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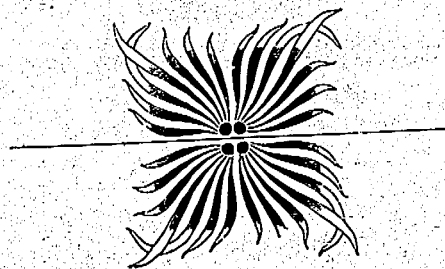
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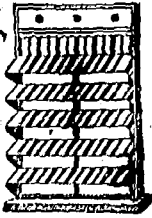
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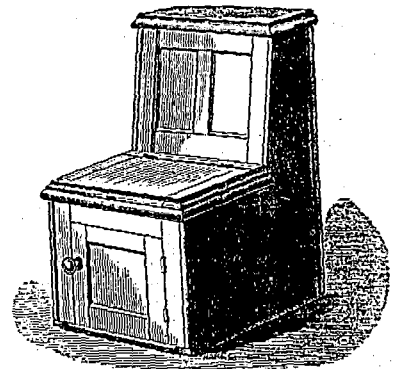
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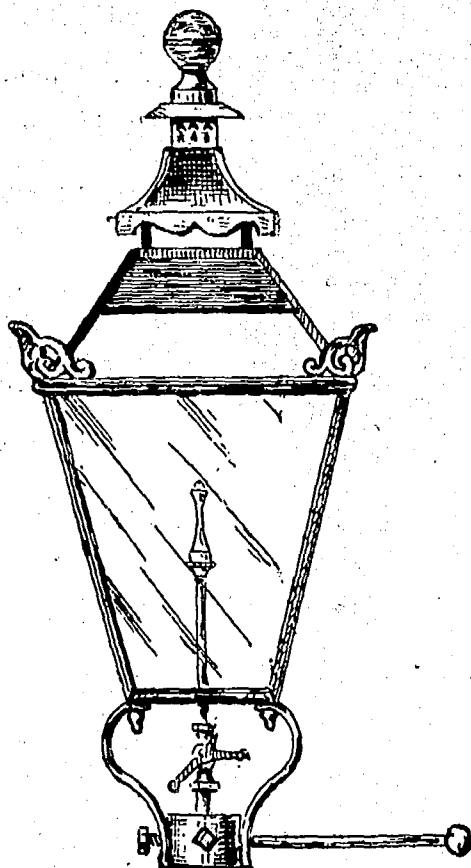
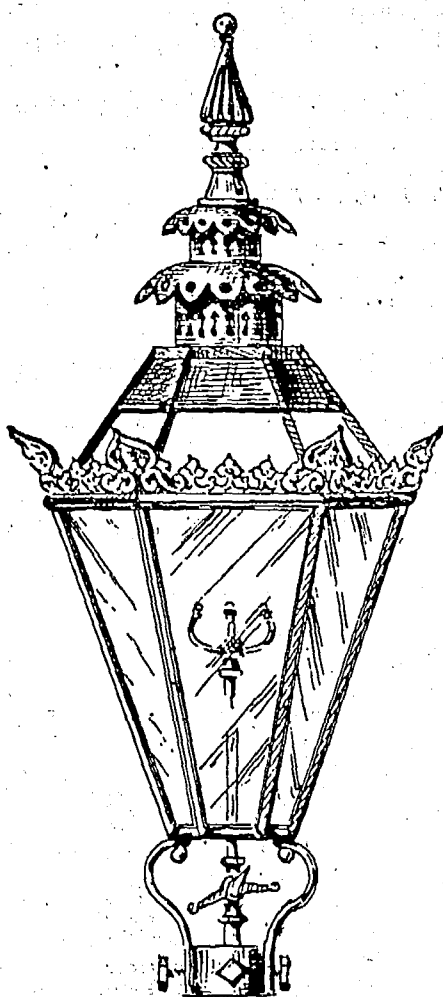
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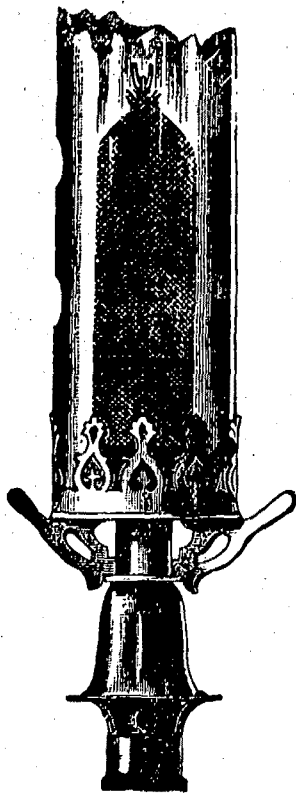
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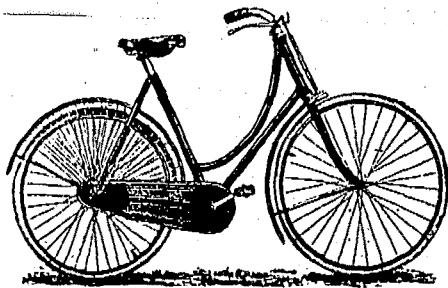
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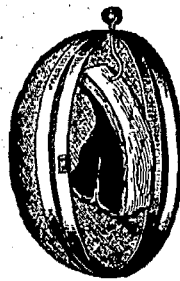
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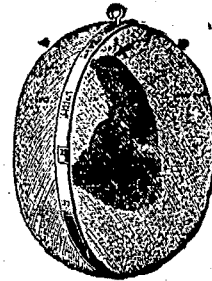
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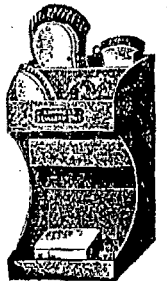
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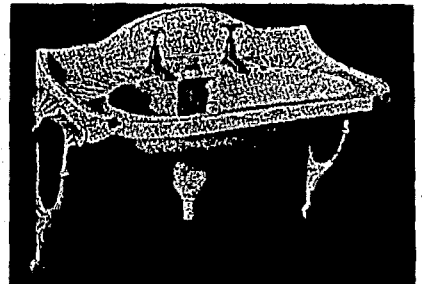
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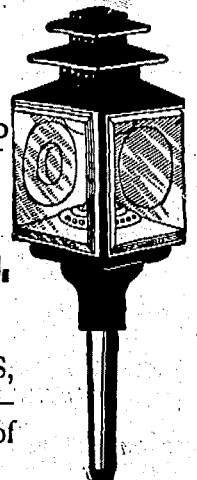
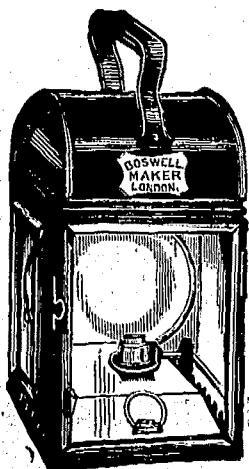
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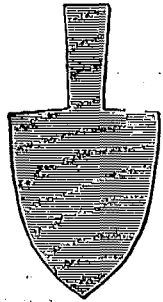
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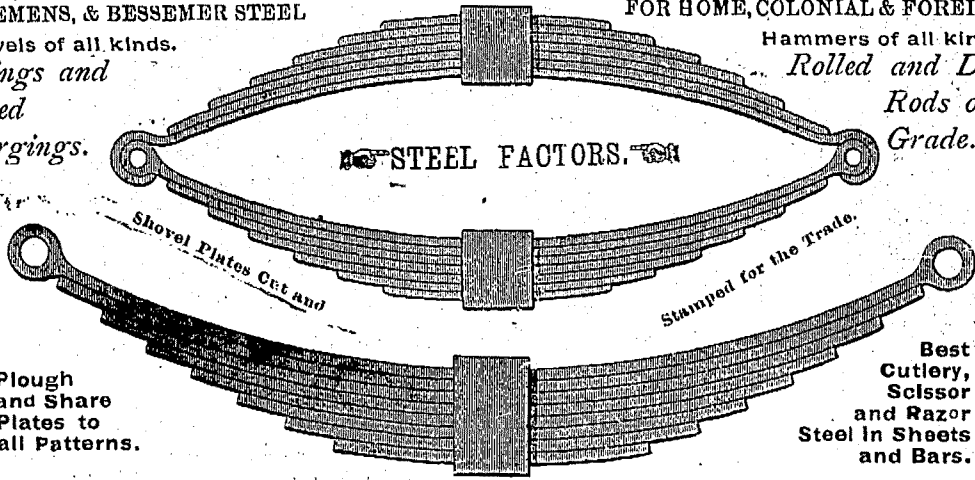
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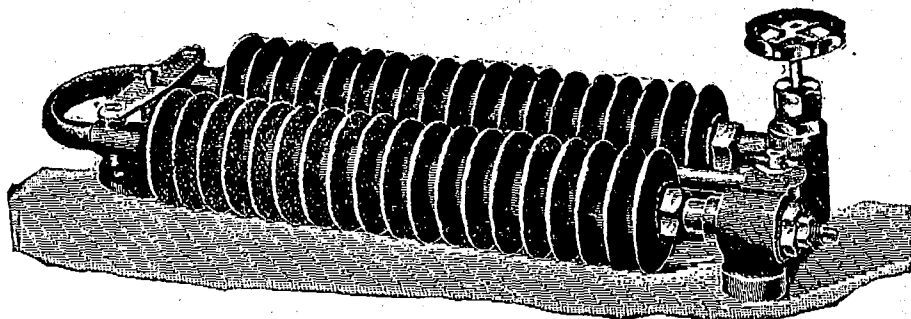
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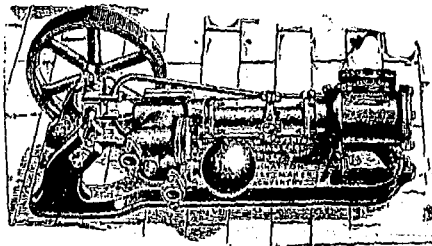


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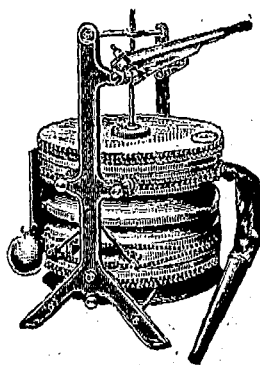
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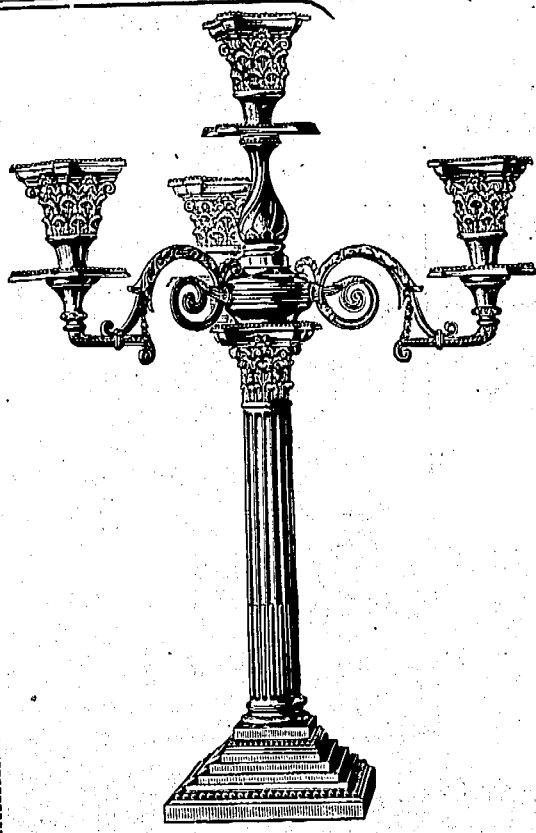
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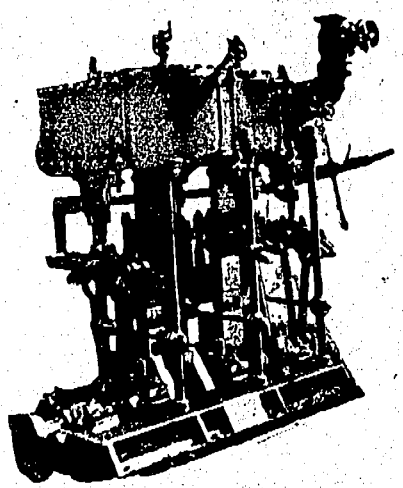
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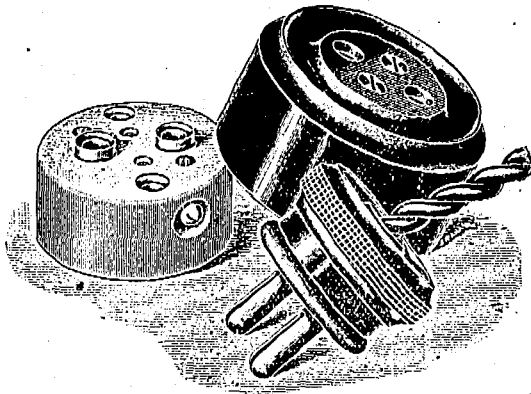
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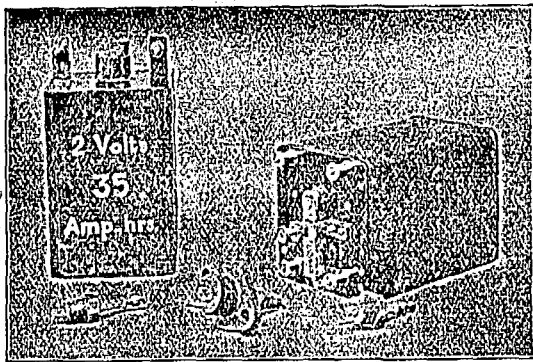


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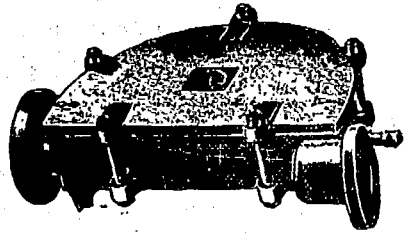
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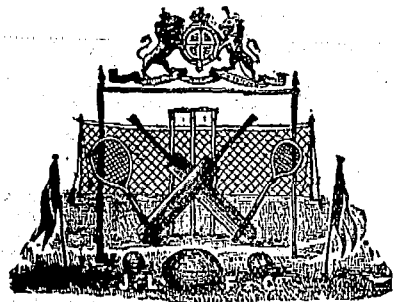
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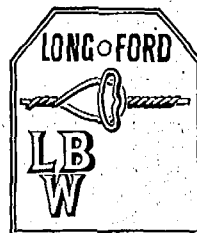
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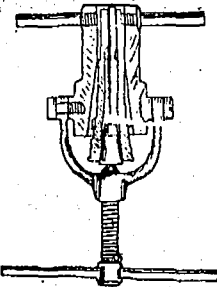
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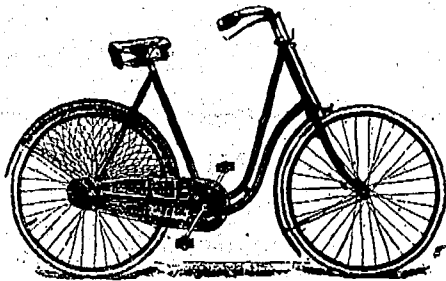
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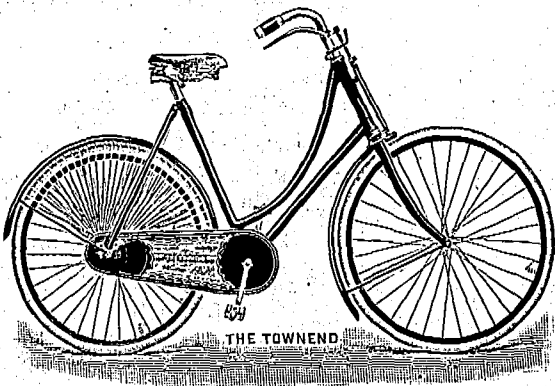
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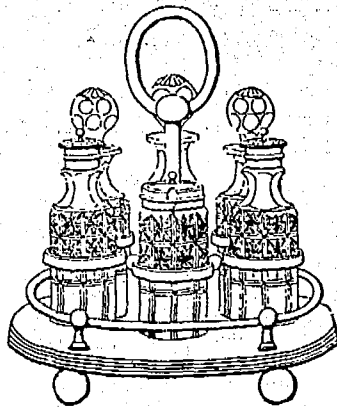
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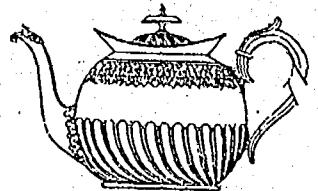
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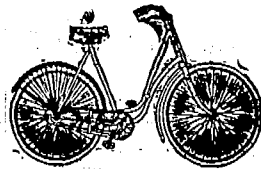
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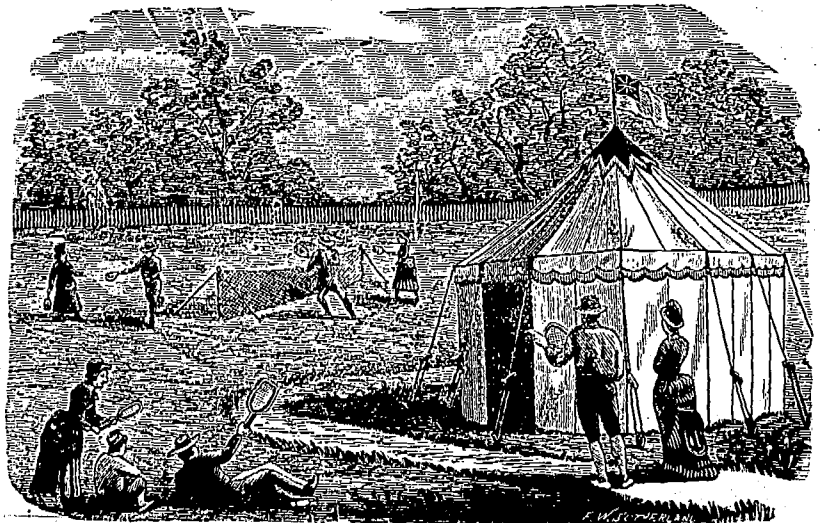
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—A cargo of 1040 horses were shipped from New Orleans, U.S., on the 27th ult. for Cape Town, South Africa, for the British army.

—The steamships Leafield and Mankshaven are reported as having left the yards at Scotland en route to Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., for the Algoma Central Railway Company.

—A bill was recently introduced in the House of Commons to enable the Dominion and Atlantic Railway Company of Nova Scotia to buy out the Yarmouth Steamship Company, which sails between Yarmouth and Boston, for \$350,000.

—The Brockville, Ont., Light and Power Company have accepted the offer of the Town Council of \$85,000 for the purchase of their plant. The necessary by-law submitting the terms to the people was passed at a special meeting of the council.

—A meeting of creditors of Lacroix, Pichette & Co., dry goods, Quebec, whose assignment was referred to in a previous issue, is fixed for to-day. The principal Montreal creditors are: S. Greenshield's, Son & Co., \$3,669; Caverhill & Kissock, \$2,450; Fitzgibbon, Schafheitlin & Co., \$2,138; Hecht, Loch & Co., \$1,297; Thomas May & Co., \$1,167. liabilities are \$37,400 and assets \$35,000.



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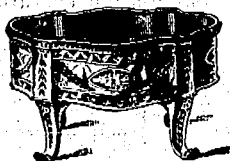


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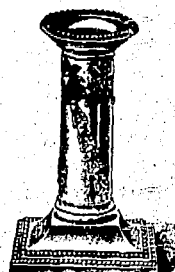
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—Lumbermen in Northern Minnesota have estimated a shortage of 100,000,000 feet, board measure, in the present season's output. This, in connection with the destruction by fire of numerous plants throughout the Dominion will, in all probability, cause lumber to be held at a high price for some time. Fires have been unusually numerous and destructive of late and this will call for much more supplies from unexpected sources.

—At a recent private meeting of the malleable iron and steel makers held in Glasgow, Scotland, in connection with the high price of coal, a proposal was put forward to shut down works for the entire month of July. All present concurred in the necessity of this step, but the meeting adjourned to await the decision of the coal masters who are thought likely to add another 1s per ton at the beginning of July. It was stated that some of the Scotch consumers are paying at the rate of \$250,000 more for coal than last year.

—The United States battleship Oregon, reported ashore on her way to China, was one of the finest vessels in the U.S. navy. She was built in San Francisco at a cost of \$3,000,000. She was launched in 1893. The Oregon carries a crew of 473 men, and her armament consists of 4 13-inch, 8 8-inch, and 4 6-inch guns, 20 6-pounder quickfiring guns, 6 one-pounder guns and 4 Maxim guns. Her displacement is 10,288 tons and her indicated horsepower 11,100. She is credited with a speed of about seventeen knots an hour. Her name may now be linked with that of the Maine on the Democratic side of the impending political struggle.

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—The losses at the disastrous fire at the Hoboken wharf, New York, on the 30th ult., as far as can be ascertained are: Campbell's stores, E, F, G and H, completely destroyed, buildings, \$150,000; do. merchandise therein, 1,000,000; S.S. Main, wrecked, \$1,000,000; do. cargo, stores, etc., 250,000; S.S. Bremen, wrecked, \$500,000; do. cargo, stores, etc., \$200,000; S.S. Saale, wrecked, 750,000; do. cargo, stores, etc., \$425,000; S.S. Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, damaged, \$30,000; North German Lloyd piers and other Hoboken property, \$350,000; merchandise on North German Lloyd docks, \$450,000; Scandinavian Line dock, damaged, \$40,000; Hamburg-American dock, damaged, \$20,000; forty small vessels, mainly lighters, canal boats, barges and their cargoes, \$125,000; Hoboken Shore Road, losses various property, \$10,000; miscellaneous losses, \$50,000. Total, \$5,350,000. The following insurance companies have the principal amounts on the piers and common carriers' liability: Home of New York, \$60,000; Liverpool & London & Globe, \$40,000; Palatine of Manchester, England, \$30,000; Royal of Liverpool, England, \$30,000; Norwich Union, of England, \$25,000; Agricultural of Watertown, N.Y., \$15,000; Weed & Kennedy's Companies, \$20,000; North British & Mercantile, \$18,000; Scottish Union & National, \$12,000; German-American of New York, \$7,500; Pennsylvania Fire of Philadelphia, \$7,500; Continental of New York, \$5,000; Union Assurance Society of London, \$5,000. The lighterage insurances are principally with the British & Foreign Marine Insurance Company, Providence-Washington, and the Smith & Hick's agency. The cargoes of the burned North German steamers were covered by marine insurance, the principal amounts thought to be in the Insurance Company of North America, Atlantic Mutual, Marine of London, Sea of Liverpool, New York Marine Underwriters and British & Foreign Marine Insurance Company.

—It has been suggested in Ottawa that the Chinese could, in case the servant girl difficulty continued, be used as domestic servants. They are at present from all accounts, making a fair endeavour to become masters.

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—The following complete weekly list of patents is furnished by Messrs. Fetherstonhaugh & Co., patent solicitors, Canada Life Building. Canadian Patents:—W. Stephenson and A. S. James, machine for grinding the ends of drill shoe castings; W. H. Onick and C. P. Magann, air brakes; W. A. Mackay, covering for cheese and other perishable articles; J. Thompson, bricks; J. E. West, cannery hoist; E. B. Sprague, machine for slicing fruit and vegetables; M. Champayne, potato diggers; A. A. Farwell, voting machine; A. Heron, automatic car coupling; W. Hess, glass ball castors chilled or cast into an iron bedstead; H. H. Deike, acetylene gas generators; R. D. Ross, machines for gumming or pasting wrappers or labels; J. Boisclair, improvement in agricultural plows; F. C. Crean, treatment of wood pulp; J. P. Bilodeau, potato knives; F. S. McClure, bank cheque books; R. Barnes, washing compound for clothes; A. Bernier, apparatus for cutting and shaving tobacco; V. Lahais, floors, wainscoting and stairs; W. T. Gartley, churns; R. E. Snell, ventilated shoes; J. S. Povah, folding seats; W. A. Christie, printing apparatus for paper rolls and means for attaching same; L. Leberve, can openers; T. Partridge, stove grates; J. H. K. McCollum, friction brakes; S. A. Chesley, fluid meters; J. Souva and J. Dalziel, combined milking pail and stool; L. C. Park, apparatus and method of winning gold and other precious metals; S. W. Butterfield, feed attachment for pulp wood chippers; C. B. Mansell, hitching devices; S. Bradley, line casting apparatus. American patents: E. Best, car replacer; W. H. Goodwin, chart blank; D. McPherson, railway switch; A. McNair, friction clutch.

—Retail grocers are, apparently, weighing the premium stamp and discount ideas and finding them wanting. A Brockville, Ont., dispatch states that the grocers of that town have organized what will be known as the Retail Grocers' Association of Brockville. The members have unanimously adopted a resolution agreeing to discontinue the giving of trading stamps or discounts after July 15th.

