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First Prize Dominion Exhibition, 1880.

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**THREE PER CENT.**

upon the Capital Stock has been declared for the current half-year, and that the same will be payable at the office of the Bank in Montreal, on and after the

First Day of OCTOBER next.

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

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Bank will be held at its Banking House, in this city, on MONDAY, the 10th of OCTOBER next, at THREE o'clock in the afternoon.

By order of the Board.

F. WOLFERSTAN THOMAS,  
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The Molsons Bank,  
Montreal, 25th Aug., 1881.

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The Nova Scotia Glass Company have been granted letters patent of incorporation.

"The Planters' Bank of Canada" is the name under which application will be made at the next session of Parliament for an act to incorporate a bank, with the head office in Toronto. The capital is \$2,500,000, in shares of \$100 each. It is said the business will consist largely of advances on consignments to and from Jamaica, upon more liberal terms than are now in vogue on that island.

It is estimated that some 200 of the citizens of Quebec are actively engaged in rebuilding their dwellings and outbuildings, which were destroyed by the fire of the 8th June last.

THURSDAY, the 20th October next, has been appointed the National Thanksgiving Day. The Dominion Government, for some reason not made public, have fixed the date this year about a fortnight earlier than usual.

In the cotton manufacture of the United States 101,688 persons are employed, at wages varying from \$1.83 to \$18.72 per week, and 793,240,500 pounds of raw cotton were worked up in 1880.

The site for the intercolonial bridge in connection with the Morrisburg & Ottawa Railway was located last Saturday from Doran's point across to Ogden's Island. The distance from the north shore across deep water at this point is only 400 feet, then a shoal, and not more than 7 feet depth of water to Ogden's



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It is stated that from twenty to thirty thousand operatives—men, women and children—are employed at the different manufactories in and around this city; and that some two hundred factories have been established in this Province during the current year.

The yield of peaches from the Delaware, U.S. peninsula and vicinity will not, it is said, probably exceed, all told, 300,000 baskets. This shows a decided diminution when taken in contrast, with an average annual yield of about 4,000,000 baskets.

The U. S. revenue cutter, "Andrew Johnson," commanded by Capt. A. B. Davis, arrived at Sarnia, Ont., last Monday, having on board Capt. Jas. Wright and five dead bodies of the ill-fated steamer "Columbia," sunk off Frankfort, Mich., in the recent gale.

A long-felt want in Bowmanville has at last been met by the large new grain elevator erected and completed by Mr. John Lyle on the corner of Church and Division streets; this building is 65 by 45 and 40 feet in height. Its capacity is about 20,000 bushels.

The number of Canadian vessels on the registry books of the Dominion on the 1st December last was 7,377, with a tonnage of 1,311,218 tons, and approximately valued at over thirty-nine thousand dollars.

DONALD McDONNELL, grocer, Cornwall, Ont., is offering to compromise at 75 per cent., without security. His assets about equal his liabilities, which amount to \$3,000, and it is thought that the offer will be accepted.—The stock of

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Frank Keller, tinsmith, Unionville, Ont., is advertised for sale by his creditors.

An ingenious lamp cleaner, consisting of a rubber bag in the shape of a lamp chimney which can be distended with air, has recently been patented in Canada. It is said that, with a cloth rolled round it, it is a very efficient cleaner.

F. J. STRIPP, of Wingham, Ont., green-grocer, has left for parts unknown. All his stock and effects amounting to \$157, have been seized under execution at the suit of his brother, Stripp, who was a painter originally, but went into the grocery business about two years ago, and exhibited such a decidedly business tact that numerous creditors are left to mourn his untimely departure from among them.

Mr. THORP, the representative of the St. John, N.B., merchants who are interested in the establishment of a line of steamships between that port and Great Britain has secured a vessel in England for that purpose; it is in process of construction, cost \$30,000, and is to be delivered next June. She is 275 feet keel, 31 feet beam, and 23 feet hold, and measures 2,800 tons. Her engines work up to 1,000 horse power, and she is warranted to steam ten knots an hour loaded. It is said that \$30,000 of the stock has been taken in Liverpool.

In our table of Insurance quotations last week the figures of the Fire Insurance Association were calculated to mislead those not acquainted with the methods employed in Great Britain. The figures in question were "90 to 100," which, without the shillings mark after them, would probably be interpreted as "90 to 100 per cent.," whereas the percentage quotation of the Association is really 225 to 250. The amount paid per share is £2 sterling, and each of these shares is quoted in the London

market at £4 10s. to £5, which is more than double the par value.

A FARMER, John Case, living on the Mountain behind the Insane Asylum, Hamilton, Ont., has been missing from his accustomed resorts for nearly a fortnight, and it is believed that he has followed the bad example, perhaps, of some mercantile acquaintances and absconded. It is reported that he marketed his last load of grain in Hamilton, and, having exchanged it for cash, sent his young son home with the team, and is supposed to have taken the train West from Hamilton. He left a number of debts behind, amounting in all to some \$200, and had about \$1,000 in cash, received for his grain, hay, etc. Those most deeply interested are friends who signed accommodation notes; the farm he worked belongs to Mrs. Terryberry, of Hamilton. Case's wife and son left in pursuit, but it is not known whether or not they were successful. The missing man is 45 to 50 years of age, and was never suspected of dishonest intention, but his friends now probably think him a hard case.

Among the many handsome shops opened in Montreal during the past season, that of Messrs. A. W. Craig & Co., in the old post-office building, corner of St. James and St. François Xavier streets, bears the palm. Mr. Craig, who belongs to one of our prosperous families, was for several years known for his courteous and gentlemanly demeanor towards customers visiting the establishment of Tocke Brothers in the same line, with whom he graduated as salesman. Under these considerations and the improvement in business, with the increased demand for a better class of gentlemen's furnishings, it is not surprising that A. W. Craig & Co. have already stepped into the front rank in their line.

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The Yarmouth, N.S., Water Works are nearly completed, and will be a great boon and improvement to the place. The supply is drawn from Lake George, about 8 miles from the town.

The number of entries for the Ontario Provincial Exhibition at London received up to last Tuesday night was 11,482.

A NEW Loan Company, to be called the "Star," is about being started in St. Thomas, Ont., with a capital stock of \$300,000.

Accourts from sections of Bruce county, Ontario, report that, prior to the 16th inst., no rain had fallen for six weeks, but, although root crops suffered severely, the recent rain is supposed not to be too late.

BELLEVILLE is considering the city's water supply. Some advocate artesian wells, but are opposed on the ground that the water under the city is saline, while others advocate conducting water to the city from Oak Hills or some other source, but are opposed on the ground of expense. Meantime complaints are made of insufficient supplies of water, and the firemen have very great difficulty in getting water in case of fires.

FOLLOWING is a list of some of the principal Autumn exhibitions and fairs yet to be held this year: Dominion, at Halifax (now open), Sept. 21st to October 1st. Ontario Provincial, London, Sept. 21st to Sept. 30th; Central, Hamilton, Oct. 4th to 7th; Central, Guelph, Oct. 3rd to 6th; Southern Counties, St. Thomas, Oct. 4th to 7th; West Hastings, Belleville, Oct. 5th and 6th. Several of the township and county

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**TAILORS' TRIMMINGS,**  
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fairs in south-western Ontario are announced for dates as late as 10th to 19th October.

An adjourned meeting of the creditors of Mr. L. Senécal, of Sorel, Que., already referred to, was held in this city last Monday for the purpose of considering the amended offer of 70 cents in the dollar, 55 cents secured, made by the unfortunate trader. The majority were adverse to an acceptance, and the offer was subsequently withdrawn altogether. This is rather a sad ending to such a long and honorable business career.

The Montreal Gas Company, have declared a half-yearly dividend of 5 per cent.

JOHN DEWAR, tailor, Tilsonburg, Ont., has announced, with liabilities not exceeding \$3,000; he is understood to have assets, including stock valued at about \$1,500, book-debts, and real estate, sufficient to cover the amount of his indebtedness, but it is doubtful if they will realize expectations. Dewar, who has been in business in Tilsonburg for several years, has not been making progress for a considerable time past, and is said to be desirous of giving up the ghost, in that locality at all events.

The proprietors of the Tomato and Green Corn Canning Factory in Fredericton, which

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recently began operations, are somewhat concerned for their supply the present season, as the extraordinary wet weather has very materially shortened these crops. The same may be remarked of the crops in general this season in New Brunswick, with the exception of oats, which are unusually good. There was promise of an abundant hay crop, but a large proportion was lost in making, and the heavy rains flooded the intervals, lands, in many cases carrying away what was cut and stacked or in cock, and in others destroying the standing grass. It is thought hay will bring a high price the coming winter. Potatoes, of which, through fear of the bug, a smaller area than usual was planted, have fully one half rotted, owing to the wet weather. Wheat is light, and has suffered from rust and weevil. Apples and plums are abundant. Business generally, as usual at this season, is not very brisk; most of the country people being engaged in harvesting have not time to come to town, and they have not yet commenced marketing their produce.

A WALKERTON correspondent says: "Some people from here would go to the Montreal Exhibition if they knew there were to be cheap railway rates and what they were."—The Grand Trunk rate for the first week was a fare and a

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WILLIAM JOHNSON.

third, and about two-thirds of one fare the second week. We hear of similar complaints from other localities. The railway people here are so busy with the American kings that Canadian business is sometimes neglected. The Grand Trunk should advertise, and in papers that have a wide circulation.

Mr. L. E. N. PRATTE of Notre Dame street, well known to our readers as a dealer in pianos and organs from first-class makers, did not enter into competition at the present Exhibition, but concluded to rest upon his laurels of last year and entertain his friends and customers at a concert in the handsome music hall over his and Mr. A. J. Boucher's music store, which gave a much better opportunity of judging of the tone and quality of the instruments—the Kranick & Bach grand and the Hazelton pianos, the Dominion organs, etc.—in the hands of some very excellent home talent, than could possibly be afforded at the grounds.

The offer of Messrs. Moir, Son & Co., Halifax, referred to in a recent issue of the JOURNAL, to pay 40 per cent. of their liabilities, payable in 8 per cent. instalments, semi-annually, with an additional 8 per cent. if the estate would permit it, having been refused by their creditors, the firm have assigned to James R. Graham for the benefit of creditors who sign the deed within three months.

R. L. CHANDLER, who lately sold out his book store in St. Thomas, Ont., to Mr. Rawlinson of Toronto, left for Toronto and Montreal last week to settle up with his creditors, carrying, as he says, \$4,330 in bills in a package in his overcoat pocket. Soon after arriving in Toronto, Mr. Chandler says he was robbed of his money. He made his loss known to Messrs. Jas. Campbell & Co., who duly brought the

matter to the notice of the Chief of Police and we understand the chief was not long in bringing the money to light.

THE Walkerton, Ont., boot and shoe factory lately established, is now in full operation. The proprietors have received more orders than they can fill. The same can be said of the spool and bobbin factory. The Northern Exhibition opens in Walkerton on the 3rd of next month, and will last four days.

R. ROWAN has disposed of his drug business in St. Thomas, Ont., to Geo. A. Hugill, who will continue the business in Creighton's old stand. William Ross, jr., formerly with J. O. Kains, will shortly open out in the grocery trade at St. Thomas, on the premises lately occupied by Robert Wilson.—Geo. Rowley has been appointed agent of the Consolidated Telegraph Co. at St. Thomas, and the old Dominion office has been closed.

Mr. THOMAS HIAM, of this city, who has for several years past acted as sub-agent for the Western and Lancashire Insurance Companies, is now associated with the Imperial Fire Office in the same capacity. With such a Company, combined with Mr. Hiam's experience and popularity, he will undoubtedly command a remunerative business.

The last number of the Ontario Gazette contains a notice of charter incorporating the Toronto Dry Dock and Shipbuilding Company.

THE new woollen mill in Yarmouth, N.S., is nearly completed, and will probably go into operation in November. The buildings are large and conveniently situated, the railway track passing the front door, while Yarmouth Harbor is within a few steps of the western entrance.

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The dry goods merchants of Walkerton, Ont., have laid in heavy stocks in anticipation of a heavy fall and winter business. Little or no grain is arriving in that market; farmers are waiting for higher prices there as well as in many other localities.

THE RECENT fire in Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, which destroyed the steam tannery and flour mill of George Robbins, will prove a very serious loss to Mr. Robbins, he having had but a small amount insured, and a large stock on hand. The total loss is about \$1,000; insurance \$2,500.

MESSRS. ROGERS & Co., liquor dealers, Winnipeg, referred to last week, are reported to have given the sheriff possession.—P. Gareau, general storekeeper, Curran, Ont., has recently compromised his liabilities, amounting to \$1,500, at 25c on the dollar.—C. R. Michael Bros., grocers, Chatnam, N.B., and R. B. Oxley, commission dealer, Halifax, have recently assigned.

