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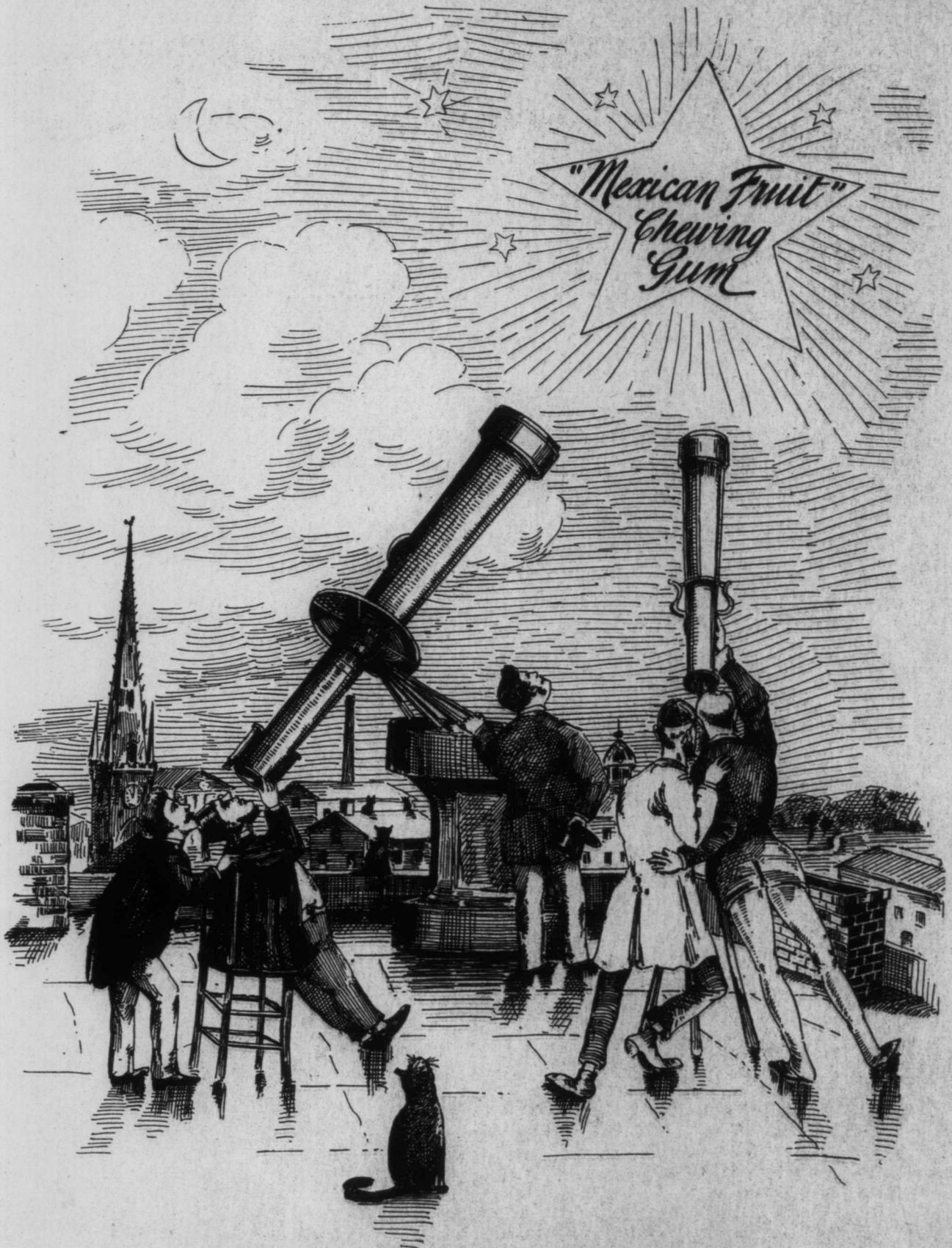
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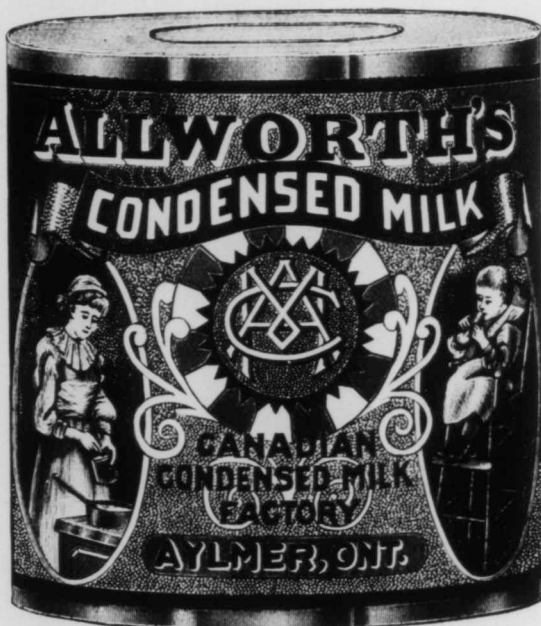
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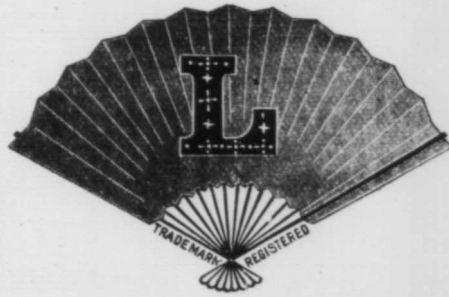
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OPPOSITION is to be expected against almost any measure that may be introduced in legislative bodies; and it is not surprising that such an important measure as the Insolvency bill, which passed the Senate the other day, should not escape such experience. The only surprise in the present instance is in regard to the source from which it emanates. We have reference to the attack made upon the measure by General Manager Hague at the annual meeting of the Merchants' Bank. The attack was no mere criticism; it was a bid for the annihilation of the bill. "It is obvious that a general Insolvency Act for the Dominion is not an absolute necessity," he says in one place. True, it may not be an "absolute necessity." The country, as he says, has got along without one for ten years, and no one will gainsay that it would not for ten times ten years more. Trade would not become obsolete. Neither is it "absolutely necessary" that there should be laws against robbery, perjury, murder, etc. Without them society would manage to exist. Neither is it "absolutely necessary" that a man's daily diet should be anything else but potatoes and water with a little fruit that he might gather in season.

He would manage to exist. Neither is it "absolutely necessary" that man should clothe himself with anything but a breech-cloth in the summer and a blanket in winter. He would manage to exist. But just as society is made the better because of laws which are passed for its protection, and life is made all the more desirable to man because of the comforts of the diversity of food and raiment which are within his attainment, so will the business of this country be made safer and pleasanter under an Insolvency law for the Dominion.

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One of the strongest charges, if not the strongest, against the present condition of affairs is in regard to the present diversified method of distributing estates obtaining in the different provinces. Mr. Hague terms it the real grievance; and it is no doubt the foundation upon which the great majority of the business men of this country built their agitation for a Dominion Insolvency law. Did this and other grievances not exist there would be no need of a Dominion insolvency law; neither would there be if the respective provinces would remove them, or if the constitution would allow them to go the full length of doing so. Under such conditions the shortest and most convenient way to secure the desideratum was via a law originating with the Federal Government that would have effect in British Columbia as well as in Prince Edward Island, and that would give the local creditor no advantage over the distant, or even foreign creditor. What the Bowell bill aims at securing is a law equitable and uniform. It undoubtedly has its defects. Human laws always have. But it would not, in the opinion of THE GROCER, have been as equitable as it now is if Mr. Hague and some of his fellow bankers had succeeded in

fixing the minimum of composition under which an insolvent would be entitled to a discharge at the figure prohibitory in ninety-nine cases out of one hundred, namely 75 per cent. or, as some of the more moderate would have, 66 $\frac{2}{3}$  cents on the dollar. Scarcely ever does an insolvent estate pay either of these sums, particularly after all the expenses have been deducted. Had the minimum been fixed at either 75 or 66 $\frac{2}{3}$  per cent. what the result would be is obvious: Blessed few merchants who had been driven into insolvency would ever get a chance to recover themselves. As the bill now stands, the insolvent can pay 50 cents on the dollar and can show his creditors and subsequently the court that he has not been guilty of fraud. This seems to be reasonable protection against men getting back into business who it is politic should not.

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"I am sorry that I had to send you back your goods. I am doing nothing here, and I expect to leave very soon. I thought this was the best, as I could not pay you for the goods." This was the brief note a wholesale house recently received from a customer in the northern part of the Province of Ontario. For a jobber to have goods thrown back upon his hands is not pleasant under any circumstances, but in the instance in question it is obvious that it was the goods or, in all probability, nothing. Therefore it was the wisest thing that could be done. Where a retailer is solvent and he makes the mistake of overbuying, he cannot in justice return such goods. What loss there may be should be borne by himself. Goods should only be returned as a last resort. And the trader who is honest will not hesitate to do so after having exhausted all means to pay for them in the usual way.

**CHAMBERS OF ARBITRATION ACT.**

**I**MPORTANT reforms are not as a rule consummated expeditiously. No matter with what ardor the promoters may work those who have the power to decide the fate of the reform have the quality of dilly-dallying with the matter for years and sometimes decades before finally pronouncing thereon.

But there are exceptions to every rule. One of the evidences of this is in the comparatively short space of time which elapsed between the conception and the consummation of the Toronto Board of Trade's idea for the extension of the principle of arbitration for the settlement of disputes between those other than members of the board.

The idea was first conceived in President Wilkie's inaugural address in 1893; and he had the experience of the London Chambers of Commerce to guide him.

Ever since then the question has been a live one with the board.

At the last session of the Ontario Legislature a draft bill was prepared under authority of the board and submitted to the Attorney-General. He took charge of the matter, introduced a bill along the lines indicated, and before the House adjourned it was made law.

The provisions therein contained, if taken advantage of, will result in many disputes being expeditiously and cheaply settled that would otherwise have had to tread the long, tortuous and expensive way of the law courts.

The Boards of Trade General Arbitrations Act, 1894, is the short title of the Act, and it practically empowers boards of trade, on complying with certain conditions, to settle all kinds of disputes between man and man.

The panel of arbitrators will include representatives of all trades and allied interests. The arbitrators are to be nominated by the council of the board, and elected at a general meeting by ballot. It is required that the number nominated shall be at least thirty persons, either members or non-members, living in the community.

All arbitrations may be held before one, two, or three arbitrators, according to the desire and agreement of the parties.

Time is precious to the average business man. Under the old system when he was interested in a case at court many hours and sometimes days were wasted waiting for a hearing. This will now be obviated by sub-

mitting the case to the Chamber of Arbitration instead of to the court for settlement. The hour will be fixed beforehand and strictly adhered to, while accommodation will be provided for the hearing of several cases concurrently, the panel of arbitrators being large enough to obviate the necessity of waiting the convenience of judges or the termination of protracted cases.

With a saving of time and a simplification of procedure there will necessarily be a vast reduction in expense compared with the law courts. Provided the disputants choose to do without legal assistance, the whole fee payable to the Chamber of Arbitration, including arbitrators' fees, will probably not exceed \$20 for each sitting, whatever may be the amount at issue.

The fee of an arbitrator is not to exceed \$5 for each sitting, and the office fee, including registrar's assistance, forms, rooms, etc., is to be \$5 for the first sitting and \$3 for each sitting thereafter. The fee for witnesses will be the same as in an action in a High Court of Justice.

The proceedings are to be private, although representatives of the press may be admitted provided there is a mutual understanding to that effect between both parties to a dispute.

The submission to arbitration once made cannot be revoked. Nor is it affected by the death of either of the parties; and the arbitrators may proceed in the absence of any party who, after reasonable notice, shall neglect or refuse to attend on a reference.

Witnesses may be examined on oath; and the parties must produce all documents in their possession or control which the arbitrators may call for.

The Act provides for an impartial legal assessor to whom any question of construction of documents, or admissibility or relevancy of evidence or other legal question, may be referred by the parties or arbitrators for their guidance, thus safeguarding the parties by the advantages of practically an inexpensive judicial determination of matters and avoiding the necessity of procuring legal advocacy to guard against departure from legal and judicial rules. In the London Chambers of Commerce the existence of a legal assessor has been productive of much benefit.

The award of the arbitrators may be enforced in the same manner as a judgment or order of the High Court of Justice.

As the chairman of the committee of the

Toronto Board of Trade having the matter in charge said in his report of May 28 last: "There are at least five different advantages which the Chambers of Commerce offers over the ordinary methods: (1) A convenient place for hearing with all the machinery of a court; (2) carefully adjusted rules of procedure which will act as a guide to disputants; (3) a selected, officially organized panel of arbitrators; (4) a regulated, moderate scale of fees; (5) the assistance of a special legal assessor to sit with the arbitrator or arbitrators, and advise and assist him or them in the arbitration."

Any board of trade in any city in the Province of Ontario having a population of at least 30,000 can form a Chamber of Arbitration under the act.

The Toronto Board of Trade was the first to suggest the Act, and it was but natural that it should be the first to take advantage of its provisions. Last week the council of that body met and nominated thirty-one—all but three or four were members of the board—stipulating at the same time that twenty-five persons would be sufficient to constitute the Chamber of Arbitration. Monday last there was a special general meeting of the board to select by ballot the designated number, with this result:

D. W. Alexander, wholesale leather; Hugh N. Baird, grain and commission; Walter Burnill, president Trades and Labor Association; Stapleton Caldecott, 1st vice-president Board of Trade; John I. Davidson, wholesale grocer; E. R. C. Clark, accountant; E. F. Clarke, president Excelsior Life Insurance Co.; George H. Bertram, manufacturer; Hugh Bain, president of the Board of Trade; John Donough, wholesale lumber; William Galbraith, flour and commission; John H. G. Hagarty, vessel owner; Emilius Irving, Q.C., barrister, etc.; Robert Jaffray, real estate; W. T. Jennings, civil engineer; Arthur B. Lee, wholesale hardware; Walter S. Lee, manager Western Loan Co.; W. D. Matthews, grain and commission; Geo. McMurrich, insurance; E. B. Osler, 2nd vice president; Elias Rogers, coal importer; Sir Frank Smith, senator; J. L. Spink, treasurer Board of Trade; B. E. Walker, banker; D. R. Wilkie, banker. Edgar R. Mills, secretary of the Board of Trade, was appointed registrar.

It is improbable that a better and more representative body could have been selected. A number of them have already served the Board of Trade many years in the capacity of arbitrators, while all are men of acknowledged ability in their different spheres. This augurs well for the success of the Chamber of Arbitration. The Board of Trade is to be congratulated, both upon the establishment of the Chambers of Arbitration and the wisdom displayed in the selection of the arbitrators.

It is now in order for boards of trade in other cities to take advantage of the Act.



EXORBITANT CHARGES FOR REGISTERING TRADE-MARKS.

The Canadian Trade-Mark Law Away Behind the Times.

**A** LETTER from a leading firm of manufacturers' agents in Montreal draws attention to the fact that the laws in Canada with regard to the registering of trade-marks is away behind the times. Here is the letter :

MONTREAL, June 15th, 1894.

Messrs. J. B. MACLEAN PUB. CO., Toronto :

DEAR SIRS,—We have noticed your articles on Canadian Brands in THE DRY GOODS REVIEW. We have several times brought the attention of the Government to the price of registering Canadian trade-marks. The price seems to us to be out of all reason. In England it is £1; in Canada \$25. Why there should be this difference, we cannot tell. If the price in Canada was \$5, a company like the Montreal Cotton Co. would probably register fifteen or twenty brands, or perhaps more, but at the price charged at present the expense would be very great. We would be glad if you would look into this matter.

Yours truly,

STEVENSON, BLACKADER & CO.

The Canadian system of copyrights, trade-marks and patents follows the British system in classification. In the United States trade-marks are classed as patents, and registration is obtainable only from the patent office. In Great Britain, on the other hand, trade-marks are classed with copyrights, and so they are in Canada. In the United States the fee for registering trade-marks corresponds with the fee for registering patents. In Canada one would expect them to correspond also; but not so. The fee for obtaining a copyright is \$1.50, and for registering a trade-mark is \$25. Why this enormous difference? Both are in the same department; why should the fees be so different?

The answer to these questions may be that fewer trade-marks are registered, and hence the department is too costly to admit of such small fees; that copyrights are more numerous, and hence the fees are, on the whole, nearly equal. If this is the answer, it can be met easily by showing, as the letter quoted above shows, that if the fees were reduced the number of trade-marks registered would increase in more than geometrical proportion. Registered trade-marks would become nearly as common and as numerous as copyrights.

But the more likely answer is that it requires a great deal of careful management and accurate recording to prevent one trade-mark clashing with another; and that the searching and close examination required with every new application means a very heavy expense. This answer can also be met. In Great Britain they have fifty classes of articles for which trade-marks may be registered. In this way much less searching of files is needed in order to ascertain if a

similar trade-mark has been registered, and to prevent infringement. The British way of chronicling trade-marks against the Canadian method is simply "system" as against "no system." If the Canadian act were amended this new feature could be introduced along with some other very necessary ones.

The British act lays down the following scale of fees :

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|   | £ s. d. |
| 1. On application to register a trade-mark for one or more articles included in one class . . . . .                   | 0 5 0   |
| 2. For registration of a trade-mark for one or more articles included in one class . . . . .                          | 1 0 0   |
| 3. For registering a series of trade-marks, for every additional registration after the first in each class . . . . . | 0 5 0   |

It will thus be seen that British fees are much lower than Canadian. In Canada for registering a general trade-mark the price is \$30; for a specific trade-mark, \$25.

COMPARISON OF COST.

	In England.	In Canada.
To register one trade-mark at one time . . . . .	\$ 6 08	\$25 00
To register two trade-marks at one time . . . . .	7 28	50 00
To register ten trade-marks at one time . . . . .	16 96	250 00

A close study of these tables shows what an enormous difference there is in the cost in each country. Supposing a firm like the Colored Cotton Co., or the Montreal Cotton Co., desire to register twenty-five brands, the price is almost prohibitory. In Great Britain it is not.