—China is reported to have a population of over 400,000,000 inhabitants, with a territory larger than that embraced in Canada, Germany, England, Ireland, Scotland, France, Italy, Holland, Belgium, Portugal, Greece and Denmark combined.

—The steamer Assyria arrived at Halifax, N.S., on the 2nd inst., with 1,178 immigrants, chiefly Galicians.

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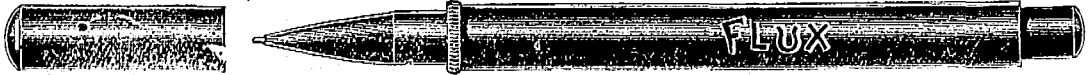
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—It is stated in a Hamilton, Ont., letter that Mr. H. Douglas, the U.S. representative of the Krupp Gun Company, is in that city, consulting with persons interested in the Nickel-Copper Company, with a view of making an agreement. It was reported recently that the Krupp people would be largely interested in the Hoepfner Refining Works and the Nickel Copper Company.

—Our Goderich, Ont., correspondent writes:—The dry goods house of R. B. Smith assigned to the sheriff on the 25th; liabilities about \$10,000, generally in small amounts; will not pay a very big dividend. Business belonged to Bert Smith, who lives in St. Louis, Mo., U.S.A. His uncle, Charles Andrews, and his mother, widow of the late R. B. Smith, running same. Principal cause of failure thought to be want of proper management.

A deputation from the Ottawa Merchants' Association called recently on the Minister of Justice in behalf of the Toronto Merchants' Association, to make certain inquiries in reference to the penal clauses of the adulteration act. The Toronto people are anxious to know whether all the members of a Toronto firm will be liable for imprisonment should cases in the Supreme Court under the adulteration act go against them. Mr. Mills informed the deputation that such members of the firm, as had actual knowledge of the fraud, if such were committed, will be liable to imprisonment. He also said that the Government is watching the case, with a view to ascertaining if there are any weak features in the adulteration act.

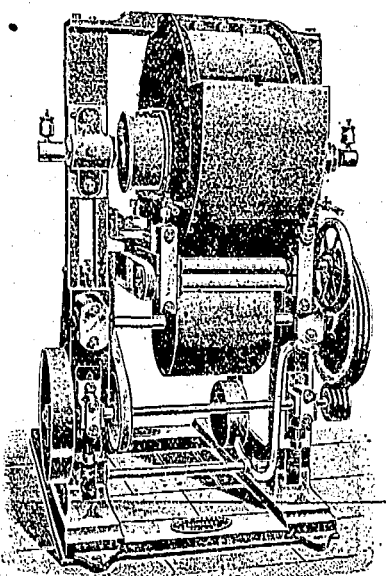
—A return has been brought down to the House of Commons, Ottawa, showing the contracts made for the supply hay for South Africa on account of the Imperial War Office. The total amount of hay supplied was 29,006 tons, for which an average price of \$9 per ton was paid. The total value of the hay supplied was \$245,103. The largest contract was executed by J. Scott & Co., Montreal. It was for 5,357 tons, valued at \$69,649. In cases where the price per ton exceeded \$9 this hay was specially compressed. A sliding scale of prices was agreed upon, the highest prices being paid for hay which occupied the smallest space per ton. The Ontario contractors were: P. Anderson, Dickinson's Landing, 109 tons at \$9 per ton; M. Bulger, 105 tons at \$10.25; Canada Hay Company, Kingston, 104 tons, at \$9; Clouthier Brothers, Crysler, 210 tons at \$9 and 478 tons at \$10.50; W. H. Dwyre, Ottawa, 197 tons at \$10.50 and 389 tons at \$9; Gadsby & McCann, Toronto, 64 tons at \$10.25; L. Genier, St. Albert, 117 tons at \$9; L. O. Joly, Ottawa, 130 tons at \$10.50 and 282 tons at \$9; J. E. Langlois, The Brook, 117 tons at \$9; G. W. McCullough, Ottawa, 82 tons at \$9; J. A. McRae, Alexandria, 280 tons at \$8.25; Norman Reid, Westmeath, 171 tons at \$9 and 112 tons at \$10.25; G. St. Onge, St. Onge, 10 tons at \$9; W. J. Shelley, Harrowsmith, 323 tons at \$9, and 99 tons at \$10; J. T. Smith, Tara, 106 tons at \$8; E. Tuffy, Cobden, 107 tons at \$9 and 103 tons at \$10.25.

—The Ottawa Carbide Co., Ottawa, Ont., is to begin work on August 1st, if plans are carried through, and the furnaces will then be operated night and day. The machinery is arriving, and it will be capable of making 5,000 tons of carbide a year. The grinding plant has a capacity of 10,000 tons a year, and the probability is that the rest of the plant will be increased to that capacity a short time after starting.

—Interest is being revived in the rebuilding of Carey Castle, at Victoria, B.C., the former home of the Governor.

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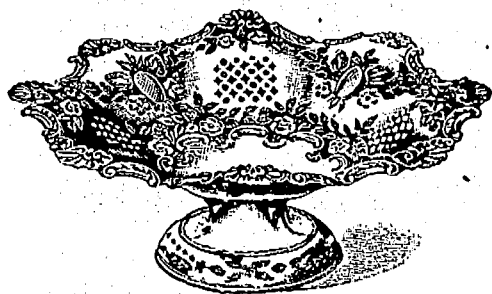
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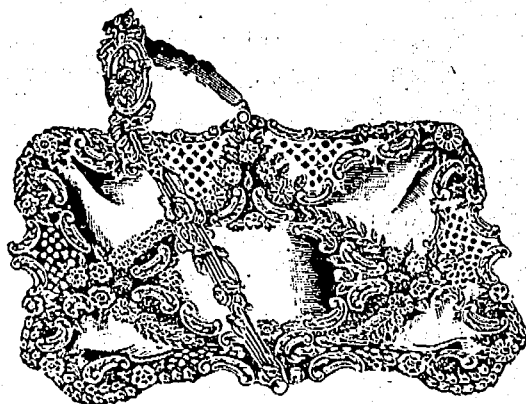
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—The property loss at the New York harbor fire on the 30th ult., will approximate almost \$5,500,000. Some 200 persons are thought to have perished.

—Immediately following the report from the Klondike that the last vein of gold at Cape Nome had been sifted, comes the news of a valuable find of that metal at Ancaster, Ont. The latter region may now be shown to the world in all the rustic beauty of its steep hills and winding streams, with the Dundas canal in close proximity capable of being brought into line with the new 14-foot water way to the sea.

—Our Edmonton, N.W.T., correspondent writes: — The wholesale and retail firm of J. L. Johnston & Co. has formally assigned to Mr. St. George, for the benefit of creditors. Interviewing the assignee he stated that the estate should, if properly handled, pay 100 cents in the dollar. The reason for the failure the assignor attributes to the state of Manitoba trade and the panicky state of the wholesalers.—Plenty of rain in Alberta and the crops never looked better. There is every indication of an immense yield and as the acreage is about double last year, the farmers of this section should make good progress this coming year.—The Farmers' Milling Company of Fort Saskatchewan have ceased operations for the present at least. The reason for so doing has not been divulged but it is the opinion of many that want of harmony in management is one of the reasons. Percy Cunliffe, of the Fort Saskatchewan Milling Company has sold his interest in the mill to his partner, Leon Moret, who is also a merchant at that village. He will, it is thought, make a still greater success of the business than the old firm.—Walter G. Ross has opened out a wholesale liquor store at Edna. Capital very light.—A new hotel is building here for Clouthier and Cariveau, in the west end of the town.—A large number of delegates from the States and Galician immigrants are arriving daily.

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—The revenue statement for the year ending June 30th, shows customs receipts amounting to \$28,567,237, as compared with \$25,348,806 for the twelve months of the previous fiscal year, or an increase of \$3,218,429. For the past month the revenue was \$2,191,737, a gain of \$183,613 over June, 1899, when the receipts from customs were \$2,008,124.

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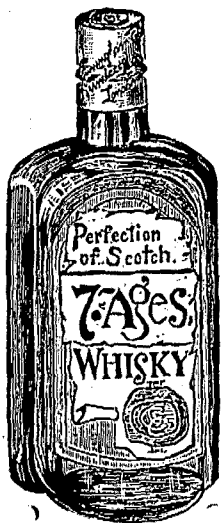
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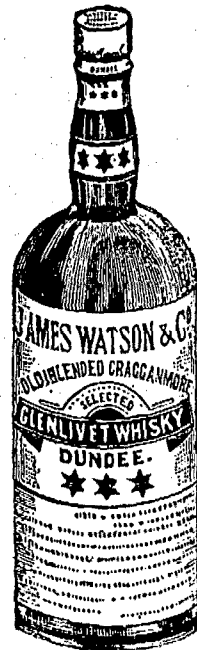
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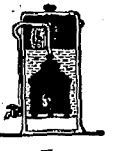
—The condition of the chemical market in England is given in the following private circular, from Manchester, dated 25th ult.: In the heavy alkali branen bleaching powder may be noted quieter and at easier prices. Caustic soda continues to move off well and is firm. Ammonia soda is well controlled, and is steady. The exports show well for the five completed months of this year as compared with the corresponding period of 1899, alkali having an increase of 12,676 tons or £110,569, and bleaching materials an increase of 3,584 tons or £42,341. Tar products are only dull. Benzoles are just steady, and only little business doing for aniline manufacture, though for outside purposes there is an extending demand. Solvent naphtha has improved, and there is a moderate amount of business passing at advanced figures. Creosote has quite collapsed, there being heavy stocks at makers' and consumers' works, and many sellers but few buyers. Crude carbolic is quiet but steady, many makers being well sold to the end of the year; crystals have little enquiry, and only for early delivery. Pitch is showing some signs of easing, and contracts have been taken for forward delivery at a little under spot prices. Sulphate of ammonia has fallen, and is weak. Carbonate of ammonia is unchanged. Muriate of ammonia has a fair enquiry. Acetates of lime are quiet, but recent fires at large works in America mean a considerable decrease in production, and the market is firm. Acetate of soda is rather more plentiful. Foreign white sugar of lead is dearer; all other lead salts are steady. Sulphate of copper maintains well its value. Carbonate of potash is very firm and is in short supply, scarcity of fuel and of raw material affecting the production. Yellow prussiates of potash and soda are rather neglected, but are steady. Bichromates of potash and soda are moving quickly, values unchanged. Arsenic is firmer. Tartaric acid is unchanged.

—The burned district of Ottawa is being re-built with all haste. A letter states over 150 building permits have been taken out since April 26, the date of the fire. The Assessment Commissioner, who issues the permits, states that a good class of buildings is going up.

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—A Milton, Ont., letter states that at a representative meeting recently held, it was decided to organize a pork packing company in that town. The meeting was addressed by Mr. J. H. Jewell, of Toronto, and a number of the prominent farmers of the district expressed themselves as favourable to the scheme, and deemed it to be to their interest to establish such an industry. It was resolved to at once proceed to organize a joint stock company, and a provisional Board of Directors was elected. The company is to be capitalized at \$100,000, divided into 2,000 shares of \$50 each. Milton is favorably located in the progressive county of Halton.

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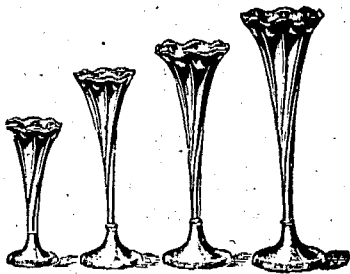
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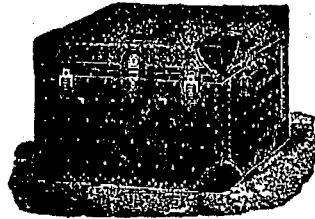
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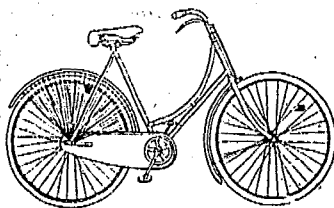
—It seems to be a running race between the lightning and the live electric wire as to which will take the greater number of lives during the season. The former cannot easily be avoided by all, but a law should be enforced making it a penalty to permit employees of electric companies to work at the wires without proper hand guards.

—A private dispatch from New York states that the Grand Trunk Railway has announced a material reduction in freight rates on petroleum en route from Pennsylvania to Canada, via Buffalo and Suspension Bridge. For nearly two years there has been practically a suspension of this traffic in consequence of the Grand Trunk advancing rates to a point that shut out independent oil producers. The Standard Oil Company was accused at that time of using its influence with the Grand Trunk against independent shippers. The new rates are designed to restore facilities to all parties. The reductions range from 30 to 40 per cent., compared with the old tariff.

—Advices from Ottawa state that employment will be given to 150 men in the new wood-working establishment the W. C. Edwards Company purposes fitting up. The large grist mill on the company's premises in New Edinburgh, which has been unoccupied for years, will be again the scene of activity. The Edwards Company has secured control of the Capital Planing Mill Company and the Ottawa Specialty Company and will carry on the business conducted heretofore by these concerns. About \$50,000 will be invested in the new business to be conducted in the New Edinburgh establishment. Up-to-date machinery to the value of \$10,000 will be installed, and the business started in the new branch in about three months.

—The Montreal Customs report an increase of \$25,141 for the past month, as compared with the corresponding month last year. The collections for the month of June, 1899-1900 are as follows: 30th June, 1899: \$706,606.22; 30th June, 1900, \$731,747.37.

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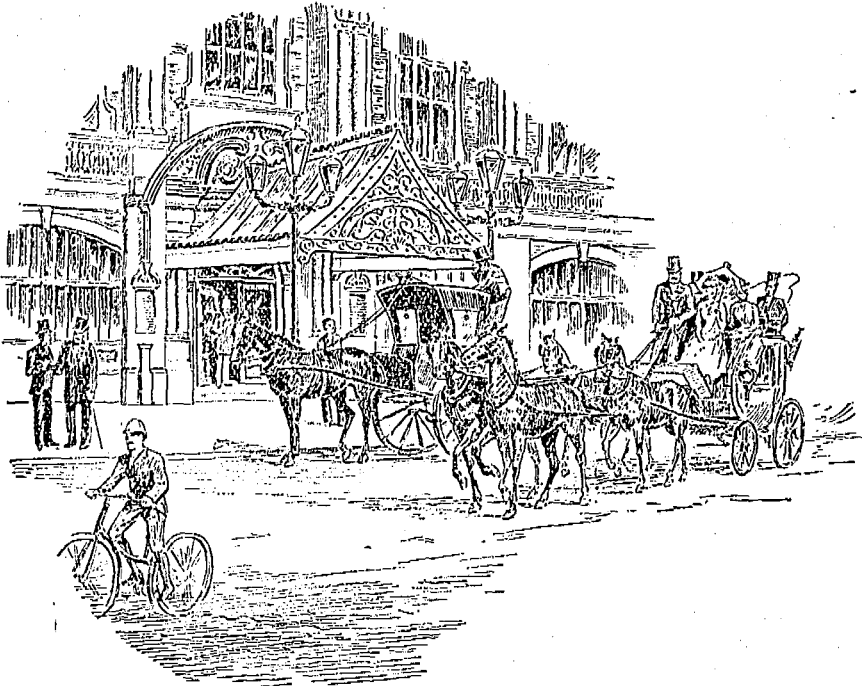
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—Valleyfield, Que., will ask the Legislature to ratify its by-law granting a bonus and an exemption from taxes to the Montreal Cotton Company.

—A dispatch from London states that the disturbances in the Far East have caused several Chinese banks to suspend payment, and European firms are withholding advances. The secretary of the Bank of England views the situation with some concern. He says the stoppage of payment by Chinese banks would be reactionary and far-reaching in its consequences. A war hindering the import and stimulating the export trade will increase the demand for silver.

—The coming Buffalo exhibition is already making construction work lively along the lakes. A Chicago dispatch states that two enormous lake steamers, costing \$1,000,000 each, are to be built for the Great Lakes Navigation Company, and be ready for launching May 1, 1901, in order that they make weekly trips between Chicago and Buffalo during the Pan-American exposition. These great liners are to be constructed to meet the need of a thorough passenger and freight service between the two cities and in anticipation of an increased demand for such transportation facilities while the exposition is in progress.

—The day of large trusts is still at hand. A Pittsburg, U.S., dispatch states that representatives of 90 per cent. of the crucible or tool steel manufacturers of the country have been in session there, completing arrangements for a combination of all the interests into one concern. The result is the announcement that within thirty days the combine is expected to be effected. It will be known as the Crucible Steel Company of America, will operate under a New Jersey charter and be capitalized at \$50,000,000. The majority of its capital is represented in Pittsburg. A committee of three of the leading promoters, was subsequently appointed to close up the details.

—A Detroit dispatch states that the Government Immigration agent shipped 40 good settlers from Michigan to Western Canada on the 2nd instant.

—The Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Company will in future do business under the name of the Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada.

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—A new fibre said to possess extraordinary strength combined with fine texture is to be known as Rhea. It is of silk formation. Another is composed of rhea and wool mixed. Large orders have already been given the manufacturers.

—It is reported that at a recent meeting of the United German Manufacturers of Worsted Goods at Leipzig, at which 1,400,000 spindles were represented, it was resolved to reduce production from June 1 to December 31, 1900, by 20 per cent. It is understood that the manufacturers of Switzerland, Austria and Russia have agreed to adopt the same course in order to put a stop to further decline in prices.

—A New York letter of the 30th ult. states that cotton advanced $\frac{1}{4}$ cent in the three leading cotton markets of the world on that date, amid great excitement and attended by an increase in values for July and August options that means the highest price in ten years. In New Orleans July sold at 10 cents and in New York the same option sold at 9.88. In Liverpool the prices were correspondingly high. In 1896 June cotton sold, at 9.86, the highest price with this exception since 1891, when the price was above 10 cents.

GROCERY NOTES.

—Montreal bakers have raised the price of bread to conform to the advance in flour.

Prospects are for an exceedingly heavy yield of apricots and the price is expected to be much lower in consequence.

—The Chinese disturbances are affecting values of cassia, which have of late been ruling very low in comparison with the import cost. Should the revolution extend to the cassia districts, which now seems likely, there will be sharp advances in all kinds of cassia.

—A private cable from Patras, Greece, states that the progress of the peronosperis is still unchecked, and holders of old currants are exceedingly firm in their views. It is estimated that the total crop of new currants will not exceed 80,000 tons. The loss is estimated at 45 per cent.

—Advices from California state that the prune combine has at length taken definite shape. The new association has under its control over 85 per cent. of the growing crop, with new signers constantly arriving. Practically all the packers have joined together and formed the California Packers' Company, which will control the distribution and packing, making it no advantage for any individual packer to offer inducements for the purchase of his pack, as the whole thing will be in one pool.

—Grocery dealers in the great distributing centre of the Middle States are at length subject to the law's decree in the sale of adulterated food. A Chicago dispatch of the 2nd inst., states that the State Food Commissioner is now empowered to prosecute offenders and secure the enforcement of penalties provided under the Illinois Pure Food law that became a statute on July 1, 1899, the enforcement of its punitive clause being waived for a year. Commissioner Alfred H. Jones has been preparing for a rigid enforcement of the law and will be aided by Assistant Commissioner J. H. Monrad and by Dr. E. N. Eaton, in charge of the laboratories for testing samples of questioned articles of food. In the operation of this law, it is claimed, will be seen the fruits of a pure food movement begun three and a half years ago. The penalty for using a false brand, mark, stencil or label is a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$200, or imprisonment in the county jail for 30 or 90 days, or both, for every offence committed by a retailer. A fine on the manufacturer who goes wrong is not less than \$500 nor more than \$1,000 for each offence. Besides forcing dealers to be honest with the customer as regards quality, the law also will protect the public from paying prices for adulterants that ought to be charged for pure goods only.

FRIDAY, JULY 6TH, 1900.

SUMMER BEVERAGES.

Man cultivates a taste for taking something to drink, but it is not to be inferred that the drink must of necessity be intoxicating in order that the acquired habit may be temporarily and frequently indulged in. Until recent years grocers had little chance to cater to the filling of this universal hot-weather necessity, except by the increased sale of lemons, which, to many, are considered an additional labor in the preparation of that invigorating and health-giving beverage. A lemon squeezer, plenty of sugar and some little time are also needed in its manufacture, and from these the public have, to a large extent, willingly turned to imbibe the more sparkling, effervescent root-beer and wild cherry phosphate. These articles appear to have arrived to fill a space on the grocer's shelves lightened through the summer months, and to aid him in keeping lively a trade which is to some degree affected by weather conditions.

Our Southern neighbours take quickly to these summer beverages. Perhaps the longer term of heat may quicken their acquaintance and aid their sale. An ordinary retail grocery in the U.S. will sell on an average five to seven gross of 4 oz. wild cherry phosphate, and three to five gross of root beer, in the various makes throughout a season. Except on some well known brands which have been cut in price, there are good profits realized. There is no dead stock to carry over, the manufacturer or jobber usually agreeing to allow for, or replace any unsold at the beginning of the next season. Manufacturers of the highest priced of these beverages push their introduction with a determination difficult to exceed. Counters are filled with advertising picture cards. Very large bottles are sent free with glasses, trays, etc., for free distribution of samples to every caller. Next comes a dealer who will sell at one-third price an article guaranteed to be just as good, and which pays fifty per cent. profit by selling at a very low figure. This is also urged upon customers until nearly all become free-drinkers of root-beer and wild cherry phosphate.

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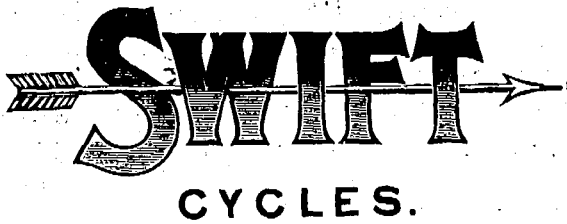
A Congress or Convention of the Chambers of Commerce and Boards of Trade of the Empire opened in London on 26th June. Lord Selborne, honorary President of the British Association of Chambers of Commerce, presided. In his opening address he pointed out the contrast between the sentiments and convictions of colonists in the last century and those now prevalent. On the question of Imperial defence the American colonies quarrelled with the Mother Country. To-day, what is practically the same question, is drawing closer the bonds of Imperial unity. The obligation which America repudiated has been voluntarily assumed by Canada, by New Zealand, and Australia. Lord Selborne's compari-

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son of the two periods is superficial, it is more picturesque than accurate. The American colonists revolted because of their loyalty being put under compulsion. If England had sought to compel Canada or Australasia to send a contingent each to South Africa, the response, probably, would have been disagreeable.

The Conference adopted a resolution urging the formation of a consultative Council representing the whole Empire to consider and advise upon Imperial and inter-colonial questions. Such a Council will be exceedingly difficult to organize and set in motion; its meetings could only be held yearly, or at very wide intervals; its decisions, even when unanimous, would have no authority, hence we believe such a body could not be of much service to the cause of Inter-Imperial trade. It seems not to be clearly seen or realized that, after all, these voluntary, self-appointed gatherings have no power to

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affect any changes in trade relations, such as are desired. Their deliberations may be conducted with supreme wisdom, but their extreme limit of power is, to pass abstract resolutions, declarative in favour of, or contrary to, some definite system or practice. In order to affect British legislation, which is the prime necessity in arranging inter-imperial trade, the British electorate will have to be convinced that such legislation is desirable in their interests. In a word, before any of the roscate schemes for unifying the trade relationships of the Empire can be placed in a practical form before the British Parliament the people of the United Kingdom will have to be won over to the support of such schemes. The discussion of inter-imperial questions has hitherto been too academic; the auditors have been too select; the matter has been treated in much too dilittanti a fashion. The Corn Laws would have survived to this day had Cobden and Bright pursued the same course as has been adopted in the agitation in favour of Imperial Federation. They knew who could repeal those laws by their votes, to them they appealed directly, and soon got the answer wanted. Imperial trade relations will go on for ever being discussed until the question comes within the range of practical politics, that is, becomes an issue at a General Election in the United Kingdom.

It will be objected, that the question is not ripe for such a test. Probably not, but it will ripen rapidly in the warm atmosphere of a political contest. It is time the sentimental element in this movement was less domi-

nant. A resolution introduced by the Birmingham delegates at the Congress calling for more cordial Imperial relations with the Colonies was very properly satirized by the Honble. Senator Drummond; who said it was more suitable to a five o'clock tea party than such an assembly.

A significant incident occurred at the Congress illustrating the extreme narrowness of the old-time Free Traders. A question was being discussed relating to bounties on beet sugar exports. A Canadian, on giving his views on the matter, was told by a Manchester Free Trade delegate not to speak on what did not concern Canada! He was promptly told, that Canada was warmly interested in the West Indies which were being hurt by bounty fed sugar. Another incident is of the same type. The Free Traders wished the Congress to pass a resolution to effect that, "all measures for promoting trade between the Colonies and the Mother Country should respect the liberty of each portion to purchase in the cheapest market wherever it may exist." Such narrow-minded notions show that, the Free Trade theory, like other superstitions, prevents the mind from growing and adapting itself to new conditions. The Manchester men are the Bourbons of economics, they neither forget nor learn. The economic conditions of the world have changed, but they keep on muttering theories that new circumstances have rendered obsolete and impracticable.