APART from the list of losses by fire, the happenings among business men in Canada during the past fortnight have not been numerous. E. F. Christenson, general dealer, Berlin, Ont., is said to be in difficulty; George Chamberlain, Peterboro', has sold out his fish business and started in fruit and confectionery; G. L. Kavanagh, commission and produce dealer, Toronto, and E. F. Radiger, wholesale and retail liquor dealer, Winnipeg, have each admitted a partner; D. & J. Graham, general storekeepers, Claude, Ont., wants to sell out; A. Ward, tins, Arkona, Ont., has sold out to James George; Geo. T. Binjay, M.D. and druggist, Annapolis, N.S., has given a bill of sale; C. P. & S. Hsley, grocers, Berwick, N.S., dissolved, S. Hsley continuing; Gwinner & Smith, tailors,

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St. Catharines, Ont., dissolved, each continuing on his own account; Wm. Brill, a tailor at Wellesley, Ont., has given up business, and is leaving; Leonard Morris, stationer, etc., Summerside, P.E.I., has admitted E. Pilman as partner; and M. R. Dobson, general dealer, Dorchester, N.B., has admitted Fred. C. Palmer, under style of Dobson & Palmer; Grant & Caldwell, carriages, Grafton, N.B., dissolved,—D. A. Grant continuing; Stephen Fry, flour and feed dealer, Toronto, is reported somewhat embarrassed; Harper, Cleghorn & Hadley,

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FINANCE AND INSURANCE REVIEW.

MONTREAL, SEPTEMBER 23, 1881.

FAIR TRADE.

The ministerial journals persist in their advocacy of the recent movement in England in favor of protection or, as its promoters have designated it, "fair trade." The *Mail* has taken as the subject of a recent article a speech delivered by the Duke of Rutland at Sheffield, on the occasion of the cutlers' banquet, when Sir Stafford Northcote was present, on which occasion His Grace referred to a reply made by the Canadian Premier, Sir John A. Macdonald, to an address presented

to him by a deputation of English manufacturers, in which, after expressing the determination of Canada to adhere to its protective policy, he gave it as his opinion that England would be obliged to have recourse to our system, adding: "you will have to protect your industries, and I tell you if you don't do it, who will compel you to do it—you will be compelled to do it by the laboring classes." We have more than once expressed our conviction that nothing is more improbable than that England will adopt a reactionary policy on the subject of free trade, but we notice the subject at present, merely to warn Canadian protectionists that they are committing a most serious blunder, in rejoicing over the anticipated victory of English protectionists. In discussing this question, we shall assume for the sake of argument that the most advantageous policy for all nations is that of protecting the various native industries by high duties on the products of other countries. In carrying out such a policy England would necessarily have to impose duties on Canadian exports, and we scarcely think that the *Mail* will venture to maintain that such duties would be for the benefit of Canada. But it may be said that the object is to have a grand Commercial Union of Great Britain and her colonies, based on free trade between the various portions of the Empire and protective duties against other countries. This is the scheme propounded by Mr. Eckroyd; but when it was pointed out, during the discussion of the National policy, that high duties on British manufactures might endanger the connection, and when it was contended that revenue duties alone were justifiable, the *Mail* was prompt in retorting, "so much the worse for British connection." If, then, our manufacturing interests could not exist with duties ranging from 17½ to 20 or 25 per cent., how, we would ask, can they

exist under free trade? The truth is, and it is not undesirable that it should be fully impressed on the Canadian people, that a protective policy in Great Britain against the world, means destruction or immense loss to our agricultural interests, while the modified protective policy of Mr. Eckroyd means destruction to our manufacturing interests. Whatever may be the interest of classes of the English population, there can be no doubt whatever that it is the interest of Canada that the present free trade policy should be maintained. That Great Britain has prospered under it there is no room for doubt. The trade of the United Kingdom has been immensely developed; the poor rates have been reduced; there have been great accumulations of savings, bank deposits, and the temporary depression is to be ascribed chiefly to a succession of bad harvests, which have caused less suffering than probably would have been experienced from a similar cause in any other country in the world.

#### PAWNBROKING ABROAD AND AT HOME.

The Rev. Walter Edwards, a philanthropic clergyman who contributed an article to the *Nineteenth Century* in February, 1879, entitled, "The Poor in France," has taken up the subject of pawnbroking in the same periodical for June in the present year, and has furnished some very interesting information on the subject. On one point there can be no doubt. The effect of the legislation regarding pawnbrokers, both in the United Kingdom and in Canada, has not been to enable those who require loans for small amounts on the security of chattel property, to obtain them at reasonable rates of interest. The late Daniel O'Connell used to boast that he could drive a coach and four through an Act of Parliament, and most assuredly far higher rates are charged by money lenders in Canada than the Act regulating the business of pawnbrokers contemplated. The *Toronto Globe* mentions three per cent. a month as the rate for money loaned to the poor in that city on chattel mortgage, but we have been assured that fifty per cent. per annum has been paid in Montreal on security of the most undoubted character. In England the legal rate is 25 per cent. when the loan is £2 (\$10) or under, and 20 per cent. for £2 to £10 (\$10 to \$50).

Mr. Edwards has taken up the subject in the interest of the poorer classes. He asks: "Why should it be impossible for an Englishman or a Scotchman to obtain

"an advance on moveable property of value without discredit? A nobleman in distress may pawn his acres without losing caste, but a farmer, a tradesman, or a laborer must not think of raising five or ten pounds on the plate or jewellery he possesses." The article contributed to the *Nineteenth Century* by the Rev. Mr. Edwards is just as suitable for Canada as for England. Its chief object is to explain the working of continental institutions, of which we have heard a good deal, but with the practical working of which it is probable that many are unacquainted. These institutions are very generally known as *Monts de Piété*, and they seem to have been originally founded with the object of checking the ravages of the usurers. In the fifteenth century the evils of usury had reached to their greatest height, and vast numbers of families were ruined. The banks charged from sixty to eighty per cent. and were generally able to appropriate the articles of value which had been deposited with them. It was as a remedy against these evils that the *monts de piété* were established, and recognized by the church as a work of charity. Italy was the first home of the new institution, but it was soon extended to France, although it is only about a century since the first *mont de piété* was established in Paris.

The scope of the *mont de piété* is twofold—it supplies the temporary personal needs of the wage-earning classes, and also the temporary commercial embarrassments of small tradesmen and manufacturers. Onerous as are the terms on which loans can be obtained from English pawnbrokers there seems to be no doubt that they confer a great advantage on many of their customers. Nevertheless, Mr. Edwards justly observes that the pawn-shop is associated with the idea of dissipation, drunkenness, unthrift, and recklessness, and adds that "the man who is forced to pay such a rate of interest as that exacted must be indeed in a bad way." This observation holds good still more strongly in the case of the small manufacturer who finds himself temporarily embarrassed. Such a person, by a deposit of raw or partially worked up material with a *mont de piété* can obtain the means of meeting his payments, while in England the excessive rate of interest precludes him from availing himself of the aid of a pawnbroker. In point of fact all those who carry on petty industries of various kinds find the same resource in the *mont de piété* which dealers of a higher grade find in their bankers, and it is asked by Mr. Edwards: "Why should not a manufacturer on a small

scale be able to rely on an advance on his goods in the same way as the city magnate raises money temporarily on dock warrants or bills of lading?" The rate of interest charged by the *monts de piété* varies very much, many establishments charging only 4, 5 and 6 per cent., while in Paris the rate is 9 per cent. The *monts de piété* are largely connected with charitable institutions, and in some cases pay to them all their profits. Although not State institutions they enjoy State protection, and also certain privileges, especially exemption from stamp duty.

Mr. Edwards deals at some length with the assumption that the *monts de piété* afford great facilities for the disposal of stolen articles of value, and states that statistics show that this is not the case. "The general result of the street surveillance exercised both within and without the *monts de piété* tends to show that thieves prefer, as a rule, to sell the spoil to receivers of stolen goods, although these would undoubtedly pay them far less than they would get on loan if they dared to approach the public establishment." It is Mr. Edwards' opinion that the English system is far more favorable to dishonesty. It is worthy of consideration that the average of loans on pledges in France rose from a fraction under \$3 in 1851 to nearly \$4 in 1875. The proportionate number of the loans under \$5 was rather over 85 per cent., and the amount of such loans was about 34 per cent. of the whole. About ten per cent. were over \$100. It is impossible in the limited space at our disposal to convey anything like the substance of the interesting information communicated by Mr. Edwards, whose aim seems to be to encourage the establishment of similar institutions in England by private philanthropy.

Rumors have been in circulation that a company has been projected in Paris, with a capital of 80,000,000 of francs for the purpose of pawnbroking in Canada, and we learn from the *Toronto Globe* that the despatch indicates "that the promoters intend to establish branches in the nature of the *monts de piété* that do such good work for the poor in the continental cities of Europe." We are inclined to doubt whether the rumors referred to are well founded, but, even if true, the object is rather what is known as a *Credit Mobilier* than a *mont de piété*. It is rumored that an institution, something of the same kind, is likely to be established in Canada under a charter from the Dominion Parliament, but there will still be room for one or more institutions founded for the special object of making



small loans to the poorer classes, who are at present charged exorbitant rates, when compelled, as they often are, to raise money by pledging chattel property. It is not likely that it will be found practicable to combine the two objects of loaning, in small sums, to the poorer classes, and in much larger sums to a different class of borrowers, but there seems to be an opening for both classes of lenders, and the business is of such a character as not to entail much danger of loss.

#### FRANCE AND CANADA.

*La Minerve* seems to have considered it most advisable to entrust the advocacy of the French policy towards his Canadian countrymen, many of whom are of French origin, to an anonymous correspondent, who professes to be "a reader of the two journals." Of this we have no desire to complain. We feel thoroughly convinced of the justice of our criticisms on French policy, and we shall be prepared to reply to all attempts to defend it. The *Minerve's* correspondent seems to think that he has scored a point by affirming that the *JOURNAL OF COMMERCE* knows perfectly well that France has two tariffs, one general, and one conventional. That is precisely one of the complaints that we have made against France. In that respect, France has adopted a policy different from other nations, and those who suffer by that policy have a just right to complain. It is, however, rather calculated to mislead when it is said that the general tariff is uniformly applied to all nations which have no treaties of commerce, inasmuch as nearly all European nations have treaties of commerce, and therefore obtain admission for their exports under the conventional tariff. In truth, the policy of having two tariffs is simply a dishonest ruse to force other nations to make concessions to France, in order to obtain the benefit of its conventional tariff.

The *Minerve's* correspondent enquires whether England grants Canada the advantages which it concedes to the most favored nations under treaties, and then answers its own question "no, certainly," and then adds, that the *JOURNAL OF COMMERCE* finds nothing in this to complain of. If England really did treat Canada as the *Minerve's* correspondent pretends, we should not hesitate to complain, but there is not a particle of truth in the statement. There is not an instance of a discriminating duty being charged in England; and, as to Canadian exports, they are, we believe, without a single exception admitted free of duty. There may possibly be an exception before long, as we observe by

our exchanges that Sir Sidney Waterlow was so pleased with the samples of Canadian wine exhibited at the Toronto fair that he is said to have given an order for some, which of course will have to pay duty in England. The *Minerve's* correspondent imagines he has scored another point by reminding us that, by a decree of 5th February, 1862, Canadian vessels were admitted on the footing of the most favored nations, two of which, Great Britain and Belgium, are specified, although there were many more. It is alleged that Canada had promised to respond to what the writer calls "that favor," but which we maintain should be termed "that act of justice." Of course, if Canada made any promise, it should have been fulfilled, and if the correspondent will make good his charge, we shall join him in condemning those who violated their pledge. At the date of the decree referred to, Sir George E. Cartier, Sir John A. Macdonald and Sir Alexander Galt were all ministers, and the last-named gentleman would in all probability have had the subject specially under his consideration. The point is one that should be investigated, as the charge against the Canadian Government is the violation of a promise.

While we acknowledge that there can be no excuse offered for a breach of faith, we must not be understood as admitting that France had a right to claim a reduction of the duty on French exports as a *quid per quo*. The correspondent argues that Canada gave nothing in exchange. Exchange for what? admission to French markets on the same terms as Mahometan Turks! Because Canada, like Great Britain, has but one tariff, and treats all the world alike, *La Minerve* and its correspondent think that it can with justice be called on to purchase from France as a favor what it can fairly demand as a right. The correspondent tells us that the day when Canada can make treaties it will exact concessions in return. It appears, however, that Great Britain has failed in its attempt to exact concessions from France. France has adopted a protective tariff, as Canada has done, and no other nation has a right to complain of this. What every nation, treated like Canada, has a right to complain of is the attempt made by France, through the instrumentality of its two tariffs, to coerce other nations into making concessions contrary to their interest.

While on the subject we may notice that Earl Grey has addressed a second letter to the *London Times*, in which he points out with great ability the objections to commercial treaties, and it seems more than probable that there will be no re-

newal of that with France. We confess that we fail to comprehend the meaning of the concluding paragraph of the *Minerve's* correspondent, who tells us that business is business, and that he who gives nothing has no right to expect anything. We expect nothing from France but simple justice, and even that we have no hope of obtaining except through the instrumentality of our own Government and Parliament. We demand that France shall treat us as well, and no better than she does the Turks. We do not expect her to make concessions, for we are well aware that French public opinion will not enable her to admit our exports duty free, or at a nominal duty. What we claim on behalf of the Canadian people is that an extra duty of at least twenty per cent. shall be imposed on the exports of every country in the world, which discriminates against Canada in favor of any other nation. Let that be done, and we are greatly mistaken if there will be any necessity for a commercial treaty with France or any other country.