The advantages of trade-marks are apparent only to those who have made manufacturing a study—not from the inside, but from the outside. Viewed thus, extraneously as it were, manufacturers who have built up a great trade are those whose brand was a guarantee of the excellent qualities of their goods. Who never heard of Joseph Rodgers' cutlery? When the school-boy carries his first "Rodgers'," and breathes on it to see the moisture quickly evaporate, he has reached the highest goal of his ambition—in that line—for he has the best in the world. The Wade and Butcher razors are known to every Canadian with the material for a beard. Other well known brands are Pears' soap, Colman's mustard, Keen's mustard, Dent's gloves, Hermsdorf's hosiery, etc., etc. Then there are well known Canadian brands. In canned salmon there are "Horseshoe," "Maple Leaf," "Inverness," "Balmoral"; in finnan haddies, the "Thistle" brand is a

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leader; while Fearman's hams and MacLaren's Imperial cheese are household words.

If Canada is to attain a stand as a manufacturing country, Canadian manufactures must be known by their brands. Economic history teaches this in no uncertain way. At present foreign brands are more popular, in many cases, than Canadian brands, because the latter are less known. The manufacturers of domestic underwear make their goods "Scotch underwear" because goods branded thus are known to the people and asked for. Canadian cotton manufacturers imitate foreign brands on some of their goods, and sell their goods as the product of foreign looms.

A Canadian manufacturing nomenclature is needed, and needed badly. It is gradually coming, but the progress of the vehicle is slow, as the "big fees" brake retards progress. Reduce the price for registration of trade-marks to \$10, and the number of active trade-marks used by Canadian manufacturers would double within a year. Reduce it to \$5, as in Great Britain, and the number would be trebled.

Manufacturers with brands to sustain will manufacture more honest goods and the country's good name will be sustained.

The manufacturer with a brand pushes his goods more strongly than without one, and consequently displaces more goods of foreign manufacture.

The country would be immensely benefited were the Act of 1879 revised and the fees for registration reduced to a reasonable amount.

The people of Cartwright township have long wished to have their mails served from Burketon, on the C.P.R., instead of from Bowmanville. Their desires are about being gratified, and the mails will soon be delivered in Blackstock at 11 a.m. instead of at 5 p.m. daily.

## ON VARIOUS SUBJECTS.

BY W. E. WILTON, SPRINGFIELD.

IT is not uncommon, even at this present day to find, on entering some country and even large town store, a bell attached to the door which calls the attendant forward. But talk about your bell attachment, here is something that takes the bun in that line. In a small town not many miles from here there lives a man with considerably more in his head than a fine comb will take out. He holds as owner and general manager three very important positions, viz: Blacksmith, post master, and general merchant, and attends the whole business himself in the following manner: The blacksmith shop is located about 200 yards from the store. A wire is stretched from the store to the blacksmith department with a bell attached, and on the store door the following motto appears, "If you want anything in this shop pull the wire," this of course rings the bell in the blacksmith shop when the proprietor comes up and unlocks the door.

If any of the readers of THE GROCER can give us a case that beats this I would like to hear it.

A great portion of the failures in business among retail merchants could be avoided by dealing with one wholesale house only. The man who confines his business to one house knows at all times just where he stands, and the wholesale house knows the same, thus, knowing that your full account is with them only, they have (and justly, too,) more confidence in you. A retailer would rather give credit to a man having no other account against him; and the same rule must also apply to the wholesaler.

I consider it poor economy to save oil or gas in a grocery store. Go into a strange town after night, and in nine cases out of ten I can select the most successful merchant by the manner in which his store is lighted up. "By their lights ye shall know them." A dark store always reminds me of a funeral; as it conveys the idea that the proprietor is dead."

A great many otherwise attractive stores are sometimes greatly injured in their evening appearance by the manner in which goods, having during the day been used as a display on the outside, are thrown around on the floor in anything but a neat way. These goods should be arranged in proper places, everything in its own place; the shop floor sprinkled and swept; your lights burning brightly, and the appearance in general is thus greatly improved. A store properly arranged presents its best appearance in the evening.

Anything that will attract people into your store is an advertisement, and a direct financial benefit. The best class to attract are

ladies. They are usually better buyers. Granting, then, that this be true, your line of attraction must be something that a woman likes, and you can find nothing better for this purpose than a neatly arranged window and inside display of beautiful house plants in full bloom. These plants you should keep for sale; thus, while they attract customers in that will purchase something else, your plants also will be a source of fair profit. An occasional cut flower given to a good lady customer will also be found profitable in the end. Never cease advertising.

## IN THE DOMAIN OF RETAILERS.

W. H. ANDERSON, son of Peter Anderson, grocer, Guelph, has gone on a trip to Great Britain. There was a large concourse of friends at the station to see him off. He will remain over at New York for a short time on his return.

G. F. Marter has sold his store at Gravenhurst to Horner & Co.

James A. Blain, general merchant, Gifford, has shipped 6,300 dozen of eggs during the past six or eight weeks.

J. J. Bernard, of Brechin, made a trip the other day to the head of Lake Rosseau and back. He had a pleasant time.

S. Kerr, one of our popular merchants, was in Ottawa on Saturday for the purpose of replenishing his stock of goods.—Press, Winchester.

Lane & Hunter, grocers, Peterboro, who recently bought out the business of Mr. Spond of that place, are reported to be doing a nice trade.

Watson Bros. have received the contract for supplying groceries and provisions to the Cook & Whitby circus, comprising 600 persons.—Herald, Guelph.

Wm. Hopkins, a Hartney merchant, left to-day on the delayed train on a month's trip to Ottawa and eastern points. He will be married in Kingston before his return.—Free Press, Winnipeg.

A new grocery and crockery store is being started in Wingham. H. E. Snell, is the proprietor, and Saturday last he was in Toronto purchasing his stock of groceries. THE GROCER wishes Mr. Snell success.

J. S. Ireland, "the Crockery King of the North," groceries and crockery, Mount Forest, has got in a fresh shipment of crockery. He is putting his store into shape for the summer's trade, and when everything is completed it will present an attractive appearance.

J. B. Taylor & Co., of Welland, are making extensive improvements in their store. A new plate glass front is being put in, and the premises are being enlarged and beautified. "The firm," said THE GROCER's informant, "are branching out in the sale of fresh fruits. Mr. Taylor visits the Buffalo market every week in quest of fruit, and he and his partner, the genial William Barker, expect to increase business 25 per cent, when the alterations are completed in the store."

## PRIZE ESSAY COMPETITION.

## PROVISIONS AND FRESH FRUIT.

## HOW BEST TO HANDLE THEM.

Now is the time for those who contemplate doing so, but have not yet done so, to begin to write for THE GROCER'S essay competition on the above subject. Business is quiet at the moment, but it is not likely to remain so long, and now is the time therefore to undertake such a task as writing an essay. To-morrow may be too late.

Remember the subject is:

"PROVISIONS AND FRESH FRUIT; HOW BEST TO HANDLE THEM."

First prize will be \$15; second, \$10; and third, \$5.

The rules of the competition shall be as follows:

1. Competitors must be devoting their whole time to the retail grocery or general trade, either as proprietors or clerks, and must be subscribers to this journal.
2. No essay must exceed 2500 words nor be less than 1,500. Neatness will not be regarded, beyond the point that the essay must be readable, and the paper written on one side only. The sheets must be fastened together and numbered.
3. The essay must be original.
4. Each essay must be signed by a nom de plume, and both the proper name and the nom de plume of the writer written on a slip and placed in a sealed envelope, which envelope must be addressed, THE CANADIAN GROCER, 10 Front street east, Toronto, and across the corner have the words "nom de plume." This envelope must be enclosed in another so that no postmark will appear upon the former.
5. All essays must be sent to this office not later than JULY FIRST, and awards will be announced as soon after as possible, and the prize essays will then be published in order.
6. As the competition is to encourage thought among merchants and clerks, professional writers will be excluded.
7. The judging will be done by disinterested merchants. The names of these merchants will be announced at the same time as the award.
8. Additional prizes—The five essayists who rank in order after the prize men shall each receive THE CANADIAN GROCER for one year. This will make eight prizes in all.
9. All prize essays shall be the exclusive property of THE GROCER.

## Julep Straws

THESE straws are made of MANILLA PAPER and hard white paraffine wax of 140° M.P. They are entirely free from taste or odor, and are not affected by anything used as a drink. The size has recently been increased and they are now much larger than natural straws. Instead of furnishing three or four straws with each drink one will always suffice and the drink can be imbibed with as much ease as if taken directly from the glass. Paper straws are never "musty" and every one is sweet, clean and perfect.

Put up 500 in each box.  
Price \$6.00 per dozen boxes.

**JAMES A. SKINNER & CO.**  
TORONTO, ONT., VANCOUVER, B.C.



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# “THE PREMIER”

JAPAN TEA OF THE SEASON.

Our travelers will be pleased to show it to you. The trade are respectfully invited to write for samples (sent free) to taste it and to judge for themselves.

Lucas, Steele & Bristol

..... HAMILTON

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Ex. “Empress of Japan” arrived in Vancouver on the 12th inst.  
Our travelers are showing samples

## Yokohama Japans

Wonderful values will be in store in a week.

BALFOUR & Co.

HAMILTON.

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JAMES TURNER & CO.

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HAVE JUST ARRIVING

## The Finest Moning Congou

NOW EN ROUTE TO CANADA.

## An Extra Choice Japan Arrival

NOW DUE.

Above are the finest teas procurable. We have also a full line of  
“Ram Lal” on hand.

**SCARCITY OF DRIED FRUIT.**

**T**HE position of the dried fruit market in Montreal assumed a very interesting aspect about a fortnight ago.

At that time, as *THE GROCER* correspondent in that city has noted in his regular market reports, a positive scarcity of several of the leading kinds of dried fruit was developed.

This was notably the case in connection with both dried raisins and prunes, and since that date there have been no arrivals of any quantity to relieve the bareness of the market.

On the contrary, several lots of both prunes and raisins which were received during the interval were immediately absorbed at full prices, making the scarcity of reserve stocks as marked as ever. This position of affairs was to a certain extent foreseen in an interview which the *GROCER'S* correspondent had with a leading Montreal fruit dealer early in the winter.

This gentleman pointed out at the time that the reserve supplies of all kinds of dried fruit with the single exception of currants were lighter both at New York and in Canada than they had ever been for a corresponding period in many years. In fact, as the Trade and Navigation returns showed, the Canadian imports for 1893 were very much less than those for 1892; and as his advices were to the effect that the sup-

plies at primary sources were very light he predicted that there would be hunting for dried fruits during the spring and summer.

As everyone will now agree, his forecast was a correct one, and those holders of dried fruit in Montreal who let go at a loss during the months of March and April are the ones who lament it most.

In the majority of cases they took losses of  $\frac{1}{2}$ c. per lb. on their purchases, selling fruit which cost  $3\frac{1}{2}$ c. per lb. at 3c., and in some cases at  $2\frac{7}{8}$ c., whereas if they had held on they could easily have got  $4\frac{1}{2}$ c., and possibly  $4\frac{3}{4}$ c., for even their lots of ordinary off-stalk Valencias.

Now, however, only one or two jobbers in Montreal have any stock of dried fruit at all, and as they want to supply their own customers, any other jobber who wants supplies cannot get them from the first parties unless prepared to pay an extreme figure for what he desires.

**BEST TRADE PAPER GOING.**

R. Hargreaves, manager of the European branch of *THE CANADIAN GROCER*, received the following letter from F. R. Paget & Co., 8 Savage Gardens, Tower Hill, London, E.C., one of the largest tea firms in England:

"We see by *THE CANADIAN GROCER* that you are the manager of the European branch of the paper. We are desirous of becoming

subscribers to this paper as we consider it without doubt the best trade paper of the kind going."

By the same mail comes the following from H. S. Daly, Prince William street, St. John, N.B.:

"For two years previous to this I subscribed to the *New England Grocer*, and have dropped it to take *THE CANADIAN GROCER* instead, as I find that your journal is of far more benefit to me in my business."

**THAT ALTERED THE CASE.**

Of the late French Senator Renaud, the *Kolnische Zeitung* tells the following anecdote:

When Renaud first came as senator to Paris from his home in the Pyrenees he engaged a room at a hotel and paid a month's rent—150 francs—in advance. The proprietor asked him if he would have a receipt.

"It is not necessary," replied Renaud; "God has witnessed the payment."

"Do you believe in God?" sneered the host.

"Most assuredly," replied Renaud; "don't you?"

"Not I, monsieur."

"Ah," said the senator, "in that case please make me out a receipt!"

# SUNLIGHT SOAP

THE LARGEST SALE IN THE WORLD.

Reduction  
IN  
PRICE...

TO THE GROCERS } The Government having  
OF CANADA: } completed the Tariff amend-  
ments, and the duty on Laundry Soap having been slightly  
reduced, we have decided to give you the full benefit of that  
reduction; therefore, the price of "Sunlight" Soap will be  
lowered 20c. PER CASE, all round, and quotations on and after  
June 11th will be:—

1 Case, \$3.30, net cash, 30 days

5 Cases, \$3.20, net cash, 30 days.

(Freight prepaid on 5 cases and up.)

Grocers will now derive  
the handsomest profits on the  
best of all soaps—"SUNLIGHT."

**LEVER BROS., LTD.**

CANADIAN  
HEAD OFFICE: }

TORONTO.



**WARNING TO P.O. OFFICIALS.**

People are cautioned against posting circulars, on the cover of which there appears a request for the return of the envelope to the writer. A departmental order has been issued by the post-office authorities forbidding the practice for the future and requiring circulars so addressed to be sent to the Dead Letter office.

**CELERY VINEGAR.**

Celery vinegar, according to an exchange, is invaluable in every kitchen, and it may be easily made from this receipt. Procure two ounces of celery seeds, and crush them by pounding in a mortar. Pour over the celery seeds about one and a half pints of boiling vinegar; add half an ounce of salt and eight long peppers. Allow all to cool, then place

in a bottle and set it in a warm place for four or five weeks. Then strain and place in small bottles for use. If you can do so, it is best to use white vinegar for this preparation.

"A few sheets of Tanglefoot properly displayed in the Holder will serve the double purpose of ridding your store of flies and will increase your calls for it."

# GALLON APPLES

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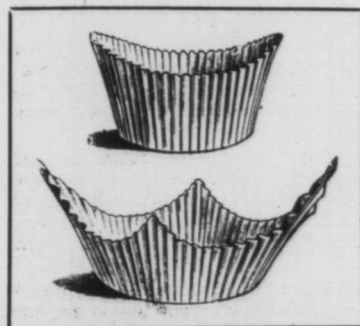
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Soufflet Cases as shown in cut are used for Creams, Charlotte Russe, Ices, Jellies, Blanc Mange, etc., etc. We carry a full line of assorted styles.

The Individual Crimped Cases are used by first-class grocers and confectioners in making a neat finish to the top layer of a box of chocolate creams, etc. We have a large assortment of styles and sizes. Put up in boxes of 1,000 of a kind. Send us a trial order.

We have also a large assortment of Japanese Napkins, which are just the thing for picnic parties, ice cream parlors and general use, at prices ranging from \$4.00 to \$6.50 per 1,000. These napkins are also suitable as advertising novelties.

SOLE AGENTS IN CANADA

Dominion Paper Box Company 36-38 Adelaide Street West, Toronto

Do you know that  
all kinds of

# RAISINS

are scarce

We have a few Selects

Select Layers  
Fine Off Stalk

# CURRANTS

Quality Good. Price Low.

## M. MASURET & CO.

Wholesale Grocers

LONDON, ONT.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

**T**HEO. O. Leonard, of Detroit, was in Toronto on his periodical visit in the interests of Kingsford & Son, the Oswego Starch Co. "People are complaining a good deal of hard times," he said, "but our trade in the States has been larger than it has been for eight years. The only reason we can assign for it is our exhibit at the World's Fair. In Canada our trade keeps about the same.

Capt. John Sloan, quartermaster Governor-General's Body Guard, has gone into camp with his regiment.

A. M. Smith, of Smith & Keighley, has taken a turn for the better, and his friends now hope that they will see him around the warehouse again shortly.

Philip Lewis, who represents "Old Derby" tobacco, took a trip north lately, and if he got as much business as he did pleasure out of it he did well.

J. W. McCulloch, representing the Pure Gold Manufacturing Co., in the Province of Quebec, has been compelled to take a rest from business on account of ill-health. In the meantime H. H. Livingstone will take charge of his route.

Albert French, Pure Gold Manufacturing Co.'s representative, dropped in upon his firm Tuesday, replenished his samples and leaves for his territory again Saturday morning. He informed THE GROCER that prospects in the west were fairly good. Referring to the floods in British Columbia, he claimed that the press reports inadequately pictured the damage rather than otherwise.

### SAD FATALITY.

Two promising young men were drowned in Humber bay, Sunday last. They were Arthur Parsons, aged 20, until recently custom house clerk for Eby, Blain & Co., and Frank R. Skeeles, aged 19, invoice clerk for Davidson & Hay. With a young man named Alexander they were out in a canoe, when their frail craft was upset by a wave, and they were precipitated into the water and drowned before assistance reached them, Alexander alone being rescued. Around the warehouses where they had formerly been employed, there was much sadness on Monday morning, and the warm and kind things their late employers said about them testified to the esteem in which they were held.

### HAMILTON BOARD OF TRADE.

The annual meeting of the Hamilton Board of Trade was held Monday. The election of officers resulted in H. N. Kittson being re-elected to the office of president; Archdale Wilson, vice-president; C. R. Smith, secretary-treasurer; John Knox, W. H. Gillard, George Roach, T. C. Bruce, Alex. Turner, J. J. Mason, W. E. Sanford, T. H. McPherson were elected members of the council for the ensuing three years. The Board of Arbitrators, appointed for three years, will be composed of B. E. Charlton, R. A. Lucas, W. H. Gillard, and J. M. Lottridge. At a meeting of the council, held immediately afterwards, President Kittson informed the members that he had interviewed the Mayor upon the question of toll roads, and had found that the City Council's views on this subject coincided largely with that of the board, and he had every hope that a settlement would be come to. A discussion upon the proposed Intercolonial Conference took place, several of the members expressing themselves as being averse to some of the objects of the conference, among these being the procuring of a discriminating tariff between Great Britain and the colonies.

### HE DID HIS BEST.

**T**HE Youth's Companion tells of a young clerk in a large mercantile house who was conspicuous for the interest which he took in his work. His associates ridiculed his earnestness and enthusiasm, and told him that there was no sentiment in ordinary business—"it did not pay."