The "tea-party" phase of Imperial Federation should be dropped, and the "counting-house" aspect brought to the front. The unity of the Empire has been demonstrated on the battle field of South Africa. Canada and Australia have sacrificed blood and treasure in testimony of their being bound to the mother land by ties of kith and kind. What is the mother land prepared to do to evidence her recognition of these ties, and to make them conducive to the material well being of the Imperial family? We should like the Imperial trade question raised in the British House of Commons and fully debated by that body. It will make no progress towards a practical issue while its discussion is confined to Chambers of Commerce and Boards of Trade. Nor will it make any advance towards embodiment in legislation until it has been thoroughly thrashed out before and by the electors of the United Kingdom.

A BANK'S SILVER WEDDING YEAR.

At the recent annual meeting of the Imperial Bank of Canada, the General Manager spoke of this as the "Silver Wedding Year" of the institution. The title is suggested by the 1st July being the 25th anniversary of the amalgamation of the Niagara District Bank with the Imperial Bank of Canada. The wedding, however, in this case differed somewhat from others, as the identity of the weaker vessel was thereby wholly lost by absorption into the stronger. The Imperial Bank was incorporated on the 23rd May, 1873, but was unable to secure the requisite capital until the close of 1894, this success being due to the exertions of Mr. H. S. Howland, who, at the first meeting, on 25th Feb., 1875, was elected President, and has remained in that office ever since. The Bank is in the remarkable position of having had the same President, Vice-President, and General Manager since it commenced business in 1875. The following comparisons of the principal items of the Bank's business will prove especially interesting at this period when retrospection is in order:

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Capital	\$804,883	\$1,500,000	\$1,963,600	\$2,458,603
Reserve	25,000	500,000	1,156,800	1,700,000
Circulation	310,902	893,122	1,201,784	1,710,477
Deposits	1,576,000	4,427,980	9,203,410	14,137,778
Discounts	2,131,000	5,367,410	7,428,290	11,289,062
Net Profits		172,387	194,945	365,579
Price of stock		134	182	216

In 1886 there were 9 banks in Ontario and Quebec each of which had a larger business than the Imperial, at present there are only 6 banks in that position. That is, the Imperial Bank in 1886, in respect to extent of business, ranked as number 10 amongst the banks of Ontario and Quebec, whereas to-day its rank is number 7. Such steady growth continued without a break for twenty-five years is full of promise for the future. We join Mr. Wilkie in hoping that, "When the golden wedding day arrives it will find many of us present at its celebration and the bank enjoying continued prosperity."

CANADIAN GOODS SLANDERED.

Some years ago we urged upon the Government the desirability of appointing agents in the Old Country who would be able to represent the trade interests of this country as only could be done by an experienced business man. Such agents, we argued, would be of great service in keeping Canadian goods before the British public; in preventing their reputation being injured by fraudulent substitutes bearing a Canadian brand; and by investigating on the spot any complaints respecting Canadian goods, or difficulties that arose between our exporters and their customers in Great Britain.

There is doubtless considerable misapprehension about Canada still existing in England, as it is the policy of American exporters to pass off certain lines of United States products as Canadian. Our cheese, for instance, is far ahead of American, consequently American cheese is passed off as the product of Canada. A contemporary has a communication from a recent arrival from the Old Country who says, "Englishmen cannot tell American from Canadian goods or affairs, and does not know Ontario from New Zealand." This is a serious exaggeration, which is also self-contradictory. Why should Americans adopt Canadian brands if Canadian brands are not well known to Englishmen, and known to guarantee excellent quality? The Americans know that certain lines of Canadian goods are very popular in England, hence their fraudulent attempt to pass their own articles as the product of Canada. Englishmen know enough to discriminate in favour of Canadian goods against American, when they are each honestly branded. What is wanted is not, "some one to explain things to the Englishman who cannot tell American from Canadian goods," but some one to put the English law in force against persons who sell goods under a false brand, or fraudulent misrepresentations, that is against those who sell American goods as made in Canada.

A writer who says that Englishmen do not know Ontario from New Zealand makes a very bold assertion. New Zealand is very familiar indeed to the people of Great Britain. There are few parishes in England without some personal or trade connection with that Colony. England, for many years, has been continuously flooded with pamphlets explaining the advantages of New Zealand as a place for settlement. It is England's best known Colony. On the other hand, Ontario is not

a colony, it is only a province in a Colony. It is quite absurd to suppose it possible, for any Englishman to have his ideas of New Zealand and Ontario so mixed as to be unable to tell one from the other. Yet the writer referred to declares this is common to all Englishmen! Visitors from this side who pay a hurried trip to the Old World are too prone to making very wide assertions as to affairs across the Atlantic. They stay a few weeks, probably converse with a score of personal friends, then they return home and report that the people of England think this, that or the other, their only authority being a handful of gossiping acquaintances. English people who do not know New Zealand from Ontario do not know enough to make their opinions worth uttering, they must be illiterate in the extreme and living entirely outside the world of business, which is so excellent a school.

Singular to say, in the same issue of the paper in which the above appears, there is another screed from a recent visitor to England, in which it is affirmed, that a great prejudice exists among Englishmen against cheese from the district west of Toronto. So, we have this anomaly, one writer says, Englishmen don't know Ontario from New Zealand and another one says, Englishmen know enough of that Province to discriminate between goods made in the western part of Ontario! The second writer reports that all kinds of Canadian produce are in great demand, as the war has developed a strong feeling in England in favour of this country. Here, then, we have a case of two visitors to England who were in the Old Country at the same time. One returns home and tells us that Englishmen don't know Canada from New Zealand, and the other says, they can discriminate between goods made in one section of this country and in other sections, and that Canada and Canadian goods are exceedingly popular with Englishmen!

We regret to find a recent visitor to Great Britain reporting, that some of our cheese is falling much below the standard that has given Canada its high reputation. We are not disposed to accept this without qualifications. We are shipping heavy quantities of cheese to England, far too much to render it at all credible that our cheese is falling away in quality. At the same time a little caution now and again will do no harm. We have the lead in the English market. Ontario cheese is recognized in England as ahead of any made in the States, and Canadian cheese is highly popular in the old land. Such a reputation is of great value, it is a property which ought to be very jealously guarded from depreciation. Whether Englishmen are a little off in geography is of no consequence to us, but it is of the greatest consequence that, when they buy an article as made in Canada, the quality shall be as represented and such as English buyers approve. If liberties are being taken with the quality of cheese made in Western Ontario, as a recent arrival from England alleges, but which we doubt, the laxity should be stopped before mischief is done.

A CARICATURE DESCRIPTION OF MONTREAL.

A few weeks ago the United States Librarians' Association met in this city. The visit was, as usual with such bodies, a picnic flavoured or excused by business. The feminine element was dominant, judging by the gatherings we saw, a male librarian is rather a curiosity in the States. The few days they spent here were occupied with junketing in their harmless, "bread and butter" sort of way, as Byron says, as becomes the gentler

sex, who were in the ascendant, and by filling up spare time, by reading papers equally innocent and issueless. They were very, very busy, very radiant, bubbling over with mild excitement so dear to those who attend conventions. Although their whole waking hours were devoted to sight-seeing, to paper-reading, or essay discussing, to receptions and other social functions, some of them by some magical process, managed to acquire in a few hours a profound knowledge of the municipal and other problems and conditions of this city. But your American female of the "new-woman" type, is, or regards herself as, endowed with a faculty we poor creatures know nothing about who have to build up our judgments slowly on observation, on the study of phenomena, on the basis of facts, and logical deductions therefrom.

The American librarians came, hustled round a few days, and discovered more in that time about Montreal than its wisest and oldest citizens have yet found out. One of our magical critics writes that, "Montreal is without a soul." The reason it has no soul is said to be, that it is inhabited by "two discordant peoples, French and English." This is not obvious, man is a compound of discordant elements, but he has a soul for all that. But what is meant by the "soul" of a city must be first explained before its existence or non-existence in a particular place can be intelligently discussed. Our opinion is that, when a writer speaks of a city having no "soul" he or she is straining after fine language regardless of its rationality. The idea of a city having a soul is simply a bit of nonsense. The writer, after describing this city as being so torn up by racial antagonism as to have killed its "soul," tells us that, "The harmony, the spirit of co-operation found between the two races here is remarkable. The city is prosperous, and grows, and improves." This is deliciously feminine in its inconsistency. Fancy two races being in antagonism, yet working in "harmony," two races working at cross purposes yet full of the "spirit of co-operation!" If this city which has no soul is prosperous, growing, and improving, probably it is owing to the absence of this very mysterious article? It may sound terribly materialistic but while prosperity and progress characterise Montreal, no one will fret over its soulless condition.

The writer, with an eye on the Philippine Islands, tells us, that this city illustrates, "the futility of the attempt of a dominant race to impose its social faith, its home, and civic life on an alien people." That is another bit of supposed fine writing, it has absolutely no idea or fact as a basis. There never was, nor is there now any attempt by either race in Montreal "to impose its social faith, its home and civic life" on the other race, nor any attempt by either race to treat the other as an "alien race." The writer first imagines a condition, then draws a lesson from what only exists in his own imagination. In the next sentence the writer dilates upon "the want of harmony between the two races" in Montreal, when only a couple of sentences before, the "harmony" between them was said to be "remarkable." Evidently our recent visitor got sadly mixed in his ideas while here. He came expecting to find daily conflicts on the streets between French and English, as his preconceived theory required such incidents to be daily occurrences. Then, when he was here, he saw members of both races mingling in perfect peace, friendliness, and co-operation. This was a very distressing experience, as it knocked his cherished and carefully prepared theory on the head. So he

writes of Montreal from a dual standpoint, from the position of a theorist and that of an eye-witness, and his description of this city is consequently highly confusing, being full of contradictions; of comments upon non-existent conditions; and remarks quite irrational, such as the declaration that, Montreal is without a soul, because its population is made up of two races! Strange to say our critic found Quebec to be "a city with a heart and soul." Now, there are two races at Quebec as well as in Montreal, which upsets his theory about two races killing the soul of a city. He had better take his theory into dry dock and remodel it as it will not float.

To personify what is inanimate needs genius to save the effort from looking foolish. We have a specimen in this phrase, "McGill University is rather self-conscious in its architecture." What is meant is a mystery; the phrase sounds fine, but drums owe their sonority to their emptiness. Our buildings are said to be "largely to let," that is false and slanderous. There is not a city on this continent with a smaller proportion of buildings to let than Montreal. While busy noticing the features of this city for use in a description for a foreign paper, the writer paid no attention to our unrivalled public flower gardens, and parks; the Mountain with its superb views, was apparently not seen at all, nor were the attractions of the river and adjacent lakes noticed. Our visitor seems to have "no soul" himself, or herself; we have Ruskin's authority for denying this possession to any one who is not stirred into admiration by beautiful scenery. We judge our visitor to have been so taken up with cogitations over a self-conscious university; over a racial fond of which there are no signs, but ought to be, and over a city without a soul, that no time was found for using eyes and ears to gather facts regarding this city and its affairs and its people from direct observation. Our visitor evidently came with his heart full of sympathy for a community torn, rent and half ruined by racial feuds, and was taken utterly aback by finding us, French and British, living like Christians. He got a response to his sympathy akin to that the "Friend of Humanity" received from the "Needy Knife Grinder" of Canning: "Story! God bless you, I have none to tell, sir!" But he or she has published impressions of Montreal which are mostly notions entertained before he or she came here, and has made a sad mess of the story by incorporating with preconceived ideas a gleam here and there of light derived from local authorities.

THE WORKING OF SOME TRUSTS AND COMBINATIONS.

The power of public opinion, when once its indignation is aroused, to successfully resist a fraudulent effort to squeeze millions of dollars out of a whole city has been well demonstrated this summer in New York. The business of supplying ice for household purposes is a trade of large proportions. A few leading political men of both parties, but chiefly belonging to the Tammany Wigwam, brought about the combination of nearly all the companies dealing in that article and at the opening of the season suddenly put up the price from 30 cents per 100 lbs., at which it had stood for years, to 60 cents per 100 lbs. The people were astounded and the law was appealed to. Such a jump stimulated opposition and it was soon found that supplies of both natural and artificially made ice could be obtained from sources independent of the com-

bination so former prices have been restored. The would-be monopolists have been completely thwarted and they are now selling at the old price. More than that, a number of the men who directed that movement are still before the criminal courts, to answer the charges of violating the State law against combinations for putting up prices. Also, it looks likely that the charter under which they were acting as a trust will be annulled. In their greed they over-reached themselves and the result in any case will be retributive justice.

In the gas matter the people will have another struggle with a huge combination. For some time back the price of lighting gas has been 65 cents per 1,000 feet. All the gas companies have amalgamated and are practically under one management with the result that the price of gas is raised to \$1.05 per 1,000 feet for the remainder of the year, when it will be \$1.00 under the State law for reducing the former high charge by five cents each year until it reaches the dollar figure. That reduction was a compromise, as the people were then clamoring for a 75-cent per 1,000 feet rate. In this matter the people are helpless until the State Legislature meets—unless by mutual consent they use other methods for lighting. After having gas at 65 cents it is not likely they will sit down content to pay \$1.05 and the Legislature is certain to be appealed to, and with reason, for relief from the monopoly which is now to be capitalized at \$80,000,000, much of which it is claimed will represent watered stock.

The last number of "Municipal Affairs," which is published quarterly in New York, by the Citizens' League, has an elaborate article on gas works. It is there stated to be established that gas can be produced for 46 cents per 1,000 feet. The Manhattan Gas Light Company, before it was absorbed by the Consolidated Company along with other companies, sold gas at 75 cents per 1,000 feet and paid 10 per cent. dividends besides accumulating a surplus. It is shown that in the ten years previous to this decade the consumers of New York paid over \$74,000,000 for gas, of which over \$30,000,000 was clear profit. When the Consolidated Company was organized in 1885 out of several smaller concerns there was a capital of \$11,000,000 and that had increased from earnings to \$17,000,000 and was then watered to over \$37,000,000. Since that organization was formed in 1885 it has paid \$57,000,000 in dividends—an excess of \$28,000,000 over ten per cent. profit. The article establishes authoritatively that lighting gas of the best quality can be supplied at a good profit for less than 75 cents per 1,000 feet. In view of all these facts, it is expected that the State Legislature will again intervene in this matter, as it has done on two previous occasions within the last few years, and compulsorily reduce the price to at least 75 cents per 1,000 feet. It will be a struggle of the people against the monopolists, in the end the people will win, as, judging by the newspapers, they seem to be in earnest.

The position of that question in New York may well afford matter for thought to the gas company here, as well as to the aldermen and to the citizens of Montreal who are still charged \$1.20 per 1,000 feet for the gas they use, besides the rental for meters. If a remedy for this—what is called extortion in New York—cannot be found in any other way the Legislature will have to be appealed to for relief from the burden put on consumers by the unwise action of the City Council in the past. It is shown that gas can be produced and supplied to customers in New York at 75 cents per 1,000

feet and yield a profit of 10 per cent. on the capital stock—much of which is watered. It is strange that in Montreal where the conditions for producing gas are about as favourable as in New York the cost of that article should be \$1.20 per 1,000 feet in addition to the obnoxious meter rent. Is it possible that the Montreal Gas Works are not equipped so as to manufacture as cheaply as elsewhere? or, is there some other reason not publicly known? However, that may be, citizens will, before long, find some way of getting cheaper gas than they can from the present management of the City Gas Company.

THE SITUATION IN CHINA.

Beyond reports of a most revolting nature there is nothing in the Chinese situation to base a judgment upon. As certain as anything in this world can be the massacre of the German Ambassador will be avenged by Germany. The deadliest affront possible for one nation to offer to another is an injury done to its official representative, to murder him is to invite the direst punishment. That the foreign legations have been attacked by a body of rebels, not by the official troops, makes no difference. The Ambassadors are under the special protection of the country they represent; if that country does not shield them from violence it has to take the consequences. In the present case those consequences will be such as to strike terror throughout the Chinese Empire. The difficulty seems to be to discover who at this time are the responsible governors of the Chinese Empire. The powers will determine that question, or will soon take the government into their hands. The enormous population of China renders the problem of their subjugation, if there is anything like a general rising, one of difficulty. But they are not a stubborn race like the Boers, nor have they any military organization which could resist an European force, or even a Japanese one. The outbreak shows that the so-called civilization of China and its cohesion, or solidarity, were mere veneering which covered barbarism and lack of any vital, unifying force. The rebellion has developed the hidden savagery of the Chinese, and reduced the people of the Empire to a disorganized mob. The China of the future will probably be a congeries of provinces, or kingdoms, each under the protectorate of an European power.

COMMERCIAL UNION AND PALATINE.

On the 12th June an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the Commercial Union Assurance Co. was held in London, England, to arrange for the acquisition of the Palatine Insurance Co. This company, besides fire insurance, has transacted minor classes of insurance which the Commercial Union under its Articles of Association had no power to undertake. The Palatine had a paid up capital of \$1,350,000. Its fire premium for 1899 was \$3,600,000. The management seems to have lost confidence in their capacity to conduct the business profitably, so had decided to dispose of it. The terms of amalgamation were, that the Commercial Union should issue to the shareholders of the Palatine four per cent. of debenture stock of the Commercial Union, redeemable at the end of 30 years, for the paid-up amount

of their shareholders' capital, and that the Commercial Union should take over the whole of the goodwill, business and assets of the Palatine Company. The premiums in the accident department amounted for the year 1899 to \$224,000, and it was felt by the directors of the Commercial Union that a favourable opportunity—which on more than one occasion had been sought—now presented itself for undertaking the additional classes of business which the company at present had no power to carry on. It was hoped that the accident business taken over from the Palatine would form the nucleus of a profitable department to be secured and extended by the Commercial Union. The objects of the company under the new arrangement will be enlarged by adding the following clause to the Articles of Association: 'To carry on all or any of the businesses following, namely, accident, and sickness insurance in all branches, employers' liability, and workmen's compensation insurance business, mortgage insurance, and guarantee and indemnity and contingency business of all kinds, including guarantee of contracts, and debts, claims and demands, burglary insurance, plate glass insurance, and all other kinds of insurances and re-insurance business, whether of a like or different kind.

The other clauses enlarge the investing power of the company, and authorize the acquisition of any company carrying on a similar business. The amalgamation will enlarge the business of the Commercial Union, as well as its opportunities of doing a new class of business. The change we trust will prove profitable to the shareholders and add to the prestige of this old and substantial company.

WOOL AND COTTON GOODS.

The heavy decline in the production of wool in Australia has for a length of time stiffened the prices of wool products. A recent decline of prices in the wool market and general weakening is stated by one of the American organs of the trade to have had the result of driving manufacturers of woollen goods to the practice of using cotton as a substitute, or adulterant. This is affirmed to have become so general as to have reduced the consumption of wool and so lowered its value. The displacement of the animal product for the vegetable is said to have been "tremendous."

It is not asserted, nor implied that cotton has been used for mixing in small amounts. The assertion is made that, "wool fabrics are in innumerable instances now composed for the larger part of cotton," if the apparent contradiction of terms may be allowed. The ingenuity of manufacturers has reached such a point that, whether a given article is made of wool or cotton, cannot be told by the touch or sight. An infallible test we may point out is this, a thread drawn from a woollen fabric will "sizzle," but will not flame, if a light is applied to it, but one drawn from a cotton fabric will flame when in contact with flame. This, however, is a test which cannot be applied to articles made up, so the buyer has to rely upon the knowledge and honesty of the vendor, who, however, we have reason to know is sometimes not sufficiently expert to tell woollen from cotton in a certain line of underclothing. The price ought to be a sufficient criterion, but it is not so, as the remarkable similarity between some cotton goods and those of wool, has induced some retailers to put up the prices of cotton

or mixed fabrics to or near to the all wool level. At this time of the year the deception is of little moment. But, whoever relies on a cotton garment to keep him warm in winter is apt to discover its insufficiency and is lucky if he does not suffer by the deception.

The wool trade organ seems to think that cotton goods are bought by some only because they have not the means to buy woollen. This applies to a very limited class of buyers, and a class too who so especially need the protection of woollen garments, that they will make every effort possible to secure them. It is a lamentable condition of trade for so gross and often dangerous a deceit to be practised as passing off cotton fabrics, as woollen. It is a poor business for mechanical skill to be engaged in a deliberate deception.

PRICES OF PAPER.

For some time past the supply of paper materials has been irregular. Sulphite pulp was so high as to give an impetus to rag gathering, a return to somewhat primitive conditions. The result was that prices of this class of pulp experienced a drop of from 5 per cent. to 7 per cent. during the last month or two, as foreshadowed in the article on "Future Pulp and Paper Prices" in our issue of 11th May last. Mechanical, or ground-wood pulp, on the other hand, has been advancing in price. These influences have, however, been chiefly felt in United States markets.

BANKERS AND CROSSED CHEQUES.

An important decision with regard to the negotiability of crossed cheques has been given recently in an action brought by the Great Western Railway Company against the London and County Bank, which is reported, with comments in the London "Economist." It arose out of a fraud committed by one Huggins, a rate collector in the employment of the Wantage Rural District Council. Huggins had falsely represented to the plaintiff railway company that a rate had been made in respect of which they had to pay £142 10s, and obtained from them a cheque for that amount drawn on the London Joint Stock Bank, crossed and marked "not negotiable." In accordance with a practice that had gone on for many years, Huggins took this cheque to the office for the London and County Bank at Wantage, where, at his request, £25 of the amount was placed to the credit of the District Council, and the balance paid to him in cash. When the fraud was discovered—a fraud for which Huggins was tried and convicted—the railway company instituted an action to recover the amount from the bank, resting its claim on section 81 of the Bills of Exchange Act, 1882, which runs—"where a person takes a crossed cheque which bears on it the words 'not negotiable,' he shall not have, and shall not be capable of giving, a better title to the cheque than the person from whom he took it had." In their defence the bank pleaded Section 82 of the Act, which provides that "where a banker, in good faith, and without negligence, receives payment from a customer of a cheque crossed generally or specially to himself, and the customer has no title, or defective title, thereto, the banker shall not incur any liability to the true owner of the cheque by reason only of having received such payment." Obviously, then, the point to be decided was whether or not Huggins was a

customer of the defendant bank. It was admitted that he never had an account with the bank, that he had no pass-book, and that his transactions with it were completely disposed of when, as in the present case, cheques payable to him were cashed. Nevertheless, by a process of reasoning which we find it somewhat difficult to follow, the Court of Appeal, affirming the judgment of Mr. Justice Bigham, held that the transaction that had taken place between them did constitute Huggins one of the bank's customers. Lord Justice Smith is reported by the "Times" to have said: "It was proved that the course of business between Huggins and the defendants—viz., the defendants cashing cheques for Huggins whether crossed and with the words 'not negotiable' thereon, or without being crossed, at the Wantage bank, and collecting them—had been in existence for some 20 years, and that this was the way as between Huggins and the branch bank in which he had obtained cash for the cheques received by him as rate collector. . . . This is not like the case of a stranger coming to a bank upon an isolated occasion to get a cheque cashed, which was the case in 'Mathews v. Brown,' when it was held that such a person was not a customer within the section, Mr. Justice Cave saying that the word 'customer' involves something of use and habit. In the present case there has been use and habit for 20 years." According to this, if the transaction in question had been the first that had taken place between Huggins and the bank, the latter would have been liable to refund. But because for twenty years they have chosen to ignore the provisions of the Act, and to deal with "not negotiable" cheques as if they were negotiable, they are held to have relieved themselves from any liability for their action. Are we to take it, then, that if a person only violates or ignores the law sufficiently often he is to be held to have thereby acquired immunity from any liabilities which the law may prescribe? Does "use and habit" in doing what the law says you may do only at your own risk relieve you from all risk, and deprive the people whom the law was intended to protect of the protection it professes to accord them? We should have thought that the answer would have been in the negative, but it would almost seem as if the Court of Appeal had given the opposite reply.

PUBLIC SCHOOL MORALS.