Since writing the above we have obtained information which leads us to think that Canada did reduce its duties on brandy and wine in conformity with its promise, and that France revoked the decree entirely without reference to Canada, and without any ground of complaint.

#### MR. GOLDWIN SMITH AND THE TARIFF.

Mr. Goldwin Smith has contributed an article to the September number of the *Contemporary Review* which has naturally attracted the attention of the Canadian press. We confess that we read with some amazement in the *Mail* that Mr. Goldwin Smith "justifies the protective system on the proper ground" that it was needed to raise a revenue to "stop slaughtering and to prevent enormous borrowing on the strength of" "diminishing resources." Now, far from justifying the protective system, Mr. Goldwin Smith affirmed that the tariff was not "protective," except in the article of coal, and that in that Great Britain had no interest. It happens that "coal" is for many reasons the least defensible tax in the entire tariff. As a raw material, as an article of indispensable necessity to all classes of the population, it ought, if possible, to be admitted duty free, and no reason has ever been given for a duty on this article, but the expediency of protecting Nova Scotia coal. There is, however, a special objection to the recent addition to the duty on bituminous coal,

which is that its effect is to establish a discriminating duty on coal in favor of the United States and against Great Britain. Mr. Goldwin Smith took good care not to mention this feature of the coal duty in his English paper. As to the tariff not being protective, the allegation is so much at variance with facts, and with all the arguments that have been used by the Ministerial journals, that we are surprised that Mr. Goldwin Smith should have had the hardihood to make such an assertion. It is a curious circumstance that the principal objection to the proposed French tariff was that the duties on manufactures were to be specific, instead of *ad valorem*, and yet Canada has imposed combined specific and *ad valorem* duties on several manufactured articles. We should not have been inclined to find fault with Mr. Goldwin Smith's defence of the tariff if he had frankly admitted that it was protective, and that Canadian public opinion had been so strongly expressed in favor of that policy that it was not likely to be abandoned. As regards the slaughtering of goods, we have no doubt that such will always take place at periods of extreme depression. England has her slaughter markets in South America and elsewhere, and there is no other remedy for an overstocked home market.

We noticed with much satisfaction that the *Mail* admits that "it is an exaggeration of the worst kind to contend that our public works were undertaken for Imperial, meaning military purposes," and that it further acknowledges that "they were in fact undertaken for purposes purely commercial and colonial." Mr. Goldwin Smith would not have been true to himself if he had abstained from making another effort to create bad feeling between the Mother Country and the Dominion. It would be difficult to point to a stronger instance of misrepresentation than the statement that the construction of the Intercolonial Railway was required by the British America Act, the author being perfectly aware that the Act was passed at the request of the people of the various provinces interested, which were represented by delegates in London, and that the provision regarding the specific public work referred to, was the result of an agreement between those delegates before they crossed the Atlantic. It is satisfactory to find that two leading organs of Canadian public opinion, the *Globe* and the *Mail*, have expressed their dissent from Mr. Goldwin Smith's imputation of "Imperialism" which he has substituted for his favorite term of "Jingoism," against any class of the Canadian people. As to the frequent reference to

"a policy of British antagonism to the United States" nothing can be more untrue than the allegation that there is the slightest unfriendly feeling towards the citizens of the Republic on the part either of Great Britain or Canada. It is such writers as Mr. Goldwin Smith, who profess to desire more intimate relations between the two countries, who do all in their power to create bad feeling between them. We believe that the article in the *Contemporary* is calculated to aid such writers as the editors of the *London Truth* and *World* in their efforts to destroy the credit of the Dominion.

#### EXHIBITION AWARDS.

This journal is expected to deal in rather a staid manner with the subject of our Exposition, as well as with business affairs generally, but there are some circumstances connected with the awards, however serious in their economic results, that cannot fail to provoke a smile upon the face of even Care itself. The manner in which the decisions were made last year deterred several firms, whose goods should be in any Canadian collection, from exhibiting again, notwithstanding that they were eminently successful in bearing off prizes and medals. It is doubtless very difficult to procure capable judges. Many of those who are best fitted for the position refuse because, being in trade themselves, they fear to risk offending any customers whose goods may not be worthy of a prize, and who, with the manly honesty that so generally distinguishes the Canadian merchant, will not hesitate to give or withhold honor according as it is deserved.

It is difficult on the part of the most competent judges, however apportioned, to avoid errors in deciding upon the merits of so great a variety of goods and products. In some cases an intelligent decision is next to impossible. Those who can distinguish between one piano and another in the clang of a Strauss waltz or a selection from the "Pirates of Penzance" must needs have well attuned ears. Those who can pronounce on the merits of cut nails, whether made from Nova Scotia or other iron, or decide as to the superiority of horse shoes, must have had some practical experience in the business. He who can safely determine the quality of a piece of tweed, flannel or cotton, is not always a competent judge of the merits of a silk ribbon. Again, who can determine the qualities of a few packages of baking powder which may be specially prepared for the occasion, and which can only be tested by actually em-

ploying some of it in the baking of a biscuit? The general reputation of the makers not unfrequently determines the matter, a reputation generally acquired by persistent advertising, and by invariably making an honest article.

The paper company who surreptitiously included among their own manufacture last season a specimen from one of the best manufactories in Europe, and which elicited scarcely a passing remark from the judges, were not likely to be impressed very favorably; neither were the firm—whose entry of Fine Steel Engravings was, by some mistake, not exhibited at all—very highly edified when the first prize was awarded them for what are known as Branding Punches, which every machinist knows the nature of, these being understood by the judges to be the steel engravings! It is to be hoped that such carelessness or ignorance will not characterize any portion of the awards the present season. The question we should ask ourselves is, "Who shall be judge of the judges?"

There appears to be some dissatisfaction already concerning the butter prizes. The understanding as regards butter of Canadian make was that it must be the product of one farm, creamery being excluded from competition. It is now asserted that the article which bore away the prize was of the latter make, and a protest is said to have been entered. The Montreal butter dealer who a few years ago made an effort blind-folded to distinguish Morrisburg, Townships, Kamouraska and Western Dairy simply by the taste, should be a valuable acquisition in such a case.

The Exhibition appears, notwithstanding a few trifling defects, to have been a great success, as evidenced by the large number of entries, the improved arrangements, the crowds of visitors from all parts, the various amusements, the delightful weather and the good order and harmony that prevailed throughout, on all of which the Managing Committee are to be highly congratulated.

The several pianoforte agents contributed not a little during the week to prevent people's minds from dwelling too exclusively on business affairs, on the principle, perhaps, that all work and no play makes Mary a dull girl as well as Jack a dull boy. Among others the New York Piano Co., St. James street, brought on Madame Teresa Carreno, who gave a recital on one of the grand Webers in the main Exhibition building at which His Excellency the Governor and a large number of connoisseurs were present. Two hall concerts were also given, at which the programmes chosen by the great artiste were well calculated to exhibit the masterly qualities of these instruments.

## DEATH OF PRESIDENT GARFIELD.

The death of President Garfield, which took place on the 19th inst. after a period of protracted suffering, lasting seventy-nine days, has evoked a larger amount of sympathy throughout the civilized world than has ever before been extended to the victims of assassins. Throughout the British Empire there seems to have been but one feeling, from the Queen on the throne to the Irish malcontents, who may at present be considered the most discontented of her subjects. In every part of Canada there has been a spontaneous manifestation of the grief which pervades all classes, and which may be considered proof that there is no unfriendly feeling among our people towards our cousins south of the line. The late President was certainly a remarkable man. He was only about fifty years of age, when he was selected from a population of about fifty millions of people to fill the highest office in their gift. He was essentially a self-made man, although we have no doubt that he himself must have always acknowledged how much he was indebted to his mother's care, his father having died when he was very young, and left his family with no other provision than a newly cleared farm in Ohio. Young Garfield prosecuted his studies successfully, and at one time it seemed as if his destiny was to be engaged in the instruction of youth, for which he had very high qualifications. He, as might have been expected, held very strong opinions on the slavery question, and when the civil war broke out, he entered the army, and very soon distinguished himself, and obtained rapid promotion. He would probably have risen much higher, but that he was elected to Congress, and strongly urged by his military friends to accept the appointment, in order that he might be able to contribute to the efficient support of the Federal army. In Congress he soon made his mark, and distinguished himself in advocating a sound currency, as well as the emancipation of the slaves, and the conduct of the war.

His nomination as candidate for the Presidency was a strong proof of his influence. The Republican party, as is well known, was divided, one section being favorable to the nomination of General Grant for a third term. Although not the choice of either of the Republican parties, the fact that each of them was willing to accept General Garfield as the next best candidate after its own special favorite, affords strong evidence of his popularity. The unfortunate dispute with Senator

Conkling was a consequence of the rupture between the two sections of the Republican party, in which Secretary Blaine and Mr. Conkling were on opposite sides. Mr. Arthur, the Vice-President, was a warm friend of Mr. Conkling, and that section was also represented in the Cabinet. It is, perhaps, unfair to attach blame to either party for the controversy, although Mr. Conkling seems to have pushed his opposition to extremity. There is no reason to suppose that this *contretemps* had any influence in leading the miscreant Guiteau to assassinate the truly patriotic and noble man who had been elevated to the highest position in the State. The conduct of Mr. Arthur as well as of General Grant and Mr. Conkling since the catastrophe has been unexceptionable. The deceased President will long live in the hearts of the people, and it is gratifying to find that the widow and family will be amply provided for by a voluntary contribution.

**THE NAIL TRADE.**—What sugar at retail is to the grocer and white or grey cottons to the dry goods merchant, is his stock of nails to the hardware dealer. When it is considered that the kegs cost 12½ cents each, and that the uncut iron is worth almost as much as the nails, it will be seen that there is literally nothing left at present prices to pay the manufacturer. Indeed the profits on sugar or cottons were never so problematic as those of nails are now, and the retail trade cannot fail to see that, as goods cannot be given away for any length of time, the jobber must find a profit somewhere, as the vendors of sugars or cotton are obliged to do. In referring to the drop in rails last week, the cause was inadvertently attributed to a desire to unload on the part of one of the large manufacturing firms. As the firm supposed to be pointed at were the first to propose the meeting at which the reduction was determined on, the inadvertence is the more readily perceived. The causes referred to on former occasions still continue to demoralize the trade of the nail manufacturers; but as these are busily engaged on other branches of their work also, and are possessed of a plentiful supply of the sinews of war, they are better able to stand the pressure than one or two parties who manage to strike a balance one way or another, but chiefly by charging an extra figure for other goods to make amends for the low rate at which they sell nails. Were the retailer to purchase his nails of one merchant and his other hardware supplies elsewhere, he would the more clearly perceive that he has been paying for the former in more ways than one. The prices at which certain nails were quietly sold in Toronto of late, prices that found no expression in any of the market reports of the journals in that city, had also probably something to do with the recent change adopted by the manufacturers. But there are degrees of quality in nails as well as in other goods made of iron; the carpenter and builder soon find this out, and the retailer must supply himself accordingly.

## THE PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION.

The Quebec Provincial Exhibition of live stock, agricultural, horticultural and industrial products, fine art, etc., held in this city during the past ten days will be closed this (Friday) evening. The official opening by the Lieut.-Governor of Quebec, in the presence of nearly 40,000 people, took place last Tuesday, when an address of welcome was read and replied to. Among the visitors who accompanied the Lieut.-Governor with the Hon. Mr. Chapleau were Lord Muncaster and Lord Kilmarnock, of England; and on Wednesday following the Exhibition was attended by Sir John A. Macdonald, who received a most enthusiastic reception, and who also replied to a suitable address, read by Mr. Bulmer, President of the Permanent Exhibition Committee. The Premier afterwards expressed his gratification at the evidences of prosperity and industrial progress, which he witnessed. The Montreal Horticultural Society opened their annual exhibition in the Victoria Rink on Tuesday afternoon; the show has been very largely patronized, and is pronounced infinitely superior to anything of the kind ever attempted in this city. The dairy exhibit is much larger than last year, and the working dairy is a great centre of attraction. While in most respects it can scarcely be compared with the Dominion Exhibition of last year, except in point of attendance, on the whole the 1881 Show in Montreal is admitted to have been a most pronounced success. Some pertinent remarks will be found elsewhere in this issue. We append some brief notices of principal exhibitors and prize-winners in some of the foremost departments.

In pianos, the Weber, Decker Bros., and the Solmer were exhibited. A prize was awarded to the latter, there being no competitors.

In the main building the show of woollen, flax, and cotton goods, furs, hats and caps, wearing apparel, etc., is, on the whole, not nearly so satisfactory as last year. The display includes some most excellent goods, but the objection in these, as in some other departments, is insufficient competition.

