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The return of traffic on the Northern and North-western railways for the week ending 30th September ult. shows a total of \$42,494.-10, against \$46,198.32 for the like period of last year.

AT a meeting of the depositors of the Bank of Prince Edward Island, last Friday, a determination was expressed to prosecute their claims against the Directors. Counsel from abroad will be engaged. A large fund has been subscribed to commence the action.

APPLICATION is being made to the Lieut .-Governor in-Council for the incorporation of the "Colonial Company," with a capital of \$50,-000, and chief place of business at Montreal. The object of incorporation is the fabrication of chocolate and dealing in coffees and colonial produce generally.

THE bailiff has taken possession of the premises of "F. A. Caston & Co," a Toronto dealer in leather and shoe findings, etc. He has been considered slow in his payments for some 'time, and has recently been served with writs of attachment to the extent of \$10,000.

THE West Lynne Council has passed a resolution authorizing a bonus of \$100,000 to the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada for railway connection with the Eastern system, and a line through West Lynne to Portage la Prairie. Mayor Tennant and A. Mutchmore were appointed to confer with the manager of the Grand Trunk Railway Company on the sub-

B. T. Leion, grocer in a small way at Sarnia, Ont., since some time in 1880, has been obliged to yield possession to the sheriff under an execution issued by the London firm who supplied him.—The sheriff also took possession of the estate of Hume & Nichol, the Cornwall tailors referred to last week, but a receiver was afterwards placed in charge by the Court of Chancery, and he will liquidate the estate on behalf of the creditors.

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THE EXCITEMENT is increasing at Fredericton, N.B., over the impending Scott Act election, which takes place on the 26th instant. The temperance people are holding a series of revival meetings, while the anti-Scott party are pursuing a vigorous cauvass. The latter claim that the law will be repealed, but the supporters of the Act are equally confident that it will be retained.

The Ontario Car and London Car Wheel Company have been combined under the name and style of the Ontario Car and Foundry Company. At a general meeting of stockholders last week, the following gentlemen were elected directors:—Andrew Robertson, Hugh McKay, Jonathan Hodgson, of Montreal; W. K. Muir, Detroit, and Thomas Muir, of London. The latter gentleman will represent the combined companies as managing director.

The freight traffic on the Grand Trunk Railway is aid to be so heavy at present that the freight sheds are inadequate to contain all the merchandise. The increase of traffic on the Canadian Pacific Railway has been considerable of late. For some time past the supply of cars has been inadequate to convey the amount of produce ready to be shipped from the various stations along the line. Merchants and grain dealers along the line of the C.P.R. are

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Ar a recent meeting of the English Loan Company at London, Ont., the following new directors were chosen: Hon Senator Vidal, J. D. Sannby, R. Lewis, E. LeRuey, and George Walker. A code of new by-laws was passed, a clause of which reduced the number of directors to five, with four as a quorum. The meeting was a stormy one, and some exceedingly pointed remarks are said to have passed between the stockholders and Messrs. Glass and LeRuey. The latter gentlemen controlled over 68,000 yotes to 32,000 by their opponents.

THE old established retail hardware firm of James Foster & Sons, Toronto, have suspended and called a meeting of creditors. The firm have been in existence many years, but about ten years ago the business was transferred by the senior member to his two sons, who, it is stated, have not given it their undivided attention, and this, together with bad debts, have damaged it both in character and extent. Another and more direct cause of failure is said to lie in the curtailment of their credit, and having been too severely pressed for payment by a wholesale house in this city. The liabilities are roughly estimated at about \$25,000. Since the above was in type, we learn that the firm have assigned in trust.

Several noteworthy sales of bankrupt stocks have occurred since our last issue: that of Miss Amy Vick, the St. Thomas (Ont.) milliner and dealer in fancy goods referred to last week, was sold by the Sheriff at 411c on the dollar. Her liabilities amounted to \$1,500, with assets in stock valued at \$1,769. Trouble attributed to insufficient capital at the start, together with carrying too large a stock of summer

goods A fire occurred in the store about six months ago, and the insurance money was paid to Miss Vick, who invested it in more goods. The bankrupt stock of L. O. P. Genereux, Uxbridge, was sold by auction in Toronto to Mr. James Whan, of Chatham, at 31c on the dollar, and the stock of woollens, etc., of Messrs. Hamilton & Gagen, Toronto, brought 70½ c on the dollar. The stock of gents' outfitting and dry goods of Joseph Goldner, London, who was suspected of some crooked work with a Toronto auctioneer, was disposed of by the assignee at 78c. on the dollar, Mr. Thomas Smith, late of California, being the purchaser.

MESSES. Dun, Wiman & Co. report 166 failures in Canada for the third quarter of 1882, with aggregate liabilities of \$1,715,982, against 130 failures and \$787,889 liabilities for like period last year; and for the first or past nine months of this year, there were 537 failures, with liabilities of \$5,832,552, against 479 failures and \$4,690,747 liabilities for like period last year. The largest class represented in the figures for the nine months is the retail dry goods trade. The figures for the United States also show a considerable increase in the liabilities as well as the number of failures for these periods, but most of the excess occurred during the first three months. "With the opening of the Spring a general improvement became manifest, which has since been maintained. Many of the heaviest failures, which swell the figures of the last quarter, have been due to speculation or outside operations, in which, although the losses fall largely on those engaged in legitimate business, the disasters were not properly chargeable to any condition of trade. The prospects for the closing months of the year are generally good."

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Ox Friday last the preliminary examination before the District Magistrate of St. Johns, into one of the charges of forgery made against Hayes & Co., of that Place, previously referred to in these columns, terminated in the committal of Haves for trial at the Court of Queen's Bench at Sweetsburg, and in the discharge of McIntyre.

Or Monday carpenters commenced laying the joists for the first floor of the new C.P.R. depot at Winnipeg. The work of building the superstructure will now be pushed with vigor, and the public are assured that it will be in keeping with the substantial foundation which has been laid. Passengers will have some comfort around the Winnipeg depot this winter .-Winnipeg Commercial.

John Owens, grocer, Fredericton, N.B., whose failure was noted in our last issue, is reported to have compromised liabilities of \$10,000 at 50c on the dollar, secured, and payable in three, six and nine months. His assets consist principally of store goods and book accounts estimated at about \$6,000, with some real estate. but the total value is not known. Owens commenced with a small capital some twelve years ago, in Fredericton, and, bearing a good reputation, did well for a time; he attributes his difficulties to the effect of the Canada Temperance Act in that district and to losses sustained by endorsing. Before the Act was passed he did quite a large business in liquors.

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JAMES PEAKE, of the firm of Peake Bros. & Co., doing business on Queen street, Charlottetown, P. E. I., has withdrawn, and the business will hereafter be carried on by George Peake and Thomas Handrahan under the old name of Peake Bros. & Co.

THE fruit crop in Western Ontario, and generally throughout the Province, has been a complete failure this year. Apples are especially scarce, the few that promised to ripen having been blown down by the heavy wind-storm of some three weeks since.

A COMPANY to engage in the manufacture of carriage leather, to be known as the St. Henri Carriage Leather Manufacturing Company, is being formed. The factory is to be located in the suburb of St. Henri. Mr. McCausland, formerly connected with the Gibson Leather Company, of Gibson's, N.B., is spoken of as the probable Manager.

A SPECIAL general meeting of the shareholders of the Union Bank of Prince Edward Island is called for the 16th November next, for the purpose of considering a proposal from the Bank of Nova Scotia for amalgamation with the Union Bank of Prince Edward Island.

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BANK OF P.E.I.-A first dividend of 15 per cent, was paid by the liquidators of the above Banking Company on the 20th ult. By an order of Mr. Justice Peters a first call of \$40.00 per share by all contributors of the said Company is demanded on the 1st day of December next. At a meeting of the depositors of the Bank of P.E.I., held in the Academy of Music on the 13th inst, it was decided to institute proceedings for the purpose of investigating the management of the Bank previous to its going into liquidation, and to have the blame brought home to the proper parties. The depositors are determined to find out where the looseness existed, ...

THE Provincial Exhibition held on the Exhibition grounds near Charlottetown, P.E.I., on the 11th and 12th inst., was largely attended. The exhibits in the different departments presented a very fine appearance, the attention of strangers being more particularly directed to the display of Factory cloth. A gentleman from one of the sister Provinces-himself an

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expert in the manufacture of woolen cloths—declared that nowhere in the Dominion could such good cloth of the kind manufactured on the Island be obtained for the same money, as the tweeds made in the large factories contain more or less of shoddy. The excellence of the products of the Island factories have only to be made known abroad to create a brisk demand for them. On the whole the exhibition may be said to have been a success.

The late moderate rains have given quite a start to the newly sown fields of winter wheat in Western Ontario. The area sown is estimated equal to that of last year. The yield of the past season has in some favored sections reached the almost unprecedented figure of forty bushels to the acre. On one farm in Wentworth County the yield of fall wheat from one six-acre field was 255 bushels, or at the rate of 424 bushels per acre.

THE Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway are about to build an elevator at Owen Sound with a capacity of 250,000 bushels.

Owing to an extraordinary advance in the price of rubber, the Canadian Rubber Company of this city discharged fifty of their hands on Saturday last. A few months ago the price fell from \$1.18 to \$1.07 per lb., but it has since rapidly advanced to \$1.23. It is believed that an attempt at cornering is being made in New York, but the price is also high in the place of production, and direct importations are not thought likely to be of much benefit. Representatives of the rubber companies of the United States have assembled in convention in New York to discuss the situation.

The Montreal branch of the Federal Bank, previously referred to in these columns, will be opened Monday next under the most encouraging circumstances. The establishment, which is one of the largest and finest buildings in the city, is most centrally located on the corner of Notre Dame and St. Helen streets, in the immediate vicinity of all the leading wholesale houses; the interior has been fitted up with excellent taste. There can be no doubt that the local branch will enter upon an extensive business at the outset, and will speedily extend its operations under the well-known management of Mr. W. J. Ingram, who is said to be assisted by a well-trained and reliable staff of officials.

James Munney, the Montreal tanner, etc., referred to in our last issue, is reported to have absconded, leaving very little behind except his wife and family and creditors. At the meeting held last Thursday, 12th inst., assignces were appointed to the estate, but his affairs appear to be in a very bad state; the assets do not equal one-fourth of the liabilities, which amount to \$11,312.92; the machinery, &c., is valued at \$5,000, but this property, mortgaged to half its value, and over \$90 is due for insurance and taxes. Only \$150 worth of merchandise was found in the establishment, besides a horse and eart worth \$75—total assets \$2,632.75.

