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" " " " " " " "	" 18	" 19
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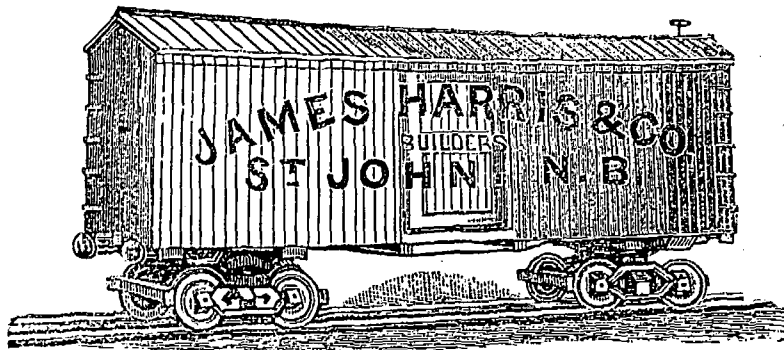
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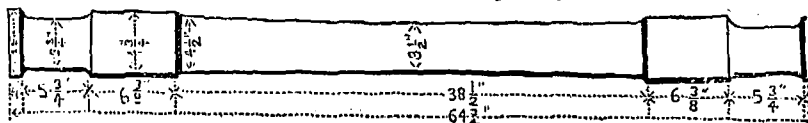


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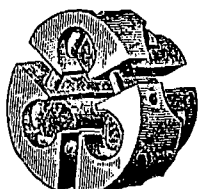
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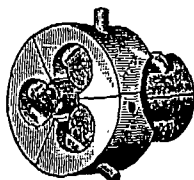
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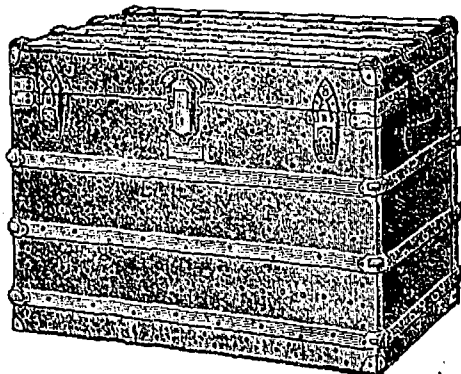
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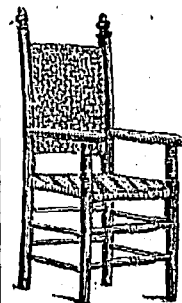
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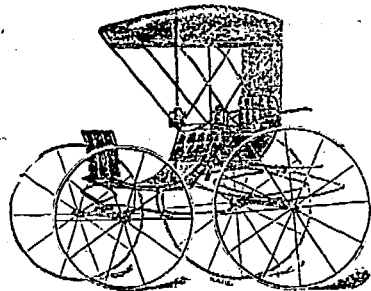
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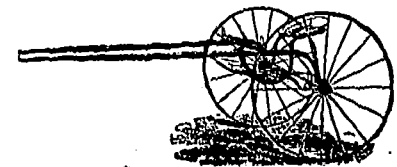
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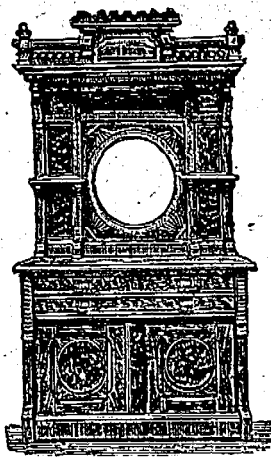
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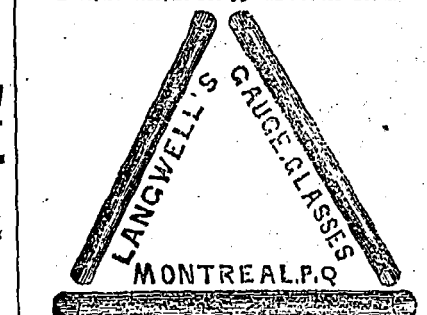
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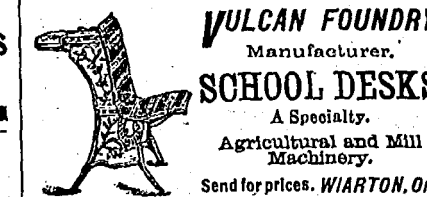
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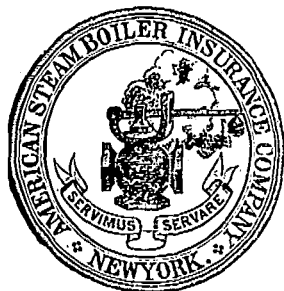
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M. H. LEHANE has opened up a dry goods and stationery store at Ashburton, Ont.
A DIVIDEND of three per cent. has been declared by the Nova Scotia Telephone Company.
THE contract has been let for the construction of the Northern Pacific round-house at Winnipeg for \$45,000.
A SHORTAGE of the water supply at London, Ont., is causing a good deal of inconvenience to the inhabitants at present.
THE Northup gold mine at Central Rawdon, Hants county, N.S., has been sold to an American syndicate for \$100,000.
THE town of Gananoque suffered severely by the disastrous fire of Sunday last. The total loss will be between \$60,000 and \$65,000.
GRENVILLE COUNTY, ONT., reports a bountiful crop yield; calculations running as high as 60 bushels to the acre for oats in some cases.
It is reported that an English syndicate has secured control of all the sole leather tanneries in the States of New York, Massachusetts and Maine.
THE total Inland Revenue returns for the Port of Toronto for August are:—\$83,855.47. Total for August, 1888:—\$76,256.67. Increase for 1889, \$6,598.80.
THE imports and exports for Kingston, with the collections at the Custom House, during August, 1889, were:—Imports, \$123,094; exports, \$34,922; collections, \$11,542.73.
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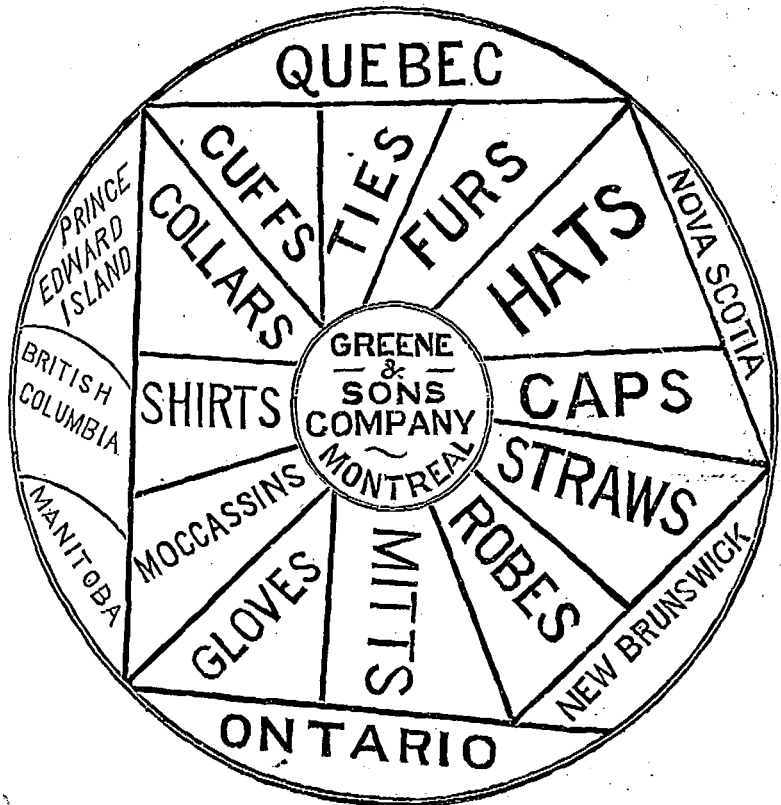
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The ambitious West is shortly to become a rival as a tea distributing point for the Dominion. A wholesale firm of Winnipeg are about sending travellers to Toronto and this city with samples of tea imported direct from China and Japan.

Nova Scotia Justices of the Peace are allowed the munificent sum of 50 cents per day in cases of summary convictions, while the barristers, who practice before them, are allowed ten dollars per day. Some of the Justices are dear even at fifty cents per day.

A vote is to be taken in St. John, N.B., on 10th inst., as to the desirability of putting the St. John harbour in commission so as to have the needful improvements effected to enable it to handle the business of the C. P. Railway and other lines centering in St. John.

HALIFAX CITY has received permission to open new streets through Imperial property on condition that all buildings destroyed are to be rebuilt; as two or three large wooden barracks will need to be removed and to be replaced by brick and stone buildings, the cost of the improvements will be considerable.

THE Owon Sound, Ont., Carnival, which was held last week, was fully up to the expectations and wishes of its promoters, many thousands of visitors being delighted with the proceedings which were carried out to the fullest satisfaction. The rapid growth and industry of that town so prettily situated will now be better known.

THE steamer "Monticello" running between St. John and Digby was recently seized for having smuggled goods on board which had been shipped from Boston to Digby by another vessel and put on board the latter place. As it is not pretended the captain or owners knew

anything of the transaction the steamer was released on a deposit of \$400.

THE affairs of Mr. W. E. Brown, the absconding boot and shoe merchant, are at last practically settled. Mrs. Baker has signed the notes for \$95,000 worth of claims at 33 1-3 cents on the dollar, and has also appended her signature to the agreement of settlement, which leaves Mr. Brown free to seek once more the scenes of his former business enterprises.

THE MAGOG TEXTILE AND PRINT CO. are resuming operations under the new management the coming week. The mills have been thoroughly overhauled, and much new machinery has been added during the summer. They consequently start again under favorable auspices, and have already a large number of orders booked for the coming season.

THE Quebec City Council has passed the by-law for the annexation of St. Sauveur, which becomes part of the city on the adoption of a by-law in its favor by the inhabitants of that village who are almost unanimously in its favor. St. Sauveur will give the city two new wards, to be called St. Sauveur and St. Valier Wards respectively, and an additional population of some 16,000.

NOR having concluded any arrangements with the North-West Central or Manitoba and North-Western, the Northern Pacific has decided, under the General Railway Act of the Province, to build immediately 50 miles of road from Portage la Prairie, Man., westward, tapping the section of country lying between Brandon and Rapid City. The Portage extension was opened for traffic on Monday last.

LETTERS patent have been issued incorporating the Port Hope, Ont., Electric Light and Power Company (limited), with a capital stock of \$49,000. The Central Gas and Oil Company, of Essex, in the County of Essex, with a capital stock of \$5,000. A certificate has

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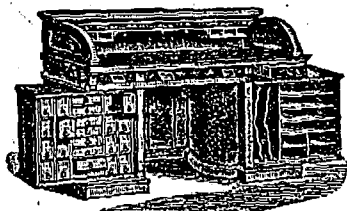
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been issued showing that the Napanee Waterworks Company has complied with the formalities required for the formation of that class of a company.

JOHN McDONALD, of Tiverton, Bruce county, tanner, has effected a compromise with his creditors, and is carrying on the business again with his usual push and energy.

MONTREAL has been made lively this week by the presence of two British war vessels, the doings of the Labor Congress, and the visit of a large number of Oddfellows from the United States and Ontario. A hearty welcome has been extended to all our visitors.

WALTER F. WOODS, retail boot and shoe dealer, Hamilton, Ont., has assigned.—Joe Waddington, Paris, Ont., has assigned for the benefit of his creditors. The failure was caused by the burning of his ice-house. The liabilities are placed at \$6,000 and assets at \$4,000.

By a judgment of the Hon. Judge Pelletier, P. A. Choquette, M.P., has been named provisional guardian of the estate of Mr. N. L. Dubaine, butter dealer of Montmagny who recently went to the United States, leaving behind him a number of creditors.

The track of the new line for the Canadian Pacific Railway between London and Windsor is being laid with 72 pound steel rails. The fish-plates are long enough to reach across three ties and have three bolt holes on each side of the joint. The steamer which is to transfer cars across the river is being constructed at Owen Sound, and will be larger than any transfer boat now in use there.

A PROMINENT lumber firm remitting from Casselman, Ont., writes:—"Business is pretty good up here. We have had a good demand all summer for timber and lumber, and at present have orders for timber for a month's sawing ahead. Everything looks bright for the coming winter. We are putting men into the bush to begin cutting and hope to get considerable amount of wood out during the coming season."

The Mines Department of Nova Scotia has just issued the half-year's returns of the gold mined in that Province—18,053 tons of quartz were taken out and the ounces of gold extracted were 13,623, of the value of about \$260,000. Some of the localities show very rich quartz, the returns at Central Rawdon being 1.5 8

ounces from 590 tons of quartz, while the celebrated Sherbrooke district, which formerly was so prolific, only yields 158 ounces from 1,013 tons of rock.

A SKIZURE of 300 head of cattle has been made by the Collector of Customs at Fort McLeod. Three years ago over 1,800 head of cattle were brought into Canada without payment of duty by Joseph H. Conrad, of Montana, and placed on ranches belonging to Conrad Bros., but in which Joseph H. Conrad had no interest. The cattle were of a special breed known as Seven Block, and 1,500 of them were located soon after the importation became known. After a lapse of three years the remainder of the herd has been located near Lethbridge and seized, pending the Minister's decision.

THE first test gas well of a new company, of which Mr. E. Coste, mining engineer, is manager, was drilled on the farm of Mr. Zavitz, six miles from Port Colborne, Ont., last week, and has proved a success. The flow has been measured accurately and gives a record of one million feet per day without having been torpedoed, and the gas sand being penetrated only ten feet. Two other gas wells are going down at once, and the large territory that has been secured will soon be thoroughly tested. The gas will be piped to Port Colborne, Welland, St. Catharines and other places.

THE following is the statement of the Port of Winnipeg for August: Exported, \$94,408; imported, dutiable, \$217,655; imported free, \$34,239; total, \$251,894. Entered for consumption, dutiable, \$210,792; entered for consumption, free, \$34,239; total for consumption, \$245,031. Duty collected, \$62,545. The imports exceed those of August, 1888, by \$38,790, and duty collected by \$7,328. The inland revenue collections for August amounted to \$20,452. The transactions at the Dominion Government Savings Bank during the month were:—Deposits, \$19,997; withdrawals, \$30,762.58.

A NUMBER of tenders have been received at the Finance Department, Ottawa, for the projected steamship services between Canada, the West Indies and South America. Several routes have been named which will be subject to a future choice. The proposed services are from Halifax or St. John to Cuba and return, calling at Havana; do., calling

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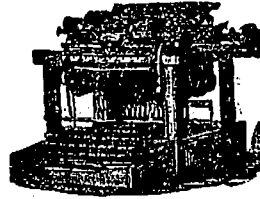
at Bermuda and Turk's Island; from Halifax and St. John to Demerara and return, calling at several islands in the West Indian group, and from Halifax or St. John to Buenos Ayres and return, calling at various ports. The tenders will not be opened until the Minister of Finance returns to Ottawa.

It is expected, says a Winnipeg despatch, that the North-West ranchers will begin to ship cattle to Great Britain about the middle of this month. They were very well satisfied with the experimental consignments made last fall, and the shipments this year will be much larger than last. A train load of cattle has already been shipped from Manitoba to Montreal. Smaller shipments of Manitoba cattle have also been made during the past six weeks to the east, where the dealers hope to sell them at a profitable figure.

In this Province the following business troubles are reported:—Elie Giroux, storekeeper, St. Clothilde, has assigned. Liabilities only \$700.—Alex. Houle, grocer, city, has failed for \$3,700.—Solomon Adam, trader, Cap St. Ignace, has assigned. He also ran a creamery, and apparently has been doing too much for his means. Liabilities moderate.—N. Laundry & Co., general store, Joliette, have assigned. Liabilities \$5,000. He was unsuccessful a few years ago.—V. Turcotte, tailor, Sherbrooke, has assigned after an experience of four or five years. He started on limited means and his liabilities cannot be large.

From the Lower Provinces we hear of several trade embarrassments. W. Sargent, storekeeper, Barrington, N.S., has assigned, after a record of several years. At one time he did an extensive trade, but has suffered from competition of late and fell behind in his payments.—Albert Parker, drover, Cornwallis, N.S., has assigned.—Wm. Graves, grocer, Halifax, has assigned. He started out 18 months ago with limited capital.—Jas. A. Freeman, general store and lumber, Kempt,

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N.S., has assigned. About a month ago he was trying to arrange a compromise as reported at the time—Joseph E. Richard, trader, Tiguish, P.E.I., has assigned. He has been in business some years, but never seemed to succeed, and the liabilities are light.

The following decisions were arrived at by the Canadian Board of Customs during June, July and August:—

- Paper stucco, for decorated ceilings, 25 per cent.
- Paper flour sacks, illustrated and printed, 15 cents per lb. and 25 per cent. ad valorem.
- Barrel head linings, 25 per cent
- Sweet spirits of nitro, \$2 per gallon and 30 per cent.
- Hay rakes made of wood, 35 per cent.
- "Ridges food," 30 per cent.
- Broken rice, 1½ cents per lb.
- Silk circulars, lined with fur, 30 per cent., with fur 10 cents per lb. and 25 per cent.
- Fur jackets, etc., lined with satin, 25 per cent.
- Felt slippers, 10 cents per lb. and 25 per cent.

The *Northwestern Miller* says the aggregate flour output at Minneapolis for the week ending August 31 was 133,380 barrels, against 86,200 barrels the previous week, and 102,100 barrels for the corresponding week of 1888. The figures of last week are the largest since the middle of November. The proportion of new wheat used in the mills was from 25 to 100 per cent., the average being about one-half. It is said the new wheat makes a better flour than the old. The flour market is still comparatively inactive and comes short of the expectations of manufacturers. Prices are somewhat lower, patents being quoted mostly at \$4.00@4.75. The foreign demand has fallen off and is light, ocean rates continuing high. The export shipments last week were 48,230 barrels, against 31,240 the preceding week, but part of this was on back sales.

