien, 553 St Lawrence
 Ellen Cox, 93 St Patrick
 Johanna Claire, 19 Juror
 Elizie Rodier, 166 Montcalm
 Felix S. Valiquette, 125 Centre
 David Crawford, 2227 St Catherine

MAY 14

Narcisse Lemire, 249 Champlain
 Leonce Lavallee, 1312 Ontario
 Thomas Brossard, 68 St Albert
 Elzear Christin, 1212 Ontario
 Thomas Kearns, 710 Lagauchetiere
 Michael O'Reilly, 28 Gain
 Paul E. Major, 1356 Mignonne
 Cyrille Lachapelle, 1284 St Catherine
 Antoine A. Labrecque, 1758 St Catherine
 Medard Parthenais, 138 Lagauchetiere
 Nathalie Clement, 305 German
 Francois X. Paquette, 314 St Hypolite
 Donald McDonald, 47 Forfar
 Marcel Gagnan, 58 Lusignea
 Michel Re, 257 Poupert
 Elzear A. Painchaud, 148 Vitre
 Hormidas Gariepy, 151 St. Paul
 Ann Dempsey, 116 Murray
 Alphonse Dulude, 731 St Catherine
 Amedee Lachapelle, 250 Visitation
 Joseph T. Lavigne, 1704 St Catherine
 Hormidas Lefebvre, 196 Dorchester
 Alphonse Beauchamp, 77 & 79 Champlain
 William J. Rafferty, 190 Ottawa
 Zephirin Charest, corner Rachel & Rivard
 Alexandre Lapierre, 353 Richmond
 Alexis Joly, 303 German
 James H. Howard, 97 Roy

MAY 15

Avila Tromblay, 108 Moreau
 Alexis Thibault, 479 Centre
 Joseph Marinneau, 751 St Dominique
 Antoine Hurlbise, 352 Papineau road
 Patrick O'Brien, 310 St Patrick
 Pierre Lepine, 110 Plessis
 Joseph A. Fortier, 142 Dufresne
 Joseph Riendeau, 151 Champlain
 James McCarthy, 109 & 111 College
 Bernard Campbell, 370 St James
 Severe Thibault, 1333 Notre Dame
 Joseph Dugal, 987 St Laurent
 Philias Brosseau, 1295 St Catherine
 Patrick Grace, 194 to 198 St Paul
 Francois X. Mantha, 959 St Dominique
 Joseph J. Robillard, 458 Dorchester
 George Berthand, 262 Notre Dame
 Andre Dubrulle, 145 Wellington
 Justinien Yanier, 2495 Notre Dame
 Joseph Ouimet, 107 St Andre
 Michael Gallahan, 256 William
 Arthur Fournier, 35 St Dominique
 Joseph H. Cote, 190 Visitation
 Francois Gobeil, 601 Sanguinet
 Aime Mathieu, 82 St James
 Arthur Vary, 140 St Martin
 Michael Dwyer, 114 Fulford
 Mary A. Scott, 102 Shannon

MAY 16

Joseph H. Giguere, 73 Cumpeau
 Michael P. Laverty, 118 Bleury
 Edward Kennedy, 104 William
 Isidore Tougas, 741 St. Catherine.
 Peter Gannon, 12 Chabollez Square
 Charles Mayrand, 65 Craig
 Alphonse Pigeon, 202 St. Paul
 Michel Laniel, 545 Albert
 Cyrille Collin, 1278 Ontario
 Nicholas Kearns, 36 Bleury

William Doherty, 6 Chabollez
 Albert C. Dionne, 243 Lafontaine
 Jean Bte Pontbriand, 556 Lagauchetiere
 Thomas Driscoll, 46 Colbourne
 Joseph G. C. Meagher, 14 De Bresolles
 James J. Kavanagh, 33 Chabollez Square

MAY 17

Adolphe E. Clement, 100 Drolet
 Amedee Poitras, 224 Lafontaine
 Phidime Guay, 1161 St. James
 Rosario Monast, 320 Notre Dame
 Ernest Robert, 172 Dorchester
 Edward Roach, 68 Papineau Road
 Joseph A. Robitaille, 123 St. Paul
 Thomas Cantwell, 663 St. James
 Peter McKewn, 214 William
 Ferdinand Legault, 221 Cadieux
 Joseph Bruchesi, 2131 Notre Dame
 Charles Jos. Laberge, 1613 St. Catherine
 Alexandre Martel, 200 Drolet
 Jean Bte Gregoire, 689 Notre Dame
 Thomas Bulger, 98 Island
 Theodore Robitaille, 99 St. Paul

MAY 18

Philias Vannier, 433 Seigneur
 John Tooley, 78 Champlain
 Samuel Rousseau, 92 Desire
 Onesime Archambault, 201 Lafontaine
 Alexandre Houle, 208 McCord
 Joseph A. Duquette, 522 Hypolite
 Adolphe D. Paquette, 297 Notre Dame
 Auguste St Germain, 274 1/2 Centre
 Joseph Pelletier, 612 Mignonne
 Pierre Blain, 651 St. Catherine
 Marc Legault, 474 St. Dominique
 Alfred Laporte, 423 Hypolite
 Jean Rousseau, 85 St. Andrew
 Joseph Tougas, 143 Iberville
 Firmin Hudon, 278 St. Paul
 Joseph O. Villeneuve, 1260 St. Lawrence
 Levy King, 17 Champlain

MAY 19

Ferdinand Decary 60 Cadieux
 Charles B. Lanctot, 1664 Notre Dame
 Aime Dubuc, 948 Ontario
 Edmond L. Furnis, 51 St Jean Baptiste

MAY 21

Algenese Gervais, 434 Rachel
 Irael Forget dit Depatie, 265 Jac Cartier
 Francis P. Horan, 162 Cadieux
 Martin Elliot, 48 Berthelet
 Calixte T. Jette, 337 Papineau Road
 Martin J. O'Loughlin, 40 1/2 Hermine
 Nicholas Kearns, 30 Conseillers
 George Jordan, 2607 St Catherine
 Henri Beland, 1803 "
 Rose Ann Vandelac, 454 Beaudry
 Michael Madigan, 144 Ottawa
 Stanislas Cardinal, 2301 Notre Dame
 Pierre Legault, 2269 "
 Modeste Rodrigue, 487 Lagauchetiere
 Charles Laberge, 739 Ontario
 Thomas O'Hare, 37 Aylmer
 Joseph Daigneault, 869-Mignonne
 Jean F. Brule, 1578 Ontario
 Hector W. Lareau, 327 Maisonneuve
 Phileas Morin, 112 St Maurice

MAY 22

Vital Baby, 2403 Notre Dame
 Wilfrid Mayer, 288 Cadieux
 Joseph J. Anclair 258 Dorchester
 Urgel Rivet, 1662 Ontario
 Medard Dufresne, 1 Houle
 Rose Ann Redmond, 179 McCord
 John Coulter, 69 St Patrick
 Thomas Kinsella, 118 Ottawa
 Joseph E. Beaudry, 1131 St Lawrence
 Joseph Dagenais, 1982 St Catherine
 John Scanlan, 48 1/2 St Urbain
 Michael Scanlan, 34 St. Charles Barrom-
 mee
 Louis Roy, 100 Frontenac

Joseph Nadeau, 394 Maisonneuve
 Frs. X. Berthiaume, 251 1/2 Grand Trunk
 Thomas Pegna, 208 Ottawa
 Avila Fortin, 48 Moreau
 Marc Duplessis, 64 1/2 Murray

MAY 23

Francois Groleau, sen., 56 Dufresne
 Edmond Beauchamp, sen., 112 St Elizabeth
 Joseph Vannier, 2006 St Catherine
 Edouard Chalifoux, 218 Craig
 Fredrick Kingston, 25 Hospital
 Henri Mallette, 104 Inspector

MAY 25

Emery Brisson, 1114 Mignonne
 Annie Nolan, 13 Centre
 Edouard Houle, 1341 Ontario
 Edmond Tougas, 658 Ontario
 Richard Walsh, 812 Dorchester
 Joseph Desjardins, 144 Shearer
 Damaso Lariviere, 643 Notre Dame
 Malvina Lambert, 1239 Mignonne
 Pierre Bertrand, 116 Beaudry
 Alfred Beaulieu, 120 Congregation
 Arsene Corbell, 1564 St. Catherine
 Hyacinthe Poirier, 193 Barre
 Victor Mathyl, 47 St. Louis

MAY 26

Octave Belanger, 25 Louis Hypolite
 Oscar Rivet, 312 Lafontaine
 Auguste Archambault, 285 Lafontaine.

MAY 28

Philias Brien dit Desroches, 67 des Erables
 Joseph Desanteis, 270 Craig
 Napoleon Lebrun, 89 St. Jean Baptiste
 Maximo Bernard, 1049 Mignonne
 Louis Dugal, 136 Richardson
 Ernest Perrault, 271 St. Antoine
 Charles Fortier, 88 St. Jean Baptiste
 John Morris, 122 Papineau Road
 Louis Lebrun, 1203 Ontario
 Joseph Pare, 283 Cadieux
 Charles O Lapierre, 210 1/2 St. Lawrence
 Philias Collin, 155 Desire
 Joseph E. Olivier, 263 Sanguinet
 William E Halpin, 509 St. James
 Thomas Carroll, 373 Wellington
 Edward Elliott, 59 Bleury
 Francois X. Marchand, 213 Acqueduc

MAY 29

Eusebe Vincent, 1456 St. Catherine
 Maxime Gougeon, 1190 St. Lawrence
 Pierre B. Roberge, 255 Logan
 Edmond Lapointe, 286 Beaudry
 Joseph Lebrun, 841 St. Catherine
 Onezime Champagne, 73 Dufresne
 John H. Simple, 35 St. Pierre
 Alexis Cusson, 185 St. Paul
 Bernard Connaughton, 84 Grand Trunk
 Theodule Neveu, 103 Workman
 L. Theodore Asselin, 79 St. Jean Baptiste
 Andre Desjardins, 29 Chatham
 Thomas Kilcullen, 107 Lagauchetiere
 Elie Hotte, 1194 Notre Dame
 Amedee Meunier, 1247 St. Catherine
 Stanislas Demers, 146 St. Antoine

MAY 30

Placide Daoust, 2591 Notre Dame
 Alexandre Legault, 207 Barre
 Andre Lortie, 366 Cadieux
 Louis W. T. Mosse, 242 St Paul
 Charles Duval, 355 Erable
 Euchariste E. Goyer, 1310 St Catherine
 Napoleon Poulette, 164 Visitation
 Charles A. Barbeau, 275 William
 Stanislas Demers, 68 St Antoine

JUNE 1

Jean-Bte Labelle, 231 Cadieux
 Joseph A. Pelletier, 914 Mignonne
 Theophile Theberge, 529 Lagauchetiere
 William F. Lynch, 207 Wellington

Louis Samson, 172 Champlain
 Francois Dudemaine, 1486 St Catherine
 Thomas Gauthier, 2010 do
 John Quinn, 137 St Maurice
 Dolphis Broussseau, 116 Germain

JUNE 2.

Peter Rowan, 135 and 187 St. Paul.
 Margaret A. Brady, 88 and 90 Bleury.
 Charles Lecaille, 329 St. Paul.
 Amedee Beaupre, 339 Notre Dame
 Jane Corbell, 1339 " "
 Raymond Brien dit-Desrochers, 201 Centre.

JUNE 4.

Louis Michon, 1305 Ontario.
 Charles Benoit, 311 St Charles Barronnie.
 Ludger Houle, 50 Lacroix.
 Catherine Dwyer, 105 Colborne.
 Alphonse F. Milot, 166 and 168 St. Denis.
 Thomas Fraser, 184 1/2 Bleury.
 Cleophas M. Lavigne, 1313 Mignonne.
 Richard McShane, 109 McGill.
 Edward Mansfield, 2206 St. Catherine and 53
 University.

JUNE 5

Theodore H. Mallette, 522 Dorchester.
 Patrick Coleman, 524 "
 Henri Hurtibise, 187 1/2 St. George.
 Joseph Perrault, 17 1/2 Perrault Lane.
 Onexime Cartier, 10 St. Jean Bte.

JUNE 6.

Joseph Gariepy, 299 Dorchester.

JUNE 10.

John A. Kelly, 19 Place Jacques Cartier.

JUNE 11.

Laurent A. Piche, 45 St. Andre.

JUNE 12.

Eugene Lambert, 246 1/2 Amherst.
 Antoine G. Laporte, 1238 Mignonne

JUNE 14.

Arthur M. Decary, 1472 Notre Dame.

JUNE 15

Michael Arahill, 129 Wellington
 Barnette Freidman, 1415 Notre Dame

JUNE 16

Alexandre D. Fraser, 199 St. James

JUNE 18

Ulride Chamberland, corner of Erable and
 Rochol.
 Bridget Fradley, 145 Colborne.

JUNE 19

James Gannon, 16 Sanguinet

JUNE 20.

Leopold Larue, 10 St. Claude.
 William V. Gordon, 2290, 92 St. Catherine.

JUNE 21

Joseph Tessier, 1505 St. Catherine

JUNE 22

Albia Depatie, 212 Panet
 William Farrell, 420 St. Paul

JUNE 25

Joseph N. Grenier, 1270 Mignonne.

JUNE 26

Wilfrid B. Desmarteau, 167 St. Laurent

JUNE 27

Michael J. O'Flaherty, 75 Wellington

Hotels in Towns.

MAY 1

Alphonse Trudeau, St. Cunegonde
 Joseph Bariteau, "
 Anatole Papineau, St. Henry
 Philip Barry, "

MAY 2

Athanase Branchaud, St. Henry
 Israel Verdon, do
 Olivier Courville, St. Cunegonde
 Xavier Paquette, do
 Francois X. Lapierre, do
 Walter Armstrong, St. Henry
 Pierre Boudreau, Longueuil

MAY 3

Laurent Verdon, St. Henry

MAY 4

Hubert Giroux, St. Henry
 Wilfrid Gauthier, St. Cunegonde

MAY 5

Damase Benoit, Maisonneuve

MAY 7

Theophile Bourdon, Longueuil
 Maxime Benoit, St. Henry
 Cyrille Jodoin, Longueuil
 John O'Mara, St. Cunegonde
 Marceline Dubord, Longueuil

MAY 8

Xavier Marcotte, St. Cunegonde

MAY 9

Auguste Beaudry, Longueuil
 William B. Wright, Lachine
 Michael Carey, St. Cunegonde

MAY 11

Olivier Lafrance, St. Cunegonde
 Michel Laforce, do
 Ambroise Major, Lachine
 Nicolas Pressau, St. Henry

MAY 14

Philippe Vincent, St. Henry
 William Harvey, Lachine
 Pierre Larante, St. Henry
 Gedeon Normandin, St. Henry

MAY 16

Aurelie Laforce, St. Henry

MAY 17

Michel Leger, son of Michel, Lachine

MAY 22

Felix Barre, Lachine
 Thomas O'Loghlin, Lachine

MAY 25

George Gravel, St. Cunegonde

MAY 26

Jean-Bte Lepine, Maisonneuve
 Francois X. Etie Maille, Longueuil

MAY 28

Samuel McDonald, St. Henry
 Benjamin Carignan, Lachine

MAY 29

George Rolland, St. Henry

MAY 30

Edouard H. Hanna, Lachine
 Theophile Patenaude, St. Cunegonde

JUNE 4

Francois X. Dumas, St. Henry

JUNE 5

Joseph Boucher, St. Henry

Hotels in Villages.