One of the evils associated with and inspired by the present examination system of public schools is illustrated by a scandal which has occurred at Windsor, Ont. A contemporary describes the occurrence: "Were it not for a little discovery on Monday some of the pupils of the public schools in Windsor, writing on the examination for promotion from the junior third to senior third class, would have stood a first-class chance of passing with an extra high percentage. A few days ago the parents of some of the pupils attending the Park Street School noticed their children were doing an extra amount of hard studying, and on investigation found them poring over the examination papers they were to write off in a few days." An investigation took place as to how the examination papers had got into the hands of pupils. It was discovered that they had been taken from the dwelling of the inspector who had prepared the questions. It was found that the pupils at two of the schools had been furnished with copies of the questions they were about

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to be asked. On the affair being exposed the papers were cancelled and a new set of questions prepared. How often has such a distribution of question papers taken place prior to examinations? We have heard suspicion expressed in regard to the secrecy of examination papers at public schools. But, be this as it may, is it not a deplorable scandal for the entire body of pupils at several schools to have been so ready to connive at and to arrange for benefiting by so disgraceful a fraud? The examination system as now conducted not only endangers the physical health, but, by creating a morbid craze for distinction lowers the moral tone of pupils.

HOW TO REDUCE FIRE WASTE.

One of the most effective means by which the enormous annual fire waste can be reduced is also one most easy to apply, and most economical. Attention is drawn to this by the Millers' and Manufacturers' Insurance Co., which recently received the following letter:

Gentlemen,—At the fire which recently destroyed our cooper shop and adjoining foundry, the importance of having always ready for use plenty of pails filled with salt water, was clearly demonstrated. The fire commenced in the early morning of the 15th of February, a strong cold wind was blowing direct on the mill and elevator, encircling them with blazing shingles and sparks. The wind drove some of the sparks through a small opening at the top of the elevator, some 75 feet from the ground, and in a moment the upper part was in a blaze. Some of the men who were on guard, ran up the stairs and promptly extinguished the fire in its incipient stage by using the pails and the water casks, which are always kept on hand for that purpose. We have no hesitation in stating that if it had not been for this, the elevator, together with a heavy stock of grain, undoubtedly would have been burnt to the ground. We may mention that it would have been impossible to reach the spot with

hose. The elevator and grain at the time of the fire was fully worth \$50,000."

Care, order, and cleanliness, combined with an efficient supply of fire pails and casks of salted water have proved a greater safeguard against fire than all other known appliances. The value of any safeguard is measurable by the degree of promptness with which it can be applied when a fire breaks out. A few seconds' delay often means the difference between no damage worth naming and a disastrous fire. Out of 13,255 reported by the New York Fire Commissioners for six consecutive years, 8,453, or 64 per cent. of them, were extinguished by pails of water. Salted water is more effective than sweet in subduing fire. Hotels, and other public places where numbers of persons assemble, as well as large warehouses, ought to be equipped with this simple and effective means of preventing the spread of fire.

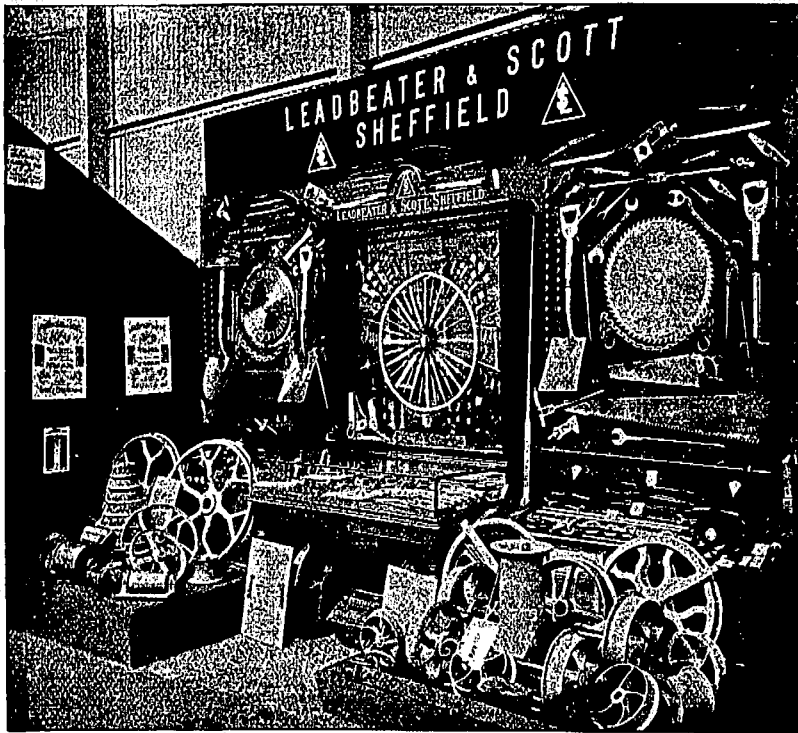
COMMON SENSE IDEAS.

The common sense shoe for men, women and children has worked its way into style and will likely walk a good length before being forced off the popular track. The common sense sack coats for business are now being daily aired and, it is safe to presume, will not easily be switched off the walk by the long-tailed frocks which are better adapted, if at all, for sundown society. The common sense unlaundried coloured shirt is well to the front; and, while warm weather remains, will likely stick to its place with a tenacity worthy of its unstarched strength. The common sense skirt now being introduced, which measurably misses the ground at all points, which allows the wearer to keep her mind and hands free for other fancies, will in all probability hang on to its place for some time despite the whims of fashion and the transient life allotted to many useful and ornamental ideas. Not least, if lusty is the common sense baby carriage, which, if not here in numbers, is rolling leisurely this way. It is, after all, like the fore-mentioned but a return to the simple and protective methods in vogue before artistic ideas overtopped necessary features, and left the baby—the future soldier or his bride—subject to the rude rains and rough winds

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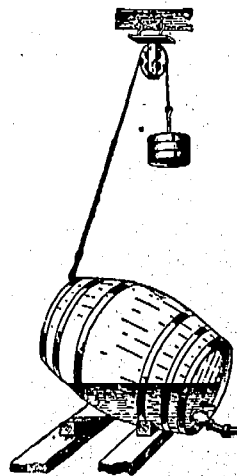
THE SILVER SHOE CO. FAILURE.

S. Harris and William Silver began superintending the manufacture of boots and shoes (wholesale) at Montreal a few years ago, but removed to Lachine in the Spring of 1899 under agreement with that town, by which the business was to be exempt from taxes for a term of years and also to receive a bonus, under a proviso that a definite number of hands should be kept regularly employed. S. Harris, whose wife is said to have put about \$7,000 into the concern, was formerly for some years in the hat and fur trade in Montreal, in which the principal incidents of his career were one failure, one fire and one libel-suit, the last named being against the "Journal of Commerce" for the modest sum of \$60,000.00. This last proved a failure also, but the editor-proprietor was obliged to rank on the Harris bankrupt estate, which realized for the creditors a first dividend of 7 cents in the dollar and a second and final one of 2 1/5 cents in the dollar, for payment of costs. Failing to make satisfactory headway with the outer coating of the beasts of the Russian steppes, he turned his attention to the domestic animals of the llanos, catering to the wants of the lower portion of the human frame Divine instead of formerly to the upper portion—with what success is shown by the present trouble. The shoe business has been carried on in the name of Mrs. Clara Jacobs, his wife, while the Mr. Silver who gave his name to the concern was formerly with the old Slater shoe house. It is to be inferred that any advantages derivable from the municipal privileges referred to in Lachine were considerably off-set by the cost of cartage to the railway stations, as the business could scarcely have been of a magnitude sufficient to warrant the construction of sidings. It takes a good many shoes at a profit of twenty cents a pair to conduct such a business very long. The output in the present concern was about 250 pairs a day.—As all kinds of education are useful—more or less—Mr. Harris should eventually become a

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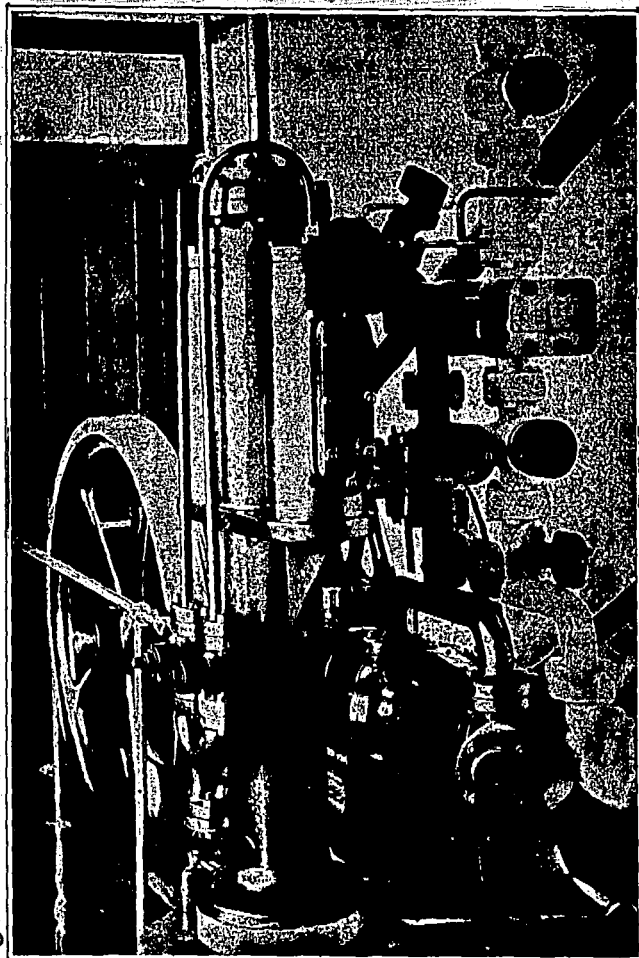
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well-informed and experienced, if not successful, man of business; and there be those who would not be surprised if he next turned his attention to the rehabilitation of the remaining portion of the human body, but he really requires a wider field for his abilities. The demand of assignment is made by Esther Jacobs of New York. The principal creditors are: The Logan Tanning Co., Picton, N.S., nearly \$1,000; Paul Galibert, \$225, note; Esther Jacobs, New York city, \$923; Bank of British North America, note, \$1,410; — Harris, salary, \$520; William Silver, \$483; P. M. Goff, Toronto, \$201; town of Lachine, mortgage, \$16,000. It is probable that the Lachineists will not abandon their claim on the plant and other assets belonging to the concern. The Silver Shoe Co. made mostly children's shoes. Their mode of living was quite abreast of the times.

BETTER CROP PROSPECTS.

A Winnipeg dispatch of the 4th inst. states that Mr. Jus. Osborne, Superintendent of the C.P.R., has stated that his department had received reports on the crops from the principal parts of the Province and all agreed that the late rain had done incalculable good to wheat and other cereals. While the immediate improvement was at once noticeable it would not be possible to estimate the amount of benefit done the crops for about ten days. Ontario advices are of a similarly cheerful tone.

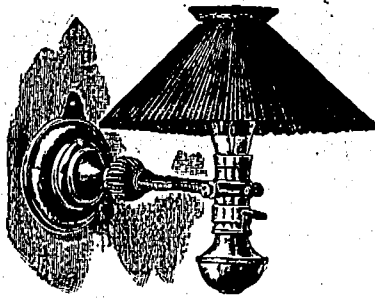
—The following new Ontario companies have been incorporated. The Canada Malting Company, Limited, share capital, \$250,000; head offices, Toronto; the Hally & Boyd Shoe Company, Limited, share capital, \$40,000, head office, Toronto, and Gilmour & Co., Limited, share capital \$1,000,000, head office, Trenton, Ont. The by-laws increasing the capital stock of the Selling Furniture Company, of Ontario, Limited, from \$20,000 to \$60,000, the capital stock of the Arnold Chemical Company, Limited, from \$20,000 to \$50,000, and the capital stock of the Gould, Shapley & Muir Company of Brantford, Limited, from \$100,000 to \$275,000 have been confirmed.

FRATERNAL SOCIETY INSURANCE.

The Insurance Commissioner for Connecticut has published a special report on fraternal society insurance. He says:—

"Many of these societies have reached, and all of them will soon reach, an age when the same problem that has confronted other systems of assessment insurance guaranteeing the payment of a stipulated sum at death, will have to be met and solved, and that is, can any plan of life insurance that fails to make ample provision by way of reserve fund to meet the inevitable contingency of increasing mortality long survive?"

"It is true that insurance can be furnished through fraternal societies at less cost to the insured than is possible in a regular company, providing there exists such a strong spirit of fraternalism as to cause the members to be zealous in increasing and maintaining the membership, thus saving the cost of procuring of new business. There is, with these societies also, a saving of expense in the matter of salaries, and other charges, which tend to the reduction of the cost of insurance. But as to all other elements entering into the premium or assessment, assuming that equal care is exercised in the selection of lives, they occupy the same position, and should be controlled by the same principles as obtain in the plan or system of level premium insurance. Whatever the plan of whole life insurance, the mortality experience will be the same, and there is no logical reason why, if as it is necessary to provide for it in one case, it should not be in the other. Experience has already demonstrated the necessity of a reserve to meet and provide for increasing mortality, and mathematical calculations have determined that nothing short of the reserve now required by law will give any reasonable assurance of answering the needs of the case. The sooner these associations and their members are brought to a realization of what should be done in this respect, and to take intelligent action in doing the necessary thing, the better it will be for all concerned. If the present plan is persisted in, it will result in stranding on the shore of disappointment many thousands of insureds who now rest confident in the belief that their certificates will give to



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their dependents all the beneficent fruits of true life insurance, while the fact is, that temporary insurance only is being furnished. If it is the purpose of the State, to extend its protecting arm so as to afford reasonable security to the insuring public, then the law should be made to provide that no organization shall write any form of life insurance affecting to pay a stipulated amount at death without being subject to the law in the matter of reserve. As the laws now are, in respect to all forms of assessment insurance, no such requirement exists. These companies and societies are permitted to write contracts which are known to be impossible of fulfilment as affording continuous assurance. Such a condition should no longer continue, but legislation should speedily be had to remedy this acknowledged defect."

RECENT FIRES.

—Belleville, Ont., June 27.—Residence and barns of R. Foxton, Corbyville, destroyed. Also Mrs. M. Palmer's house, R. Palmer's hotel and R. P. White's dwelling. Mrs. Palmer had \$200 insurance; R. Palmer had \$1,000, with \$2,000 loss; R. P. White had \$400, with loss about \$300; all in the Queen Co. Mrs. Palmer owned Foxton's house, which with contents is a complete loss; no insurance.—Ruthven, Ont., 28.—L. A. Boussey's tailor and harness shop and dwelling and E. B. Stewart's general store totally destroyed, and T. H. Wigle's post office, store and dwelling partly burned. The total loss is \$6,000, partly covered by insurance.—Toronto, 28.—Frame building used by J. O'Donnel as glass globe factory damaged. Loss to contents, about \$800, covered by insurance in Royal. Cause, lamp explosion.—Lindsay, Ont., 28.—Residence of the late Squire McDonnell damaged. Loss about \$1,000; fully insured in Western and Liverpool, London & Globe Companies.—St. John, N.B., 28.—The Moss Glen Mfg. Co.'s plant burned. Loss heavy.

Halifax, N.S., 4.—Dispatch from St. Pierre Miquelon says principal warehouses for storing fish and other staple articles of the colony were destroyed. Loss \$20,000. A warehouse belonging to an old French company represented in St. Pierre, by M. Lebonne, was also destroyed. Loss will prove serious, as the warehouses were the largest in town.—Montreal, 4.—Canada Liquor Company's premises badly damaged, also stock valued at \$75,000. Damage to both will exceed \$8,000. The insurance on the stock is divided as follows: British North America, \$15,000; Manchester Fire Insurance Company, \$10,000; Caledonian, \$10,000; Etna, \$10,000; London & Lancashire, \$2,000. The building is owned by Mr. A. Brisset, and is insured for \$9,000.

Belleville, Ont., 29.—The Union Elevator, owned by the Dominion Bank, and occupied by F. F. Cole, of Toronto; Thomas Stewart's coal office and store house, also owned by the bank; a hay shed, owned by Mr. Stewart, and the Street Railway car barns and two cars completely destroyed. Fire started in elevator, and in two hours the

buildings were a total wreck. The elevator and the shed and office occupied by Mr. Stewart were the property of the Dominion Bank. Insured. The loss will be about \$10,000. Mr. Stewart had \$500 insurance on the contents of storage shed in the Norwich Union. His loss there is \$400 and his total loss will be about \$3,500. Mr. Cole's loss on grain will reach \$6,000. Partial insurance. The Bank of Montreal had \$300 insurance in the British American on the car shed, and \$2,350 in the same company on car No. 8; car No. 6 was insured in the Royal. The loss on the building, cars and tools will reach \$6,000, and there is also considerable loss on poles and wires. The big frame tenement house opposite the elevator is the property of W. N. Ponton, and is insured for \$925 in the National of Ireland. It is damaged to the extent of about \$200.—Kingston, Ont., July 1.—Walsh's tailor shop damaged. Loss about \$300.—Hamilton, 1.—Frame house occupied by J. Wilson and owned by A. Young, near Mount Hope, destroyed. Building partially insured.—Owen Sound, Ont., 1.—Large barn owned by Mrs. W. Barfoot, Sarawak, burned, with contents. Loss about \$2,000.—Waterford, Ont., June 30.—Fire which started in office occupied by A. M. Tobin, Division Court Clerk, burned also a cottage owned by Mrs. L. W. Callver, of London, the village fire hall; dwelling owned by R. B. McKay, of Brantford; a frame store owned by same party, and occupied by Miss Saltzburg, dressmaker, and M. L. Harp, shoes; the old post office block occupied by A. J. Harris, baker; store of E. James, general merchant; the Union block, in which the following lodges had rooms: The Canadian Order Home Circle, Ancient Order United Workmen and Independent Order of Foresters. In the lower part of the building were Mr. James Joyce, boot and shoe dealer; Bell Telephone office; B. Staffle, dealer in carriages, implements, etc. The two upper flats of the Union block were insured for \$1,500; Mr. J. Joyce's store for \$2,500; Mrs. L. W. Colver's residence for \$750; A. J. Harris' store for \$300, E. James' store and contents for \$500, the Ancient Order of Workmen for \$400.—Port Dalhousie, Ont., 2.—Residence of J. Stanton badly damaged; also store and barber shop below. Estimated loss, \$604; Covered by insurance.—Winnipeg, 2.—The general store of S. Coppleman, the millinery store of Mrs. Lindsay and the Massey-Harris implement warehouse all at Wawanesa, destroyed.—Glencoe, Ont., June 20.—Fire which broke out in an unoccupied frame store, in the McKellar block, destroyed the entire building, also the adjoining brick stores, occupied by W. Neal, dry goods, and the McKellar Co., grocery, and the frame building occupied by R. Stevenson, saddler. A very small part of the stocks was saved. The tenants of the apartments above the stores lost all their chattel property. The total loss is estimated at from \$6,000 to \$7,000.—Partly covered by insurance. Cause unknown.—Brockville, Ont., July 1.—Implement works of Cossitt Bros., badly damaged. Loss about \$125,000; insurance about half the amount. Other buildings adjoining loss about \$10,000. The Cossitt building was erected in 1872. Rebuilding will commence at once.—Montreal, July 1.—Machine Rapids Hydraulic Co.'s plant damaged. Loss about \$20,000; fully insured.

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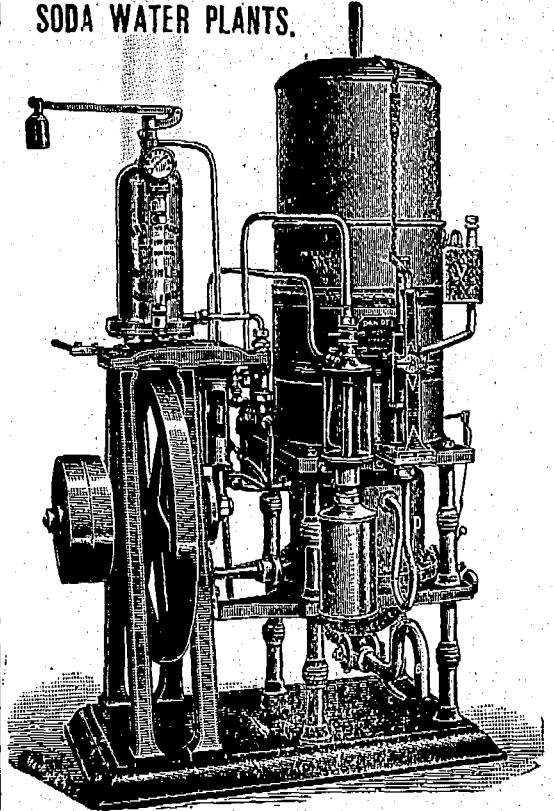
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BUSINESS CHANGES.

Ontario.—Cummings & Field, furn., etc., Palmerston, style now Field & Co.; Lorenzo & Banghart, general store, Palmyra, sold out this branch to Blue & Gosnell; W. S. Fergusson, groc., etc., Beeton, succeeded by J. R. McDonald; Rideout & Turner, furn., etc., Rat Portage, dissolved, style now H. Rideout & Co.; W. B. Hamilton Shoe Co., Ltd., Toronto, incorporated; Mulholland Bros., groc., etc., Aylmer, selling out to W. Mann; E. Dupuis, general store, Comber, selling out; Bain & Colville, machinists, Hamilton, dissolved—new style J. D. Bain & Son.

Quebec.—J. Scott & Co., Montreal, hay and grain, E. G. Brooks sole owner; Canada Confectionery Co., Montreal, J. H. Sykes, sole owner; will carry on business in his own name; Twin City Park Co., St. Henry, partnership registered; F. X. Smith Cartage Co., Montreal, dissolution registered; Standard Tinware Co., Montreal, W. J. Carmichael sole owner; W. Bellingham, Son & Co., mfrs. agents, Montreal, W. J. Bellingham sole owner.

British Columbia.—Vancouver Hardware Co., Ltd., Nelson, succeeded by McLaughlin Bros.

Nova Scotia.—J. Margeson, blacksmith, Shubenacadie, goods and chattels advertised for sale by auction.

Manitoba & N.W.T.—McIntyre & Castell, general store, Belmont, commencing business; Evans & Stovin, general store, Deloraine, dissolved; Williamson & McIntyre, hardware, Medicine Hat, succeeded by Williamson & Rae; Miles & Campbell, general store and hotel, Winnipegosis, dissolved, T. Miles continues.

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—The St. John, N.B., customs receipts for June were \$12,000 in excess of June, 1899, and the fiscal year's receipts were \$140,000 over those of 1898-99.

—Grand Trunk Railway System—Earnings 22nd to 30th June, 1900, \$615,932; 1899, \$572,733; increase, \$43,199. Chicago and Grand Trunk earnings omitted.

—At a recent meeting of the Hamilton, Ont., Board of Trade, Mr. John A. Bruce, was nominated president; T. Chester Fearman, vice-president, and Charles Still, secretary.

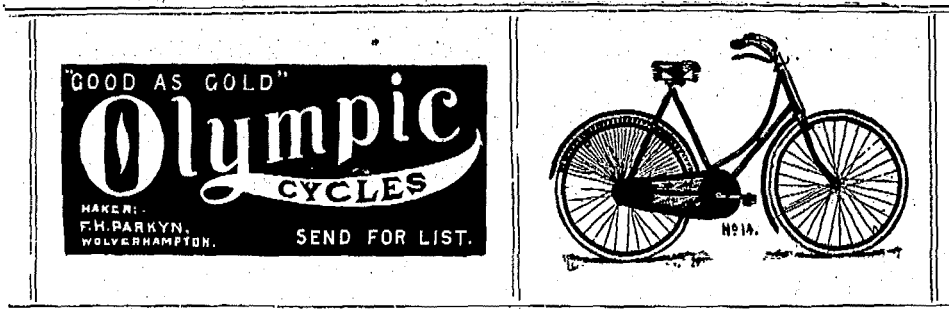
—The sale of the Harper & Bros.' property at public auction has been ordered by the Supreme Court of New York. The amount due to the bondholders is fixed at \$3,466,250.

—The schooner Pictou, owned and sailed by Captain Sibley, of Belleville, Ont., bound from Charlotte to Belleville with 350 tons of coal, is thought to have been lost in the gale. The vessel has not been considered safe.

—The Review says: "It is understood that an arrangement has been arrived at between the London and Lancashire Fire Insurance Company and the gentlemen composing the directorate of the Orient Insurance Company, of Hartford, U.S.A., under which the two companies are proposed to be worked in conjunction. The combination will obviously be good; the Orient of Hartford, and the business which it has on its books, constitute a very valuable property which can doubtless be administered with very beneficial results to both companies."

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—Plans and specifications are being drawn for the new Toronto Hotel. The building will be six stories high.

—A Seattle, Wash., dispatch states that three tons of Klondike gold were received in that city on the 1st instant.

—A disquieting statement comes from Berlin that Russia refuses to accept the proposal to make Japan the mandator of the Powers in restoring order in China. A Shanghai telegram says that the total number of Japanese troops embarked to date is 15,000, and that a further force of 30,000 is mobilized and ready for immediate embarkation.

—The total Inland Revenue collections at the port of Ottawa for the fiscal year just closed were \$272,386.01, as against \$253,096.38 for the fiscal year of 1899, of June were: Spirits, \$17,936.18; malt, \$447; tobacco, \$3,111.50; Canada twist, \$4; cigars, \$102; penalties, \$92.85; total, \$21,694.43, as against \$19,192.70 for June, 1899, an increase of \$3,501.73.