"A man is paid for his time and labor," they would say, "and he is under no obligation to make his employer's interests an absorbing passion. You will get nothing by it."

"I shall give my employers," he replied, "the best work that is in my power, whatever they may do for me."

He was right and they were wrong. The ardor with which he served the business house that employed him inspired confidence. He was very soon promoted, and offered every chance of showing what he

could do. Several years passed, and then he was taken into partnership, and the management of one of the largest business houses in the country was entrusted to him.

"The fact is," said the senior member of the firm, when the co-partnership papers were signed, "you have been one of us from the day you came to us an office boy. You have shown the same enthusiasm for our service that a soldier displays in fighting for his flag."

Horace Greely used to say that the best product of labor was the high-minded workman with an enthusiasm for his work.

### DECREASE IN MELON ACREAGE.

**I**N a circular letter, J. L. Hand, of Pelham, Ga., gives the condition and prospects of the Georgia melon crop. He estimates the total acreage at 21,000 acres as against 23,000 last year, of which the plant system is credited with 7,376 acres. The other roads in the melon growing territory are the Georgia Southern and Florida, and the Savannah, Americus and Montgomery along which the decrease is estimated at 20 per cent. and 30 per cent. respectively.

A slight increase is reported along the Central railroad. Of the 7,376 acres along the Western railway, Mitchell county alone has over 4,000 acres. Pelham is the largest shipping point, having over 1,500 acres in melons. Mr. Hand has 700 acres at Pelham from which he estimates a yield of 400 carloads. Of the condition of the crop Mr. Hand speaks as follows:

The killing of the early plants by the late frost, and the unfavorable spring, has retarded the growth of the crop, and shipments will begin to move this season a week to ten days later than usual.

Blight and insects have made serious ravages, and decimated the stands in some localities. One farmer in Mitchell county has lost his entire crop of forty-five acres, and has recently planted the land in corn and cotton.

Except where blight has made its appearance, the plants are vigorous and in elegant condition, and large, fine melons may be expected this year.

The first car will be shipped in June. Pelham and Meigs will no doubt keep up their past record, and send forward the first car as usual.—Fruit Trade Journal.





## Finest Scotch Fish

From the famed Aberdeen and Shetland fisheries, preserved and packed by A. & M. SMITH, Leith, Scotland.

Fresh Herrings  
Kippered Herrings  
Herrings in Tomato Sauce  
Bloaters  
Digby Chicks  
Cod Roes, etc.

**H. P. Eckardt & Co.**

AGENTS TORONTO

## Herrings

Morton's Kippered  
Morton's Fresh  
Morton's in Tomato Sauce  
Marshall's Kippered  
Marshall's Fresh  
Crosse & Blackwell Kippered  
New Pack.  
Thistle Haddies—just arrived.

**T. KINNEAR & CO.,**  
49 Front St. E., TORONTO.

## Apples...

Bowlby's Preserved Apples  
in heavy syrup are a good selling  
line at present; also tomatoes in  
one gallon tins.

**SLOAN & CROWTHER,**  
WHOLESALE GROCERS,  
Toronto.

## Canned Meats, Canned Fish, Pickles, Sauces, etc.

Now is the time to stock up  
for the picnic season.

**J. W. LANG & CO.**  
WHOLESALE GROCERS  
59, 61, 63 Front St. East, TORONTO

## CURRANTS

Cases Finest  
Casalina Patras

QUALITY UNSURPASSED.

**WARREN BROS. & BOOMER**  
35 and 37  
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## Elliott, Marr & Co.,

Importers of Teas

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TEAS, WINES, LIQUORS, FRUIT, Etc., Etc.

Established 1842

IMPORTED

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PATERSON'S  
"EUREKA"

INDIAN CHUTNEY

Sole Agents for Toronto,

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41 and 43 Front St. East

We have now a full supply  
of the Celebrated Brand

## SPHINX PRUNES

In all Qualities

We are daily expecting the  
arrival of our second shipment  
of New Japan Teas.

**SMITH & KEIGHLEY**

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# McALPIN TOBACCO Co.

Manufacturers,  
Toronto, Can.

## Our Specialties

CHEWING

**BEAVER PLUG** (Bright)

Jubilee Plug (Chocolate)

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AND

**GOLD SHIELD** (Black)

ALSO

FINE CUT CHEWING

Standard Kentucky  
and  
Apricot

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SMOKING PLUG

Woodcock  
Solid Comfort, etc.

See "Prices Current."

**McALPIN TOBACCO Co.**  
TORONTO

### DRY GOODS.

TORONTO MARKET.

**E**LECTIONS seem to have a paralyzing effect on trade. This has been exemplified by the quiet inquiry from all parts of Ontario during the past week. If dealers did send in orders, they were for something which could not apparently be done without. However, the struggle is over, and it is expected that next week's orders for both prompt and future delivery will be considerably more voluminous and numerous.

Letter orders still continue fairly numerous, although wants are in many cases very petty. Payments continue about normal. The Fourth of August is not far away, and retailers are now being warned of the fact. The careful retailer is beginning to hustle his delinquent customers, and is fitting his bank account with a time-lock marked: "Aug. 4th."

A big drive in Canton flannels, unbleached, is being offered this week by John Macdonald & Co. New "fall" patterns in table oilcloths, and in English and Canadian floor oilcloths are being shown now by this house in full range. They carry the largest jobbing stock of this class of goods in the Dominion, and have an assortment which equals all demands.

Clearing lines in men's summer underwear, summer vests, and summer shirts, are being offered by John Macdonald & Co., at prices which are inducing an active movement.

Those merchants who find their lines need sorting up are sure of being able to fill from the well assorted stock kept by Samson, Kennedy & Co. They are continually receiving shipments which keeps their stock well up to date. Their letter order motto: "No order so large that its details escape attention; no order so small that they do not cater for it," is making this department popular.

MONTREAL.

The dry goods market has presented very few features during the past week. All the travelers have been in town lately getting their samples for their fall placing trip, and a few of them only started out on Monday and Tuesday. This fact, of course, has contributed to the general quietness.

Still in the way of better orders a fair amount of new business has been booked, sorting orders continuing for prints, colored cottons, gingham, etc., while ducks also have met a fair demand. For laces, and braids also, and other fancy goods some call has been experienced.

Among the latest buyers to return from the old country have been Messrs. Fraser (S. Greenshields & Co.), and Macdougall (Gault Bros.)

Payments have shown up a little better during the past fortnight. In fact since the welcome surprise of the 4th of the month the returns have been improving.

### THE CITRON TRADE.

**T**HERE are some curious remarks upon the citron trade of Trieste in the report (just issued) of the British consul for the year 1893. Two distinct kinds of fruit are imported. The first is the large citron, best known to us in a crystalized form, which is grown on grafted trees and gathered from November to January; the second is the natural unripe fruit of ungrafted trees, gathered between June and mid-August. Now it is this natural and inedible citron which has for ages been used by the Jews at the Feast of Tabernacles, though the Revised Version does not specify the "fruit of goodly trees" which was to be employed in the ceremonies. For centuries Jewish merchants from all parts of Eastern Europe have been accustomed to congregate at Trieste yearly in the month of August to await the arrival of the fruit. Probably dread of pirates in the Levant prevented them from going further south to the Ionian Islands, whence most of the supply has been obtained. These "citrons of the law" are very precious merchandise. Each fruit must be unblemished, and must retain the calyx uninjured, as this is supposed to denote extreme freshness, and lends some color to the pleasant fiction that the buyer has himself plucked the fruit in the Holy Land. Prices vary according to the perfection of the specimens. Some have sold recently for as much as £3 10s. apiece, and last year a sovereign was no uncommon price for a single fruit. The trade is entirely in the hands of Jews, and is controlled by the rabbis. All fruit intended for use at the Feast of Tabernacles "must bear inside each case a certificate of origin signed by the rabbi at the port of shipment." They have lately taken advantage of this power by absolutely boycotting all citrons from Corfu, where violent anti-Semitic riots took place three years ago. The effect has been partly to raise prices, for the supply from Parga, Jaffa, and the Holy Land itself is but small, and partly to encourage growers in other countries. Not less than 50,000 "citrons of the law" were sold last year in Trieste, out of which 2,000 were exported to England. There seems to be no reason, as Consul Haggard suggests, why enterprising planters in Cyprus should not turn this peculiar religious usage to excellent account.

GENTLEMEN:

The time is at hand when  
you should

**STOCK WITH BULK EXTRACTS . .**

Our supply for Summer is  
now ready, and we will honor  
any commands sent direct,  
or through our travelers.  
Yours very truly,

THE

**SNOW DRIFT CO.**  
BRANTFORD



J. F. EBY

HUGH BLAIN

# People Use Bensdorp's

"Royal Dutch"



## COCOA

Because it is

Pure

Healthful and Economical

WE SELL IT

# Batger's "UNIVERSITY" Marmalade

Is incomparably superior to all others.

If you doubt this, **Try It.**

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**EBY, BLAIN & CO.,** Wholesale Grocers, **Toronto, Ont.**

The Jobber and the Grocer who is out for the business finds Eddy's Matches an indispensable part of his stock-in-trade. It pays to handle them.

The Jobber and the Grocer who deals in Eddy's Matches deals in an article that has given universal satisfaction for nearly half a century.

The Jobber and the Grocer who handles E. B. Eddy's Matches cannot suffer by any fall in price; he is protected against fluctuations in the market and has nothing to fear from a decline in price.

## THE **E. B. EDDY CO.** HULL, CANADA

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John Peters & Co.	- -	Halifax, N.S.
Tees & Persse	- - -	Winnipeg, Man.
Jas. Mitchell	- - -	Vancouver, B.C.
E. A. Benjamin	- -	St. Johns, Newfld.
Resident Agents not yet appointed	} -	Sydney, Australia.
	} -	Melbourne, "



# MARKETS AND MARKET NOTES

## TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, June 28, 1894.

### GROCERIES.

**N**OTHING materially new has developed during the week. The volume of business is, if anything, a little larger, but, on the whole, trade is quiet. Canned goods show a little more seasonable life, and the price of corn has been advanced. The tendency of prices in dried fruits is still upwards. Rio coffees are getting into smaller compass, but there is not much demand, and prices are unchanged. Sugar is in fairly good demand, but the market does not exhibit the same strength as a week ago, in sympathy with the New York market, which is dull. The new season's Japan teas, shipments of which have been delayed on account of the floods in British Columbia, arrived this week, and the trade will now be in a position to fill orders. The elections have naturally interfered with business, but now that they are over, an improvement may be looked for.

### CANNED GOODS.

Jobbers have been obliged to make further purchases of corn from the Packers' Association during the week, and all the houses are quoting higher; 90 to 95c. is now the ruling quotation, although here and there 87½c. is given as the minimum figure. There is a good demand. Peas are still quoted at 80 to 85c., although some buyers have equalized their purchases by having their prices shaded for large lots. A good business is reported in peas. Tomatoes are in steady demand at 85 to 90c. In canned fruits peaches are selling fairly well, and there is a good demand for apples; 2-lb. peaches are scarce. We quote as follows: Peaches, \$3 to \$3.25 for 3's, \$2 to \$2.25 for 2's; raspberries, \$1.65 to \$1.80; strawberries, \$1.90 to \$2.10; apples, 3's, \$1 to \$1.10, gallons \$2.75, and preserved fancy quarters at \$1.35 to \$1.40. An increasing demand is reported for salmon. Retailers are buying heavier than is their wont at this season, thus giving color to the assertion that there is some speculation being practiced. We quote No. 1 at \$1.25 to \$1.35 for tall tins and \$1.50 to \$1.60 for flat tins. Demand for lobsters is moderate. We quote: Tall tins, \$1.85 to \$2; flat tins, \$2.40 to \$2.50. There is an increasing demand for all kinds of potted meats.

### COFFEES.

The local market is almost bare of Rios, but there are not many wanted. Further shipments are on the way, but it will be some weeks before they arrive. Prices are as before.

We quote green, in bags, as follows: Rio, 21 to 21½c.; East Indian, 27 to 30c.; South American, 21 to 23c.; Santos, 21½ to 22½c.; Java, 30 to 32c.; Mocha, 27 to 28c.; Maracaibo, 21 to 23c.; Jamaica, 21 to 22c.

### NUTS.

Business in this line continues quiet and unchanged. We quote as follows: Brazil nuts, 11 to 11½c. a pound; Sicily shelled almonds, 25 to 26c. a pound; Terragona almonds, 12½ to 13c.; peanuts, 10½ to 11c. for roasted and 8 to 10c. for green; cocoanuts, \$4.50 to \$5 per sack; Grenoble walnuts, 12½ to 15c.; Marbot walnuts, 12 to 13c.; Bordeaux walnuts, 11 to 12c.; filberts, 9¾ to 10¼c. for sacks and 10¼ to 11c. for small lots; pecans, 12½c.

### SPICES.

Cream of tartar is still advancing abroad, but prices here are as before. Spice trade continues fairly good. We quote: Pure black pepper, 12c.; pure white, 18 to 25c.; pure Jamaica ginger, 28 to 30c.; cloves, 25 to 30c.; pure mixed spice, 23 to 25c.; cream of tartar, 25c. per lb.

### RICE.

Demand keeps much as before, with prices unchanged. We quote as follows: "B," 3½ to 3¾c.; extra Japan, 5¼ to 5½c.; imported Japan, 5¼ to 6¼c.

### SUGAR.

Demand is naturally increasing as the fruit season advances. There are a few carload lots moving, but buyers of these quantities are fairly well supplied. Demand is now principally for the usual retailers' lots. The New York market is dull, and in sympathy with this condition of affairs the feeling on the local market is not as strong as it was, but no one looks for any lower prices, the sugar season now being on. Wholesalers are not buying much, their stocks being fairly complete, while the refineries are not disposed to shade prices. The Montreal refineries have been out of raws suitable for making low grade yellows, and this latter quality of sugar is consequently scarce. The ruling quotation for granulated is 4½c., but this figure is frequently being shaded. Yellows run from 3¾ to 4c., the inside figure being for dark. There are still a few raws to be had at 3¼c.

N. Y. Journal of Commerce, Tuesday: "General offerings of raw sugars are comparatively moderate and fairly well in hand, with owners believing they are entitled to all the advantages lately gained and hopeful of obtaining more. The supply available here is moderate, especially of centrifugal grades, and many sellers refuse to accept current quotations. Refined sugars have found only

light business. Some jobbers spoke very well of the run of orders received, but the majority found custom offish, rather unexpectedly so, and apparently the previous disposition to speculative investments has in part subsided."

### SYRUP.

Nothing new, trade being quiet and prices unchanged. We quote: Dark, 25c.; medium, 28 to 30c.; bright, 35c. to 40c.; very bright, 45 to 50c.

### MOLASSES.

Medium qualities are still in fair demand with prices as before. Ruling prices are: New Orleans, barrels, 28 to 30c.; half-barrels, 32½ to 34c.; Barbadoes, barrels, 32 to 35c.; half-barrels, 38 to 40c.

### TEA.

First shipment May pickings new season's Japan tea have arrived at last. They should have been here some weeks ago, but were delayed by the floods in British Columbia. Several lots arrived Tuesday and were in the warehouses the following day. In consequence of so many shipments coming at the same time, concern is felt by some in regard to the ability to maintain prices. As to price, 30 to 35c. is the idea for the new tea, and there is a good demand. Other teas are somewhat neglected. Shipments of new China blacks and greens are expected to arrive in about four or five weeks.

Mail advices from London, under date June 15, report Indian teas firm and Ceylon attracting more attention, with prices harder all round. The same said: "Duty payments for the past season show a heavy increase, entirely made up of Indian and Ceylon teas, the quantity of China tea used having been less than ever. Proportions were: Indian, 54 per cent.; Ceylon, 32 per cent.; China, etc., 14 per cent."

### DRIED FRUITS.

Valencia raisins are getting into still smaller compass, and prices are higher. There is practically nothing on the market but off-stalk, and the lowest prices with some houses for this line is 6c. One house refused an offer of 5¼c. to go to the trade in Montreal. Advices from London state that by July the small stocks existing there will be exhausted. We quote off-stalk at 5¼ to 6¼c., and fine off-stalk at 6½ to 7c. Currants are in good demand at former prices. We quote as follows: Provincials, 3½ to 4c. in brls., half brls., 3¾ to 4¾c.; Filatras, 4 to 4½c. in brls., and 4¼ to 4¾c. in half barrels; Patras, 5 to 5½c. in barrels, 5¼ to 5¾c. in half brls., 5 to 6½c. in cases; Vostizzas, 6½ to 7½c. in cases, 6¼ to 7¼c. in half cases; Panariti, 8½ to 9c.

## MARKETS—Continued

There has been some enquiry from the United States for currants in bond, the people over there buying on chance of tariff being changed. Prunes are still moving out well at 5½c. for U's and 7½c. for B's, the principal demand being for the former. There is a scarcity of low grade prunes. We quote bags at 3¾c. and casks at 4½ to 5c. There are a few casks of prunes obtainable on the spot, and there were some arrivals of box prunes this week, but they have nearly all gone into consumption, having been largely sold in advance. Figs are dull and easy with quotations nominal. Small boxes, 7½ to 8c.; 5 lb. boxes, 7½ to 8c.; 10 lb. boxes, 8c.; 28-lb. boxes choice Eleme, 8½c.; 6-crown, 12½c.; 7-crown, 13½c.; bags, 28-lb., 6½ to 7c.; taps, 4 to 4½c.; natural, 5½ to 6c. Dates quiet and easy, at 4¼ to 5c.; selected Hallowee dates 8½ to 9c.

## BUTTER AND CHEESE.

Market is very steady for butter. No great stocks are held here, choice butter being wanted. On account of the hot weather the quality of some of the butter arriving is off flavor. Demand is brisk on local account, but there is enough to go round. There have been some shipments of mixed lots of creamery and dairy butter to the Coast. Creamery butter is quiet and without special feature to note. We quote jobbing prices as follows: Dairy—Choice tubs, 14 to 15½c.; medium, 12½ to 13c.; pound rolls, 15 to 17c. Creamery—Tubs, fresh, 18 to 19c.; pound prints, 19 to 20c.

In cheese, the English market is lower, but there is little or no surplus here. Demand is fair locally at 9¼ to 9½c.