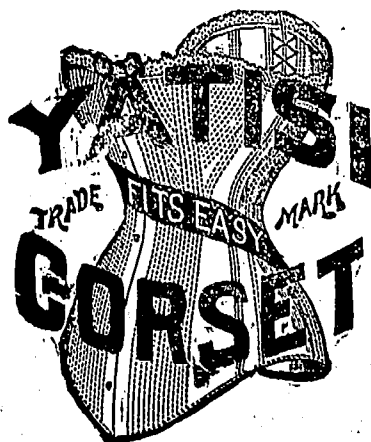
Our correspondent at Port Elgin writes.—The wheat crop in this section, owing to the rust, will not average over from 12 to 15 bushels to the acre, and the sample poor Peas and oats will turn out fairly

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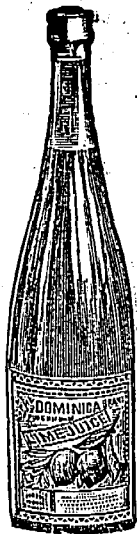
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good. Hay has been a great crop, and will be plentiful and cheap. Apples are a failure, but the yield of plums will be good unless the present dry and excessive hot weather causes them to drop off before they become ripe. The Government dredge has been at work in Port Elgin harbor for two weeks, but part of the machinery, broke down on Friday last. Several days will be lost before it can be repaired. A short time ago Andrew Hutchison, of Port Elgin, shipped 432 boxes of cheese to Ingersoll, and Mr. Smith, of Bougoyne, 382 boxes, all of which was manufactured within a few miles of Port Elgin.

A WESTERN man, proud of his immensely productive acres, was showing a visitor from Vermont over his farm, and, while boasting somewhat loudly of his own crops, turned upon the Vermonter with the question: "You can't raise much back there on those stony Vermont hills, can you?" "Oh, yes; we generally get fine crops." "But you don't raise much grain, do you?" "Oh, yes; we raise a sight of barley." "You do?" "Why, certainly; I don't know what our farmers would do if it wasn't for their barley." "Do you get much for it?" "Oh, we don't sell it; no, sir; we don't sell a grain of it." "You don't feed it to your stock?" "Oh, no; you don't catch us wasting barley like that?" "Well, what do you do with it then?" "Why, man, we save every grain of it for seed—that's what we do with it!" This is the Western man's story.—Chicago Journal.

Throughout Ontario the sound of the thresher is heard on every side and the yields shown, with few exceptions, are fully up to the average for wheat, while barley, in most cases, is an exceptionally good crop, and generally well preserved in color. Some localities complain of a want of plumpness in the wheat, but such are exceptions similar in proportion to the complaint of rust. Oats are expected to turn out more than an average crop, while peas have been in many places retarded by the drouth. The need of rain is sorely felt in many places at present, to bring the root crop to anything like a fair yield. The prevailing wet weather throughout this Province has been disappointingly absent in Western Ontario, and many creeks, springs and wells are as a consequence drying up. The hot wave which has caught all sections east and west during the past week, and which still lingers with us, will, no doubt, be followed by the much needed rain, which will prove a blessing to the Ontario agriculturists.

ONTARIO failures are neither important or numerous. James Mays & Co., hardware, Chatham, have assigned. Liabilities are expected to range from \$10,000 to \$15,000. They got into trouble this spring and compromised at 60c in 3, 6, 9 and 12 months.—J. T. Brown, shoes, wholesale and retail, Guelph, has assigned. The liabilities are about \$25,000 and assets nominally \$2,000 to \$3,000 in excess. The estate is considered in fair shape and should pay a good dividend. For some

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	Clearings.	Balances.
Aug. 30.....	\$1,807,461	\$ 251,883
Aug. 31.....	1,298,991	176,422
Sept. 2.....	1,085,915	200,348
Sept. 3.....	1,120,812	171,726
Sept. 4.....	1,403,563	261,574
Sept. 5.....	1,639,658	147,956
Total.....	\$8,366,395	\$1,209,906
Last week.....	\$7,217,886	\$1,259,874
W.E., 1st Aug. 1889.....	\$ 8,452,151	\$1,181,081

MICHIGAN LUMBER SUPPLY. — The *Northwestern Lumberman* recently stated that "Michigan millmen expect to cut considerable pine from 20 to 50 years hence." The *Timberman*, another authority which loves to note its rival's statistics, and has recently been investigating the supply of white pine timber in the lower peninsula of Michigan, is "led to believe that there is not more

than three thousand million feet of standing pine in the lower peninsula of Michigan to-day." From this it would appear that there is barely one season's stock of this description of timber now standing in that district. This will, to some extent, account for the extravagant prices paid for stumpage in this part of Michigan to-day. A list made up shows that for the ordinary red pine, otherwise known as Norway, the price runs, according to situation and quality, from \$3 to \$6 per thousand feet on the stump, while the poorest quality of sap white pine sells for between \$5 and \$6, the price running up to \$9 and \$10 for first-class cork pine. This statement of the case, if correct, and it is given with all assurance by the editor, fully bears out the opinions of Mr. Little, of this city, expressed at the Foresters' meeting in Boston about five years ago—that if the Michigan millmen continued to cut their timber at the same rate they were then doing, there would be none to take into account when the census enumerators next undertook to perform their duty.

From a crop bulletin issued by the Director of Agriculture, Quebec, and based on returns received by the department to the end of August, we gather the following, which is on the whole very satisfactory:—The rains at the end of July and at the beginning of August have caused little damage to standing crops. Oats and other grains in this district are ripening well. The potato rust has just begun to make its appearance in several localities, especially in low lands, but on the aggregate the yield will not be much affected. A few days of good weather and heat, such as we are having now, will have a very beneficial effect on all outstanding crops. The returns from all the agricultural societies of the different counties of this province are very encouraging, as may be seen by the general summary given below: Hay very good. Wheat good, average yield from 20 to 30 bushels per acre. Barley good, average yield from 20 to 30 bushels per acre. Oats very good, average yield from 30 to 40 bushels per

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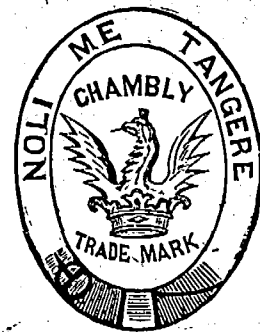
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The *Drapers' Record*, London, Eng., discloses the following: I have been informed that a buyer in one of our large provincial houses has been asked by his principals to explain his relationship with the manufacturer of a certain article very largely used in his department. I am not, however, in a position to state what explanation has been tendered. There are a few cases on record in the City of buyers having received handsome cheques from manufacturers, quarterly, half-yearly, and so forth, but the practice—thanks to the higher moral tone which pervades the commercial life of to-day—is almost stamped out. I remember one case which came before my notice some few years ago, in which a buyer was in the habit of receiving half-yearly a very handsome cheque from his manufacturer; but one day, while this gentleman was rusticated at the seaside, the cheque arrived addressed to him at his department, and sad to relate the letter was opened. My readers may anticipate the sequel so far as the intended recipient was concerned. But as for the manufacturer, he fared very badly at the hands of the worthy principals. Summoned to the warehouse, he arrived in haste and wonder, out of breath, no doubt under the impression that he was about to receive a large repeat order. He was ushered with great solemnity into the sanctorium, and was asked

to recline upon a well upholstered chair, pending the arrival of the principals. In due course those gentleman arrived, and after the usual salutations common in English life, a gentle conversation commenced as to the volume of business done between them; finally the point was reached, the vital question as to the meaning of the cheque put, and the answer given, that it was intended as a present to encourage future business. It was a moment of great suspense—what would happen next?—but in pity for the misguided man, it was decided that he should there and then write a cheque for several hundred pounds, and in the event of his refusing to do so proceedings were to be instituted. It is needless to say, however, that the cheque was written, and there ended the matter. Of course, the principals looked at it in this way. If this man can pay so dearly for doing business, he must recoup himself by putting it on to the price of the goods, as no doubt he did, and if the goods had been honestly bought and sold at the price they fetched, the margin of profit would have been larger to the extent of the cheque which was received. It is pitiable to look back at the liquidation of the past ten years, and to count up the houses which have been wrecked and ruined. It is cruel, to say the least of it, to see fortunes squandered, employes thrown out upon the world, through the mismanagement of directors, whose qualification consisted in having a little surplus cash hoarded up.

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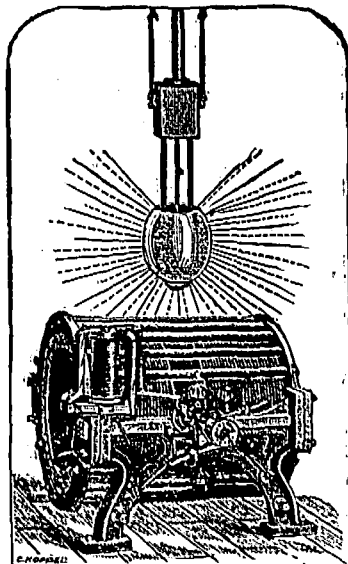
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CANADIAN COMPETITION IN CHEESE.

There can be no doubt that climate, and other conditions, are favorable to Canadian progress in certain branches of industry, and this is true to some extent with regard to cheese. The remarkable development which has taken place, has been alluded to, on more than one occasion, in these columns.

Up to quite recent years, there could be little room for doubt, that the bulk of the stock leaving Montreal was Canadian cheese, but our operators are now not above dealing in the markets of New York State, and have invaded such centres as Canton, Ogdensburg, Gouverneur and Watertown, the latter, we believe, for the first time this year. Statements have been published about possible Canadian doings at Utica, but although some orders were actually sent on, the senders were more in a jocular, than in a business mood, and nothing was accomplished. There has also been some gossip about striking for Buffalo. So far, no Buffalo cheese has been brought on here, but leading exporters say there is no reason why it could not be handled at this port; however, nothing is likely to be done this year. Aside from all rumors, there can be no doubt that more American cheese has been bought, and shipped this way, than in former years. Favorably situated as Montreal is, there is no reason why a large quantity of States cheese should not be shipped from here. Writing on this subject, our local contemporary, the Gazette, records an instance where one lot of cheese was divided into two parcels at a northern State point, one of which was shipped by New York and the other by Montreal, and the latter realized 1s@1s 6d more than the former on the other side, having landed in better condition, because not exposed to the extreme heat that detracts from the quality of cheese in transit. The course of

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the market has been less violent and erratic than in some previous years, but prices have been remarkably steady and generally profitable. Most of the Canadian and American factorymen have sold out their July make, clean, and as August cheese is considered a better article holders are inclined to be firm. Supplies held in this city are stated to be less than last year, but country dealers must be heavily stocked.

It is not to be wondered at, perhaps, that Canadian competition in cheese should have excited considerable interest in the United States and we extract a few reflections from the New York *Bulletin*, which says:—Our supremacy in cotton-growing is probably assured, and we shall always find an outlet for our largest crops. In wheat-raising we have not that same assurance, the experience of late years proving the existence of formidable competitors and pointing to the necessity of making careful selections of seeding wheats, to ensure quality as well as quantity, in order to hold our own under normal conditions. The application of a similar policy in the direction of cheese-making is yearly becoming more urgent. In this industry we are experiencing a lively competition at the hands of our neighbor, Canada, and there is no lack of evidence that of late years we have had none the best of the struggle, Canadian cheese selling more freely and at better prices abroad than our own. To the question, "Why should this be so?" one general answer is returned—Canadian cheese suits British tastes better than the American does. * * * Where improvements have been made here they have been the result of individual enterprise and skill; whilst in Canada they are the outcome of a comprehensive national effort directed with a full knowledge of what was being aimed at and how best to succeed. The minor differences between the distinctive makes of cheese may be sunk in the broad fact that whilst the States cheese matures more rapidly than Canadian, it does not possess the same qualities of permanency of condition. Climatic influences naturally exercise some effect here; but, giving full weight to these, it is certain that were we to pay as much attention to the peculiarities of our customers as Canada has done, we could bring our product much more nearly into conformity with them. Apart from the broad view here taken, the competition between New York and Montreal as the two great shipping ports is of more local interest. Were Montreal taking only Canadian cheese, even this would be narrowed; but of late it has drawn considerably upon the product of this State, Canadian shippers competing at the Canton, N. Y., market for the cheese offered there. Whether this cheese is exported as Canadian or American, it means so much less passing this way; nor under present circumstances can this well be prevented, Montreal having an advantage in inland transit rates from Canton, and in ocean freights also. It is rumored that such transit terms have been arranged as will lay the Buffalo market open to Canada also."

It is idle to deny that the Americans are good cheese makers and the censures of our New York contemporary may be met with the statement that our cousins make quite as much, or more, out of their cheese, as Canadians, considering what they put into it. We have been told that the quantity of milk to make a pound of cheese is ten per cent more with us, and if the Americans got less for their cheese in the British markets, their milk bills are not so heavy, by a long way, as at the Canadian factories. The difference comes in in the manufacture, and it is not so much a matter of carelessness as a difference in system. Of course, American cheese has less body and will not store so well as Canadian, but with the large home outlet, the latter requisite is not so necessary as in Canada. A great deal of gratuitous advice has been given to farmers about how to make butter, so as to secure a larger share of the export trade in that

article. But the knowing farmer, with his eye to the best profit, knows that creamery at 20c, is only equal to 8c@8½c cheese, and it is difficult for him to get 20c, which is a high price for butter. Butter soon taints and loses several cents per pound and also drops value by keeping, to a much larger extent than cheese. Under the circumstances he considers that he gets better value for his milk at the cheese factory.

The exports of cheese from Montreal from the opening of navigation to the 31st August, have been as follows in the years named:—1885, 639,003 boxes; 1886, 548,805; 1887, 701,707; 1888, 646,848; 1889, 691,924. The exports in 1888 were 250 per cent more than in 1874. The bulk goes to Great Britain, and it looks as if more cheese is to be imported by the mother country from Canada than from anywhere else. In 1887, the largest amount supplied was by the United States, viz., 85,223,040 lbs., Canada coming next with 70,833,232 lbs. Last year, the Dominion sent 84,173,207 lbs. to British ports.

DECLINE IN HOPS.

From all appearances the present season is going to be one of low prices for hops, in marked contrast to last year, when the supply was short and foreign stock was imported. The crop seems to have been a liberal one, not only on this continent but in Europe. Choice early varieties of Canadian have been sold as high as 25c, but this figure is not now obtainable, 15c being nearer the price buyers are willing to offer.

Few articles of produce are so risky to handle, as in one season they may be readily sold at 30c to 40c, while next, they may be a drug on the market at less than half the price. Supplies of 1888 are being offered both in this city and at New York at very low prices, and brewers claim that they have already received offers of new German varieties at extremely moderate figures. So far no large quantities of Canadian have come forward, but the first lots were of fine quality and struck a good market. Those who sell early, will, without doubt, obtain the best prices, as all indications point to a decline from the start. A small lot of Bavarian hops, which originally cost the shipper 30c on the other side, has been sold at 15c, making the net proceeds of the sale, after deduction of duty and other charges, 7c per pound. This, we believe, is not a rare instance of loss.

Canada is generally admitted to be a good hop growing country, but prices are so erratic and uncertain, that many give up the culture, after a few years experience, in disgust. One of the largest hop farms on this side of the ocean is situated at Cazville, Ont., on the south shore of the St. Lawrence, and is owned by a wealthy New York merchant. It consists of nearly 600 acres, nearly 400 of which are under crop. About 30 acres of the Humphries variety bids fair to yield 1,500 lbs. to the acre, while it is said that 1,000 pounds is considered a full average crop. Palmer's seedlings will scarcely exceed half a crop, on account of excessive moisture when maturing. Grape and English cluster will equal last year's crop. Blight, lice and other plagues, although not absent, are not troubling hop growers to such an extent this year as usual. Hop packing is now general in western Canada, and is expected to be well over by the middle of the present month.

There has been no recent business, to speak of, at New York, says a commercial contemporary, and very little attempt made to do anything in the absence of orders from brewers. Tests made during the week indicate plainly that there is no local outlet for 1888 at prices anywhere near holders' idea of values, and therefore no effort to sell was made. On new crop the interest is equally as sluggish in the absence of other than dull accounts from Europe. Prices as quoted are wholly nominal, and reflect holders' ideas of values only.

N. Y. State, crop of 1888, best.....	14 @ 15
do do do good to prime...	12 @ 13
do do do common to fair.	10 @ 12
do crop of 1887.....	5 @ 7
do olds.....	3 @ 5

There is a general disinclination to contract at prices anything near the buyers' present idea of value. Competent authorities estimate that the crop in New York will come down 20 per cent heavier than was anticipated a month ago. The Pacific coast is put down for a greater quantity than was estimated at that time. England is estimated at £230,000 to £250,000 old duty, and all accounts are uniform in stating that the German yield will be heavy. According to late cablegrams, the hop harvest in Kent and Sussex has made great headway, the weather having been

ceedingly favorable. The growth in these two countries is very heavy and will probably average ten hundredweight to the acre. Several growers are unfortunate in having mould stricken grounds, and these hops will not be picked. On the other hand, many planters have huge crops with a quality such as has not been known for years. Owing to the exceptional forwardness of hops this season the singular sight is witnessed of corn and hop harvests proceeding simultaneously in England, and in some districts much difficulty has been experienced in getting a sufficient number of hands for the hop picking.

SPIRITS AND TOBACCO.

Probably no facts or statistics relating to any department of trade are subject to such close scrutiny, and give rise to so many diverse comments and opinions as those which deal with spirits and tobacco. For many years it has been the rule to consider an increase in the consumption of those articles as an indication of prosperity among the masses, but the efforts of temperance workers and moral reformers have worked something of a transformation; and it cannot truthfully be said at the present day, that a decrease in the liquor and tobacco bill of the country is a direct proof of business depression, unsupported by other evidences.