—The secretary of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association reports that the fruit crop in the Niagara peninsula will be unusually large. The peach trees are so filled with fruit that the growers have been obliged to resort to the unusual practice of thinning. The fruit is of excellent quality. Pear trees are not so well loaded, but the fruit is perfect; apples, plums, and grapes are in excellent condition.

—Toronto advices state that the Civic Board of Control, at a recent meeting, passed a resolution recommending the city engineer to prepare an estimate of the probable cost of installing and operating a municipal telephone system for 6,000 and 10,000 subscribers. A committee of six, one from each ward, was appointed to consider the question. The Bell Company charges \$45 yearly for business and \$25 for house telephones, and refuses to put in new ones except for a material increase of rates.

—Our Bedford, Que., correspondent writes, under date 3rd instant: A Montreal firm bought the make of last week of Stanbridge creamery butter, some 4 to 5 tons, at 19½ cents, here to-day. A like number of pounds were bought from 3 or 4 other creameries, for 19 and 19½ cents. Dairy butter in quantities brought 16c and separator 17 cents. Eggs sold at 11 cents; 2 carloads of hogs were bought for the Montreal market, heavy bringing 5 cents, and light 5½ cents. 240 boxes cheese were sold here to-day at 8¼, and one lot at 9 cents.

—A Toronto dispatch states that the fiscal year, which ended on the 30th ult., was the busiest the Toronto custom house has ever had. The duty collected during June was \$312,366, a falling off of almost \$8,000 compared with June, 1899. This was, however, occasioned through merchants waiting for the increased British preference to come into force. For the year the receipts were \$5,367,248, as compared with \$4,815,054 in the year ending June, 1899. The

number of entries in 1899 and 1900 were 93,037, an increase of 1,991 over the previous year.

—The New York Sun concluded a recent editorial by stating, "We do not think." The remark is regarded as super-



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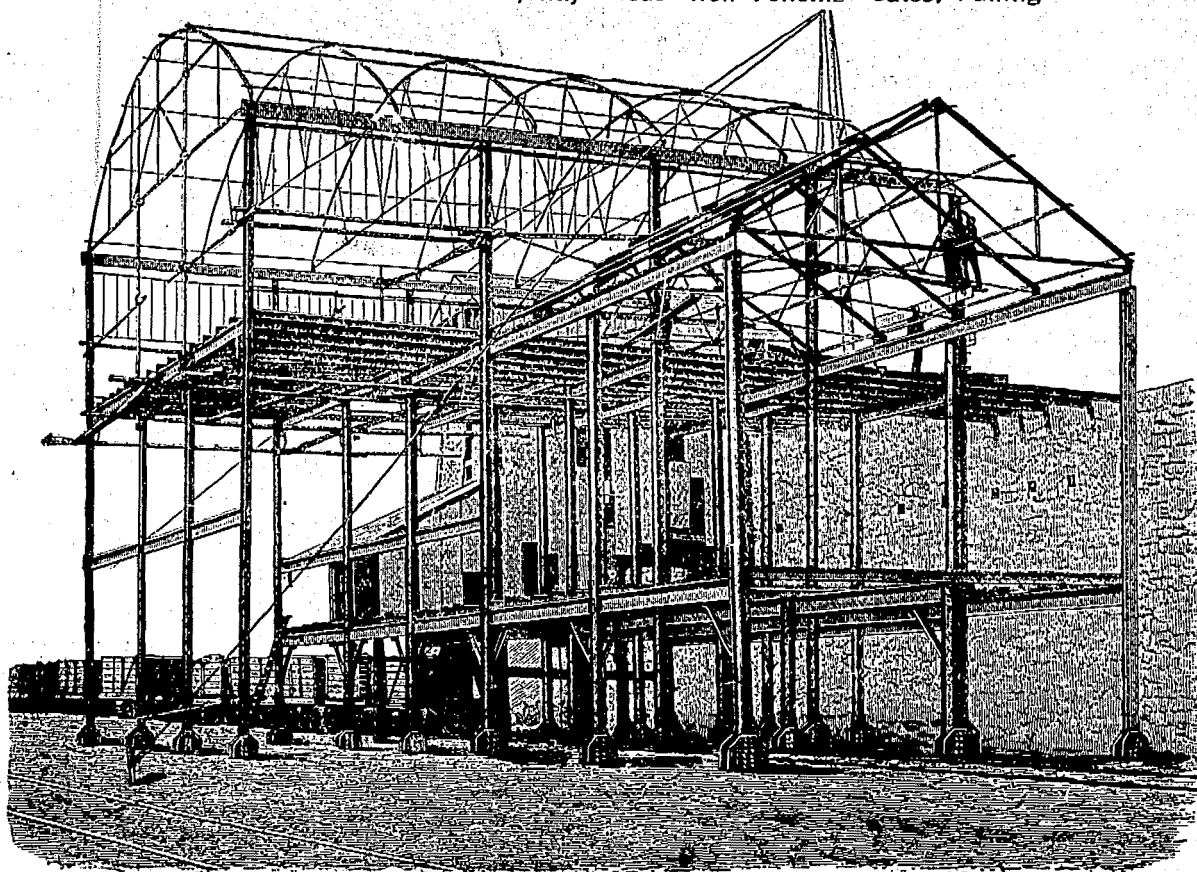
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fluous. Certainly its absurd persistence in advocating the annexation of Canada shows abstention from thinking or reflecting. Its latest fad is, a society to promote the annexation of Canada to the States. Of course Mr. Glen, the Canadian who left this country for this country's good, is a moving spirit in the new organization, indeed it is probable he himself constitutes the society. Another society should be run to annex Great Britain to the States, the two would make a well matched team.

—Toronto exports for June show a large increase over the same month in 1899 in animals and produce and in the products of the forest, but a decrease in agricultural products. The total increase is \$176,071:

	June, 1899.	June, 1900.
Agricultural	\$58,914	\$13,868
Animals and produce	364,637	533,707
Fish	415	.....
Forest	3,023	.....
Manufactures	188,073	191,394
Mines	465	513
Miscellaneous	4,282	7,930
Totals	\$619,309	\$795,880

LEGAL RECORD.

The following is a record of transactions and cases in our Canadian courts of law, comprising Writs Issued and Judgments Rendered for sums of \$300 and upwards (Montreal, from \$175 and upwards), and Chattel Mortgages and Bills of Sale (for sums of \$550 and upwards), as taken from the public records. It will be understood that the actions or items do not necessarily affect the credit and soundness of the persons or concerns named, as they may have been paid

or otherwise settled, and that good defence may exist in case of writs, etc.:

WRITS ISSUED—ONTARIO.

Belmont Tp.—F. W. Wilkins vs W. J. Melville, jr. & sr., \$330; Finch Tp.—O. Fulton vs D. G. McMillan, \$742; Lindsay—T. Robson vs M. O'Halloran, \$2,585; Toronto—J. Armstrong vs S. Dawson et al, \$375; Chicago, U.S.—V. M. R. Willis vs T. B. Willis, \$2,281;—C. W. Bacon vs Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Co., \$2,414; Arkona—J. E. Brown vs G. R. Watson, \$915; J. E. Brown vs G. R. Watson and K. K. Isabel, \$818; Brantford Tp.—W. Freeman vs A. McEwen, \$404; Goderich Tp.—J. Mitchell vs R. Elliott, \$546; Hamilton—Dominion Radiator Co. vs J. E. Bull et al, as assignee, \$2,274; Hastings—R. E. Wood vs J. Golshmed, \$500; Hay Tp.—Wm. Proudfoot vs U. M. and Josephine Cantin, \$1,150; Kitley Tp.—W. T. Earl vs T. L. Kelly et al, \$426; Lindsay—Mickleborough, Muldrew & Co. vs A. F. Morgan, \$319; Toronto—Trust & Loan Co. vs P. & B. E. Boyle, \$4,485; Irene Stevenson vs A. Duclou, \$3,000; Lillian L. Lewis vs Grace Hospital, \$3,000; K. Marshall vs A. W. Lilly Miles, \$365; J. Ross et al vs E. Montgomery, \$470; A. Smith vs J. Sheppard, \$7,845;—J. A. McDonnell vs Can. Pac. Ry. Co., \$10,032; Goderich Tp.—J. Mitchell vs A. Train,

WRITS ISSUED—MANITOBA & N. W. T.

Calgary—Calgary Milling Co., Ltd., \$635; Winnipeg—P. W. Reiner, \$469.

WRITS ISSUED—BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Victoria—E. J. Saunders, \$3,597.

JUDGMENTS RENDERED—ONTARIO.

Alexandria—Dmc. Sarah J. MacDonald agt J. O. Mooney et al, \$6,286; Cornwall—J. T. Kirkpatrick et al agt Cornwall Electric St. Ry. Co., Ltd., \$114,996; Georgia Tp.—H. Cawthra agt J. Math, \$1,582; Markham—F. W. Humphrey agt T. B. Willis, \$416; Ottawa—Can. Mut. L. & L. Co. agt N. Ruais, \$506; Scott Tp.—S. Macklem agt P. A. Brooks, \$666; To-

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Cranbrook—T. Forrest, \$1,500.

FINANCIAL.

Montreal, 5th June, 1900.

It is somewhat remarkable how indifferent the money market continues to be to the trouble in China. Beyond a slight depression, which a passing rumor may create at any time, the affair has been regarded as of no grav-

ity in a monetary sense. China is running up an enormous bill of expenses which she will have to pay sooner or later. As she has the capacity to pay for the damages being done to foreign interests, there is no anxiety on that head. The Bank of England reduced the rate when there was every certainty of the trouble de-

veloping as it has since done, which may be taken as a financial judgment that the Chinese war will not absorb any serious amount of European money. The political cauldron, or cauldrons in the States are boiling furiously. The 80 millions of people have two men presented to them by a handful of political bosses, one of

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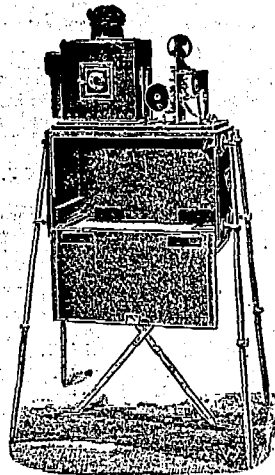
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whom they are allowed to have the privilege of electing as President of the United States. One of these persons, Mr. Bryan, declares he will not run unless the exploded scheme of free silver, is made a plank in his platform. Happily, this theory is now a mere ghost, it has no power to disturb busi-

ness and finance as it did when it was a live issue four years ago. The National Wall Paper Co., with its capital of \$30,000,000, is on the eve of dissolution. It was a trust enterprise which absorbed 28 companies, who, it is said, will be resurrected. The incident is highly significant. Yesterday being Independence Day, the American stock exchanges were closed and the people of the United States gave themselves up to the enjoyment of fire crackers, as becomes those who lead the van of civilization. The local 'Change was dull. Pacific has continued to decline, sales running from 88 to 88½. Electric is quoted at 200 to 201, Toronto St. 97½. Interest and dividend payments this month in the States, amount to \$105,570,000, besides \$5,000,000 due on government bonds. Local money rates remain as last week.

The following is a comparative table of stocks for week ending July 5th, supplied by Chas. Meredith & Co., Stock Brokers, Montreal:—

BANKS	Shares Sold.	Highest.	Lowest.	Average same date Last Year
Bank of Montreal	9	252½	250	252
Ontario Bank....	31½	126	126	....
Molsons Bank....	80	182¼	182	198
Toronto.....	8	238	238	....
Merchants Bank..	4	152	152	172
Quebec Bank....	5	125	125	....
Union Bank.....	24	106½	106½	120
Can. Bk. of Com.	51	148¼	145	149½
MISCELLANEOUS.				
Can. Pacific....	2207	90	87¼	98%
Com. Cable, reg bds	4000	101	101	....

Republic.....	3400	90	87½	121
Rich. & Ont. Nav.	50	103	103	110
Payne.....	1000	96	96	135
M. S. R.....	300	249½	249¼	327
War Eagle.....	1500	146	145½	368½
Montreal Gas Co..	56	182	181	200
Royal Elec. xd...	375	202	198	182
Toronto Ry... ..	125	97½	97½	116
Twin City.....	250	60	59½	65
Hallfax Ry	65	92	90	109
North Star.....	700	100	98	....
Mont. Cotton Co..	27	140	135	150
Can. Col'd Co. bds	1000	99¼	99¼	....
Dom. Cot. Mills..	175	93	91½	108½
Mont. & Lond...	2000	25½	25¼	47
Virtue Co.....	10000	64½	60	....

BRAZILIAN EXCHANGE for the week ending July 3rd, is as follows:

June 27.....	10% d
" 28.....	10% d
" 29.....	10 81-32d
" 30.....	....
July 2.....	11 5 32d
" 3.....	....

MONTREAL WHOLESALE

MARKETS.

Montreal, July 5th, 1900.

A better feeling has prevailed regarding the wheat yield and prospects from Manitoba and the Territories are much brighter. The numerous rains of the past ten days have greatly assisted the crops in all parts of the Dominion and it is expected Manitoba will pull into line at but a slight discount from former seasons. Flour is held firmly at the recent advances. Feed has declined. Hardware prices have been lowered on many lines, also manilla and sisal. Dairy products, while slightly lower are in good request from exporters. Sugars and teas have advanced. Leather is quiet except for export which demand continues good. Wool has shown a decline at the London auctions equal to



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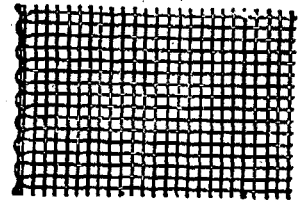
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BUTTER.—The market continued very quiet during the past week, and business passing has been light. This is entirely owing to difference of opinion between buyers and sellers as to market values and where any business resulted it has been at $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1c per lb. under last week's quotations. Sales of finest creamery are being made at $19\frac{1}{2}$ c to $20\frac{1}{2}$ c. Townships dairys, 18 to $18\frac{1}{2}$ c. Western selections, 16c to $16\frac{1}{2}$ c; and bakers' quality at 14c to 15c. Toward the close somewhat steadier feeling was noticeable at a decline.

CEMENTS, ETC.—Arrivals for week ending 4th were 12,930 brls. Belgian and German cement; 1,600 English 30,000 firebricks. Number of latter given last week should have read 136,370. The demand is fair in a jobbing way, most attention being given to German cement.

CHEESE.—Markets are still weak, but business passing is fairly satisfactory and exports continue large. Finest colored is worth $9\frac{1}{2}$ c to 10c, with white at $9\frac{1}{2}$ c to $9\frac{3}{4}$ c. Lower prices are not looked for just now as speculators are taking hold largely and export orders are coming in freely.—Country markets: Woodstock, Ont., July 4.—At today's meeting of the cheese board buyers could not be induced to offer more than $9\frac{1}{2}$ c; altogether 3,291 boxes were offered, but only 526 sold. Little chance of price going over $9\frac{1}{2}$ c at present. At Ingersoll, on 3rd, 2,800 boxes brought $9\frac{1}{2}$ c.—Ormsdown, Que., 4.—Offerings, 1,204 cheese; 854 of which sold at from $9\frac{1}{2}$ c to 9 3-16c, the latter being ruling price. For butter $18\frac{3}{4}$ c was offered for 100 packages, no sales.—Napanee, Ont., 4.—380 colored and 660 white cheese boarded. All sold at 9 5-16c.—Picton, Ont., 4.—Seventeen factories boarded 1,651 boxes; all colored. Highest bid, 9 7-16c; \$71 sold.—Stirling, Ont., 4.—9,165 boxes boarded. Sales at $9\frac{3}{4}$ c.—Russell, Ont., 4.—385 white and 100 colored boarded; $9\frac{1}{4}$ offered; two small lots sold.

DRUGS.—Oil cassia has advanced abroad and is firmly held here. Ergot is also higher. Powdered opium has declined. There is a weaker feeling in cod liver oil and prices are shaded. Quinine is firmer but no change has been made since last report. There have been slight advances in pepper and cuttlefish bone.

DRY GOODS.—The present has been a busy week in wholesale dry goods circles owing to the withdrawals from the customs of goods which had been allowed to await the recent favorable decree. With buyers the week has also been productive of a decidedly more hopeful showing, the plentiful rain adding much cheer to the crop situation all over the Dominion. The London wool auctions which opened on Tuesday showed a decline of 8 to 10 per cent. average all round from the last closing series. This will have an effect on the woollen goods situation abroad, and will result in lower prices on carpets, clothing and such fabrics as were being raised to conform to late wool prices. Cotton is very firm and higher in price, which must show, if continued, on future purchases of all cotton goods.

EGGS.—A steadier business is noticeable with supplies of both finest and held stock commanding a small advance. We quote new laid at $13\frac{1}{2}$ c, with straight candled 12c and No. 2, 9c to 10c. Montreal retailers sell at 12c to 18c per doz., as to grade, which is a good margin in comparison with the general run of close prices.

FLOUR, FEED & MEAL.—The high price at which flour has ruled for some weeks has not, apparently, interfered with either local or export demand which have kept well up. The country had not been heavily supplied owing in part to the general expectation earlier that prices would be held down by a heavy yield of grain. Feed has reacted since the rains and is quoted \$1 lower. Flour is expected to hold its present price for some time as all statistics show a heavy falling off in the expected yield. Manitoba and

the Territories, however, will be much ahead of earlier expectations. Quotations are: Flour—Winter wheat patents, \$3.90 to \$4.25; straight rollers, \$3.85 to \$3.90; in bags, \$1.80 to \$1.85; Manitoba patents, \$5; strong bakers, \$4.40 to \$4.65. Bran, bulk, \$15; shorts, \$17; mouille, \$19 to \$22 per ton; oatmeal, \$3.30 to \$3.35; and \$1.60 to \$1.65 per bag; baled hay, No. 1, \$9.50 to \$10; No. 2, \$8.25 to \$9; clover and mixed, \$7 to \$7.50. Best timothy hay in bulk is held at \$8.75 to \$9 per load, averaging 1,500 lbs.

GREEN FRUITS, ETC.—The height of the strawberry season has gone by, the fruit paying better than in former years, owing to the higher prices offered by canners. California fruits are arriving more plentiful and meet with a good demand. Watermelons are arriving slowly, while gooseberries and other native fruit are becoming plentiful. The quotations are: —Oranges, Valencias, 420s, \$7.50 to \$8.00; ovals, boxes, 4.25; do. half boxes, \$2.75 to \$3; Messinas, \$3.25 to \$3.75; Sorrentos, \$3.50 to \$4; bloods, \$2.75 to \$3 per half box; lemons, fancy, \$3.50 to \$3.75; choice, \$2 to \$2.75; bananas, \$1.40 to \$2.50 per bunch; pineapples, 10c to 20c each; tomatoes, carriers, \$1.75 to \$2.50; Tennessee, \$1 to \$1.15 per crate; apples, \$5 per brl.; for No. 1; cocoanuts, \$3.50 per 100; strawberries, 5c to 8c; cucumbers, Southern, in bushel baskets, \$1.75 to \$2.00; mushrooms, 75c; Bermuda onions, \$2.75 per crate; cauliflowers, per dozen, \$1.50; California apricots, \$1.75 to \$2.00 per crate; peaches, \$1.75 to \$2.00 box; plums, \$1.25 to \$1.75 per box; asparagus, baskets, 90c to \$1; cabbages, per crate, large, \$1.25 to \$1.50; do. small crates, \$1; beans, \$1.50 to \$1.75. California cherries, scarce at about \$1.25 per box; Canadian do., \$1 to \$1.25; green gooseberries, 40c basket; boxes, 5c to 6c; green peas, 12 qt. baskets, 25c to 35c.

GROCERIES.—It would appear that for the later summer requirements the domestic economy of the Canadian household must be subject to an attack on the sugar question. Prices have scored another advance this week which

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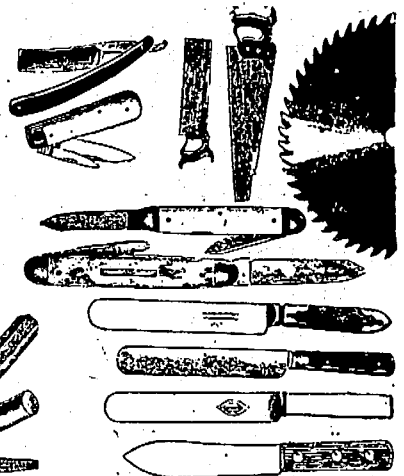
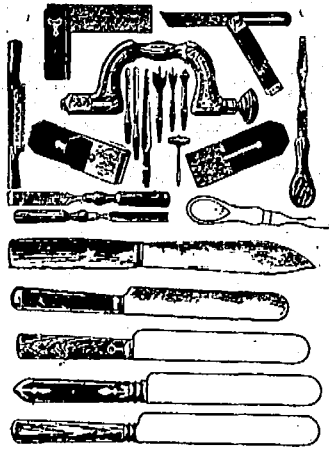
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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Supplying Coal for the Dominion Buildings," will be received at this office until Tuesday, 24th July, 1900, inclusively, for the supply of Coal for the Public Buildings throughout the Dominion.

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Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

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

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

JOS. R. ROY,

Acting Secretary.

Department of Public Works, }
 Ottawa, June 25th, 1900. }

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Pier in the Lower Division of the Harbour of Montreal," will be received at this office until Friday the 20th day of July, 1900, for the construction of a high level pier and bulkheads in the Lower Division of the Harbour of Montreal, Que.

Plans and specifications can be seen at this Department and at the offices of Henry A. Gray, Esq., Resident Engineer, Confederation Life Building, Toronto; C. Desjardins, Esq., Clerk of Works, Post Office, Montreal; Ph. Beland, Esq., Clerk of Works, Post Office, Bilingual, Quebec; E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., Resident Engineer, St. John, N. B.; and C. E. W. Dodwell, Esq., Resident Engineer, Halifax, N. S.

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An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works for fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party declines the contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

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By order,

JOS. R. ROY,

Acting Secretary.

Department of Public Works of Canada,
 Ottawa, June 26th, 1900.

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Choice dairy tub sells at 16c to 17c, and medium at 12c to 14c. Large rolls, 16c to 18c. Creamery is firm at 18c to 19c for tub and at 19c to 20c for rolls. Eggs are firm with case lots selling at 13c to 13½c. Cheese dull at 10½c in a jobbing way.

Dressed Hogs.—Offerings are small, and prices easier. Demand is limited also. Small lots \$7.50 to \$8.

Flour and Grain.—The flour market is quiet with prices lower than a week ago. Sales of 90 per cent. patents at \$3.20 west, and choice grades quoted at \$3.35. Manitoba patents dull at \$4.75 to \$5.00, and strong bakers at \$4.50 to \$4.60. Bran firm at \$12.50 west and shorts at \$14.50. Oatmeal dull at \$3.10 in bags and \$3.20 in barrels on track here. Wheat is lower. White and red winter quoted at 71c to 72c north and west, Spring at 70c to 71c east, and goose at 71c west. Manitoba No. 1 hard quoted at 92c Toronto

and west, at 89c Owen Sound and Midland, and at 85c Fort William. Barley, dull, with No. 2 quoted at 40c west. Oats steady at 28c to 28½c east for white and at 27½c west; mixed, 26½c west. Peas unchanged, with sales at 60c to 61c west, Rye, 53c to 54c outside. Corn is firm at 41c to 41½c for Canadian west, and at 49c to 50c for American on track here.

Groceries.—Trade is fair, with sugars specially active. Granulated 5c higher at \$5.08 and yellows \$4.38 to \$4.73. Teas in good demand and firm. Coffees firm. Dried fruits unchanged, with Valencia raisins, layers, 8½c to 9c. Currants, 4¾c to 5c. Canned goods steady; tomatoes, new, 90c to 95c; peas, 75c to 85c; corn, \$1.10 to \$1.15.

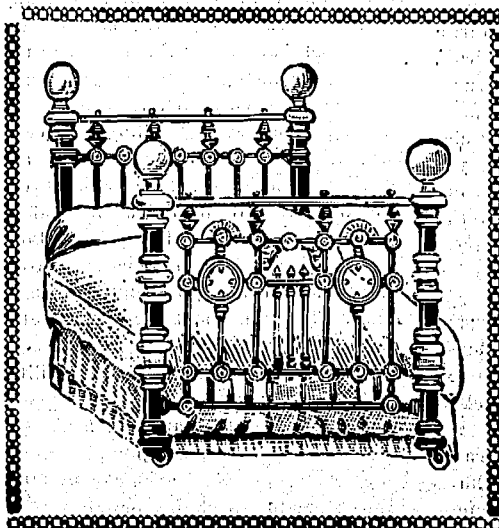
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Wool.—The wool market is a little more active offerings being liberal. Fleece 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ c to 18c, and unwashed, 10c to 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ c. Pulled supers, 19c and extras 21c to 22c.