## PROVISIONS.

Stocks of barrel pork here are about exhausted, but long clear is taking its place at 7½c. Meats are firm in price, and an advance is looked for.

BACON—Long clear, 7½c.; smoked backs, 10 to 10½c.; breakfast bacon, 11 to 11½c.; rolls, 8½ to 8¾c.

HAMS—10½c. for smoked, and at 9½c. for pickled.

LARD—Pure Canadian 8¾c. in tubs, 9c. in pails and 8½c. in tierces. Compound, 7½ to 7¾c.

BARREL PORK—Canadian heavy mess \$17 to \$17.50, Canadian short-cut \$17.00 to \$17.50, shoulder mess \$14.50, clear mess \$15.

## LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Receipts of live stock at the western market Tuesday were moderate, 50 loads all told coming in. Offerings of export cattle were comparatively light, and the supply of butchers' cattle was not excessive. Lower Liverpool cables had a depressing effect, and prices of all cattle, except choice stall-fed butchers', were lower. Sheep continue to come in freely. Prices were easier on export cattle, sales being made at about ¼c. off from Friday. Prices ranged from 3¾c. for 1,250 lb. cattle up to 4½c. for those averaging 1,350 lbs.

The few stall-fed butcher's cattle which came in met with ready sale at fair prices, considering the easy tone of the market at \$3.35 to \$3.70 per cwt. Grass cattle were quoted at 2¾ to 3¼c. a lb. There were 746 sheep and lambs on sale. The greater part of the offerings were of export sheep, for which there was a fair demand at 3½c. a lb. for ewes and wethers, and 2¾c. for rams. Butcher's sheep and yearlings were slow at \$3 to \$3.25 a head. Spring lambs were in fairly active demand. Numerous sales were made at from \$3 to \$4 a head. Offerings of calves were light, but demand was dull, and prices about 25c. a head easier for bobs and medium veals. The quality of hogs was better, there being more nice bacon hogs and a fair run of thick fats, well suited to making barrel pork. Prices stood at Friday's figures. Choice long, lean hogs of 160 to 220 lbs. sold at \$5.20 to \$5.30; choice thick fat brought \$4.80 to \$4.85; choice stores, \$4.70; light stores, \$4.50; and mixed lots of pigs and half-fats, \$4.70; sows and rough, heavy hogs, \$4 to \$4.25; and stags, \$2 to \$2.50. Top price for cows and springers was \$40. Thin, light milkers offered from \$30 down to \$25.

## GREEN FRUIT.

Oranges are advancing in price, and stocks are getting light. Lemons are experiencing a brisk demand and prices are higher. Market is weak for bananas on account of the free deliveries of small fresh fruit. The few pineapples coming in are of the sugar loaf variety, and they are selling fairly well. There is a big demand for Mississippi tomatoes at lower prices. There were a few apples on the market during the week. They sold at \$1.25 per basket, or at the rate of \$10 per barrel. First shipment of watermelons are due to arrive this week. The fruit will sell at about 40 to 50c. each. We quote: Oranges,

Cal. seedlings, \$2.50 to \$3; Messinas, half boxes, \$2 to \$2.25, boxes, \$3.50 to \$4. Lemons, \$4 to \$5. Bananas, 75c. to \$1.50 per bunch. Pineapples, 9 to 15c. Strawberries, Canadian, 4½ to 7c. California fresh fruit—Cherries, \$1.75 to \$2 per box; apricots, \$1.75; peaches and plums, \$2.50. Baltimore cucumbers, \$2.50 to \$3 per crate; in barrels, 40 to 50 per doz. Baltimore cabbages, \$1.75 to \$2 per crate. Tomatoes, Mississippi, \$1.40 to \$1.50 per four basket crate. California dried fruit—Peaches, 16 to 17c. per lb.

## COUNTRY PRODUCE.

BEANS—There has been no change, business still being quiet at \$1.20 to \$1.30.

DRIED APPLES—Market is quiet and unchanged at 6½ to 7c.

EVAPORATED APPLES—The few boxes that are left on the market are in the hands of one house, and it is holding them at 12 to 12½c., but there is no demand.

POTATOES—Market is quiet and easy. Car lots of old potatoes on track are quoted at 75 to 80c., and new potatoes are selling at \$2.75 to \$3.

EGGS—Are in fair demand and steady at 9½ to 10c.

HOPS—Dull, at 12 to 14c. for good. Package hops, 20c. per lb.

MAPLE PRODUCTS—Are dull and nominally unchanged. We quote: Syrup, wine gallon tins, 65 to 70c.; 5 gallon packages, 60 to 75c.; sugar, 1 lb. cakes, 7½ to 8c.; small cakes, 9½ to 10c.

## FISH.

Trade in fish is a little quiet for this season of the year. Merchants report a steady decrease in sales since strawberries appeared on the market. The different varieties of fresh water fish are plentiful, but prices are low. We quote as follows: Skinned and boned codfish, 6½c.; shore herring, \$4 per brl.; boneless fish, 3½ to 4c.; boneless cod, 5 to 8c.; Lake Erie herring, \$1.50 to \$1.75 per 100; blueback herring 4c.; blue pickerel, 4 to 5c. lb.; yel. ditto, 5 to 6c. per lb.; salmon trout, 6c.; white fish, 6½ to 7c.; pike, 5c. lb.; perch, \$1.50 per 100; haddock and cod, 5½c. per lb.; steak cod, 5 to 6c.; large halibut, 10c.; brook trout, 25c. per lb.

## SALT.

Jobbing trade is good. Several inquiries are being received from outside. We quote: Dairy, \$1.50, special grade; brls., 90c.; coarse sacks, 58c.; fine sacks, 70c.; American rock, \$10 per ton.

## HIDES, SKINS, WOOL AND TALLOW.

HIDES—Are moving slowly. Quite a number are coming in, but there seems to be no export trade being carried on at present. One or two cars only are reported to have been shipped during the week. Prices

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**MARKETS—Continued**

remain unchanged at last week's quotations. We quote: 3c. for No. 1's, 2c. for No. 2's, 1c. for No. 3's.

**SKINS**—Are on the move. Pelts are increasing in value and demand. Lamb skins are also continuing steady at last week's figures. Sheepskins are dead. We quote: Pelts, 15c.; sheep-skins, 85 to 90c.; lamb-skins, 20c., calf, 4 to 6c. per lb. for 1's and 2's.

**WOOL**—A considerable quantity is being received off the streets, but no shipments are reported. Prices remain unchanged. We quote: Mercantile combing, 16 to 16½c.; clothing, 19c.; unwashed, 9 to 10c.

**TALLOW**—Has dropped ¼c. during the week. Dealers are offering 5 to 5½c. for rendered, and 2c. for rough.

**PETROLEUM.**

Trade is quiet, although the monotony which has been existing in oil circles for the past month or so is expected to pass away in the course of a few weeks. Prices are unchanged. We quote: 5 to 10 barrel lots, imperial gallon, Toronto—Canadian, 12 to 12½c.; carbon safety, 15½ to 16c.; Canadian water white, 16 to 17c.; American water white, 18 to 19c.; photogene 20c.

**MARKET NOTES.**

T. Kinnear & Co. report that they have still Sphinx prunes in stock.

J. W. Lang & Co. have in stock a new line of "Golden" finnan haddie.

Sales of Adams' root beer up to June 1 exceeded the total of last year.

Davidson & Hay are in receipt of a shipment of canned Oyster Bay asparagus.

Perkins, Ince & Co. are just in receipt of their last shipment of prunes for the season.

Eby, Blain & Co. have shipments of Sphinx "U" prunes and pearl tapioca to hand.

Park, Blackwell & Co. report trade good locally, and they are shipping a great deal of cured meats.

Gunn, Flavell & Co. sent a mixed car of creamery and dairy butter to British Columbia a few days ago.

Tuckett is putting mild and pure granulated smoking tobacco on the market in 1-6 lb. fancy colored bags.

Davidson & Hay are showing fine samples of genuine Carolina rice, a shipment of which has been just received.

Alex. Elliott has taken the agency for Salada Ceylon tea for Peterboro'. Those who know Mr. Elliott best predict a great

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## MARKETS—Continued

sale for Salada in that district, his trade enabling him to place the tea before the most desirable class of customers.

Sloan & Crowther report an active demand for Aylmer canned chicken, turkey and duck.

W. H. Gillard & Co., of Hamilton, are just in receipt of a large and well selected range of Japans.

Gunn, Flavelle & Co. report an increasing sale in "Maple Leaf" brand of smoked hams and meats.

T. Kinnear & Co. are offering bright and dark syrups (Redpath's) at what they claim to be reasonable prices.

There is likely to be a sharp advance in the price of canary seed. The new crop is reported to be a failure.

Advices to P. L. Mason & Co., from London, say that by July small stocks existing there will be exhausted.

Perkins, Ince & Co. have to hand a shipment of new season's "Crown" lobster in flat tins; also shipment of prunes.

Warren Bros. & Boomer are selling a fine line of imported Japan rice, which they report they are selling below mill prices.

W. H. Gillard & Co., of Hamilton, are still supplying both the wholesale and retail trade with their high quality selected Valencias.

James Turner & Co. still have a few Vostizza currants, cases and half cases. Fine off-stalk Valencias and layer Valencias, quarter boxes.

E. Leadlay & Co. during the past week have received a considerable quantity of wool from the local districts, but report no shipments.

James Turner & Co. have fine lines suitable for this hot weather: lime juice, all kinds camp coffees (extract), canned and potted meats.

Attention is directed to W. Paterson & Son's candy ad. on page 6. Goods made by this firm can be relied on for purity and general excellency.

Pure Gold Manufacturing Co. report trade good in flavoring extracts, and that the trade for the cheaper grades of extracts is giving way to the better lines.

Davidson & Hay have this week received shipments of Bowlby Bros.' gallon apples; also fresh supplies of canned chicken, duck, turkey, pigs' feet and haddie.

Chocolates, bon-bons and caramels are side lines for grocers. W. Paterson & Son make them in great variety and of such quality that no grocer should hesitate.

W. Paterson & Son lately introduced a new candy called "Giant Mixed" which has become very popular. On receipt of a post card, a sample will be sent anywhere.

Lucas, Steele & Bristol are offering condensed coffee, milk and sugar in cases of two dozen each, which can be retailed at 20c. per can. It is a seller at this season.

Dawson & Co. are going out of the retail trade, and will in future confine their energies to the wholesale branch of their business. Henry Scully has bought out the retail business.

A. Messner, who started the first store in Formosa, Bruce county, Ont., about 35 years ago, and who was the senior partner in A. & F. X. Messner, of that place, for 20

years, is now re-embarking in business there again. He went to St. Leon, Manitoba, in 1880, and carried on a mill and store there until recently. He is now placing his orders for his new stock.

Lucas, Steele & Bristol report the arrival of some of their early Japan teas. The quality is finer and price lower than last season. This firm also show some extra value in Ceylon teas.

A new grocery jobbing firm is starting up in Windsor. It is composed of James Smith, late of Smith & Duck, and H. V. Taylor, late with Edward Adams & Co., London.

English malt vinegar, in 25 gallon packages, has always been a seller with Lucas, Steele & Bristol; they now have some on hand. Their rennet wine for making curd is meeting with success.

The trade is said to be delighted with samples of new Moning Congous shown by the travelers of James Turner & Co.; one sample in particular, they say, is the finest true Moning ever shown in Canada.

Mail advices to Warren Bros. & Boomer from J. Morand & Co., of Denia, state that the raisin gathering will not take place quite so early as usual. The ripening of the grapes had been retarded by the weather, but there was now a change for the better, the blossoming being satisfactory, and so a large crop of fine and sound fruit was looked for.

The Toronto Biscuit and Confectionery Co. are working on some big orders from Winnipeg. The biscuit department of this concern has been running over time. This does not look much like depression in trade.

P. C. Larkin & Co. report having received last week by mail, direct from agents, without the solicitation of salesmen, seventeen orders for Salada Ceylon tea, all being repeats. This they think unprecedented in the tea trade.

Warren Bros. & Boomer are showing what they claim to be excellent value in Japan teas at 10c. "These teas were worth 15 to 16c per lb. last fall," said a member of the firm. "It is a good, clean drawing tea and fair in style."

The Toronto Salt Works report that they are unable to get sufficient supply of the Windsor Brand to meet the demand which this salt is creating. This salt is rapidly increasing in popularity and finding a ready sale among the trade.

Country dealers are having their attention drawn to a new insect powder called "Church's Potato Bug Finish." This article has but recently been placed on this market and is meeting with great success. It is manufactured by the Alabastine Co. Paris, and sold very extensively by the Toronto Salt Works, 128 Adelaide street east.

The sale of Lazenby's Solidified Soup Squares, considering the short time they have been on the market has become almost phenomenal. "This perhaps is not to be wondered at," said a representative, "considering how very convenient and economical they are for summer use, and that they are the best and most nutritious article of the kind made."

The Eureka Refrigerator Co. have been doing a splendid business in the Northwest during the opening of the present season. They are now finishing a handsome refrigerator to be sent to Moosomin, N.W.T. They have also shipped a large cooler to Hasking & Co., Port Arthur. Both sales they claim to have made through their advertisement in THE GROCER.

## MONTREAL MARKETS.

MONTREAL, June 28, 1894.

## GROCERIES.

THE general market for groceries has shown a fair degree of life during the past week, the activity noted last week being well maintained. This has been especially the case with sugar, the movement of which has been considerable during the week, while its tone is strong. Molasses has been steady, and syrup also met more demand at last week's rates. The tea market is quiet but steady, and coffee manifests a firm feeling. In dried fruit nothing additional is to report, and in canned goods also business has ruled quiet. Payments have been fairly well met since our last.

## SUGAR.

The tone of this market has continued strong and values have been well maintained at the recent advance. Demand has been good, and with the preserving season approaching, an improved demand is looked for in the near future. Stocks in refiners' hands are light, both of granulated and yellows, and firmer prices are looked for. Business has been free during the week at 4 3-16c. for granulated and 3 1/4 to 3 3/8c. for yellows.

## SYRUPS.

The syrup market is quiet, which is usually the case at this time of the year, as buyers have ample supplies on hand. No change is looked for, therefore, and we quote bright grades 2 to 2 1/2c., and dark 1 1/4 to 1 1/2c.

## MOLASSES.

The molasses market has been fairly active and steady since our last report. Under a good moderate demand quite a few fair-sized lots have changed hands at 29c. for car lots, 30c. for single puncheons and 28c. for large wholesale quantities. Advices from the Island quote 10c.

## TEA.

Business has been quiet in teas, and the market is without feature of importance to note. Several lots of new teas have arrived, but buyers are not very urgent at present. Japans have changed hands at 17c.

## COFFEE.

The coffee market continues steady on spot with a fair business doing. We quote: Java, 24 to 28c.; Mocha, 25 to 28c.; Maracaibo, 18 1/2 to 21c.; Jamaica, 19 to 21c., and Rio, 18 to 21c.

## SPICES.

There is nothing new to report about spices, but demand is fair and prices steady. We quote: Black pepper, 6 to 7 1/2c.; white pepper, 10 to 12 1/2c.; cloves, 7 1/2 to 9c.; cassia, 9 to 10c.; nutmegs, 60 to 90c., and Jamaica ginger, 15 to 18c.

## RICE.

There has been no change in the rice market since our last report. Demand is good and prices are steady as follows: Standard, \$3.45 to \$3.70; Japan, \$3.95 to \$4.25, and Patna, \$4.25 to \$4.75.



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**MONTREAL MARKETS—Continued**

**DRIED FRUIT.**  
The dried fruit market does not furni-h  
much that is new at present. The scarcity  
of many of the leading kinds of fruit has al-  
ready been referred to, and the fact is as ap-  
parent as ever. In fact only a few jobbers  
now have any large supply of fruit, and these  
want them for their own customers. We  
quote Valencia raisins, rff-stalk. 4 1/2 to 4 3/4c.;  
no selected or layers here. Prunes are  
scarce and firmly held at 5 1/2c., and the stock  
of currants continues ample, and prices are  
unchanged at 3 to 3 3/4c. according to pack-  
age.

**NUTS.**  
There is nothing new to say of this line,  
which meets with a moderate jobbing call.  
We quote: Almonds at 11 1/2 to 12c.; shelled  
do., 23 to 29c.; shelled walnuts, 18 to 21c.;  
Grenoble walnut, 11 1/2c.; filberts, 8c.; pecans,  
7 1/2 to 8c.; Brazils, 9 to 10c., and peanuts, 7  
to 9c.

**CANNED GOODS.**  
The market has shown a little change  
since our last. A few orders are being  
booked for B. C. salmon, but generally busi-  
ness is dull and quiet. We quote: Lobsters,  
\$6 to \$6.50 per case; sardines, \$8.50 to \$9.50;  
salmon, \$1.15 to \$1.30 per doz.; tomatoes,  
80 to 85c. per doz.; peaches, \$2 to \$2.10 per  
doz.; corn, 85 to 90c. per doz., and marrow-  
fat peas, 85 to 90c. per doz.

**GREEN FRUIT.**  
There has been a good business doing in  
green fruit during the past week. Oranges  
are firmer and command fair sales at \$4 to  
\$5 for Messinas and \$4.50 for bloods. The  
heavy stock of lemons has at last been  
pretty well distributed, as American buyers  
have taken quite a lot during the past week  
at \$2 to \$3 per box and fancy stock \$3.50  
to \$4.

**COUNTRY PRODUCE.**  
There has been little or no change in the  
egg market. Demand is fair and prices  
steady at 8 1/2 to 9 1/2c. per dozen, according  
to quantity. Business in maple syrup is  
quiet and values steady, at 50 to 60c. per tin.  
The offerings of sugar were small and prices  
are steady at 7 to 7 1/2c. Honey is quiet and  
unchanged at 5 to 7c. per lb. strained and  
12c. in the comb. Beans are in quiet de-  
mand and steady at \$1.10 to \$1.30 per  
bushel of 60 lbs. New potatoes are in fair  
demand at \$4.50 to \$5 per bbl. An early  
crop is expected this year and holders are  
rushing sales of old stock.