In woollens and cottons the largest display was made by Messrs. D. Morrice & Co., this city, whose exhibit represented some 13 Canadian mills and factories; and, as usual, several first prizes were awarded to this firm.

The Paton Manufacturing Co., of Sherbrooke, carried off the first gold medal for assortment of fine wool Canadian fancy tweed. They were also awarded the first gold medal for best general display of Canadian woollen manufactures, open only to manufacturers. Messrs. Mills & Hutchison, this city, were awarded a silver medal for assortment of Canadian woollens.

Messrs. Gault Bros. & Co., this city, occupy a leading position in the main hall, with their display of 120 pieces of Canadian fancy tweeds, handsomely arranged under a cone-shaped frame. This attracted a good deal of attention, and were awarded the 1st prize, gold medal.

Wm. Parks & Son, the well-known New Brunswick firm of St. John, made a clean sweep, having been awarded 1st prizes for all their exhibits, in fancy shirtings, cotton yarns, carpet and beam warps, knitting cottons and double cotton yarns; also a bronze medal for extra exhibit.

Messrs. Cantlie, Ewan & Co., this city, also obtained several prizes for their exhibit of Canadian tweeds and flannels, etc. This firm represent several of the leading factories in the Dominion.

Messrs. Corriveau & Co., this city, were justly awarded a gold medal and diploma for Canadian manufactured silk.

Walter Wilson & Co.'s magnificent display of Clark & Co.'s M. E. Q. spool cotton on a handsome golden frame in the form of a tasteful arch is deserving of the highest award and diploma.

Messrs. H. Shorey & Co., this city, were awarded a gold medal and diploma, also several 1st prizes, for superior display of clothing. S. T. Willet & Co., Chambly, took a first and second prize for flannels.

J. J. Milloy, merchant tailor, this city, has an attractive show of well-made dress suits, near the main entrance. Messrs. Lorge & Co., this city, took 1st prizes for pull-over hats, college caps, and military shakos.

Messrs. Emil Poliwka & Co., this city, were awarded 1st prizes for Imperial Borax, glues and gelatines; also honorable mention for their ball blue and Excelsior bird food.

Messrs. Robin & Sadler, this city, received 1st prizes for their display of leather belting, and the Gibson Leather Co. an extra prize for patent grain leather.

Messrs. J. L. Goodhue & Son, Danville, Que., obtained 1st prizes for waxed upper and grain leathers.

M. Lefebvre & Co., this city, have a handsome exhibit in the main building of their well-known vinguars, for which they were awarded a gold medal; also of methylated spirits, which merited an extra prize.

Wm. Lunan & Son, of Sorel, Que., are again exhibiting the popular Princess Baking Powder, of which they are the sole manufacturers, and although no report from the judges has yet been received, that they will receive the 1st prize is a foregone conclusion.

Messrs. H. R. Ives & Co., this city, have an extensive exhibit on the grounds, directly opposite the main entrance, of ornamental railings, cast iron staple furnishings, and a very handsome garden pavilion of iron, &c.

The Dominion Barbed Wire Co., of this city, exhibit their barbed wire to the greatest advantage, on the open grounds. The Company have, with creditable enterprise, stretched their wire along the top of the fence in front of the grounds.

Messrs. Ostell & Co., this city, exhibit a complete angler's outfit in a case, also a good selection of flies for salmon, trout, and bass angling, rods, lines and fishing tackle generally.

A remarkably good exhibit is that of parquetry and wainscoting by J. Wright & Co., Montreal.

Messrs. Gallagher & Gauthier, of the Beaconsfield Vineyard, Point Claire, exhibit numerous varieties of grapes, which have been recommended by the judges for a diploma. They were not entered for competition.

Mr. G. J. Richardson, this city, has a creditable display of sauces, pickles, catsups, etc. The excellence of Mr. Richardson's Worcester sauce is well known, having procured for him the first and extra prizes awarded at the Dominion Exhibition last year.

J. J. Duffy & Co. make an extensive display of their Cook's Favorite Baking Powder, steam-cooked pea meal and mustard. They received a diploma for their mustard, and a bronze medal for the steam-cooked pea meal, which is highly recommended.

With the limited space at our disposal we are unable to refer to the entire number of exhibits and awards, but if any entitled to our attention have been omitted we shall be pleased to hear from the exhibitors.

#### MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.

A new corset factory was recently opened in Quebec, under the management of a gentleman, who was formerly a corset manufacturer in Paris. Ten looms, with all the machinery connected with them, made under the immediate supervision of the manager, in Quebec, have been erected in the building, and are said to have been kept running steadily since the beginning of July last, employing about 60 hands. The manager states that he could easily reach a yearly production of 300,000 corsets.

The new woollen mills at Campbellford are nearly completed. Five cars of machinery have already been received and placed.

Messrs. Shaw Bros., of this city, have decided to rebuild their extract factory at Poquiock, York County, N. B., on the same site and of the same dimensions as the one recently burned. The new factory is to be in operation on the 1st December next.

The new spring factory of the Guelph Carriage Goods Company, commenced last year, is being completed by the addition of a building 80 x 240 feet in size. The foundation has been laid, and a large gang of men is at work getting up the brick walls.

A number of New York capitalists have formed an iron company, and leased for a term of years the property north of the old Baldwin iron mine at Ottawa, and who intend shipping their ore to Pittsburg, Pa. Operations are to be commenced immediately. The company pay a royalty of 40c on each ton of ore, which has been fully tested and found to produce the most satisfactory results.

The Toronto paper dealers and consumers who have decided upon erecting a new paper mill at Cornwall, Ont., have arranged with an American firm for drawing the plans for the same, and overseeing the new enterprise. The company have a capital stock of \$250,000, and intend to manufacture five tons per day of fine book and engine sized writing papers. The mill will have one 72-inch Fourdrinier machine, seven 800 pounds rag engines, and 190 hands will be employed in it.

A TELEGRAM to the *Witness* states that the reports concerning the destruction by fire of the establishments of Messrs. Chas. Robin & Co. and LeBouthillier Bros. of Paspebiac, Que., published some time since, are totally unfounded.

#### FIRE RECORD—INSURANCE.

##### ONTARIO.

Listowel, 7.—Following buildings destroyed or damaged by fire originating in P. Bender's blacksmith shop. Albion hotel, sheds and stables; loss, \$8,900, insurance \$2,000; loss on contents, \$3,000; insurance \$1,800 in Royal. P. Bender's shop; loss \$650, no insurance. J. W. Scott's carriage factory, blacksmith shop and contents; loss, \$3,000; insured in Lancashire and Imperial. W. McKenny, residence and contents; loss, \$2,500; insurance, \$1,650 in Union. H. Heathers' house and carpenter shop; loss, \$1,000; no insurance. Newman's residence and contents damaged; loss, \$2,000, insured in Royal and Waterloo Mutual. W. McLennan's house and contents destroyed; loss, \$700; insured in Dominion and Waterloo Mutual. J. & J. Large's sash factory damaged; insured in Royal. E. B. Sutherland's sash and door factory, machinery, etc.; loss, \$3,000; insured for \$1,000 in British America. London, Sept. 11.—Green's planing mill totally destroyed; loss \$20,000, insured in Commercial Union for \$5,000. Ottawa, 11.—Two wooden houses owned by Carpenter; loss \$1,500. Belleville, 12.—Fire corner Pinnacle and Hotel streets; losses, Mr. Francisco, \$100 on stock, and Mr. W. Nicholson, \$300 on building; no insurance. Mr. D. Ward's building \$250; insured. Mr. John Ferris, \$300; insured. Loss on buildings and unoccupied dwellings owned by Mrs. E. Holden and Mrs. Laroche, \$1,550; insurance, \$700. McRae's tin shop; loss \$400; no insurance. Building belonged to the Holton estate, loss \$500; no insurance. St. Catharines, 11.—Fire in an unoccupied stone building near the canal; loss about \$300. Queenston, 13.—Barn belonging to James Stewart, Niagara township, with all its valu-

able contents. Loss on building alone \$1,400, besides 1,600 bushels of grain and farm implements; insurance unknown. Smith's Falls, 13.—House owned by Henry Bedford, who kept a small grocery store. When the fire was put out his remains were found in the debris. Amherstburg, 7.—St. Clesteen's mill; loss \$6,000, insurance \$2,500. Damage to Thomas Ouellette's lumber, \$8,000, insurance \$5,000. Belleville, 13.—Vicinity of Eagle Lake, bush fires raging. Jas. Watson's house, burn and crop burned. Destructive fires have been raging for several days in northern part of Hastings county and Peterboro and Addington counties. Large part of timber limits along Scott river, belonging to Rathburn & Sons, Gilmour & Co., Alex. Sutherland, W. Bleecker and A. Flint and Hatton, have been devastated. Immense quantities of hay belonging to various individuals have been destroyed, fire still raging. Ottawa, 14.—Fire in a row of wooden out-buildings in rear of Hartwell's fruit store on Rideau street. Property valued at \$5,000, owned by the Trust and Loan Company, destroyed. Deputy-Chief Favreau badly cut by falling glass.

##### QUEBEC.

Levis, 10.—Large pile of coal belonging to the Richelieu was on fire, but was finally put out by the steam fire engine. St. Jerome, 11.—Pasteboard factory belonging to Mr. Delisle. Loss \$20,900.

##### MANITOBA.

Emerson, 13.—Merchants Hotel burned on Saturday night with loss of one life, man named Ward. Loss \$2,000, no insurance.

##### NEW BRUNSWICK.

St. John, Sept. 6.—Machine and workshop of the N. B. railway at Gibson burnt; loss heavy, insured for \$20,000. Two houses belonging to P. Ryan, Woodstock, and one owned by J. Connors, burnt; Ryan's loss \$800, no insurance; Connor's loss \$900; insured for \$425 in Lancashire. Fredericton, 7.—Shaw Bros.' hemlock bark extract factory at Pokiok, 33 miles above here, burnt; supposed incendiarism; insurance said to be \$10,000, which will not cover loss. Drury Cove, 6.—Jewitt's mill burnt, with about 4000 feet refuse lumber; loss \$20,000; no insurance.

## Financial and Commercial.

### MONTREAL WHOLESALE MARKETS.

THURSDAY, 22nd September, 1891.

The Fall trade is progressing satisfactorily; there has been decidedly more activity noticeable in the markets this week, and in nearly all branches expectations have been realized. In some departments, such as dry goods, groceries and hardware, a tolerably heavy business has been done, while, in one or two others, notably dairy produce, merchants report that the Exhibition has tended to detract attention from business, and that among the numerous visitors buyers were comparatively few. In wholesale circles the demand, while much more active than in the previous week, has been almost entirely of a sorting-up character, while the retail community have derived a good harvest from the presence of so many strangers in the city. In financial circles nothing unusual has transpired during the week; there is a fair demand at the banks for accommodation at 6 to 7 per cent. discount, the inside rate being taken only for strictly prime paper. Call loans negotiated at 4 to 5 per cent, and time loans at 5 to 6. Sterling Exchange quiet, at 8½ prem. between banks and 8½ to 8½ do cash over counter. The stock market has ruled inactive; there has been no afternoon session of the Board

since Monday, and until yesterday there were no important fluctuations in values. On Wednesday morning several holders were anxious to sell out, and the free offerings tended to depress values. It is said that several lots of Ontario, which declined 3 per cent, were not sufficiently secured on margins, and were therefore sold out. Montreal Bank also fell 1 per cent, and Richelieu and City Passenger 2½ and 2 per cent, respectively. Merchants, was also a fraction lower. Today the market continued weak, with a further decline of about 2 per cent for Ontario and Richelieu, of 1 for Montreal Bank and City Passenger, and of ½ per cent for Gas. Merchants' was a fraction stronger. Sales to-day: 10 Montreal at 199½; 40 do at 199; 205 do at 198½; 25 do at 198½; 50 Ontario at 76½; 255 do at 76½; 150 do at 77; 926 do at 76½; 100 Merchants' at 125; 8 Eastern Townships at 117½; 50 Commerce at 143½; 10 do at 143½; 100 Montreal Telegraph at 131½; 345 Richelieu at 55½; 25 City Passenger at 131; and 25 Canada Cotton Co. at 130.

**ASUES.**—Receipts of Pots continue light, and there are absolutely no Pearls coming in. First Pots have become somewhat firmer, and are selling at \$5.10 to \$5.20, the latter for good tures. No sales of inferiors reported this week. We quote \$4.60 to \$4.65 for Seconds, and \$4 for Thirds. **PEARLS.**—The stock is greatly reduced, a sale of 20 brls. Firsts reported at \$6, and holders now ask more. Receipts since 1st January, 7681 brls. Pots, 697 brls. Pearls. Deliveries, 7569 brls. Pots, 655 brls. Pearls. Stock in store at six o'clock on Wednesday, 200 brls. Pots, 63 brls. Pearls.