Mr. D. Choquet, grocer, of St. Hyacinthe Que., whose assignment was noted in our last issue, shows liabilities of \$1,600, with assets \$1,100.—Mr. Timothy Dwane, agricultural implements dealer, of St. Hyacinthe, was burnt ont a few weeks ago, sustaining a loss of some \$40,000. The insurance only realized \$16,000, and the firm's creditors have not yet been paid.

Ir will be remembered that among the principal creditors of Alphonse Marcotte, the auctioneer and commission mer chant who absconded from this city last spring, was mentioned Messrs Gault Bros., the well known Montreal

wholesale dry goods firm, whose claim amounted to over \$13,000; out of this amount they have only received dividends from the estate amounting to about \$1,600. The firm's loss has thus been great, and they are taking steps to recover it in another direction; when the goods were supplied to Marcotte he is stated to have been hopelessly insolvent, and Messrs. Gault Bros. allege that, although not suspecting such was the case, they saw Messrs. Benning & Barsalou-themselves large creditors of Marcotte's -before concluding the sale, and received from them a verbal assurance of his solvency. They have, therefore, entered an action against the last-named firm for the balance owed by Marcotte-\$11,592.42. Messrs. Thibaudeau Bros are also suing Messrs. Benning & Barsalou to recover deeds and securities alleged to have been given to the latter firm by the insolvent Marcotte. The indebtedness of the Marcotte estate to Thibaudeau Brothers was \$11,813,66, which has only been reduced by \$1,476.70 by dividends.

Mn. J. R. Cole, watchmaker and jeweller of this city, has assigned in trust to Mr. S. C. Fatt. The liabilities amount to \$2,000, with the assets estimated at \$1,500.—F. Gastonguay, general dealer, of Water street, Halifax, N.S., has made an assignment.—A meeting of the creditors of Messrs. James Foster & Son, hardware merchants, Toronto, referred to on another page, was held yesterday in that city; particulars reached us too late for this issue. With the exception of one or two English houses, the creditors are all in Toronto and this city.

S. COCHENTHALER, cigar dealer, this city, compromised; N. A. Genest, general store, Warwick, Que., settled at 65c on the dollar; Robt. Cowan, general dealer, Eden Mills, Ont., assigned in trust; John H. Bell, canner, St.

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#### RECIPROCITY.

We notice that the reciprocity question has recently been discussed by more than one of our contemporaries, and that the Globe has been charged with favoring annexation, because it has expressed an opinion that it is desirable. It appears that the New York Sun has intimated

that free trade with the United States can be obtained by the various Provinces becoming Sovereign States of the Union, instead of being "outlying dependencies of the British monarchy." It is no news for Canada to be told that the United States are willing to take them into their confederation; but we apprehend that they are not so delighted with the high taxes, which they have to pay at present, as to desire to pay something like double, to change the title of the Dominion for that of a group of Sovereign States, with just as little power of influencing federal politics as, if they were embraced in an

Imperial confederation, they would be able to influence the policy of the Empire. We believe that there is no change that could be made that would enable the Canadian people to enjoy self-government to the same extent that they do at present.

Theoretically our provinces are as independent as are the Sovereign States comprising the neighboring republic, and we have no doubt that, ere long, some plan will be devised to prevent the capricious interference of the Dominion Executive with the Provincial Legislatures and Governments. As to reciprocity, the time as not yet arrived for reopening the question. It is not easy to understand exactly from the tone of the conservative press whether it thinks reciprocity desirable. It is not very long since public opinion was unanimous in desiring the renewal of the old treaty, and no effort was spared by Sir John Macdonald to procure it at the time of the negotiations which resulted in the treaty of Washington. At that time there would have been no hesitation whatever at renewing the treaty on its old basis, which, it will be recollected, accorded to the citizens of the United States the right to fish in British waters. Now it is made a charge against the Reform party that the late Senator Brown, who is said to have acted as " a special exponent of the Reform policy," was willing to concede the right to fish as part of a measure of reciprocity. The Hamilton Spectator is in error in thinking that Senator Brown's negotiations were subsequent to the fishery award, and that he offered to forego the payment of the \$5,500,000 in return for reciprocity. Senator Brown's object was to render the fishery arbitration unnecessary by concluding a treaty embracing that privilege.

It must not be forgotten that the time is approaching when it will be absolutely necessary to reopen negotiations with the United States on the subject of the fisheries, and with the knowledge that their money value, as determined by arbitration, was deemed excessive. We infer from the tone of the Conservative press that the party now in power in the Dominion, would be indisposed to make the concessions which the late Senator Brown deemed it expedient to accept. It seems to be imagined that Canada is in a position to dictate terms to the United States, whereas there is no nation with which it is more difficult to negotiate. When the vexed question of the Alabama claims was causing serious apprehensions that it. might result in war the United States minister to Great Britain succeeded in obtaining the consent of the Foreign

department to an arrangement, which Congress subsequently refused to sanction. Such was the case with Senator Brown's convention. In both cases the negotiations were carried on with United States officials, whose acts were repudiated by the Senate. This is one of the difficulties to be encountered in all negotiations with the United States, and is the consequence of their system of Government the aim of which is to subject the Executive Government to checks which, however desirable they may be in regard to domestic policy, render all foreign negotiations uncertain. The question for consideration, and it will be most unfortunate for Canada if it should be made a party question, is what is the best mode of proceeding when the time comes for re-opening negotiations with the United States in regard to our commercial relations. We think that there can scarcely be a doubt that the most auspicious time will be at the termination of the present fishery treaty. It is wellknown that there is a general feeling in the United States that our fishery award was exorbitant, and it may therefore be assumed that an effort will be made to obtain more favorable terms. In view of the uncertainty which, as we have pointed out, attends all negotiations with the United States Government, it seems to us clear that the true course for Canada to adopt will be to take care first that due notice be given of the termination of the fishery treaty, so that there may be no excuse for such temporary arrangements as have on two different occasions been made, very much to our injury. Should the United States desire to make a special treaty in relation to the fisheries it would be only reasonable to abide by the last award, and to renew the treaty for the same period on the same conditions, taking care that the United States fishermen should not pretend to any exemption from liability to obey the laws of the Dominion or of Newfoundland. What they are entitled to expect is to be placed on the same footing as British subjects, but not to be allowed to fish on Sundays if local laws prohibit them.

If, however, the United States refuse to renew the fishery treaty, then Canada ought to decline to commit itself to any proposition unless sanctioned by the Senate. It would be quite proper, and only reasonable, to acquaint the Executive authorities that certain propositions, if made, were not likely to be acceded to. The main point should be to require the United States Executive to take the initiative, and they have as a guide the arrangement which was agreed to by the Government of General Grant and by

Senator Brown on behalf of Canada. It is pretended by the organs of the present Government that Senator Brown made "a display of national pusillanimity" which must not be repeated, and this by the "sacrifice of her canals and fisheries." We are not inclined to undervalue the concessions which Canada made in 1854, when Lord Elgin succeeded in negotiating the old reciprocity treaty, but we venture to remind those who write in this strain that, if they expect to negotiate a treaty with the United States on the precise terms that would be desired by Canada, they are widely mistaken. We do not desire to exaggerate the importance of reciprocity, but there can be no doubt whatever that it would be expedient, when the time arrives, to be prepared for negotiations on the subject, and it is earnestly to be desired that the hands of the Government of the day, whatever may be its character, should be strengthened by the cordial support of the entire population. The main difficulty on the occasion of the last negotiation was that the United States, instead of adopting the principle of the first treaty, which was to confine the free admission to natural products, insisted on extending it to certain manufactures, which Senator Brown no doubt reluctantly consented to; but, when this concession had been made, the difficulty arose that Canada must admit English manufactures on the same terms, which did not suit the United States. There was very little complaint of the old reciprocity system, except as to the article. of lumber, and, under existing circumstances, it may be doubted whether that would be an obst. cle. It is well to bear in mind that th termination of the fishery treaty will ren ler fresh negotiations absolutely necessary.

#### THE CURRENCY.

If we can believe the repeated complaints on the subject of small change, in which is included not only the subsidiary silver coin, but also the small Dominion notes, some action on the part of the Government is required to remedy the inconvenience which is said to be felt. Since the withdrawal of the bank notes of \$4, the circulation of the ones and twos has largely increased, but with such a number of Dominion officers as are spread over the country there ought to be no difficulty in making satisfactory arrangements, although we should imagine that the banks are as ready to accommodate their customers in other places as they are in Montreal where there is no difficulty whatever in obtaining either small

notes or silver. It was alleged some time since that there had been a renewal of the attempt to introduce United States silver into Canada, but this is highly improbable The cause of the circulation of American silver several years ago was that its place was supplied during the suspension of specie payments with small fractional notes, which have nearly disappeared. The fractional silver currency is only coined in sufficient quantity to meet the public demand of the United States. The coinage of silver dollars has been much in excess of the demand, but this is required by a law of Congress which was passed with the view of maintaining the double standard. Unless the coinage of silver be suspended there will be serious difficulty before very long. The silver coins have been accumulating in the Treasury, and are represented by silver certificates, which are taken with no little reluctance by the banks. It is a singular state of things, and one for which it would be difficult to find a precedent, to have legal tenders in gold and silver circulating in the same country on an equal footing, while the actual market value of the one is several points higher than that of the other. The conference on the subject of the double standard seems to have been postponed sine die, and it must be obvious that the United States will have either to adopt a single gold standard or, by adhering to the double standard, come practically to silver.