**PROVISIONS.**  
The provision market is firm and values  
show no change. The demand for pork,  
hams and bacon is fair, and a good aver-  
age business is doing. We quote: Can-  
adian short cut, heavy, \$18.50 to \$19; do.,  
light, \$17.50 to \$18; hams, city cured, per  
lb., 10 to 13c.; lard, Canadian, in pails,  
9 1/2 to 10c.; bacon, per lb., 10 to 12c.; lard,  
common refined, per lb., 7 1/4 to 7 1/2c.

**BUTTER AND CHEESE.**  
The butter market is without any special  
change. There is nothing additional to report  
with regard to speculative purchases of June  
creamery in the country, and with regard to  
(Continued on page 26)

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# FLOUR AND FEED

## TORONTO.

**FLOUR**—Owing to an advance of 4c. on Manitoba and 2c. on Ontario wheat there is a stronger feeling in the flour market, and large lots are selling from 10 to 15c. higher. We quote as follows: Manitoba wheat patents, \$3.65 to \$3.80; strong bakers', \$3.45 to \$3.55; winter wheat patents, \$3.45 to \$3.60; Ontario family, \$3.00 to \$3.25; straight rollers, \$2.90 to \$3.05.

**MILLFEED**—Prices are unchanged. At city mills bran is selling at \$15, and shorts at \$16.

**OATMEAL**—Market steady and unchanged. Rolled and standard meals are quoted at \$4.35 in bags and \$4.45 in barrels; granulated, \$4.45 in bags; cornmeal, common, \$3.10; gold dust, \$3.25 to \$3.30.

**OATS**—Market is quiet and firm at 40c. on track.

## MONTREAL.

There was no important change in the situation of the flour market. The feeling was firm and values were well maintained. The demand from local buyers was good and an active business transpired. Winter wheat, \$3.60 to \$3.70; Manitoba patents, best brands, \$3.50 to \$3.60; straight rollers, \$3; extra, \$2.75 to \$2.90; superfine, \$2.50 to \$2.65; Manitoba strong bakers', \$3.40 to \$3.50; Manitoba strong bakers', best brands, \$3.45 to \$3.50.

The demand for feed is good and the market rules active and firm. Bran, \$16.50; shorts, \$18; mouillie, \$20 to \$22.

The demand for oatmeal was slow and business was quiet at about steady prices. Standard, brls., \$4.30 to \$4.35; granulated, brls., \$4.30 to \$4.35; rolled oats, brls., \$4.30 to \$4.35; pot barley, per brl., \$3.90; split peas, per brl., \$3.40.

## ST. JOHN, N.B.

In flour the advance is firmer than was expected. There is, however, still some doubts of its holding. Some mills have advanced their prices much more than others; here the advance is but slight. Oatmeal, however, shows an advance of 25c., with higher

tendency, and is scarce both here and west. Cornmeal holds firm at the high figure. Oats continue to climb. Middlings and bran are easier. We quote as follows: Manitoba, \$4.25 to \$4.35; best Ontario, \$3.50 to \$3.65; medium, \$3.35 to \$3.50; oatmeal, \$4.75 to \$4.80; cornmeal, \$2.65 to \$2.70; granulated, \$3.50; middlings on track, \$21; bran, \$19 to \$20; cotton seed meal, \$30; oats, local, on track, 46 to 48c.; P.E.I., 48 to 50c.; Ontario, 47 to 48c.; small lots, 48 to 55c.; beans, h.p., \$1.55 to \$1.60; prime, \$1.45 to \$1.50; split peas, \$3.65 to \$3.85; round peas, \$3.65 to \$3.75; pot barley, \$3.85 to \$4; hay on track, \$12 to \$12.50; small lots, \$13 to \$14; timothy seed, American, \$2.50 to \$2.60; Canadian, \$2.60 to \$2.75; red clover, 11½ to 12c.; alsike, 13½ to 15c.

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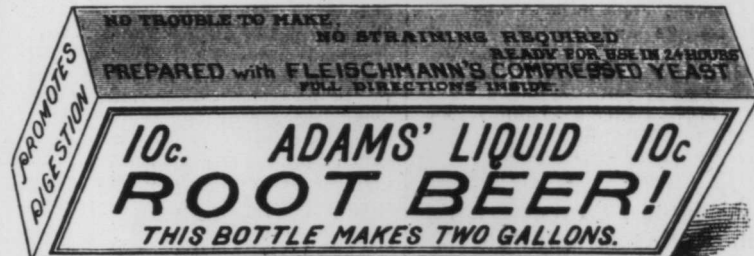
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## MONTREAL MARKETS—Continued.

the actual business moving here it is of a small jobbing character. English advices still continue discouraging. Fine creamery, 18½ to 19½c.; fine Townships, 16 to 17c.; fine Western, 14 to 16c.

The cheese market continues irregular and unsettled, and it is very difficult to say what values actually are. In the matter of legitimate orders for prompt shipment the limits are certainly below what is possible here, private cables naming 42c. 9d. Naturally with the buying that has been going on on behalf of the shorts and also for those English buyers who want to put away a few June cheese for future wants, orders taken on such a basis as the above could not be filled with finest. In this latter connection the fact of a lot of cold storage space being engaged is significant. The exact figures cannot be got at, but it is asserted that different parties have in all contracted for space for over 125,000 boxes of cheese. Now if this is to be all filled with June cheese it means quite a hole in the aggregate month's output. In fact, as has been pointed out before, it is a hard market to understand. At the wharf on Monday 5,000 boxes were offered and all were taken, 8¾c. being the ruling basis. At St. Hyacinthe, also, on Saturday 3,000 cheese were bought at the same figure, and it is understood that 8½c. was paid for quite a quantity of stock in the Cowansville section. Finest Western colored, 9 to 9½c.; finest Western white, 9 to 9½c.; finest Eastern, colored, 8¾ to 9c.; finest Eastern white, 8¾ to 9c.; under grades, 8½ to 8½c.; cable, 45s.

## ASHES.

The receipts of ashes are light, and the market is quiet, with little business doing. Prices are steady: first pots \$4.10, and seconds \$3.65; pearls \$5.40 to \$5.50 per 100 lbs.

## MONTREAL TRADE NOTES.

A very early crop of new potatoes is expected this year, and holders are anxious sellers of old stock, desiring a clearance.

American buyers have taken about 5,000 to 7,000 boxes of lemons off this market during the week at \$3 to \$4 per box and upwards. Most of the goods have gone to Chicago, Minneapolis and the West.

A leading McGill street fruit merchant cleared \$1,000 in a single turnover of lemons in two days owing to these American purchases, making over \$2 per box profit.

The unsettled state of the New York coffee market has so far had little or no effect on the position on spot.

Stocks both of granulated and yellow sugar are down to the very lowest possible ebb in refiners' hands at present. For this reason advances are looked for with the preserving season coming on.

Advices from the Islands state that the season is about over in Barbadoes molasses and that seconds can be had at 10c. first cost.

The demand for Marshall & Co.'s goods is steadily on the increase. Now is the time for the wholesale trade to get posted by Walter R. Wigham & Sons regarding fall supplies, etc.

The hot weather is the season for fruit. No grocer should be without Chas. Southwell & Co.'s high class preserved goods, jams, jellies, marmalades, etc.

Frank Magor & Co., Montreal, have recently received another shipment of the celebrated marmalades, jams and jellies made by Chas. Southwell & Co., London, Eng-

land. The continued enquiry for these goods shows that they are appreciated by our best people.

There is a good demand for molasses at present. L. Chaput, Sons & Co. are in a position to attend promptly to all orders for it from their stock of fine Barbadoes at popular rates.

During the recent hot weather, Frank Magor & Co., Montreal, noticed a great increase in the demand for those popular foods, Robinson's patent barley and Robinson's patent groats. Samples are being sent out daily all over Canada to any one sending a post card to the firm.

The "Chocolat Menier" is the correct thing for all grocers to have. The trade should bear in mind that C. A. Chouillou, St. John street, Montreal, is the Canadian agent for this well known specialty.

Canned fish becomes a luxury in this warm weather, and the goods packed by Maconchie Bros., such as kippered and fresh herrings, herrings in tomato sauce, herrings in shrimp sauce, are meeting with a ready sale throughout Canada. The agents for this house are Frank Magor & Co., 16 St. John street, Montreal.

## ST. JOHN, N.B., MARKETS.

ST. JOHN, N.B., June 28, 1894.

THE past week has been a quiet one. In values, however, there is an improvement, and it is generally hoped that we will see better times. Where prices have been so low no one has been making any money. The effort has been who can sell at the lowest price. The dealers are all bears to such an extent that quality is not even a factor. In the lumber market there is nothing new. Shipments to Great Britain continue in fair quantity, while American demand is very light, with no encouraging signs. The imports of lumber into Great Britain from Canada during May of this year show a considerable decline from May of last year.

SPICE—Except in cream of tartar, which shows an advance, markets are as last week. Demand is light. We quote: Cream of tartar, 17½ to 19c. in brls., 20 to 25c. boxes; nutmegs, 60 to 90c.; cassia, 18 to 20c.; cloves, whole, 15 to 20c.; ground, 20 to 25c.; ginger, 18 to 22c.; bicarb. soda, \$2.30 to \$2.38, sal. soda, 1 to 1½c.; pepper, 12 to 16c.

SALT—Menett Bros. report a cargo landing at Point Duchesne. Stocks are landing with values easy. Price, to arrive ex vessel, about 45c. Coarse, 48 to 50c.; factory filled, \$1.15 to \$1.20; Canadian, 5-lb. bags, \$3.25 per barrel; 10-lb. bags, \$3.10 per barrel; 20-lb. wood boxes, 20c.; 10-lb. boxes, 12c.; rock salt, 50c. per 100 lb.

TOBACCO—Values show no change. Tuckett's goods are seen in increasing quantities; in quality they show extra value. McDonald's brands are quoted: Crown, 43c.; Pilot, 45c.; Index, 43c.; Napoleon, 49c. McAlpin's brands and prices are: Tecumseh, 65c.; Beaver, 62c.; Jubilee,

59c.; Gold Shield, 48c.; Woodcock, 53c.; Army and Navy, 45c.

OILS—Prices show no change though value in burning oil are not over firm. Best American, 18¼c.; best Canadian, 17¼c.; second grade, 13½c. Terms, 60 days; no charge for barrel. Linseed, raw, 56 to 59c.; boiled, 59 to 62c.; turpentine, 45 to 47c.; cod oil, 30 to 32c.; seal oil, steam refined, 45 to 48c.; pale, 40 to 43c.; olive oil, commercial, 95c. to \$1.05; castor oil, commercial, 7 to 7½c.; extra lard oil, 65 to 70c.; No. 1 lard oil, 60 to 65c.

CANNED GOODS—In oysters values are firm with prospects of advance. Gallon apples are becoming scarce. Vegetables are selling lower than they should when packers' prices are taken into consideration. Salmon are scarce owing to lower prices quoted for fall delivery. Corn, 90c.; peas, 90c.; tomatoes, 95c. to \$1; gallon apples, \$2.40 to \$2.50; salmon, \$1.30 to \$1.35; lobsters, \$1.75 to \$2; oysters, 1's, \$1.50; 2's, \$2.20; corned beef, 1 lb. tins, \$1.75; 2 lb. tins, \$2.65; American peaches, 2's, \$1.65; 3's, \$2.65; Canadian peaches, 2's, \$1.90; 3's, \$2.90.

DRIED FRUIT AND NUTS—In dates and prunes demand is light owing to the near approach of all small fruit. Evaporated apples and dried continue to be high and very scarce. Peanuts are very firm; other nuts are easier. Demand is, however, light. We quote: Sultana raisins, 7 to 7½c.; Valencias, 5½ to 5¾c.; layers, 6½ to 6¾c.; London layers, \$2.10 to \$2.20; loose muscatels, sacks, 6¼ to 6½c.; boxes, 6¾ to 7c.; prunes, 5½ to 6c.; dates, 5 to 6c.; currants, barrels, 3½ to 4c.; cases, 4 to 5c.; dried apples, 6¼ to 7c.; evaporated, 12½ to 13c.; figs, 10 to 12c.; Egyptian onions, 2¾ to 3c.; French walnuts, 11 to 12c.; Grenobles, 13 to 15c.; almonds, 13 to 14c.; Brazil 11 to 12c.; filberts, 9½ to 10c.; pecans, 12 to 13c.; peanuts, roasted, 10 to 11c.

FRUIT—Canadian berries are driving the American out of the market, and local berries will soon take their place, in fact a few are now to hand. Oranges continue to advance. Watermelons and gooseberries are quoted. Case oranges, \$8 to \$9; Messina, \$4.50 to \$5; blood oranges, half boxes, \$3; lemons, \$3 to \$4; pineapples, \$1.50 to \$2 per doz.; bananas, \$2 to \$2.50 per bunch; tomatoes, \$4.50 per crate; cucumbers, 90c. to \$1 per doz.; strawberries, 15 to 18c.; watermelons, 65 to 75c.; gooseberries, 75c. per bunch.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—In eggs the past week has been dull, a large quantity of seconds from P.E.I. being put on the market. Demand is but fair. Cheese is meeting ready sale, though the market is weak; local factories continue backward. Butter shows no demand. Eggs, 8½ to 9c.; butter, creamery, 20 to 22c.; dairy, 15 to 17c.; cheese, 11c.

MOLASSES—Another cargo of Barbadoes is to hand. Advices from the Island have caused importers to hold more firm. Prices,



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however, are still low; demand is good. We quote: Barbadoes, 27 to 28c.; fancy Porto Rico, 43c.; choice, 35c.; Antigua, 27 to 28c.; St. Croix, 37 to 38c.; syrup, 35c.

**SUGAR**—In spite of advance some dealers are still landing at considerable above present prices. During the past week prices have continued to show upward tendency. We quote: Granulated,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to  $4\frac{3}{8}$ c.; white ex C,  $3\frac{3}{4}$  to 4c.; bright yellow,  $3\frac{3}{8}$  to  $3\frac{3}{4}$ c.; yellow,  $3\frac{3}{8}$  to  $3\frac{1}{2}$ c.; dark yellow,  $3\frac{3}{4}$  to  $3\frac{3}{8}$ c.; Barbadoes,  $3\frac{3}{4}$  to 4c.; Paris lump, 6 to  $6\frac{1}{4}$ c.; powdered, 6 to  $6\frac{1}{4}$ c.

**FISH**—Prices are easier; but for the scarcity of bait, which is a great drawback, line fishing would be good. Salmon are in good supply, some fifty boats landing about 300 per day. Gaspereaux are still taken in small numbers. It is expected the run of herring will be large this season. Codfish, large, \$3.75 to \$3.90; medium, \$3.40 to \$3.50; pollock, \$1.00; salmon, 8 to 9c.; lobsters, \$5.50 to \$6; new bay herring, half brl., \$1.40 to \$1.50; medium smoked herring, 11 to 12c.; lengthwise, 10 to 11c.

**PROVISIONS**—Mess pork is higher. Smoked meats are easy. Demand is light. Clear mess pork, \$18.50 to \$19; P.E.I. mess, \$16.75 to \$17; prime mess, \$14 to \$14.50; plate beef, \$13.50 to \$14; extra plate, \$14 to \$14.50; pure lard, 10 to 11c.; compound,  $8\frac{1}{2}$  to 10c.; Cottolene,  $9\frac{3}{4}$  to 10c.

#### GRADING BUTTER.

**A** LOCAL system of grading butter was established a couple of years ago at Birtle in this province. An inspector was appointed, who graded all butter before it was purchased by the local merchants. Three grades were established, and prices were fixed according to grade. No. 2 was valued at two cents under No. 1, and No. 3 at three cents per pound under No. 2. This made a direct incentive to make good butter, under which the quality produced in the district decidedly improved. Those who could not or would not take the pains to produce good butter, stopped making it altogether, much to the relief of the local merchants, who were obliged to handle the poor stuff, usually at a loss. This spring the plan of butter inspection has been allowed to lapse and as a result the quality of the butter has already begun to deteriorate. This indicates what has often been stated by the Commercial, that the custom of buying butter at one price regardless of quality, is very detrimental to the country, as well as unsatisfactory to the merchants. It encourages the production of an average poor quality of butter, and reduces the profit which the producers as well as the merchants should receive from making and handling the commodity. At the same time, merchants find it almost impossible to make any distinction in buying butter, without a system of inspection which will relieve them of the responsibility of classifying the commodity according to grade, as they would

certainly lose the custom of any one whose butter would be given a second or third classification. Nevertheless an effort should be made, wherever it can be carried out, to establish a system of classifying butter, and paying a price for it in keeping with its quality.—Commercial, Winnipeg.

#### A BAD PLUM HARVEST.

**A**CCORDING to the report of Consul-General Freeman to Lord Rosebery on the plum trade of Bosnia, says Grocer's Review, an English trade journal, last year was a disastrous one, the winter of 1892-93 in these provinces being the severest and longest on record. The frost commenced on the 5th of December, and continued without interruption till the 22nd of February. At Serajevo as much as 60 deg. F. of frost were registered, and in the Posavina the mercury is said to have fallen so low as 37 deg. Centigrade, which is equal to 66 deg. F. of frost. There were also at intervals during this period very heavy falls of snow. The plum trees, especially in the low lying lands, suffered immensely from this severe weather, and it is reckoned that throughout the province at least one-third of the trees perished. In the neighborhood of Brcka not a tree is left, and in the Posavina alone the loss is estimated at not less than 500,000 trees. Those that survived are so mutilated and injured by the frost and snow that it will be many years before they are again in full bearing. The average annual produce of a plum tree is about 20 okes (355 lb.) of fresh fruit; of 500,000 trees, therefore, 10,000,000 okes, which will yield about 3,000 metric quintals of dried fruits. Reckon this at 20fl. (33s. 4d.) per quintal, and we obtain the sum of 600,000 fl. (£50,000) as the average annual loss in the Posavina alone until the frozen trees have been replaced and the new ones are in full bearing, which, even if no time is lost in replanting, will require a period of not less than ten years.