**BOOTS AND SHOES.**—The anticipated influx of country dealers have been here and placed a large number of small sorting-up orders, which, together with the back orders in hand, keep manufacturers as busy as possible. Fall parcels have, for the most part, been shipped, and, as it is too early for repeat orders, new business is likely to continue within small limits until after the travellers start out on their sorting-up trip. Payments continue good. The volume of the Fall trade, as already estimated by some of the wholesale firms, will nearly double that of the like period last year.

**FLOUR AND GRAIN.**—In England prices for wheat declined 6d per cental yesterday, but cable advices received to-day are more encouraging, the markets being reported firmer all round. The imports in Great Britain for the week show a decrease of 10,000 bushels wheat, 60,000 bushels corn, and an increase of 35,000 barrels flour, as compared with those for the week previous. There is a considerable falling off in the English imports of grain, as compared with a year ago. The American wheat markets have been steadily advancing during the past couple of days, but in the local market which sympathizes with the firmer feeling in the West, there has not been much business doing; buyers do not seem to have sufficient confidence in the upward movement, and are not generally willing to pay the figures asked. There were sales reported yesterday of 13,000 bush. of Canada White Winter Wheat at \$1.42, and about 45,000 bush. pens changed hands at 97½c. Some half-dozen cargoes pens were sold again to-day at the same figure; it is believed that the crop of pens in Canada this year has been considerably underestimated, as the grain is very small, and when threshed the quantity does not bear out previous calculations. Oats worth 38c to 40c; no recent sales. No business done here in wheat to-day. There has been a continued good demand for flour, for Quebec, Lower Ports, and Newfoundland,

while the supply is reported insufficient; the production in Ontario seems to have fallen off during the late drouth, and some of the leading brands are becoming scarce in this market, hence values are still tending upwards; holders are now asking fully 5c per bbl. more than yesterday. Superior Extra is reported to have sold to-day at \$6.55, Extra is held at \$6.40 to \$6.45, and Spring Extra at the same figures.

**DAIRY PRODUCTS.**—The local market has ruled quiet and nominally unchanged all week. There is a steady demand for fine Butter, at firm but unaltered prices, while other grades continue to be neglected. In Cheese the situation is about as last reported; values remain firm for fancy stock, while for July and August make the market rules dull. A lot of 1,200 boxes August make changed hands yesterday at 12½c. Advices from Belleville announce a dull market, buyers acting with caution, while sellers ask 12½c to 13c. It is estimated that there are about 4,000 boxes of July and August cheese still unsold in the Belleville district.

**CATTLE, ETC.**—Since the formation of a combination of cattle exporters, to monopolize the tonnage, etc., referred to in our last report, there has been little business done here in shipping grades. A partially successful effort at retaliation was made by the dealers, who turned nearly all their cattle out to pasture instead of offering them on the markets, but the exporters immediately telegraphed for fresh shipments. On Monday last there were some 2,795 head cattle, 4,928 sheep, 714 hogs, and 5 horses in the yards at Point St. Charles, but dealers were not prepared to accept the prices offered by shippers, said to be 4½c per lb. for best stock, and 4c for fair qualities; extra quoted at 5c. At Viger market the best butchers' cattle brought 4½c, while inferior to common grades realized 2½c to 3½c per lb. Good to choice shipping sheep brought 4½c to 5c per lb., and lambs sold at from \$3 to \$3.50 each, a few extra ones bringing \$3.75 to \$4.00. Hogs were in fair supply and demand at \$7 to \$7.30 per 100 lbs. On account of the falling off in receipts from Canada and the States, and the limited home supply fit for market, the demand for cattle in England has decidedly improved, and prices have recently advanced fully 21 per head, with prospects of still higher figures being paid for beef and mutton. Canadian dealers, therefore, may as well pay the freights asked and run the risks of the English markets, as to sell to shippers here at a sacrifice. Shipments of live stock from port of Montreal for the week ending 24th Sept. inst., as reported by C. H. Chandler, insurance and shipping agent. SS. "Grecian," Glasgow, 407 cattle, 300 sheep. "Viking," London, 27 cattle, 1,355 sheep. "Scotland," London, 309 cattle, 407 sheep. "Toronto," Liverpool, 326 cattle, 286 sheep. "Deronda," Bristol, 105 cattle, 170 sheep. "Concordia," Glasgow, 450 cattle. "Mississippi," Liverpool, 125 cattle, 950 sheep. Total for week, 1,759 cattle, 3,668 sheep. Total previous week, 1,033 cattle, 3,367 sheep. Total to date, 36,642 cattle, 51,524 sheep.

**DRY GOODS.**—Trade continues in a flourishing condition: a large number of country merchants have availed themselves of the cheap railway fares offered to visitors to the Provincial Exhibition held here, and all the leading houses report a busy week with customers from different points in Ontario and from as far east as Nova Scotia. Purchases, however, while much more liberal than at the like period last year, were chiefly of a sorting-up character, and embodied nothing of special interest. Payments are uniformly reported good, and bad debts are conspicuous by their absence, notwithstanding that the Fall trade in the country has scarcely been opened yet. The low numbers of Horrocks' cottons—the first four numbers, it is said—have been advanced ¼d per yard, causing an advance of about ½c per yard here.

**DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.**—The Exhibition has attracted a good many country customers to the city, but they have not been doing much business except in the way of sorting-up orders. There has been little doing in heavy chemicals during the week, and there is no change to note in prices. The English markets continue without animation, there being little effort on the part of either buyers or sellers to press business. Opium and Quinine are still dull and depressed. In New York Oil Peppermint and Oil Lemon have advanced about 50c per lb., and prices here will likely respond.

**GROCERIES.**—Sugars are not higher, but the change is trifling. Prices may be given as about those of last week, with perhaps a very slight abatement in Yellow Refined. In West India Sugars there is not a great deal doing. **TEAS.**—Fairly steady for good to choice Japans. Another sale here yesterday was not a success as to prices. At private sale the consumptive demand is moderate. **MOLASSES.**—Choice Barbadoes may be quoted as at about last week's prices, with a turn a little easier. **SYRUPS** firm at advance of about ½c to ¾c the lb. Rice is in moderate request at previous figures. **SPICES.**—It looks as if the turn downwards, at least to some extent, may reasonably be expected on Pepper at chief points. Still the change is but slight, and with us it cannot be called anything. Cassia is firm; Cloves, Ginger and Pimento selling in a moderate way about as current for some time. **FRUITS.**—Valencia Raisins on the spot are scarce, and held 8½c to 9½c. Foreign advices still show firmness. Of new Malaga fruit nothing is yet reported here, and the old crop is held firmly. Some new Sultanias have sold at 13c for quantity. Currants firm.

**HARDWARE AND IRON.**—As in many other branches the stimulating influence of the presence of so many visitors to the Exhibition has been felt in the leading hardware houses. The buyers were chiefly from the Ottawa district, and, although generally small, their purchases, together with orders being received from travellers for all kinds of shelf and heavy goods, imparted some increased activity. The demand for Bar Iron continues good and healthy, at unchanged price, but cable advices received yesterday from England reporting an advance of 5s per ton, with an excited market, have tended to strengthen the views of holders here, and competition seems to be the only obstacle in the way of their advancing the figure in this market also. **Pig Iron.**—The market continues bare of stocks and, owing to increased firmness and higher freights, an advance of 4s per ton in Scotland since last week's advices, holders here are asking higher prices, and state that they are being paid. Twenty per cent of the furnaces in England and Scotland are to be closed, to curtail production. See our "Prices Current."

**FREIGHTS.**—Ocean grain freights are easy, quoted 3d lower, at 2s 6d for Liverpool and 2s 3d for Glasgow.

**PROVISIONS.**—There was a reaction in Chicago market yesterday, and pork advanced 37½c per barrel for October, and 55c for November. Lard was strong, and quoted 20c per 100 lbs. higher at the close. In this market business has been fair, under a moderate enquiry. **Mess Pork** has remained steady at \$23 to \$23.50, the latter price being for single barrels. **Lard** is selling fairly well at 14½c to 15c for Canada, and 15c to 15½c for Fairbanks' in pails. About 500 pails of the Anchor brand were sold Tuesday at 15½c. In **Hams** a fair business doing at 12c to 13½c, uncanvassed; no canvassed hams in the market, the season being over. **Eggs** are becoming somewhat scarce, and prices are therefore higher; 16c to 17c per dozen has been paid this week, according to quality.



**FRUITS.**—Business has been lively this week. An improved local enquiry for *Apples* is reported, but there is no appreciable shipping demand, and prices in Liverpool are still low; quoted here at \$1.75 to \$2 for fine stock. *Pears*—Bartlett's scarce, and in good request at \$8 to \$10 per barrel, or \$1.25 per basket. Receipts of *Flemish Beauties* large, and demand fair at \$4 to \$5 per barrel, or \$1 per basket. *Peaches* arriving freely, and selling at lower prices, from \$1.50 to \$1.75 for choice, while poor stock has sold down to \$1 per basket. Receipts of *Grapes* large, with prices receding:—*Concords* selling at 5c to 6c, and *Delawares* at 7c to 8c per lb., by the basket. The first shipment of *Almeria grapes* arrived this week, and are realizing \$8 per keg of 50 lbs. The demand for *Jamaica oranges* is yet light, it being too early in the season; quoted at \$4.50 per crate. *Lemons* scarce, and selling fairly well at \$10 to \$12 per case, or \$7 to \$8 in boxes.

**FISH.**—The supply is yet light, but a good jobbing demand is reported, and prices rule firm. Some lots of *Labrador Herrings* have arrived, and are held at \$5.75 to \$6, for round lots. No. 1 *Cape Breton Herrings* are selling in a jobbing way at \$4 87½ to \$5, and at \$5.25 for small lots. *Green Cod* fish scarce, at \$3.80 to \$4, for No. 1, and *Dry Cod* worth \$3.87½ to \$4 per 112 lbs. For small lots somewhat higher prices are asked.

**HIDES AND SKINS.**—Receipts of green *Hides* in this market continue fairly large, but there is a demand for all offering at unchanged prices; it is expected, however, that the decline towards the close of last week of ¼c per lb. for hides in Chicago will shortly have an effect upon this market. Western hides continue to be sold here in car lots at 10½c for No. 1, and at 10½c for smaller quantities. *Sheepskins* steady at 80c to 90c, according to size and quality.

**LEATHER.**—The improved tone of the market, previously noted, has continued, and on the whole a larger business appears to have been done than during the week previous to the one under review. A good many *Quebec tanners* have been in the city this week. Sales have chiefly comprised small assortments of all kinds of leather, at unchanged quotations; one lot, however, of about six tons of *Quebec Splits* is reported sold to a local manufacturer at 25c. There is a continued good enquiry for the best *Sole*, while common descriptions are neglected; B. A. has changed hands in lots of 200 and 300 sides each, at 26c to 26½c for No. 1, and 23½c to 24c for No. 2. *Upper* is only in moderate request, and is scarcely as firm as last week.

**LUMBER.**—Business is greatly retarded by lowness of water in the *Ottawa River*,—keeping back logs, and insufficiency to run the mills, also being so low that barges cannot approach piling grounds, and they can only carry half to three-quarters of a cargo. Almost everything that is manufactured has been sold, so that there is no stock beyond what is in lumber dealers' hands. Prices firm and advancing.

**OLS.**—The market rules steady under a fair jobbing demand for fish oils, which are nearly altogether sold upon the basis of the wine measure, at the following quotations for large lots:—*Steam Refined Seal*, 47½c to 50c; *Halifax* or *Gaspé Cod*, 42½c; *Newfoundland do.*, 45c. For smaller lots, add about 2c to these prices. *Linseed* is scarce and firm at our quotations. *Turpentine*, with a bare market here and supplies in the South much below the average, has been steadily advancing, and as in addition to this there has been some speculation at work manipulating the market it is uncertain how high it may go, but it is not likely to decline.

**WOOL.**—The market continues firm for fine grades of wool. At the present *London* sales, prices rule very firm for *Cape* and *Australian*

wools, and values are much higher in the States also. Recent sales of *Greasy Cape* have transpired in this market at 20c to 21c per lb. Stocks here are light, and holders seem confident that higher prices will prevail in the near future. The current quotations here are: for *Greasy Cape* 19½c to 21c; and for *Greasy Australian* 23c to 30c. In domestic descriptions there is no change to note. A small steady movement continues to be reported at unchanged prices. The sooner *Canadian farmers* exchange their long wool sheep for *Shropshire Down* or other fine breeds the better. Long wool has become almost unsaleable, while there is a constant and growing demand for fine wools, such as the *Southdown*.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

(By Telegraph.)

Milwaukee, Sept. 22, 2.15 p.m.—Wheat, Oct. \$1.32½; Nov. \$1.33½.

Chicago, Sept. 22, 2.28 p.m.—Wheat, Nov. \$1.35½. Corn, Sept. 67½c; Oct. 68½.

New York, Sept. 22.—Corn, Oct. 68½c; Nov. 67½c.