APRIL 16

Alexandre Legault, Ste. Anne de Bellevue

APRIL 28

Joseph Lariviere, Pointe Claire

APRIL 30

Honore Brodeur, Varennes
 Thomas Wiseman, St. Louis du Mile End
 Elmire St. Denis, Station du Coteau
 Jean Bte. Lalonde, do do

MAY 1

Leon P. Belair, Point Claire
 Alfred Lamoureux, Bassin de Chambly
 Frederick N. F. Catudal, Cote des Neiges

MAY 2

Joseph Lajeunesse, Notre-Dame de Grace
 John Donohue, Cote des Neiges

MAY 3

Joseph Loiseau, Chambly Canton
 Thomas McInrey, Riviere Beaudette
 Magloire Lalonde, Ste Genevieve
 Guillaume Blondin, Ste. Rose
 Thomas Duchesneau, Pointe Claire

MAY 4

Henri Bourassa, Laprairie
 Pierre E. Poirier, Coteau Station
 Jos. Pilon Coteau Landing
 Telesphore Hogue, St. Louis du Mile End

MAY 7

Emery Gauthier, Vaudreuil
 Jean Bte J. Thomas fils, Cote Visitation

MAY 8

Maurice Lebeau, Point Clairé
 Charles Racicot, Boucherville
 Eugenie Lalumiere, Notre Dame de Grace

MAY 9

Dosithee Rochon, Vaudreuil

MAY 12

Stanislas Lefebvre, Coteau Station

MAY 14

Godfroi Guilbault, Ste. Genevieve
 Abraham Sauve, Coteau Landing
 Olivier Clermont, Rigaud
 Adolphe Raymond, Ste. Anne de Bellevue

MAY 15

Onexime Cuillerier, St. Joseph de Soulanges
 Ludger Theorest, Ste. Anne de Bellevue

MAY 17

Theotime Giroux, St. Polycarpe

MAY 19

Edward McNeil, Laprairie

MAY 21

Antoine Dubuc, Chambly Canton
 Edmond Seguin, Pointe Fortune

MAY 22

Olivier B. Prieur, Coteau Landing

MAY 23

Antoine Sabourin, Rigaud

MAY 25

Paul Cadieux, Sainte-Rose

MAY 28

Victor Routhier, Ste. Anne de Bellevue
 Etienne Bessette, Riviere Beaudette
 William Irvine, Notre Dame de Grace
 Adolphe Cote, Chambly Bassin

MAY 29
John P. McDonald, Riviere Beaudette
Pierre Plessis Belair, Ste. Rose
Leandre Robert, Laprairie
Joseph Robert, Laprairie
Domina Martin, Laprairie
Edmond Latour, Cote St. Paul

MAY 30
Clement Desourdy, Chambly Bassin

JUNE 1
Leon Daoust, St. Polycarpe

JUNE 5
Francois Lavergne, St. Polycarpe

Hotels in Parishes.

APRIL 19
Francois alias Francis Longtin, St. Constant

APRIL 28
Margaret Kanes, Long Pointe
Vital Nantel, Sault au Recollet
Theophile Migneron, Saint Laurent

APRIL 30
Thomas Montgomery, St. Telesphore
Zotique Courville, Ste. Justine de Newton

MAY 1
Alfred Charbonneau, St. Vincent de Paul
Maggie McDonald, St. Telesphore
Elie Lanthier, St. Telesphore
Francois Lizette, St. Bruno
Francois X. Bouvier, Vercheres
Saul Trottier, St. Joseph de Soulanges
Celestin Decost, Ste. Justine de Newton

MAY 2
Adelard Noiseux, Belœil
Alfred Belanger, St. Martin

MAY 3
Guillaume Richard, St. Lazare
Ovila Leroux, Vaudreuil
Joseph Belair, St. Telesphore
Adelard Benoit, St. Benoit
Leon De anleau, St. Jacques Mineur
Adelard Devoyeau, St. Clet

MAY 4
Narcisse Beaudry, Pointe aux Trembles
Frederic Alais, do
Francois Robert, St. Hubert
Louis Vallee, St. Leonard Port Maurice

MAY 5
Eusebe Crevier, St. Laurent
Joseph Debien, Ste. Dorothee
Antoine Daoust, St. Polycarpe

MAY 7
Ellen McDonald, St. Telesphore
Joseph Reeves, Belœil
Edward H. McLeish, Longue Pointe
Nestor Menard, St. Joseph de Soulanges
Noe Demers, St. Telesphore
Eugenie Leonard, Pointe aux Trembles

MAY 8
William Fournier, St. Zotique
Olivier Gervais fils, Contrecoeur
Joseph Giroux, St. Martin
Ludger L'Ecuyer, St. Philippe
Amede Lariviere, St. Bazil le Grand
Alexandre Bonneau, St. Philippe
Antoine Serre, Vaudreuil

MAY 9
Cyriac St. Amour, St. Francois de Salles

MAY 11
Hormidas Meunier, St. Saurent
Antoine Laurin, St. Martin

MAY 12
George Bertrand, St. Vincent de Paul
Andre St. Denis, St. Clet

MAY 14
Alphonse Barrette, Laprairie

MAY 15
Pierre Girard, St. Lazare

MAY 16
John Richardson, Ste. Justine de Newton
Joseph Decarrie, St. Laurent

MAY 17
Jean Bte Peloquin, Sault au Recollet
Clephas Picard, do do

MAY 19
Alfred Charron, St. Hubert
Louis Guerin, Laprairie

MAY 21
Jean Bte Riendeau, St. Isidore

MAY 22
Eusebe Lecompte, Ste. Justine de Newton
Antoine Menard, St. Ignace du Lac
Bazil Farmer, St. Clet
Camille Charbonneau, Longue Pointe
Luger Benoit, St. Zotique
Jean Bte. Marcotte, Sault au Recollet

MAY 23
Octave Pharent, St. Ignace du Lac
Hortense Robert, Tres St. Redempteur
Narcisse Gosselin, St. Laurent
Napoleon Bedard, St. Justin de Newton
Joseph Leduc, Ste. Jene de l'Iste Perrot

MAY 28
Pierre Brunelle, Longue Pointe

MAY 29
Joseph Chevalier, fils, Longue Pointe

MAY 30
Bernabe Lalonde, Tres St. Redempteur

JUNE 2
Jean Bte. Pepin, Longue Pointe

JUNE 11
Auguste Moncicaù dit Desormeault, St. Martin
Francois Adam, Ste. Marthe

JUNE 13
Leon Vervais, St. Laurent

JUNE 18
Evangeliste Campeau, St. Clet
Elie Veronneau, Ste Julie

Stores in Towns.

APRIL 30
Adelard Allard, Lachine

MAY 1.
Isaie Vary, Ste Cunegonde
Azarie Bleau, St. Henri
Octave Chicoine, "
Pierre Z. Ste Marie, Longueuil
Maxime Plante, St. Henri

MAY 2.
Napoleon Cardinal, Ste Cunegonde
Felix Labelle, "
Joseph Chartrand, "
Antoine P. Lalonde, "
Francois X. Laurier, "
Alfred Legault, "

MAY 3.
Joseph Robert, Ste Cunegonde
Hormidas Deslauriers, Lachine
Olivier Decarie, St Henri

MAY 4.
Camille Clement, Lachine
Toussaient L. Rolland, St Henri

MAY 5.
Jean Bte Caron, Lachine
Treffle Lemoine, St Henri
Josephine Lenoire, "

MAY 7.
Etienne Milard, Ste Cunegonde
Amedee Major, St Henri
Guillaume Ouellette, Lachine
Avila Bellefleur, St Henri
Elzear Marchand, Ste Cunegonde
Louis Delorme, St Henri
Louis A. Papineau, "

MAY 8.
Joseph H. Thibert, Ste Cunegonde
Damase Poirier, St Henri
Joseph Allard, Lachine
Moise Richard, Maisonneuve
Hormidas Senecal, Longueuil

MAY 9.
Leon Renaud, Ste Cunegonde
Hubert Morin, "

MAY 11.
Wilbrod Labreche, St Henri
Joseph Rivet, Ste Cunegonde
Joseph Lussier, St Henri

MAY 12.
Philius Huard, St Henri
Maximilien Gagne, St Henri
Jules Leger, Ste Cunegonde

MAY 14.
Hormidas Lalonde, St Henri
Joseph Dufort, St Henri
Moise Desautels, St Henri
Jean E. Menard, Ste Cunegonde

MAY 15.
Etienne Benoit, Longueuil
Onezime Legault, St Henri

MAY 16.
Narcisse Dansereau, St. Henri
Etienne Lacombe, "
Marie Mailloux, "
Stanislas Landreville, "

MAY 18.
Charles Bellerose, Maisonneuve
Alfred Lapailleur, Lachine
Joseph Pinsonneault, Ste Cunegonde

MAY 21.
Leopold Champagne, Maisonneuve

MAY 22.
Antoine Lussier, Ste Cunegonde
Fleury Gosselin, Maisonneuve
Andre S. Delisle, Ste Cunegonde
Alfred Normandin, St Henri
Moise Martin, "
Hermenegilde Laniel, Ste Cunegonde

MAY 28.
Jean Bte Hurteau, Ste Cunegonde

MAY 26.
Francois X Chadillon, Ste Cunegonde

MAY 28.
Charles Lebrun, St Henri
Joseph A. Pare, Lachine

MAY 29.
Wilfrid Robidoux, St Henri
Thomas Millette, Longueuil
Rene Leclerc, St Henri

MAY 30.
Maurice Leclerc, Ste Cunegonde

JUNE 1.
Husmer Lanctot, St Henri

JUNE 6.
Eugene Caron, St Henri

JUNE 7.
Jean Bte Desautels, St Henri

JUNE 12.
Pierre Perrault, St Henri

JUNE 13.
Jean Bte A Quesnel, Ste Cunegonde

JUNE 19.
Alfred Martin, Lachine

Stores in Villages and Parishes.

APRIL 30.
Joseph H. Brodeur, Varennes
Thomas Cavanagh, "

MAY 1.
Azilda Valois, Vaudreuil
Julio Lavardure, Varennes
Elvidas Leonard, St Louis de Mile End
Emilien Mayer, Pointe Claire
Joseph A Lanctot, St Isidore
Joseph Oligny, Chambly Basin
Aime Lambert, St Bazile

MAY 2.
Gedeon Deguire, Ste Justine de Newton
Damase S. Brav, Vaudreuil
Catherine Larin, Sault au Recollet
Magloire Hotte, St. Louis du Mile End
Andrew Irwing, St. Lambert
Alexandre Robert, St. Bruno
Emery Lefebvre, Coteau Station
Louis Bourbonnais, Ste. Ignace du Coteau du Lac
Omer S. Bissonnette, do
Hermencilde Peuchamp, Varennes

MAY 3.
Michel Bertrand, Varennes
Francois X. Coletto, Vercheres
Sorgnig Archambault, Ste. Theodosie
Joseph Belanger, St. Louis du Mile End
Liboire Constant, Vaudreuil
Hermonegilde Duchesneau, Pointe Claire
Isaie Racine, Vercheros

MAY 4.
John Watts, Chambly Bassin
Jean Bte. Besner, Ste. Ignace du Lac
Honore Thauvette, St. Lazare

MAY 5.
Camille Mireault, St. Louis du Mile End

MAY 8.
Alexander Prefontaine, Beloeil
Louis Latendresse, Sault au Recollet

MAY 9.
Joseph A. Gauthier, Ste. Justine de Newton
Domina Robert, St. Jacques le Mineur
Avila Lapierre, St. Louis du Mile End

MAY 11.
Crosus Bernard, St. Bazil le Grand
Ponolape McGillies, St. Telesphore
Victor Lalonde, Vaudreuil

MAY 7.
Stevens Carriere, Coteau Landing
Joseph Leduc, Cote St. Louis.

MAY 12.
Joseph A. Prieur, Coteau Landing
Felix C. Larose, Vercheres

MAY 14.
Jean Bte. Belanger, St. Louis du Mile End
Edras Bissonette, St. Joseph de Soulanges
Jean Bte. Cadieux, St. Louis du Mile End

MAY 15.
Delphis Lebeau, Ste Anne de Bellevue
Trelle Dubois, St. Louis du Mile End

MAY 16.
Camile Lalonde, St. Telesphore
Antoine Gauthier, Ste. Anne de Bellevue
Hornisdas Amiot, Vercheres

MAY 17.
Jerome Jacques, Vercheres

MAY 19.
Alphonse Charlebois, Laprairie
Odile Renaud, St. Louis du Mile End

MAY 21.
Ephrem M. Martin, St. Jacques le Mineur

MAY 22.
George Leduc, Ste. Anne de Bellevue
Auguste Broux, Chambly Canton
Hornisdas Riendeau, Chambly Basin
Jean Bte, A. Mongenais, Rigaud

MAY 25.
Jean E. Tremblay, Ste. Anne de Bellevue

MAY 26.
Henri Brossard, Laprairie

MAY 28.
Eledge Lafontaine, St. Marc

MAY 29.
Jean Leroux, St. Joseph de Soulanges
Antoine St. Denis, Ste. Anne de Bellevue
Godfroy Constant, St. Joseph de Soulanges.

MAY 30.
Nazaire Chartrand, Ste. Marthe
Moise C. Besner, Ste. Anne de Bellevue

JUNE 1.
Donald J. MacIntosh, Ste. Justine de Newton

JUNE 4.
Gedeon Lalonde, St. Ignace du Lac
Elie Millard, Ste. Marthe
James W. Bain, St. Polycarpe

JUNE 9.
Ferdinand Vezina, Vercheres
Venant Henriochon, Cote St. Paul

JUNE 14.
Joseph A. Chevrier, Rigaud

JUNE 18.
Cleophas Narbonne, Ste. Julie

JUNE 19.
George St. Denis, St. Clet

Wholesale Liquor Stores.

APRIL 30.
James M. Douglas, 18 Hospital

MAY 2.
Julius Rohr, 30 Hospital
James A. Gillespie, 89 St. Francois Xavier
Robert Dalglish, 22 St. John
Colin Campbell, 22 St. John

MAY 4.
Frank R. Batterbury, 52 & 54 St. Sacramento

MAY 5.
Charles G. Hope, 44 St. Sacramento

MAY 8.
David Law, 85 St. Peter

MAY 9.
Louis A. Mongenais, 338 St. Paul

MAY 17.
James Guest, 27 St. Sacramento

MAY 18.
John Baird, 209 Commissioners.

MAY 25.
Catherine A. Ainsley, 46, 48 and 50 St. Sacramento
John G. Sidey, 207 Commissioners.

MAY 29.
Leopold Galarneau, 350 St. Paul

MAY 30.
James C. McArthur, 310 St. Paul
Lucien Huot, 466 St. Paul

JUNE 4.
James M. Kirk, 66 St. Peter

JUNE 9.
Henri Schmidt, 13 Common

JUNE 20.
Charles Devyn, 4 Beaver Hall Hill

Pawnbrokers.

MAY 1.
Lewis Arason, 92 St. Lawrence
Isaac Arason, 517 Craig

MAY 3.
Sophie Davis, 4 Dollard Lane

MAY 4.
Barnet Blumfield, 1443 Notre Dame
Lewis Levy, 1492 Notre Dame
Dora Cohen, 1486 Notre Dame

MAY 5.
Hiram Rutenberg, 601 Craig

MAY 7.
Lazarus Vineberg, 1908 Notre Dame

Temperance Hotels.

APRIL 30.
Louis Veraneau, Boucherville

MAY 1.
Elizabeth Campeau, Canton Chambly
Auguste Aubertin, Boucherville

MAY 8.
Cleophas Narbonne, Ste. Julie

MAY 9.
Paul Vien, Chambly Canton

MAY 21.
Edward Ansbury, Hudson

Restaurants in Unorganized Territories.

MAY 8.
John McClanagan, Mount Royal Park.
MAY 26.
Arcade Depatie, St. Helene's Island Park
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JUNE 19.
John McClanagan, Mount Royal Park

Powder Magazines.

MAY 11.
Joseph Paquette, Cote St. Louis

Bars in Clubs.

MAY 2.
Club Champlain, 397 Lagachetiere
MAY 8.
St. James Club, 831 Dorchester
MAY 14.
Nish and Game Club, 201 St. James
MAY 19.
Montarville, Longueuil
MAY 21.
Teutonia, 2204 St. Catherine
MAY 22.
Canodien, 350 Lagachetiere
MAY 26.
Foot races for the 24th, 25th and 26th May only

Billiard Tables in Clubs.

MAY 8.
St. James Club, Montreal, 3 tables
MAY 11.
Montreal Amateur Athletic Asso, 12 tables
MAY 12.
Cercle St. Pierre, Montreal, 7 tables
MAY 15.
Club Champlain, Montreal, 3 tables
MAY 19.
Montarville, Longueuil, 2 tables
MAY 21.
Teutonia, Montreal, 1 table
MAY 22.
Canadien, Montreal, 3 tables
MAY 25.
Merchant Clerks' Union, Montreal, 4 tables

Sale of Powder, Retail Only.

APRIL 27.
John H. Wilson, 1874 Notre Dame
APRIL 30.
Germain Lepage, 1467 Notre Dame
MAY 1.
Pierre Dansereau, 218 St. Paul
Joseph Ostigny, Chambly Basin.
Daniel Sennett, 9 Victoria Square
Hyacinthe Sylvestre, Laprairie

MAY 3.

Leon Laurent, 1862 Notre Dame
Alexandre Prudhomme, 1940 Notre Dame

MAY 4.