The plum trees in Bosnia, it is said, never yield a good crop two consecutive years, and as the crop of 1892 in the lowlands was very abundant, it was, as might be expected apart from the injury done to the trees in winter, a very indifferent one this year. On the other hand, on the uplands, where the trees had suffered much less from the severity of the winter, the crop was so abundant that the trees were breaking down under the weight of the fruit. The summer in Bosnia was so wet and cool that it was feared the fruit would be of inferior quality, but a succession of hot days at the end of August and beginning of September came just in time to bring the fruit to maturity and to develop the saccharine matter and flavor for which the Bosnian plum is so justly renowned. The gathering of the plums began this year nearly a month later than usual, and the first lot of dried fruits appeared on the market only

about the middle of September, instead of the middle of August. Setting aside the deficiency caused by the destruction of so many trees, this year's crop may be regarded as a fair average one in quantity, both as regards size, sweetness, and flavor. The crop having also been good in other plum-producing countries as Servia, France, etc., it was feared prices would be low, and such was in fact the case for the lots first brought to the market at Brcka. Prices, however, soon rose, partly owing to the superior quality of the fruit, and partly on account of the deficiency in the supply caused by the destruction of so many trees. The price paid in the autumn at Brcka to the producers for unsorted fruit averaged 14fl. (23s. 4d.) per horse load of 100 okes (278 lb.), and the assorted fruit is now fetching from 9fl. to 22fl. (15s. to 36s. 8d.) per 100 okes, according to quality.

The total amount available for exportation was not estimated at more than 200,000 metric quintals (19,984 tons). A railway bridge over the Save, which will connect Brcka, via Gunja and Binkovce, with the Hungarian state lines, is now in course of construction, and will be completed next summer. This will effect some reduction in freights, which cannot but benefit the plum trade of Bosnia.

#### SOMETHING ABOUT PECANS.

**T**HE pecan belongs to the family of hickory, and is found growing in its wild state from the Gulf of Mexico to the Great Lakes, but principally in the rich soil along the Wabash, Missouri and Mississippi and many rivers in Texas and Arkansas. Along these rivers the pecan tree attains its largest growth, and in the South it often measures three or four feet in diameter, with a spread of top of 60 or 70 feet. Its habit is lower and more spreading than the hickory when not surrounded by other trees, and when growing alone it makes a full oval head forming one of the handsomest shades trees, with foliage of a rich dark green color.

Under favorable conditions, the tree is of very rapid growth. The nuts are borne in clusters of three to as many as seven of the extremities new wood, the saminate flowers appearing at the ends of the preceding year's growth. Many years ago some nuts were planted in Maryland, and now some of the finest pecan trees in the Union may be found growing there.

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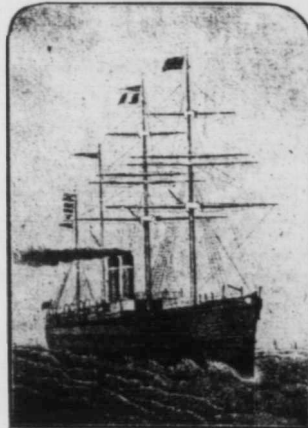
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shell, or paper shell pecans, come from Louisiana, some of these nuts are from  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $1\frac{3}{4}$  inches in length, and from three-fourths to one inch in thickness. These fancy pecans bring from 25 to 40 cents a pound on the market in New Orleans, and all the larger nuts are used at home for the table, while only the smaller ones reach the trade in the North. Texas pecans grow wild there, but are cultivated to a limited extent. There are a few groves of from 100 to 200 acres each in the central portions of Texas, along the Brazos River. These pecans are shipped by carload lots, the price being fixed at so much per pound. A carload ranges from 24,000 to 30,000 pounds, and the price for the Texas nuts in their native State is generally from 5 to 6 cents per pound.

"There are some fine cultivated pecan groves of from 40 to 50 trees to the acre in Louisiana," said George B. Spear, of St. Louis. "A pecan tree bears a few nuts at 6 to 7 years of age, but at 10 years, if the tree has had proper care and soil, it will give a paying crop of 150 pounds of nuts. The crop will increase annually until the tree arrives at a mature-bearing age when it is from 20 to 30 years old. When in its maturity a tree will raise from 200 to 250 pounds of nuts. Then figure on an average price of 7 cents per pound for the nuts, or, say, an average of \$15 per tree, and with 40

trees to the acre, that would mean \$600 an acre for one crop.

"Of course the pecan grower must wait ten or twelve years before his grove begins to pay a profit.

"Pecan trees thrive best near a stream, and a sandy subsoil is preferable. The deep alluviums, or river lands, even those liable to occasional overflow, and such as are in consequence of little value for other purposes, constitute those of greatest value to plant the pecan upon. But it is not advisable to select land with too compact a subsoil which holds surface water. The pecan tree has a tap root which shoots downward perfectly straight until it strikes water. This tap root is often longer than the tree itself.

"The pecan industry is growing rapidly, but there is much room for improvement. The general public have not found out the value of this industry. But any man who desires to leave his children in good circumstances could not do better than plant a pecan grove for each one. Twenty to thirty years from now the groves would be paying enormous profits. When pecans are plentiful the big ones command the big prices. The lowlands along many of these Southern rivers that overflow each year can be purchased for \$5 an acre.

"The young pecan trees can be purchased from the nurseries for 20 cents apiece, and it costs not more than \$10 per acre to plant a

pecan grove. Many of the lowlands in Illinois are favorable places for pecan growing. Of course, the nuts would not grow so large up here as they do in the South, but they would command 6 cents a pound, or \$14 for the crop of one tree. The wild nuts bring only  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 cents per pound. The trees do not interfere with grazing; in fact, a pecan grove is to be treated much as an apple orchard or orange grove. There is something in pecans if a man wants to look out for his children."

The heaviest trade in pecans is during the Thanksgiving and Christmas holiday season. In this respect it is different from the peanut trade, which lasts the year around. The largest pecan grove in the world is one containing 600 acres, near Lampasas, Texas.—St. Louis Republic.

### A TRICK THAT DIDN'T WORK.

A woman who resides in Alton, says the Bolton Enterprise, went into one of the stores and asked for a box of matches. She returned in a short time and asked to have the box exchanged for another as the matches were not good. The merchant suspected there was something wrong, and opened the box to find that the matches had been removed from a number of the small boxes which had been put in place again empty. This match trick is matchless in its meaning.



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### TRADE CHAT.

**I**N the rotunda of the Board of Trade the Australian products of honey, butter, wines, woods and canned meats and soups and 100 samples of wool sent from the Sheep and Wool Department of the Technological Museum at Sydney are on exhibition. There are 45 samples of canned meats and soups from the Sydney Meat Preserving Company and six Coolalta wines in pint bottles.

A new post office is being opened up in East Galway.

The Muskoka and Georgian Bay Navigation Co.'s steamers are now running daily on Lakes Rosseau, Joseph and Muskoka.

Brechin, Phoenix-like, is rising from its ashes. Already several new stores are in course of erection on the main street. Good for Brechin.

London has a big appetite. It devours every year over 400,000 oxen, 1,600,000 sheep, 500,000 calves, 700,000 hogs, fowls innumerable, and consumes 9,800,000 gallons of milk.

Bradford was en fete Thursday and Friday of last week. It had horse races these two days, and on Friday afternoon nearly all the merchants closed their stores and went with their clerks to see the fun.

Work has been started upon the large addition to the Hudson's Bay Co.'s store at

Rat Portage. The addition is to be considerably larger than the present store and to have all the modern improvements.

Over twenty new buildings are in course of erection at Huntsville. Thirty-four were burned during the recent fire. "Huntsville will be on its feet again in a few months," remarked a traveler.

The following new post offices have been established in Nova Scotia: At Big Ridge South, Cape Breton, with Donald McKeagan as postmaster; at Granite Village, Shelburne, with Albert Melvin as postmaster; at Washaback Bridge, Victoria county, with John McInnis as postmaster. The office at Stillwater, Guysbois county, has been closed.

The Gulf of Georgia Canning Company's new cannery, which is the largest on the Fraser River, is now rapidly nearing completion, and for some days a large force has been engaged at can making. The Company intend to put up 30,000 cases this season. C. S. Windsor, one of the best known and most experienced canners on the Fraser is manager of the Company.—News, Vancouver.

Before the middle of next month, the Sault Ste. Marie canal, on the Canadian side, will probably be open for traffic. The masonry work is finished, and the lock-gates, seven in number, are on the ground ready to be put in. If all goes well, water may be let into the canal as early as 10th July, and

it is safe to say that unless something unusual and unexpected happens the canal will be ready to receive traffic by the 15th July and probably before.

Seven teams and about 15 men are now at work on the excavations for the block of stores which is being erected on the corner of Main and Centre streets. The stores are to be commodious, well lighted, solid brick structures, each 100 feet long and 24 feet wide. They will be two storeys high, flat roof, supplied with a complete service from the water-works system. The cost of the block will be in the neighborhood of \$15,000.—Beeton World.

Mr. Miln, publisher of Cycling, also one of the staff of THE CANADIAN GROCER, was in Moosomin, Man., June 17 and 18. He left by last night's train for Regina. Mr. Miln traveled from Winnipeg to Moosomin on his bicycle. He says that he has had a splendid trip and the roads are excellent for wheeling. It was his intention to travel through to the mountains on his wheel, but owing to the rain which fell Monday night the roads were not in good condition yesterday.—Free Press, Winnipeg.

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**SALMON PROPAGATION.**

A NEAT pamphlet has been published by P. D. Orvis, New York, with engravings showing the apparatus used for the artificial propagation of salmon, and the operations of salmon fishing and canning as conducted at Gold Beach, Curry county, Oregon, U.S.A. The idea of Mr. Orvis in publishing this booklet is to draw attention of both producer and consumer to the danger of the total extinction of this most valuable of food fish, and provide a simple method for their preservation. Special stress is laid upon the salmon of the Pacific Coast and their influence upon the industries and share in the development of the Northwest. their value as a food product and the proper methods for their protection. The commercial varieties of salmon, their habits, modes of culture and apparatus necessary for their propagation are also dealt with.

**DEATH OF ERNEST H. COPP.**

Died, on the 26th June, at 96 Wellesley street, Ernest H. Copp, in his 25th year. Funeral, 3 20 p. m., Thursday.

This was the unwelcome notice pinned to a large piece of crape fastened to the door of Wright & Copp's warehouse, Colborne street, that caught the eye of those who tried to open the door of that firm on Tuesday last about noon. Poor "Erney," as his friends in the trade knew him, had passed away a little over an hour previously. His death had been looked for for some time, but the grim messenger came when he was not expected. Deceased felt fairly well on Tuesday morning, but after eating a hearty breakfast was attacked with a choking sensation, and by 10.30 a.m. he was dead. Mr. Copp was well and favorably known in the grocery trade, in which he was well-schooled. He received his primary lessons in the trade in the wholesale grocery warehouse of Davidson & Hay. He was with that firm several years, during the last two of which he represented Davidson & Hay in the capacity of city traveler. He left that firm about three years and a-half ago to join Henry Wright in forming the present firm of Wright & Copp. Deceased was a bright and sturdy looking young man until about a year ago he had an attack of la grippe, which seemed to have affected the heart. Since then he has not been well, but it was not until within the last few months that any serious consequences were feared. Then he could only put in a few hours a day at the warehouse, and for two weeks prior to his demise he had to remain away altogether. Deceased was of a quiet and unassuming manner, and had a pleasant greeting for everybody who came in contact with him. He was cut off when his prospects in life seemed to be at their very brightest. The firm of which he was a member was doing a good business, while the age in which he would naturally be in the prime of his manhood was before him. Ernest H. Copp will be remembered long by the grocery trade of Toronto. His funeral on Thursday was largely attended.

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**H**ORACE G. DUBOIS, grocer, 302 Charlevoix street, Montreal, has assigned at the demand of Theodo e Routhier. The liabilities are \$1,584. The principal creditors are T. Routhier, \$345; Caverhill, Hughes & Co., \$189; N. N. Dubois, Actonvale, \$300, and thirty others in small amounts.

Magee & Co., grocers, Brandon, have assigned.

A. Donald, confectionery, Kingston, has assigned.

K. A. Warriner, Toronto Business College, has assigned.

Wm. Snow, general merchant, Ecum Secum, N.S., has assigned.

Joseph B. Porter, general merchant, Andover, N.B., has assigned.

Newitt Bros., grocers, Vancouver, have assigned to Thomas Williamson.

A meeting has been called of the creditors of H. O. Dubois, grocer, Montreal.

B. Patry, boots and shoes, Hull, Que., is offering to compromise at 50c. on the dollar cash.

C. Desmarteau, has been appointed curator of the estate of J. A. Boucher & Co., Montreal.

Marsau & Brosseau, exporters, hay, etc., are offering to compromise at 25c. on the dollar.

Mrs Mark Cohen, crockery, Montreal, is trying to compromise with creditors at 50c. on the dollar, cash.

George K. Batson, general merchant Campobello, N.B., is offering to compromise at 25c. on the dollar.

Samuel Reid, general merchant, Orr Lake, has assigned. James Fitzgerald, in the same line of business at Victoria Road, has done likewise.

The bankrupt stock of Marshall & Co., teas, London, inventoried at \$10,062, was sold by auction last week to John Dunn, city, at 62 cents on the dollar.

PARTNERSHIPS FORMED AND DISSOLVED.

Bordeaux Wine Co., Montreal, has dissolved.

T. McManus & Sons, general merchants, Memramcook, N.B., have dissolved.

Ranger & Allard, liquors, Ottawa, have dissolved; D. V. Ranger continues.

SALES MADE AND PENDING.

Stock of Joseph Pare, general merchant, St. Vincent de Paul, Que., is to be sold by auction.

Stock of McKenzie Bros., general merchants, Buckingham, Que., has been sold at 68c. on the dollar.

CHANGES.

Lake Winnipeg Fish Co., has sold out to F. W. Colcleugh.

Henry Felix, grocer, Winnipeg, has been succeeded by Stoddard & Reid.

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Theophile Belanger, has been registered proprietress of her husband's business.

J. Boivin has been registered proprietor of J. Boivin & Co., grocers, Quebec.

L. C. Rogers, boots and shoes and groceries, Regina, has sold groceries to Fair & Maguire.

F. M. Bond, general merchant, Port Dover, has been succeeded by C. W. Thompson.

Davis Bros. & Co., general merchants, Oxford, N. S., have been succeeded by Hickman & Davis.

Albert Hudon, Montreal, is now registered as trading under the name of D. Spinelli, vermicelli, etc.

**FIRES.**

C. Hamilton & Son, saw mill, St. John, N.B., have been burned out.

The factory of D. N. Hoegg & Co., fish packers, Fredericton, N.B., has been burned.

The saw and grist mill of Corey Bros., Havelock, N.B., have been partially burned.

Grist mill of W. B. McAllister & Son, Pembroke, has been partially damaged by fire.

H. A. Henshaw, general merchant, River du Chute, has been burned out; insured for \$2,500.

**DEATHS.**

Harriet Zurhorst, of Zurhorst, pork and provisions, is dead.

A. H. Camerand, feed and provisions, Sherbrooke, is dead.

T. P. G. Bryan, of Pigot & Bryan, wholesale crockery, glassware, etc., London, is dead.

Charles H. Fairweather, of Hall & Fairweather, flour and commission merchants, St. John, N.B., is dead.

**THE AGE OF WINE.**

The increase of the strength of wine by keeping depends upon whether it is kept in cask or bottle, says an exchange. If stored in cask there is a constant increase of alcohol. The ancients knew that wine improved if kept in leathern bottles, and the same result is obtained by keeping it in wooden vessels, for both leather and wood are more easily penetrated by water than by alcohol; evaporation ensues from both, but more freely from water, and the wine consequently becomes richer in alcohol. On the other hand, the opinion that wine has grown old in bottles, and has, therefore, become stronger, is thoroughly false. Evaporation is very much hindered by the cork, even when this is not covered by rosin and sealing wax. The simple explanation of our finding old bottled wine rich in alcohol is that only the stronger wines can be preserved, and the weaker ones cannot resist the effects of time. At the same time, although all wine must eventually be spoiled and weakened by keeping it in bottles, yet some kinds acquire—as a first consequence of that cause which afterward destroys them, and which is neither more nor less than the chemical alteration in their constituents—properties which render them more agreeable both to smell and taste.

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## CURRENT MARKET QUOTATIONS

TORONTO, June 29, 1894  
This list is corrected every Thursday. The prices are solicited for publication, and are for such quantities and quantities as are usually ordered by retail dealers on the usual terms of credit.

Goods in large lots and for prompt pay are generally obtainable at lower prices.

All quotations in this department are under the direct control of the Editor, and are not paid for or doctored by any manufacturing or jobbing house unless given under their name; the right being reserved to exclude such firms as do not furnish reliable information.