Boston, Sept. 22.—Dairy products about the same as last week. *Butter*, fine creamery, 32c to 33c per lb. Fine dairy lots at 29c to 33c per lb. The indications are that strictly fine butter will be scarce throughout the season. There is a good demand for *Oleomargarine* at 18c to 21c per lb. *Cheese* worth from 12½c to 13c per lb. *Beans* scarce. Choice pea beans \$3.20 to \$3.25 per bush. *Potatoes* worth 80c to 90c per bush. *Hay* steady; best quality worth \$20 to \$21 per ton.

MARITIME MARKETS.

St. John, N.B., Sept. 22, 1881.—Flour very active, and from 15c to 20c bbl. higher; demand good and stocks light. Choice superior, \$6.90 to \$7.20; family patents, \$7.50 to \$8. Cornmeal active, prices unchanged; kiln-dried, \$3.70 to \$3.80. Pork unchanged, demand good; new mess \$23 to \$23.50. Sugars unchanged, yellow 6c to 7½c to 8c; Extra C, 8½c to 8¾c; Bright C, 8½c, to 8¾c; granulated 9½c to 10c. Molasses easier; Barbadoes, 48c to 51c; Cienfuegos, 46c to 47c. Dried apples higher at 6c to 6½c.

TORONTO WHOLESALE MARKETS.

(By Telegraph from our Special Correspondent.)

Toronto, Sept. 22, 1881.

The general wholesale business of the city is in a very satisfactory condition. The movement in all branches has been larger than usual since the first of the month. At present the rush is not so great, but the quieter period will enable dealers to give more satisfaction in filling previous orders. Dry goods merchants report a good business, and their large stocks at the opening of the season show considerable decrease. Orders are being received from almost all quarters of the country, and the wants of the people are undoubtedly larger than for some years. Values continue steady, both for cotton and woollen goods. The mills have large orders ahead, and in some instances cannot supply the demand fast enough. Remittances are all that can be expected, and there is but little paper going to protest. Hardware is in good demand and firm, all our dealers doing a large trade. Glass, bar and pig iron are strong. Tin plates unchanged. There has been a large movement in nails. Easier prices for cash are reported from Montreal, but quotations to the regular trade in small lots are unchanged. Groceries are active and firm, and provisions are quiet. The grain trade is more active, with increased receipts of wheat and barley. Prices are slightly higher than a week

ago. The money market has been rather more active since our last report, and rates are steady. There has been fair offerings of commercial paper, with prime discounted at 6 per cent and ordinary at 7. The demand for call loans is moderate at 5 per cent, and time loans on choice collateral rule at 5½c to 6. Sterling exchange is quiet and steady; 60-day bills are quoted at 108½ between banks and 108¾ across the counter, and demand bills at 108½ to 109½. Gold drafts on New York are ¼ premium. The stock market has been more active and values irregular, closing at a decline for the general list. Standard, Dominion and Federal Banks are exceptions, and close higher. Sales the past few days comprise Montreal at 200 and 199, Ontario at 79½, 78 and 76½, Commerce at 143½ and 143, Merchants at 124½ and 123, Dominion at 177½, 178, 177½, 178 and 177½, Hamilton at 121, Imperial at 127 and 127½, Federal at 145½, Standard at 107 and 107½. Loan and miscellaneous shares have been quiet and steady, with sales of *Canada Permanent* at 204, *Building and Loan* at 101½, *Farmers Loan* at 130½, *Western Canada* at 172, *Imperial Savings* at 116, 115 and 114, *Consumers' Gas* at 140½ and 140, and *Montreal Telegraph* at 131. The market to-day closed quiet and steady, with sales of *Ontario Bank* at 76½; *Federal* 145½; *Consumers' Gas* at 140½; *Canada Permanent* at 204; *Western Canada* 172, and *Real Estate Loan* at 103.

Following are the closing bids to-day as compared with those of last Thursday:

Banks.	Bid Sept. 16.	Bid Sept. 22.	Loan Cos.	Bid Sept. 16.	Bid Sept. 22.
Montreal..	199½	198½	Can. Permanent	204	203½
Toronto..	150½	157½	Freehold..	104	104
Ontario..	70	70	Western Can..	171	172
Merchants	124	124	Bldg. & Loan..	102	100
Commerce	143	143	Imp. Savings..	115	115
Dominion	174½	177½	Farmers' Loan..	128	129
Hamilton	121	121	London & Can'dn	100	100
Standard.	106	107½	Huron & Erie..	165½	165
Federal..	145	145	Dom. Savings..	133	133
Imperial..	127	128	Ontario Loan..	133	133
Molson's	116½	116½	Hamilton Prov..	133½	133½

**BOOTS AND SHOES.**—There has been considerable business of a sorting-up description, the customers being merchants who were attracted here by the Exhibition. The shipments of winter goods continue large, and factories, as a rule, are very busy. Prices are firm and unchanged.

**COAL AND WOOD.**—There is a fair movement in coal at unchanged prices. Egg, Stove, Grate and Chestnut sell at \$6½ a ton, delivered, the best soft coal at \$6.50 and second quality at \$6. Wood is quiet and steady at \$5.50 per cord for hard and \$4 for pine.

**COAL OIL.**—The refined market is fairly active at last week's quotations. Barrel lots sell at 24c per Imperial gallon and five to ten barrel lots at 23½c. The crude market is unchanged at \$2 per barrel in Petrolia.

**COUNTRY PRODUCE.**—*Apples.*—There has been a moderate business in Fall lots, and dealers anticipate a profitable export business in winter apples; quotations now rule at \$1.50 to \$2 per barrel. *Beans* are nominal in price at \$1.80 per bushel, there being no stocks. *Eggs* are in moderate receipt and firm; all offering are taken at 15c. *Hogs* are firm at \$8 to \$8.50 on the open market, with light receipts. *Hops* are quiet; holders ask 17c to 20c, but there are apparently few buyers at those prices; 13c to 15c would probably be paid for new lots of good to choice. *Onions* are steady, with fair offerings; they sell at \$1.75 to \$2.25 per barrel, according to quality. *Potatoes* are in good demand from the States; car lots on track are worth 70c per bag. *Poultry* quiet and steady at 40c to 45c per pair for chickens; 60c to \$1 for geese, and 75c to \$1.75 for turkeys. *Tallow* is slightly higher, with sales of small lots at 6½c to 7c; dealers pay 3½c for rough and 6½c for rendered.



**DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.**—There has been a good trade during the week, and prices, as a rule, are firmer. We quote: *Quince Seed* is firm at \$4.25 to \$5. *Opium* is unchanged at \$5.00. *Quinine* firm at \$3.15 to \$3.50. *Tartaric Acid* is unchanged at 58c to 60c. *Cream of Tartar* unchanged at 35c. *Turpentine* higher at 90c to 95c. *Linseed Oil* steady at 79c for boiled and 26c for raw. *Glycerine* higher at 42c to 45c. *Potass Iodide*, \$3 to \$3.25 per lb. *Potass Bromide*, 43c to 48c per lb. *Oil Lemon*, \$3 60. *Alcohol*, \$2.64 per barrel, cash. *Morphia* firmer at \$2.70 to \$3.00 an ounce. *Cochineal* is quoted at 65c to 70c per lb. *Chemicals* are quiet and steady, as are also dyestuffs.

**FLOUR AND MEAL.**—*Flour* has continued in good demand, and prices are firmly maintained. Offerings are small, and it is with difficulty that orders are filled. There were sales of car lots of Superior Extra the latter part of last week at \$6.10 and \$6.12, and of Extra at \$6. A choice brand of Superior Extra sold on Monday at \$6.15, and \$6.10 would be paid to-day for good brands. Extra was wanted yesterday at \$6, but none offered. Spring Extra is nominal at \$6. To-day the market was dull, but prices are firm at full quotations. The stock in store is 625 barrels, against 125 barrels last week and 250 barrels the corresponding week of 1880. *Bran* is dull but firm, holders asking \$15 on track. *Oatmeal* is in moderate demand and firm, with buyers of choice lots at \$1.40 on track. Small lots sell at \$4.50 to \$4.75. *Cornmeal* is quiet and firm at \$3.50 to \$3.60.

**WHEAT.**—Business has been more active the past week, and prices have continued strong throughout. The demand has been good and receipts fair. The latter part of last week sales of car lots of No. 2 Fall were made at \$1.34 and of round lots at \$1.35. During the same time No. 2 Spring sold at \$1.32 and \$1.33 in car lots, and No. 2 Fall offered at \$1.27, with no sales reported. On Monday No. 2 Fall sold at \$1.34 and No. 2 Spring at \$1.32, and on Tuesday a car of No. 1 Spring at \$1.34 on track. The market yesterday was dull and steady. To-day the market is dull, quiet and firm, with sales of No. 2 Fall at \$1.35 and No. 2 Spring at \$1.34. The stock in store is 75,013 bushels, against 58,303 bushels last week and 13,195 bushels the corresponding week of last year.

**COARSE GRAINS.**—*Barley.*—The demand has been good during the week, and in consequence of light receipts prices are higher. Sales are confined chiefly to No. 1, receipts being mostly of that grade. On Friday two cars of No. 1 sold at 88c, and on Monday and Tuesday at 90c. No. 2 is wanted at 80c, but it is generally held at 84c. The latter grade for November delivery offered at 78c without bids. Barley to-day closes firm and higher, with sales of No. 1 barley at 94c and No. 2 grade at 87c. The stock is now 65,820 bushels, against 63,774 bushels last week and 41,218 bushels the corresponding week of 1880. *Oats* ruled quiet and firm throughout the week, and receipts are small; sales the past few days have been made at 42c on track. There are none in store. *Peas* are dull and purely nominal at 75c to 78c, with no car lots offering. The stock in store is 7,191 bushels, against 2,298 bushels a year ago. *Rye* is also dull and nominal, with receipts confined to waggon loads on the street, which sell at 95c to 96c. Stock 1,250 bushels. *Corn* dull and firm at 75c to 80c.

**FREIGHTS.**—Rail freights are unchanged on the basis of 25c per barrel flour to Montreal. Ocean rates are slightly changed; butter and cheese to Liverpool now quoted at 58½c per 100 lbs. in large quantities, and 63½c in lots under 15,000 lbs.

**GROCERIES.**—Trade is fairly active, and the feeling much improved. Sugars are firm at 9½c to 9½c for granulated. New Fruit is firm;

*Valencias* sell at 9c to 9½c, and currants to arrive at 7½c. *Sultanas* are firm at 15c to 16c; London layers, large lots, \$2.75; Black basket, \$3.50; Blue Crown, \$4.75. *Nuts* unchanged, at 10c to 10½c for Walnuts and 17c for Almonds. *Fish* are in fair demand and firm. *Sardines* 11c for ½'s and 22c for ¼'s; Canned lobster, \$1.35 to \$1.70; best Salmon, \$2.10; Quintal Cod, 5c to 5½c; boneless in 30 lb boxes, 4c; do. in 5 lb. boxes, 4½c. *Peppers* scarce and higher; white, 23c; black, 16c. *Sugars* steady: Granulated, 9½c to 10c; bright yellows, 8½c to 9c; low yellows, 8c to 8½c. *Teas* quiet and firm on small orders: prices are firm at 30c to 38c for common Young Hyson, 40c to 50c for medium to good, and 60c to 65c for fine. Common Congou, 30c to 40c; good, 40c; fine 60c to 70c. *Syrup* firm; common, 58c; amber to choice amber, 65c to 68c per Imperial gallon. *Coffee* quiet: Government Java, 30c to 31c; Singapore, 20c to 23c; Rio, 18c to 20c; Jamaica, 22c to 24c. *Rice* steady at \$4.25. *Tobacco* steady, at 42½c to 55c for 6s and 8s: 43c to 50c for bright navy 8s; 42c to 45c for Solaces; and 85c to 95c for Virginia. *Liquors* firm: Pure Jamaica Rum, 16 o.p., \$2.75 to \$3; Demerara, \$2.45 to \$2.75. Gin—green cases, \$4.25 to \$4.50; red, \$8 to \$8.50. Wines.—Port, \$1.50; fine, \$2.40 to \$5.40. Sherry, \$1.50; fine, \$3.60 to \$5.40. Champagne per case, \$14 to \$26.50. Brandy in wood, Hennessy's. Old and Martell's, \$4.50 to \$5.10; second-class brands, \$3.70 to \$4.20, according to age; inferior brands, \$2.40 to \$3.30. Whiskey (add 5 per cent.). Alcohol, per Imperial gallon, \$2.53; pure spirits, 65 o.p., \$2.54; do 50 o.p., \$2.35; do 25 u.p., \$1.18; family proof whiskey, \$1.28; old Bourbon, \$1.28; old rye, toddy or malt, \$1.20; domestic whiskey, 32 u.p., \$1.08; rye whiskey, 4 years old, \$1.50; do 5 years old, \$1.60; do 6 years old, \$1.70; 7 years old, \$1.80.

**HARDWARE.**—There is a large movement in this department, and prices are firm at our quotations of a week ago. The strength is chiefly noted in iron and glass. Payments satisfactory.