John Watts, Chambly Basin
Thomas W. Boyd, 1641 Notre Dame

MAY 5.

Louis Dutour, Longue Pointe
Chas. H. Letourneaux, 261 & 265 St. Paul

MAY 7.

Gelase Boudrais, 1535 St. Catherine

MAY 9.

Julie Laverdure, Varennes

MAY 11.

Francois X. Rastoul, 193-5 St. Paul

MAY 14.

Jean Bte. Belanger, St. Louis du Mile End
Pierre Demers, 2191 Notre Dame
Napoleon Mathieu, 2681 Notre Dame

MAY 15.

Sinai Prevost, 269 St. Paul

MAY 17.

Jerome Jacques, Vercheres

MAY 25.

Francois Charron, St. Hubert

MAY 28.

Joseph Manton, 499 Craig

JUNE 1.

Gedeon Constantineau, 1950 Notre Dame

JUNE 2.

Gordien Menard, Sault au Recollet

JUNE 7.

Robert Duncan, 104 Inspector

JUNE 9.

Louis H. Hebert, 297 St. Paul

JUNE 12.

Jean Letourneaux, 287-9 St. Paul

Powder, Wholesale and Retail.

MAY 3.

William Starke, 32 St. Peter.

MAY 26.

Thomas Workman, 399 St. Paul

Wholesale Druggists.

APRIL 28.

Henry Lyman, 382 and 386 St. Paul

MAY 4.

Alfred H. Mason, 41 St. Jean Bte.

JUNE 18.

Kenneth Campbell, 603 Craig.

Pigeon Hole Tables.

MAY 1.

Marius Raymond, Montreal
Theophile Dolle, do

MAY 5.

Gedeon Coupal, Montreal

MAY 7.

Ignace E. Gadoua, Montreal

MAY 12.

Antoine Decary, Montreal

JUNE 5.

Moise Brousseau, Montreal

JUNE 27.

Joseph A. Lescarbeau, Montreal

Bottlers.

APRIL 27.

Reul Perron, 230 Champlain
Thomas Murphy, 590 Sanguinet

MAY 2.

Richard Bishop, St. Cuneconde

MAY 4.

Stanislas Denis, 585 St. Dominique
Thomas J. Howard, 683 Dorchester
John McCrory, 102 College

MAY 7.

Pierre L. N. Beaudry, 20 St. Dizier
Elzear Caise, 178 Wolfe

MAY 8.

Marc Palardy, 1253 Ontario
Thomas Ferguson, 192 St. Elizabeth

MAY 12.

Napoleon Leroux, Ste. Cuneconde

MAY 14.

Alphonse Dubord, St. Louis du Mile End
Joseph N. Pelletier, Montreal

MAY 15.

Euclide Beaudoin, Montreal
William Bishop, do
Gilbert Labelle, do

MAY 17.

William Bertram, Montreal

MAY 18.

Joseph Lacompte, Montreal

MAY 19.

Isidore Therien, St. Vincent de Paul

MAY 21.

Thomas A. Dawes, Montreal

MAY 26.

Thomas Cushing, Montreal
Joseph Charroux, Chambly Canton

MAY 30.

Adolphe Delisle, Montreal

JUNE 1.

Elzear Bigonnesse, Chambly Basin

JUNE 2.

David Corbeil, Montreal
Henry A. Ekers, do

JUNE 4.

Arthur Cooper, Montreal
Oscar Lachance, do

JUNE 5.

Richard G. Johnson, Montreal

JUNE 6.

Charles L. Reinhardt, Montreal
Joseph Dompouse, do
James P. Scott, do

JUNE 9.
Edward Domprouse, Montreal
John H. R. Molson, do

JUNE 11.
Claude Orsali, Montreal

JUNE 20.
John Atkin, Montreal

Billiard Tables.

APRIL 30.
Robert Robert, Montreal, 2 tables
Jane Walton, do 1 do
George W. Swett, do 13 do
Elzear J. Riendeau, do 2 do
Jean Bte. Ratelle, do 1 do

MAY 1.
Francois X. Lamoureux, Montreal, 1 table
Charles Perrault, do 2 do
Anatole Papineau, St. Henri, 3 tables
Ant. Brien dit Desroches, Montreal, 1 table
John Cronshaw, Montreal, 1 table
Alvares Dore, Cote St. Paul, 1 table
Louis Coutu, Montreal, 1 table

MAY 2.
Philomene Loisselle, Montreal, 4 tables
Thomas Tombyll, do 4 do
Joseph Pont, do 2 do

MAY 3.
John H. Smith, Montreal, 3 tables
Magloire Dumont, do 5 do

MAY 4.
Victor Lafrance, Montreal, 1 table

MAY 7.
Cyprien Dumouchel, Montreal, 3 tables
Pierre Alix, do 2 do
Carmel H. Beaulieu, do 1 do
Francois R. Robert, Cote St. Paul, 1 table

MAY 8.
Eucher Dubuc, Montreal, 2 tables
Joseph Lacombe, do 3 do

MAY 9.
Joan Bte Archambault, Montreal, 1 table

MAY 14.
Alphonse Perrault, Montreal, 2 tables
Vital Rapuric, do 3 do

MAY 15.
Ernest Pellerin, Montreal, 1 table

MAY 16.
Vincent Domers, Montreal, 2 tables
Oscar Beaudry, do 1 do
David A. Hawes, do 4 do

MAY 19.
Robert H. Gallaway, Montreal, 2 tables

MAY 21.
Hornisdas Desroches, Montreal, 1 table

MAY 22.
Alexander J. Koester, Montreal, 1 table

MAY 23.
Godeon Normandin, St. Henri, 3 tables

MAY 26.
Agnes Rukwart, 1 table, Montreal

MAY 29.
Levy Ross, 5 tables, Montreal

MAY 30
Edward W. Kelly, 1 table, Montreal.

JUNE 1
Robert H. Galloway, 2 tables, Montreal

JUNE 6
Dennis Hayes, 2 tables, Montreal

JUNE 11
Joseph Monette, 2 tables, Montreal

JUNE 12
Agnes Rukwart, 1 table, Montreal

JUNE 16
Jool Boyer, 6 tables, Montreal

JUNE 28
Babylas Courtemanche, 1 table, Montreal

Celporteur.

APRIL 21
Olivier Bourbonnais, St. Polycarpe

APRIL 23
Elie Roberge, St. Bruno

APRIL 27
Godfroi Levesque, Montreal

APRIL 30
Joseph Lussier, Varennes
Thomas Cavanagh, Varennes

MAY 1
Theophile Dufily, Varennes

MAY 2
Andre Baby, Vaudreuil

MAY 3
Daniel Vezeau, St. Martin

MAY 4
Napoleon Lanier, St. Martin
Bazile Decost, Rigaud
Allain Brosseau, St. Lazare

MAY 5
Aifred Galipeau, St-Leonard Port Maurice

MAY 7
Apholaire Lavallee, Ste. Theodoise

MAY 9
Angus K. Morrison, Ste. Marguerite
James McCarthy, 193 Ottawa

MAY 11
Raphael Deguire, Ste. Justine de Newton
Jeremie Lapierre, Contreccour

MAY 12
Mack Frank, Montreal

MAY 15
Charles Desjardins, St. Henri

MAY 19
Jean Bte. Lamar, fils, St. Martin
Emile Cool, St. Marthe

MAY 21
Saul Menard, St. Joseph de Soulanges

MAY 22
Joseph A. Poirier, St. Polycarpe

JUNE 2
Edmond Dion, Ste. Justine de Newton

JUNE 4
Francois X. Brabant, St. Polycarpe

JUNE 6
Moise Vineberg, Montreal
Isaac Mainville, Ste. Genieve

JUNE 11
James Cornell, Montreal
Harris Menkowskie, do

JUNE 13
Thomas O'Hara, Montreal

JUNE 26
Jean Bte. Petelle, Laprairie

Auctioneers City and District of Montreal.

APRIL 4
Isaie Pigeon, Montreal

APRIL 25
James Steel, Montreal

MAY 3
John M. M. Duff, Montreal
Abraham Courtemanche, fils, Montreal

MAY 7
Joseph Barsalou, Montreal
David Rae, do

MAY 8
J. Cradock Simpson, Montreal

MAY 9
James Tigh, Montreal

MAY 12
Alphonse Marcotte, Montreal

MAY 14
James S. Thompson, Montreal

MAY 26
Matthew Hicks, Montreal

JUNE 2
William H. Arnton, Montreal

JUNE 4
James J. Potter, Montreal

Auctioneers in Towns and Parishes only in the District of Montreal.

MAY 14
Francois X. Desjardins, Ste. Cunegonde

Auctioneers for Villages and Parishes Only.

MAY 21
Paul Tardp, St. Leonard Port Maurice

Assistant Auctioneers.

MAY 3
David H. Fraser, assistant to John M. M. Duff, Montreal

MAY 7
Arthur Barsalou, assistant to Joseph Barsalou, Montreal
Louis Mallette, assistant to David Rae, Montreal

MAY 8
Henry L. Putnam, assistant to J. Cradock
Simpson, Montreal

MAY 12
Louis N. Ecrement, assistant to Alphonse
Marcotte, Montreal

MAY 14
Joseph Hewitt, ass. of James S. Thomson,
Montreal.

JUNE 2
Walter M. Kenrns, ass. of Henry H. Arnton,
Montreal.

Bars on Boats.

MAY 1
Robers Nelson, Master of Steamer Quebec
Louis H. Roy, " " Montreal
Napoleon Colletto " " Three Rivers
John Baker " " Bohemian

MAY 19
Toussaint Bourassa, Master of Steamer
Laprairie

MAY 23
Henry W. Shepherd, Master of Steamer
Prince of Wales

JUNE 4
Duncan Sinclair, Master of Steamer Passport
William Ida, " " Corinthian
John Trowel, " " Algerin
J. C. Irvine, " " Spartan

JUNE 29
William Burn, Master of Steamer Canada.

WILLIAM B. LAMBE,
Collector of the Revenue of the Province;
63 St. GABRIEL St., MONTREAL.
Montreal, 30 Jnne, 1888.

The Montreal trade look for a large pack of canned goods this season; but lobsters are likely to be short. So far as salmon is concerned, any deficiency on the Columbia, if it occurs, will likely be made up by a large run in the streams of British Columbia and Alaska. The packing of fruits and vegetables is still said to be in its infancy in Canada, so great are the possibilities, but the total pack already is large and increasing annually, some of the establishments being immense concerns, turning out goods unrivalled in any country. Strawberry culture has made rapid strides within the past few years, and a pack of strawberries considerably above the average is reported. There has also been a fair pack of cherries, gooseberries, peas, beans, etc., and a good start has been made on tomatoes in the west. Some western canners are said to put up blackberries, and a few crates of extraordinary size were received here this year.

The prospects of the Pacific cable scheme are brightening, as the news reaches us that the Australian, New Zealand and Hawaiian governments will subsidize the line, and the Canadian and Imperial parliaments are favorable to it and will be immediately asked for financial aid. The cable will connect Vancouver, Hawaii, the Fanning and Fiji Islands, New Zealand and Australia. The total distance to be covered by cable is 6,800 miles but the longest single stretch of submarine cable is not to be over 2,000 miles. Mr. Owen Jones, a director of the company, who recently arrived at Vancouver, communicated at once with Mr. Sandford Fleming at Ottawa, 2,900 miles distant, and the answer followed the question almost as rapidly as if the parties were seated in the same room. If the new cable works as well as the present land service the public will have no reason to complain.

DESPATCHES from the continent report the prevalence of storms with heavy rainfalls, which are destroying the crops. Parts of Ontario continue to suffer for want of rain, and a summary of recent reports says: With few exceptions fall wheat has been winter-killed, spring wheat is very light, and where the ear is filled the straw is short; hay falls far below the average, and root crops are suffering from the continued drought. If these conditions continue breadstuffs must further advance.—A number of farmers in Lennox and Addington counties are proposing to petition the Government to take the duty off corn and oats, and thus allow them to obtain cheap feed for their starving cattle.

The quantity of square timber cut and prepared in the woods of the Ottawa district last winter and now on its way to market will aggregate about two and a half million cubic feet, of which about 1,400,000 is square white pine, 740,000 waney white pine, and 360,000 red pine. This is the largest cut in five years

and is worth about \$700,000. Prospects look good and the lumbermen say that inside of two months not a foot of square timber will be for sale as all the old timber, which was stuck and held back last season, has this year been disposed of for good prices.

The heated spell which prevailed in some sections of the country last year laid the train which started the fires that are now ravaging the Georgian Bay region, the northern part of the County of Victoria, and some of the bush lands in Eastern Ontario. The drought of this year, of course, made matters worse, giving the fire an early start, and rendering the woods and forests as inflammable as punk. Considerable loss has been caused to saw-mill owners and cordwood and railway tie contractors, and in some places the farmers have suffered from the destruction of their barns and standing crops. Lake Superior, or, rather, the Georgian Bay, is so full of smoke that navigation has been impeded. It would be interesting to know how much natural wealth is annihilated by one of these visitations.

The alleged "bucket shop" of Hanrahan & Co., recently re-opened at Toronto, has been closed by the police, who arrested all the customers in the place at the time on a charge laid under the "Bucket Shop" Act. The officers seized the books of the firm and a lot of quotation slips and dispatches and a form used by the firm as a sort of bill of sale was also secured. The prisoners were taken to the police station and the inspector locked the office and took possession of the keys. The following gave their names at the station as being employees of the firm: David Logan, manager, formerly at Hamilton and Robert Podden, clerk. Further developments will be watched with interest all over the country.

The British Board of Trade returns show Canada to be receiving a larger share than ordinarily of old world emigration. In the month of June 42,229 persons left British ports, as against 39,621 in June of last year, and of these 6,787 were bound for Canada, as against 5,266 last year, an increase of 1,521, while the increase in the emigration to the United States was 2,870, in a total of 31,000, and for Australia the departures were less by 240. In the six months of the present year 32,909 persons have emigrated from British ports, or 8,250 more than in the corresponding period of 1886, while to the United States the increase has been 13,300 which is, relatively, much less than the gain by Canada.

The cigars, detained by the Customs' officers lately, have been released, presumably to the satisfaction of all parties concerned.

The United States press is grumbling over the large amount of money that is spent annually by Americans in Europe.

Meetings, &c.

COMMERCIAL BANK OF MANITOBA.

The Commercial Bank of Manitoba held its annual general meeting at Winnipeg on the 23rd of last month, when the following statement of the result of the business of the Bank for the year ending 30th April, 1888, was presented:

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.	
<i>Cr.</i>	
At credit of account 30th April, 1887.....	\$ 2,779 94
Profits for year ending 30th April, 1888, after deducting charges of management, &c, and making full provision for bad and doubtful debts.....	26,785 56
	\$28,565 50
<i>Dr.</i>	
Dividend 3½ per cent., 1st Nov 1887.....	\$9,481 54
Dividend 3½ per cent., 1st May, 1888.....	9,672 95
Carried to Rest account	5,000 00
Balance at credit Profit and Loss account, forward.....	4,411 01
	\$28,565 50

All of which is respectfully submitted,
D. MACARTHUR,
President.

GENERAL STATEMENT, 30TH APRIL, 1888.

<i>Assets.</i>	
Gold and silver coin on hand.....	\$11,713 54
Dominion notes.....	14,513 00
Notes and checks of other banks.....	61,080 62
Balances due by other banks.....	38,287 22
Immediately available	\$126,494 38
Bills discounted, current.....	782,367 83
" " overdue.....	21,659 74
Mortgages on real estate.....	12,000 00
Office furniture and safes.....	4,472 10
	\$946,994 05

<i>Liabilities.</i>	
Notes in circulation	\$233,785 00
Deposit accounts...	341,082 35
Due to other banks...	56,671 34
Dividend No. 6....	9,672 95
Former dividends unpaid.....	1 40

Liabilities to the public	\$641,213 04
Capital paid up.....	276,370 00
Rest account.....	25,000 00
Profit and loss account.....	4,411 01
	\$946,994 05

The board of directors have much pleasure in being able to report to you at this our third annual meeting, that the bank has done a large and profitable business during the past year. After paying a dividend at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum and all charges, as well as providing for all ascertained losses and doubtful debts, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) has been added to the Rest, increasing that fund from \$20,000 to \$25,000. The paid-up capital has been increased from \$261,215 to \$276,370, and will shortly be increased to \$300,000. The bank has rendered valuable assistance during the past year in giving facilities to

move the superabundant crop of last season to market, and this large business was done without any loss. I am glad to say that the business prospects of the Province appear to be better at the present than they have been for several years past. The crop throughout the Province is reported to be making the most satisfactory progress, and the increased acreage put under crop this year, which is variously estimated at from 15 to 20 per cent, should tell materially on the total yield. The increased railway facilities which have recently been secured, and the strong efforts which are being made to settle the vacant lands in the Province, will undoubtedly do a great deal to place business on a much better basis than it has ever been, and looking at the situation, generally, your directors think there is much cause for satisfaction in connection with the improved prospects of the Province.