# THE HAMILTON SPECTATOR AND THE BOUNDARY.

Our Hamilton contemporary will not, after reflection, impute to us that "after a week's silence" we returned to a consideration of the boundary question. In truth we are inclined to apologize to our readers for troubling them so often with remarks on a question which, though of immense public importance, has been so fully discussed that it may be hoped that it is at last very generally understood. And yet we find the Spectator still in the dark on more than one point. In our issue of the 22nd ult. we had noticed at some length the proceedings at the Toronto Convention, and of course the speech of Sir J hn A. Macdonald with reference to the boundary controversy. We had before seeing the Spectator's article devoted as much space to that question as we thought it entitled to, and we regret having to revert to the subject. Still when we find the Spectator needing further instruction, we cannot refrain from attempting to give it. We have never disputed the Spectator's assertion that "only Parliament can change the boundaries of a Province." In the case under consideration it is not proposed to change the boundaries, but only to determine them. It must, of course, be admitted that Parliament has refused, not as the Spectator states to change the boundaries, but to confirm the award of arbitrators appointed by the Governments of the Dominion and of Ontario to determine what the boundaries are. As to the reference to the Judicial Committee, the Spectator must surely be aware that such a reference would be simply a fresh arbitration, as the question is not one that could come before that tribunal except by agreement. The arbitration was agreed to as a usual and satisfactory mode of adjusting differences. There are precedents without number for referring such disputes to arbitration, and it has not been the practice for Governments to ask Parliament to pledge themselves before the arbitration is entered on, to confirm the award. Arbitrations are resorted to as a convenient mode of settling disputed points, and the parties are expected to act in good faith. In the Mother Country the invariable practice has been for one Government to consider itself bound to abide by the action of its predecessor, and for an obvious reason. The honor of the Crown is at stake. The Crown may obtain new advisers, but those advisers will not recommend a breach of faith with another party. In regard to the settlement of the disputed question, the Province of Ontario is to all intents and purposes in the same position as the United States or France would be to Great Britain. The board of arbitrators was not, we contend, improperly constituted-quite the reverse. A Government possessing the confidence of the Parliament of the Dominion agreed with the Government of the Province of Ontario to refer a disputed point to the arbitration of three persons selected in the usual way. All the proceedings were open and straightforward, and yet the Dominion Government, which obtained power on a question having no reference whatever to the boundary, has seen fit to advise the representative of the Crown to repudiate the action of his predecessor. All that the Spectator urges about" a court of competent jurisdiction" is mere verbiage. There is no such court. The contending parties may agree on a new tribunal, but there would be the risk of another repudiation, and moreover there would probably be great difficulty in agreeing on a case. We do not know the exact state of the controversy, but, from all that we have heard, the Ontario Government would even now, ill-treated as it has been, agree to any fair proposition

for the prompt settlement of the dispute.

We must repeat that the Dominion Government has been twice guilty of repudiation. The Spectator alleges that Messrs, McDougall and Taché were anpointed merely " to mark upon the ground "well defined boundaries which he (Sir "John A. Macdonald) assumed to be ac-"cepted by all parties." Now this raises an issue that can be easily disposed of, On 17th July, 1871, Lieutenant-Governor Howland called the attention of the Gov. ernment of the Dominion to the necessity "which exists for the settlement of the "true boundary or division line separating "the Province of Ontario from what is "known as the North-West territory," He pointed out that appropriations had been made for defraying the expense of a committee by the Dominion Parliament and the Ontario Legislature, and suggested that joint instructions should be issued. The subject was duly considered by the Government, and an Order in Council was passed appointing Mr. Taché a commissioner "to act with the commissioner of the "Ontario Government to determine the "boundary line between Ontario and the "North-West Territories." This was on the 28th July, 1871, and it was on 1st of October of same year that without any consultation whatever with the Ontario Government Colonel Dennis, under instructions from Sir John Macdonald, wrote the report which only saw daylight in 1880, in which he declared the boundaries to be wholly different from what Sir John Macdonald's Government had contended for during many years. This was a virtual repudiation of the first agreement entered into in good faith by the Ontario Government, and the Spectator, we observe, keeps an ominous silence as to the fabricated clause in the Hudson's Bay Company's charter, which Sir John Macdonald, we are persuaded, would have ordered to be expunged if he had taken the trouble to read the report which he adopted. The Spectulor proceeds to assert that "the "arbitrators-were appointed to report "upon the meaning and intent of the Imperial laws creating the boundaries of "the Province," adding "they failed to do so; did something they were not instructed or empowered to do." The arbitrators were not appointed for the purpose stated above. They were to determine the boundaries of Ontario, and they did precisely what they were appointed to do.

The Spectator gives Judge Armour as an authority for the assertion that "the "treaty of Ryswick (a mistake for Utrecht)" undoubtedly advanced the French possessions to the shores of the Hudson's "Bay, and restricted France to the height

"of land on the North." The statements are inconsistent, for if the French possessions extended to the shores of Hudson's Bay they could hardly be restricted to the height of land. There is not a word about the height of land in the treaty of Utrecht, but even if there were, the Hudson's Bay Company could derive no benefit from it. That treaty bound France to restore what had been taken during the previous war, and this France always professed a readiness to do, but positively refused to admit the claims of Great Britain, which, however, were expressly stated not to be intended for the benefit of the Hudson's Bay Company, which was tied down to what was settled by the treaty of Ryswick. Judge Armour had been the paid coun el to defend the new Dominion claim set up by Col. Dennis, and the paper which he communicated to the committee of 1880 was prepared by him to be handed to his successors, Mr. McMahon and Mr. Monk, who, though charged most unjustly with giving away their case, advocated the same view of the boundary as Judge Armour. We can assure the Spectator that he is quite in error in thinking that we made any mistake in our remarks of 29th September in regard to the Statutes of 1774 and 1791. We have carefully read the article, and there is no reference in it to the establishment by the Act of 1791 of the boundary on the shore of the bay due north of the head of Lake Temiscamingue. We are not surprised that the Spectator has adopted the opinion of those who choose to assign a meaning to suit themselves to the language of a Royal proclamation under an Imperial Statute.

As to getting fresh evidence as to the boundaries of the territories granted to the Hudson's Bay Company, we apprehend that no efforts were spared to procure all available. One of the chief difficulties now is the preparation of a case for a new arbitration, for such would necessarily be the reference to the Judicial Committee. The fear entertained is, we imagine, that there would be an indefinite delay. We doubt much whether the Judicial Committee would undertake to give a judgment as to the Southern boundary of the territories belonging to the Hudson's Bay Company. The Spectator, we notice, joins in the cry of those who pretend that Ontario may be entitled to more territory than that given to it by the arbitrators. We venture to think that even those who entertain the conviction that the award did not give Ontario all the territory it was entitled to will perceive the necessity of adhering to it. Counsel will have to argue for some specific boundaries. The

Dominion will, as before, rest its case on the height of land and the due north line, and Ontario will doubtless stand by the award of the arbitrators. It is wholly incorrect for the Spectator to affirm that Mr. Mackenzie's Government "remain-" ed in a position of resistance to Ontario's "claim to the day of its dissolution." Mr. Mackenzie never contemplated the repudiation of the award. How he was "false to his trust and oath of office "by accepting it we are unable to comprehend. The Spectator fails to understand how Col. Dennis' report affects the controversy at all. Col. Dennis simply interpolated a clause, as in the Hudson's Bay Company's charter, which would have defined their Southern boundary to be the height of

To establish the inconsistency of the Dominion Government and of its defenders, it is only necessary to remark that while it has been maintained by them of late that only a judicial tribunal is competent to determine the boundaries of Ontario, Sir John Macdonald in 1871 instructed Colonel Dennis, who is not a lawyer, and who moreover had never seen at the time the mass of documentary evidence subsequently printed, to make a report determining the boundaries. Col. Dennis did make such report on 1st October, 1871, and on 11th March, 1872, Sir John Macdonald recommended that a draft of instructions in conformity with Col. Dennis' report should be transmitted to the Ontario Government. He did not even take the trouble to verify the fabricated quotation from the Hudson's Bay Company's charter. Surely if Sir John Macdonald believed Colonel Dennis competent to determine the boundary he is not in a position to declare the arbitrators wholly incompetent.

We will venture to throw out a remark in conclusion that may or may not be worth the consideration of the contending parties. Let it be left to a single arbitrator in whom both should have confidence to settle the mode of a reference to the Judicial Committee, and the documents to be laid before them, and the temporary arrangements for the government of the territory. Such an arbitrator might be found in the Marquis of Lorne, acting, of course, not on the advice of his Ministers but on his own responsibility. We believe that all reasonable men ought to be satisfied with such a proposition, which would, if promptly acted on, ensure a speedy decision. It ought to be clearly understood that the Imperial Parliament would undertake to confirm the decision arrived at, should the Dominion Parliament refuse to do so.

# THE NATIONAL BANKS OF THE UNITED STATES.

Mr. R. W. Barnett, a London banker of eminence, has recently read before the Bankers' Institute of that city a paper on the constitution and progress of the National Banks of the United States, which has naturally attracted notice on this side of the Atlantic. It cannnot be uninteresting to Canadians to learn the opinion of a highly competent banker on institutions which are often held up as models for general adoption. Mr. Barnett declares himself indisposed to relinquish the English maxim that "in commerce " government assistance and interference "are highly undesirable," and yet he finds in the United States "upwards of " 2,000 commercial and financial institu-"tions which owe their inception and " establishment entirely to a special-" statute, and whose mode of doing busi-" ness is prescribed at almost every point. " and checked at every turn by the law," While declining to cede his own opinions as to the general provisions of the United States law, Mr. Barnett admits that the success of the National banks must be accepted as proof that they were well suited to the circumstances under which they were adopted. Although the system has only been established about twenty years, there are already 2,132 banks having paid up capitals of £92,764,000 sterling, deposits £216,000,000, and notes in circulation for upwards of £64,000,000. The operations of these banks have been so far profitable that they have paid dividends on the large capitals already quoted averaging from 71 to 10 per cent., besides accumulating reserve funds amounting to over £25,000,000 sterling, and holding undivided profits to eleven millions more.

Mr. Barnett points out that the national bank system was the outcome of the war of secession, and he gives an interesting account of the diverse systems of banking and currency which had been the constant cause of loss and annoyance. The various schemes started prior to the civil war, including the Bank of the United States, the State banks, some of which were under the "safety fund" system, and the free banking, had none of them much success. In 1853 the Governor of Indiana in his message referred to the frauds committed on the public in the following terms :- "The speculator comes "to Indianapolis with a bundle of bank " notes in one hand and the stock in the "other, in twenty-four hours he is on his " way to some distant point of the Union "to circulate what he denominates a legal "currency authorized by the Legislature " of Indiana. He has nominally located

" his bank in some remote part of the "State difficult of access, where he "knows no banking facilities are required, " and intends that his notes shall go into "the hands of persons who will have no "means of demanding their redemption." In the same year the Governor of Michigan said :- "At present we are giving charters " to the issues of banks about which we "actually know nothing, in whose man-"agement we have no participation, "and are thus literally paying a large "tribute for what generally in the end "proves to be a great curse." Other evidence is given which we need not cite, all proving the defects of the old State bank system, but we may refer to the heavy loss entailed on the community in domestic exchange. The legal tender of one State was comparatively useless for business remittances to other States. It was estimated that the amount annually drawn on New York and the Eastern States by the Western and Southern States was £800,000,000, and that the average cost of Western and Southern Exchange on New York was from 1 to 14 per cent., making the loss something like twelve millions sterling.