**HIDES AND SKINS.**—*Hides* are in good demand and firm, with sales of cured at 9½c and 10c. Dealers are paying 9c to 9½c for green. *Calfskins* are dull and nominal at 14c to 15. *Sheepskins* and *Lambskins* are in good demand and firm at last week's quotation, viz: 85 cents.

**LEATHER.**—A good country trade has been transacted the past week, and prices are firm at quotations. The city enquiry is increasing.

**LIVE STOCK.**—*Cattle.*—The market has been dull and prices lower since our last report. The receipts consisted of about fifteen car loads, and the demand was so poor on Tuesday that a car was shipped back. The stock generally are of inferior quality. Stockers and second-class cattle brought 3c, first-class butchers 4c to 4½c, and choice export lots, which are scarce, are worth 5c. *Sheep* are in less demand and receipts of poor quality; they sell at 4½c to 4½c per lb, average weights being 135 to 145 lbs. *Lambs* are not offering freely, and prices are steady at \$3.25 to \$4 a head. *Calves* are unchanged at \$7 to \$10 for choice and \$4 to \$5 for ordinary. *Hogs* are easier at 6½c to 6½c per lb.

**PROVISIONS.**—*Butter.*—The supply is only moderate and prices steady. The demand is good for choice lots, and sales are being made to the trade at 20c to 21. Choice selections for export are worth 17c to 18c in the country, but shippers are inclined to hold back. *Bacon* is in moderate demand and firm; long clear is quoted at 12½c and Cumberland cut at 11½c in a jobbing way. *Ham* is firm at 14½c to 15c for canvassed. *Mess Pork* is held at \$23, but few lots change hands. *Lard* is firm at 15c to 15½c for tubs and pails. *Cheese* is fairly active and firm at 13c for best made; ordinary sells at 12c to 12½c. *Dried Apples* are held at 6c to 6½c for selected barrel lots. They are in the hands of a few dealers,

**SEEDS.**—*Clover* is dull and firm, holders asking about \$6 for choice re-cleaned lots fit for export. *Timothy* is in fair demand and higher, at \$3.25 to \$3.40 per bushel in a jobbing way.

*Wool.*—The fleece market is a little firmer, with sales of several lots from warehouse at 24½c to 25c. Buyers are paying 23c to 24c. Super is steady at 27c to 28c, and Extra at 32c to 35c.

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Montreal, 10th September, 1881.

**NOTICE.**

Is hereby given that the Scottish Canada Company, Limited, will apply at the next session of the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada for an act enabling it to take hold and convey real property within the Dominion of Canada.

A. T. DRUMMOND,  
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Montreal, 10th Sept., 1881.



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

**AUCTION SALE.**

PUBLIC NOTICE is given that, under instructions from the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, there will be offered for sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, Messrs. Shaw & Gowdey, Auctioneers, in the City of Montreal, on WEDNESDAY, 19th October next, at ten o'clock a.m., that property situated on line of Saint Gabriel Street and Fortification Lane, in the said City of Montreal, known as the Geological Museum property, on which are erected a stone building, heretofore occupied as the "Geological Museum," a brick building "Keeper's Residence," and various outbuildings in rear of same; the said property being designated on the Cadastral Plan of the City of Montreal and Book of Reference thereto as No. 132, Centre Ward, measuring 61 feet on St. Gabriel Street, and 133 feet on Fortification Lane, more or less, said lot to contain 8,011 feet superficial area, all English measure.

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By order, F. H. ENNIS, Secretary.

Ottawa, 11th Sept., 1881.



**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Post Office, &c., Sherbrooke, Quebec," will be received at this office until THURSDAY, the 29th day September instant, inclusively, for the erection of Post Office, &c., at Sherbrooke, Quebec.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the Custom House, Sherbrooke, and at the office of F. X. Berlinguet, Esq., Architect, Quebec, on and after Monday, the 12th September.

Tenders must be made on the printed forms supplied.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

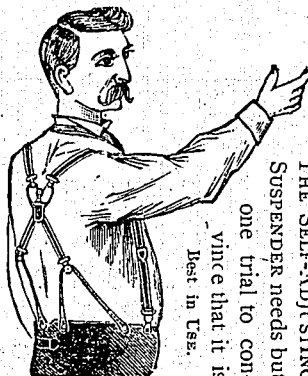
The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

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British North America	£50	\$ 4,866,666	\$ 4,866,666	\$ 1,216,000	2½	103 103½
Canadian Bank of Commerce	50	6,000,000	6,000,000	1,400,000	4	143½ 143½
Dominion Bank	50	1,000,000	970,250	856,000	4	171½
Du Peuple	50	1,600,000	1,600,000	240,000	2	90 91½
Eastern Townships	50	1,469,600	1,382,705	300,000	3½	117½ 120
Exchange Bank	50	500,000	500,000	210,000	4	140
Federal Bank	100	1,000,000	1,000,000	220,000	3½	145
Hamilton	100	1,000,000	748,201	80,000	4	118
Hochelaga	100	800,000	638,732	.....	0	85 88
Imperial Bank	100	912,500	636,000	100,000	3½	126 126½
Jacques Cartier	25	500,000	500,000	.....	2½	106 110
Maritime	100	800,500	699,463	.....	0	.....
Merchants' Bank of Canada	100	5,798,267	5,614,570	525,000	3	124½ 125½
Molsons Bank	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	140,000	3	114 115
Montreal	200	12,000,000	11,999,200	5,000,000	4 2 p. c. B	195½ 199
Nationale	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	150,000	3½	94
Ontario Bank	40	3,000,000	2,996,756	100,000	3	73½ 79½
Quebec Bank	100	2,500,000	2,500,000	325,000	2½	106 110
Standard	50	509,750	509,750	7,550	3	105½ 107
Toronto	100	2,000,000	2,000,000	600,000	3½	167 169
Union Bank	100	2,000,000	1,992,990	13,000	2	97 98
Ville Marie	100	500,000	.....	.....	.....	97 99
Building and Loan Association	25	750,000	466,920	.....	3½	101½ 102
Canada Cotton Co.	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	129 131
Canada Landed Credit Co.	50	1,500,000	663,314	110,000	4½	136
Canada Farm. Loan and Savings Co.	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	350,000	6	203½ 204
Dominion Savings & Loan Co.	50	800,000	579,550	80,000	4	121 123
Dominion Telegraph Co.	50	711,700	1,000,000	.....	2½	97 99
Dundas Cotton Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	124
English Loan Co.	100	6,000,000	.....	8,508.90	4	127½
Farmers' Loan and Savings Co.	50	1,057,250	600,000	63,000	4	.....
Freehold Loan & Savings Co.	100	1,050,400	590,080	234,024	5	163½ 131
Hamilton Provident & Loan Society	100	1,029,000	841,026	125,000	4	132½
Hudson Cotton Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	160
Huron & Erie Sav. & Loan Soc.	50	1,000,000	977,100	245,000	4	158
Imperial Savings and Investment Soc	50	600,000	577,000	60,000	4	113 111
London & Can. Loan & Agency Co.	50	4,000,000	560,000	143,000	3½	150
London Loan Co. of Canada	50	434,700	223,760	17,432	4	.....
Manitoba Loan	100	518,900	.....	.....	5	118 118½
Montreal Telegraph Co.	40	2,000,000	2,000,000	.....	4	131½ 131½
Montreal City Gas Co.	40	2,000,000	1,800,000	.....	5	147½ 148
Montreal City Passenger Ry Co.	50	600,000	600,000	.....	3	130 131½
Montreal Cotton Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	159½ 160
Montreal Investment and Building Co.	50	500,000	401,027	.....	0	60 60½
Montreal Loan & Mortgage S'y.	50	1,000,000	612,532	64,000	3½	108 108½
National Investment Co.	100	1,460,000	230,000	11,600	3½	111
Ontario Saving and Investment S'oy.	50	1,000,000	969,000	158,000	4	120
Richelieu & Ontario Nav. Co.	100	1,565,000	1,565,000	.....	2½	55 55½
Toronto City Gas Co.	50	800,000	800,000	.....	2½	141 142
Union Loan and Savings Co.	50	500,000	462,762	100,000	5	132 133
Western Canada Loan & Savings Co	50	1,000,000	1,000,000	390,000	5	171

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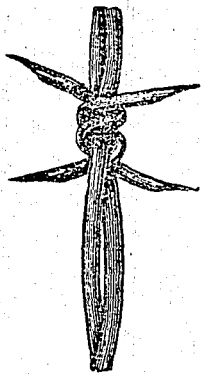
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Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.
\$ c. \$ c.	\$ c. \$ c.	\$ c. \$ c.	\$ c. \$ c.	\$ c. \$ c.	\$ c. \$ c.	\$ c. \$ c.	\$ c. \$ c.
<b>Boots and Shoes.</b>		Soda Ash.....	1 51 1 70	Japan, fine to choice lb.	0 42 0 68	Spices: Cassia..... per lb.	0 12 0 22
Men's Thick Boots Wax.	2 25 2 75	Soda Bi Carb.....	3 10 3 20	Japan Nagasaki.....	0 23 0 31	Mace..... per lb.	0 90 1 00
" Split "	1 80 2 25	Sal Soda.....	1 00 1 10	Y. Hyson common to gd	0 26 0 38	Cloves..... "	0 36 0 47
" Kip Boots.....	2 50 3 00	Tartaric Acid.....	0 67 0 60	Y. Hyson fine to finest, lb	0 40 0 65	Nutmegs..... "	0 60 0 90
" Calf Boots, pegged.	3 00 3 75	Bleaching Powder.....	1 35 1 50	Gunpd., fair to med.	0 33 0 38	Jamaica Ginger, [B].	0 22 0 28
" Kip Broguans.....	1 35 1 40	Citric Acid.....	0 75 0 80	" Good to fine "	0 50 0 60	Jamaica " Unbi. "	0 18 0 21
" Split do.....	0 90 1 10	Camphor Eng. Ref.....	0 46 0 48	Gunpd. Finest.....	0 65 0 70	African..... "	0 10 0 11
" Buff Congress.....	1 50 2 00	" Am. Ref.....	0 38 0 40	Imper'l., med. to gd	0 32 0 37	Pimento..... "	0 15 0 16 1/2
" Buff & Pebbled Bals.	1 75 2 25	Gum Arabic, per lb.....	0 20 0 35	" Fine to finest.....	0 45 0 65	Pepper..... "	0 14 0 16
" Split do.....	1 25 1 50	" Fraj.....	0 45 0 90	Twanky, com. to gd.	0 25 0 30	Mustard, 4 lb. Jars.	0 19 0 20
Shoe Packs.....	1 00 1 75	Copperas per 100 lbs.....	0 95 1 00	Oolong.....	0 33 0 53	" 1 lb. "	0 24 0 25
Wom's Pebbled & Buff Bals	1 00 1 40	Blue Vitrol.....	0 54 0 70	Congou common.....	0 22 0 28	Rice: Arracan, & c p. 100 lb.	3 79 3 95
" Split Bals.....	0 90 1 10			" med. to good.....	0 28 0 38	Sago..... per lb	0 05 0 06 1/2
" Prunella do.....	0 60 1 50			" med to good "	0 40 0 65	Tapioca, Pearl.	0 07 0 09 1/2
" Inferior do.....	0 45 0 50			" fine to choice "	0 23 0 28	Flake.	0 07 0 08 1/2
" Cong. do.....	0 50 1 25			Coffee, green Mocha per lb.	0 40 0 70	Glass.	
" Bushins do.....	0 60 0 80			Java.....	0 32 0 35	7 1/2 x 9 1/2, 7 x 9, 8 x 10.....	1 60 1 70
Misses' Pebbled & Buff Bals	0 90 1 10			Maraeabo.....	0 19 0 23	10 x 12 10 x 14.....	1 70 1 80
" Split Bals.....	0 75 0 90			Cape.....	0 18 0 20	12 x 16 14 x 20.....	2 00 2 20
" Prunella do.....	0 60 1 00			Jamaica.....	0 14 0 18	18 x 24.....	
" Cong. do.....	0 60 0 70			Rio.....	0 18 0 21		
Childs' pebbled & Buff Bals	0 60 0 80			Singapore & Ceylon	0 22 0 27		
" Split Bals.....	0 50 0 60			Chicory.....	0 12 0 12 1/2		
" Prunella do.....	0 50 0 75						
Infants' Cacks, pr. doz.....	3 75 6 00						
<b>Dairy Produce.</b>							
Creamery.....	0 24 0 25						
Townships, choice select'ns	0 21 0 25 1/2						
" choice lines dairies	0 25 0 27 1/2						
Brockville, choice select'ns	0 19 0 21						
" choice lines dairies	0 17 0 19 1/2						
Morrisburg, choice select'ns	0 20 0 21						
" choice lines dairies	0 13 0 20						
Western Dairy, choice lines	0 18 0 19 1/2						
" fair to good.....	0 06 0 00						
Kamouraska.....	0 00 0 00						
Cheese, fine Aug. per lb.....	0 12 0 12 1/2						
<b>Drugs &amp; Chemicals.</b>							
Aloes Capa.....	0 18 0 60						
Alum.....	1 75 1 85						
Borax.....	0 17 0 18						
Castor Oil.....	0 10 0 10 1/2						
Caustic Soda.....	2 50 2 60						
Cream Tartar.....	0 31 0 34						
Epsom Salts.....	1 25 1 40						
Extract Logwood.....	0 60 1 00						
Indigo Madras.....	0 85 1 00						
Madder.....	0 12 0 13 1/2						
Opium.....	4 75 0 00						
Oxalic Acid.....	0 13 0 15						
Potass Iodide.....	2 90 0 00						
Quinine.....	3 00 3 10						