I shall not detain you by making any further remarks, but will move that the report of the directors, as submitted, be, and the same is hereby adopted and ordered to be printed for distribution amongst the shareholders.

D. MACARTHUR
President.

NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.

The fifty-second General Assembly of the shareholders of this venerable Company, represented in Canada by Mr. Robt. W. Tyre, of this city, as general manager, was held at Aberdeen, Scotland, on June 8th ult. From the Directors' Report, presented on that occasion, it is evident that the course of the Northern is one of continuous progress and unvarying prosperity, from its first year to the present time, when it stands among the oldest and wealthiest insurance companies in the world. From this report we gather the following facts as to the business of the year 1887:—

FIRE BRANCH.—The fire premiums for the year were \$3,034,500 not, being an increase over the previous year of \$124,750. The net losses for the year were \$1,735,275, being a ratio of 57.18, as against the average from the beginning of 59.29 per cent., and after setting aside one-third of the premium receipts, \$1,011,530, against \$669,985 in 1886, for a re-insurance fund on current policies, a profit remains of \$236,202. The Fire Fund was increased by the addition of \$250,000, and now stands at \$3,626,000, against \$3,375,000 in 1886.

LIFE BRANCH.—The new business for the year net was \$1,841,425, upon which the premiums were \$65,810. The total income for the year was \$1,385,050. Death and other claims were \$832,000. Expenses of management are limited to 10 per cent. of premium receipts. The proceeds of the annuity branch were \$53,315. The Life Fund now amounts to \$10,515,025, showing a net increase for the year of \$376,305.

DIVIDENDS.—There were two dividends of \$150,000 each (£1 per share each), and two life bonuses of five shillings each, or \$75,000 making dividend and bonus of \$375,000 for the year, at the rate of 25 per cent. upon the capital. It is a noticeable feature, in the matter of dividends, that the income from interest alone paid the regular dividend of 20 per cent. for the year within the minimum figure of \$1,365.

The total accumulated funds of the company at the close of the year were \$17,106,020 against \$16,485,920 the previous year, being an increase of \$620,100.

The total assets of the company were \$18,

034,004. Liabilities, outside of the several funds, \$928,074. Balance, \$17,106,120.

The onward progress of the Northern has been strikingly uniform from its commencement, the accumulations presenting an unique, unbroken series of yearly increase, ranging from \$191,000 in 1836 to 17,106,000 in 1887, a cycle of fifty-two years, as evidenced by the following formula of triennial periods, a condition of affairs, by the way, that can be equalled by few, if any, of the British offices.

STATEMENT OF ACCUMULATIONS AND PROGRESS.

Triennial Period.	Net Fire Income.	Net Life Income.	Income from Interest.	Total Accumulations.
1833	\$ 4,500	\$ 3,500	\$ 6,000	\$ 191,000
1830	11,500	12,500	11,000	297,500
1842	16,000	66,500	14,000	870,000
1845	19,100	77,000	21,500	613,500
1848	34,500	102,599	34,500	758,000
1851	43,500	148,000	34,000	861,000
1854	150,000	148,500	39,500	1,137,500
1857	300,000	295,500	83,000	1,930,000
1860	607,000	331,000	107,000	2,576,000
1863	644,500	389,000	146,500	3,432,000
1866	830,500	482,500	190,000	3,929,500
1869	988,500	695,500	231,000	5,159,000
1872	1,352,500	626,000	307,500	6,851,500
1875	1,756,500	708,500	454,500	9,598,000
1878	2,028,000	789,000	536,000	11,595,500
1881	2,257,000	906,500	602,500	13,540,500
1884	2,866,000	921,000	641,000	14,966,000
1887	3,034,500	984,000	715,600	17,106,000

There is no special feature in the management of a fire office that tends more assuredly to permanency and success than the absolute ability to meet heavy calls, arising, as they will, from time to time, with all fire offices, from serious conflagrations; and this can be attained only by maintaining a constant and ample fire reserve fund, which can be drawn upon at all times when occasions may require, without interfering with invested capital, which has its own obligations to be provided for. Of this paramount necessity the

very able directory of this veteran office seems to be fully cognizant, and are holding the company at all times prepared for such expected contingencies; and to this end no less than \$250,000 of the profits of the year, instead of going to increase the shareholders' dividends, was transferred to the fire fund, as additional loss-paying ability, making the aggregate of that special fund \$3,626,000. In addition to which the sum of \$1,011,530—being one-third of the year's premium income—was set aside as a reinsurance fund, to offset the unearned premiums for the year.

With such a directory, looking more to the solvency and solidity of the company than to dividing of all its earnings among its shareholders, its prosperity, present and future, cannot but be assured, and not only this, but what is equally important to its welfare, the shareholders uphold the hands of the directors, by an unanimous support instead, like the insatiable leech, of constantly calling for "more" dividends. It would seem, however, that 25 per cent dividends annually ought to suffice for even a "Northern" stockholder.

The Northern has branches in many lands, the results from which appear in the foregoing figures. It came to Canada in 1867, and from that time up the close of 1887, its net income was about \$1,800,000, and its losses paid reach some \$1,700,000, of which about \$600,000 was paid for the St. John fire in 1877. Its deposit for the safety of policyholders at Ottawa is \$121,568. It transacts only fire business in the Dominion. In 1876, the Northern entered the United States, with assets, all told, \$561,308, while on December 31st ult. its assets there were \$1,459,025. Its income for the twelve years reaches the handsome sum of \$7,463,275, while its fire losses paid were \$4,214,181. The ratio of loss to premium being 57.8 per cent. only, something below the home office average.—Insurance Chronicle.

FIRE RECORD.

Date 1888.	Place.	Name.	Premises or Goods.	Loss.	Insurance.
ONTARIO.					
July 13.	Ripley.....	.....	25 stores & dwellings	\$40,000	\$20,000
" 10.	Hepworth.....	D. Tennant.....	Shingle factory.....	2,000	600
" 13.	Palmerston.....	W. Lynch.....	Tinsmith.....	2,000	1,200
" 13.	".....	W. A. Freeland.....	Grocer.....	500	Full.
" 13.	".....	Ralph & Co.....	Druggists.....	400	"
" 13.	".....	S. Vanstone.....	Jeweller.....	600	Partial.
" 13.	".....	W. H. White.....	Banker.....	.....	.....
" 13.	".....	P. Campbell.....	Dry goods.....	500	Full.
" 13.	".....	McEwan.....	Building.....	4,000	"
" 14.	Beamsville.....	Thompson & Linton.....	Barn.....	1,000	200
" 14.	Gainsborough.....	J. McPherson.....	Barn.....	600	600
" 16.	Allandale.....	.....	Roundhouse & engine.....	.....	.....
" 18.	St. Mary's.....	Mrs. B. Henry.....	Fancy goods.....	.....	.....
" 18.	".....	J. Stafford.....	Saddler.....	2,000	Partial.
" 18.	".....	H. L. Davis.....	Barber shop.....	.....	.....
" 18.	".....	R. T. Gilpin.....	Boots and shoes.....	3,000	Full.
" 18.	".....	J. C. Gilpin.....	Hardware.....	10,000	.....
" 18.	Formosa.....	J. H. Brick.....	Grist and saw mill.....	10,000	2,000
" 21.	Lindsay.....	Dundas & Flavell Bros.....	General store.....	.....	.....
" 21.	".....	Sadler, Dundas & Co.....	Grist mill.....	25,000	Partial.
" 21.	".....	R. Touchburn.....	Produce merchant.....	.....	.....
" 21.	Petawa River.....	Perley & Pattee.....	Stations.....	10,000	.....
QUEBEC.					
" 11.	Louiseville.....	J. O. Lafreniere.....	Saw mill.....	100,000	.....
" 14.	Montreal.....	Mace & Baylis.....	Collar-box factory.....	12,000	Full.
" 14.	".....	D. English.....	Printer.....	1,000	3,000
" 14.	".....	A. D. Porcheron.....	Tobacco.....	500	Full.
" 14.	".....	W. King.....	Building.....	6,000	6,000
" 15.	".....	A. Savage.....	Soap factory.....	500	.....
" 15.	".....	T. Pajean.....	Residence.....	500	.....
" 17.	".....	J. McClanaghan.....	Hotel.....	500	Full.
" 21.	Outremont.....	T. Wiseman.....	Stone building.....	.....	.....
NEW BRUNSWICK.					
" 10.	Oak Point.....	George T. Seely.....	Saw mill.....	3,500	.....

Our St. Thomas, Ont., correspondent writes as follows:—The Erie Iron Works here last Thursday shipped 300 ploughs to Victoria, B.C.—In Elgin County the honey supply, which is a large product here, is away below the average, the long spring drought cut off supplies from bees, and unless the bass wood or linden trees come out well honey will be very scarce.—The estate of the late G. W. Goodfellow, of the Roller Mills, Aylmer West, has turned out better than expected. It was thought there would be a deficit, but the estate has been sworn as real estate, \$28,950, cash \$690, bank stock \$1,267, notes \$500, household effects \$500, horses \$300, stock in trade \$2,362. This is all liable to creditors; besides which there is \$6000 in life insurance, making in all \$40,569.

Reports received from many points in Ontario indicate that fall wheat will be hardly an average crop, much of it having been winter killed. Spring wheat will, it is believed, be slightly over the average. Oats have not done well and will be short. If barley is a fair crop it is all it will be. Hay is a failure. Peas are up to the average. Roots and fruits are good. Rye is in many places but half a crop. The west makes a much better showing than the east, where a large area suffered from the long drought, injuring every growing thing. In many cases farmers will have to purchase food. Podder will have to be purchased or stock sold.

It is expected that the Province of Quebec will import 700,000 tons of Nova Scotia coal this year. In 1873 the total quantity received into the Province amounted to 187,059 tons, while in 1886 the quantity reached 538,762 tons. Last year Montreal alone received by water from Pictou and the Cape Breton coal ports 448,737 tons, and 85,000 tons came over the I. C. R. and Grand Trunk Railways from Spring Hill and other mines in the Cumberland district. The city of Quebec and other points in this province likewise received about 120,000 tons from the last-named mining centres.

The Mail states that our shipping trade is on the decrease in consequence of our restrictive tariff. It founds its statement on the statistics of the port of Quebec, which are to the effect that up to July 7 there was a decrease of 39 ocean sailing vessels and 62,076 tons and 18 ocean steamers and 13,792 tons compared with same time last year. The restrictive regulations of the Quebec Ship Labbers' Society and the general dullness in trade should have been reckoned as factors in the situation by our enterprising contemporary.

The Calgary district has this year produced about 200,000 pounds of wool, of a fine quality. There are, it is said, about 40,000 head of sheep in the immediate vicinity of Calgary. These western ranch sheep are all cross breeds of Merino, similar to the Montana sheep. The Calgary district sheep owners have formed an association, and they are holding their wool on account of the low prices offered in eastern markets. They are making an effort to induce the establishment of a woollen mill in the district.

The business failures during last week, according to Dun, Wiman & Co., number for the United States 214, and for Canada 14, a total of 228, as compared with a total of 240 last week, and 214 the week previous to the last. For the corresponding week last year the figures showed but 172 failures, the United States contributing 147 and Canada 25. The failures recently in Canada are very slight. Casualties are still numerous on the Pacific coast, the number being 87 for the week.

The British trade returns show that for the six months ending June 30th the exports of the United Kingdom to Canada amounted to £2,470,000, as against £2,960,000 during the corresponding period in 1887. The exports from Canada for the six months amounted to £1,368,000 during the first six months of last year. In other words, as compared with the figures of last year, our total trade with Britain for the half-year shows a decline of over \$3,000,000.

Financial.

MONTREAL, Thursday Evening, }
26th July, 1888. }

Money continues very plentiful, with more funds offering than borrowers can possibly absorb. As a consequence the quoted rates of 3@3½ for call loans and 6@8 for mercantile paper have both been shaded to first-class borrowers, and really gilt-edged customers can dictate their own terms. Taking the general consensus of opinion among the various branches of trade, we may venture to announce some improvement in remittances. Complaints are still rife upon this score, and doubtless many firms, judging by their own experience, will join issue with us in this opinion; but taking every branch of trade, it is evident that money is coming in better, and that those who hitherto have refused to part with their ready money are now commencing to settle up. There is a growing opinion that the average crop will be better than is at present anticipated, and now that the "bad harvest" scare is commencing to lose its force, country merchants are regaining confidence. Sterling exchange is firm and quiet. Sixties are quoted at 9½@9¾ between banks and 9¼@9½ over the counter. Demand 9¾@9½ and 9¼@10. Cables 10½@11. Posted rates in New York 4.87 and 4.89. Actual 4.86@4.86½ and 4.88. Cables 4.88½. New York funds 1-10@1-16 discount between banks and ½@¾ premium over the counter. The stock exchange has been dull and uninteresting all week. The midsummer stagnation is in full swing, and with the exception of some small purchases for investment, the market is in the hands of scalpers. The public are not speculating, and what sales of this nature have been made are purely cases of dog-eating-dog. Naturally prices are lower all round, and the tone of the market is weak and irregular. The cheapness of money and the scarcity of stocks prevent any deliberate bear raid; but at the same time the bulls are perfectly aware that values are inflated, and

consequently have not sufficient confidence to take advantage of their opponents' timidity. It would take a very few selling orders to break the market badly; but on the other hand a speculator with nerve could easily establish a scare amongst the bears. It is evident that the Quebec syndicate have abandoned their attempt to rush up Richelieu, and, as a result, that stock has dropped quietly back to 53. Bank stocks are quiet and weak on account of rumors as to further insolvencies in this city, but some quiet investing in cotton stocks has been done by those who believe that the adhesion of the Gibson mill to the cotton combine has at last been effected:—

Banks.	No. Shares.	Highest price.	Lowest price.	Average same week 1887.
Commerce	1185	115½	114½	120½
Merchants	205	136	135½	130½
Molsons	40	147	147	136
Montreal	382	214½	211½	231½
Nationale	10	86½	86½	112½
Quebec	20	115	115	112½
Toronto	7	209	209	208½

Miscellaneous.	No. Shares.	Highest price.	Lowest price.	Average same week 1887.
Can. Cotton Co.	25	38	38	75
Can. Pacific	300	58	56½	57
Dominion Four.	\$1,500	100½	100½	....
Gas	25	211	211	217½
Hoch. Cot. Co.	27	119	115	134
Land Grant Bonds, \$1,000	110	110	110	....
Merch's Cotton Co ..	8	70	70	....
Montreal Cot'n Co. ..	25	80	80	110
N.W. Land	75	55	54	55½
Richelieu	722	53	52½	55
Telegraph	1873	90	88	95½

MONTREAL WHOLESALE MARKETS.

MONTREAL, Thursday Evg., July 26, 1888.