The new system, notwithstanding its obvious superiority, excited considerable opposition, and was passed by very narrow majorities in both Houses of Congress, and was approved by the President on 25th February, 1863. It is noticed that this new system owed its origin directly to the war, and that in the latter half of the nineteenth century, and in the country of new ideas, the latest of banking systems owes its origin to the financial necessities of a Government embarrassed by a state of war. Mr. Barnett thinks that it should add to our appreciation of the merits of the authors of the plan that, in the midst of a struggle so exhausting, they should have looked beyond the necessities of the moment, and elaborated a system that has been approved by the experience of twenty years, and that has contributed not a little to the political consolidation of the country, as well as to its commercial expansion. Although the Act was passed in 1863, it was only in 1865 that an Act was passed by which a tax of 10 per cent. was imposed on any person or bank using or paying out any notes except National bank notes, or United States notes, the consequence of which was that during 1865 a large number of State banks reorganized under the National Bank Acts. By the close of that year there were 1582 National banks, with a circulation of nearly fortythree millions sterling. The position now held by the National banks is that, although less than one-third of the whole number of banks, they own more than two thirds of the banking capital, and hold two-fifths of the total deposits of the country, or, leaving savings banks out of account, the National Bank deposits are nearly three-fourths of the remainder.

Mr. Barnett entered at some length into the duties of the comptroller of the currency, a title to which he takes exception, as the most important functions of that officer, and those most constantly exercised, have reference more to the general business and accounts of the National banks, than to their circulation, while that circulation is not even the greater part of the currency of the United States. The duties of the comptroller are detailed at some length, and reference is made to the periodical examination by bank examiners appointed by the comptroller of the accounts of every bank. These examiners are invested with ample powers to examine into every detail of the affairs, while the comptroller has power to call for special reports from or to order special examination of any association at any time that he may deem it necessary to do so. In concluding his remarks, and after giving a balance sheet on 1st October, 1881, of all the National Banks, Mr. Barnett states that the principle of Government audit does not find much favor in England, and then refers to the fact that the officials of two National banks which had failed in 1881 had contrived to evade the vigilance of the examiners. The great defect in his opinion of Government audit is that it leads people to rely on it instead of using their own judgment as to the conduct of an institution. It is admitted by the New York Financial and Commercial Chronicle that it is not often that an Englishman evinces in his writings such intimate knowledge of our banking laws and machinery, and that Mr. Barnett has shown great cleverness and discrimination in detecting the peculiarities of the United States system. Mr. Barnett seems to have criticised the system of certifying checks which prevails in the United States, and which is applied chiefly to the transactions in stocks which are conducted through brokers. It appears that the comptroller of currency has quite recently asked the opinion of the Attorney General as to the legality of the present mode of certifying cheques, apparently with the design of discouraging the practice. The Financial Chronicle thinks that Mr. Barnett is not warranted in expressing a fear that the practice "points to a very great amount " of distrust existing in the business com-"munity." It has nothing to do with ordinary mercantile transactions, or with the commerce of the country. It is for

the convenience of brokers, who buy stocks and give an accepted check on an understanding that during the day the stocks will be delivered and paid for by the purchaser. It is argued that each bank knows its customers, and that long practice has proved the safety of the system. Whatever may be thought of it. the interference of the Government with such transactions would be found intolerable in Great Britain and in Canada. We have not seen Mr. Barnett's entire paper. which, however, the Bankers' Magazine promises to publish. It would be very interesting to learn his views as to the paper currency, and whether he thinks that the present mixed currency, consisting of Government notes and bank notes secured by Government bonds, is on the whole one to be approved of. The opinion on this point of a disinterested experienced London banker would be most valuable.

#### FOREST FIRES.

The American Journal of Forestry, the first number of which has been published at Cincinnati, contains an interesting paper on forest fires by Mr. Putnam of Wisconsin, which, it is stated, was written for the Forestry Congress but delayed owing to the absence of its author on the Pacific Coast. The forest fires in Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota are said to be "the results mostly of carelessness on "the part of explorers, or timber hunters. "haymakers and others having either "business or pleasure in the woods, who "leave their camp fires burning, where "they have cooked a meal or spent the "night." July and August are the months in which they generally occur, when the pine leaves and branches from the last winter's cutting are dry and like tinder liable to burn from the dropping of a match or a stroke of lightning. The author of the paper thinks it absolutely necessary that proper laws should be passed and enforced for the punishment of this criminal negligence, and does not believe that it would be hard to detect offenders. Most men, he says, can be traced even in the pineries, and if fires result from their acts they should be punished by imprison ment or fines. The practice of lumbermen is, when the tree is felled, to cut off the branches which are left scattered on the ground and in the following summer become dry and like powder. A match thrown away, an emptied pipe, in fact anything with a spark of fire, will start the burning. It is suggested that there should be a law requiring the lumbermen to employ an extra man in the woods to pile in open space the green branches and refuse, so that all may be burned at a proper

time. The opinion of the author is that the fires are not the result of the carelessness of the Indians, who are careful to extinguish their camp-fires. He advocates the appointment of foresters to collect and distribute information and advise as to the manner of cutting timber. Probably as much timber or as many trees in number are destroyed each year through ignorance and carelessness in cutting the pine timber for saw logs as what are cut and really used or taken to market. The author states that he has recently visited the forests on the Pacific Coast, and finds there more danger from fires than in Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan. Terrible fires, he says, are raging on Paget Sound, Coast Range and Cascade Forests. He saw one of 100 miles by 10, and one of 75 by 2 to 20 miles in extent, all the result of pure carelessness, and which might have been prevented. He thinks that 1,000 trees may be saved where one can be raised, and after 30 years' experience in forests he thinks that if he had educated his timber explorers to be careful of fire he could have saved millions. Such is the information given by a Wisconsin lumberer. It might be interesting to learn the opinion of an experienced Canadian lumberer on the subject of forest fires, and on the best means of preventing

THE TARIFF.—The Hamilton Spectator has criticized at some length the article in which we pointed out the effect of combined duties in the tariff as discriminating against Great Britain. We regret our inability to reply to him in our present issue, but we shall do so in an early number.

THE suspension on Tuesday last of Messrs. A & C. J. Hope & Co., importers of iron and heavy metals, this city, has been the principal topic in commercial circles during the week. The business here was a branch of the old established Hamilton firm of Adam Hope & Co., and was established in May, 1871, by the removal to this city of the Toronto branch. The failure does not surprise the iron and hardware trade of this city, as it has been understood for some time past that the firm, not doing a profitable trade, have been anxious to withdraw from business in Montreal, and negotiations looking to the sale of the business have been carried on without, however, any definite conclusion being reacche- It is impossible to state the exact amount of liabilities, prior to the meeting of creditors, to be held in this city at noon to-day, but the firm estimate the amount direct at \$100,000, and indirect at from \$250,000 to \$300,000, of which \$200,000 is said to be secured. The assets are not yet ascertained. The firm attribute their difficulties to depreciation in values and slow sales from stock, a somewhat heavy one. Further, this month obligations to the amount of some \$60,000 to English and Canadian houses had to be met, and the firm having no business paper to offer, their bankers were unable to assist them towards meeting this liability. Some in the trade attribute the failure to selling goods at too low prices; they have also met with heavy losses by other failures. The principal creditors are believed to be in Scotland, but several Canadian banks are also interested, and a good deal of single line paper is said to have been passed recently. The late Hon. Adam Hope was a director of the Bank of Commerce, with whom the insolvent firm kept their account in this city. The deciency is not expected to be large. The firm will voluntarily go into liquidations and the business here will be closed. Several seizures were made yesterday by creditors, and some cargoes of iron in transit to this port were stopped.

THE recent "boom" in hops all over this continent seems to have given rise to a fresh fraud in trade. The news comes from Boston that spent hops are being sent to that city and sold for the good article. As these hops have once passed through the brewers' hands they are, of course, worthless, but, judging them simply by appearance, they are calculated to decrive buyers. In consequence of the enormous advance in the price of hops (English and Bavarian over 400 per cent., American and Canadian over 300 per cent., above the prices current for some years past) the leading brewers have advanced the prices of ales and Porter, adding four cents per Imperial gallon, and ten and five cents per dozen quarts and pints, respectively. A large portion of the community of this country will be interested in detecting any attempts at fraud in the quality of the beer sold, but it is not very probable that the operators in spent hops will be imitated in this respect, as the counterfeits could be more easily and quickly discovered by any number of judges.

#### FIRE RECORD-INSURANCE.

ONTARIO.

Chatham, Oct. 12.—J. M. Bethard's grist and saw mill, with a stave factory, totally destroyed. loss \$1,000. Alliston, 13.—S. Fletcher's barn burnt. Loss \$600; no insurance. Frankville, 13.—The Rossin House burnt; covered by insurance. Gananoque, 16.—A fire occurred here in Ferguson's block, partly destroyed. Loss \$1,500.

QUEBEC.

Lachute, Oct. 13.—J. Hope's confectionery stock, total loss. Insurance not known.

# Financial and Commercial.

MONTREAL WHOLESALE MARKETS.
THURSDAY, 19th Oct., 1882.

Business has generally ruled quiet and steady for the week, assual at this period. In a few departments, notably hardware, groceries, liquors and boots and shoes, a fairly active Fall trade continues to be done, and the tone of the markets throughout is decidedly strong and healthy; not much increased activity, however, is anticipated until nearer the close of navigation

Remittances continue to improve as the season advances, and money is plentiful at the banks, at 7 per cent. for the ordinary run of good commercial paper, renewals running upto 8 per cent. Loans on stocks are made at 6 to 7 per cent. on call and short time. Sterling exchange is steady at 8½ prem. for round amounts of 60-day bills, 8½ prem. for round amounts of 60-day bills, 8½ prem. cash over the counter, 9½ to 9½ prem. for demand bills. Drafts on New York sold at ½ to ½ prem. The local stock market displayed considerable weakness in the early part of the week, but the tone was considerably stronger towards the close; City Gas advanced 2½ per cent. yesterday, and to-day sold down 1½ per cent. to 190½ but recovered, closing at 191. City Passenger sold down 1 per cent. to-day at 124, but closed at 125. Richelieu advanced 1½ per cent. to-day, closing at 76½. With exception of a decline of 1½ per cent. for Commerce, the changes in banking securities for the week have been only fractional.