As a source of revenue, spirits last year contributed \$3,099,016, or \$638,323 less than in 1887; malt liquor furnished \$6,997 or \$48 less; malt, \$493,030, or \$59,901 more than the former year; cigars \$554,067, or \$29,786 more and tobacco \$1,740,542, or \$2,540 more. Three things are here apparent,—the large amount of revenue obtained by the Government from the taxes imposed on these "luxuries," the decreased use of spirits and the largely increased consumption of tobacco and cigars. The number of proof gallons of spirits manufactured in 1888 was 5,514,589, as compared with 5,119,506 gallons in 1887, being an increase of 395,083 gallons. The quantity taken for consumption was, however, 2,326,327 gallons, being less by 538,603 gallons than the quantity taken in 1887; this is 715,237 gallons less than the average consumption of the four preceding years. The decrease in consumption is partly attributed to the increase in the excise duty from \$1 to \$1.30 per gallon. As to the increase in the quantity of spirits manufactured, this is, without doubt, due to the new clause of the inland revenue act, which came into force on 1st July, 1888, by which the sale of spirits which have not been manufactured at least twelve months is prohibited. Distillers are, in consequence, obliged to keep a large stock and had to make immediate provision for a reserve.

The materials used in the production of spirits, comprised 94,243,806 lbs. of grain, and 90,499 lbs. of molasses, or a total of 94,334,305 lbs., raw stock. The quantity of malt manufactured during the year was 5,252,943 lbs., and entered for consumption 48,640,467 lbs., being a decrease and increase, as compared with 1887, of 379,861 lbs., and 6,010,027 lbs., respectively. Distillers used 4,606,544 lbs. of the quantity entered for consumption, and the remainder was employed in the production of 15,944,002 gallons of malt liquor.

With regard to tobacco, there was an increase last year of 431,441 lbs. in the quantity entered for consumption, as compared with 1887, but the total was below the average of the past six years. The figures are as follows:—

1883.....	8,965,416 lbs.
1884.....	10,072,745 "
1885.....	11,061,589 "
1886.....	8,607,216 "
1887.....	8,816,593 "
1888.....	9,248,034 "
	56,671,593 lbs.
Average.....	9,445,265 "

The consumption of Canadian tobacco has been growing as shown by the following figures:—

1883.....	377,197 lbs.
1884.....	326,804 "
1885.....	495,721 "
1886.....	399,691 "
1887.....	517,816 "
1888.....	676,335 "
	2,793,564 lbs.
Average.....	467,261 "

The amount of home consumption in 1888, was 209,074 lbs., above the average of the past six years. The average annual consumption per head of spirits in Canada, for the past twenty years, is 1.19 galls.; wine, 0.14 galls.; beer, 2.60 galls.; tobacco, 2.11 lbs. The consumption of spirits in 1888 was decidedly less

than any year since 1868 and the use of wine has also decreased. Beer and tobacco has been consumed in increasing quantity. How the annual consumption of spirits, per head, in Canada, compares with other countries may be gleaned from the following statement:—

COUNTRIES.	GALLONS.	COUNTRIES.	GALLONS.
Holland.....	2.08	Germany.....	0.95
Queensland.....	1.85	New Zealand.....	.092
West Australia.....	1.46	Canada.....	0.85
N. S. Wales.....	1.39	France.....	0.70
United States.....	1.34	South Australia.....	0.70
Sweden.....	1.27	Tasmania.....	0.69
Victoria.....	1.12	Austria-Hungary.....	0.63
Switzerland.....	1.04	United Kingdom.....	0.59

It will be noticed that Great Britain is at the foot of the list. With respect to beer, however, she stands first at 28.74 gallons per head, with Germany next at 19.38 gallons, and Canada last but one at 3.05 gallons. The figures for Canada, given above, are the average consumption for the past three years.

THE APPLE TRADE.

For many years, Ontario, Nova Scotia and Quebec have been noted for the excellence of their apples, and the export trade has grown to important dimensions. The value of our exports to Great Britain in 1888 was \$520,754, as compared with \$649,282 the preceding year, while to the United States we sent apples to the value of \$284,252, last year, as against \$197,613 in 1887.

This is a critical period for the trade, as contracts for fall delivery, based on estimates of the present crop, are now in order. Last year the wet season, or some other cause, occasioned a glut of apples, and prices ruled at a very low basis. There can be no doubt that the yield is much lighter this season, and is probably one-half to two-thirds of last year's crop. While some operators profess indifference, and state there will be ample for all requirements, others have operated early, in competition with Chicago and New York buyers, who also commenced work at the orchards earlier than usual. We have heard of contracts being closed with growers, ranging all the way from 200 to 16,000 brls. The average price paid at the orchards is said to be \$1.25@1.50, equal probably, to \$2.25 laid down in Montreal. Reports have been current of Americans paying \$1.75 and even \$2 per brl. the latter, if true, being very exceptional. The bulk of the buying has yet to take place, and the rapid construction of railways in recent years, has opened up a much wider fruit territory than formerly. From all accounts, apples have been more of a success this year in Essex and Kent, Ont., counties, than anywhere else. From Toronto east the crop, as a rule, is not an average, but from Niagara up, there will be plenty of good winter fruit, and reports along the line of the Canada Southern are very encouraging.

Despite some adverse reports, we believe the export trade this fall will be a fair one. If the crop is lighter than the extraordinary yield of last year, improved prices will counterbalance the loss. In handling perishables, growers and shippers find it safer and more profitable to turn over a moderate quantity at good paying prices, than a heavy stock at a slim margin of profit. Freight is a large item and moderate supplies are more likely to go rapidly into consumption than big consignments, thus lessening losses from decay, or deterioration.

READ YOUR POLICY.

The two recent decisions in the English Court of Appeals, on the subject of accident insurance, should serve to remind holders of policies securing them against accident that the range of risks against which they are indemnified is necessarily a limited one. Many, we might almost say most, policy-holders never take the trouble to read the list of exceptions contained in the policy at all. They content themselves with a vague idea that they are protected against all purely accidental casualties, and never study the different exceptions which may bar their claim. As a consequence, when an injury results to which possibly their own negligence has contributed they are astonished and irritated when the company declines to pay, on the strength of an express stipulation in the policy sustaining their position, and go round among their friends denouncing accident insurance as a fraud and a swindle.

The two cases in question are instances in point. In the first case the heirs of a farmer who was killed while crossing a railway track that divided his farm sued under an accident policy for £1,000. In the second a sick person had taken a dose of a poisonous lotion in mistake for his medicine. In each of these cases the company refused to pay; in the first case on the ground of contributory negligence on the part of the deceased in

having exposed himself to obvious risk, and in the second case because the policy contained a proviso to the effect that death by poison was excepted. In both these cases the company won, and the heirs were defeated with costs; but in the second case the Master of the Rolls commented very severely on the ambiguous phraseology in which the policy was couched, although at the same time he felt that he could only construe it according to its terms.

At first it would look as if in these two cases the insured persons had suffered unjustly; but a little cool reflection will point out that the company was in the right. In limiting the risks they were willing to accept, the directors had no desire to take any unfair advantage of their policy-holders. Their object was simply to so restrict the range of risks undertaken as to be able to give insurance cheaply; and they did so. The question whether so limited a policy was really cheap at any price is outside of the case altogether. They offered insurance against accident at a very low figure, and then made that figure remunerative by curtailing the character and conditions of the accidents to which it was to apply. In accepting the policy the person insured was presumed to have acquainted himself with these facts, and if he did not do so he must accept the result of his carelessness. The doctrine of Caveat Emptor applies to insurance, as it does to all mercantile transactions where fraud is not present, and therefore under the law no other decision was possible. The moral we can draw from the two cases is obvious. In the first place it shows the necessity of carefully reading the policy, and in the second place it proves the fallacy of cheap insurance and the advantages to be gained in the long run by doing business with companies of high standing, even if their premiums are not so low as those of their small competitors.

THE LATEST CORNER.

Last Saturday was the most exciting day in Chicago since the big wheat corner of "Old Hutch" culminated last year; but this time it was in pork and not in wheat that this skilful manipulator showed his hand. Whether the disclosure was premature or not remains yet to be seen; but sufficient is now known to show that he has secured a firm grip upon the October delivery, and that shortly a "squeeze" of the most approved order is likely to follow. Of course all depends upon the strength of the October short interest, as well as on the amount to which October pork has already been oversold. We must remember that under the new rules of the Chicago Board extending the winter packing season from October 1st to March 31st, instead of from the first of November to the end of February, a buyer may demand October packed pork of this year unless his contract especially stipulates that old mess pork shall be deliverable. As this would shut out all the stock of winter and summer packed pork in Chicago, and oblige the seller to deliver only what can be packed between the 1st and the 31st of October next, it makes the prospects of the worst squeeze ever known far more probable than the shorts are likely to admit, since everything depends upon their contracts containing the clause making old pork an available tender. So far as the packers are concerned they can always help themselves out. If they have oversold they can work overtime throughout October, and the heavy weight of the average hog this year will help them considerably. This season the average weight is said to be 360 lbs. each, a figure unprecedented in the annals of the trade at this time of the year. The packers then are comparatively safe; but how about the shorts who have followed their lead? These latter will have to bear the brunt of the corner, and that "Old Hutch" will squeeze them seems to be beyond a doubt.

On Saturday the price of October pork went up like a balloon. Within an hour prices had advanced a dollar, and the moment it was known that Hutchinson was engineering the deal, the smaller shorts commenced to get out at any figure. Before long, however, the more solid shorts, and especially the leaders in the packers' raid, commenced to sit down on the market, and with the assistance of those longs who wished to break prices back in order to capture a new line of shorts, they succeeded in sending October back to an average of \$10.40, at about which figure we may now quote it.

Of course all sorts of rumors are abroad, and nearly every big trader's name has been connected with the advance; but the fact remains that Hutchinson holds the balance of power so far as October pork is concerned, and that he is a man who rarely makes a failure when he once starts to corner a staple. No doubt he knows just how many contracts are deliverable in old

pork and how many in new, and has laid his plans accordingly. If he does, the October short interest, which is said to be a very heavy one, may prepare for a squeeze fully as bad as that in wheat last September, and we cannot say that we are sorry for them. They have been hammering hog products for nearly a year past, and if retribution has now overtaken them no one will be grieved.

LOW TRANSPORT RATES.

"Nothing is more certain," says the *Cincinnati Prices Current*, "than that every available facility must be utilized to its fullest extent to enable this country to obtain remunerative prices for its surplus productions in foreign markets. This is more especially the case in regard to wheat, because we have to compete with other exporting countries in supplying the wants of wheat importing countries. To do this, without impoverishing our domestic wheat growers, low rates of transportation from the producing regions to the foreign markets are imperative. The railroads have shown a disposition to conform to this demand, and have made special rates on through consignments, which rates were relatively lower than the rates to seaboard cities. Those cities, finding that the grain was going round them or through them without paying tribute in the shape of local charges, claimed that the Inter-State Commerce Law was violated, inasmuch as the rates were lower than upon similar traffic whose final destination was within the United States, and an appeal was made to the Inter-State Commerce Commission, which has decided that the railroads may not lawfully make a concession in favor of export traffic. This decision is, probably, according to the letter and spirit of the law, but it is nevertheless a detriment to the interests of producers, and to our export trade in general. Undoubtedly the railroads can well afford to make this concession on through shipments, because they prorrate with the steamships which carry the grain across the water, but they could not afford to reduce the rates to the seaboard to the same level, because they would lose more on the domestic traffic than they make on the foreign. Even if our exports of wheat and flour are not reduced by the increased cost of transportation made necessary by this decision, the price to the grower will be reduced by as much as the enlargement in the cost of carrying, for this item cannot be added to the price in Liverpool, for values there are determined, not by this country alone, but by the aggregate supply which all exporting countries furnish to meet the comparatively moderate requirements of the current year. If the railroads were free to charge what the traffic would bear it is not improbable that they would make still lower rates than they have done on foreign shipments rather than lose the traffic. They would not do this out of any philanthropic sentiment for the interest of the farmer, nor for the promotion of foreign trade for the general good, but simply as a matter of business by which they could obtain traffic which they could not otherwise secure; for they would deem it good policy to employ their facilities at a very moderate compensation rather than not perfect the movement. Legislative restrictions upon details of business are always provocative of undesirable and unanticipated results. If any good has been accomplished by the Inter-State Commerce Law to the business interests of the country or to the tillers of the soil, there has been a counterbalancing detriment, and here is an instance of its results that will come home to the farmers in a way that will make a profound impression. Possibly the lesson will some time be learned that legislation hostile to railroads is a blow aimed at the most important industrial enterprise in the country, and anything that injures that reacts upon general business in all of its various ramifications.

ANOTHER RAIL ROUTE TO THE SEA.

The *Chignecto Post*, a well known lower province paper, states that a new departure of an important character is now on the tapis, namely the construction of a line of railway from Edmundston in Madawaska direct to Moncton. The object of this new project is to furnish a short line on British soil, rendering it entirely independent of any international difficulties such as may attend the Canada Pacific route to the sea through Maine. It is believed that a through line can be obtained on British soil within the same distance as the Canada Pacific line. The latter has been diverted from an air line throughout its whole length to meet local demands. An air line from Montreal to Moncton would have passed far north of Schoodic Lake in Maine,—even north of Moosehead Lake, whereas at the former lake it is 50 miles south of its true course, and nearly 30 at Moosehead. But this is not the worst feature. Its sinuous windings make anything but an air line, and its greatly increased length renders a line through British territory quite practicable as a matter of distance. The distance from Edmundston, the terminus of the recently completed Temiscouata Railway, to Moncton, as the crow flies, is 175 miles. The completion of this section will place the Maritime Provinces in direct connection with the Quebec system of railways.

The new undertaking is being engineered under the direction of the Grand Trunk Railway. The engineers employed to make the survey are Mr. Davey late chief engineer of the Temiscouata Railway and Mr. John J. MacDonald.

PUBLIC NUISANCES.—When it transpired early the present summer that the hurdy-gurdy or barrel organ men or women were notified by the authorities that they must go, deep was the sigh of relief from the owner, of many a brain worked office-man along St. James street, and from an occasional invalid in the upper streets of the city. Those who have returned from a little sojourn out of town are surprised to find that the man with the short pipe and his laughing-eyed companion, or the woman with the helpless babe and able-bodied husband who ground their mad music into the ears of business men daily for the last year or two, have merely been replaced by other grinders of sounds no less vile, until one begins to wonder how patient people may become by long practice. The sounds issuing from these pests are of a kind loved neither by gods or men. Let them go.

BRITISH COTTON TRADE.—Short time is general throughout the cotton manufacturing districts, says the *Liverpool Post*, and yet the price of cotton is still going up. This fact is held to indicate that speculators forming the "corner" must be in an exceedingly strong position; and spinners are advised to purchase only from hand to mouth. Latterly, the manufacturing department of the trade has shown an extraordinary state of things, for, although a good deal has been heard lately of bad trade, the export of yarn has been increasing. The returns show that in July there were exported no less than 21,980,000 pounds of yarn, a considerable increase on the weight sent out in the corresponding periods of 1888 and 1887; and the increase has been going on during the whole of the year so far. In the last seven months there were sent off 150,085,300 pounds of yarn, about 4½ per cent more than the average exports of the corresponding periods in the two previous years. This proves that the present unremunerative character of the cotton manufacture is not due to bad trade, but to the operations of the holders of the raw material, who create a fictitious value of the article, and force the spinners to pay from 3d to 1d per lb more for it than they ought to do, thus making yarn dearer to the manufacturer. The cloth reports show a similar improvement to those of yarn. Last month they reached 450,219,000 yards, an increase of 7 per cent on the quantities exported in the month of July of 1888 and 1887. For the present year, up to the 31st ult., 2,995,284,700 yards of cotton cloth were sent to customers abroad, being 5 per cent more than the exports in the corresponding period of the two previous years. Paradoxical as it may seem, this increase of trade has brought only a decrease of profits, for though the manufacturers have sold more than a hundred million yards of cloth more than they did in the same period last year, they have got nearly £300,000 less for it.

The feeling is gaining ground that for several weeks yet the consumption of cotton will have to be greatly reduced in view of the probable lateness of the new American crop. In some quarters the question of reducing wages is being discussed. If this is taken up it will be, of course, a general movement which will apply to the whole spinning trade. The question is being quietly discussed, and if trade continues harassing and unprofitable the employers may look into the matter seriously during the autumn.

The British Consul-General at Constantinople in his last report refers to the declining commercial importance of that city. Its trade has suffered considerably since 1878; and more particularly during the past two years. Large wholesale houses which formerly did business with Persia and Central Asia, and acted as middlemen between European manufacturers and the merchants of these parts, have in recent years lost their customers, and are gradually disappearing from the city. This is owing, in a measure, to new and more direct routes having been thrown open to markets that were formerly supplied from Constantinople, and also to the fact that produce which used to go to the Turkish capital for shipment to Europe is now dispatched direct from the outports. Persia which previously drew a considerable part of her imports from Constantinople, has latterly commenced to make use of Bushire, and the entire import trade of Lowe Persia is at present centered in that place. The export trade of the city has suffered in a similar way; the produce of Turkish Kurdistan, estimated to amount to an annual value of £320,000, which two years ago went through the capital, is now shipped from Bagdad—a route which is considered to be less expensive and safer. As regards Persian trade especially, Mr. Fawcett observes that during the years 1887-88 it was not satisfactory. Dealers in Manchester goods suffered considerably, owing partly to Russian competition, and also to the high rate of exchange prevailing at Odessa.

The heavy losses occasioned by the numerous fires throughout Ontario during the past few weeks, can be accounted for in part by the long continued dry weather which has prevailed, causing whatever is capable of being ignited to become more susceptible to the flames. Incendiarism seems to hold sway in the rural districts, many barns with the entire seasons' crop being in this manner destroyed, and in each case entailing a loss to the industrious farmer which he is seldom prepared to meet. Such losses as these are more severely felt from the fact of their being the principal hope and aim of a season's toil and careful attendance. The victims of the steam thrasher are also being counted in increased numbers which should call for a more strict enforcement of the laws pertaining to the sale of such engines. Their common use of late years in preference to the horse-power has caused an acquaintance with their advantages to result in dispelling, to a large degree, the caution formerly exercised.

Owing to pressure upon our columns, we are obliged to defer till next week the publication of the really excellent annual report of the Canada Life Insurance Company as presented at the annual meeting held on Tuesday last at headquarters in Hamilton.