### BAKING POWDER.

PURE GOLD, per doz	5 lb. cans, 1 doz. in case	19 80
1 lb. cans, 1 doz.	in case	16 00
1/4 lb. cans, 1 and 3 doz in case		10 50
16 oz. cans, 1, 2 and 4 doz. in case		4 60
12 oz. cans, 2 and 4 doz. in case		3 70
8 oz. cans, 2 and 4 doz. in case		2 40
6 oz. cans, 2 and 4 doz in case		1 90
4 oz. cans, 4 and 6 doz in case		2 00
Dunn's No. 1, in tins		75
Cook's Friend—		
8 size 1, in 2 and 4 doz boxes		22 40
10, in 4 doz boxes		2 10
2, in 6		80
12, in 6		7c
3, in 4		45
Pound tins, 3 doz. in case		3 00
12 oz tins, 3 doz in case		2 40



3 oz tins, 4	1 10
5 lb tins, 1/2 doz. in case	14 00
OCEAN No 10— doz cases	50 75
1-lb. 3 doz cases	1 80
No 1 (14 oz) 2 doz case	1 80
1-lb. 2 doz in cases	2 00
3-lb. 1 doz. in cases	5 75
5-lb. 1/2 doz.	9 00
5-lb. 1/2 doz.	9 60
DIAMOND— 1/2 lb. tins, 4 doz cases	0 67 1/2
1-lb. " 3 " "	1 17
1-lb. " 2 " "	1 98

### BISCUITS.

TORONTO BISCUIT & CONFECTIONERY CO	
Abernethy	8 1/2
Arrowroot	10 1/2
Butter	6
3 lbs.	20
Cabin	7 1/2
Cottage	8 1/2
Digestive	8
Daisy Wafer	16
Garibaldi	9
Gingerbread	10
Ginger Nuts	10
Graham Wafer	9
Lemon	10
Milk	9
Nic Nac	12
Oyster	6 1/2
People's Mixed	10
Pic Nic	09 1/2
Prairie	8
Rich Mixed	14
School Cake	11
Soda	6
3 lb.	20
Sultana	10
Tea	10
Tid Bits	9
Variety	12
Village	7 1/2
Wine	8 1/2

### BLACKING.

Spanish, No. 3	4 50
" " 5	3 00
" " 10	9 00
Japanese, No. 3	4 50
" " 5	7 50
Jaquot's French No. 2	3 00
" " 3	4 50
" " 4	6 00
" " 5	9 00
1-gross Cabinets, asst.	7 50
Egyptian, No. 1	9 00
" " 2	4 50
P. G. FRENCH BLACKING, per gross	
1/2 No. 4	24 00

1/2 No. 6	4 50
1/2 No. 8	7 25
1/2 No. 10	25
P. G. FRENCH DRESSING, per doz	
No. 7, 1 or 2 doz. in box	22 00
No. 4	1 25
RALSTON'S FRENCH	
No. 1	39 00
" 2	4 80
" 3	3 60
" "	4 50

### BLACK LEAD.

NIXEY'S	
Refined in 1d., 2d., 4d. and 1s. packages, (9 lb. boxes)	7s 6d 22 25
Jubilee in 1oz. and 2 oz. round blocks in cartons (9 lb. boxes)	4s 3d 2 00
Silver Moonlight, Plum-bago Stove Polish (13 1/2 lb. boxes)	
6 1/2 lb. in large 1d. pkts, 1 gross	4s 3d 1 50
13 lb. in large 1d. pkts, 2 gross	8s 6d 3 00
13 lb. in large 1d. pkts, 1 gross	7s 6d 2 50
13 lb. in large 2d. pkts, 1 gross	7s 6d 2 50
Reckitt's Black Lead, per box	1 15
Each box contains either 1 gro., 1 oz.; 1 gro., 2 oz., or 1 gro., 4 oz.	
Per gross	
Silver Star Stove Paste	9 00
Matchless silver polish	24 00

### MATCHLESS STOVE PASTE POLISH.

No. 1	9 00
" 2	7 90
" 3	4 80

### BLUE.

NIXEY'S	
"Soho Squar" in 8 lb. boxes, of 16x6d. boxes, London	6s 0d
"Soho Square" in 8 lb. boxes, of	

Per gross	
16x6d. boxes, Canada	23 25
"Cervus" bag blue, 1 size	2 50
" " " " "	1 25
Reckitt's Pure Blue	2 10
KEEN'S OXFORD, per lb	
1 lb packets	0 17
1/2 lb " "	0 17

### KNIFE POLISH.

NIXEY'S	
"Cervus" boxes of 1 doz.	
6d. London 3s., Canada	\$1 15
"Cervus" boxes of 1 doz.	
1s. London 6s., Canada	\$2 30
For 5 gross and upward	

### CORN BROOMS.

CHAR. BOECKH & SONS, per doz	
net.	
Carpet Brooms—	
"Imperial," ex. fine, 8, 4 strings	33 65
Do. do. 7, 4 strings	3 25
Do. do. 6, 3 strings	3 25
"Victoria," fine, No. 8, 4 strings	3 30
Do. do. 7, 4 strings	3 10
Do. do. 6, 3 strings	2 90
"Standard," select, 8, 4 strings	2 90
Do. do. 7, 4 strings	2 7c
Do. do. 6, 3 strings	2 60
Do. do. 5, 3 strings	2 40

### CANNED GOODS.

Per doz	
Apples, 3's	\$0 95 \$1 00
" " galions	2 50 2 60
Blackberries, 2's	1 75 2 00
Blueberries, 2's	1 00 1 10
Beans, 2's	0 85 0 95
Corn, 2's	0 85 0 90
" " Epicure	1 15
Cherries, red pitted, 2's	1 85 1 90
Peas, 2's	0 80 90
" " Sifted select	1 25
Pears, Bartlett, 2's	1 75
" " Sugar, 2's	1 50
Pineapple, 7's	2 25 2 75



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Prices Current Continued—

Table listing various goods such as Peaches, Plums, Pumpkins, Raspberries, Strawberries, Succotash, Tomatoes, Lobster, Sardines, and Mustard with their respective prices.

MARSHALL & CO., ABERDEEN, SCOTLAND.

Table listing fresh and preserved fish items like Herrng, Kippered Herrng, Herring in Tomato Sauce, etc.

CANNED MEATS.

Table listing various canned meat products including Corn Beef, Ox Tongue, Lunch Tongue, English Brawn, and soups.

CHEWING GUM.

Table listing chewing gum products from Adams & Sons Co., including Tutti Frutti and Pepsin Tutti Frutti.

Table listing various gums and candies such as Orange Blossom, Flirtation Gum, Monte Cristo, Mexican Fruit, Sappota, Sweet Fern, Black Jack, Red Rose, Magic Trick, Oolah, Puzzle Gum, Bo-Kay, Red Spruce Chico, Tutti Frutti Girl, Sign Box, Tutti Frutti cash box, and Glass Jar with Pepsin Tutti Frutti.

C. B. SOMERVILLE.

Table listing various confectionery items like Mexican Fruit, Pepsin, Sweet Sugar Cane, Celery, Lalla Rookh, Jingle Bell, Cracker, O-Don't-O, Little Jap, Dude Prize, Clock Gum, and various flavored gums.

CHOCOLATES & COCOAS.

Table listing various chocolate and cocoa products including Cocoa essence, Mexican chocolate, Rock chocolate, Cocoa nibs, and Taylor Bros' Chocolate & Chicory.

Table listing various chocolate products from Todhunter, Mitchell & Co., including French, Caraccas, Premium, Sante, Diamond, Sticks, and Cocoa.

Table listing various chocolate products from Walter Baker & Co., including Premium No. 1, Baker's Vanilla, Caraccas Sweet, Best Sweet, and Vanilla Tablets.

Table listing various chocolate and cocoa products from Menier Fabricant de Chocolat, including Paris et Noisiel, Yellow wrapper, Chamois, Pink, Blue, Green, Lilac, Bronze, White Glace, and Premium.

Table listing various Fry's chocolate products including Carracas, Vanilla, Gold Medal, Pure, unsweetened, Fry's Diamond, Fry's Monogram, and Concentrated cocoa.

Table listing various Mott's chocolate products including Mott's Broma, Mott's Prepared Cocoa, Mott's Homoeopatic Cocoa, Mott's Breakfast Chocolate, Mott's Caracas Chocolate, Mott's Diamond Chocolate, Mott's French-Can Chocolate, Mott's Navy or Cooking Choc, Mott's Cocoa Nibs, Mott's Cocoa Shells, Vanilla sticks, Mott's Consec Chocolate, and Mott's Sweet Choc. Liquors.

Table listing various Cowan Cocoa and Chocolate Co. products including Hygienic Cocoa and Cocoa essence.

Table listing various Walter Baker & Co. products including Premium No. 1, Baker's Vanilla, Caraccas Sweet, Best Sweet, and Vanilla Tablets.

Table listing various Menier Fabricant de Chocolat products including Paris et Noisiel, Yellow wrapper, Chamois, Pink, Blue, Green, Lilac, Bronze, White Glace, and Premium.

Table listing various Fancy Chocolates including Fingers, Pastilles, and each case contents.



Highland Brand Evaporated Cream, per case 7 25, 4 doz 1 lb tins.

Table listing various Clothes Pins including b gross, single & 10bx lots, Star, 6, and cotton bags.

Table listing various Coffee products including Mocha, Old Government Java, Rio, Platano Ceylon, Porto Rico, Guatemala, Jamaica, Maracaibo, and Caffaroma.

Table listing various Todhunter, Mitchell & Co. products including Excelsior Blend, Our Own, Jersey, Laguayra, Mocha and Java, Old Government Java, Arabian Mocha, Maracaibo, and Santos.

Table listing various Drugs and Chemicals including Alum, Blue Vitriol, Brimstone, Borax, Camphor, Carbolic Acid, Castor Oil, Cream Tartar, Epsom Salts, Paris Green, Extract Logwood, Gentian, Glycerine, and Hellebore.

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7 FRONT STREET EAST.

Prices current continued -

Iodine	5 50	6 00
Insect Powder	0 26	0 30
Saltpetre	0 08½	0 09
Soda Bicarb, per keg	2 50	
Salt Soda	1 18	1 25
Madder	0 12½	

**EXTRACTS.**

Dalley's Fine Gold, No. 8, p. doz	80	75
" " " " 1, 1½ oz.	1 25	
" " " " 2, 2 oz.	1 75	
" " " " 3, 3 oz.	2 00	

**FLUID BEEF.**

JOHNSTON'S, MONTREAL.

Fluid Beef—No. 1, 2 oz tins	per doz	3 00
No. 2, 4 oz tins		5 00
No. 3, 8 oz tins		8 75
No. 4, 1 lb tins		14 25
No. 5, 2 lb tins		27 00
Staminal—2 oz bottles		3 00
4 oz "		6 00
8 oz "		9 00
16 oz "		12 75
Fluid Beef (Cordial) 30 oz. bottles		15 00
Milk Granules in cases 4 doz		6 00
Milk Granules with Cereals— in cases 4 doz		5 00

**FRUITS**

<b>FOREIGN</b>		c per lb
Currants, Provincials, bbls.	3½	4
" " " " bbls	3½	4½
" " Filistras, bbls	4	4½
" " " " bbls	4½	4½
Currants, Patras, bbls	5	5½
" " " " bbls	5½	5½
" " " " cases	5	6½
" " Vostizzas, cases	6½	7½
" " " " cases	6½	7½
" " 5-crown Excelsior (cases)	8	8½
" " " " case	8½	8½
" " Panarita (finer than Vos.)	8½	9½
Dates, Persian, boxes	5½	5
Figs, Eleme, 10 lb. boxes	9½	10
" " 7 Crown	13½	14
Natural Figs, 28 lb boxes	6	6½
Prunes, Bosnia, casks	4	4½
" " " " bags	3½	4½
" " " " cases	5½	7
Raisins, Valencia, off-stalk	5½	6½
Fine off-stalk	6½	7
Raisins, Sultanias	5½	8½
" " Eleme		
" " Malaga		
London layers	2 25	2 25
Imperial cabinets	2 25	2 50
Royal clusters		
Fancy Vega boxes		
Black baskets		
Blue		
Dehesas boxes	3 75	
Lemons	1 75	3 50
Oranges, Californias	2 50	3 50
" " Valencias	4 50	7 00
" " Floridas	3 50	4 50
" " Messinas, ¼ bxs	2 00	2 25
" " " " boxes	3 50	4 50
<b>DOMESTIC</b>		
Apples, Dried, per lb.	6½	6½
do Evaporated		11

**FISH.**

Pike	per lb.	0 00	0 05
White fish		0 07	
Salmon Trout		0 06	
Lake Erie herring, per 100		2 00	
Smoked Fish:			
Finnan Haddies, per lb	0 06½	0 07½	
Flosters, per box	1 50		
Digby herring		0 15	
Sea Fish:			
Express Haddock, per lb	0 06½		
Cod		0 05½	
B.C. salmon		0 15	



**FOOD.**

<b>PETTJOHN'S</b>	
Per case 3 doz. 2 lb pkg in case	\$1 00
Ten cents more Quebec.	
<b>QUAKER ROLLED OATS.</b>	
Per case, 3 doz. 2-lbs in case	\$3 70
Ten cents more Quebec.	

**FOOD**

<b>ROBINSON'S BARLEY AND GROATS.</b>	
Patent barley, ½ lb. tins	per doz \$1 25
" " " " "	2 25
Patent groats, ½ lb. tins	1 25
" " " " "	2 25
<b>GRAIN.</b>	
Wheat, White	0 63 0 64
" " Red Winter	0 63 0 64
" " Goose	0 62 0 63
Wheat, Spring, No. 2	0 63 0 64
" " Man. Hard, No. 1	0 74
" " " " No. 2	0 70
Oats, No. 2 per 34 lbs	4 9
Barley, No 1 per 48 lbs.	47 49
" " No. 2	
" " No. 3	
Peas	59 60
Corn	52

**HAY & STRAW.**

Hay, Pressed, "on track	8 50	9 00
Straw, Pressed	5 50	6 00

**HARDWARE, PAINTS AND OILS.**

<b>CUT NAILS, from Toronto</b>	
50 to 60 dy basis	1 90
40 dy	1 90 1 95
30 dy	1 95 2 00
20, 18 and 12 dy	2 00 2 05
10 dy	2 05 2 10
8 and 9 dy	2 10 2 15
6 and 7 dy	2 25 2 30
5 dy	2 45 2 50
4 dy A P	2 45 2 50
3 dy A P	2 85 2 90
4 dy C P	2 35 2 40
3 dy C P	3 05 3 10

**HORSE NAILS:**

Canadian, dis. 60 to 60 and 2½ per cent.	
<b>HORSE SHOES:</b>	
From Toronto, per keg	3 80
<b>SCREWS: Wood—</b>	
Flat head iron 7½ p.c. dia	
Round " " 7½ p.c. dia.	
Flat head brass 75 p.c. dia	
Round head brass 70 p.c.	

**WINDOW GLASS:** [To find out what break any required size of pane comes under, add its length and breadth together. Thus in a 7x9 pane the length and breadth come to 16 inches; which shows it to be a first-break glass, i.e., not over 25 inches in the sum of its length and breadth.]  
1st break (25 in and under) 1 20 1 25  
2nd " (26 to 40 inches) 1 40  
3rd " (41 to 50 " ) 3 10  
4th " (51 to 60 " ) 3 40  
5th " (61 to 70 " ) 3 70  
**ROPE:** Manila 0 69 0 09½  
Sisal 0 68 0 07½  
New Zealand 0 08½ 0 09  
**AXES:** Per box, \$6 to \$12.  
**SHOT:** Canadian, dis. 12½ per cent.  
**HINGES:** Heavy T and strap... 04½ 05  
Screw, hook & strap. 03½ 04

<b>WHITE LEAD:</b> Pure Ass'n guaranteed ground in oil.	
25 lb. irons	per lb ... 4½
No. 1	" ... 4½
No. 2	" ... 4½
No. 3	" ... 4
<b>TURPENTINE</b> Selected packages, per gal	0 42 0 43
<b>LINSEED OIL</b> per gal, raw	0 53½
Boiled, per gal	0 56½
<b>GLUE:</b> Common, per lb.	0 10 0 11

**INDURATED FIBRE WARE.**

½ pall, 6 qt.	\$4 00
Star Standard, 12 qt	4 50
Milk, 14 qt.	5 50
Round bottomed fire pall, 14 qt.	5 50
Tubs, No. 1	15 50
" " 2	13 25
" " 3	11 00
Fibre Butter Tubs (30 lbs)	4 50
Nests of 3	3 40
Keelers No. 1	10 00
" " 2	9 00
" " 3	8 00
" " 4	7 00
Milk pans	3 25
Wash Basins, flat bottoms	3 25
" " round	3 50
Handy dish	3 50
Water Closet Tanks	18 00

**JAMS AND JELLIES.**

<b>DELHI CANNING CO</b>	
Jams assorted, extra fine, 1's.	2 25
Jellies, extra fine 1's.	2 25
<b>TORONTO BISCUIT &amp; CONFECTIONERY CO</b>	
Jams, absolutely pure—apple	80 06
Family	Per lb 0 07
Black and Red currant Rasp- berry, Strawberry, Peach and Gooseberry per lb.	0 12
Plum	0 10
Jellies—pure—all kinds	0 10
These goods are put up in glass jars and in 5, and 10 lb. tins and 28 lb. pails.	
Marmalade—orange	0 12

**SOUTHWELL'S GOODS**

Clear jelly marmalades	per doz. \$2 40
Whole fruit jams	2 40
Other	2 10
Black currant jelly	3 20
Red	3 20
All the above in 1 lb. clear glass pots	

**LICORICE.**

<b>YOUNG &amp; SMYLIE'S LIST.</b>	
5 lb boxes, wood or paper, per lb	0 40
Fancy bxs. (36 or 50 sticks), per box	1 25 1 25
" Ringed" 5 lb boxes, per lb.	0 40
" Acme" Pellets, 5 lb cans, per can	3 00
" Acme" Pellets, Fancy boxes (30s) per box	1 50
" Acme" Pellets, Fancy paper boxes, per box (40s)	1 25
Tar Licorice and Tolu Wafers, 5 lb cans per can	2 00
Licorice Lozenges, 5 lb glass jars	1 75
Licorice Lozenges 5 lb cans	1 50
Purity" Licorice, 200 sticks	1 45
" " 100 " "	0 72½
Imitation Calabria, 5 lb bxs p lb.	0 20

**MINCE MEAT.**

Condensed, per gross, net	\$12 00
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**MUSTARD.**

<b>COLMAN'S</b>	
Square tins—	per lb.
D.S.F., 1 lb. tins	\$3 40
" " ½ "	0 42
" " ¼ "	0 45

**KEEN'S.**

<b>KEEN'S.</b>	
Square tins—	per lb
D.S.F., 1 lb. tins	\$0 40
" " ¼ "	0 42
" " ½ "	0 45
<b>Round tins—</b>	
F.D. ½ lb. tins	0 25
" " ¼ "	0 27½
" " 1 lb. jars, per jar	0 75
" " 1 "	0 25
" " 4 lb. tins, decorated, pr. tin	0 80

**CHERRY'S IRISH**

Pure in 1 lb. tins	0 40
Pure in ½ lb. tins	0 42
Pure in ¼ lb. tins	0 44

**NUTS.**

Almonds, Ivica	
" " Tarragona	12½ 14
" " Fornigetta	
Almonds, Shelled Valencias	25 30
" " Jordan	40 45
" " Canary	24 27
Brazils	11 11½
Cocoanuts, per 100	\$4 50 \$5 50
Filberts, Sicily	94 104
Pecans	104 111
Peanuts, roasted	11 12
" " green	8 10
Walnuts, Grenoble	13 14
" " Bordeaux	11 12
" " Naples, cases	
" " Marbots	11 12

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Canada Prepared Corn  
 Silver Gloss and  
 Satin Starch

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Prices current, continued.

**PETROLEUM.**

5 to 10 bbl lots, Toronto	Imp. gal	
Canadian	0 12	0 12 1/2
Carbon Safety	0 13 1/2	0 14
Canadian Water White	0 16	0 17
Amer'n Water White	0 18	0 19
Photogene		0 20

**PICKLES, SAUCES, SOUPS.**

Wright & Copp, Agents, Toronto.