Sales to-day: Morning Board—175 Montreal at 213; 99 do x. d. at 2104; 25 Commerce at 142½; 50 do at 142; 76 do at 142; 14 Dominion Telegraph at 95; 130 Richelien at 75½; 75 do at 154; 150 City Passenger at 125; 750 do at 124; 150 City Gas at 192, 50 do at 191½; 475 do at 191; 725 do at 190½; 225 St. Paul at 160; 40 Canada Cotton at 140. Afternoon Board—15 Montreal at 213; 25 do at 212½; 50 do x. d. at 210; 125 Commerce at 142; 100 Federal at 161; 125 City Passenger at 125; 25 do at 12½; 200 do at 12½; 75 do at 12½; 75 City Gas at 191; 125 do at 191½; 75 do at 191½; 75 Richelieu at 76; 25 do at 76½; 25 do at 76½; 25 do at 76½; 25 St. Paul at 159½; 25 North West Land Co. at 100½.

ASHES.—Receipts are moderate, but there is nothing doing; buyers ask more of a rebate on recent prices than sellers are willing to submit to. Several parcels of light tares, for which \$5.90 and \$6 were offered, still remain unsold, and we quote nominal. Seconds with bad tares have sold at \$5.20. Pearls—Receipts have been rather more liberal, but by no means large; 35 bris First sort were sold this week on terms which did not transpire. Probably about \$7.80 or \$7.85; nothing doing in seconds. Receipts since 1st January, 6461 bris Pots, 467 bris Pearls. Deliveries: 6885 bris Pots, 725 bris Pearls. Stocks in store at six o'clock on Wednesday evening 315 bris Pots, 48 bris Pearls.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.—In this department business continues steady and prices are firm, with some articles higher. Cream Tartar, as prognosticated last week, has advanced, with only a moderate supply in the market. Crystal, are held firmly, a 30c from stocks on hand; to arrive it might be bought at a shade under this figure, but the tendency abroad is still upward. Sol Soda is also, if anything, higher, and for importation none can be bought now it less than \$1.10 ex Ship.—On spot \$1.12½ to \$1.15 is asked in lots, and for small orders \$1.20 to \$1.25. Quinine has weakened in New York, and the makers there have dropped their price to \$2.10 in ounces, with a corresponding fall in German in bulk and ounces; and from latest reports the market was weak.—Aloes, Cape, being in more plentiful supply has declined and Cubeb Berries, being concentrated in one or two eands, has advanced and, is now quoted at \$1. 20 to \$1.25, according to quality—an advance of over 100 per cent.

DARRY PRODUCE.—Choice Butter remains firm, while lower grades are dull on account of holders not feeling inclined to accept prices offered. A fair sized lot of Kamouraska is on the market, being offered at 18c with 17c bid. Cheese is firmer in sympathy with a rise in the public cable, a further advance of 1s. being advised on Wednesday. At Ingersoil, Tuesday, 19 factories offered 11,260 boxes cheese, Aug., and Sept. make; one factory sold 280 Aug. at 10c, others asking 10½c for Aug. make, and 11c to 11½c for Sept. and balance of season's make,

Buyers, however, show no anxiety to operate at these prices,—result no further sales reported. Several factories are still holding their August make in that section.

FLOUR AND GRAIN.—The brendstuffs markets, both foreign and local, are quiet and and easy this week. Business here has been very limited, and as will be seen by our "prices current," at somewhat lower quotation.

Cattle, kto.—The offerings at the local markets on Monday last were light, and business was rather quiet, prices for choice cattle ranging from 5c to 54c per lb., live weight. For through shipments to Great Britain some 16 car londs were received. The supply of butchers' cattle was also small, and sales of good to choice were made at from 4g to 5c per lb., live weight, medium to fair qualities at from 4c to 4\$c, and inferior grades at from 3c to 34c. Sheep sold at from \$5.25 to \$7.50 cach, and Lambs at from \$2.50 to \$4. Several lots of Hogs changed hands at from \$7.50 to \$7.624 per 100 lbs. Shipments of Live Stock from Canada to Great Britain for week ending October 21st, 1882, as reported by Mr. C. H., Chandler, Insurance and Shipping agent, are as follows:—\$S. "Lake Winnipag" to Liverpool, 457 cattle, 771 sheep; \$S. "Buenos Ayrean" to Glasgow, 275 cattle; \$S. "Toronto" to Liverpool, 263 cattle, 1056 sheep. Total this week, 995 cattle, 1827 sheep. Total last week, 1007 cattle, 1899 sheep. Total to date, 39,905 cattle, 69,342 sheep. Total same date last year 40,687 cattle, 58,031 sheep.

Day Goods.—The exceedingly mild weather of the past week has been anything but favorable to retail trade; business, therefore, has continued uniformly quiet in the wholesale houses, and there is little of interest to note. The travellers are nearly all out on their sorting up trip, and some are forwarding fair-sized orders; a goodly number of country merchants are reported to be purchasing in anticipation of a severe change in the weather and a good Fall trade. With anything like an early winter business must prove good. The city retailers are realizing more or less severely the absence of colder, seasonable weather. Stocks at wholesale are generally well-assorted, and prices of all kinds of goods well maintained. Remittances are steadily improving, as the season advances. The buyers for the Montreal houses are leaving on their usual Fall trip to the English market, some having already gone.

Figu.—In consequence of the large demand from Western States buyers the supply of Labrador Herrings in this market is rather limited, hence prices are maintained at \$6.25 to \$6.50, for round lots. Market also strong for codfish, dry cod selling at \$6 to \$6.25 per quintal, and green cod in barrels at \$5.75 for No. 1, and \$6.25 to \$6.50 for large No. 1. Cape Breton Herrings in limited supply, but demand is only moderate, at \$5.75 to \$6.25 for No. 1, as to quality, and Newfoundland Salmon still held at \$21, \$20 and \$19, respectively, for Nos. 1, 2 and 3.

FRUITS.—Apples and Grapes still command the chief attention. A good demand is experiences for apples, and prices for Fall fruit are somewhat lower, ranging from \$1.75 to \$2.25 per brl. for fair to good, while inferior lots with poor keeping qualities have been sold as low as \$1 up to \$1.40. Receipts of Winter apples are fairly large, and under a good export demand values are firm, quoted at \$3.50 to \$4.50 per brl, as to kind and quality. Shipments to Europe for the week are reported rather havy. Almeria Grapes continue in brisk demand, owing to the good quality and low prices this year, now ranging at from 5c to \$2.00 and ten to twenty keg lots at \$5.50. Large shipments of this fruit from Liverpool are expected here shortly. Concord grapes selling at 5c, Delawares at \$c, and Rogers at \$c to 10c per lb. Lemons dull and cheap, at \$3. to \$4.

per box. A fair enquiry exist for golden Dates, which are selling in skins at 7c per lb. Missouri Kausas and Illinois have good crops of apples this year. In Michigan the yeild will be very light, as it will also be in the Eastern States, on account of the dry weather. Apples for winter use will bring good prices.

Groceries.—Trade moderately active. The Lizzie English," with cargo mostly of Palermo Raisins, is in port. Sugars.—Steady for all kinds, and no real change to report as to value, with fair demand. Molasses.—Barbados as before. Other kinds quiet. Teas.—Japanese advices report good teas holding their value. With us there is a moderate business doing on about basis of previous week. China Greens dull for low qualities. Choice teas firm. Black Tras not active. Coffeess—Business of ordinary character at previous prices. Rice steady. Spices.—Pepper keeps up as quoted. Natmegs also firm E. I. and African Ginger firm at some advance. Cassia also rather stronger. Fruits.—Valentias in large lots rather easier. In ordinary quantities \$4c to .9\foleon\_c. Malaga fruit—not much of new crop at hand. Currants, 6\foleon to \foleon\_c. Figs firm.

HARDWARE AND IRON.-Market continues steady and unchanged for general hardware. A good demand is being experienced from the retail trade for all kinds of staple goods, at generally firm prices, and paymen's continue good. Bar Iron is still moving out briskly, at \$2 per ton, which is said to be the lowest figure now accepted. This is a dull period of the year for Tin Plates and the Canada Plate the year for Tin Plates and the Canada Plate trade also is nearly over for the senson. For Pig Iron prices in Olasgow are still advancing, and are said to be higher for future delivery than for present. The freight rate from Glasgow to this port is now 25s.; but although there are scarcely any stocks here, importers say they cannot a flord to him the iron art at there are scarcely any stocks here, importers say they cannot afford to bring the iron out at present offers from buyers, besides it is stated that all the vessel room from Glasgow has been engaged up till the close of navigation. Very few sales have occurred here during the week, and we advance our quotations 50c to \$1 per ton all round. A lot of 100 tons Calder was sold here yesterday for delivery in Nov. at full prices. The leading event in the iron trade this week has been the failure of Messrs. A. & C. J. Hope & Co., referred to elsewhere in this issue. The failure was not unexpected to the wholesale trade here, and therefore will have no ill effects upon the trade; on the contrary, it is expected to benefit the market for some lines of goods which, it is contended, the firm had been selling all summer at too low prices to afford legitimate profits.

HIDES AND SKINS.—As predicted in our last report, a decline of ½ c per 1b. has been established in prices paid to butchers for native Hides, the rates now being 9½c, 8½c and 7½c respectively for Nos. 1, 2 and 3. Offerings continue fairly large, and about equal to the wants of dealers. The demand for foreign (Western) hides continues good, several sales of car lots being reported, at 10½c to 10½c for No. 1 Buff, and 8½c to 8½c for No. 2 do. Skeepskins in fair supply, and prices steady and maltered, at 85c to 90c each, as to size and quality.

LEATHER.—On the whole the market has continued quiet, though there is more business reported in some quarters than in others. The demand, as for months past, is chiefly for Sole leather, which, owing to scarcity, remains firm for best qualities. Sales are reported of 1,000 sides No. 1 Spanish Sole at 26c., of 600 sides choice Kip Upper at 37c., another lot of No. 2 do at 33c., and a lot of very fair Upper at 35c. A fair enquiry exists for good to choice Buff at 16c., while ordinary qualities command 13c to 14c. Pebble has sold in small lots at 12c to 15c., as to quality, only very choice bringing the outside figure. Splits leather quiet; dealers, finding they can realize better prices in the English market, are shipping considerable quantities of this description this week. The demand

for black leathers continues light, with prices reported easier, if anything; but against this statement is the report of several tanners in Ontario and elsewhere that, owing to the unusually short supply of bark this season, they expect a scarcity of some kinds of black leather before the time for peeling again arrives, in July next. The supply may, therefore, become insufficient for the wants of the trade, in which case an advance in prices would naturally follow.