WE ARE in receipt of an 8 page pamphlet on "Uniformity of Statements of Fire Insurance Companies," being an address read by W. S. Smith of Massachusetts, at the recent annual session of the National Insurance Convention. Further reference is postponed.

The traffic returns of the Grand Trunk Railway for the week ending August 31st, 1889, show an increase of \$24,710 over the corresponding period of 1888.

EXPORTS BY SEA.

From the port of Montreal for the two weeks ending September 3rd, 1889.

(Compiled from Customs Manifests.)

LIVERPOOL.—1,472 sacks oil cake, 1,653 boxes bacon and hams, 58 tcs. tongues, 694 cases canned meats, 500 half-brls. lard, 100 tcs. lard, 1,698 boxes meats, 1,599 sacks oatmeal, 24 brls. ore, 915 sacks rice meal, 60 brls. potash, 21 logs, 223 tubs butter, 485 pkgs. butter, 21,530 bushels peas, 100 kegs tongues, 10 brls. meats, 15 tcs. meats, 743 bags peas, 2,080 bags corn, 100 cases whiskey, 70 cases mattresses, 22 bales leather, 31 boxes provisions, 160,468 bushels corn, 64,408 pcs. boards, 151,368 pcs. deals, 64,057 pcs. deals and ends, 35,706 boxes cheese, 1,025 tons phosphate, 53,167 bushels wheat, 22,341 sacks flour, 1,961 head cattle, 2,591 sheep.

GLAUGOW.—590 tcs. lard, 270 tcs. tallow, 363 boxes meats, 85 tcs. meats, 4,194 cases canned meats, 2,196 pkgs. butter, 54 cases boots, 20 brls. potash, 4,365 pcs. battens, 900 boxes canned meats, 124 pcs. oak, 2 horses, 87 brls. paint, 25 tubs butter, 71,670 bushels corn, 111,079 bushels wheat, 13,364 boxes cheese, 18,912 sacks flour, 20,570 pcs. deals, 185 tons phosphate, 800 sacks oatmeal, 2,309 head cattle, 791 sheep.

LONDON.—225 birch logs, 54 casks seal skins, 4 half-casks seal skins, 389 sacks oatmeal, 187 boxes meats, 52 pkgs. peltries, 249 pkgs. butter, 28 cases boots and shoes, 34 cases furs, 1,565 cases canned meats, 20,360 pcs. ends, 2,269 bags corn, 2,005 bags wheat, 84 brls. meats, 15 tcs. lard, 60 cases whiskey, 91 pkgs. peltries, 88 tubs butter, 800 bags flour, 44 cases fluid beef, 63,717 bushels corn, 12,711 bushels wheat, 33,044 boxes cheese, 15,100 bushels peas, 26,420 sacks flour, 113,238 pcs. deals, 641 tons phosphate, 1,588 head cattle, 1,407 sheep.

BRISTOL.—16 cs. leather, 56,256 ft. elm lumber, 10,728 ft. ash do., 4,179 ;cs. pine boards, 1,850 cs. canned meats, 138 bxs. hams, 500 hf-brls. lard, 155 brls. bacon, 25 bxs. provisions, 2 bags copper ore, 28,015 bush. corn, 12,633 do. wheat, 13,147 boxes cheese, 372 pkgs. butter, 3,490 sacks flour, 1,505 pcs. deals, 353 cattle, 457 sheep.

LEITH.—80,566 bush. corn, 35,570 do. wheat, 11,969 pcs. deals, 2,303 pcs. ends, 474 head cattle, 255 sheep.

RASARIO.—28,339 pcs. boards.

BUENOS AYRES.—844,197 pcs. lumber.

WEST HARTLEPOOL.—100 tons phosphate, 10,029 pcs. deals, 1,233 pcs. ends, 487 pcs. boards.

HAMBURG.—31,296 bush. corn, 289 head cattle.

LOWER PROVINCE PORTS.—200 pails lard, 100 brls. cornmeal, 250 hf-brls. do., 250 brls. beef, 10 brls. hams, 467 tubs butter, 300 brls. peas, 100 hf-brls. do., 45 brls. oatmeal, 70 boxes cheese, 15 boxes cheese, 6,070 pcs. staves, 14,055 brls. flour, 1,925 sacks do., 5,000 m. lumber.

FIRE LOSSES.

ONTARIO.

PETROLIA, Ont. Sept. 2.—Fire broke out in Shield's & Whitney's grocery. Complete loss. Nothing saved. On the west was Mrs. Mann's boarding house, total loss. On the east was Spurr & Vicar's butcher-shop, badly burned. Endress Brothers' furniture, damage by water. Several families, who were occupying rooms over these buildings, lose all. Several barns in the rear were badly burned. The store of Mr. Martin, boots and shoes, east of Whitney's and Shields', and the dwelling upstairs, also burned. — Orangeville, Ont., Sept. 2. — Out-buildings of R. McKeown, burned, also stables belonging to the Chief Magistrate and the building occupied by the Dufferin Tarpaulin Company, which, with stock, was almost totally destroyed. The losses are: — R. M. McKeown on buildings, \$300, partly insured; on

brick block, \$1,000; Jos. Pattulo, on buildings, \$2,000; insured for \$1,000; the Tent company, \$2,000; partly insured.—Whitby, Aug. 30.—The Atlas Woollen Mills destroyed. Loss, \$8,000 or \$10,000; insured for \$4,000 in policies of \$2,000 each in the Caledonia and Royal Canadian.—Gananoque, Aug 29.—The Lorne cheese factory destroyed; besides the building, stock and plant about 150 boxes of cheese was consumed; no insurance. Loss about \$900.—John Humphrey, whose barns were burnt about one year ago by an incendiary, again suffers loss of buildings and season's crops. Insurance \$200.—Ingersoll, Aug. 23.—The Phoenix Block, owned by Mr. Stephens damaged. Losses are: Mr. Stevens' on building about \$3,000, insured in the Norwich Union. Mr. Mitchell furniture dealer, about \$4,000 insured in the Glasgow and London. Messrs. Young, harness maker, Hegler, solicitor, and Colridge, insurance agent; who occupy portions of the first storey, experienced slight loss from water.—Merritton, Aug. 29.—House owned by Mr. Cogan, destroyed. Part of the furniture saved. Loss about \$2,000. Gananoque, Sept. 1.—The following buildings and places of business have been destroyed totally, the contents in a few partly saved:—W. N. Rogers, buggies, pianos and organs, loss on stock, etc., \$8,000; insurance not known; C. B. Rogers' block; loss on buildings, \$8,000; insurance, \$5,000; Taylor and Green, general dry goods; loss on buildings and stock about \$20,000; insurance \$16,000; L. A. Osterhaut, clothier and gentlemen's furnishings; loss on stock, about \$8,000; insurance, \$5,000; A. M. Parvis, dry goods and millinery, stock loss about \$6,000; insurance, \$4,000; D. J. Jarling, general grocer, loss \$4,000; insurance, \$2,000; Stephen White, loss about \$2,500; insurance, \$1,800; T. Harrison, grocer, loss on stock and effects, \$200; no insurance; blacksmith's workshop and paintshop building and contents destroyed; value about \$600; no insurance; five dwelling houses, valued at about \$6,500, some of which were insured, to what amount not known. The total loss is said to be \$61,000; insurance about \$36,000, distributed over the following companies:—London and Lancashire, Royal, Queen's, Lancashire, Caledonia, Atlas, Mercantile and British American—Princeton, Ont., Sept. 1.—Three large barns on the farm of the late Donald Bastedo, were, with the whole of this season's harvest consumed. Insurance small.—Sarnia, Aug. 30.—A fire which started from a steam thresher destroyed the barns and outbuildings of Alex. Crockard and D. Crawford together with the season's crops in both cases; partially insured.—Belleville, Aug. 27.—S. C. Sloan's barn at Thurlow destroyed, with season's crop, and implements.—Cookstown, Ont., Aug. 30.—Barn and contents, on Mr. Isaac Ferguson's farm, destroyed. Mr. James, tenant, loses season's crops; insured.—Tilsenburg, Sept. 2.—Drug store of W. McDonald, badly damaged; stock completely destroyed entailing a loss of \$2,000, building, \$500; stock insured for \$1,000, loss on building fully covered. St. Thomas, Sept. 2.—McMahon Bros' heading factory at Highgate destroyed together with a large quantity of heading which was packed ready for shipment.—Trouton Sept 4.—Messrs Gilmour & Co's shingle mill destroyed. Total loss about \$18,000; insured for \$13,000.

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MINNESOTA, Aug. 28.—The Sheriff and Davis Springfield brewery, destroyed. Loss about \$2,000.—Winnipeg, Aug. 28.—The buildings of the Williams Mfg. Co., owned by J. H. Ashburn, located on the C. P. R., track, burned.

QUEBEC.

QUEBEC, Aug. 16.—The residence of Dr Frechette at Lotbiniere, destroyed. Loss about \$3,000.—Montreal, Aug. 21.—Laundry of J. Langhoff & Co., damaged; loss about \$1,000. Messrs. J. C. McLaren's leather belting establishment damaged; loss to building and contents about \$7,000.—Quebec, Aug. 26.—John Doyle's barn at St. Edward, containing a large quantity of hay and implements consumed. Loss about \$2,000; insurance \$400.

St. John's, N.F., Sept. 2.—The Catholic cathedral at Harbor Grace destroyed. Loss \$150,000.

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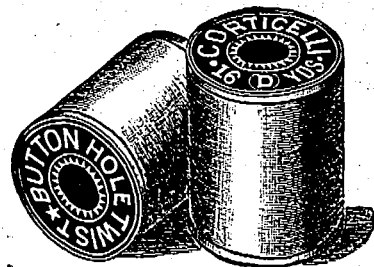
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Financial.

MONTREAL, Thursday Evening, }
September 5th, 1889. }

The stock market has pursued much the same course as of late, the chief interest being in Canadian Pacific which has continued to display strength. With the exception of the movement in this stock, and one or two others, little has been done and the speculative spirit is apparently slumbering, to break out afresh later in the season. Money is easier and more abundant and the rate in New York has fallen to 3 per cent. In bank stocks, Commerce has been the favorite and advanced from 127½@129½ bid on the week. Montreal and other banks are steady and unchanged. The miscellaneous list shows a steady front, and the Telegraph dividend of 1½ per cent. came to hand. The feeling is current that this dividend is certain and that the shareholders need not lose hope of finally securing the additional ½ per cent. Gas has many friends and is held steadily. There has been

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little activity in cotton stocks. The promising harvest, the scarcity of stocks, and a good outlook for the fall trade, all tend to keep prices up. Money in this market loans at 3½@4 per cent. Sterling strong; 60-days sight, 8½@9 between banks; 9@9½ counter; demand 9½@10 and 9½@10; cables 10@10½. New York funds 1-16 discount to par between banks; ½@½ counter. Money in London 3 9-16@½. British Consols 96 15-16 money; 97 1-16 account. Cattle bills 8½@9. The following is the record of stocks revised by L. J. Forget & Co., brokers:—

Banks.	No. Shares	Highest price.	Lowest price.	Average same week 1888.
Commerco	370	129½	127½	118
Merchants	438	148½	148	137½
Montreal	207	235½	234½	223
Peoples	123	101½	100½	104
Toronto	1	220	220	210
Ontario	10	136½	136½	123½
Molson's	30	179½	179½	155
Hochelaga	10	97	97	97½
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>				
Can. Pacific	4200	65½	63	57
Can. Shipping Co. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gas	245	207	206½	215½
Hochelaga Cot. Co.	113½
N. W. Land	150	86½	85½	61½
Richelieu	132	60½	59	52½
Telegraph	325	96½	96	95
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THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT 5, 1889.

The general features of the wholesale trade remain much the same as formerly noted. The leading banks report that the requirements of the fourth instant were met in a satisfactory manner, renewals being fewer than some anticipated. It is expected that the circulating medium will become more plentiful as the season advances. Failures throughout the Dominion have again been few and comparatively unimportant this week. The London dock laborers' strike has been felt severely in local shipping circles, but a speedy adjustment of grievances now seems possible.

ASHES.—Receipts are very light, but demand is not yet active enough to cause any advance in prices. First pots, 3.65@3.70; seconds scarce at 3.40@3.45. Pearls quiet at 4.80@4.90. Receipts since 1st January, 2080 brls pots, 365 brls pearls; deliveries, 1848 brls pots, 323 brls pearls. Stock in store at 6 p.m. 4 September, 477 brls pots; 160 brls pearls.

Dry Goods.—The fourth just past was not a heavy one, but the paper was met better than was expected and remittances show a slight improvement—not before there was room for it. The city retail trade report a very fair volume of purchases during August, and the aggregate of their sales during the month exceeded those of last year. In the Eastern Townships and Ottawa, trade is better and the prospects excellent for the harvest. In Manitoba it seems certain that the crops will be far better than was anticipated, and merchants are now having their conditional orders filled and sent on. In this city most of the travellers are off the road, and the usual lull is taking place. Stocks are not large, as the heavy advance in many dress fabrics has curtailed purchases. Prices in Canadian manufactures are well maintained, although the usual complaints of cutting are rife, and most mill-men say that so soon as their old raw material is exhausted, they will be driven to advance prices if the present values for textiles are maintained.

DAIRY PRODUCE AND PROVISIONS.—It has been a dull week in these markets. There is scarcely any demand for cheese and no very recent features in the market. The question of Canadian competition, etc., is dealt with at some length elsewhere. The Liverpool cable quotes 44s 6d. Five factories offered 2,200 boxes, August, at Ingersoll, but there were no sales. At Belleville 29 factories offered 1,430 boxes white and 870 colored, representing nearly the first half of their August make; 45 boxes sold at 9c, 795 at 9½ and 365 at 9¼c. In butter, pork, lard, meats and eggs, a moderate demand has existed at prices quoted. Chicago provision market active and stronger for pork at \$10.50 Oct; \$8.90 year; \$9.15 Jan. Lard weaker at \$5.95 Oct; \$5.72½ year; \$5.77½ Jan.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.—Chemicals are firm with a decided upward tendency. Cables report an advance in price of Soda, Ash and Sal Soda. All the other lines are steady with the exception of Sulphate of Copper which is slightly easier. Morphine is strong without change. Gambier is scarce and cannot be bought under 8c. Late English advices report: Chemicals.—Caustic Soda, firm, 2s 6d@5s dearer. Bleach dull, without quotable change.

FISH, OILS, ETC.—Some inquiries for canned lobsters during the week, but no sales have yet been reported as buyers and sellers views are apart. There has been a fair inquiry for green codfish but stock is very light. Oils are steady without any large transactions reported during the week. Late English advices say: Oils.—Lined is very firm and 3@6d higher for the week. Others unchanged.

FLOUR AND GRAIN.—A comparatively small business has been put through in flour during the week, as buyers seem well supplied for the present. The market has ruled steady. Holders are fairly steady on wheat, but prices are lower than a week ago; oats have also declined. The coming forward of the crop has caused the recent break, but prices now look low. We have heard of very few transactions. The Liverpool grain rate is 3s 3d@3s 6d, London 3s 6d@3s 9d and Glasgow 3s 9d. Receipts of grain here have been moderate, outside of American grain for export. The Chicago statement of visible supply of wheat is 31,497,000 bushels, a decrease of 346,000 with a week ago, an increase of 2,800,000 with a month ago and a decrease of 18,428,000 with a year ago. Stock in Chicago is an increase of 41,000 bushels on the week; corn increase 533,000 bushels. The tone of the Chicago market, which has been firm, is now towards ease at 77½ Oct; 79½ Dec; 83¼c

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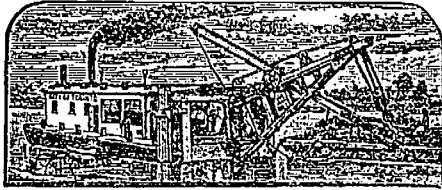
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May. Corn active and firmer at 34c Oct; 33½ Dec; 36 May. Cables make wheat and corn steadier in England. Canadian peas 6s 3d. Weather in England fine—after showers. The wheat crop of Great Britain is reckoned at 30 bushels per acre. The yield in Ireland is estimated at 2,000,000 bushels, making a total of 75,487,760 bushels. Samples of good wheat are rare. The values of old are steady. The sales of English wheat during the past week were 26,842 quarters at 31s 2d, against 19,763 quarters at 36s 4d during the corresponding period last year. The trade in foreign wheat is quiet, and prices have de-

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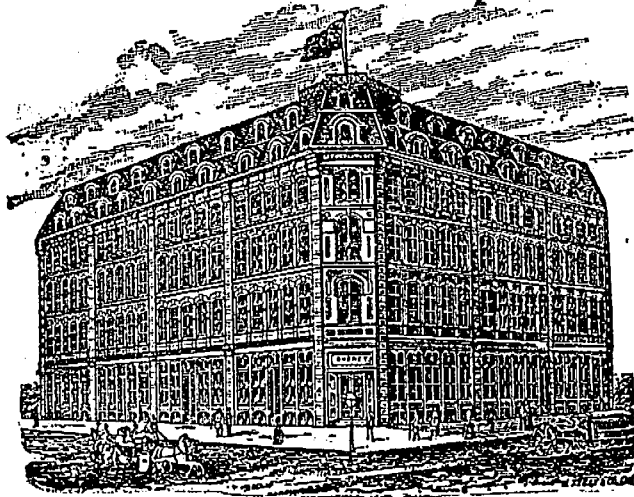


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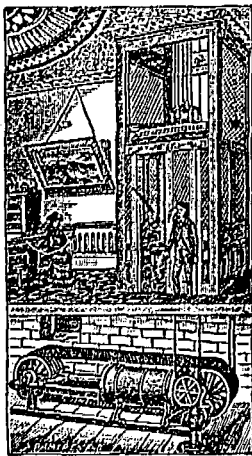
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GROCERIES.—The situation has changed but slightly during the week and importers and jobbers, generally, look upon the prospects for a large fall trade as very promising. The supply of bright yellow sugars has been much reduced and prices are firm. There can be no doubt that the meagreness of the small fruit crop has greatly restricted the consumption of sugar. The local refineries have not yet decided when to re-open, and in the meantime prices are unchanged. Prices keep low all