Snider's Tomato Catsup	per doz	5 50
"	pts	3 50
"	1/2 pts	2 00
" Chili Sauce	pts	4 50
"	1/2 pts	3 25
Snider's Soups (in 3 lb cans)		
Tomato		3 50

Bouillon, Beef, Chicken	Con-	3 50
Comme, Chicken	Gum-	
Cream of Asparagus, Cream	of	
Celery, Cream of Corn, Cream	of	
Green Peas, Julienne, Mock	Turtle,	
Mulligatawny, Mutton	Broth,	
Noodle, Oxtail,	Pea,	
Vermicelli, Vegetable		4 40
Worcester Sauce, 1/2 pts		\$3 60
"	pints	6 25
"	quarts	6 50
Pickles, all kinds, pints		3 25
"	quarts	6 00
Harvey Sauce-genuine-hlf. pts		3 25
Mushroom Catsup	"	2 25
Anchovy Sauce	"	3 25

**PRODUCE.**

Butter, creamery, tubs	\$0 18	\$0 19
" dairy, tubs, choice	0 13 1/2	0 15 1/2
" low grades to com	0 10	0 12
Butter, pound rolls	0 15	0 17
" large rolls	0 13	0 14
" store crocks	0 13	0 14
Cheese	0 09 1/2	0 10 1/2
Eggs, fresh, per doz	3 15	3 35
Beans	1 30	1 35
Onions, Egyptian, bags		2 25
Potatoes, per bag	0 70	0 90
Honey, extracted	0 05	0 08
" section	0 14	0 15

**PROVISIONS.**

Bacon, long clear, p lb	0 07 1/2	0 07 3/4
Mess pork	17 00	17 50
Pork, short cut, p bbl	17 00	17 50
Hams, smoked, per lb	0 10 1/2	0 11
" pickled	0 09 1/2	0 10
Breakfast Bacon	0 11	0 11 1/2
Rolls	0 8 1/2	0 08 3/4

Backs	0 10	0 10 1/2
Lard, pure, per lb	0 8 1/2	0 9
Compound Lard	0 07 1/2	0 07 3/4

**RICE, ETC.** Per lb

Rice, Aracan	3 1/2	3 1/2
" Patna	4 1/2	4 1/2
" Japan	5	5
" Imperial Secta	5 1/2	5 1/2
" extra Burmah	6 1/2	6 1/2
" Java extra	6 1/2	6 1/2
" Genuine Carolina	9 1/2	10
Grand Duke	6 1/2	6 1/2
Sago	4 1/2	5 1/2
Tapioca	4 1/2	5 1/2
Goathead (finest imported)	6 1/2	6 1/2



**CRYSTAL.**  
 25 lb sacks \$1 35  
 50 " bags... 2 60

**SAPOLIO.**  
 In 1/2 or grs. boxes, per gross... \$11 3

**ROOT BEER.**

Adams', 10 cents size, per doz	\$0 90
" " " per gros.	10 00
" 25 cents size, per doz	1 75
" " " per gros.	20 00

**SPICES.** Per lb.

Pepper, black, pure	\$0 14	\$0 16
Pepper, white, pure	20	28
" fine to superior	10	15
Ginger, Jamaica, pure	25	27
" African	16	18
Jassia, fine to pure	20	25
Cloves	18	25
Allspice, choice to pure	12	15
Cayenne	30	35
Nutmegs	75	1 30
Mace	1 00	1 25
Mixed Spice, choice to pure	30	35
Cream of Tartar, fine to pure	25	32

**KEEN'S MIXED**  
 1 oz. tins, 2 lb boxes, per box... 1 00

**BRITISH AMERICA STARCH CO**  
**STARCH.**

1st Quality White Laundry	
3 lb. cartoons, boxes, 36 lbs	5 1/2
Ditto " brls., 175 "	4 1/2
Ditto " kegs, 100 "	4 1/2
Canada Laundry, bxs, 40 lbs	4 1/2
Brantford Gloss	
1 lb. fancy boxes, cases, 36 lbs	7
Lily White Gloss, kegs, 100 lbs	6 1/2
1 lb. fancy cartoons, cases, 36 lbs	7
6 lb draw-lid bxs, 8 in c'te, 48 lbs	7
Brantford Cold Water Rice Starch	
1 lb fancy boxes, cases, 28 lbs	9
No. 1 Pure Prepared Corn	
1 lb. packages, boxes, 40 lbs	7 1/2
Challenge Prepared Corn	
1 lb. package, boxes, 40 lbs	7

**KINGSFORD'S OSWEGO STARCH.**



**SILVER GLOSS**

40-lb bxs., 1-lb pkgs., new wrappers	8 1/2
6-lb. bxs., sliding covers (12 bxs. each crate)	9
PURE 36-lb. bxs., 12 3-lb. bxs.	7 1/2
OSWEGO 40 lb. bxs., 1-lb. CORN STARCH pkgs.	8
For puddings, custards, etc.	
ONTARIO 36-lb. to 45-lb. bxs., STARCH 6 bundles	6 1/2
STARCH IN Silver Gloss	8
BARRELS Pure	7

**ST. LAWRENCE STARCH CO.'S**

Culinary Starches—	
St. Lawrence corn starch	7 1/2
Durham corn starch	6 1/2
Laundry Starches—	
No. 1, White, 4 lb. Cartons	5 1/2
" " Bbls	4 1/2
" " Kegs	4 1/2
Canada Laundry	4 1/2

**Ivory Gloss, six 6 lb. boxes, sliding covers** ..... 7  
**Ivory Gloss, fancy picture, 1 lb packs** ..... 7  
**Patent Starch, fancy picture, 1 lb. cartons** ..... 7 1/2

**EDWARDSBURG STARCH CO., LTD.**  
**Laundry Starches—**

No. 1 White or Blue, cartons	5 1/2
Canada Laundry	4 1/2
Silver Gloss, 6-lb. draw-lid bxs	7
Edwardsburg Silver Gloss, 1-lb. chrome package	7
Silver Gloss large crystals	6 1/2
Benson's Satin, 1-lb. cartons	7 1/2
No. 1 White	4 1/2
Culinary Starch—	
W. T. Benson & Co.'s Prepared Corn	7 1/2
Canada Pure Corn	6 1/2
Rice Starch—	
Edwardsburg No. 1 White 1-lb. cartons	
Edwardsburg No. 1 White or Blue, 4-lb. lumps	4 1/2

**SUGAR.** c. per lb

Granulated	4 1/2	4 1/2
Paris Lump, bbls and 100 lb. bxs	5 1/2	5 1/2
Extra Ground, bbls	5 1/2	5 1/2
Powdered, bbls	4 1/2	4 1/2
Extra bright refined	4	4 1/2
Bright Yellow	3 1/2	3 1/2
Medium	3 1/2	3 1/2
Dark yellow	3 1/2	3 1/2
Raw	3 1/2	3 1/2

**SALT.**

Bbl salt, car lots	0 90
Coarse, car lots, F.O.B.	0 60
" small lots	0 75
Dairy, car lots, F.O.B.	1 25
" small lots	1 50
" quarter-sacks	0 38
Common, fine car lots	0 85
" small lots	0 90
Rock salt, per ton	10 00
Liverpool coarse	0 75

**SYRUPS AND MOLASSES.**

<b>SYRUPS.</b> Per gallon	
bbls. & bbls.	
Dark	25 30
Medium	30 35
Bright	35 40
Very Bright	50 00



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Redpath's Honey.....	40
" " 2 gal. pails.....	1 25
" " 3 " " ".....	1 50

MOLASSES.	Per gal
Trinidad, in puncheons....	0 32 0 35
" " bbls.....	0 36 0 37
" " 1/2 bbls.....	0 40 0 40
New Orleans, in bbls.....	0 30 0 32
Porto Rico, hdds.....	0 38 0 40
" " barrels.....	0 42 0 44
" " 1/2 barrels.....	0 44 0 46

**SOAP.**

Ivory Bar, 1 lb. bars..... per lb	6
Do. 2, 6-16 and 3 lb bars " " "	5 1/2
Primrose, 12 oz. cake, per doz.....	8
Sterling (100 cakes).....	4 85

**MORSE'S MOTTELED**

Per box—in 5 box lots	
100 bars.....	\$5 25
60 bars.....	3 25



Eclipse, 3 lbs.....	3 30
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Everyday, 12 oz.....	\$1 50
Morse's Best, 12 oz.....	4 50
Queen City, 14 oz.....	3 60
Detroit, 12 oz.....	2 40
Empire, 12 oz.....	2 40
Ruby, 10 oz.....	2 10
Monster, 8 oz.....	1 50

Sweet Briar.....	Per doz.	0 85
Extra Perfume.....	0 55	
Old Brown Windsor Squares.....	0 30	
White Castile Bars.....	0 75	
White Oatmeal.....	0 75	
Persian Bouquet, paper.....	2 50	
Carnation.....	0 80	
Rose Bouquet.....	0 80	
Oriental, per gross.....	5 00	
Ocean Bouquet.....	0 45	
Barber's Bar, per lb.....	0 25	
Pure Bath.....	1 00	
Oatmeal.....	0 85	
Unscented Glycerine.....	0 90	
Grey Oatmeal.....	0 60	
Plain Honey, Glycer., Windsor.....	0 75	
Morse's Toilet Balls.....	3 90	
Turkish Bath.....	0 60	
Infants' Delight.....	1 20	
Home Comfort.....	0 85	
33% Glycerine.....	1 25	
Floral Bouquet.....	0 50	
Stanley.....	1 00	
Heliotrope, wrapped, 1/2 doz.....	1 50	
" " in gross lots.....	15 00	



AMMONIA SOAP.	
72 bars.....	per box
1 box.....	\$3 00
5 " " ".....	2 85
10 " " ".....	2 75
25 " " ".....	2 65

LONDON SOAP CO.



Glycerine, 60 ".....	3 00
" " 90 ".....	3 00
Eureka Electric, 60 bars.....	2 00
" " 100 ".....	3 25
World, 70 ".....	3 40
" " 60 ".....	2 40
" " 30 ".....	2 40
Family 25 ".....	2 40
Ruby 100 ".....	2 00
O.K. 114 ".....	2 70
Twin Bar Castile, 2 doz.....	1 50
Oatmeal, 2 doz.....	1 50
Prairie Flower, 2 doz.....	1 50



1 Box Lot.....	5 00
5 Box Lot.....	4 90
10 Box Lot.....	4 90
Freight prepaid on 10 Box lots.	



1 Case.....	3 30
5 Case lots.....	3 20
Freight prepaid on 5 cases.	

TRAN.	
TETLEY'S TEA.	
No. 1 quality.....	50
" " 2 ".....	35
TETLEY'S COFFEES.	
One quality only.....	35
CHINA GREENS.	
Gunpowder.....	per lb
Cases, extra firsts.....	42 50
Half chests, ordinary firsts.....	22 38
Young Hyson.....	
Cases, sifted, extra firsts.....	42 50
Cases, small leaf, firsts.....	35 40
Half chests, ordinary firsts.....	22 38
" " seconds.....	17 19
" " thirds.....	15 17
" " common.....	13 14
PING SUEYS.	
Young Hyson.....	
Half chests, firsts.....	28 32
" " seconds.....	16 19
Half Boxes, firsts.....	28 32
" " seconds.....	16 19
JAPAN.	
Half Chests.....	
Finest May pickings.....	38 40
Choice.....	32 36
Finest.....	28 30
Fine.....	25 27
Good medium.....	22 24

Medium.....	19 20
Good common.....	16 18
Common.....	13 15
Nagasaki, 1/2 chests Pekoe.....	16 22
" " Oolong.....	14 15
" " Gunpowder.....	16 19
" " Siftings.....	7 1/2 11
CONGOU--BLACK.	
Half Chests Kaisow, Mon- ing. Paking.....	12 60
Caddies, Paking, Kaisow.....	18 50
INDIAN.	
Darjeelings.....	35 55
Assam Pekoes.....	20 40
Pekoe Souchong.....	18 30
CEYLON.	
Broken Pekoes.....	35 42
Pekoes.....	20 40
Pekoe Souchong.....	17 35

TOBACCO AND CIGARS	
British Consols, 4's; Twin Gold	
Bar, 8's.....	59c
Ingots, rough and ready, 8's.....	57
Laurel, 8's.....	49
Brier, 7's.....	47
Index, 7's.....	44
Honeysuckle, 8's.....	56
Napoleon, 8's.....	50
Victoria, 12's.....	47
Brunette, 12's.....	44
Prince of Wales, in caddies.....	48
" " in 40 lb boxes.....	48
Bright Smoking Plug Myrtle, T & B, 3's.....	60
Lily, 7's.....	46
Diamond Solace, 12's.....	60
Mvrtle Cut Smoking, 1 lb tins.....	70
1 lb pg, 5 lb boxes.....	70
oz pg, 5 lb boxes.....	70

MCALPIN TOBACCO CO.	
White Burley Chewing--	
Duty paid.....	per lb
Beaver, 12 oz., smooth, 3x12, 5c.....	61c.
Do, 8 oz., R & R 2x12, 5 and 10c.....	61
Do, 16 oz., R & R, 10c cuts, 2x12, 18 lb butts.....	61
Jubilee, 7 1/2 to 10 lb, chocolate, 15 lb butts.....	58
Prince George, 8s 21 lb caddies.....	47
Tecumseh, 9 to 10 lb (fancy chew'g).....	65
Extra Black Chewing--	
Gold Shield, 16 oz., 7 to 10 lb, 20 lb butts.....	47
Black Chewing--	
Standard, 3rds, 4ths, 7s and 12s, 20 lb. pkgs.....	45
Plug Smoking--	
Woodcock, 18 lb caddies, 7s.....	50
3rds.....	50
Sunny South, 6s and 7s, 18 lb caddies.....	46
Solid Comfort, 6s, 18 lb butts.....	44
Special, 7s, extra value, 18 lb caddies.....	44
Cut Tobaccos, Smoking--	
Silver Ash, 1-9ths, 5 lb boxes.....	52
Puck, mixture, 1-9ths, 5 lb boxes.....	70
Cut Cavendish, 1-9ths, 5 lb boxes.....	65
Fine Cut Chewing--	
Standard Kentucky, bright, 5 lb pails.....	80
Apricot, dark sweet, 5 lb pails.....	65
Terms, 30 days, less 2 per cent.	
CIGARS--B. DAVIS & SONS' Montreal.	
Sizes.....	Per M
Madre E' Hijo, Lord Landsdown.....	60 00
" " Panetelas.....	60 00
" " Bouquet.....	60 00
" " Perfectos.....	85 00
" " Longfellow.....	85 00
" " Reina Victoria.....	80 00
" " Pins.....	55 00
El Padre, Reina Victoria.....	55 00

Reina Vict., Especial.....	50 00
Conchas de Regalia.....	50 00
Bouquet.....	50 00
Pins.....	50 00
Longfellow.....	80 00
Perfectos.....	80 00
Mungo, Nine.....	35 00
Cable, Conchas.....	30 00
Queens.....	29 00
CIGARETTES, all Tobacco--	
Cable.....	7 00
El Padre.....	1 00
Mauricio.....	15 00

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CIGARETTES.	
Per M	
Athlete.....	\$7 50
Puritan.....	6 25
Sultana.....	5 75
Derby.....	4 25
B. C. No. 1.....	4 00
Sweet Sixteen.....	3 75
The Holder.....	3 85
Hyde Park.....	10 50
CUT TOBACCO'S.	
Per lb	
Puritan, tenths, 5 lb. boxes.....	75
Old Chum, ninths, 5 lb box.....	70
Old Virgin, 1-10 lbpkg, 10 lb boxes.....	62
Gold Block, ninths, 5 lb boxes.....	73
CIGARETTE TOBACCO.	
B. C. N. 1, 1-10, 5 lb boxes.....	83
Puritan, 1-10, 5 lb boxes.....	83
Athlete, per lb.....	1 15
PLUG TOBACCO'S.	
Old Chum, plug 4s, Solace 16 lbs.....	58
" " " 8s " 16.....	68
" " " 8s. R. & R. 12 1/2.....	68
" " " 7s. R. & R. 14 1/2.....	58
" " " 7s. Solace 14 1/2.....	58
" " " 8s. R. & R. 16.....	58
" " " 8s. Solace 15.....	58
O. V. - plug 8s. Twist 16.....	58
O. V. - " 3s. Solace 17 1/2.....	58
O. V. - " 7s. " 17.....	55 1/2
Derby, - " 12s. " 17 1/2.....	51
Derby, - " 7s. " 9.....	51
Athlete, - " 5s. Twist 7.....	74

WOODENWARE, per doz

Pails, 2 hoop, clear..... No. 1.....	\$1 70
" " " " "..... No. 2.....	1 90
Pails, 2hoops, clear..... No. 2.....	1 80
" " " " "..... No. 2.....	1 80
" " " " "..... No. 2.....	1 80
Tubs, No. 0.....	9 50
" " " " ".....	4 00
" " " " ".....	6 00
Washboards, Globe.....	\$1 90
" " " " ".....	2 00
" " " " ".....	1 40
" " " " ".....	2 25
" " " " ".....	1 70
" " " " ".....	1 60
" " " " ".....	1 50
" " " " ".....	1 30
" " " " ".....	1 85
" " " " ".....	2 75
" " " " ".....	2 25
" " " " ".....	2 00
" " " " ".....	1 90
" " " " ".....	1 75
" " " " ".....	1 30
per case	
Matches, 5 case lots, single case.....	
Parlor.....	1 70
Telephone.....	3 30
Telegraph.....	3 70
Safety.....	4 00
French.....	3 00
Steamship (10 gro. in case).....	
Single case and under 5cs.....	3 10
5 cases, freight allowed.....	3 10
per doz	
Mops and Handles, comb.....	1 25
Butter tubs.....	\$1 60
Butter Bowls, crates asst'd.....	3 60

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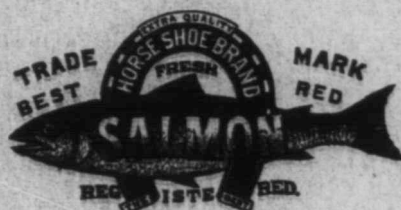
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