LUMBER.-Stock on hand rather large, principally of the common grades. Prices, although firm will, be lower next Spring, if the present rate of production continues. Mill owners have had almost all their own way this season, charged very high grices, and made the grades poorer in quality; and, as the lumber was largely contracted for in the Spring, manufacturers have reaped a rich harvest. Manufacturers are cutting over the limits closer than in former years, taking all that is worth anything when manufactured, instead of selecting only the choicest timber and logs, as when it was more plentiful and prices lower, consequently the grade of lumber is much inferior to former years. Laths (which are manufactured out of the slabs and refuse) are very high this season; they have heretofore been sold at or near the price of manufacture, but wages being high this year and labor scarce they have been neglected, and the price has accordingly advanced 40 or 50 per cent. Notwithstanding the keen competition between rail and water rates, the beatmen on the Ottawa this season seem to experience no difficulty in getting all the lumber they can carry, and at good rates. Boats are said to be scarce compared to the carrying required to be done, and high rates rule in consequence.

Ous.—Stocks of fish oils are being rapidly reduced, and a very firm market is reported for all kinds. A good demand has been experienced for Scal oil during the week, and sales of round lots of Steam Refined have occurred at 75c per Imp. gal., but it is now held at 77½c. Pale Scal brings 70c, and straw do is firm at 67½ to 68c. A stendy enquiry prevails for Cod oils, at 65c for Halilax A., and 67½c for Newfoundland. Owing to the active demand from Great Britain it is thought that prices for Cod are more likely to advance than decline. Spirits of Turpentine have risen in value 8c per gal. during the past week, and a still greater advance is expected.

Pernoleum.—The demand continues heavy for Canadian, there not being anything like the usual quantity of American oil imported this year, it having been found unprofitable, when leakage and other expenses are considered. We quote ear lots at 17% at Petrolia, equal to 20% in store here. Holders of Canada are slowly becoming resigned to \$1.55 f.o.b., upon finding that present price of refined will not enable refiners to pay any more.

Provisions .- Stocks of Pork and Lard in this market have seldom been as low as at present, and buyers here refuse to pay the extreme high prices ruling in the West. There has been an active enquiry here lately from the Ottawa lumbering districts, but dealers have been unable to supply it, most of them having barely sufficient goods for their regular local trade. In sympathy with Chicago market prices for Mess Pork here are steadily advancing, West-ern now being quoted at \$27 to \$27.50 with few sales, however. No Canada Short Cut in the market, and it is expected by some in the trade to be worth \$30 per brl, this coming winter. Cash pork cannot now be had in Chicago at under \$24.50, equal to about \$27.75 here. appears that Armour & Co., of Chicago, hold the key to the present strong position of the pork market, as they control the bulk of the stocks in the West, and from statements made by their representative now in this city, there is little hope for much lower prices for some time; on the contrary, prospects favor a further ad-

vance. Western Lard also rules very firm, under a fair demand, sales of Fairbanks in pails being made at 16½c. Eyys quiet, and a trifle easier if anything; receipts fairly good, but demand rather light, at 21c to 22c per doz. Hams and Bacon merely nominal, at unchanged quoand meen merey nominal, at uncounged quotations. Liverpool market remained unchanged yesterday. The Chicago hog market opened stendy yesterday at about Tuesday's prices, subsequent trading being reported at \$7.30 to \$7.90, mixed packers at \$7.25 to \$7.90, \$7.30 to \$7.50, mixed pickers at \$3.25 to \$7.50, and heavy shipping grades at \$8.10 to \$8.50. Estimated receipts were 29,000 head, against Tuesday's official 15,867, of which 4,000 were left over. October pork declined 45c per bbl. to \$23.90; November receded 22\frac{1}{2}c to \$21.07\frac{1}{2}, and January fell 15c to \$19.20. Lard for October closed 5c better than on Tuesday, at \$13; November was 5c lower, at \$12.30, and 10c lower January, at \$11.30.

WINES AND LIQUORS .- Advices from Sherront state that continuous rains have completely destroyed the vintage, and there is no hope for brandy this year. The reports of the wine vintage from all countries excepting Spain and Portugal, are exceedingly bad, especially for Claret and Champagnes. Prices show an appeard tendency, and a further advance is not improbable. Fall shipments are arriving, and the trade generally are kept busy.

Wook.-Both the home and foreign markets, English and American, are stronger for fine wools, and an impression is gaining ground among the trade that a sharp advance in prices will be seen ere long, after stocks are reduced and the colder weather is experienced. business continues to be done here with manufacturers, and fair-sized lots of Cape and Austratian have changed hands at figures within our range of quotations; no large transactions, however, to report. The State of Texas has fully 7,000,000 sheep, and its wool crop of the present year is expected to be worth \$6,500,000:

#### AMERICAN MARKETS.

Bosron, Oct. 19 .- Flour, in demand. market firm. Superfine sold at from \$3.50 to \$4; Common Bxtras at from \$4.25 to \$4.75; choice Bakers' from \$5.50 to \$6.50. Winter Wheats at from kers from \$5.50 to \$6.50. Winter Wheats at from \$5.25 to \$6. Spring Wheats at from \$7.25 to \$8. Cornneal at from \$3.60 to \$3.65. Outneal at from \$5.25 to \$6.25. Hay, choice old firm at from \$20 to \$22 per ton; new arriving-freely, prices steady, at from \$18 to \$20. Buller, firm, good demand; sales of choice at from 32c to 34c, fiir and good at from 25c to 31c. Cheese in demand at from 12c to 13e for choice, and 10½ to 11c fair to good. Eass firm, at from 23c to 24c lle fair to good. Egys firm, at from 23c to 24c for Canada and Eastern. Choice Canada Peas selling at from \$1.20 \$1.25. Potatoes dull, sales

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Chicago, 1.00 p.m.—Wheat, Oct., 96c; Nov., 96kc; Dec., 98c. Corn, Oct., 69c; Nov., 67kc; year 63. Oats, Oct., 35ic; Nov., 31kc; year, 35c. Pots, Nov., \$20.75; Jan., \$19.10. Lard, Nov., \$12.05; Jan., \$11.25.

New York, 2.00 p.m.—Wheat, Oct., \$1.10k; Nov., \$1.11k; Dec., \$1.12k; year, \$1.10k; Jan., \$1.1k; Ocrn, Oct., \$2c, 84kc; cash, \$2c; Nov., 79.c; Dec., 73ic; year, 73kk; Jan., 65c.

Milwankee, 1.30 p.m.—Wheat, Oct., 95kc; cash, Nov., 96kc; Dec., 97kc.

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#### ENGLISH MARKETS.

London, Oct. 19, 1882.

(Beerbohm's Advices.)—Cargoes off Coast
—Wheat, firm. Corn, nothing offering. Cargoes on passage—Wheat and Corn firm.
Red Winter Wheat off coast 43s 6d. California Wheat off Coast 45s. Arrivals off coast for orders—Wheat, small. Oorn nil. Quantity of
Maize on passage U. K. 20,000. Wheat and
Flour on passage for U. K., 1,800,000 qrs. Liverpool Wheat on spot, quiet but steady;
Corn firmer. No. 2 Red Winter Wheat, prompt
shipment, 45s; Do Shipment present 42s 6d.
Paris Wheat and Flour rather easier.

#### TORONTO WHOLESALE MARKETS.

(By Special Telegraph.)

TORON TO, Uct. 19, 1882.

There is no change that has been of the nature of a surprise in commercial affairs during the past week. The ordinary course of trade is said to be satisfactory. Dry goods are dull, between the filling of the late orders and commencing a new season, but Hardware has been pressing in the filling of orders. Groceries have been moving with more volume. Provisions are in a stronger position; there is a fair demand but comparatively no stocks. Mess pork is represented by a few barrels only, and there is not more than a car load of meats on Front street. Drugs and chemicals are in fair demand. Now it is said that it is only of a few days occurrence that remittances have begun to improve. This is the result of the somewhat dilatory marketing of the crops. But grain is coming out reluctantly, owing to the low prices. It is feared that farmers are falling into an error; they seem to think that prices will improvemost experienced judgment thinks prices will not improve. No produce dealer believes wheat will be as dear next April as it is at this day. Barley is bound to decline. A circumstance about barley is that there has not been an order for barley shipments to the Western States this season—there is too much barley everywhere, but money is plenty, and the banks are liberal in accommodation. Good produce paper, that is the best paper, is covered with all the money that is required at 6 per cent. The rates of sterling and New York exchange are easy. The bank stocks have been somewhat irregular during the past week, but the ranges of prices have not shown wide limits. Federal has been the most active and the most unsettled. Montreal has recovered some of the ground lost during the past two weeks. The other banks have fluctuated within a difference of one to three points. Loan Companies and other securities have been very slow, and much neglected. This is not said to be owing altogether to a stringency in the money market, for there is really no stringency for all fair com-mercial purposes, and the circulation of money is greater now than it has been for months past, butthe speculation in American stocks has engrossed the best intellect, and a great bulk of the capital that was available for such a purpose in Toronto.

The following table shows the closing bids to-day compared with last Thursday's:-

Banks.	Bid Oct. 12.	Bid Oct. 19.	Loan Cos.	Bid Oct. 12.	
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FUEL.—There is no change to note in prices. There has been a considerable steadiness in prices, which are now firmly established at \$6 for all sorts of coal. Wood is considered cheap at \$5 a cord for the best hardwood. The stock of coal here is much smaller than it was a year

FLOUR AND MEAL. - There has been no change even from the dull condition of the flour market for a week past. The dullness and cumulation of stock at Montreal operates against the market here. Quotations are only given for Superior Extra at \$4.80. There have been sales

of Extra at \$4.70. Bags have sold recently at \$2.30, and as low as \$2.275. Stocks here are lighter than they were one week ago, being reported on Monday at 1,221 barrels. Outnead is quoted nominal, at \$5.25 for large lots, and \$5.50 for smaller lots. But there is very little in the market. Cornmeal sells at \$4, with light stocks and very moderate demand. Pot Barley quoted at \$5 a barrel of 116 lbs. Bran has declined slightly under free offerings, and is now sold at \$1,50 to \$12 a ton on the tree! now sold at \$11.50 to \$12 a ton on the track.

WHEAT .- Receipts of wheat have been increasing, although there is yet only a comparatively small stock in store here. Prices have been advanced in sympathy with Liverpool quotations, but the market is no more than firm. duotations, but the market is no more than firm. The price paid to-day is \$1 for No. 2 fall. A lot of rejected fall sold at 90c; No. 3 is worth 95c. Spring No. 1 is quoted at \$1.04; and No. 2 at \$1.02. Wild goose is not desired at 77c to There is no assurance that prices as they are even now will be maintained, and produce dealers advise that the bulk of the crops should be brought to market before navigation closes. Stocks here on Monday were 51,000 bushels, against 206,800 at the same date last year.