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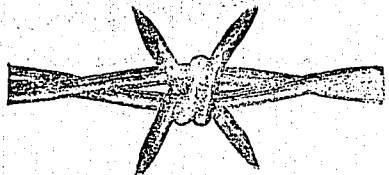
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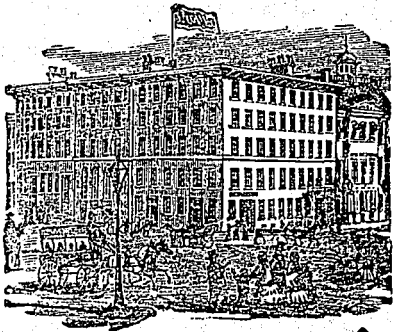
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Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.
Hochelega (Brown), G30 in	0 07 00	Tickings.—C 30 in	0 15 00	Timber, Lumber, &c.		Stout: Guinness'	2 25 2 45
" A 27 in	0 06 00	D 30 in	0 13 00	Ash, 1 to 4 in., M.	00 18 00	" " " " pts	1 50 1 55
" B 27 in	0 06 00	B 33 in	0 18 00	Birch, 1 to 4 in., M.	15 00 18 00	Domestic " " pts	1 48 1 50
" H33 in	0 07 00	A 33 in	0 20 00	Basswood, }	10 00 12 00	" " " " pts	0 70 0 00
" H1136 in	0 05 00	AA 33 in	0 23 00	Basswood	14 00 16 00	Brandy: Hennessy's, gal	4 60 5 00
" H1136 in	0 09 00	36 in	0 24 00	Black Walnut, culls	55 00 60 00	" " " " case	11 00 15 00
" XXX36 full.	0 10 00	Check, 33 in	0 22 00	Do do 1st & 2nd.	100 00 110 00	Bisquit, Dubouché & Co., gal	3 60 3 60
" H1136 in, full(std'd)	0 10 00	Denims Blue or Brown AA	0 21 00	Do do 1st quality	110 00 120 00	" " " " case	3 00 0 00
" M drilling	0 11 00	" A	0 19 00	Cedar, round, lineal foot.	00 04 00 00	Jules Duret & Co., gal	3 50 3 75
R R. Sheeting, 8-4 plain	0 27 00	" B	0 17 00	Cedar, flat, lineal foot.	00 03 00 05	" " " " case	3 00 0 00
X " 8-4 twil'd	0 30 00	" C	0 14 00	Cedar, square, lineal foot.	00 07 00 09	Pinet, Castillon & Co., gal	3 60 3 60
Stormont (Brown) A 30 in.	0 07 00	" D	0 12 00	Elm, soft, lct.	14 00 16 00	" " " " case	3 00 0 00
" A A33 in.	0 07 00	Shirtings:		Elm, Rock.	25 00 00 00	Cheaper shippers.	2 60 2 75
" B B36 in.	0 08 00	Oxford striped BX	0 11 00	Hemlock, 1 to 3 in., M.	7 00 9 00	" " " " case-pts	6 00 6 50
" C C36 in.	0 09 00	" check B.	0 10 00	Hemlock, timber, M.	11 00 13 00	Irish Whiskey—Roe's case	7 75 9 75
Canada (Grey) A W 30 in.	0 07 00	" C.	0 10 00	Maple, hard, M.	15 00 20 00	Dunville " " case	6 50 7 00
" A D 32 in.	0 08 00	Galatea Stripes.	0 16 00	Soft, do.	12 00 16 00	Mitchells " " imp gal.	2 40 2 50
" A C 35 in.	0 09 00	Regatta. Check A.	0 16 00	Oak, M.	25 00 40 00	" " " " cases	6 00 6 50
" A B 35 in.	0 09 00	Check Solids A.	0 15 00	Pine, clear, M.	35 00 40 00	Scotch Whiskey. case-pts	5 50 7 50
" A E 36 in.	0 10 00	Bags: 3-ply 16 oz. B, per bic	26 50 00	2nd quality, do.	17 00 22 00	Encore " " case	5 50 6 00
" A A 36 in.	0 10 00	Park's Yarn, White.	0 26 00	3rd	12 00 15 00	Hay, Fairman & Co.'s case	0 00 0 00
Yarns:—White per lb.	0 25 00	" Colored.	0 25 00	Lath, M.	1 10 1 25	Sheriff's Islay " " gal.	2 30 3 00
Tickings:—B2 30 in.	0 12 00	Warp White.	0 23 00	Spruce, 1 to 2 in., M.	7 00 10 00	" " " " cases	0 00 0 00
" B B30 in.	0 15 00	" Colored.	0 20 00	Tobacco.		Jamaica Rum per imp gal.	3 00 3 25
" B B30 in.	0 18 00	Do. Knitting Cotton Balls.—		Tobacco in Bond.—Duty 30c p. lb.	0 14 0 17	Geneva Spirits " " imp gal	2 05 2 15
" AA 32 in.	0 20 00	No. 5 Unbleached.	0 49 0 00	Black Cheving in boxes.	0 14 0 18	" " " " Green c'ses	4 15 4 50
Fancy Shirtings.—		" Bleached	0 51 0 00	" " " " caddies	0 15 0 22	" " " " Red cases..	7 75 8 10
" Clyde Checks.	0 15 0 00	" Colored	0 66 0 71	Mahoganies, Smoking bxs.	0 15 0 25	Champagne	
" Canada	0 14 0 00	Paints, &c.		" " " " caddies	0 15 0 25	G. H. Mumm, Dry Verzen'y	28 50 28 00
Lybster No. 3, 30 in	0 09 0 00	White Lead, gen, 100lbkgs	7 00 7 25	Brights, " "	0 33 0 50	Pommery	28 00 28 00
" No. 2, 32 in	0 07 0 00	" No. 1	6 00 6 75	Tobacco Duty paid.		J. Mumm Extra Dry.	21 50 23 00
" No. 3, 35 in	0 08 0 00	White Lead No. 2	5 00 5 50	Prince of Wales, brand.	0 26 0 38	Bollinger	26 25 27 50
Colored Goods:—		in Oil, per 25 lbs.	1 90 2 00	Nelson's Navy 3's 6's & 4's	0 33 0 40	Piper Heidsieck	2 00 26 00
Denims, blue & brown.	0 18 0 00	Do., No. 1.	1 60 1 80	Black, Twist 12's	0 39 0 42	Port & Sherry, per gall.	1 25 5 00
Checks, blue, brown, sey.	0 15 0 00	" 2.	1 40 1 50	Mahogany Chewing.	0 42 0 50	Claret, (cases).	3 00 4 00
Checks, Prince Victor!	0 15 0 00	" 3.	1 30 0 00	Solace, Common.	0 37 0 40	Tarragona Ports imp.gal.	1 10 1 30
Ticking, 25in.No. IX.	0 14 0 00	White Lead, dry	0 03 0 06 1/2	Solace Fair.	0 42 0 48	Native Wines	0 80 1 50
" 30in.No. CI.	0 16 0 00	Red Lead	0 05 0 06	" Good.	0 10 0 55	Can. Spirits, imp. gallon.	Duty In Paid Bond
" 30in.No. BI.	0 17 0 00	Venetian Red, Eng'h.	1 75 2 40	Rough and Ready, in 4 bxs.	0 55 0 60	Alcohol— 65 O. P.	2 52 0 87
Dundas (Grey) D 30 in.	0 07 0 00	Yel. Ochre, French.	1 75 2 00	Navy, 6's & 8's & 10's.	0 43 0 50	" Pure Spirits "	2 51 0 88
" C 33 in	0 07 0 00	Whiting.	0 55 0 60	Gold Bars, 6 and 12 inch.	0 55 0 65	" 50 "	2 37 0 80
" B 36 in	0 09 0 00	Liverpool Coarse, per bag	0 57 0 60	Mahogany Navy, 3s.	0 40 0 50	" 25 U. P	1 29 0 53
" A 36 in	0 10 0 00	Canadian per brl do	0 00 0 00	Bright Navy, 3s.	0 50 0 62	Whiskeys:—Family Proof.	1 31 0 50
" AX 36 in full.	0 10 0 00	Factory filled do	1 00 1 13	Wines, Liquors etc.		Old Bourbon	1 31 0 50
" E 36 in.	0 08 0 00	Eureka factory filled do	2 00 0 00	Ale English.....qts	2 47 2 63	Rye, Toddy, Malt	1 29 0 47
Sheetings:—Twill T 8 S38 in	0 18 0 00			Domestic.....qts	1 60 1 65	Rye, 4 years old.....	1 35 0 50
" 72 in No. 1.	0 33 0 00			" " " " pts	0 80 1 15	" " " " "	1 05 1 15
Plain 72 in No. B.	0 24 0 00			" " " " pts	0 60 0 75	" " " " "	2 05 2 15
Plain 72 in No. 1.	0 27 0 00						

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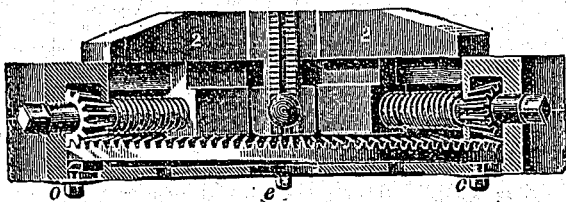


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1. Assets 30th April, 1881.....	\$4,500,161
2. Income for the year.....	957,288
3. Income from Interest (included in above).....	284,208
4. Claims by death during the year.....	224,757
5. Do as estimated by the Co.'s tables and provided for.....	326,185
6. Difference in Co.'s favor between actual and estimated death rate.....	101,378
7. Excess of Interest revenue over death claims.....	59,451
8. Number of Policies issued for the year, 257, for.....	4 157,165
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NAME OF COMPANY	No. Shares.	Last Dividend per year.	Share par value.	Amount paid per Share.	Canada quotation: per ct.
British America Fire & Marine..	10,000	5-6mos.	\$50	\$50	145
Canada Life	2,500	7½-8mos.	400	50	350
Citizens, Fire, Life, Guarantee & Acc't	11,880	.....	100	22½	.....
Confederation Life	5,000	5-6 mos.	100	10	217
Sun Mutual Life and Accident	5,000	4-8 mos.	100	12½	166
Quebec Fire	5,000	.....	100	65	.....
Queen City Fire	2,000	.....	50	10	.....
Western Assurance	20,000	7½ 6 mos.	40	20	212
Royal Canadian Insurance	20,000	5	100	15	57½
Accident Insurance Co. of Canada	2500	8 per ct.	100	20	.....
Canada Guarantee Co.	10,000	8 per ct.	50	20	.....
Merchants' Marine Insurance Co.	5,000	.....	100	20	.....

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.—Quotation on the London Market, Aug. 29, 1881.

Briton Life Association	50,000	10	1	1	213 92
British & Foreign Marine	50,000	50	20	4	25 27
Commercial Union Fire Life & Marine	50,000	80	50	5	44
Edinburgh Life	5,000	10	100	15	90s 100s
Fire Insurance Association	100,000	5	£10	£22	75 80
Guardian Fire and Life	20,000	13	100	60	157 162
Imperial Fire	12,000	£7 p. sh.	100	25	£8 11s 3d
Lancashire Fire and Life	100,000	30	20	2	40 50
Life Association of Scotland	10,000	15	40	3	83s 45s
Lion Life	500,000	.....	10	2	66 68
London Assurance Corporation	92,000	.....	10	2	£6 1s 3d
London & Lancashire Life	35,802	43	25	12½	21
Liverpl' & London & Globe Fire & Life	10,000	10	10	17-20	55½ 57½
Northern Fire & Life	£391,752	70	20	2	67 67½
North British & Mercantile Fire & Life	30,000	70	100	5	330
Phoenix Fire	40,000	55	50	6½	79s 80s
Queen Fire & Life	6,722	£21 p. s.	.....	.....	80 30½
Royal Insurance Fire & Life	200,000	30	10	1	.....
Scottish Commercial Fire & Life	100,000	60	20	3	.....
Scottish Imperial Fire and Life	125,000	22½	10	1	35 16
Scottish Provincial Fire & Life	50,000	6	10	1	40s 50s
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Fire Reserve Fund..... 704,577 "	Fire Premiums..... £251,174 Stg.
Premium Reserve..... 317,838 "	From Life Department:
Balance of Profit and Loss Account..... 216,237 "	Life Premiums and Interest..... 458,675 "
Life Accumulation..... £3,022,174 "	Total Revenue..... £1,401,849 "
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