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Leading Wholesale Houses of Montreal

First Prize Dominion Exhibition, 1880.

## GAULT BROS. & CO.,

Importers and Manufacturers.

Having made special arrangements with a number of the leading Mills in the country, we shall be prepared, during this season, to offer unusual advantages to intending purchasers in our "CANADIAN MANUFACTURES DEPARTMENTS." We will show a large and varied stock of the best value in the following lines:

- Canadian Tweeds,
- Canadian Flannels,
- Canadian Shirts and Drawers,
- Canadian White and Grey Blankets,
- Canadian Wool Scarfs and Clouds,
- Canadian Hosiery,
- Hochelaga, Valleyfield and Stormont Cottons.

Orders through our Travellers, or otherwise, will receive our usual careful and prompt attention.

GAULT BROS. & CO.

## MONTREAL FELT HAT WORKS.

1878, Paris Exhibition, 1878.

Prize Medal awarded for our manufacture of

### FELT HATS.

We are now producing every description of FUR and WOOL SOFT FELT HATS, and can supply the trade below current rates, as our addition to machinery has enabled us to double our product.

FOR THE

### Fall and Winter Trade

We offer a full assortment of

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Of our own Manufacture.

PLUSH, CLOTH AND SCOTCH CAPS, GLOVES AND MITTS

Of English and Domestic Manufacture.

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TO MANUFACTURERS—We have a large stock of Seal, Persian Lamb and other Skins, Trimmings, &c.

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ST. PAUL STREET, MONTREAL.

Leading Wholesale Houses of Toronto

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Striped and Checked.

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We have now on exhibition a complete line of European and American Fancy Goods suitable for Holiday presents. Catalogues sent on application.

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MERCHANTS,

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CRAIG STREET,

MONTREAL.

## The Chartered Banks.

## BANK OF MONTREAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN  
that a

## DIVIDEND

OF

## FIVE PER CENT.

upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the current half year, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House, in this city, and at its Branches, on and after

SATURDAY,

the first day of December next.

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

By order of the Board.

W. J. BUCHANAN,

General Manager.

Montreal, 23rd Oct., 1883.

EXCHANGE BANK  
OF CANADA.

CAPITAL PAID UP - \$500,000  
SURPLUS - - - - 360,000

HEAD OFFICE, - MONTREAL.

## DIRECTORS.

THOMAS CRAIG - - - President  
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Henry Bulmer.

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LONDON :-The Alliance Bank (Limited).  
NEW YORK :-The Hannover National Bank.  
BOERON :-Maverick National Bank.  
Sterling and American Exchange bought and sold.  
interest allowed on Deposits.  
Collections made promptly, and remitted to: at current rates.

## The Chartered Banks.

THE BANK OF  
BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.

Incorporated by Royal Charter.

Paid-up Capital, £1,000,000 Sterling.

London Office—3 Clement's Lane, Lombard St.  
E. C.

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LONDON BANKERS.—The Bank of England and  
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Australia—Union Bank of Australia. New Zealand  
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Colonial Bank of New Zealand. India, China and  
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Issue Circular Notes for Travellers, available  
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## The Molsons Bank.

INCORPORATED BY ACT OF PARLIAMENT, 1855.

Capital paid-up, \$2,000,000. Rest, \$425,000.

HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL.

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Brockville, Morrisburg, St. Thomas,  
Clinton, Owen Sound, Sorel, P. Q.  
Exeter, Ridgetown, Trenton,  
Ingersoll, Smith's Falls, Waterloo, Ont.  
London,

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Newfoundland—Commercial Bank of Newfoundland  
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National Bank; Helena, Montana—First National  
National Bank; Fort Benton, Montana—First National  
Bank.

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Antwerp, Belgium—La Banque d'Anvers.  
Collections made in all parts of the Dominion and  
returns promptly remitted at lowest rates of ex-  
change. Letters of Credit issued, available in all  
parts of the world.