CYCLE TRADE FIXINGS.

The Bransom, Kent & Co., Ltd., of London, England, are wholesale and export manufacturers of every description of cycle accessories for the cycle trade. Their output includes Gear Cases, Luggage Carriers, Bags, Saddles, Component Parts, Lamps, Handles, Frames, Fittings, Cyclometers, Clips, Belows, Tools and Machinery. Everything that goes to make up a perfectly equipped cycle, or that is required in its manufacture or repair can be obtained of The Bransom, Kent & Co. The completeness of their stock and reliability of their goods commend this the leading firm of the trade to all needing anything in the cycle line.

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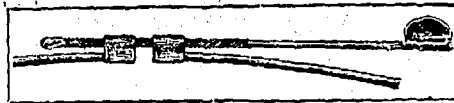
—The great building trades strike at Chicago has been settled after a struggle of twenty-two weeks. In the interval the strikers lost \$17,000,000 in wages.

—The Provincial Bank of Canada will open for business in this city on the 9th instant. The offices will be centrally located on the east side of Place d'Armes Square.

—London, Ont., will have a tobacco factory. Mr. Wigle, of Leamington, has secured a building and will expend \$20,000 in machinery, etc. Work will begin at once.

—The days of speedy travel are at hand. The Grand Trunk has placed on the track the Eastern Flyer, which runs

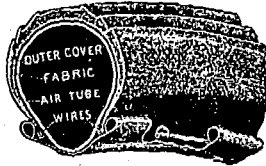
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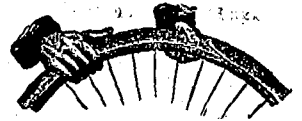
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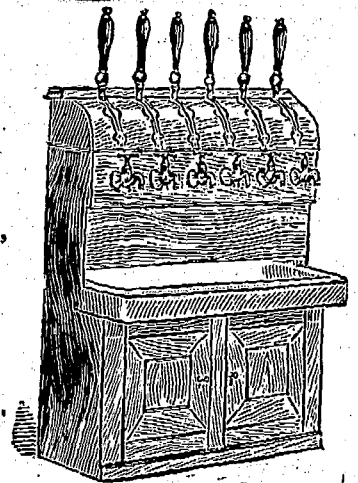
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—A Winnipeg despatch states that the provincial government has received three different offers from Chicago, New York and Eastern capitalists to build a railway from Winnipeg to Duluth, giving the government the control of rates.

—A Hamilton letter refers to the presence in that city of Mr. C. T. Grant-ham, of the new Imperial Cotton Company, who has the plans for the large works to be built there, and tenders for construction work will shortly be called for. When the works are in full swing nearly 400 hands will be employed.

—The city of Brantford, Ont., is

about to spend \$25,000 in the further prevention of floods on the Grand River at that point. Some \$75,000 has already been expended in this endeavor. The G.T.R. Company has been asked to consider the feasibility of adding another span to the bridge there with the view of assisting the matter.

—Many of the American transatlantic steamship lines have announced a lowering of rates to the winter schedule to go into effect August 1st, instead of October 1st, as is usual. This has been brought about, it is alleged, through lack of the amount of travel expected through the Paris Exposition. The lines by the St. Lawrence route have deemed no such move necessary, being favored to the full capacity.

MONTREAL WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT—THURSDAY, JULY 5, 1900.

Name of Article.	Wholesale	Name of Article.	Wholesale	Name of Article.	Wholesale	Name of Article.	Wholesale
Farm Products.		Grain.		Molasses (Barbados)		Vermicelli, Canadian	
Butter: Choicest Cr.....	0 19 0 20 1/2	New No. 1 Hard, Ft. Will	0 00 0 88	Porto Rico.....	0 38 0 39	Macaroni, ".....	0 05 0 06
Under grades Cr.....	0 18 0 19 1/2	" " 2.....	0 00 0 85 1/2	Evaporated Apples, New,	0 00 0 00	" Italian.....	0 05 0 06
Choicest to fine.....	0 00 0 00	No. 1 Northern do	0 00 0 85 1/2	do do Old.	0 07 0 07 1/2		0 10 0 13
Townships Dairy.....	0 18 0 15 1/2	" 2.....	0 00 0 82 1/2				
Western.....	0 16 0 00	Oats, sfloat.....	0 31 1/2 0 31 1/2	Raisins:		Peel—Citron.....	0 14 0 16
Good to choice.....	0 14 0 15	Barley, No. 1.....	0 00 0 50	Sultanas.....	0 05 0 05	Orange.....	0 11 0 13
Fresh Rolls.....	0 00 0 00	" No. 2.....	0 00 0 49	Loose Musc. Malaga.....	0 08 0 08 1/2	Lemon.....	0 10 0 12
CHEESE:		Paas, per 60 lbs.....	0 70 0 70 1/2	Layers, London.....	1 50 1 75		
Finest West.....	0 09 1/2 0 10	Rye.....	0 65 0 66	Con. Cluster.....	2 20 2 30	Chocolate	
White.....	0 09 1/2 0 09 1/2	Groceries.		Extra Dessert.....	2 76 0 00	Vanilla, vel. wrap, 24 x 1/4 lb	0 34 0 36
Eggs: Select new.....	0 13 1/2 0 00	Tea, (Ht. Chest & Cad.)..		Royal Bucking'm.....	3 60 0 00	do Chamols do do	0 43 0 48
Straight candled.....	0 12 1/2 0 00	Japan, com. to med., B.	0 00 0 16	Valencia.....	0 00 0 07 1/2	do Pink do do	0 50 0 55
No. 2.....	0 10 0 00	" good med. to fine..	0 17 0 19	" Selected.....	0 00 0 09	do Blue do do	0 58 0 66
Lard: N. Y. State, per lb.	0 14 0 15	" choicest.....	0 26 1/2 0 26	Currants, Provincials.....	0 04 1/2 0 05	Trlp, Van. Green do do	0 50 0 56
Pacific Coast, ".....	0 14 0 14 1/2	" fancy.....	0 06 1/2 0 08	Fillatras.....	0 04 1/2 0 07	do do Lilac do do	0 58 0 66
Canadian.....	0 12 1/2 0 19	" dust.....	0 06 1/2 0 08	Patras.....	0 06 1/2 0 07 1/2	do do Bronze do do	0 65 0 74
German.....	0 12 1/2 0 19	Y. Hyson, com. to good..	0 15 0 20	Vostizzas.....	0 07 1/2 0 08 1/2	do do White do do	0 73 0 92
English.....	0 30 0 09	" fine to finest, B.	0 30 0 45	Prunes.....	0 09 1/2 0 09 1/2	Unsweet'd blue prem do	0 39 0 42
British Columbia.....	0 18 0 26	Gunpowder, Moyune.....	0 22 0 25	Figs in bags.....	0 08 0 10	Starch:	
Meat Products:		" good.....	0 25 0 35	new layers.....	0 15 0 25	Can. Laundry.....	0 04 1/2 0 00
Bacon, smoked, per lb.	0 10 0 14	Pingney med to good..	0 15 0 16	Dates.....	0 25 0 35	Silver Gloss.....	0 00 0 07 1/2
Hams, city cured, ".....	0 11 0 13 1/2	" fine to finest.....	0 19 0 23	Sh. Almonds, bxs.....	0 18 1/2 0 14	Benson's Prep. Corn..	0 00 0 06 1/2
" Canvassed.....	0 30 0 00	Oolong.....	0 28 0 42	S. S. Tarragona.....	0 05 0 06	" Sat. Chr. label..	0 07 1/2 0 00
Pork Ca. a.c. per bbl.	18 00 19 00	Congou, common.....	0 10 0 16	Walnuts.....	0 00 0 08 1/2	Can. Pure Corn.....	0 60 0 05 1/2
do mess.....	17 00 18 00	" good common.....	0 17 0 20	" Grenoble.....	0 13 0 14	No. 1 Wh. blue 48 lb.	0 05 1/2 0 00
Dressed Hogs, light.....	0 00 0 00	" med. to good.....	0 22 0 27 1/2	" Filberts.....	0 12 0 15	Vinegar: less 10 p.c. dis.	0 33 0 00
" heavy.....	0 00 0 00	" fine to finest.....	0 32 0 35	Spices: Cassia..... mata	0 12 0 15	Imp Trlp.....	0 28 0 00
Lard, per lb Can pure..	0 09 1/2 0 10	Indian.....	0 16 0 28	" Mace..... chests	0 90 1 20	Coyal Pickling.....	0 23 0 00
" Com. Refined.....	0 07 1/2 0 08 1/2	Darjeelings.....	0 35 0 45	Cloves.....	0 15 0 16	Crystal Pickling.....	0 25 0 00
GRAINS:		Ceylon.....	0 15 0 35	Nutmegs.....	0 50 1 00	W. W. XXX.....	0 20 0 00
Oatmeal, per 100 lbs.....	0 10 0 10	Coffee, Mocha (green)....	0 25 0 26	Jamaica ginger, bl.....	0 07 0 14	W. W. X.....	0 17 0 00
Flax 55 lbs.....	1 60 2 00	Java.....	0 23 0 25	" unbl.....	0 08 0 10	Pure Malt.....	0 45 0 00
Fall Rye.....	0 75 0 90	Maracaibo.....	0 17 1/2 0 19 1/2	African.....	0 08 0 10	Cider X.....	0 17 0 00
Millet.....	0 75 0 90	Jamaica.....	0 17 1/2 0 19 1/2	Pimento.....	0 17 0 19	" XXX.....	0 27 0 00
Hungarian.....	0 75 0 90	Rio.....	0 10 0 15	Pepper, Black.....	0 25 0 27	Soap: Best Laundry.....	0 05 0 05
SUNDRIES:		Plantation Ceylon.....	0 27 0 29	" White.....	0 25 0 27	Common.....	0 02 1/2 0 04
Potatoes, per bag.....	0 40 0 40	Chicory.....	0 06 0 11	Mustard, 4 lb jar, Eng..	0 72 0 75	Matches: Telegraph.....	4 00 4 20
Honey, White Clov., Comb.	0 14 0 15	Canadian do.....	0 00 0 06	" 1 lb.....	0 23 0 25 1/2	Telephone.....	4 00 4 20
" Extracted.....	0 08 0 10	Sugars: Factory.		" 4 lb jars, Cana.....	0 85 0 70	" Tiger.....	4 00 4 20
Beeswax.....	0 25 0 30	Ex Granulated, bris.....	0 00 4 90	" 1 lb.....	0 82 0 84	Parlor, 200's.....	0 00 0 00
Beans: prime.....	1 00 1 65	German gran'd.....	0 06 0 00	Rice, C. C.....	0 00 3 15	Diamond Jubilee.....	0 00 4 50
do. Best hand picked....	1 70 1 75	Ex Ground, in bris.....	0 00 5 75	" standard B.....	0 00 3 25	Walkerville.....	1 70 1 85
Sugar Maple.....	0 08 0 10	" in bxs.....	0 00 5 75	" Fatna..... \$ 100 lb.	0 04 0 05	Washboards:	
Syrup Maple, wine gals.	0 70 0 75	Powdered, in bris.....	0 00 5 20	" Burmah.....	4 00 4 25	Royal Lily.....	1 60 0 00
Imperial gal.....	0 80 0 85	" boxes.....	0 00 5 55	" Crystal Japan.....	5 00 5 25	do Rose.....	1 60 0 00
		Paris Lumpa, in bris.....	0 00 5 55	" Caroline..... \$ 100 lb	5 75 5 75	Glob.....	1 85 0 00
		" half bris.....	0 00 5 55	Tapoca, Pearl.....	0 00 0 05 1/2	Improved Globe.....	1 60 0 00
		" 100-lb bxs.....	0 00 5 55	" Flake.....	0 00 0 04 1/2		
		" 50-lb bxs.....	0 00 5 55	Gelatine, 1 qt pk.....	1 15 0 00		
		Branded Yellows.....	4 20 4 70	" 1/2 qt pk.....	1 75 0 00		
				" 2 qt pks.....	2 30 0 00		

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Class.	\$ c. \$ c.	Salt—Continued.	\$ c. \$ c.	Capstan Cigarettes, 10s. 50s.	\$ c. \$ c.	Ports—	\$ c. \$ c.
United Inches, 00 to 25.....	0 00 2 00	Special Dairy, per brl.	2 00 2 50	Gold Flake, 10s, 50s.....	0 15 0 75	Tarragona.....	1 10 1 50
do 25 to 40.....	0 00 2 10	quarters	0 45 0 50	Three Castles, 10s, 50s.....	0 20 1 00	Sandeman.....	2 00 6 00
do 41 to 50.....	0 00 4 50	Spl Cheese Salt p bag 200lb	1 25 1 50	Gold Tip, 50s, 100s.....	1 25 2 50	Warter & May's Ports gal.	2 10 5 50
do 51 to 60.....	0 00 4 50	Turk's Island per bush.....	0 80 0 85	Gerth's Smoking, per lb.....	0 00 1 50	Sherries—Per artin	2 00 5 50
Paints, &c.		Tobacco—Cut Smoking.		Wool.		Wisdom & Warter's Sherries.....per gal.....	2 00 5 50
Lead pure 50 to 100 lb. kgs.	0 00 6 75	No. 1 Black Chewing, cad.	0 50 0 55	Fleece.....	0 16 0 17	Clarets—	
do No. 1.....	0 00 5 37 1/2	No. 2 do	0 50 0 00	do clothing.....	0 00 0 00	St. Julien.....	2 50 2 50
do No. 2.....	0 00 5 00	Old Chum, in pkg., 10s and	0 00 0 82	Tab Wash.....	0 00 0 00	Barton & Guestier.....	4 00 25 00
do No. 3.....	0 00 5 62 1/2	12s	0 00 0 82	Fulled, combing.....	0 00 0 00	Nat. Johnson & Sons.....	4 00 25 00
White Lead dry.....	5 50 5 80	Old Chum, in tins, lbs. and	0 00 0 82	do super.....	0 00 0 00	J. Calvet & Co.....	4 50 40 00
Red Lead.....	5 00 5 80	1/2s	0 00 0 82	do extra.....	0 00 0 00	Champagnes—	
Venetian Red Eng'h.....	1 50 1 75	Old Chum, 1-8 tins.....	0 00 0 95	B. A. Scoured.....	0 38 0 43	Fomery, Fils & Co.....	28 00 80 00
Yel. Ochre, French.....	1 25 3 00	Puritan, in pgs., 1-11s.....	0 00 0 85	Natal.....	0 20 0 24	G. H. Mumm.....	28 00 30 00
Whiting, ordinary.....	0 45 0 50	do 1/4 lb. tins.....	0 00 0 85	Cape, greasy.....	0 18 0 22	Perrier, Jouet & Co.....	28 00 30 00
do Gliders.....	0 50 0 70	do 1 lb. tins.....	0 00 0 83	do cleaned.....	0 00 0 00	Brandies—	
do Paris, do	0 85 1 00	Cut Cavendish, in pkg., 1-10s	0 00 0 80	Australian greasy.....	0 00 0 00	Hennessy .gal.	7 00 8 50
English Cement, caak.....	2 40 2 40	Durham, in bags, 1-12s and	0 00 1 00	California.....	0 15 0 20	1 Star.....cases	12 75 14 00
Belgian Cement.....	1 95 2 20	1-6s.....	0 00 1 00	Waste.		Scotch Whiskeys	
Fire Bricks per 1000.....	17 00 24 00	Durham, 1 lb. drums.....	0 00 1 00	No. 1, White Cotton.....	0 07 0 08	Dewars Scotch extra spec.	9 25 9 50
Fire Clay.....	1 50 1 75	Ritchie's Navy Cut, 1-5 tins.	0 00 1 05	" 2, " ".....	0 06 0 07	Spl. Liqueur.....	12 25 12 50
Rosin.....	2 75 4 50	do Smoking Mixture,	0 00 0 96	" 3, " ".....	0 04 0 05	Extra spl. Liqueur.....	16 25 16 50
Glue:		1/4 tins.....	0 00 0 96	No. 1, Colored Cotton.....	0 04 0 05	Gin—	
Domestic Broken Sheet.....	0 13 0 15	Ritchie's Smoking Mixture,	0 00 0 80	" 2, " ".....	0 04 0 05	De Kuyper red cases.....	0 00 11 25
French Casks.....	0 11 0 12	1-10s.....	0 00 0 69	" 3, " ".....	0 03 0 04	do green do.....	0 00 5 85
do brls.....	0 00 0 14	Unique, 1-15 pgs.....	0 00 0 69	Wines, Liquors, &c.		do hnds.....	3 00 3 15
American White, brls.....	0 16 0 20	do in pgs., 1 lb.....	0 00 0 61	Ale—English.....	2 50 2 55	Irish Whisky—	
Coopers' Blue.....	0 20 0 25	do in pgs., 1/2 lb.....	0 00 0 60	pts	1 62 1 67 1/2	Geo Roe & Co. 1 star, qts	9 50 0 00
Golden Ochre.....	0 04 0 10	O. K. Mixture, in pgs., 15s.	0 00 0 61	Porter—		do do 3 stars, qts	9 70 10 50
Brunswick Green.....	0 04 0 10	Plug Tobaccos—		Dublin Stout.....qts	2 40 2 45	John Jamieson & Co.....	9 50 11 50
French Imperial Green.....	0 12 0 16	Ritchie's Derby Smoking,	0 00 0 63	do do.....pts	1 57 1 62 1/2	Angostura Bitters, per	14 50 15 00
Vermillionette.....	0 12 0 40	Solace, 3s, 6s and 10s.....	0 00 0 63	Spirits Canadian—per gal.		case of 2 doz.....	4 00 4 25
Genuine Quicksilver.....	0 90 0 95	Ritchie's Old Virginia Smok-	0 00 0 70	Alcohol.....50, O. F.	4 50 4 60	Banagher Irish Whisky, qts	9 75 10 25
No. 1 Furnit'e Varn'h, pr. gal	0 65 0 70	ing Twigs, 3/4s.....	0 00 0 70	Spirits.....50, O. F.	4 05 4 15	do do per gal	4 00 4 25
a do do	0 75 0 75	Old Virginia Solace, 3/4s.....	0 00 0 70	do.....25, U. F.	2 20 2 30	Watson's Old Irish, qts, prcs	6 75 7 75
Brown Japan.....	0 50 0 75	Ritchie's Old Chum Chewing	0 00 0 67	Club Whisky.....U. F.	8 50 8 50	do do pts per ca.	7 75 8 75
Black Japan.....	0 50 0 75	Solace, Thick and Thin 1/2,	0 00 0 67	Corby's IXL Rye, qts	6 00 6 50	Canadian Wines	
Orange Shellac, No. 1.....	1 70 1 80	do Thin 1/2.....	0 00 0 67	" XTC.....	gal. 2, 202, 30	Golden Dlans, qts.....	5 00 0 00
do do Pure.....	1 90 2 00	Standard, 9 1-3s, 6 lb. cads.	0 00 0 67	Rye Whisky.....	cases gal.	Fine Old Port.....	5 00 1 25
White do.....	0 25 0 40	do Thin 1/2.....	0 00 0 67	Claret		Niagara.....	5 00 1 25
Putty Bulk 100 lb. brl.....	0 00 1 05	W. D. & H. O. Wills.	0 00 0 50	Burgundy.....	4 50 1 00	Burgundy.....	4 50 1 00
Parisgreen in drum 1 lb pk.	0 18 0 19 1/2	(E. A. Gerth, agent.)	0 00 0 50	Claret.....	4 50 1 00	Dry Ooncord.....	4 50 1 00
Salt.		Westward Ho, 1/2 lb. tins.....	0 00 0 50	Canadian Wines			
Liverpool per bag.....	0 40 0 45	Meridian (Cavendish) 1/2 lb.	0 00 0 75	Golden Dlans, qts.....	5 00 0 00		
Canadian, in small bags.....	2 10 3 00	Traveller.....	0 00 0 50	Fine Old Port.....	5 00 1 25		
Canadian, Quarters.....	0 27 0 50	Three Castles.....	0 00 0 50	Niagara.....	5 00 1 25		
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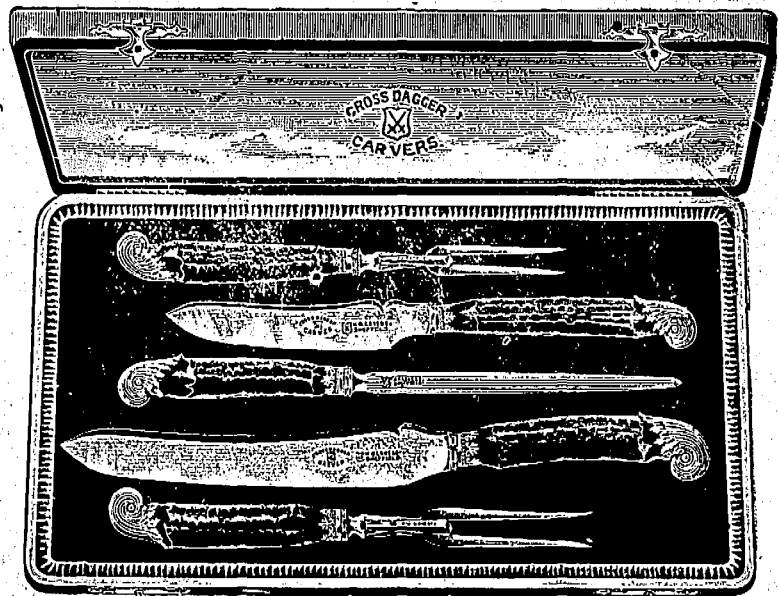
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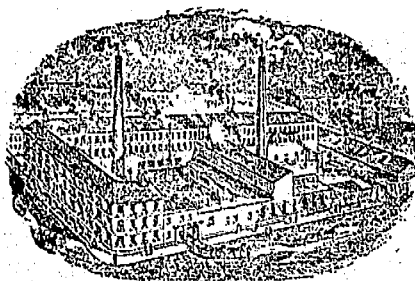
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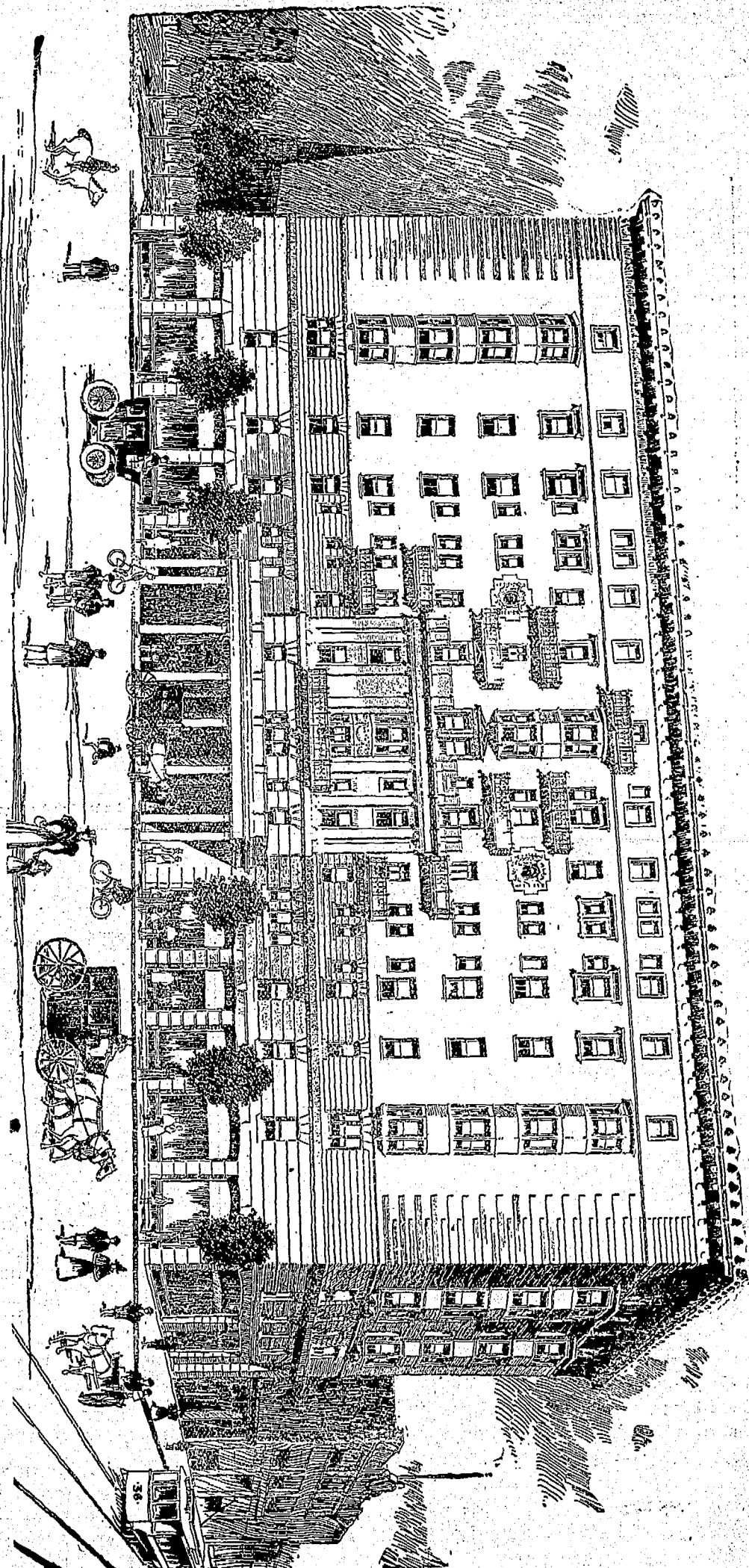
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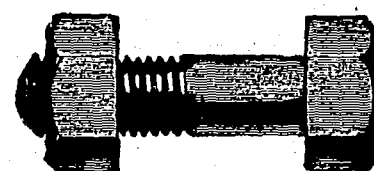
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—The Kingston, Ont., smelter by-law was carried by 1,110 to 64. The vote carries with it an obligation on the part of the city to provide a site at an expenditure of \$9,000 for the works, and fifteen yearly payments of \$4,000 each. No money is to be paid till the works are in operation, which means that at least \$150,000 shall be expended by the company in building and plant before any money is received from

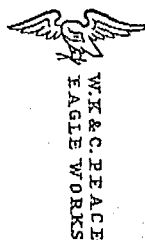
Kingston. The site is controlled by private citizens, who hold a bond from the company indemnifying them against loss in case the enterprise should not go on.