There has been no improvement in the general situation, summer dullness being apparent in all lines. Those disposed to take a gloomy view of the situation say it would take a year or two to recover from last year's bad crops, and now a second failure affecting not alone grain, roots and fruit, but also pasturage, is threatened. It is well, however, to remember that the drought is only really excessive in some parts of the country. No doubt the Ontario grain crop will be light, and some parts of this province have also suffered, but official reports from Nova Scotia indicate that the drought has not been so severely felt in that province, and the condition of the crops is said to be "fairly favorable." So far as the crops in Manitoba and the North-West are concerned, leading railway officials and business men, recently returned from thence, state that the yield will be even larger than that of last year, and to move the grain expeditiously the railway lines have largely increased their rolling stock. A good feature in the situation is the activity in lumber in the Ottawa district. The fisheries, also, have been fairly profitable. It must not be forgotten, however, that the country must feel severely the stoppage of large expend-

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vancing prices of Beet for present and next month's deliveries. Futures are also slightly improved—the actual advance is 3d. per cwt. Cane and Refined Sugars are looking up. Tea—New seasons Kaisow are now coming on the market. Monings have been in fair demand at steady prices: fair 8½d. to 9½d., medium 9½d. to 10½d., fine 1s 4½d to 1s 5d per lb. New Make in boxes 8½d to 9½d. per lb. Old Seasons Moning from 4½d. to 5½d., rather better—fair to medium, 4½d. to 5½d., Kaisow, low 3½d. to 3¾d., good common to fair 4½d. to 5d., medium 5½d. to 6d., fine 9½d. Old Pakling in boxes sold at 5d. per lb. Greens—The few that remain are being auctioned at pretty much the old prices. Coffee.—Opinion is somewhat divided as to the future, the course of prices with us being so much affected by other markets which are variable. Meantime prices are very steady, with an occasional 1s. advance. Fruit.—No change. The stocks are being retailed out, as this is a slack season. Sultanias are in very fair demand. The very limited stock of Valencias seems equal to the enquiry—prime off stalk selling at 18s. to 18s. 6d., and fine P.dreguer 19s. 6d. f.o.b. Spices.—Nutmegs are firmer. Black Pepper and Pimento are steady. Medium Pearl Tapioca is reduced to a very limited stock, and is consequently held firmly. Cloves are easier—stems 1½d. to 1¾d. p.r lb. f.o.b. Sago and White Pepper are quiet. Rice, Ginger, and Cassia Lignea are dull.

HAY AND FEED.—Receipts of hay light, farmers being busy in the field. Some new hay sold at \$8@10; choice old timothy \$11 and inferior \$9. Pressed hay sold at \$11 for No 1. Straw \$5@7 per 100 bds. Feed unchanged.

HIDES AND TAYLOW.—The hide market is about steady with only a fair demand. Imported hides dull. Tallow is still scarce with a fair demand for all offerings.

IRON AND HARDWARE.—The past week has been the quietest one in the iron and hardware trade for the whole season. Very little has been doing, and most of the houses had almost a holiday appearance. Still there is no weakness apparent. The trade seem convinced that iron will be better property later on than it is now, and although no large transactions are reported some round lots of Calder have changed hands at \$18.50 to \$18.75 in this city. Outside, travellers report trade in the North West good, and that in British Columbia very good; but we hear the usual complaints of caution in purchasing in Ontario. Ingot tin has advanced £5 in England from lowest point, which necessitates the addition of one cent per lb. to our quotations here. Tin plates have also advanced three pence per box, but as yet quotations in this market are unchanged. The tin market appears to be advancing steadily, and we look for still higher prices in the future. Terne plates are very scarce in this market, and what is available is firmly held at \$7 for I C. 20x28. The market is also nearly bare of Morewood's galvanized iron. When these works failed last fall, importers lost confidence in them; consequently but few importations have been made, and stocks have become gradually depleted. Lead is again slack, and has lost about 2s 6d per ton. Very little is doing here, and we are not justified in making any alteration in our figures. Considerable feeling is expressed among jobbers over the action of the nail mills and other manufacturers of kindred articles in passing by the wholesale houses and selling direct to the retailer. The price they charge the small retailer is only 5 per cent. higher than that paid by the large jobbers—a figure far too

low to permit of honest competition; and as it is these very jobbers who first built up the trade for the manufacturers and familiarized their names and brands with the public, it is felt that the least the manufacturers could do in their turn would be to discriminate in favor of the wholesaler to the extent of 10 per cent.

LIVE STOCK.—The exports of cattle to date have reached 25,358 head, and of sheep 7,202. These figures are below those of former years. Shipments from both Canada and the States were heavier last week. Offerings in the country have been large, as farmers have been sellers, fearing a scarcity of winter feed. Late cables report the market lower and cattle arrivng in poor condition because of the hot weather. The demand this week is likely to be light, and only four or five cattle boats will leave the port. Choice export stock 5½c @ 5¾c; medium 5c @ 5¼c. Good butchers 4c @ 4¼c. Export sheep 4c @ 4¼c. Offerings of hogs light and taken up at 6c @ 6¼c. Prime Canadian steers are quoted this week in Liverpool at 13c against 13½c last week.

LEATHER AND SHOES.—There is no improvement in the trade and business is quiet. Boots and shoes are being sold cheaper for the fall trade than in the spring, owing to the shrinkage in the price of leather. The local manufacturers are waiting to see how things will turn out before making up to fill orders, and the leather people find things very dull. Only hand-to-mouth orders have been placed for leather for some time, and there is considerable competition, and profits are slim.

OCEAN FREIGHTS.—To leading ports 2s is asked for heavy grain. Flour 11s 3d per sack. Cattle 40s@45s by regular lines, with insurance, 40s by outside vessels without insurance. Deals 45s to Liverpool; outside ports 47s 6d. Lumber to River Plate \$13.50. Phosphate 6s 3d. Ashes 15s per ton.

PAINTS, GLASS ETC.—Leads are firm and unchanged. The Spring stocks of glass are all in and some houses are cutting prices as owing to the break-up of the foreign syndicate, fall supplies will cost less money. Linsseed oils are quotably lower, also spirits of turpentine.

TORONTO WHOLESALE MARKET

(Revised by Telegraph.)

TORONTO, July 25, 1888.

Wholesale trade continues quiet. Travelers are out with fall and winter goods, but orders are small and scarce. Prospects are considered better, owing to more satisfactory reports of crops owing to recent rains. Payments are fair. Following are the closing bids for stocks as compared with last Thursday:

Banks.	Bid	Bid	Loan Cos.	Bid.	Bid.
	July 19	July 26.		July 19	July 26.
Montreal.	213½	212½	Can Per.....	202½	201
Ontario....	120½	108½	Freehold.....	18	183
Toronto....	209	208	Western Can....	183	183
Merchants.	135	135½	Union.....	129½	130
Commerce.	115½	115½	Landed Credit.....	.....	.....
Imperial....	137½	137½	Bldg. & Loan....	102½	102
Dominion....	218½	214½	Lond'n & Can'd	146	146
Standard....	128½	128½	Farmers Loan...	118
Hamilton....	133	133½	Ontario Loan....	115½	116½

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vancing prices of Beet for present and next month's deliveries. Futures are also slightly improved—the actual advance is 3d. per cwt. Cane and Refined Sugars are looking up. Tea—New seasons Kaisow are now coming on the market. Monings have been in fair demand at steady prices: fair 8d. to 9d., medium 9d. to 10d., fine is 11d. to 1s. 5d. per lb. New Make in boxes 8d. to 9d. per lb. Old Seasons Moning from 4d. to 5d., rather better—fair to medium, 4d. to 5d., Kaisow, low 3d. to 3d., good common 6d. fair 4d. to 5d., medium 5d. to 6d., fine 6d. Old Pakling in boxes sold at 6d. per lb. Greens—The few that remain are being auctioned at pretty much the old prices. Coffee—Opinion is somewhat divided as to the future, the course of prices with us being so much affected by other markets which are variable. Meantime prices are very steady, with an occasional 1s. advance. Fruit—No change. The stocks are being retailed out, as this is a slack season. Sultanas are in very fair demand. The very limited stock of Valencias seems equal to the enquiry—prime off stalk selling at 18s. to 18s. 6d., and fine P. dreguer 19s. 6d. f. o. b. Spices.—Nutmegs are firmer. Black Pepper and Pimento are steady. Medium Pearl Tapioca is reduced to a very limited stock, and is consequently held firmly. Cloves are easier—stems 14d. to 14d. per lb. f. o. b. Sago and White Pepper are quiet. Rice, Ginger, and Cassia Lignas are dull.

HAY AND FEED.—Receipts of hay light, farmers being busy in the field. Some new hay sold at \$8@10; choice old timothy \$11 and inferior \$9. Pressed hay sold at \$11 for No 1. Straw \$5@7 per 100 bds. Feed unchanged.

HIDES AND TALLOW.—The hide market is about steady with only a fair demand. Imported hides dull. Tallow is still scarce with a fair demand for all offerings.

IRON AND HARDWARE.—The past week has been the quietest one in the iron and hardware trade for the whole season. Very little has been doing, and most of the houses had almost a holiday appearance. Still there is no weakness apparent. The trade seem convinced that iron will be better property later on than it is now, and although no large transactions are reported some round lots of Calder have changed hands at \$18.50 to \$18.75 in this city. Outside, travellers report trade in the North West good, and that in British Columbia very good; but we hear the usual complaints of caution in purchasing in Ontario. Ingot tin has advanced £5 in England from lowest point, which necessitates the addition of one cent per lb. to our quotations here. Tin plates have also advanced three pence per box, but as yet quotations in this market are unchanged. The tin market appears to be advancing steadily, and we look for still higher prices in the future. Terns plates are very scarce in this market, and what is available is firmly held at \$7 for 1 O. 20x28. The market is also nearly bare of Morewood's galvanized iron. When these works failed last fall, importers lost confidence in them; consequently but few importations have been made, and stocks have become gradually depleted. Lead is again slack, and has lost about 2s 6d per ton. Very little is doing here, and we are not justified in making any alteration in our figures. Considerable feeling is expressed among jobbers over the action of the mill mills and other manufacturers of kindred articles in passing by the wholesale houses and selling direct to the retailer. The price they charge the small retailer is only 5 per cent. higher than that paid by the large jobbers—a figure far too

low to permit of honest competition; and as it is these very jobbers who first built up the trade for the manufacturers and familiarized their names and brands with the public, it is felt that the least the manufacturers could do in their turn would be to discriminate in favor of the wholesaler to the extent of 10 per cent.

LIVE STOCK.—The exports of cattle to date have reached 25,358 head, and of sheep 7,202. These figures are below those of former years. Shipments from both Canada and the States were heavier last week. Offerings in the country have been large, as farmers have been sellers, fearing a scarcity of winter feed. Late cables report the market lower and cattle arriving in poor condition because of the hot weather. The demand this week is likely to be light, and only four or five cattle boats will leave the port. Choice export stock 5½c @ 5½c; medium 5c @ 5½c. Good butchers 4c @ 4½c. Export sheep 4c @ 4½c. Offerings of hogs light and taken up at 6c @ 6½c. Prime Canadian steers are quoted this week in Liverpool at 13c against 13½c last week.

LEATHER AND SHOES.—There is no improvement in the trade and business is quiet. Boots and shoes are being sold cheaper for the fall trade than in the spring, owing to the shrinkage in the price of leather. The local manufacturers are waiting to see how things will turn out before making up to fill orders, and the leather people find things very dull. Only hand-to-mouth orders have been placed for leather for some time, and there is considerable competition, and profits are slim.

OCEAN FREIGHTS.—To leading ports 2s is asked for heavy grain. Flour 11s 3d per sack. Cattle 40s @ 45s by regular lines, with insurance, 40s by outside vessels without insurance. Deals 45s to Liverpool; outside ports 47s 6d. Lumber to River Plate \$13.50. Phosphate 6s 3d. Ashes 15s per ton.

PAINTS, GLASS ETC.—Leads are firm and unchanged. The Spring stocks of glass are all in and some houses are cutting prices as owing to the break-up of the foreign syndicate, fall supplies will cost less money. Lined oils are quotably lower, also spirits of turpentine.

TORONTO WHOLESALE MARKET

(Revised by Telegraph.)

TORONTO, July 25, 1888.

Wholesale trade continues quiet. Travelers are out with fall and winter goods, but orders are small and scarce. Prospects are considered better, owing to more satisfactory reports of crops owing to recent rains. Payments are fair. Following are the closing bids for stocks as compared with last Thursday:

Banks.	Bid	Bid	Loan Cos.	Bid.	Bid.
	July 19	July 25.		July 19	July 25.
Montreal..	2131	2124	Can Per.....	202	201
Ontario...	1203	1082	Freshhold.....	168	169
Toront...	209	208	Western Can...	183	183
Merchants..	135	1363	Union.....	124	130
Commerce..	115	115	Landed Credit..		
Imperial...	137	137	Bidg. & Loan...	102	102
Doninion...	218	214	Land'n & Can'd	146	146
Standard...	128	128	Farmers Loan...		118
Hamilton...	133	134	Ontario Loan...	115	115

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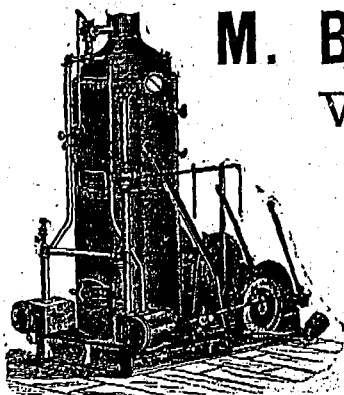
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BUTTER.—Prices are high for the season of the year, owing chiefly to poor pasturage. Holders in the country are firm, and prices above export value. A few round lots of good store-packed sold at 16c. The best tub jobs at 17c@17½c, and medium at 15c@16c. Eggs are firm, with offerings limited; sales at 17c per dozen in case lots. Cheese dull, with sales of ten to twenty-five box lots at 10c, and single cheese at 10½c.

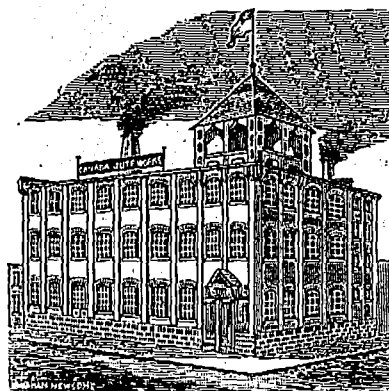
DRUGS.—There is a quiet trade, and prices rule steady. Glycerine 23c@27c; iodine \$5.00; Howard's Quinine, 55c@57c; German, do., 45c@50c; morphia, \$2.10@2.25; tartaric acid, 58c@65c; turpentine, 55c@60c.

FLOUR AND GRAIN.—The demand for flour this week has been inactive, but prices continue to rule steady. Extras sold outside at 20c and straight rollers are held



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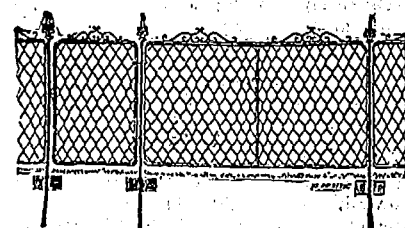
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at \$4.25. Strong bakers' sold at \$4.40, and high grade patents at \$4.90. Wheat quiet, with the feeling somewhat easier; No. 2 fall sold a few days ago at 96c, and it now offers at 95c; No. 2 red is nominal at 93c@95c, and No. 2 spring at 86c@87c; No. 1 northern sold at 93c; No. 1 hard Manitoba held at 95c, and No. 2 hard at 94c. Barley dull; no transactions; reports of new crop very favorable in the west, and make up for the deficiency in the east. Oats are steady, with sales of Manitoba at 48c@49c, on track. Peas are quoted firm at 75c@76c, with very few offerings. Corn sold at 60½c on track on Tuesday. Bran in good demand and higher; there being sales outside equal to \$14.50 here. Oatmeal unchanged, with car lots of ordinary quoted at \$5.85, and granulated at \$6.10.

GROCERIES.—Sugars continue to be the feature, with another advance in prices: Canadian refined now quoted at 6@7c; standard granulated at 8@8½c; powdered, 8½@8¾c; Paris lump, 8½c; Porto Rico, 5½@6c. Syrups are firm at 55@65c for choice. Molasses, sugar-house, 32½@35c. Rice casler at 3½@3¾c. Dried fruits firm; common Valencia 6½c



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HARDWARE.—Trade is reported quiet and prices are steady.

HIDES AND SKINS.—No changes in hides are reported. No. 1 green brings 5½c. No. 2 4½c, and No. 3 3½c. No. 1 cured cows quoted at 6½c@6c. Pelts firm at 25c, and lambskins, 35c. Calfskins dull at 5c@6½c for green and 8c@8½c for cured.

LIVE STOCK.—Receipts of cattle have been very large the past week and prices are lower. The majority are of inferior quality and hardly saleable. The decline in Britain has

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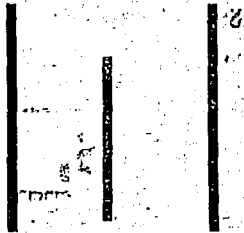
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had the effect of keeping exporters from buying. Several sales were made yesterday at 4 1/2¢@5¢. Stockers in good demand at 3 1/2¢@4¢. The outside price for butcher's cattle is 4¢, and they go as low as 2¢. Sheep are quoted at 4¢@4 1/2¢ per lb., and lambs bring \$2.50@\$3.75 a head. Hogs steady; medium to light fat 6¢@6 1/2¢, and store hogs 5 1/2¢.