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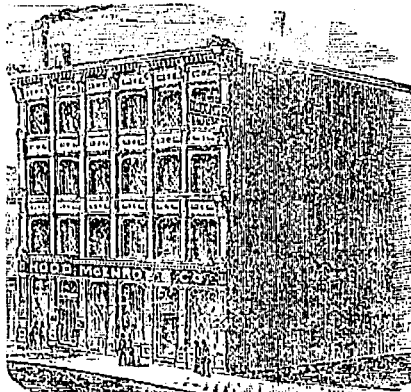
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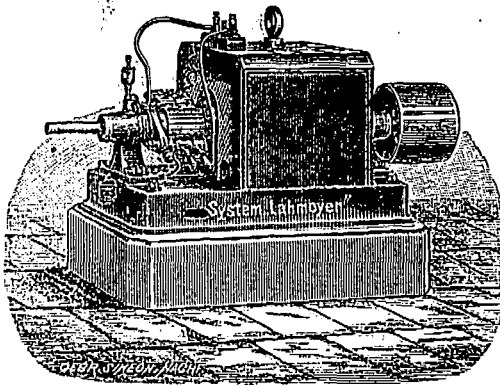
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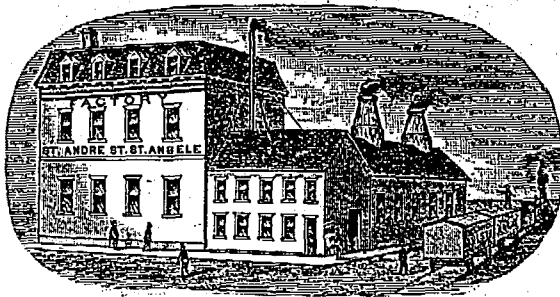


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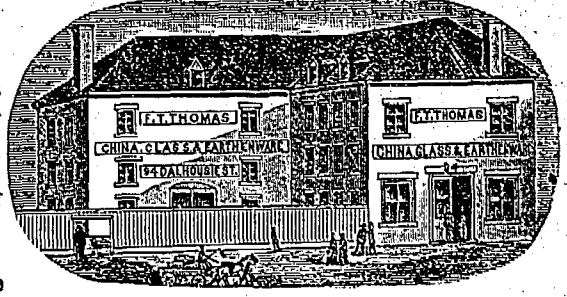
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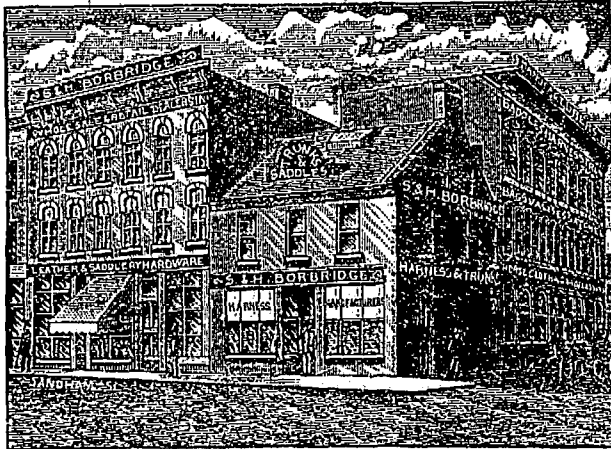


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LEATHER AND SHOES.—In the leather market a better feeling exists though prices show no change. Stocks continue light, English markets are fairly active and show more inquiry for our leathers. Shoes.—Some factories are pushing to their fullest extent to get orders through this month if possible. All are fairly busy. The advent of "Labor Day" was felt among some who allowed their employees the full holiday. Prospects in the West are as sur-

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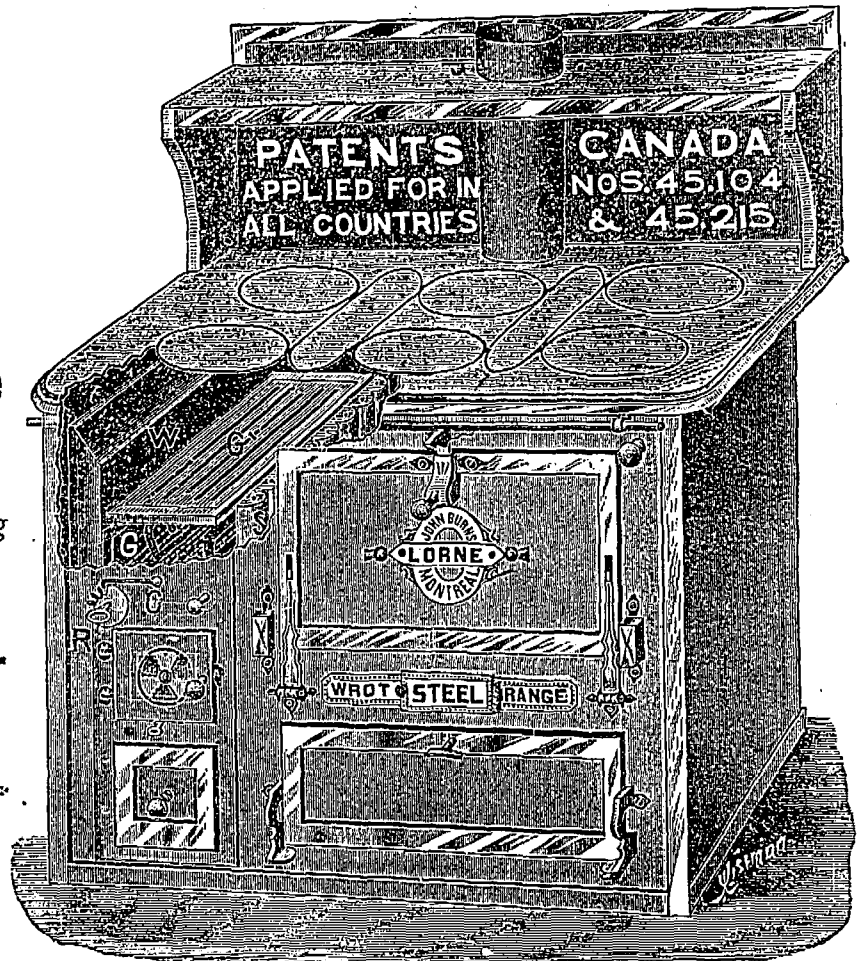
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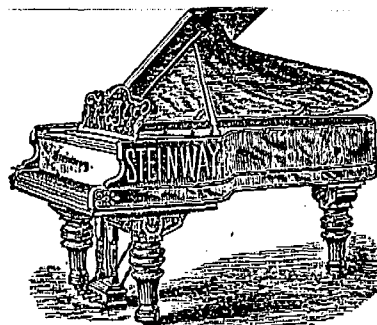
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showing inferior quality to that of some weeks
ago, and good potatoes seem rather difficult to
obtain.

Wool.—The market maintains its firm tone,
but transactions are very limited and light, as
buyers are cautious in making purchases at
present figures. Some sales of caps have been
made at full prices from cargo which arrived
last week, 17c@18c being obtained. The
United States market is rather flat, owing to
recent heavy failures, but otherwise the mar-
ket is strong.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

The attention of business men is directed
to the announcement, "Retail Business for

Sale," advertised by Mr. H. H. Goulter, attor-
ney, etc., Viridun, Man.

In another column will be found the ad-
vertisement of B. Swenerton, millers' and
manufacturers' agent, a reliable gentleman of
large experience. A few more manufacturing
lines are asked for to represent in Maritime
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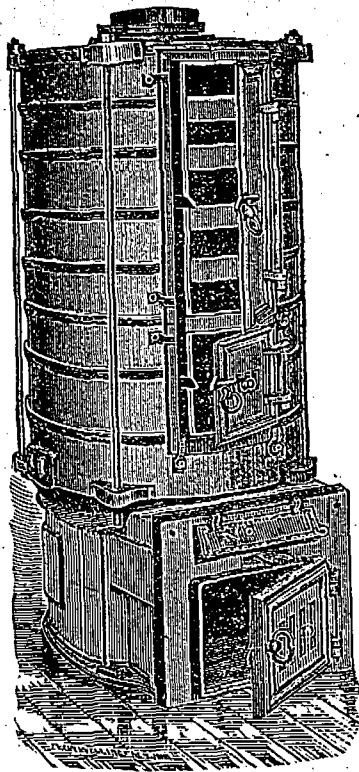
Attention is called to the announcement of John Starr, Halifax, N.S., dealer in Electrical Apparatus and Supplies. This branch of his business was established about five years ago, since which time it has steadily grown, and to-day embraces every detail of the business, and is the only firm in the Maritime Provinces handling a full line of Electrical Apparatus and Supplies.

Mr. Starr spent three years in Europe in the interests of the Thomson-Houston Electric Company, of Boston, one of the largest electrical concerns in the world, and has made a special study and had practical experience in the various details of the business. This firm is General Canadian Agent for the "Lahmeyer" Electric Light System, "Hingue" Telephone, "Samson" Batteries, and other European and American electrical specialties.

At the Electrical Exhibition just closed in St. John, N.B., Mr. Starr made a very handsome exhibit of Electric Light, Telephones, etc., and received very flattering notices from all the local press as well as from American electrical journals who had special correspondents there. The "Lahmeyer" Electric Light Dynamo, which Mr. Starr is introducing into Canada, is made by the Deutsche Elektrizitäts Works, of Aachen, Germany, differs from all others, in that it is all cast in one piece, making the machine much more efficient and simple. The pole pieces form two heavy perfect horseshoe magnets, the line of force being concentrated on the armature, while the outer surfaces are neutral. It is evident that only those lines of force are effective in the generation of currents which are cut by the revolving wires, and that the lines of force which pass around the armature, through the air, entail a loss of energy, for their production requires a part of the electrical energy consumed by the magnetic coils, and the existence of these lines of force does not assist in the generation of current. The number of these lines of force lost through the air is quite considerable in most machines, as the poles are usually inserted into pole-pieces, and which contain surfaces that are turned away from the armature. A large number of the lines of force are thus scattered into the air from these idle surfaces without acting upon the armature, and this scattering is made evident by the attraction which such magnets exert upon neighboring pieces of iron and steel. The form of magnetic frame adopted by the Lahmeyer Dynamo almost entirely prevents this evil, which is proven by the fact that an ordinary watch can be laid on the machine, when in operation, without damage, which was daily demonstrated at the St. John exhibition. While the electro-magnetic frame prevents the loss of the lines of force, its construction as a single casting results also in a large increase in the number of the lines of force generated; for it has been observed by dynamo builders, and theoretical investigations have proved, that any interruption in the molecular structure of electro-magnets, such as joints, greatly decrease the magnetizability of the iron. The latest forms of construction, therefore, are tending towards the joining of both poles of the machine by a continuous piece, such as is the case in the Lahmeyer machine. Thorough ventilation is secured by the top and bottom openings and end gratings. The machine is close regulating, and does not require an expert to run it, owing to its simplicity. The advantages resulting from this system of construction are as follows:—1. Highest attainable efficiency, therefore, greatest possible economy of power. 2. Current generated with the least sparking, therefore, steady light and small wear of brushes and commutator. 3. Solidity of construction, therefore, smooth running and durability. 4. Covered structure together with best materials and workmanship, therefore, safety against interruption from external injury and no risk in transportation. 5. No scattering of the lines of force, therefore, no loss of energy. 6. Accessibility of the different parts, and simplicity of design. 7. Large reduction in cost, therefore, the cheapest.