—A memorandum has been issued by the Customs Department, Ottawa, requesting importers to show the total numbers as well as the weights of cigars and cigarettes on each customs entry, beginning on July 1st. It has been the custom to mention only the weight of cigars or cigarettes in the customs entry, but this gave slight information to the trade. The new regulation will result in the tabulation of specific details with respect to im-

portations. The following official notification of the 33 1-3 per cent. reduction under the British preferential tariff has been sent to collectors of customs: "Goods entitled to entry in Canada under the British preferential tariff of 1898 shall be subject to a reduction of one-third of the duty (instead of one-fourth as heretofore) when such goods are entered for duty or taken out of warehouse for consumption on and after July 1, 1900." The following addition is made to the free list in the customs tariff, 1897: "Machinery of a class not made in Canada, when imported exclusively for use in factories for the manufacture of beet root sugar."

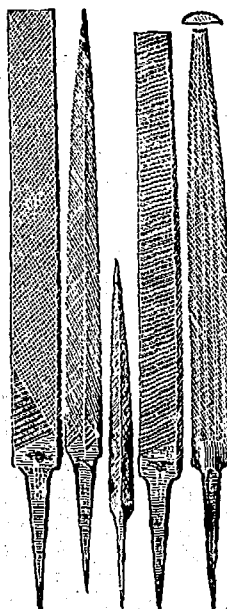
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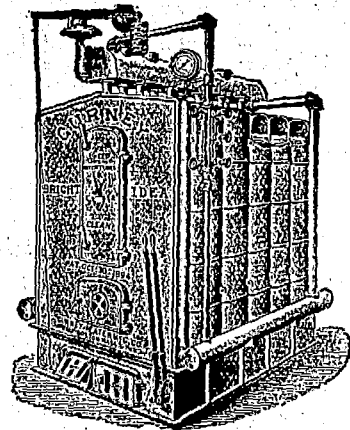
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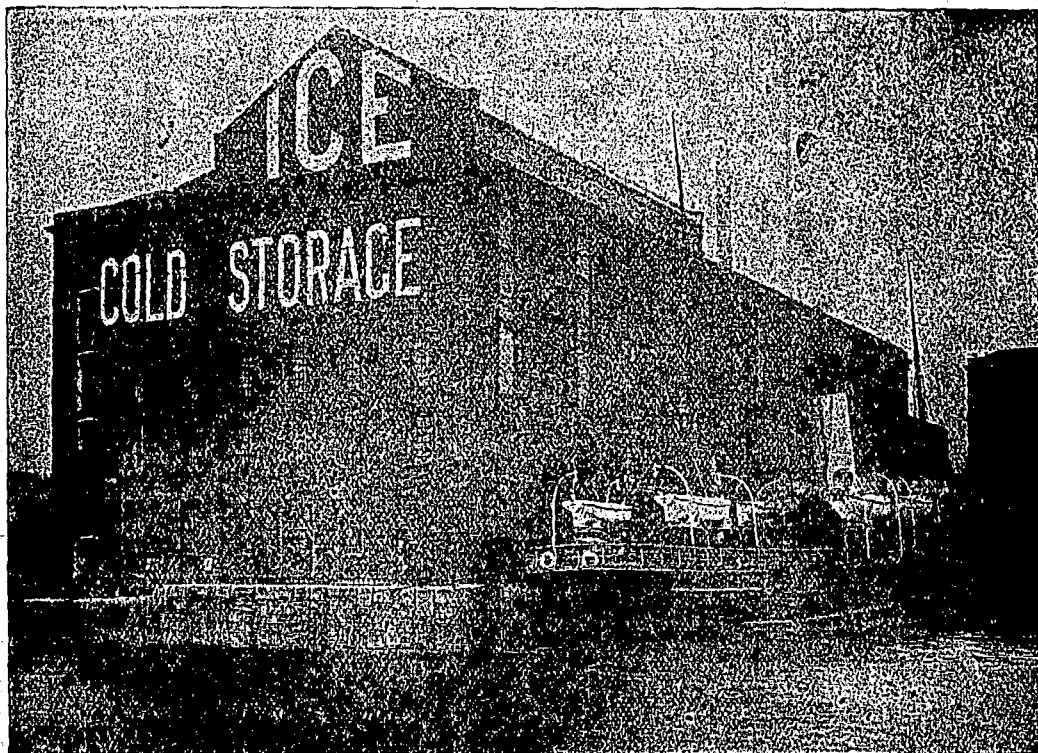
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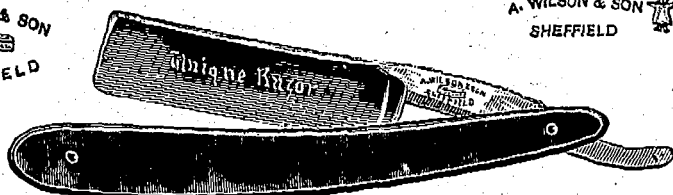
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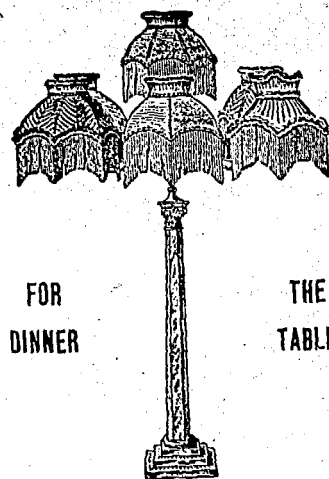
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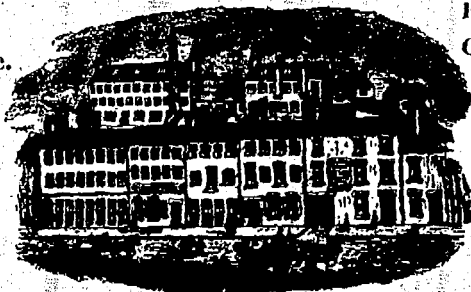
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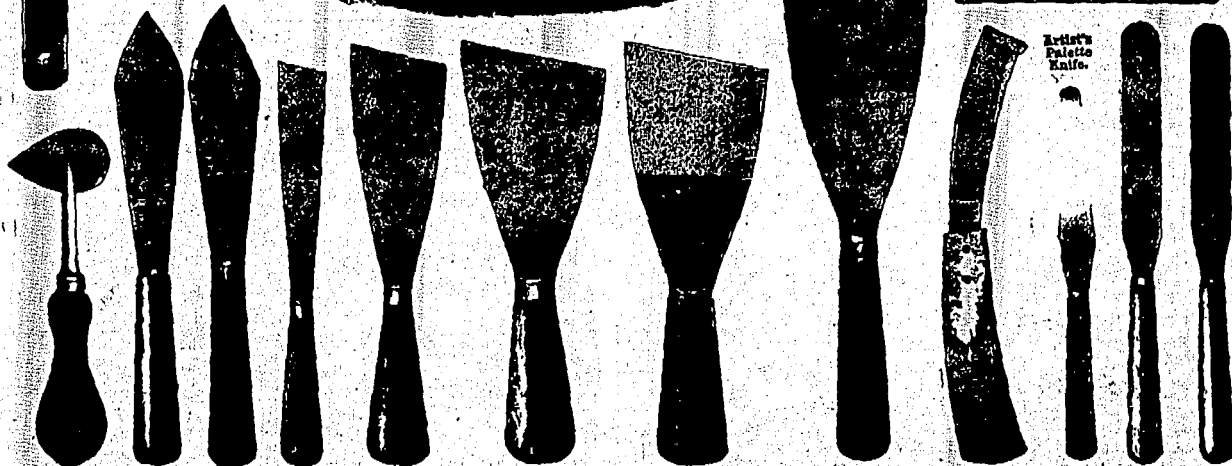
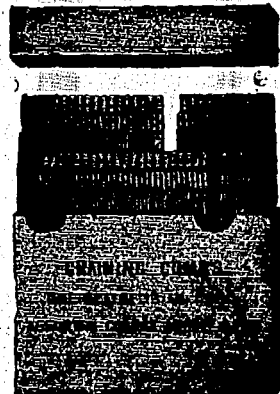
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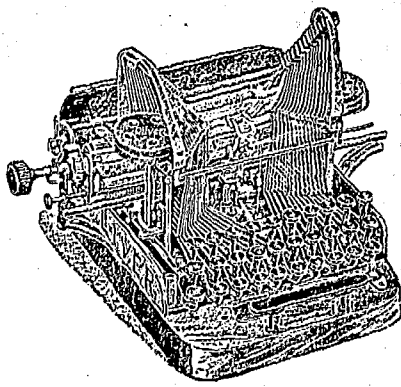
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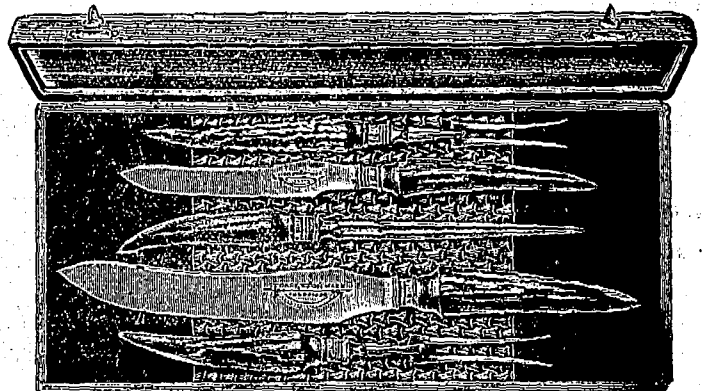
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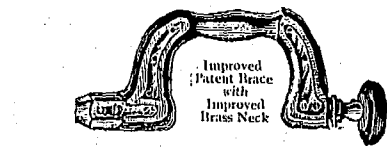
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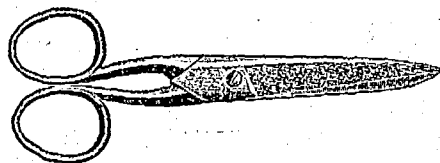
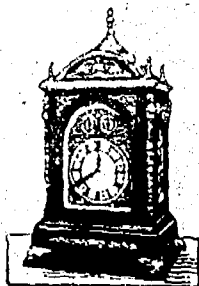
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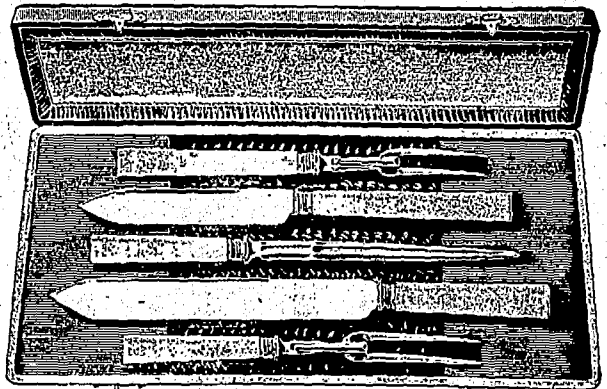
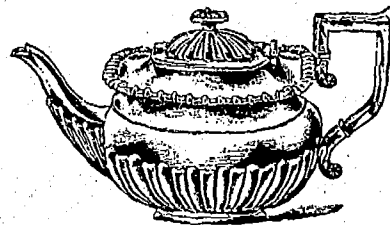
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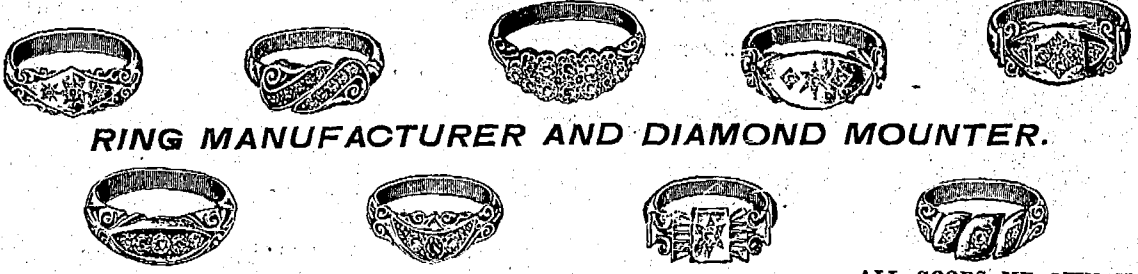
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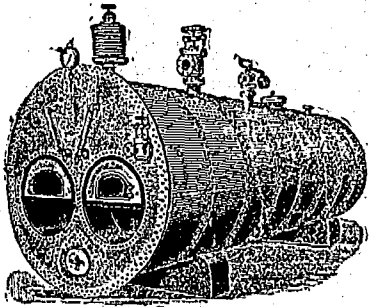
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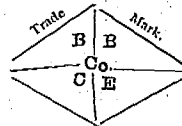
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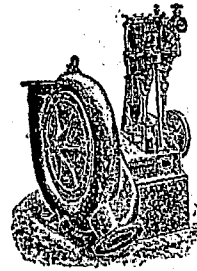
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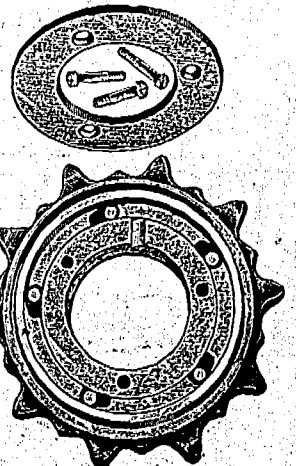
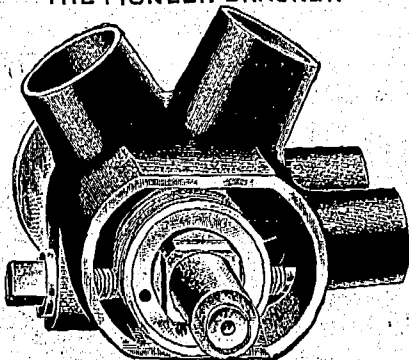
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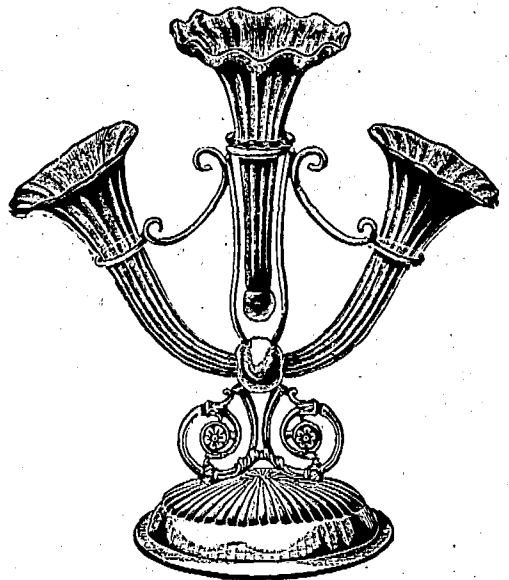
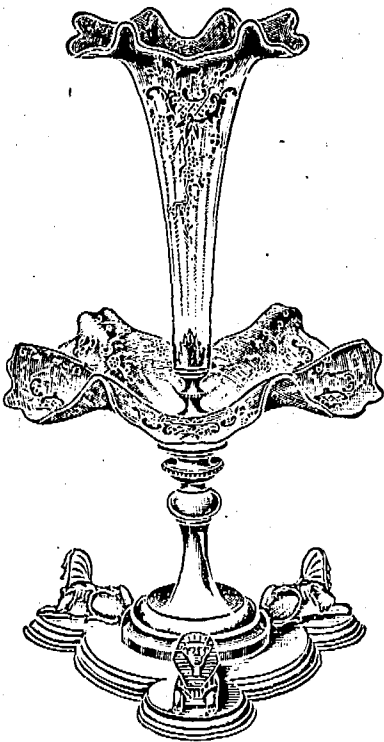
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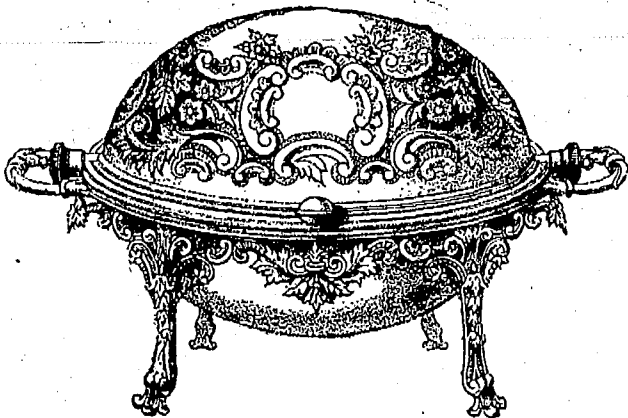


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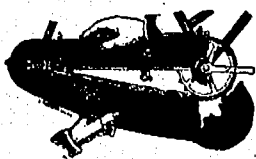
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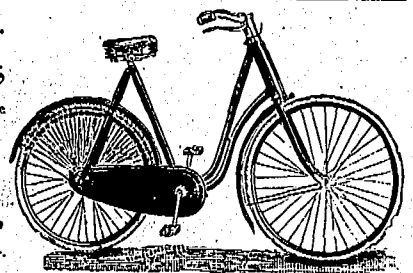
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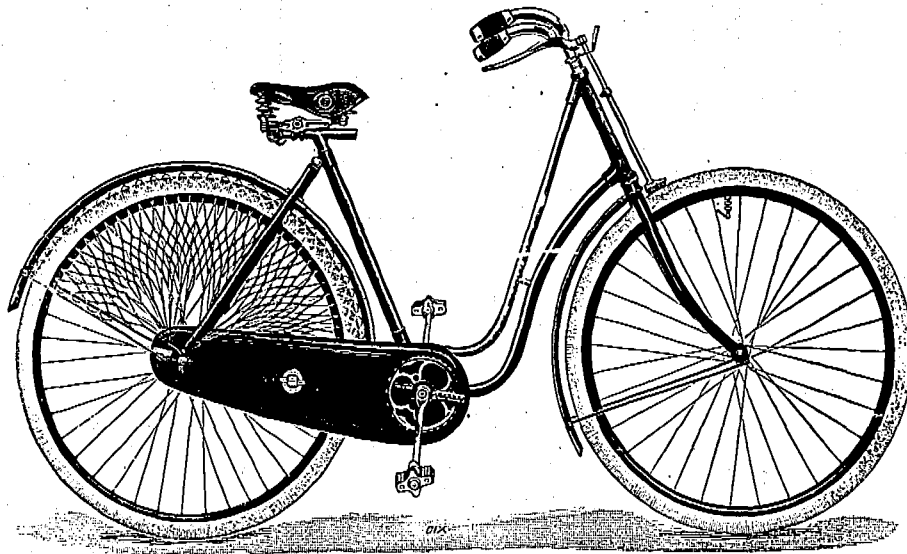
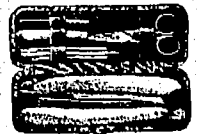
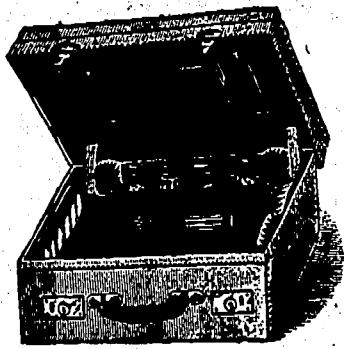
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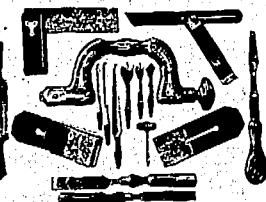
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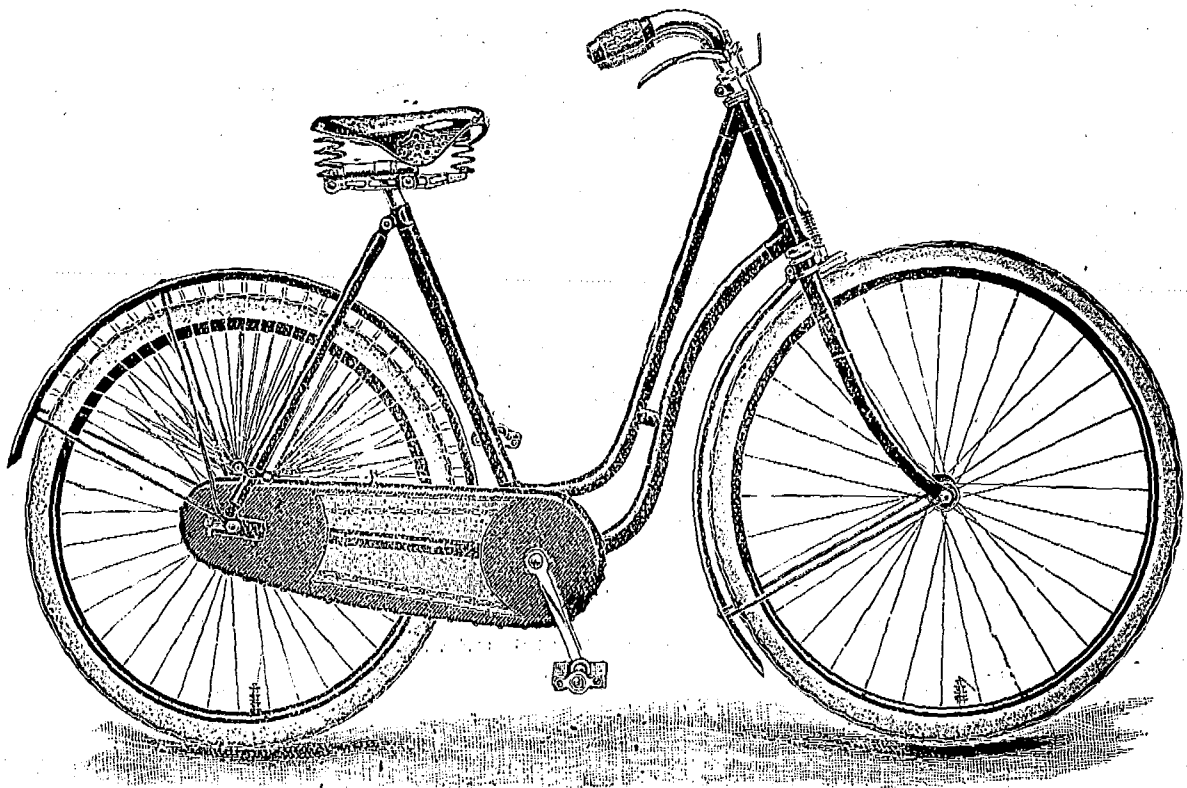
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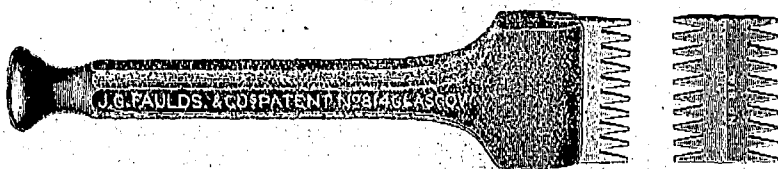


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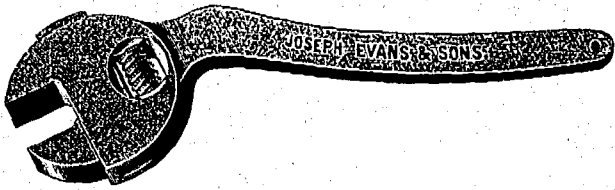