PROVISIONS.—Trade quiet and prices firm. Bacon sells in small lots at 11¢@11 1/2¢ and C. C. 10¢. Smoked Hams 13¢@13 1/2¢; Lard, American, in pails 11¢@11 1/2¢, and tubs 10 1/2¢. Mess Pork \$18.00@\$18.50. Dried Apples scarce and firm at 7¢@7 1/2¢, and evaporated at 8¢@8 1/2¢. Potatoes easier at \$2.25 a barrel, and at 85¢ a bushel in bulk. Hops 10¢@15¢.



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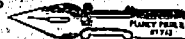
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Wool.—Offerings are a little more liberal this week, and prices steady, there being transactions at 19¢@20¢ for selected fleece. Reports from U. S. markets unsatisfactory. Southdown is quoted at 22¢@23¢, and rejections at 15¢@16¢. Pulled wools, in small lots, at 23¢@24¢, and extras at 27¢@27 1/2¢.

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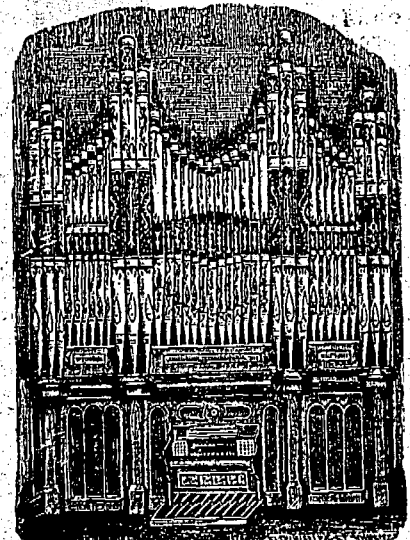
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NAME.	Par Value	Capital Subscribed.	Capital paid-up	Rest.	Div. last 6 Ms.	Dates of Dividends.	Per Cent Prices July 25.	Cash value per Sh
Brit. North America...	\$ 2431	\$4,868,666	\$4,868,666	1,101,630	31	April	150	165 00
Can. Bank Commerce...	50	6,000,000	6,000,000	600,000	31	June	115	67 50
Central.....	100	500,000	500,000	.....	31	June	.....	.....
Commercial, Manitoba.	.....	500,100	276,970	25,000	31	2 May	2 Dec	.....
Commercial, Nfld.	.....	306,000	.....	100,000	.....	.....	.....	.....
Commercial, Windsor.	40	500,000	260,000	65,000	31	.....	162	47 80
Dominion.....	60	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,150,000	5 & 16	1 May	1 Nov	219
Du Peuple.....	60	1,200,000	1,200,000	300,000	3	3 Mar	8 Sept	1051
Eastern Townships...	50	1,483,550	1,466,684	450,000	31	2 Jan	2 July	114
Exchange, Yarmouth	70	280,000	245,945	30,000	3	1 Feb	1 Aug	86
Federal.....	100	1,250,000	1,250,000	150,000	3	1 June	1 Dec	60
Halifax Banking Co...	20	1,000,000	500,000	100,000	8	1 Oct	1 Sept	115
Hamilton.....	100	1,000,000	1,000,000	360,000	4	1 June	1 Dec	134
Hochelaga.....	100	710,160	710,160	100,000	8	June	Dec	90
Imperial.....	100	1,500,000	1,500,000	600,000	4	June	Dec	1371
Jacques Cartier.....	25	500,000	500,000	140,000	3	2 June	2 Dec	80
London.....	100	1,000,000	219,568	.....	31	2 Jan	2 July	.....
Merchants' Can.....	100	5,799,200	5,799,200	1,920,000	3	2 June	1 Dec	1361
Merchants, Halifax...	100	1,000,000	1,000,000	100,000	3	1 Aug	1 Feb	117 ex d
Molson's.....	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	875,000	4	1 April	1 Oct	147
Montreal.....	200	12,000,000	12,000,000	6,000,000	5 & 26	1 June	1 Dec	2131
Nationale.....	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	.....	2	1 May	Nov	861
New Brunswick.....	100	500,000	500,000	350,000	6	1 Jan	1 July	210
Halifax Banking Co...	20	1,000,000	500,000	340,000	3	1 Feb	.....	140 ex d
Nova Scotia.....	100	1,114,300	1,114,300	400,000	31	1 Feb	.....	230
Ontario.....	100	1,500,000	1,500,000	550,000	7	1 June	1 Dec	119
Ottawa.....	100	1,000,000	1,000,000	310,000	3	1 June	1 Dec	122
People's of Halifax...	20	600,000	600,000	45,000	21	Feb	Aug	100
People's of N. B.....	50	180,000	180,000	95,000	4	Jan.	July	.....
Quebec.....	100	2,500,000	2,500,000	425,000	31	June	Dec	115
St. Stephen's.....	100	200,000	200,000	25,000	7	April	Oct	.....
Standard.....	50	1,000,000	1,000,000	340,000	7	Jan	July	128
Toronto.....	100	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,350,000	8	1 June	1 Dec	260
Union, (Halifax)...	50	500,000	500,000	40,000	21	.....	.....	100
Union of L. C.....	60	1,200,000	1,200,000	.....	3	2 Jan	2 July	98
Ville Marie.....	100	500,000	478,430	20,000	3	2 June	1 Dec	961
Western Bank of Can.	100	500,000	330,000	60,000	3	1 April and Oct	.....	110
Yarmouth.....	75	300,000	300,000	30,000	3	1 Feb	1 Aug	1071
Agri. Sav. and Loan Co	50	630,200	616,374	80,000	31	1 Jan	1 July	118
Brit. Can. Loan & Inv. Co	100	1,620,000	322,412	47,000	5	1 Jan	1 July	102
Brit. Mortg. Loan Co	100	450,000	288,971	44,000	31	2 July	.....	.....
Building and Loan Assoc	25	760,000	760,000	95,000	3	2 Jan	2 July	1021
Canada Cotton Co.....	100	760,000	760,000	.....	.....	May.	Aug	88
Canada Landed Credit Co	50	1,500,000	668,990	150,000	4	2 Jan	2 July	120
Can. Perm. Loan and Sav.	50	3,500,000	2,300,000	1,180,000	6	1 Jan	1 July	203
Can. Sav. and Loan Co	50	760,000	681,079	150,000	7	June	Dec	.....
Dominion Sav. and Inv. Co	50	1,000,000	873,205	157,000	4	30 July	31 Dec	901
Dominion Telegraph Co	50	1,000,000	1,000,000	.....	3	15 Jan and Qly	.....	821
Dundas Cotton Co.....	100	500,000	500,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	87
Farmer's Loan and Sav. Co	50	1,067,250	611,430	107,126	31	May	Nov	118
Freehold Loan and Sav. Co	100	2,700,000	1,200,000	570,000	5	1 June	1 Dec	168
Hamilton Prov. and Loan	100	1,500,000	1,100,000	200,000	3	2 Jan	2 July	1191
Home Sav. and Loan Co	100	1,500,000	150,000	66,000	31	2 Jan	2 July	.....
Hochelaga Cotton Co	100	2,000,000	1,000,000	.....	2 qly	March	qly	119
Huron & Erie Loan Soc	50	1,500,000	1,100,000	417,000	4	1 Jan	1 July	158
Huron & Lambton Loan Co	50	500,000	315,039	47,570	31	2 Jan	2 July	.....
Imperial Loan and Inv. Co	100	629,850	629,850	100,300	31	8 Jan	8 July	114
Landed Banking and Loan	100	700,000	719,262	60,000	3	2 Jan	2 July	.....
Land. & Can. Loan and Ag.	50	5,000,000	700,000	360,000	5	15 Moh	15 Sept	146
London Loan Co.....	50	679,700	670,000	53,000	31	31 Dec	30 June	112
London and Ont. Inv. Co	100	2,452,700	490,540	105,000	3	2 Jan	2 July	117
Manitoba Inv. Assoc.....	100	100,000	100,000	3,000	4	Jan	July	.....
Manitoba Loan.....	100	1,250,000	312,500	111,000	31	Jan	July	95
Montreal Telegraph Co	40	7,000,000	2,000,000	.....	4	2 Jan and Qly	.....	90
Montreal City Gas Co	40	2,000,000	2,000,000	.....	6	15 April	15 Oct	211
Montreal City Pass. Ry. Co	50	600,000	600,000	.....	4	6 May	6 Nov	205
Montreal Cotton Co.....	100	800,000	800,000	.....	2 qly	.....	.....	80
Montreal Building Assoc	50	300,000	300,000	.....	0	March	qly	27
Montreal Loan and Mortg	50	1,000,000	500,000	.....	3	15 Moh	15 Sept	115
National Investment Co	100	1,700,000	318,000	22,500	31	31 Dec	30 June	.....
N. S. Sugar Refinery.....	500	350,000	50,000	.....	2	2 Jan	2 July	150
Ont. Indus. Loan and Inv.	50	500,000	274,278	.....	3	30 June	31 Dec	100
Ont. Loan and Deb. Co.....	50	2,000,000	1,200,000	300,000	3	1 Jan	1 July	116
People's Loan and Deb. Co.	50	600,000	564,580	92,000	31	1 Jan	1 July	110
Real Est. Loan and Deb. Co	50	500,000	346,213	.....	3	Jan	July	35
Richelieu and Ont. Nav. Co	100	1,619,000	1,350,000	.....	3	9 Feb	15 Sept	521
Royal Loan and Sav. Co...	50	500,000	470,000	57,000	4	Jan	July	130
Starr Mfg Co., Halifax...	100	200,000	200,000	6	March	-70
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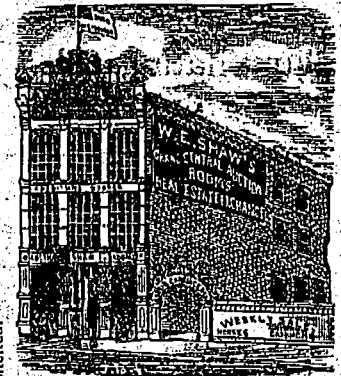
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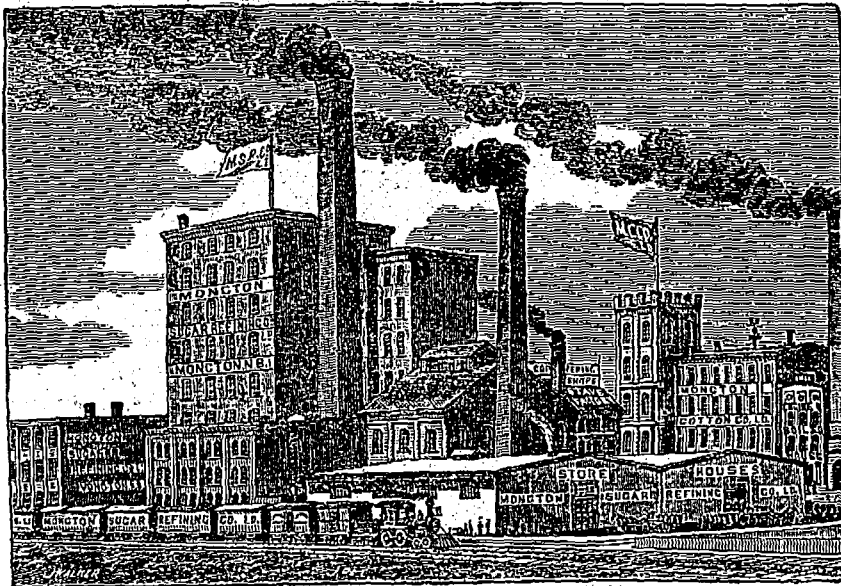
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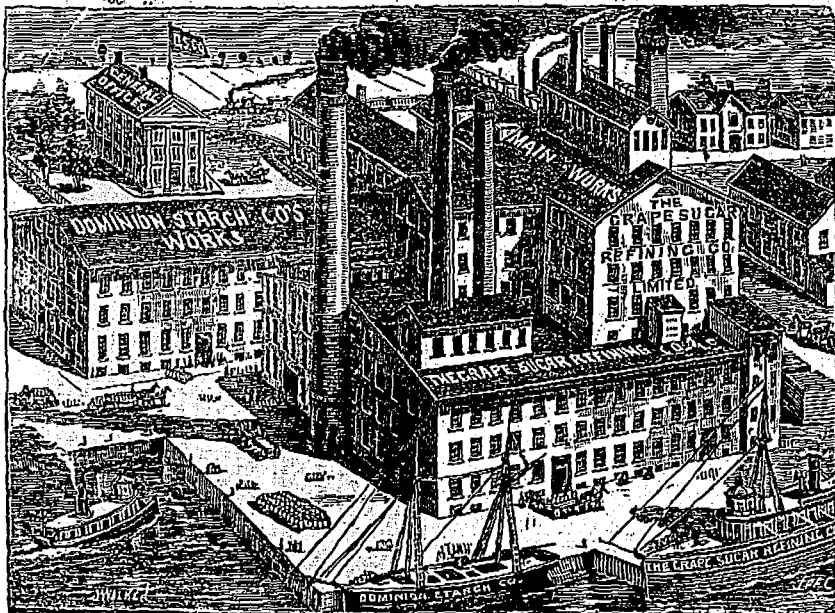
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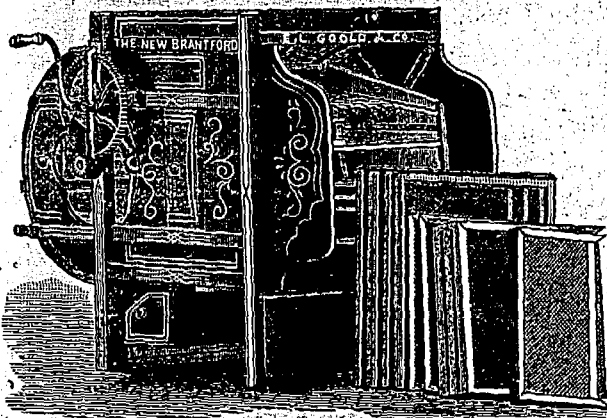
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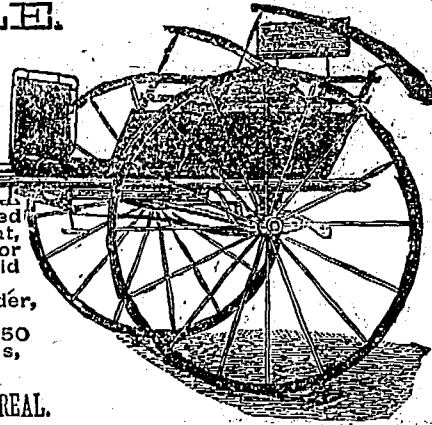
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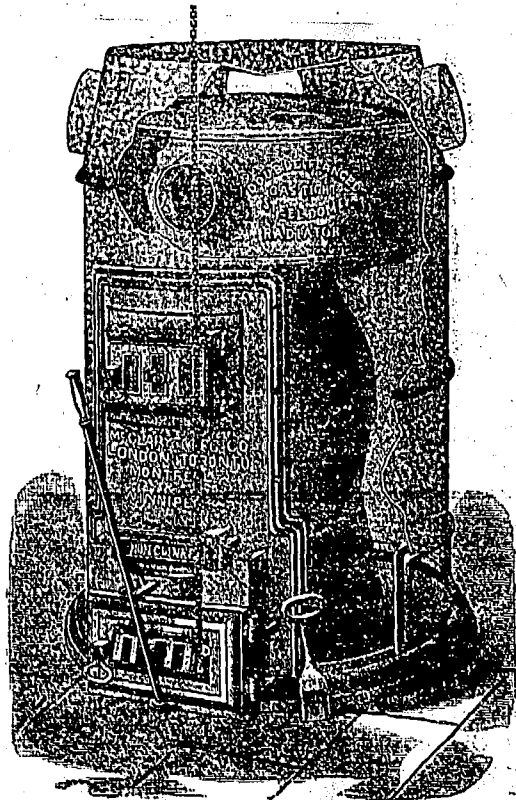
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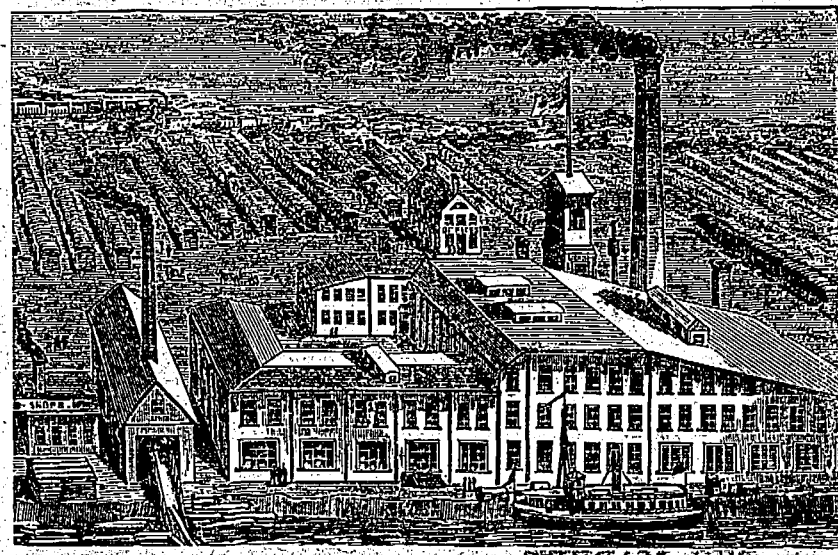
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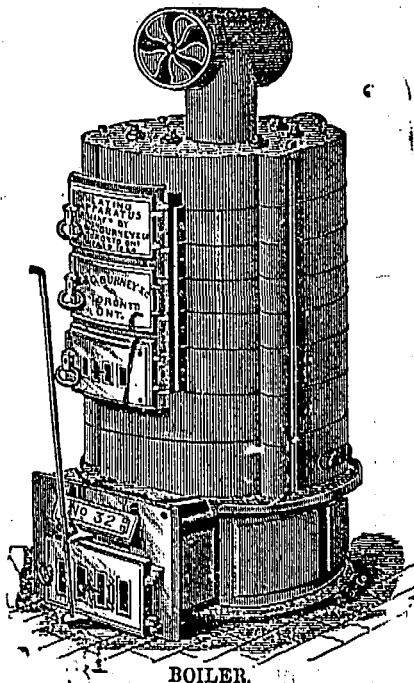
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Flour.		Muskrat, Winter	0 00 0 15	Plantation Ceylon	0 23 0 25	Gelatine, 1 lb. can	1 05 0 00
Patent, winter.....	4 85 5 00	" Fall	0 00 0 12	Chicory..... lb	0 10 0 13	" 1 qt. pk.....	1 60 0 00
Patent, spring.....	4 75 4 85	" Spring	0 00 0 20	Sugars, (casks & brls.		" 2 qt. gs.....	2 10 0 00
Straight roller.....	4 40 4 50	Otter per skin.....	8 00 10 00	Yellow Refined.....	0 05 0 08	Vermicelli, Canadian	0 06 0 07
Extra.....	4 20 4 35	Raccoon per skin.....	0 40 0 75	Paris Lump.....	0 08 0 08	Macaroni.....	0 06 0 07
Superfino.....	3 50 4 00	Skunk	0 40 0 60	Granulated.....	0 07 0 08	Italian.....	0 13 0 00
Strong Bakers.....	4 60 4 70			Syrup, per lb		Peel—Citron	0 28 0 28
Ontario Bags—		Crain.		Molasses, (Barbados) im'g	0 37 0 38	Orange	0 10 0 18
Extra.....	2 00 2 05	Canada Red Winter Wheat	0 96 0 97	Porto Rico.....	0 00 0 00	Lemon.....	0 16 0 17
City Strong Bakers (140		" White Winter	0 96 0 97	Antigua.....	0 00 0 00	Starch:	
lb. bks.) per 100 lbs.	4 60 0 00	" Spring	0 00 0 00	Trinidad.....	0 00 0 00	White	0 04 0 04
Oatmeal, standard brls.	0 00 5 45	Hard Manitoba, No. 1	0 98 0 98	Grape Sugar Ref. Co.	0 04 0 04	Crystal Gloss.....	0 06 0 07
" Manitoba	0 00 5 35	do No. 2	0 95 0 96	Empress Drips Syrup.....	0 04 0 00	Snow Flake.....	0 06 0 07
Oatmeal, granulated, brls	5 70 0 00	Northern, No. 1	0 00 0 00	Dom. Crystal A Glucose..	0 03 0 00	Dom. Rep. Corn.....	0 27 0 08
Rolled Meal.....	0 00 6 12	do No. 2	0 00 0 00	" B	0 00 0 00	Corn Starch.....	0 07 0 07
Oats	0 00 6 25	Oats	0 46 0 47	Dextrine	0 00 0 00	Pure White.....	0 06 0 00
Fuel.		Barley.....	1 65 0 00	Feuille; Loose Muscatel	0 00 0 00	Vinegar: Imp. Triple, 1 brl	0 41 0 00
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Egg	0 00 6 00	Tea (Hf.—Chest & Ond.)	0 11 0 20	Valencia.....	0 06 0 06	W. W. X.....	0 20 0 00
Scotch Steam (ex ship).....	4 50 0 01	Japan, com. to med. lb....	0 27 0 26	Gurants.....	0 06 0 07	W. W. X.....	0 20 0 00
Cape Breton	3 50 0 00	" good med. to fine	0 35 0 45	Prunes (French).....	0 06 0 08	Pure Malt.....	0 45 0 00
Plotow	4 00 0 00	" finest to choicest.....	0 15 0 18	Figs, Eleme.....	0 08 0 10	Cider X.....	0 20 0 00
Lower Pts srocon (retail)	5 25 0 00	Nagsaki	0 15 0 18	S. S. Tarragona.....	0 22 0 25	" XXX.....	0 27 0 00
Scotch do	6 00 0 00	Y. Hyson, com. to gd	0 10 0 20	Almonds, paper shell	0 18 0 20	Best Laundry.....	0 06 0 06
Cordwood.		" fine to finest, lb.	0 30 0 60	Walnuts.....	0 11 0 12	Common.....	0 02 0 05
Maple, 3ft 2in.....	7 00 0 00	Gunpd. com to med.....	0 15 0 20	" Grenoble.....	0 15 0 15	Matches: Common.....	2 25 2 50
Birch.....	6 50 0 00	" good to fine	0 24 0 46	Filberts.....	0 08 0 09	" Parlor.....	1 75 1 90
Beech.....	6 00 0 00	" finest.....	0 55 0 65	Brazils, new.....	0 00 0 00	" No. 1.....	3 25 3 35
Tamarac	5 50 0 00	Imperial mod. to gd.....	0 25 0 33	Slices: Cassia..... mats	0 06 0 07	Hardware.	
Maple, 4ft Ontario.....	7 50 0 00	" fine to finest.....	0 37 0 68	Mace..... chests	0 90 1 00	Antimony.....	0 13 0 15
Mixed wood.....	5 50 0 00	Twankay, com. to gd	0 12 0 18	Cloves.....	0 28 0 30	Tin: Block, L & F per lb.	0 22 0 24
Raw Furs.		Oolong.....	0 45 0 65	Nutmegs.....	0 60 0 90	Straits	0 22 0 24
Beaver, per lb	0 00 3 50	Congou, common	0 10 0 12	Jamaica Ginger, Bl.	0 18 0 20	Strip.....	0 25 0 00
Bear per skin.....	8 00 19 00	" good common	0 14 0 18	African	0 12 0 14	Copper: Ingot.....	0 18 0 18
Bear, Cub, per skin.....	3 00 5 00	" med. to good.....	0 19 0 25	Pimento.....	0 05 0 06	Sheet.....	0 18 0 19
Elash.....	4 00 5 00	" fine to finest.....	0 35 0 55	Pepper, Black.....	0 18 0 18	Hot Cast Am. or Can. Pat'n	0 24 0 25
Fox, Red, per skin.....	1 00 1 25	Souchong, common.....	0 00 0 00	White.....	0 28 0 32	3 in and above	2 60 0 00
Fox, Cross.....	2 00 5 00	" med. to good.....	0 25 0 30	Mustard, 4 lb. per jar, Eng	0 72 0 75	2 1/2 ins.	2 85 0 00
Lynx per skin.....	1 75 2 25	" fine to choice.....	0 35 0 60	" 1 lb.	0 23 0 25	2 1/2 ins.	3 10 0 00
Marten per skin.....	0 75 0 00	" Dust.....	0 06 0 07	" 4 lb. jars, Cana.	0 65 0 70	3 ins.	3 85 0 00
Mink per skin.....	0 00 0 50	Coffee, Mocha (green)	0 24 0 27	" 1 lb.	0 22 0 21	& 1 1/2 3 ins. Am.	4 10 0 00
		Add 6c for roasting and	0 21 0 25	Rice, Mount Royal.....	3 50 3 75	1 1/2 & 1 3/4 Cold Cut, Can. "	3 10 0 00
		grinding.....	0 24 0 27	" Patna..... p. 100lb.	4 00 5 00		3 60 0 00
		Java.....	0 21 0 25	" Japan Crystal	0 00 4 50		
		Maraoaibo.....	0 19 0 22	Sago..... p. lb.	0 04 0 05		
		Jamaica.....	0 18 0 21	Tapioca, Pearl.....	0 03 0 07		
		Rio.....	0 15 0 18	Flake.....	0 07 0 07		