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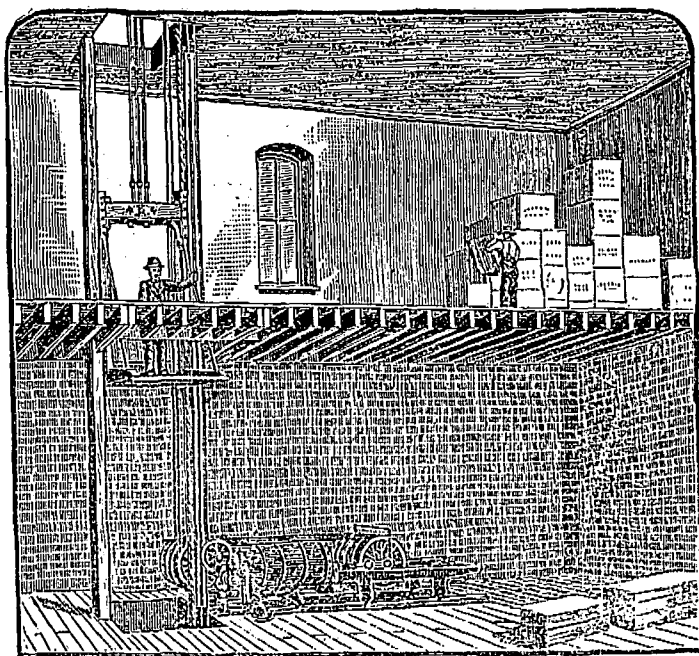
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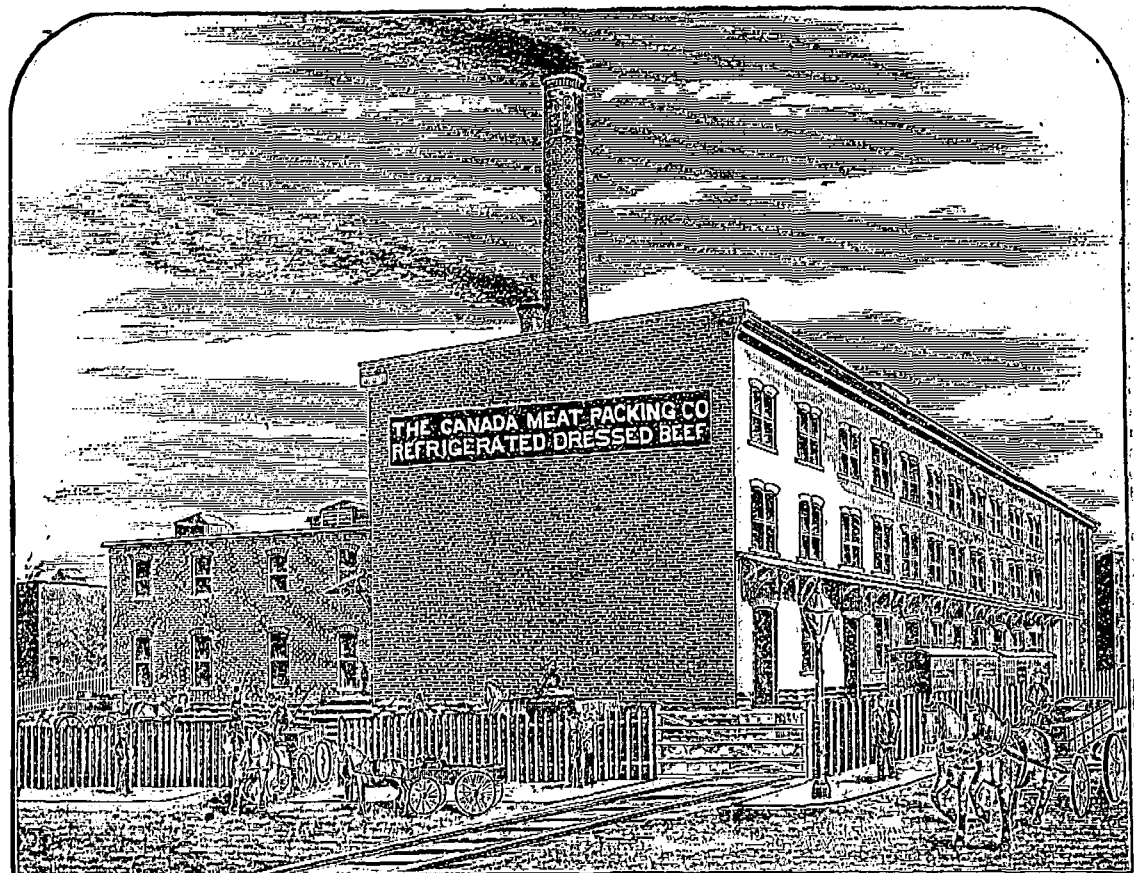
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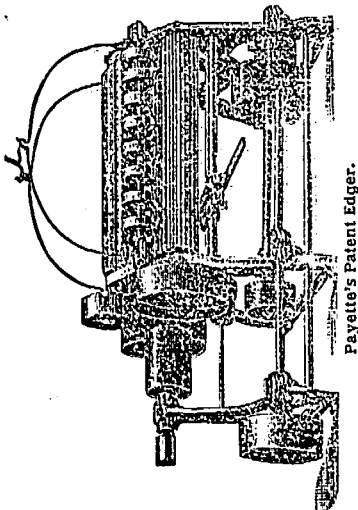
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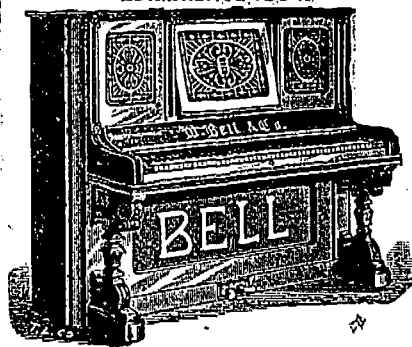
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NAME.	Par Value	Capital Subscribed.	Capital paid-up	Rest.	Div. last 6 Ms.	Dates of Dividends.	Per Cent Prices Sept. 6.	Cash value per Sh
Brit. North America...	\$243	\$4,866,666	4,866,666	1,250,630	4	April Oct	161	392 08 1/2
Can. Bank Commerce...	50	6,000,000	6,000,000	800,000	3 1/2	June Dec	129 120 1/2	64 50
Commercial, Manitoba...	500	100,000	276,970	25,000	3 1/2	2 May 2 Nov	101 102 1/2	400 00
Commercial, Nfld.	200	306,000	306,000	145,000	4 1/2	30 June 31 Dec	400	400 00
Commercial, Windsor...	40	500,000	280,000	65,000	3	.....	102	40 80
Dominion	50	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,220,000	5 & 1/2	1 May 1 Nov	223 1/2 229	114 12 1/2
Du Peuple	50	1,200,000	1,200,000	350,000	3	3 Mar 8 Sept	101 102 1/2	50 75
Eastern Townships....	50	1,483,650	1,466,684	600,000	3 1/2	2 Jan 2 July	126	68 00
Exchange, Yarmouth...	70	280,000	245,945	30,000	3	1 Feb 1 Aug	86	60 20
Federal	100	1,250,000	1,250,000	in liquidation	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hamilton	100	1,000,000	1,000,000	400,000	4	1 June 1 Dec	146	146 00
Hochelaga	100	710,100	710,100	100,000	3	June Dec	95 100	95 00
Imperial	100	1,500,000	1,500,000	650,000	4	June Dec	156 153	156 00
Jacques Cartier	25	500,000	500,000	140,000	3	2 June 2 Dec	90 97 1/2	22 50
Merchants' Can.	100	5,799,200	5,799,200	2,135,000	3 1/2	1 June 1 Dec	148 149 1/2	148 00
Merchants, Halifax....	100	1,000,000	1,000,000	200,000	3	1 Aug 1 Feb	127	127 00
Molson	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,000,000	4	1 April 1 Oct	180	90 00
Montreal	200	12,000,000	12,000,000	6,000,000	5	1 June 1 Dec	235 235 1/2	470 00
Nationale	30	2,000,000	2,000,000	.....	2	1 May Nov	89	24 00
New Brunswick	100	500,000	500,000	375,000	6	1 Jan 1 July	223	.....
Ontario	100	1,500,000	1,500,000	600,000	7	1 June 1 Dec	135 136	135 50
Ottawa	100	1,000,000	1,000,000	350,000	3 1/2	1 June 1 Dec	122	122 00
People's of N. B.	50	180,000	180,000	95,000	4	Jan. July	100	50 00
Quebec	100	2,500,000	2,500,000	500,000	3 1/2	June Dec	123	.....
St. Stephen's	100	200,000	200,000	25,000	2 1/2	April Oct	.....	.....
Standard	50	1,000,000	1,000,000	410,000	7	Jan July	137 138 1/2	68 50
Toronto	100	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,450,000	8	1 June 1 Dec	220 223	220 00
Union, (Halifax)....	50	500,000	500,000	40,000	2 1/2	.....	101	50 50
Union of Can.	60	1,200,000	1,200,000	100,000	3	2 Jan 2 July	92 1/2 95 1/2	55 20
Ville Marie	100	500,000	478,480	20,000	3 1/2	2 June 1 Dec	.....	.....
Western Bank of Can..	100	500,000	330,000	60,000	3 1/2	1 April-Oct	99	110 00
Agri. Sav. and Loan Co....	60	630,200	616,374	80,000	3 1/2	1 Jan 1 July	.....	.....
Brit. Can. Loan & Inv. Co.	100	1,620,000	322,412	47,000	5	1 Jan 1 July	111 112	111 00
Brit. Mortg. Loan Co....	100	450,000	288,971	44,000	3 1/2	2 July .....	.....	.....
Building and Loan Assoc.	25	750,000	750,000	95,000	3	2 Jan 2 July	108 109	27 00
Canada Cotton Co.	100	750,000	750,000	.....	.....	May Aug	45 60	45 00
Canada Landed Credit Co..	50	1,500,000	663,990	150,000	4	2 Jan 2 July	117 119	58 75
Can. Form. Loan and Sav...	50	3,500,000	2,300,000	1,180,000	6 1/2	1 Jan 1 July	200 204	100 00
Can. Sav. and Loan Co....	50	750,000	681,079	150,000	7	June Dec	.....	.....
Dominion Sav. and Inv. Co.	50	1,000,000	873,205	157,000	4	30 July 31 Dec	92 94	46 00
Dominion Telegraph Co....	50	1,000,000	1,000,000	.....	3	15 Jan-Qty	84 88	42 00
Dundas Cotton Co.	100	500,000	500,000	.....	.....	.....	40	40 00
Karmer's Loan and Sav. Co.	50	1,087,250	611,490	107,125	5 1/2	May Nov	118 1/2	59 25
Fraser's Loan and Sav. Co.	100	2,700,000	1,200,000	570,000	5	1 June 1 Dec	170	170 00
Hamilton Prov. and Loan	100	1,500,000	1,100,300	215,000	3 1/2	2 Jan 2 July	125	125 00
Home Sav. and Loan Co....	100	1,500,000	150,000	68,000	3 1/2	2 Jan 2 July	.....	.....
Hochelaga Cotton Co.	100	2,000,000	1,000,300	24,000	2 1/2	March-Qty	140 150	140 00
Huron & Lambton Loan Co.	50	500,000	315,039	47,570	3 1/2	2 Jan 2 July	.....	.....
Imperial Loan and Inv. Co.	100	629,850	625,900	100,300	3 1/2	8 Jan 8 July	118 1/2 120	118 50
Landed Banking and Loan.	100	700,000	519,262	60,000	3	2 Jan 2 July	.....	.....
London & Can. Loan and Ag.	50	5,000,000	700 00	320,000	5	15 Moh 15 Sept	138 139 1/2	69 00
London Loan Co.	50	679,700	690,000	53,000	3 1/2	31 Dec 30 June	.....	.....
London and Ont. Inv. Co....	100	2,452,700	490,540	105,000	3 1/2	2 Jan 2 July	111	111 00
Manitoba Inv. Assoc.	100	100,000	100,000	3,000	4	Jan July	.....	.....
Manitoba Loan	100	1,250,000	312,500	111,000	3 1/2	Jan July	108 1/2	108 75
Montreal Telegraph Co....	40	7,000,000	2,000,000	.....	4	2 Jan-Qty	96 1/2 96 1/2	38 00
Montreal City Gas Co....	40	2,000,000	2,000,000	.....	6	15 April 15 Oct	206 1/2 207 1/2	82 70
Montreal Street Ry. Co....	50	600,000	600,000	.....	4	6 May 6 Nov	205 215	102 50
Montreal Cotton Co....	100	800,000	800,000	.....	2 1/2	.....	90 94	90 00
Montreal Building Assoc...	50	800,000	300,600	.....	0	March-Qty	27	13 50
Montreal Loan and Mortg..	50	1,000,000	500,000	.....	3 1/2	15 Moh 15 Sept	112	58 12 1/2
National Investment Co....	100	1,700,000	418,000	22,500	3 1/2	31 Dec 30 June	101	101 00
Ont. Indus. Loan and Inv...	50	500,000	274,278	60,000	3	30 June 31 Dec	114	114 00
Ont. Loan and Deb. Co....	50	2,000,000	1,200,000	340,000	3 1/2	1 Jan 1 July	125 130	62 75
People's Loan and Deb. Co..	50	600,000	564,580	92,000	3 1/2	1 Jan 1 July	118	59 00
Real Est. Loan and Deb. Co.	50	500,000	346,213	.....	3	Jan July	.....	.....
Richelieu and Ont. Nav. Co.	100	1,619,000	1,350,000	.....	3	9 Feb 15 Sept	60 1/2 61 1/2	60 50
Royal Loan and Sav. Co....	50	500,000	470,000	57,000	4	Jan July	130	65 00
Starr Mfg Co., Halifax....	100	200,000	200,000	Feby.	5	March	70	71 00
Toronto City Gas Co....	50	800,000	800,000	.....	2 1/2	1 Feb-Qty	179 1/2	89 75
Union Loan and Sav. Co....	50	1,000,000	627,000	200,000	4	1 Jan 1 July	131	65 50
Western Can. Loan & Sav.	50	2,500,000	1,300,000	650,000	5	Jan July	186	93 00

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MONTREAL WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.—THURSDAY, SEPT. 5, 1889.

Name of Article.		Wholesale.			Name of Article.		Wholesale.		Name of Article.		Wholesale.				
Boots and Shoes.															
Brogans.....		Mens.	Boys.	Youths.	Roast chicken, 1-lb tins.	\$ c.	\$ c.	Anchor Brand, per gross,	\$ c.	\$ c.					
Cobourgs.....		\$0 75	\$0 70	\$0 65	Roast turkey, 1-lb tins.	0 00	2 30	Insect Powder per lb....	0 70	0 70					
Split Balmorals.....		1 00	0 85	0 75		0 00	2 40	Sulphur flour.....	2 25	2 75					
Kip.....		1 15	0 90	0 80	Corn Brooms.										
Buff.....		1 25	1 00	0 90	No. 1 Gem 4 strings, hard			Dyestuffs.							
Calf.....		1 30	1 10	1 00	wood handle.....	3 35	0 00	Arochl, con.....	0 27	0 39					
Buff Congress.....		1 40	1 15	1 05	No. 2 do 3 strings.....	2 75	0 00	Cutch.....	0 07	0 08					
Calf.....		1 50	1 25	1 15	No. 3 do 2 strings.....	2 15	0 00	Ex. Logwood.....	0 10	0 15					
Split boots.....		1 25	1 00	0 90	No. 4 do 2 strings.....	1 95	0 00	Chips.....	1 90	2 25					
Kip.....		2 00	1 50	1 40	No. 0 Hurl 4 strings.....	2 85	0 00	Indigo (Bengal).....	1 50	1 75					
Calf.....		2 75	2 00	1 70	No. 1 do 3 strings.....	2 45	0 00	" Madras.....	0 70	1 00					
Felt boots half fox		1 65	1 40	1 30	No. 2 do 3 strings.....	2 10	0 00	Gambier.....	0 08	0 13					
full.....		1 90	1 70	1 60	No. 3 do 3 strings, bass-	1 75	0 00	Madder.....	0 11	0 18					
" Sox.....		0 50	0 40	0 35	wood handle.....			Sumac.....	60 00	65 00					
					O. K. 2 strings basswood	1 40	0 00	Fish.							
Pegged.															
Split Batts.....		0 65	0 85	0 40	Drugs & Chemicals								Halifax Fibred Codfish,	3 20	0 00
Split Balmorals.....		0 80	0 90	0 50	Acid Carbolic Cryst Medi	0 55	0 60	1-lb. pkgs. per cs. 40 pkgs	4 09	4 50					
Kip.....		1 00	1 10	0 75	Aloes, Cape.....	0 15	0 16	Labrador Herrings, No. 1	2 50	3 00					
Buff.....		1 30	1 15	0 80	Alum.....	1 60	1 75	halves.....	0 00	0 00					
Pebbled.....		1 90	1 15	0 80	Borax, xtls.....	0 09	0 11	French Shore, No. 1.....	0 00	0 00					
Buff Bals brass nailed.		1 90	1 15	0 80	Bleaching Powder.....	1 95	2 25	Sea Trout.....	0 00	0 00					
Machine Sewed.															
Poppled Button.....		1 00	1 20	0 85	Blue Vitriol.....	7 00	7 50	Cape Broton Herrings.....	5 50	6 00					
Glazed Buff Button.....		1 00	1 20	0 85	Brimstone.....	2 00	2 50	halves.....	0 00	0 00					
Pebbled Button.....		1 00	1 50	0 85	Brom. Potass.....	0 55	0 60	Mackerel, No 1, kitts.....	2 50	0 00					
Glazed.....		1 15	1 40	0 70	Camphor, Eng. Ref.....	0 50	0 52	" 2.....	0 00	0 00					
Goat.....		1 50	1 90	1 15	Am. Ref.....	0 45	0 47	Green Cod, Large.....	5 00	0 00					
Polish Calf.....		1 50	1 90	1 30	Caustic Soda 60 p.c.....	1 75	2 00	Draft " No. 1.....	5 00	0 00					
French Kid.....		1 85	3 40	1 40	70 p.c.....	2 00	2 25	Dry ".....	4 60	4 75					
					Citric Acid.....	0 50	0 90	Salmon No. 1 bris.....	15 50	16 00					
					Copperas, per 100 lbs.....	0 23	0 25	" 2.....	15 00	0 00					
					Green Tartar.....	1 50	1 75	" 3.....	14 00	0 00					
					Epsom Salts.....	1 50	1 75	Salmon, No. 1 (tierces).....	0 00	22 00					
					Glyocaine.....	0 28	0 30	" " 2, large.....	00 00	21 00					
					Gum Arabic per lb.....	0 55	1 25	" " 3.....	00 00	18 00					
					" Trag.....	0 55	1 00	" Brit. Col bris.....	12 00	12 50					
					Morphia.....	1 75	2 00	Boneless Fish.....	0 04	0 05					
					Opium.....	3 75	4 25	Cod.....	0 05	0 05					
					Oxalic Acid.....	0 11	0 15	Flour.							
					Phosphorus.....	0 75	0 80	Patent, winter.....	5 40	5 60					
					Potash Bichromate.....	0 00	0 11	Patent, spring.....	5 50	5 75					
					Potass Iodide.....	3 30	4 00	Straight roller.....	4 65	4 90					
					Quinine.....	0 80	0 70	Extra.....	4 25	4 40					
					Soda Ash, 48°.....	1 30	1 50	Superfine.....	3 50	4 00					
					Soda Bicarb.....	1 90	2 00	Superfine Bags.....	2 20	2 10					
					Sal Soda.....	0 80	1 00	Extra.....	1 50	2 00					
					" Concentrated.....	1 67	1 80	City Strong Bakers.....	5 25	5 30					
					Styrobazine.....	1 10	1 25	Strong Bakers.....	5 10	5 20					
					Tartaric Acid.....	0 45	0 50	" (Second).....	0 00	0 00					
					Tin Crystals.....	0 25	0 30	Oatmeal, standard bag.....	1 90	0 00					
					Jonas' Extracts:			" Manitoba.....	0 00	0 00					
					Triple Extracts, sq. bot.,			Oatmeal, granulated, bag	2 00	0 00					
					per gross.....	21 00	0 00	Roll'd Meal.....	4 10	4 15					
								" Oats.....	4 15	4 20					

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	\$ c. \$ c.		\$ c. \$ c.		\$ c. \$ c.		\$ c. \$ c.
Farm Products.							
Apples: per bbl.	2 50 3 00	Peas, per 66 lbs.	0 77 0 78	Fruit: Loose Muscatel.	2 40 2 50	"Reindeer Brand" Goods—	
Dr. Apples per lb.	0 03 0 04	Rye.	0 00 0 00	Layers, Malaga.	0 00 0 00	Condensed Milk, per case,	0 00 0 00
Evans'.	0 06 0 07	Corn, in bond.	0 43 0 00	London.	3 85 4 00	4 doz. 1-lb. cases.	0 00 0 00
BUTTER:							
Creamery (finest) per lb.	0 19 0 20	Groceries.		Dehesas.	5 60 5 75	Cond'ed Coffee—Mocha V	0 00 0 00
(med)	0 00 0 00	Tea (Hf.-Chest & Cad.)	0 11 0 20	Black Basket.	4 75 5 00	Java, per os, 2 doz. 1 lb os	0 00 0 00
Finest Dairy	0 16 0 17	Japan, com. to med. lb.	0 27 0 30	Sultanas.	0 07 0 10	Condensed Coffee—Java.	0 00 0 00
Fine	0 15 0 16	" good med. to fine	0 35 0 40	Seedless.	0 00 0 00	per os, 2 doz. 1-lb. ca.	0 00 0 00
Common grades	0 00 0 14	" finest to choicest.	0 15 0 18	Valentia.	0 00 0 07	Condensed Coffee—Jamaica,	0 00 0 00
CHEESE:							
Finest Colored per lb.	0 09 0 09	Y. Hyson, com. to gd.	0 19 0 20	Elmo.	0 00 0 00	Prices on appli.—see advt.	
White	0 09 0 09	fine to finest. lb.	0 30 0 60	Currants.	0 04 0 06	Starch:	
Medium to Fine	0 08 0 08	" finest.	0 15 0 20	Prunos (French).	0 05 0 06	White	0 04 0 00
EGGS:							
Strictly fresh per doz.	0 00 0 13	Gunpd. com to med.	0 24 0 25	Figs, Elmo.	0 10 0 12	Crystal Gloss.	0 06 0 00
Sound	0 12 0 13	good to fine	0 24 0 46	new layers.	0 14 0 16	Snow Flake.	0 07 0 00
Finest limed	0 00 0 00	" finest.	0 55 0 65	Sh. Almonds, bxs.	0 22 0 25	Dom. Rep. Corn.	0 07 0 00
Poor	0 00 0 00	Imperial mod. to gd.	0 25 0 33	S. S. Tarragona.	0 18 0 20	Corn Starch.	0 06 0 00
Hens: 1889 per lb.	0 20 0 25	fine to finest.	0 37 0 58	Almonds, paper shell.	0 11 0 12	Pure White.	0 06 0 00
Finest 1888	0 18 0 23	Twankay, com. to gd.	0 12 0 18	Walnuts.	0 09 0 10	Vinegar: Imp. Triple, 1 brl	0 41 0 00
1887	0 05 0 05	Colong.	0 45 0 65	Grenoble.	0 09 0 10	Cote D'or.	0 35 0 00
Fair to good	0 03 0 09	Congou, common	0 10 0 12	Filberts.	0 06 0 07	Crystal Pickling.	0 28 0 00
HOC PRODUCE:							
Bacon Smk'd per lb.	0 10 0 10	" good common	0 14 0 18	Brazils, new.	0 06 0 07	W. W. XXX.	0 30 0 00
Dressed Hogs	0 11 0 11	med. to good.	0 19 0 25	Macce	1 00 1 25	W. W. X.	0 25 0 00
Hams Smk'd	0 11 0 00	fine to finest.	0 35 0 55	Cloves.	0 22 0 25	W. W. X.	0 20 0 00
Canvassed	0 11 0 00	Souphong, common.	0 00 0 00	Nutmegs.	0 70 0 90	Pure Malt.	0 45 0 00
Pork Ca. s. o. per bbl.	16 00 16 50	med. to good.	0 25 0 32	Jamaica Ginger, Bl.	0 19 0 21	Glder X.	0 42 0 00
Western do	13 75 0 00	fine to choice.	0 35 0 60	Unbl.	0 16 0 19	XXX.	0 27 0 00
Mess.	13 25 0 00	Dust.	0 06 0 07	African.	0 06 0 07	Soap: Best Laundry.	0 06 0 06
Lard per lb.	0 08 0 09	Coffee, Mocha (green).		Pimento.	0 08 0 09	Common.	0 02 0 05
per pail Chicago and		Add 4c for roasting and		Pepper, Black.	0 15 0 00	Matches: Common.	2 25 2 50
Milwaukee.	1 75 0 00	grinding.	0 29 0 31	White.	0 24 0 25	Parlor.	1 75 1 90
SEEDS:							
Clover, per 60 lbs, red.	0 00 0 00	Java.	0 25 0 28	Mustard, 4 lb. per jar, Eng	0 72 0 75	No. 1.	3 25 8 85
mammoth	0 00 0 00	Manacabo.	0 22 0 24	1 lb.	0 23 0 25	Hardware.	
Timothy, 45 lbs, Que.	0 00 0 00	Jamaica.	0 17 0 22	4 lb. jars, Cana.	0 65 0 70	Antimony.	0 17 0 00
Western	0 00 0 00	Bio.	0 19 0 21	1 lb.	0 22 0 24	7/8" Block, L. & F per lb.	0 23 0 00
Flax 56	0 00 0 00	Plantation Ceylon	0 24 0 26	Rice, Mount Royal.	3 70 3 80	Strait.	0 23 0 24
Potatoes, per brl	1 35 1 50	Chinory.	0 11 0 13	Patna.	4 50 5 00	Strip.	0 24 0 00
Honey, in comb.	0 14 0 18	*Sugars.		Japan Crystal.	4 00 4 75	Copper: Ingot.	0 18 0 00
in tins	0 11 0 12	Ex Ground, 'n brls.	0 09 0 09	Sago.	0 04 0 05	Sheathing.	0 15 0 00
Rooswax.	0 25 0 28	" in bxs.	0 09 0 00	Tapjoca, Pearl.	0 06 0 06	Heavy Sheets.	0 20 0 00
IRONS:							
Mod. hand picked	2 00 2 20	Powdered, in brls.	0 08 0 00	Flake.	0 07 0 07	IRON CUT NAILS—per keg.	
Socon Medium.	1 90 2 10	Paris Lumps, in brls.	0 08 15-16	Gelatine, 1 lb. can.	1 05 0 00	Hot Cut Am. or Can. Pat'n	
Yellow	0 10 0 10	" half brls.	0 09 0 00	1 qt pk.	1 60 0 00	10dy to 60dy	2 50 0 00
GRAIN:							
Canada Red Winter Wheat	0 00 0 00	" bxs.	0 09 0 00	Vermicelli, Canadian.	0 06 0 07	8dy and 9dy	2 75 0 00
White Winter.	0 00 0 00	Ex Granulated, brls.	0 18 0 00	Italian.	0 13 0 00	6dy and 7dy	3 00 0 00
Spring	0 00 0 00	Branded Yellows	0 06 0 07	Macaroni	0 22 0 32	4dy to 5dy—Am. Pat.	3 25 0 00
Hard Manitoba, No. 1	0 95 1 00	Syrup, per lb.	0 0 1 0 04	Orango	0 16 0 18	3dy—	4 00 0 00
do No. 2	0 94 0 95	14 lbs. to the gallon.		Lemon	0 16 0 17	3dy—fine hot out.	5 10 0 00
Northern, No. 1	0 00 0 00	Molasses, Barbados im's	0 45 0 47	J. P. Mott & Cos. diamond js	0 22 0 00	4dy to 5dy—Cold Cut.	3 00 0 00
do No. 2	0 00 0 00	Porto Rico.	0 44 0 00	& 6s 12-lb bx chocolates		3dy—Can. Pat.	3 50 0 00
Oats.	0 31 0 32	Antigua.	0 43 0 00	Prepared Cocoas, 4-lb.	0 28 0 00	Steel Cut, Am. or Can. Pat'n	5 70 0 00
Barley.	0 50 0 55	Trinidad.	0 00 0 00	pkgs, 10-lb bxs	0 30 0 00	10dy to 60dy	2 60 0 00
		Breadmakers' Yeast—		Cocoa Nibs, 12-lb tins.	0 22 0 85	8dy to 9dy	2 85 0 00
		50 pkgs, 36 in bx		Pure Choccol'tes for con-	0 22 0 28	6dy to 7dy	3 10 0 00
		fectioners' use.		Sweet Choccol'te liquors			
		Case 1, 3 dz. 5 oz. tins.					
		" 2, 1 " 14					