COARSE GRAINS .- Barley has been in to'erable activity during the past week, and the price was steady till within the part four days. A break occurred following a decline in Oswego, and the market has been weak and lower up to the present. It is urged upon farmers to self their burley at once. Prices to-day are for No. 1, 77c; for No. 2, 72c; for No. 3 Extra. 64c; for No. 3, 50c to 57c. The stock in store on Monday was 143,647 bushels, against 320,000 bushels at this date has year. Oats are still in bushels at this date last year. Oats are still in demand, and quoted at 41c to 42c in car lots on track. Peas are not in demand at 72c to 75c. Rye is nominal at 62c.

LIVE STOOK MARKET .- The receipts of cattle have been pretty large during the week, reaching probably between 1,000 and 1,100. The greater portion of the beasts have been bought for feeding, and have been taken to the buyers at the Don for that purpose. Prices have been easier, but not materially lower. Export cattle are not worth more than 5c; and not many have offered. Good butchers are still taken at 4c to offered. Good butchers are still taken at 4c to 4½c: inferior at 3c to 3½c. Feeding steers are worth as much as good beef cattle, namely, 4c to 4½c; bulls 3c, 3½c and 4c. There are very few sheep offering, but they are readily bought at 5c. Lambs are in good supply, in good condition, and sell from \$3 to \$4. Fat hogs are sold at \$6.50 to \$7 per 1b. There are very few feeding hogs offering, but they are worth \$5.50 per 100 lbs. live weight.

PROVISIONS .- Business would be good if there was a sufficient quantity of material to proceed with. But there is not. Pork is reduced to a few barrels, and is quoted now at \$26 to \$27.

Bacon is not quoted any higher, but it is scarce
at 13c for Cumberland cut. Long clear is quoted
at 14c in car lots, and 14fc in ton lots. Rolls 16c; shoulders, canvassed, 13½c; racks and bellies, 15c. Pork is higher, quoted now at \$25.50 to \$26 for small lots, and \$25 for ear lots. Hams sell at 13½ to 14c for pickled, and 15½c to 16c for smoked. Lard unchanged at 15½c for Canafor smoked. Lard inclinaged at 165c for Canadian and 165c for American. Butter is nominally unchanged. Good to choice dairy, in lots, is worth 18c to 19c. Summer make and store packed is worth 12c to 16. chiefly for bakers. Eggs packed are worth 20c. Cheese, ordinary, 9c to 95c; good to best, 115c to 125c. Dried Amples in Inir request at 8c to 85c. Hams are scarce and quotations unchanged : canvassed, 15½c to 16c; sweet pickled, 14c to 14½c.

OTHER PRODUCE. - There are liberal receipt: of potatoes, sold in car lots at 55c and 60c a bag, and retailing on the street at 75c to 80c Apples are still sold at \$1.25 to \$1.50 for ordinary cooking, and \$2.25 for choice barrels. Poultry is cheap and not much asked for. Chickens sell at 45c to 50c pair; ducks at 65c to 70c a brace; yeese, 40c; lurkeys, \$1 to \$1.50.

Green fruit is done. Hay is steady at \$12 to Trail is tone. Trail is steady at \$12.50 to \$13.50. Straw, \$7 for loose; \$10 to \$12 for bundled. Hogs are easier at \$8 to \$8.50. Onions are in good supply at \$1.25 per bag. White Beans are sold at \$1.50 to \$1.75 a bushel. Tallow is still in demand at 9½c per lb. Salt, Canadian, \$1.36 a burnel.

PETROLEUM. There has been a decided advance in refined oils. Prime American is now sold at 26c; and water white at 30c per imperial gallon. Canadian refined has also advanced to 201c for larger lots, and 21c for single

GROCERIES .- There has been a considerable improvement in the amount of business done within the past ten days, and dealers are expressing themselves better content with the remittances. The quotations are: Coffices Java, 20c to 25c; Rio, 12c to 13c; Mocha, 30c to 38c. Teas—Japan, common to medium, 17c to 24c; fair to good, 25c to 35c; choice, 45c to 55c; Young Ilyson, common to good, 20c to 35c; fine to finest, 3°c to 60c; Gunpowder, fair to medium, 30c to 36c; good to line, 45c to 57c. Raisins—Loose Muscatels, S2.65 to \$2.80; Layers, boxes \$2.90 to \$3: Sultanas, 10fc to 11c; Seedless, 11c to 12fc; Valentias, 9fc to 10c. Sugars are unchanged: Scotch refined, 7fc to 8c; Paris lump, 10fc to 10fc: standard Granulated, 9fc to 9fc: Onnadian refined, 7fc to 85c; Porto Rices, 7fc to 7fc for dark to fuir, and 8c to 8fc for bright to choice. Tohaccos, dark, 38c to 40c; Western leaf, 38c to 42c; B. ights, 48c to 57c, and choice 70c to 80c. expressing themselves better content with the 70c to 80c.

HIDES AND PELTS .- There is still a fair demand for hides, but the looked for advance has not taken place. It is now not thought likely that any advance will take place immediately. Prices are for green hides, cows, 8½c, steers 9½c; cured cowe 9½c, steers 10½c Jambs and Pelts are still quoted at 90c to \$1. Culfskins nominal, for cured 15c.

LEATHER.-There is a stendy demand, and prices are maintained as when last quoted. An advance was looked for if the exected advance in hides had taken place. But neither advance in hides had taken place. But neither has happened. Quotations are: Spanish Sole, all weights, 26c to 27c; No. 2, 23c to 24c; Slaughter Sole, heavy, 27c to 29c; light, 27c to 29c; No. 1 Spanish, middle weights, 28c to 30c; Buffalo Sole, 21c to 23c; Hemlock Harness, 28c to 33c; Oak hurness, 45c to 50c; hemlock felting, 32c to 34c; upper, heavy, 32c to 36c; upper, light, 34c to 40c, according to quality; French kips, 75c to 35c; English, 70c to 75c; Chicago, 60c to 75c; native kips, 50c to 75c; Chicago, 60c to 75c; native kips, 50c to 65c; buff, 14c to 16c; pebble, 14c to 18c; hemlock calf, 35lb to 40lb, per doz: 75c to 90c; light, 60c to 70c. French calf, \$1.10 to \$1.40.

FREIGHTS .- The edge of the battle between the railways and the produce men has been rubbed off Local railway freights are maintained. Through rates by Grand Trunk are also unchanged. Vessel rates are lower at 15c for flour to Montreal; 3½c on barley to Ogdensburg and 2c to 0swego. Rates to Liverpool are quoted at 33c per 100 on grain, and 34c on

HANDWARE.-Trade continues active, and price are well maintained. Advices from manufacturing centres point to advanced prices. Pigs strong, Summerlee \$25.50 to \$26; Carnbroe unchanged at \$24 at \$24.50. Babbit Pigs strong, Summerlee \$25.50 to \$26; Carnbroe unchanged at \$24 at \$24.50. Babbit Metal 7dc, 12c, 16c, and 20c. Steel, cast, 12dc to 13dc; boiler plate, 3dc to 4c; sleigh shoe, 2dc per lb. Iron boiler plate, P. G., 2dc to 3c; best, 3dc to 4c; Bradley, 4dc to 5c. Cut nails per keg of 100 lbs, 10d to 60d, \$2.95 to \$3.10; 8d and 9d, \$3.20 to \$3.30; 6d and 7d, \$3.25 to \$3.50; 6d and 7d. \$3.45 to \$3.55; 4d and 5d, \$3.65 to \$3.75; 3d, \$4 to \$4.10. Comada Plates—Hatton, \$3.10 to \$3.15; Boar's Head, \$3.35; Pontypool, \$3.35; "W. F. G.", \$3.15 to \$3.25; Sagemay, \$3.35. Tin Plates are in good demand and prices firm. Barbed Fencing Wire, galvanized, 81c to 9c; pointed, 7c to 71c.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS .- There is no change to note. Business is called very fair, and prices steady. Quotations are: Bicarbonate of Potash, 18c; Bichromate of Potash 16c per lb; Potash Iodide, \$2.10 to \$2.20 per lb; b; Potash Iodide, \$2.10 to \$2.20 per b; Potash Bromide, 40c to 48c per lb. Cuttle Fish Bone, 55c per lb.; Balsam, 48c per lb; Camphor, 37c; Cubeb Berries, advanced, \$1.20. Gum Arabic dearer, 15c to 35c. Aloes, Cape firm, 20c and 25c; Borax, 20c; Opium, scarce, and is firm in value, \$5.10 to \$5.25; Castor Oil, 10\delta to 11c; Sweet Almonds, 60c per lb; Janiper Berries, 65c per ox. Oil Lemon, \$3.75 to \$4 per lb; Pepparmint, \$3.75 to \$4.50; Quinine, no advance is expected to present prices: Howard's, \$1.75; German, \$2.50; Alcohol, \$2.95 cush; Morphin, \$3.10 to \$3.20 per ox; Uream of Tartar, 36c; Tarpentine, 80c to 85c; Linseed Oil, 72c for raw, 76c for boiled; dye stuffs are quiet; Ndd. Col Liver Oil, \$1.75 per gal; Norweyian higher at \$4.00. Sanboiled; dye stuis are quiet; And. Con Liver Ott, \$1.75 per gul; Norwegian higher at \$4.00. Santonine, \$6 per lb. Turpentine, 77c to 80c; Hemp Seed, 64c to 7c per lb. Glycerine 35c to 40c. Madder, best Dutch, 13c to 14c; second quality

STORAGE.-The difference between the Corn Exchange and the Northern railway concerning an increase of the storage rates has been set-tled by the railway adopting the old tariff. It is expected that the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway will also accede to the request of the Corn Exchange in the matter of storage rates.