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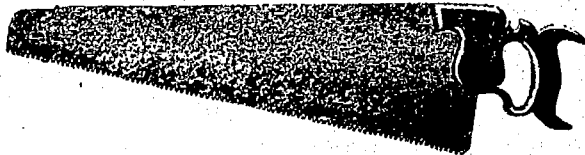
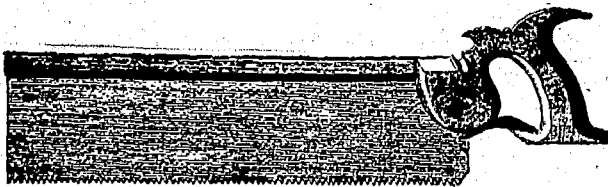
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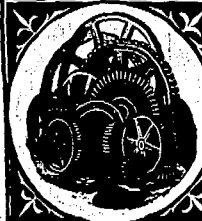


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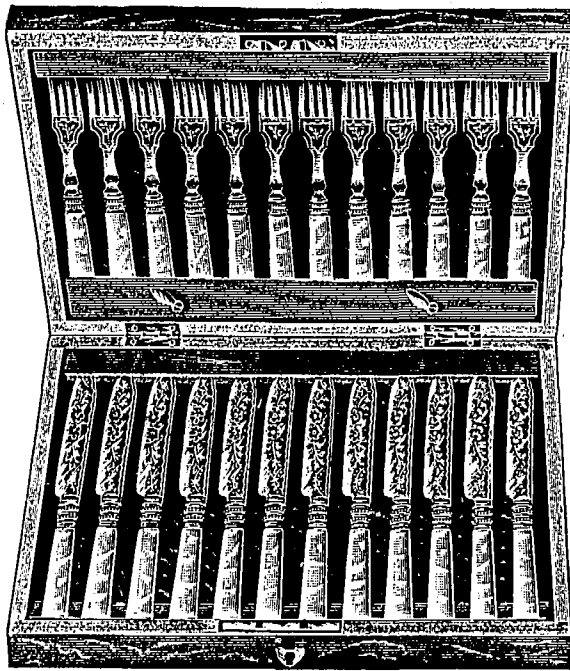


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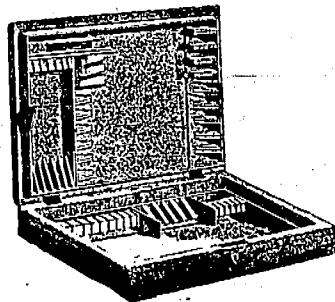
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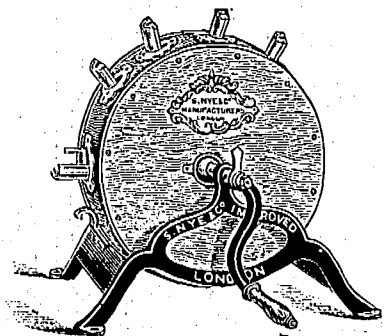
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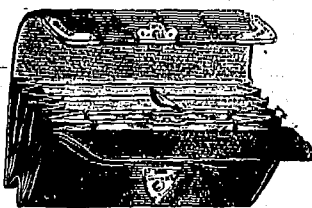
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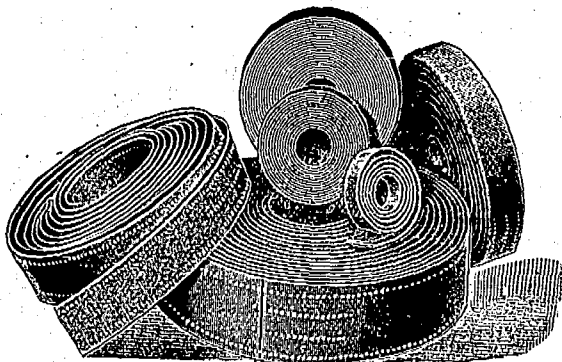
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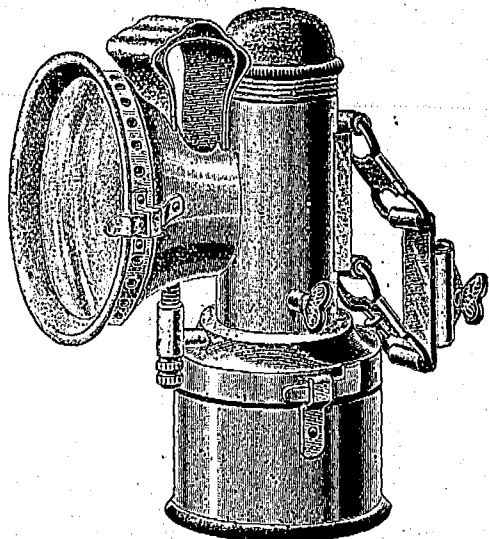


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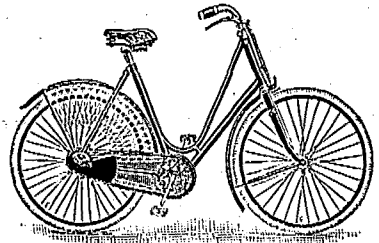
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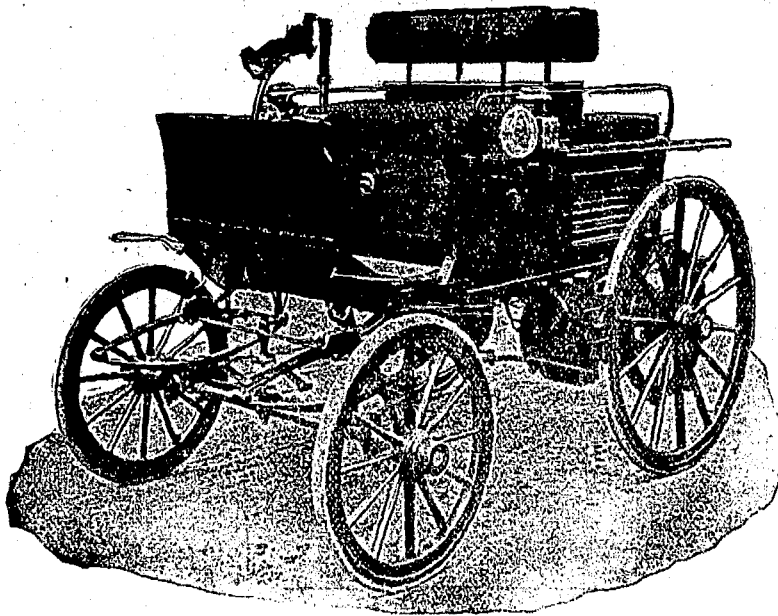
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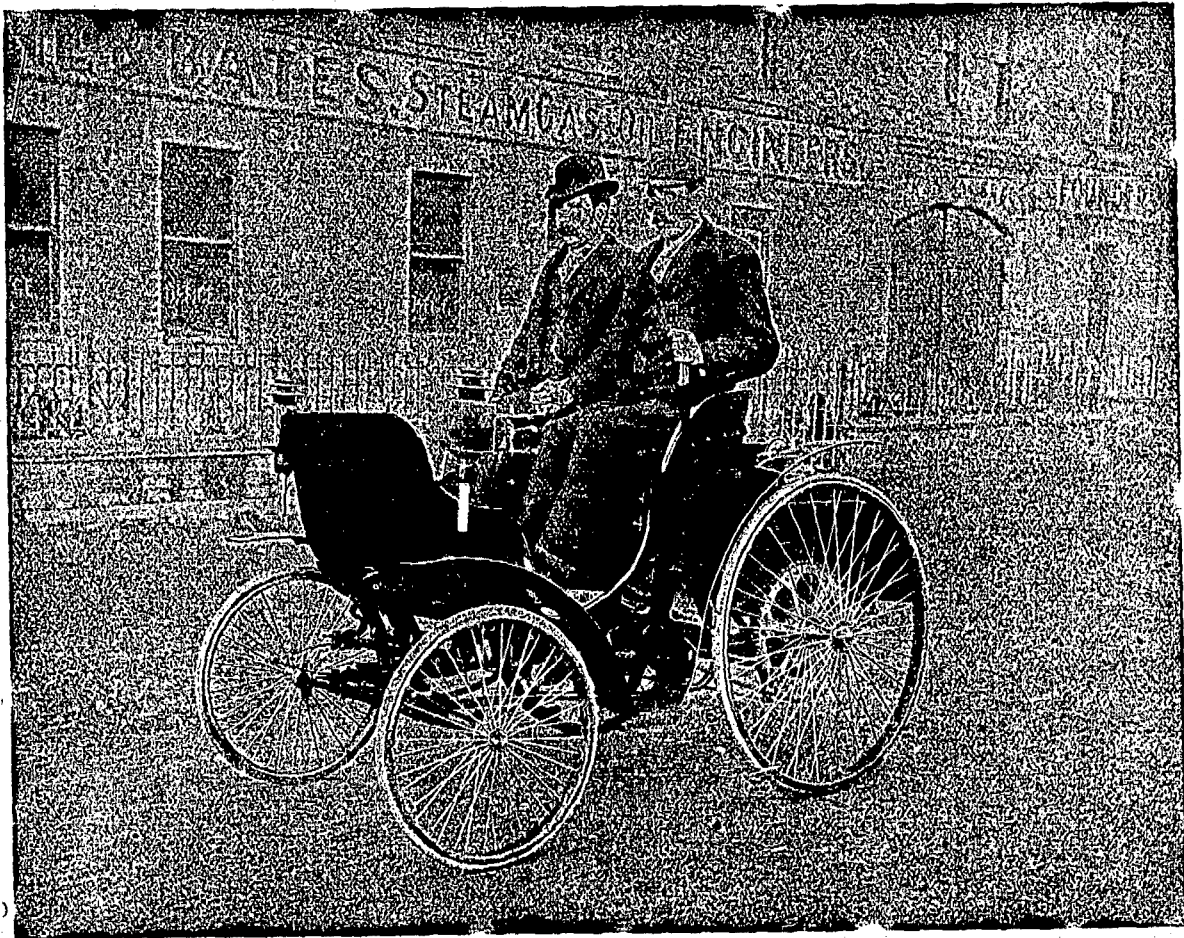
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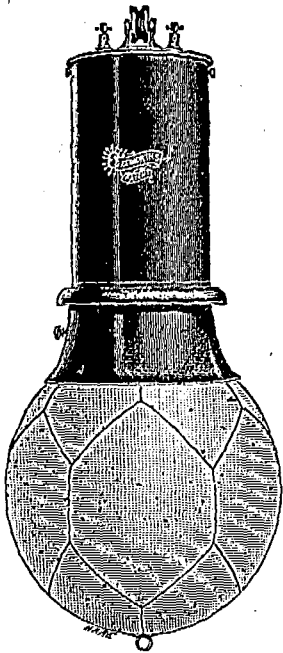


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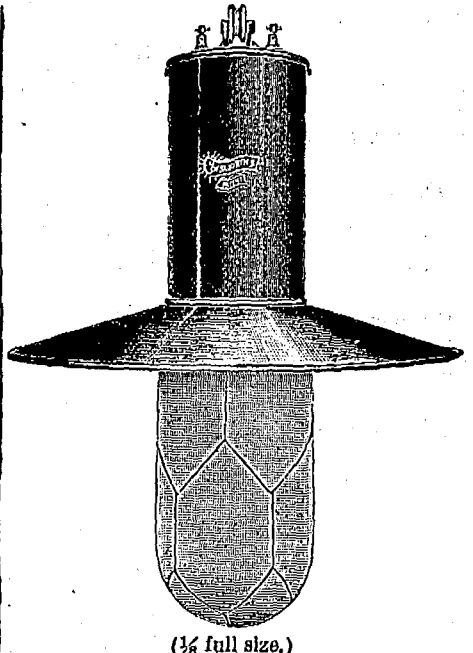


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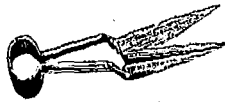
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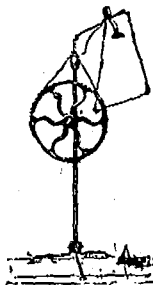
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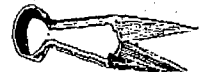
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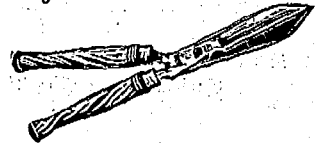
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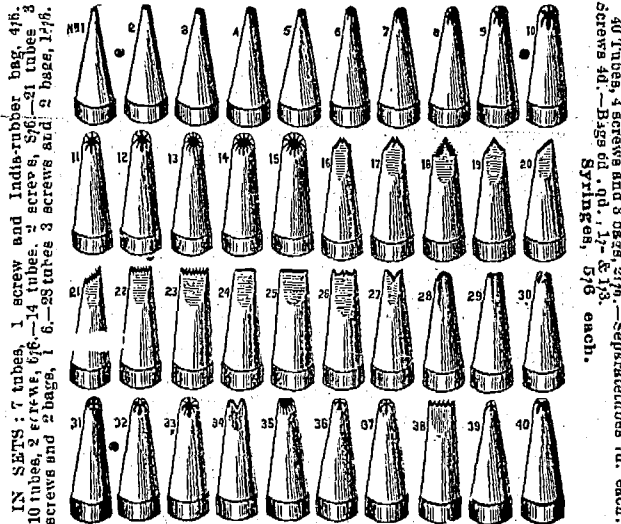
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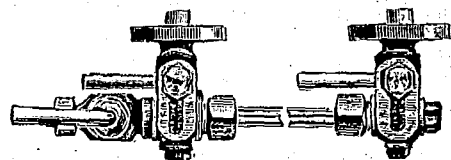
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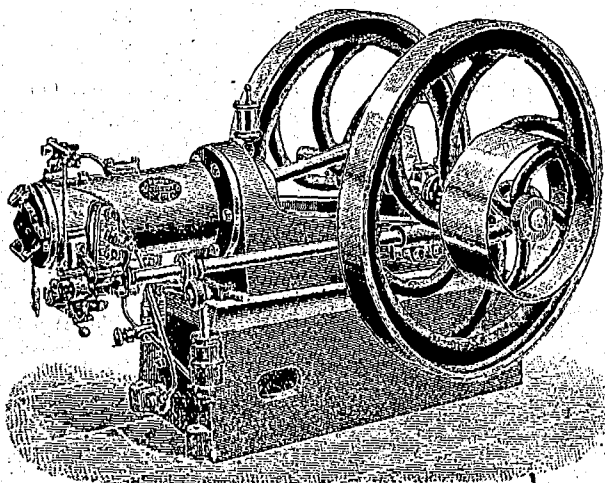
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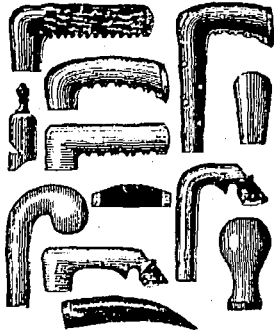
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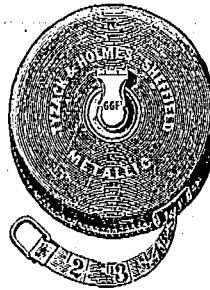
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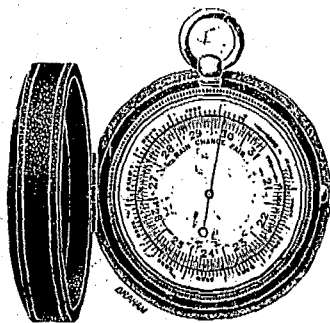
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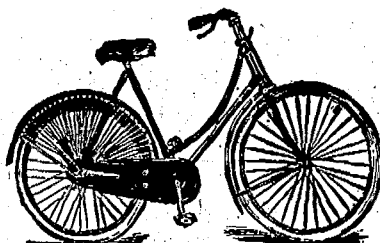
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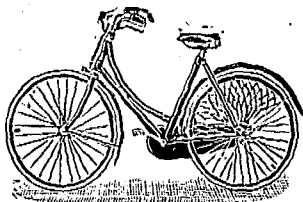
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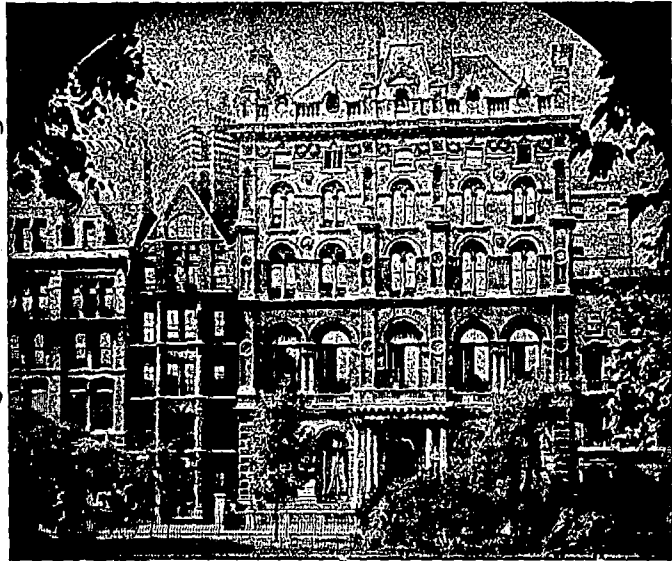
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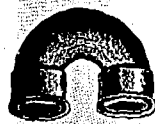
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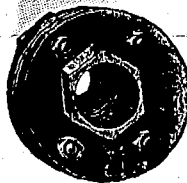
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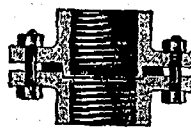
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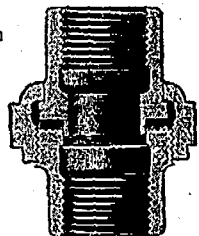
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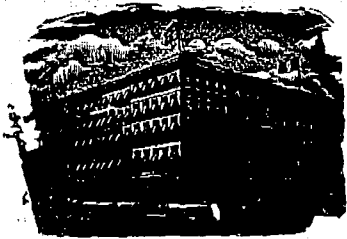
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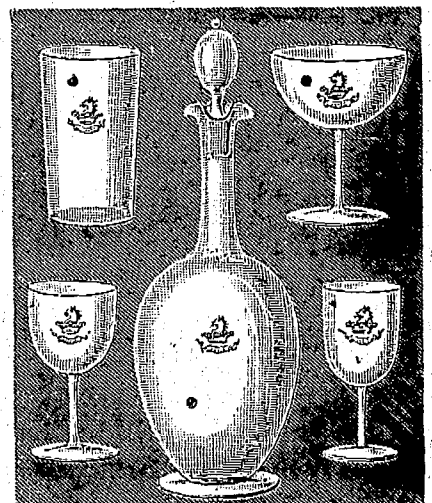
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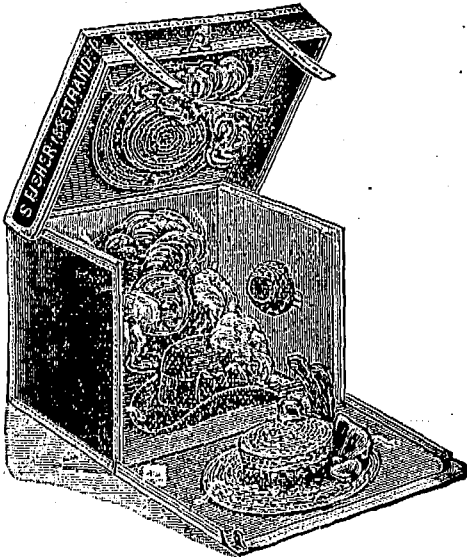
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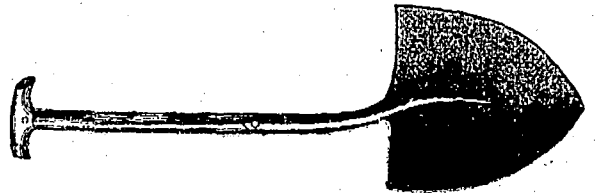
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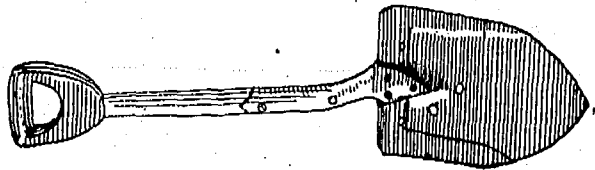
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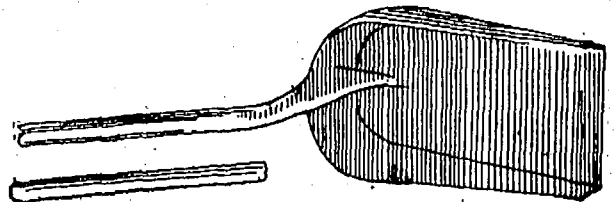
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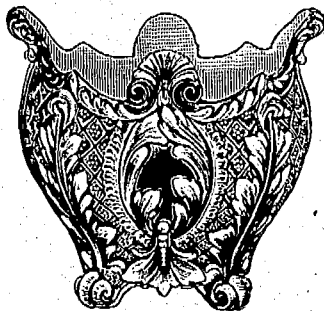
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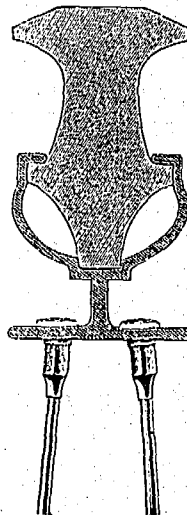
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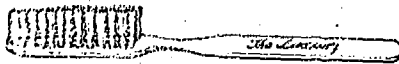
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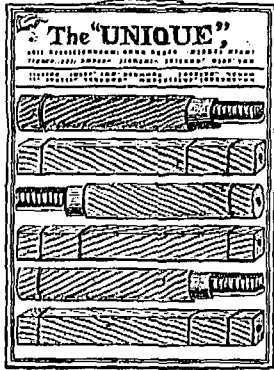


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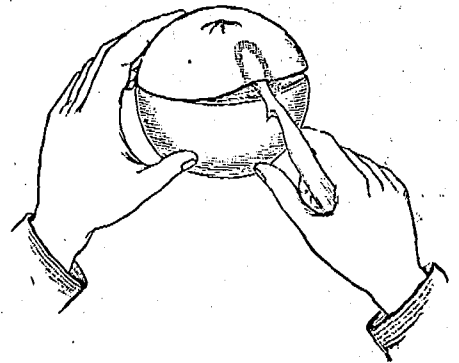
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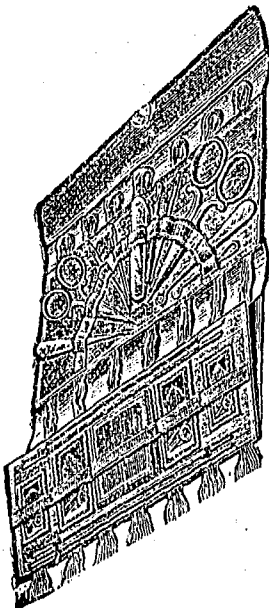
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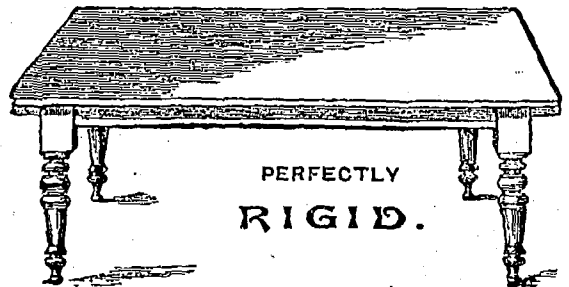
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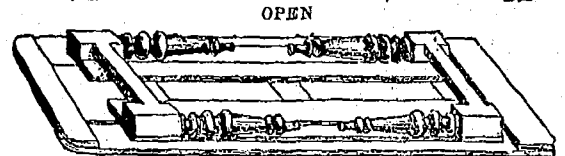
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Liabilities other than Reserve.....	1,623,951
Surplus.....	15,089,823
Receipts from all sources.....	41,953,145
Payments to Policy-holders.....	20,835,472
Whole Life Risks assumed and renewed, 219,308 policies....	637,726,376
Risks in force, 273, 213 policies, amounting to.....	802,507,478

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Capital Stock, - - - - - 3,264,302.15

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1. Increase in CASH PREMIUMS PAID..... 148 per cent.
2. Increase in New Business issued 43 "
3. Increase in Business in Force..... 85 "

NOTE—Decrease in amt. of Death Claims 200 "

All Life Insurance Companies in Canada combined

made the following increases in business in 1899 over 1898:


1. Increase in CASH PREMIUMS PAID..... 8.82 per cent.
2. Increase in New Business issued..... 23.08 "
3. Increase in Business in force..... 9.66 "

NOTE—Increase in amt. of Death Claims. 14.98 "

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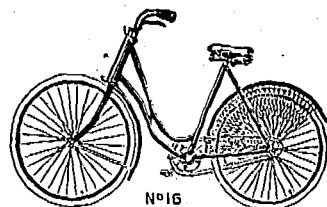


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