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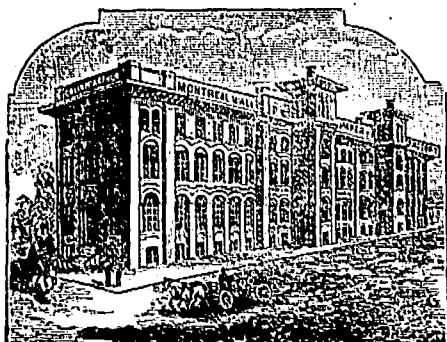
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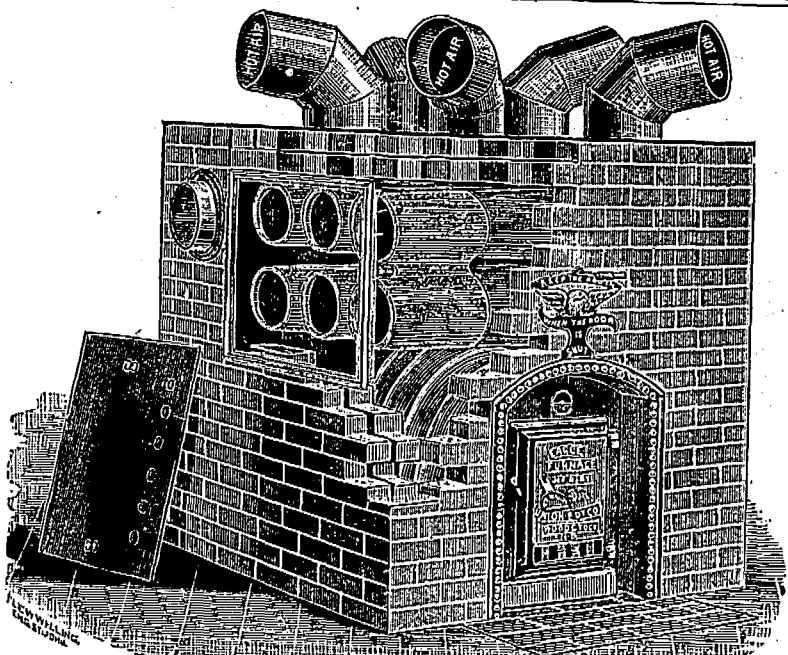
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Hardware—Continued.	\$ c. \$ c.	Coil Chain—	0 04 0 00	Lead Pipe per 100 lbs.	5 25 0 00	English.....	0 65 0 75
4dy to 6dy	3 35 0 00	oil Chain—	0 05 0 00	Zinc Sheet	5 75 6 00	Canada Kip.....	0 35 0 40
3dy	4 10 0 00	5-16	0 04 0 00	Spelter.....	0 10 5 50	Hemlock Calif.....	0 60 0 60
3dy—fine	5 60 0 00	7-16	0 03 0 00	Scrap Iron—Chairs	0 50 19 00	Light.....	0 40 0 45
Casing, Flooring, Box, Shook and Tobacco Box:				Machinery scrap.....	18 00 19 00	French Calif.....	1 35 1 40
3dy	4 60 0 00	Galvanized Iron:		Wrot iron.....	19 00 21 60	Splits, Light & Medium.	0 17 0 24
4dy to 6dy	3 75 0 00	Morewoods Lion, No. 23.	0 06 0 07	Powder: Canada Blasting	3 00 3 50	Splits, Heavy.....	0 15 0 20
6dy and 7dy	3 50 0 00	D. McG. & Co.....	0 00 0 05	F F to F F F.....	4 75 5 00	Small.....	0 14 0 18
8dy and 9dy	3 25 0 00	Queen's Head, or equal.....	0 05 0 00	Barbed wire, per lb. Gal.	0 05 0 00	Leather Board, Canada.	0 08 0 12
10d to 30dy	3 00 0 00	Common.....	0 05 0 00	Fencingwire, No. 8.....	0 00 2 25	Enameled Cow, per ft.	0 15 0 16
Cut Spikes: all sizes	2 75 0 00	Fig Iron: Siemen No. 1.	22 75 23 00	" No. 9.....	0 00 2 35	Pebble Grain.....	0 10 0 14
Common Flour Barrel:		Coltness.....	23 00 0 00	" No. 10.....	0 00 2 50	Brush (Cow) Kid.....	0 10 0 14
0 1/2 in.....	4 90 0 00	Calder.....	23 50 0 00	Buckthorn Wire.....	0 00 0 05	Buff.....	0 11 0 18
1 in.....	4 50 0 00	Langloan.....	23 00 0 00	Hides and Tallow.		Russetts, Light.....	0 30 0 35
1 1/2 in.....	4 20 0 00	Shotts.....	22 30 22 50	Midland Green Hides		Heavy.....	0 20 0 25
Finishing Nails:		Summerlee.....	23 00 0 00	" No. 1 per 100 lbs	6 00 0 00	No. 2.....	0 20 0 25
1 in.....per keg	6 45 0 00	Gartherrrie.....	22 50 23 00	" No. 3.....	5 00 0 00	Saddlers'.....	7 50 9 00
1 1/2 in.....	4 75 0 00	Carubros.....	21 00 0 00	" No. 4.....	4 00 0 00	English Oak.....	0 40 0 45
1 in.....	4 00 0 00	Clyde.....	0 00 0 00	" No. 5.....	3 50 0 00	Rough.....	0 16 0 20
1 1/2 in.....	4 00 0 00	Govan.....	0 00 0 00	Tanners pay \$6.50, \$5.50 and \$4.50 for 1, 2 and 3.		Raw Furs.	
2 in.....	3 75 0 00	Eglinton.....	20 00 0 00	Hamilton, No. 1 insp	6 25 0 00	Beaver, per lb.....	3 75 4 00
2 1/2 in.....	3 75 0 00	Hematite.....	23 00 24 00	" No. 2.....	6 25 0 00	Bear, per skin.....	8 00 25 00
3 in.....	3 50 0 00	Bar Iron, per 100 lbs	2 25 2 40	Toronto " 1.....	5 75 0 00	Bear, Cub, per skin.....	3 00 10 00
3 in and up.....	3 25 0 00	Ord. Crown.....	0 00 2 35	" 2.....	6 50 0 00	Fisher.....	5 00 10 00
Clinch and Heavy Clinch:		Best Refined.....	0 00 2 25	Chicago Buff " 1.....	6 50 0 00	Fox, Rod, per skin.....	1 40 1 80
1 in.....per 100 lbs	6 45 0 00	Siemens.....	0 00 2 25	" 2.....	6 50 0 00	Fox, Cross.....	3 00 5 00
1 1/2 in.....	4 75 0 00	Swedes.....	3 50 4 00	" Steers.....	3 50 10 00	Lynx, per skin, large.....	2 50 5 00
1 in.....	4 00 0 00	Sheet Iron to No. 28.....	2 90 3 00	" Calfskins.....	0 07 0 08	Marten, per skin.....	1 00 1 25
1 1/2 in.....	4 00 0 00	Boiler Plates.....	2 25 2 50	" Bulls.....	0 65 0 00	Mink, per skin.....	0 75 1 00
2 and 2 1/2.....	3 75 0 00	Boiler Lowmoor.....	0 00 0 06 1/2	Dry No'r West.....	10 00 11 00	Muskrat, Winter.....	0 15 0 20
2 1/2 and 2 3/4.....	3 50 0 00	Hoops and Bands.....	2 00 2 50	Sheepskins.....	0 35 0 00	" Fall.....	0 12 0 15
3 in and up.....	3 25 0 00	Canada Plates:		Clips.....	0 40 0 45	" Spring.....	0 25 0 00
Sharp and Flat Press'd Nails		Good Brands.....	2 75 3 00	Lambskins.....	0 40 0 45	Otter, per skin.....	8 00 12 00
1 in.....per 100 lbs	6 95 0 00	Iron Wire: 0 to 7 p 100 lbs	2 25 2 30	Calfskins uninspected.....	0 05 0 00	Horse Hides western, each.....	2 50 3 00
1 1/2 in.....	6 25 0 00	Wrot Iron pipe, 1 to 2 in	0 00 0 00	Horse Hides western, each.....	2 50 3 00	Tallow, refined.....	0 05 0 06 1/2
1 in.....	4 50 0 00	5 7 1/2 p. c. over 2 in. 60.....	0 11 0 12	" rough.....	0 03 0 04	Leather (at 6 months)	
2 and 2 1/2.....	4 25 0 00	Steel, cast per lb.....	2 50 0 00	No. 1 B. A. Sole.....	0 21 0 22	No. 2 B. A. Sole.....	0 18 0 20
2 1/2 and 2 3/4.....	4 00 0 00	" Springs, 100 lb.....	2 50 0 00	No. 1, ordinary Sole.....	0 20 0 21	No. 2.....	0 17 0 19
3 in and up.....	3 75 0 00	" Tire.....	2 75 3 00	Buffalo Sole, No. 1.....	0 17 0 19	No. 2.....	0 15 0 17
Terms.		Sleigh Shoe, lb.....	2 50 2 75	" No. 2.....	0 15 0 17	China " No. 1.....	0 19 0 20
Horse Nails: P & F Bright		Tin Plate:		Zanzibar, No. 1.....	0 16 0 17	" No. 2.....	0 15 0 17
" No. 7.....	0 00 0 00	IC Coke.....	3 60 3 75	Slaughter, No. 1.....	0 23 0 25	Upper Heavy.....	0 27 0 31
" No. 8.....	0 23 0 00	IX Charcoal.....	4 15 4 50	Harness.....	0 22 0 27	Light.....	0 30 0 34
" No. 9.....	0 22 0 00	IX.....		Grained Upper.....	0 30 0 35	Scotch Grain.....	0 28 0 35