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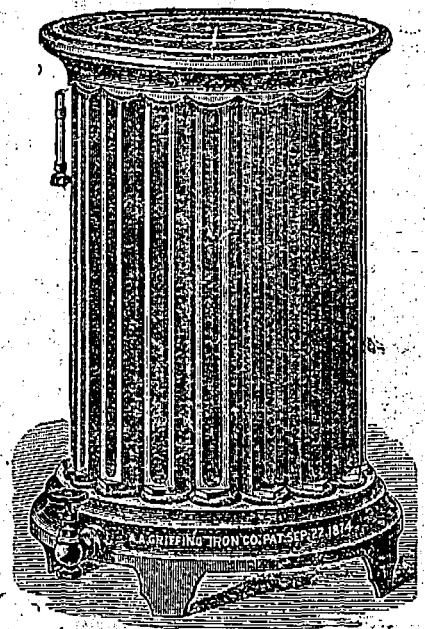


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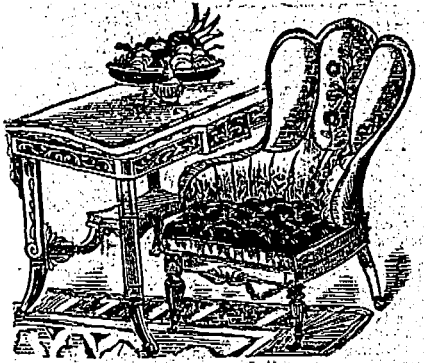
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Hardware—Continued.				Hides and Skins.			
<i>Casing Box, Shook:</i>		Summerlee.....	\$ c. \$ c.	Montreal Green Hides	\$ c. \$ c.	Russetts, Light.....	\$ c. \$ c.
1 1/2 in. per 100 lb. keg	4 70 0 00	Gartherrrie.....	18 50 19 00	No. 1 per 100 lbs	0 00 8 50	" Heavy.....	0 30 0 35
1 1/2 in. to 1 1/4 " "	8 95 0 00	Carnbroe.....	17 50 18 00	" No. 2.....	0 00 5 50	" No. 2.....	0 20 0 25
2 in. to 2 1/2 " "	3 70 0 00	Glyde.....	00 00 0 00	" No. 3.....	0 00 4 50	" Saddlers.....	0 75 0 80
2 1/2 in. to 3 " "	3 45 0 00	Govan.....	18 00 0 00	Tanners pay 50c more for		" English Oak.....	0 40 0 45
3 in. to 3 1/2 " "	3 20 0 00	Eglinton.....	17 00 17 50	sorted, cured and inspected		" Rough.....	0 15 0 20
3 1/2 in. to 4 1/2 " "	3 20 0 00	Hematite.....	22 00 24 00	Hamilton, No. 1 Insp.....	0 00 6 50	Meats, Eggs, &c.	
<i>Cut Spikes: all sizes.....</i>	2 95 0 00	<i>Bar Iron,—per 100 lbs</i>		" No. 2.....	0 00 6 50	Western mess.....	17 00 17 75
<i>Finishing Nails:</i>		Ord. Crown.....	2 00 0 00	" No. 2.....	0 00 6 50	short out.....	18 50 19 25
1 in. to 1 1/2 per 100 lb. keg.	4 60 5 80	Best Refined.....	2 25 0 00	Toronto " 1.....	6 50 6 75	Hams, City Cured.....	0 10 0 10
1 1/2 in. to 2 " "	4 10 4 35	Stewens.....	2 00 0 00	" 2.....	7 25 0 00	Lard, per lb.....	0 11 0 11
2 in. and up " "	3 60 0 00	Sheet Iron to No. 20.....	4 50 0 00	Chicago Buff.....	8 00 8 50	Bacon, per lb.....	0 10 0 11
<i>Tobacco Box Nails:</i>		Boiler Plates.....	2 25 0 00	" Steers.....	0 09 0 10	Eggs, Fresh in cases.....	0 16 0 17
1 1/2 in. to 1 1/4 per 100 lb. keg.	4 95 4 00	" Lowmoor.....	0 00 0 06 1/2	" Bulls.....	6 00 6 50	in baskets.....	0 22 0 24
1 1/2 in. to 2 " "	3 85 3 65	Hoops and Bands.....	2 20 0 00	Dry No'r West.....	0 09 0 10	Tallow, Rendered.....	0 04 0 06
2 in. to 3 " "	3 55 3 15	<i>Canada Plates:</i>		Sheepskins.....	0 00 0 00	" Rough.....	0 00 0 02 1/2
3 in. and up " "	8 70 5 05	Good Brands.....	2 40 2 50	Lambskins.....	0 30 0 35	Potatoes, new, per brl.....	3 50 0 00
3 ins. and up.....	4 70 0 00	Iron Wire: 0 to 7 p 100 lbs	2 15 0 00	Calfskins uninspected.....	0 05 0 00	Honey, in comb.....	0 03 0 00
<i>Flat and Sharp Pres'd Nails:</i>		Wro't Iron pipe; 1/4 to 2 in	0 00 0 43	Horse Hides western, each	2 00 2 50	in tins.....	0 08 0 09
1 and 1 1/2 in. per 100 lbs	9 35 7 35	62 1/2 dia.....	0 11 0 12	Leather (at 6 months)			
1 1/2 " 1 " " " " "	6 85 0 00	" Spring, 100 lb.....	3 00 3 25	No. 1 B. A. Sole.....	0 20 0 23	Oils.	
2 " 2 " " " " "	6 00 0 00	" Tire " lb.....	2 50 3 00	No. 2 B. A. Sole.....	0 18 0 20	Cod Oil, Newfoundland..	0 20 0 32 1/2
2 1/2 " 2 1/2 " " " " "	5 70 0 00	" Sleigh Shoe, lb.....	2 50	No. 1, ordinary Sole.....	0 19 0 20	" Halifax.....	0 20 0 30
3 in. and up " " " " " "	5 35 0 00	<i>Tin Plate:</i>		No. 2.....	0 16 0 18	" Gaspe.....	0 30 0 31
25 per cent discount		IC Coke.....	3 50 3 75	Buffalo Sole, No. 1.....	0 17 0 19	S. R. Palo Seal.....	0 42 0 43
Net 30 days, or 4 mos. note		IC Charcoal.....	4 00 4 50	No. 2.....	0 15 0 17	Cod Liver Oil, new.....	0 75 0 80
with int. These terms apply		IX.....	Usual	China " No. 1.....	0 19 0 20	" old.....	0 60 0 65
to the above nails.....		DX.....	Trade	Zanzibar, No. 1.....	0 16 0 17	[Distributing Prices]	
<i>Horse Nails: P & F Bright</i>	0 00 0 00	DX ".....	Extras.	No. 2.....	0 14 0 15	Cod Oil, Newfoundland..	0 35 0 37 1/2
" No. 7.....	0 24 0 00	Russ. Sheet Iron.....	0 10 1/2 0 00	Slaughter, No. 1.....	0 22 0 25	" Halifax.....	0 32 0 35
" No. 8.....	0 23 0 00	" Anchors, per lb.....	4 75 5 50	Harness.....	0 27 0 31	" Do Gaspe.....	0 39 0 35
" No. 9.....	0 22 0 00	Lion & Crown, Tin'd Sht's	0 06 1/2 0 00	Upper Heavy.....	0 30 0 34	S. R. Palo Seal.....	0 45 0 47 1/2
M Brand 40 @ 5 per ct. dis		24 gauge.....	8 75 4 00	Light.....	0 30 0 31	Cod Liver Oil.....	0 80 0 90
<i>Wrought or Skip Spikes:</i>		Lead: Pig, per 100 lbs.....	4 25 0 00	Grained Upper.....	0 30 0 35	Lard Oil, Extra.....	0 62 1/2 0 75
7 1/2-16 and 1 in.....	3 90 0 00	Sheet.....	4 25 0 00	Scotch Grain.....	0 35 0 40	" No. 1.....	0 50 0 65
3-8 in.....	4 25 0 00	Shot per 100 lbs.....	5 75 0 00	Kip Skins, French.....	0 75 0 95	Linseed Raw.....	0 58 0 65
5 1/2-16 in.....	4 50 0 00	Lead Pipe.....	5 00 0 00	English.....	0 65 0 75	" Boiled.....	0 67 0 69
1 in.....	4 75 0 00	Zinc: Sheet.....	5 00 5 50	Canada Kip.....	0 35 0 45	Olive, Pure.....	1 00 1 10
(Dis. 15 to 20 per cent.)		" Spelter.....	4 50 5 00	Hemlock Calf.....	0 50 0 60	" Machinery.....	0 95 1 00
<i>Horse Shoes.....</i>	3 25 3 50	<i>Scrap Iron—Shell.....</i>	0 00 0 00	Light.....	0 40 0 45	" Extra, qt., p case	3 00 3 25
Terms, 4 months, or 5 po		Machinery scrap.....	16 50 17 00	French Calf.....	1 35 1 40	" pts do.....	2 40 2 60
or 30 days.....	0 00 0 00	Powder: Canada Blasting	3 00 3 50	Splits, Light & Medium..	0 17 0 22	" 3 pts, do.....	2 70 3 00
<i>Axes ss. & ds.—25 to 30 dia.</i>	11 00 13 00	" F F F.....	4 75 5 00	Splits, Heavy.....	0 15 0 20	" Luca, Flaaks.....	6 50 0 00
<i>Galvanized Iron:</i>		Barbed wire, per lb Gal'	0 06 0 00	Small.....	0 14 0 18	Spirits Turpentine, brls.	0 55 0 66
Morewoods Lion, No. 28..	0 06 1/2 0 07	" Paint.....	0 05 0 00	Leather Board, Canada..	0 08 0 12	<i>Coal Oil:</i>	
D. McC. & Co.....	0 06 1/2 0 07	Fencingwire, No. 8.....	0 00 2 25	Enameled Cow, per ft....	0 15 0 16	Car Lots Store, [2 p.c. off]	0 00 0 13
Queen's Head, or equal..	0 05 0 00	" No. 9.....	0 00 2 40	Pebble Grain.....	0 10 0 14	Broken lots.....	0 00 0 13 1/2
Common.....	0 04 1/2 0 00	" No. 10.....	0 00 2 55	B. Calf.....	0 10 0 14	Am. in car lots.....	0 00 0 21 1/2
<i>Pig Iron: Siemon No. 1.....</i>	0 00 19 00			Brush (Cow) Kid.....	0 10 0 14	" 5 to 10 bbls.....	0 22 1/2 0 23
Coltness.....	19 00 0 00			Buff.....	0 11 0 18	" single bbls.....	0 00 0 23 1/2
Calder.....	18 50 19 00					Benzine.....	0 12 0 13
Langloan.....	18 50 0 00						