Wood.-There is no change in the price of Canadian fleece, which is bought here at 19c to 20c. Supers sell at 27c to 28c; extra supers at 32c to 34c. There is a fair demand from factories for imported wools. There have been recent sales made to American firms of Canadian fleece at 21c. English Southdown sells at 33c

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British North America	£50		\$4,866,666	\$ 1,215,000	3	103 1031
Canadian Bank of Commerce		6,000,000	6,000,000	1,400,000	4	1413 142
Dominion Bank	50	1,000,000	1,000,000	451,000	4.	2111 2113
Du Peuple	50	1,600,000	1,600,000	240,000	21/2	88 89
Eastern Townships	50	1,500,000	1,381,568	220,000	84	1201
Exchange Bank	50	500,000	500,000	200,000	4	176 179
Federal Bank	100	1,500,000	1,500,000	800,000	81	161 162 117 119
Hamilton	100	1,000,000	751,551	100,000	21	117 119 95 96
Hochelaga	100	680,200	680,060 996,000	175,000	83	1453
Imperial Bank. Jacques Cartier. Maritime	100	1,000,000	600,000	110,000	3	116 120
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	100	5,798,267	5,615,678	760,000	84	1321 1323
Molsons Bank	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	250.000	82	1301 1 0
Montreal	200	12,000,000	11,999,200	5,500,000	5	2121 218
Nationale	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	160,000	31	701
Ontario Bank	100	1,500,000	2,000,000	100,000	82	1287 1294
Quebec Bank	100	2,500,000	2,500,000	825,000	B.9	117
Standard	60	764,600	784,355	80,000	B <sup>*</sup>	1153 116
Toronto	100	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,000,000	84	185 187
Union Bank	100	2,000,000		18,000	2	943
Ville Marie	100	600,000	461,998	1	2+	100 105
Ville Marie	25	750,000			88	1041 1051
Canada Cotton Co	100				5*	1371 142
Canada Landed Credit Co	, <u>60</u>	1.500.000	668,990	120,000	44	123 125
CanadaPerm. Loan and Savings Co	60	2,000,000	2.000.000	960,000	8	225 230
Dominion Savings & Inv. Co	50	800,000	717,250	80,000	4	122
Dominion Telegraph Co	50	711,709	1,000,000		21	95
Dundas Cotton Co	159.				5	118 121
English Loan Co	100	2,044,100	295,847	8,503.	4	127 128
Farmers' Loan and Savings Co	50	1,057,250	611,430	53,000	4	128 129
Freehold Loan & Savings Co	100			284,024	5	176
Hamilton Provident & Loan Society	100	1,500,000	1,1(0,000	74,000	4	125 128
Hudon Cotton Co			*******		1	1614
Huron & Erie Sav. & Loan Soc	50		998,150	245,000	4	160
Imperial Savings and Investment Soc.	. 50	600,000	563,950	60,000	4	110
London & Can. Loan & Agency Co			560,000	143,000		138
London Loan Co. of Canada	1 50			17,432		119
Manitoba Loan					5	1201
Montreal Telegraph Co	40		2,000,000		4	1291 130
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#### WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT-THURSDAY OCTOBER 19,1882

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Boots and Shoes.	0.05	Soda Ash	1 65 1 75	Japan, fine to choice lb.	8 c. 8 c. 0 88 0 55	Spices: Cassiaper lb.	0 12 0 20
n's Thick Boots Wax	2 25 3 25 1 50 2 25	Soda BiCarb		Japan Nagasaki "	0 19 0 28 1	Maceper lb.	0 80 0 98
Split "		Sal Soda	1 10 1 20	Y. Hyson common to gd	0 20 0 85	Cloves	0 27 0 40
1215 DOCTO	8 00 8 75	Tartaric Acid	1 60 1 60	Y. Hyson line to finest, lb	0 38 0 60		0 60 0 90
Can Doors, peggeu.,		Bleaching Powder	1 100 1 00	Gunpd., fair to med. "Good to fine	0 30 0 36	Jamaica Ginger. Bl. " Jamaica " Unbl. "	0 17 0 20
Delle de	1 0 00 1 10	Camphor Eng. Ref		Gunpd. Finest	0 45 0 57	African	0 10 0 1
Split do Buff Congress Buff & Pebbled Bals	1 50 2 00	" Am. Ref	0 38 0 40 1	Imper'l., med, togd "	0 60 0 65 0 27 0 85	Pimento "	0 12 0 1
Ruft & Pabblad Role	1 75 2 00	Gum Arabic, per lb	0 20 0 35	" Fine to finest "	0 40 0 60	Popper"	0 151 0 1
Split do	1 35 1 75	"Traj. "	0 45 0 90	Twankny,com,togd. "	0 15 0 20	Mustard, 4lb. Jars. "	0 19 0 2
oe Packs	1 35 1 75 1 00 2 00	Copperas per 100 lbs	0 95 1 00	Qolong	0 30 0 55	I ib. " "	0 24 0 2
om's Pebbled & Buff Bals	1 00 1 50	Blue Vitrol	0 510 7	Congou common "	0 18 0 24	Rice: Arracan, &c p. 100 lb.	3 40 3 9
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' Buskins, do	10 00 0 75		F 35. F 66	Fine to choice	0 88 0 68	Glass.	
sses' Pebbled & Buff Bal		Superior Extra	6 174 6 20	Coffees, green Mocha per lb.	0 29 0 34	71 x 81, 7 x 9, 8 x 10	1 90 2 6
' Split Bala	0 75 0 90			Java,	0 18 0 25	10 x 12 10 x 14 12 x 16 14 x 20	1 00 2 0
' Prunell do	0 60 1 00	Strong Bakırs	6 25 7 00	Maracaibo	0 13 0 16.	12 x 16 14 x 20	2 00 2 1
Cong. do	0 60 0 70	Do American	0 00 0 00	Cape	0 12 0 14	18 x 24	2 30 2 4
ilds' pebbled Buff B'l	0 60 0 90	Fancy		Jamaica	0 12 0 15	H. 지역성 '도'하는 역사 학교에서 출시	Part of the
" Split Bala		Superfine	4 50 4 70	Rio "	0 10 0 14	Hardware.	
" Prunella do		Fine		Singapore Ceylon "Chicory"	0 26 0 25	Tin: Block, per lb	0 201 0 2
fants' Cacks, doz	19 10 0 00	Middlings		Unicory	0 12 0 124	Grain	0 261 0 2
Dairy Produce	0.95 0.96	II Pollarde	9 20 2 50	Sugars, (Caka. & Bris.)	1	Copper: Ingot	0 191 0 2
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Clinch and Heavy Clinch:  1 and 11 in, per lb  1	Rates	Tin Plate: 1C Coke  1C Charcoal.  1X " DC " DX " DX " DX " Buss. Sheet Iron. Anchors, per lb Lion & Crown, Tin'd Sheets Lead: Bur per 100 lbs  Pig " Sheet " Shoet " S	Rates.  S. C. \$5.0.  S. C.	No. 1 Ordinary Sole: No. 2 "Buffalo Sole, No. 1 " No. 2. China "No. 1. " No. 2. Zanzibar, No. 1 " No. 2. Zanzibar, No. 1 " No. 2. Slaughter, No. 1 Harness Upper Heavy " Light Grained Upper Scotch Grain Kip Skins, French English Cannia, Kip. Hemlock Culf. " Light French Calf. " Splits, Light & Medium " Heavy " Small Leather Board, Canada. Enamolled Cow, per ft. Patont Pebble Grain B. Calf Brush Kid. Buff. Russetts, Light " Heavy Oils. Sirais Oil, American Straits Oil, American Straits Oil, American Straits Oil, American Straits Oil, Extra. " No. 1 Linseed Raw " Boiled Oilve Machinery " Eating " qt., per case. " Us.	Rates.  S c. 5 c. 2 c. 4 0 0 22 0 0 23 0 0 22 0 0 23 0 0 22 0 0 23 0 0 22 0 0 23 0 0 23 0 0 24 0 0 23 0 0 24 0 0 23 0 0 24 0 0 25 0 0 3	Autonini's qts., case 1 doz  " pts., " 2 " " pts., " 2 " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	Rates.  S. C. S. C. 7 25 0 00 5 28 0 00 5 28 0 00 6 28 0 00 6 27 0 00 6 21 0 22 10 00 1 50 7 00 0 76 0 16 0 00 0 45 0 76 0 17 0 00 0 00 00 0 00 00 0 00 00 0 00 00 0 00 0
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SECURITIES.	Montreal Oct. 19
Can. Government Debentures, 6 p. ct	1024
Do. do. 1885 op ot Gov.	103
Do. do. inscribed stock.	103
Dominion 5 per ct. Stock	111
Montreal 5 per cent Stock	106
Montreal Harbor Bonds 6 p.c	105
Do. Corporation 6 per ct. Bonds	
Do. 7 per ct. Stock	
Toronto City 6 per ct	1151
Co. Debentures, (Ont.) 20 years 6 per ct.	110
Co. Debentures, (Ont.) 20 years 6 per ct. Township Debentures, (Ont.) 6 per ct	108

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	St Law, & Ott, 6 p c Bds	100	94	96
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1. Assets 30th April, 1881.

2. Income for the year.

357.288

3. Income four futerest (included in above).

284.208

4. Claims by death during the year.

294.157

5. Dr. as estimated by the to's tables and provided for 326,135

6. Difference in Co.'s fiver between actual and estimated death rate. 121,378

7. Excess of Interest revenue over death claims.

5. Nambur of trolicies issued for the year, 2257, for 4.157,165

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British America Fire & Marine	2,500 11,880 5,000 5,000 2,000 20,000 20,000 2500	5-6mos. 7½-6mos. 5-6 mos. 4-6 mos. 10 6 6 mos. 5 per ct. 6 per ct	100 100 100 50	\$50 50 221 10 121 10 20 15 20 20	129 409 290 200 173 174

BRITISH AND FORBIGN. - (Quotation on the London Mar 1, Oct. 2 1882

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British & Foreign Marine	50,000	50	20	4	£211	
Commercial Union Fire Life & Marine	50,000	, 30	50	5	£22 £23	
Edinburgh Life	5,000	- 10	100	1 15	425	
Fire Insurance Association	100,000	5	£10	£2	66s 3d	
Guardian Fire and Lite	20,000	13	100	50	£65 £67	
Imperial Fire	12,000	£7 p. sh.	100	25	£140 £145	
		30	20	2	£71 £73	
Life Association of Scotland	10,000	15	40	8}	12s 6d	
	500,000		10	2	13s 9d	
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London Assurance Corporation	35,802	48	25	124	£58 £00	
	10,000	10	10	1 7-20	32x 6d 35s	
Liverp'l & London & Globe Fire & Life	£391,762	70	20	2	£201 £201	
Northern Fire & Life	30,000	70	100	5	£497 £501	
North British & Mercantile Fire & Life	40,000	56	60	6.	£31 "	
Phoenix Fire	6,722	£21 p. s.	- : :	1	£290 £295	
	200,000	80	10	1	62s 6d	•
	100,000	60	20	3	£29 £291	. '
Scottish Commercial Fire & Life	126,000	221	10	1	24s 24s 6d	,
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