M Brand..... 60 p.c. 10p.c.		DX.....		Kip Skins, French.....	0 75 0 95		
Wrought or Ship Spikes:		DXX.....					
7-16 and 1 in.....	3 90 0 00	Russ. Sheet Iron.....	10 00 10 50				
3-8 in.....	4 25 0 00	Anchors, per lb.....	4 75 5 50				
5-16 in.....	4 50 0 00	Lion & Crown, Tin'd Sh'ts	5 50 6 00				
1 in.....	4 75 0 00	24 gauge.....	3 75 3 90				
(Dis. 30 per cent.)		Lead: Pig, per 100 lbs.....	4 50 4 75				
Horse Shoes.....	3 00 3 10	Sheet.....	4 50 4 75				
Terms, 4 months, or 3 po		Shot s per 100 lbs.....	6 55 5 75				
or 30 days.....	0 00 0 00						
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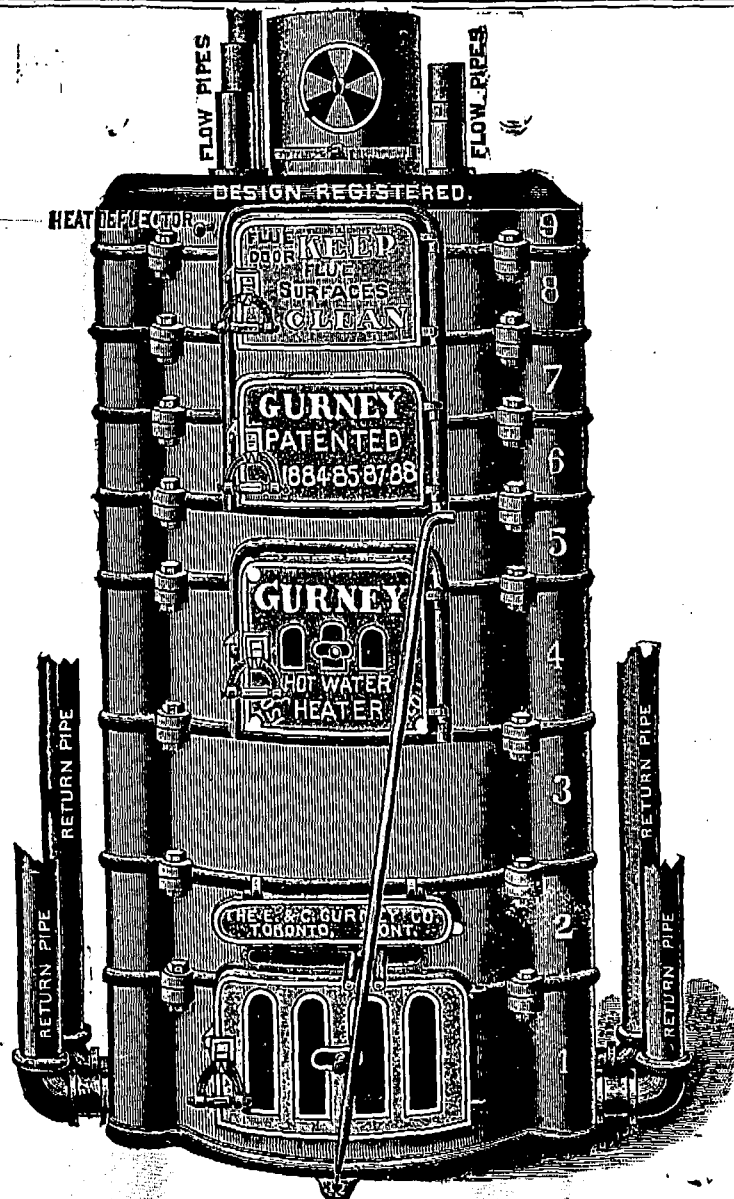
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" Billed.....	\$ 0 65 \$ 0 68	Salt.	\$ 0 52 1/2 \$ 0 55	Smoking, 6s.....	0 45 0 50	Claret cases.....	\$ 3 00 \$ 3 00 & up
Olive, Pure.....	1 00 1 10	Liverpool per bag 60yds	2 35 3 25	Solace, 12s.....	0 60 0 00	Class Claret of gd. brands	7 50 18 00
" Machinery.....	0 95 1 00	Canadian, in small bags	0 67 1/2 0 70	".....	0 48 0 00	Tarragona Ports, imp ka	1 15 1 30
" Extra, qt., p case	3 00 3 25	Half bags.....	0 35 0 37 1/2	Myrtle Navy.....	0 45 0 00	Wines, Liquors, etc.	
" pts, do.....	2 40 2 60	factory-filled per bag	1 25 1 40	Ale English..... qts.	2 40 2 45	St. Still, Case.....	10 00 23 00
" pts, do.....	2 70 3 00	Quarters.....	0 35 0 38	Domestic..... qts.	0 85 1 25	" Sparkling.....	16 00 17 50
Lucoa, Flasks	6 50 0 00	Rice's pure dairy, per bag	0 00 2 00	"..... pts.	0 60 0 75	Can. Spirits, Imp. gallon	Bond. Paid.
Spirits Tarpentino, brls.	0 83 0 64	quarters	0 00 0 60	Porter: Dublin..... qts.	2 40 2 45	Pure Spirits..... 65 O. P.	1 05 8 21
Coal Oil:		Timber, Lumber &c		"..... pts.	1 60 1 65	"..... 50	0 95 2 92
Car Lots Store, [2 p.c. off]	0 00 0 14	Ash, 1 to 4 in., M.....	20 00 25 00	"..... pts.	0 85 1 25	"..... 25 U. P.	0 53 1 52
Broken lots.....	0 00 0 18	Birch, 1 to 4 in., M.....	20 00 25 00	Porter: Domestic..... qts.	0 70 0 00	Family Proof..... 20	0 58 1 63
Am. in car lots.....	0 00 0 22	Baswood.....	18 00 20 00	"..... pts.	0 60 0 75	Old Bourbon..... 20	0 58 1 63
" 5 bbls.....	0 00 0 23	Walnut, per M.....	60 00 100 00	Brandy: Hennessey's..... gal.	6 00 6 25	" Rye..... 25	0 55 1 54
" 10 bbls.....	0 00 0 23	Butternut, per M.....	30 00 40 00	"..... case	4 00 12 00	" Teddy..... 25	0 55 1 54
" single bbls.....	0 10 0 24	Cedar, round, lineal foot.	00 06 00 10	Cheaper shippers..... gal.	3 75 4 25	" Malt..... 25	0 55 1 54
Glass.	500. 1000.	Cedar, flat, lineal foot.	00 04 00 06	"..... case qts.	7 00 9 50	Rye Whiskey, 4 years old	0 78 1 84
United inches, 14 to 25.....	1 50 0 00	Cherry, per M.....	70 00 100 00	Irish Whiskey:—Roe's ca.	9 00 9 50	"..... 5	0 88 1 94
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" 41 " 50.....	0 00 3 80	Elm, Rock.....	25 00 30 00	"..... 8	8 00 8 25	"..... 7	1 08 2 14
" 51 " 60.....	0 00 3 55	Hemlock, M.....	25 00 35 00	Cheaper Scotch Whiskies.....	5 00 7 00	20 to 100 cases, net cash	
Paints, &c.		Soft, do.....	18 00 19 00	Jamaica Rum, 16 O.P., per	4 00 4 50	100 to 200 " 2 1/2 p.c. off.	
W Lead pure, 50 to 100 lb kgs	0 00 6 25	Maple, hard, M.....	25 00 35 00	Demarara Rum..... 16 O. P.	3 50 4 00	200 cases and over 5 p.c. off	
" No. 1.....	5 00 5 50	Soft, do.....	18 00 19 00	Holland Gin..... imp gal	2 50 2 60	And add 3c for jobbing lots	
" No. 2.....	4 50 5 00	Oak, M.....	40 00 50 00	"..... Green cases	4 55 4 65	Isley Blend.....	8 00 8 25
" No. 3.....	4 00 4 50	Pine, clear, M.....	35 00 40 00	"..... Red cases	8 60 8 70	Cheaper Whiskies.....	5 00 7 00
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Red Lead.....	4 50 5 00	Shipping Gulls.....	14 00 16 00	Dry.....	26 00 28 00	Fleece.....	0 21 0 23
Venetian Red, Eng'h.....	1 50 1 75	Mail, do.....	8 00 10 00	Sherris, Ivisons.....	1 95 5 00	Pilled, unassorted.....	0 00 0 00
Red Lead.....	4 50 5 00	Lath, M.....	1 50 1 60	Ports, T. G. Sandeman.....	2 25 7 00	" Extra Super.....	0 00 0 00
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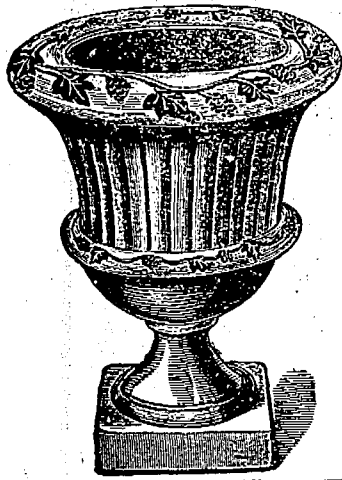
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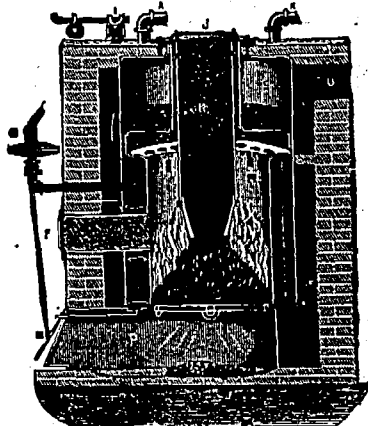
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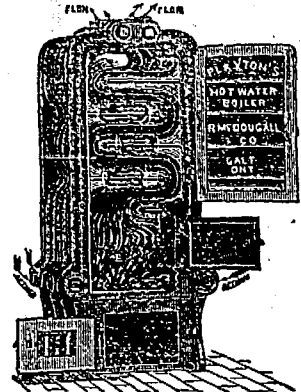
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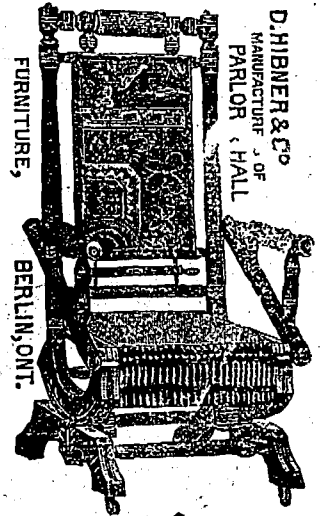
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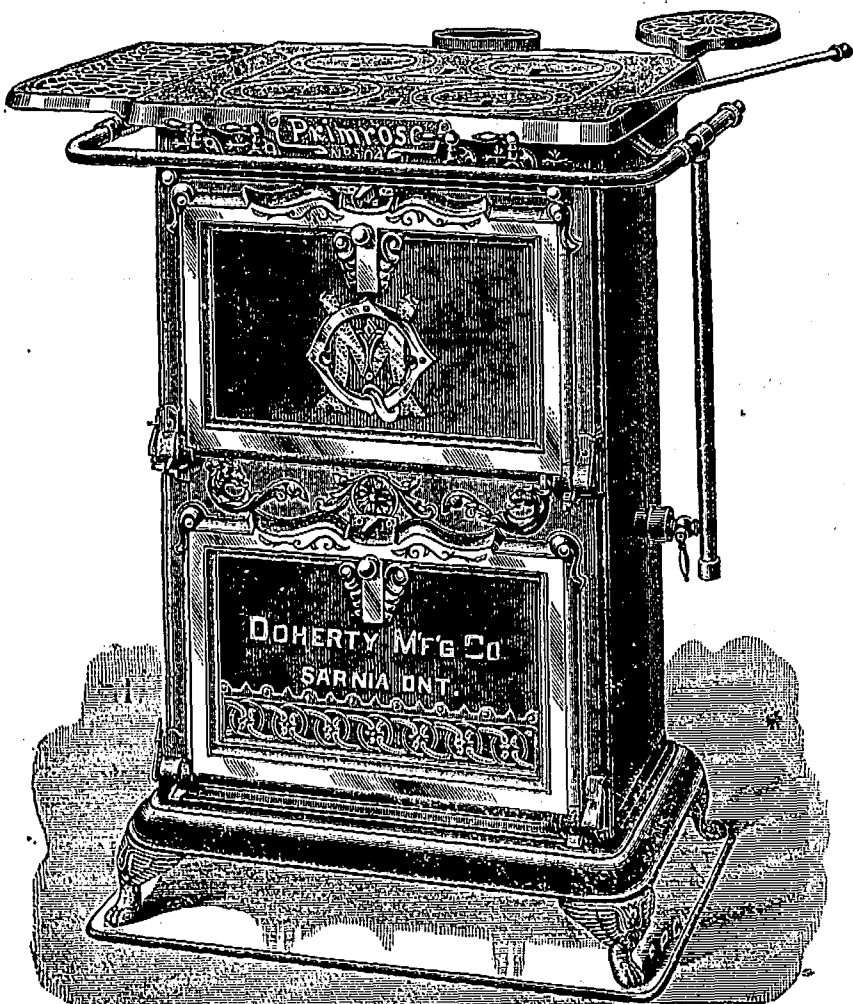
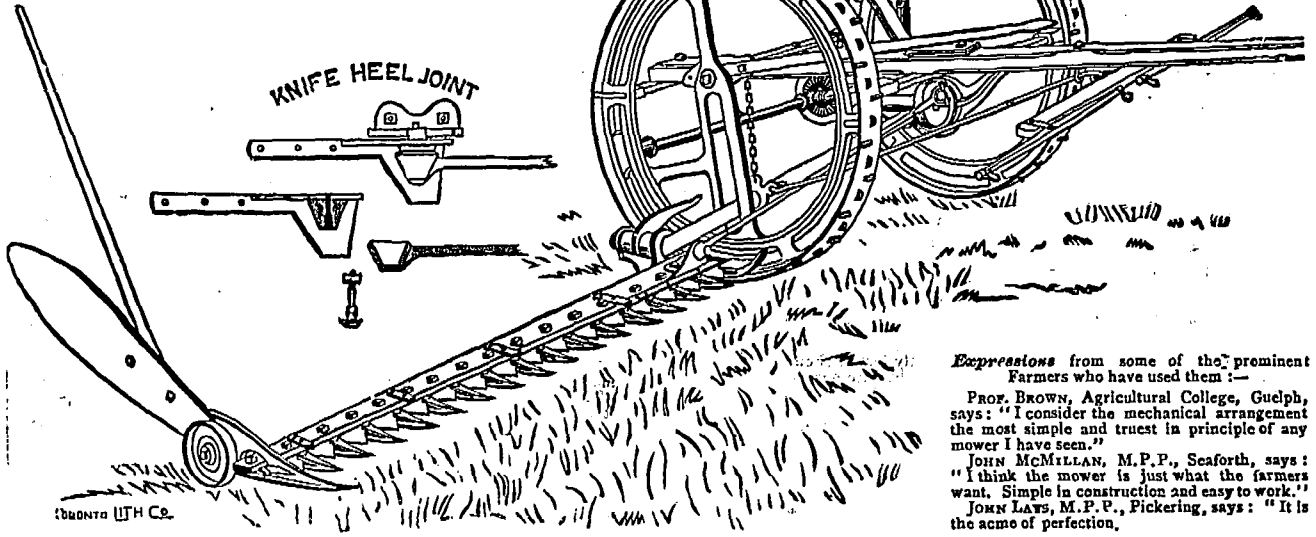
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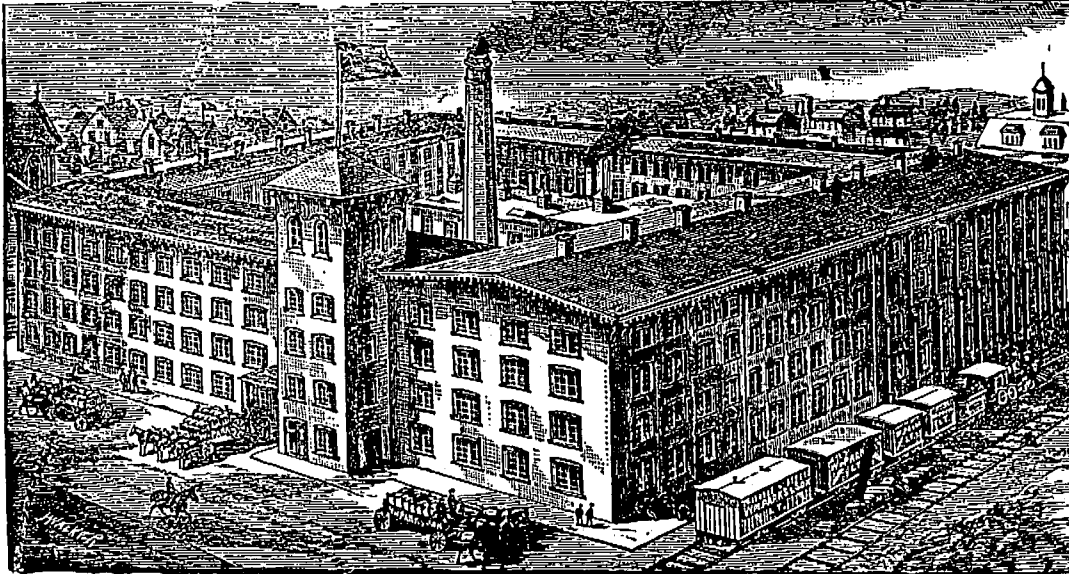
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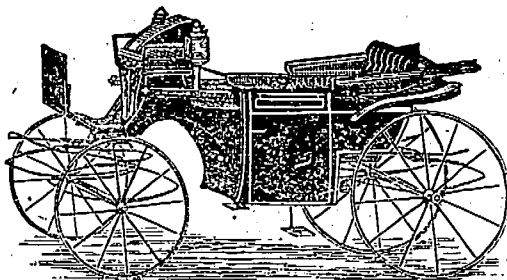
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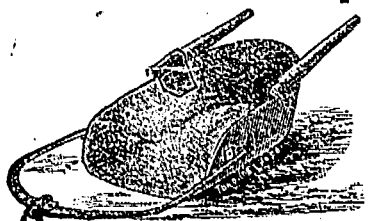
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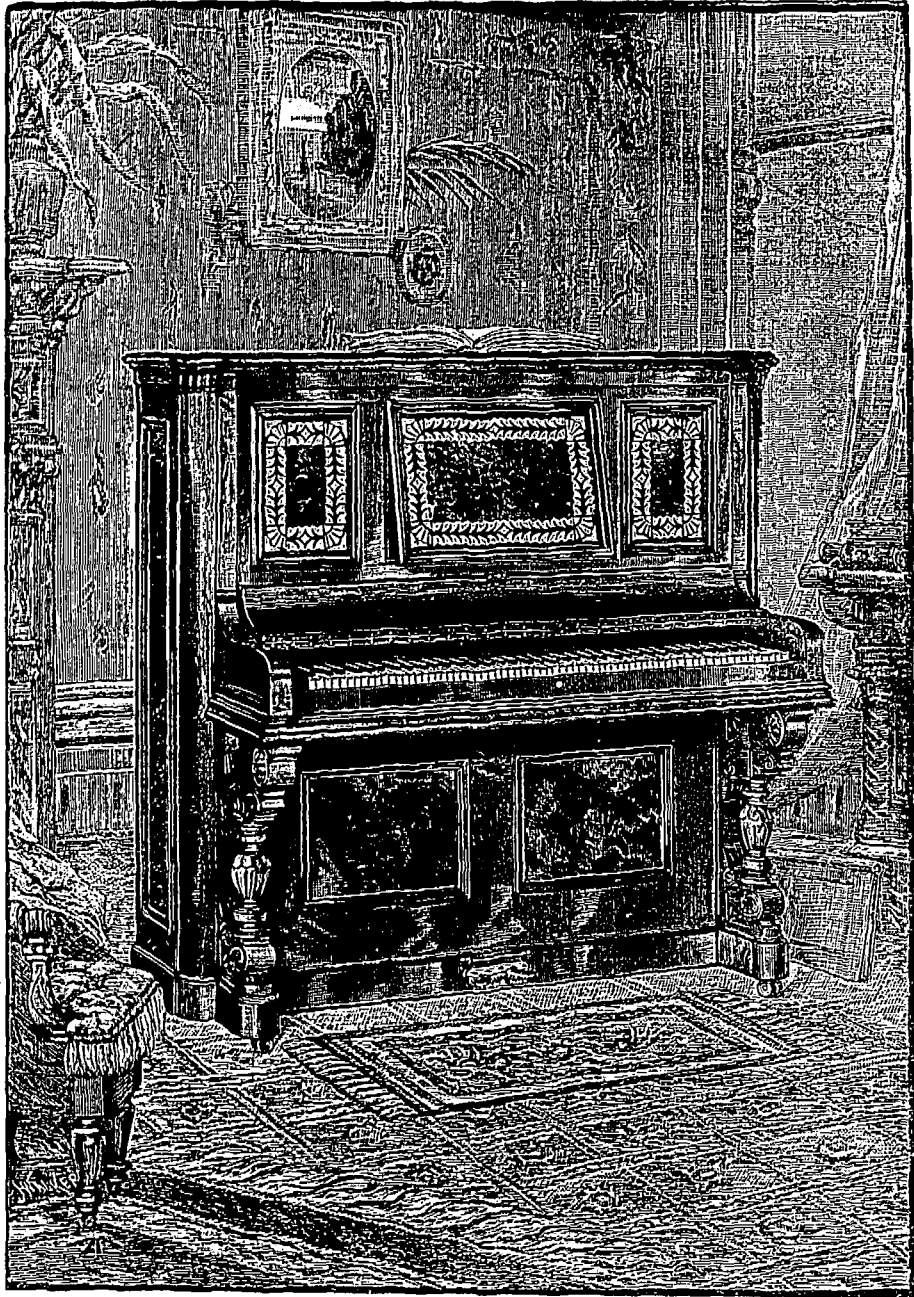
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