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	\$ c. \$ c.		\$ c. \$ c.		\$ c. \$ c.		\$ c. \$ c.
Glass.		Timber, Lumber &c		Bright Smoking, 3's & 6's		Wines, Liquors, etc.	
United inches, 14 to 25	50r. 100r. 1 50 0 00	Ash, 1 to 4 in., M	20 00 25 00	Do Fancy	0 50 0 52	Claret cases	3 00 5 00
United inches 25 " 40	1 50 0 00	Birch, 1 to 4 in., M	20 00 25 00	American Fancy, ch & sm	0 49 0 62	Class Claret of gd. brands	7 50 18 00
" 41 " 50	0 00 3 50	Baswood	18 00 20 00		0 80 0 90	Tarragona Ports, imp ga	1 15 1 30
" 51 " 60	0 0 3 75	Walnut, per M	60 00 100 00			Burgundy	
Paints, &c.		Butternut, per M	35 00 40 00	Wines, Liquors, etc.		Still, Case	10 00 23 00
W Lead pure, 50 to 100lb kgs	0 00 6 00	Cedar, round, lineal foot	00 05 00 10	At English	2 40 2 45	Sparkling	16 00 17 50
" No. 1	0 00 5 50	Cedar, flat, lineal foot	00 04 00 06	Domestic	1 50 1 65		
" No. 2	0 00 5 00	Cherry, per M	85 00 100 00		0 85 1 25		
" No. 3	0 00 4 50	Elm, soft, 1st	25 00 17 00	Porter: Dublin	2 40 2 45	Can. Spirits, Imp. gallon	Paid Bond
White Lead, dry	5 25 5 50	Elm, Rock	25 00 30 00	Domestic	1 60 1 85	Alcohol	3 15 3 99
Red Lead	4 75 4 00	Hamlock, M	9 00 10 00		0 60 0 75	Pure Spirits	3 16 1 00
Venetian Red, Eng'h	1 50 1 75	Maple, hard, M	25 00 35 00			" 50 "	2 95 0 95
Yel. Ochre, French	1 25 3 00	Soft, do	18 00 25 00			" 25 U.P.	1 60 0 60
Whiting, London, Washed	0 50 0 60	Oak, M	40 00 50 00			Family Proof	1 70 0 55
Paris	1 15 1 25	Pine, clear, M	35 00 40 00			Old Bourbon	1 60 0 55
Portland Cement, brl.	2 75 3 00	2nd quality, do	25 00 30 00			Rye	1 59 0 55
Roman	2 50 2 70	Shipping Gulls	14 00 15 00			Toddy	1 59 0 52
Glue,		Mill do	8 00 10 00			Malt	1 59 0 55
Domestic Broken Sheet	0 124 0 14	Lath, M	1 50 1 60			Old Rye	4 years old
French, T.F. Casks	0 124 0 13	Spruce, 1 to 2 in., M	10 00 13 00			" 6 "	1 91 0 85
" Bris	0 13 0 13	Shingles, 1st qual	2 00 3 00			" 5 "	2 01 0 95
American White, Brls	0 18 0 22	" 2nd	2 50 0 00			" 7 "	2 09 1 05
Salt.		Tobacco (In Bond.)				Wool.	
Liverpool per bag Elev'n's	0 40 0 42	Black, Chewing, in boxes	0 17 0 23	Irish Whiskey:—Roe's cs.	9 00 9 50	Fleece	0 21 0 23
" Twelves	0 00 0 00	" in caddies	0 164 0 194	Scotch	6 00 8 00	Pulled, unassorted	0 22 0 24
Canadian, in small bags	2 35 3 25	Mahoganies, Smoking	0 22 0 28	Jamaica Rum, 16 O.P., per	4 00 4 50	" Extra Super	0 26 0 27
" Half bags	0 00 0 30	Do Chewing	0 23 0 24	imp. gal	3 50 4 00	" B Super	0 22 0 23
" Quarters	0 02 0 64	Bright Smoking	0 27 0 31	Demarara Rum—16 O.P		" O	0 00 0 00
Factory-filled per bag	1 10 1 12	Fancy Bright Smoking	0 34 0 39	Holland Gin:—imp gal	2 50 2 60	Black	0 21 0 00
Rice's pure dairy, per bag	0 00 2 00	Solace, Common	0 16 0 22	" Green cases	4 55 4 65	Natal	0 17 0 19
quarters	0 00 6 50	Solace Fair to good	0 25 0 30	Red cases	8 60 8 70	Cape	0 151 0 174
Turk's Island	0 00 0 00	[Duty Paid.]		Champagne		Australian	0 16 0 28
		Black, Chewing, boxes 12's	0 41 0 46	Dry	26 00 28 00		
		Do Navy, Cads, 3's 6's	0 464 0 53	Shorries, Ivions	1 95 6 00		
		& 12's	0 464 0 53	Ports, T. G. Sandeman	2 25 7 00		
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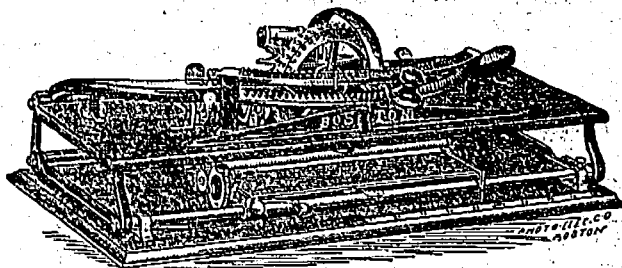
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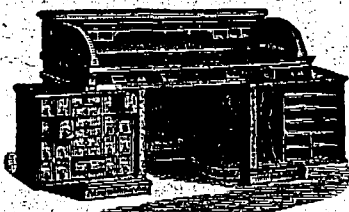
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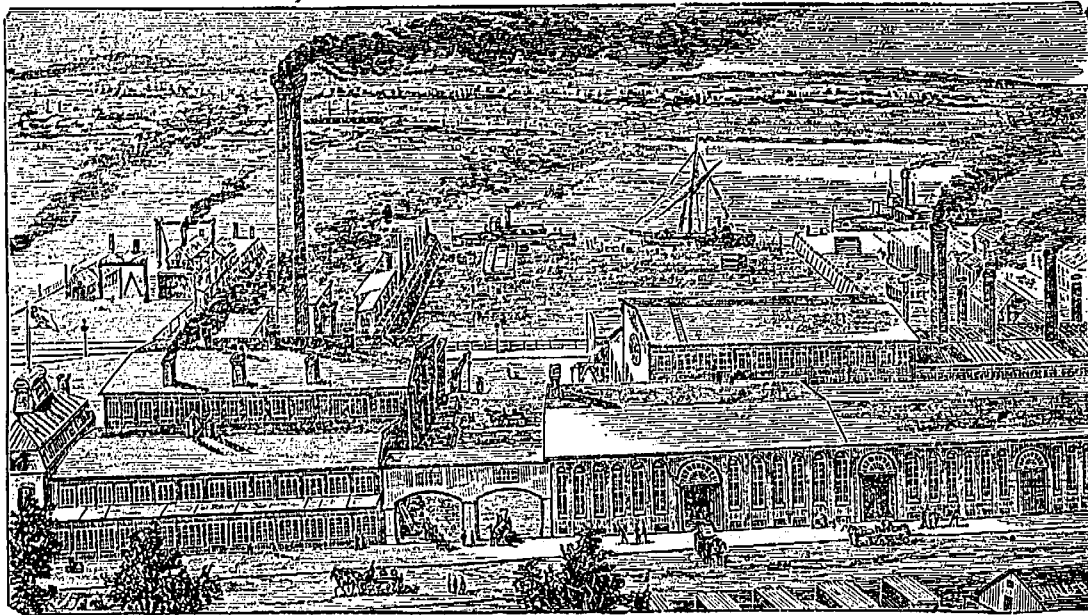
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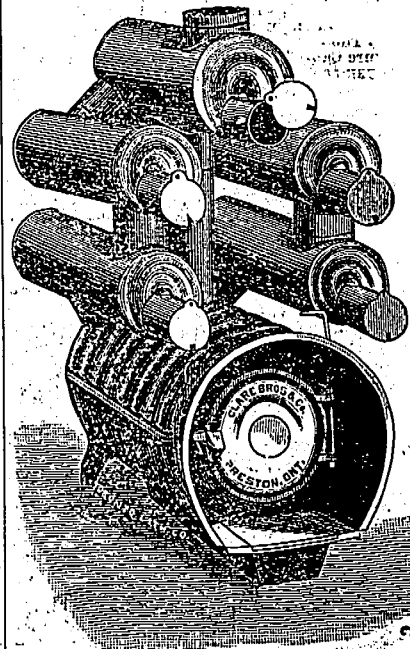
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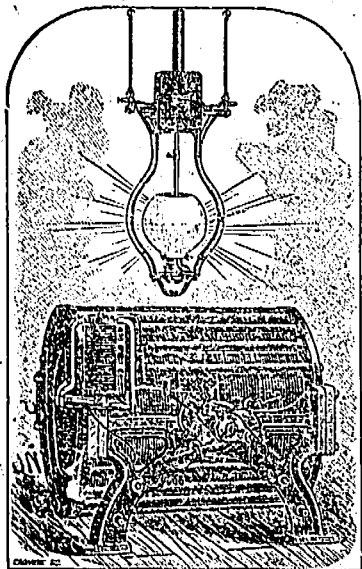
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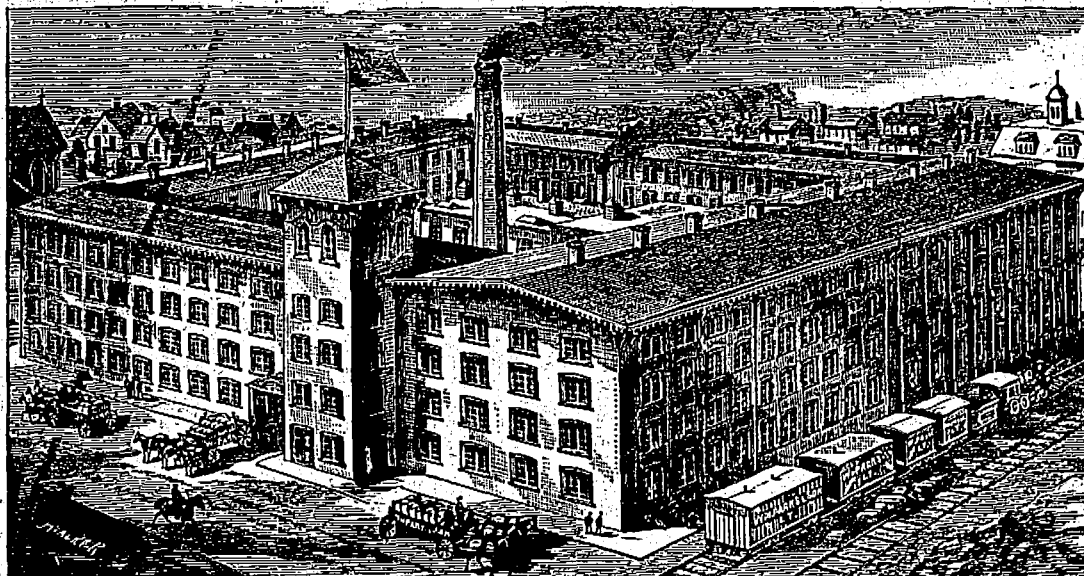
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British America Fire and Marine	10,000	3-6mos.	Jan...July	\$50.	\$50	104
Canada Life	2,500	7-6mos.	Feb...Aug	400	50	420
Citizens, Fire, Life, & Accident	11,880	6-12mos.	Mar. 88, yly	85	7 1/2	100
Confederation Life	6,000	5-6mos.	Jan...July	100	10	245
Western Assurance	25,000	4-6mos.	Jan...July	40	20	144
Royal Canadian Insurance	20,000	6-12mos.	15 Feb. yly	25	20	85
Accident Ins. Co. of North America	2,510	6	15 J' 18 Jan	100	20 100	90
Guarantee Co. of North America	13,372	6	15 J' 18 Jan	50	10 50	90 100

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					Market value p. p'd up share.
British and Foreign Marine	50,000	50	20	4	£22 1/2 22 1/2
Caledonian	10,000	80	50	5	£23 1/2 23 1/2
Commercial U. Fire, Life & Marine	5,000	10	100	15	£45 1/2 45 1/2
Edinburgh Life	100,000	5	£10	£2	28 6d 7s 6d
Fire Insurance Association	20,000	13	100	50	£78 1/2 78 1/2
Glasgow & London	12,000	£7 p. sh.	100	25	£162 162
Guardian Fire and Life	10,000	30	20	2	£5 5 1/2 5 1/2
Imperial Fire	10,000	15	40	31	£39 39 1/2
Lancashire Fire	35,000	45	25	12 1/2	£53 53 1/2
Life Association of Scotland	35,000	10	10	1 7-20	£4 4 1/4
London Assurance Corporation	£38,175	70	20	2	£33 33 1/2
London & Lancashire Life	30,000	70	100	5	£56 1/2 56 1/2
Liverpool & Lond. & Globe Fire & L.	40,000	55	50	6 1/2	£41 41 1/2
Northern Fire & Life	5,722	£21 p. s.	10	1	£245 245 1/2
North Brit. & Merc. Fire & Life	200,000	80	10	1	72s 6d 73s 6d
Phoenix Fire	100,000	60	20	3	£39 39 1/2
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