## The Chartered Banks.

MERCHANTS BANK  
OF CANADA.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of

## Three and One-Half per Cent.

For the Current Half Year, being at the  
rate of

## Seven per cent. per annum.

Upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this In-  
stitution has been declared, and that the  
same will be payable at its Banking House  
in this city, on and after

Saturday, the 1st of December next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from  
the

16th to the 30th of November next,

both days inclusive.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD,

G. HAGUE,

GENERAL MANAGER.

Montreal, 24th Oct., 1883.

## La Banque du Peuple.

Capital \$1,600,000.

HEAD OFFICE, . . . MONTREAL

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## LA BANQUE NATIONALE.

HEAD OFFICE, QUEBEC.

CAPITAL PAID-UP . . . . . 2,000,000

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National Bank of the Republic, New York; National  
Revere Bank, Boston; Newfoundland—The Com-  
mercial Bank of Newfoundland.

CANADA—Prov. Ontario—The Bank of Toronto,  
Maritime Provinces—Bank of New Brunswick, Mer-  
chants Bank of Halifax, Bank of Montreal; Manitoba  
—The Merchants Bank of Canada.

A general banking, Exchange and collection busi-  
ness transacted. Particular attention paid to collec-  
tions and returns made with utmost promptness.

Correspondence respectfully solicited.

The Chartered Banks.

THE CANADIAN  
**Bank of Commerce.**

Head Office, - - - Toronto.

Paid-up Capital - - - \$6,000,000  
Rest - - - 1,900,000

**DIRECTORS.**

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Ayr	Goderich	St. Catharines
Barris	Guelph	Sarnia
Belleville	Hamilton	Senfirth
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Brantford	Montreal	Stratford
Chatham	Norwich	Stratroy
Collingwood	Orangeville	Thorold
Dundas	Ottawa	Toronto
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Galt	Parkill	Windsor
	Peterboro'	Woodstock.

Commercial credits issued for use in Europe, the East and West Indies, China, Japan, and South America.

Sterling and American Exchange bought and sold. Collections made on the most favorable terms. Interest allowed on deposits.

**BANKERS.**

New York—The American Exchange National Bank.  
London, England—The Bank of Scotland.

**IMPERIAL BANK**  
OF CANADA.

Capital Paid up - - - - - \$1,310,000  
Reserve Fund - - - - - 460,000

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BRANCHES—Fergus, Ingersoll, Port Colborne  
St. Catharines, St. Thomas, Welland, Winnipeg  
Woodstock, Brandon.

Drafts on New York and Sterling Exchange bought and sold. Deposits received and interest allowed. Prompt attention paid to collections.

**EASTERN TOWNSHIPS BANK.**

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL..... \$1,600,000  
CAPITAL PAID IN May 15, 1880..... 1,440,639  
RESERVE FUND..... 351,000

**Board of Directors.**

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Cowanville	Granby
	Farnham

Agents in Montreal—Bank of Montreal.  
London, England—London & County Banks.  
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Collections made at all accessible points and promptly remitted for.

The Chartered Banks.

**THE BANK OF TORONTO,**  
CANADA.

Incorporated 1855.

Paid up Capital, \$2,000,000. Rest \$1,000,000.

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Collections made on the Best Terms.

**The Western Bank of Canada.**

HEAD OFFICE, OSHAWA, ONT.

CAPITAL AUTHORIZED..... \$1,000,000  
CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED..... 500,000  
CAPITAL PAID UP..... 150,000

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**

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REUBEN S. HAMILIN, Esq., *Vice-President.*  
W. F. Cowan, Esq., W. F. Allen, Esq.,  
Robert McIntosh, M.D., J. A. Gibson, Esq.,  
Thomas Paterson, Esq.,  
T. H. McMILLAN, *Cashier.*

Deposits received and interest allowed. Collections solicited and promptly made. Drafts issued available on all parts of the Dominion. Sterling and American Exchange bought and sold.

**LA BANQUE JACQUES CARTIER.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Dividend of

**THREE and A HALF PER CENT.**

on the paid-up capital of this Bank has been declared

for the current half-year,

and will be payable at the Office of the Bank a Montreal on and after

The 1st day of the month of December next.

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

By order of the Board,

A. DEMARTIGNY, *CASHIER.*

Montreal, October 24th, 1883.

**THE MARITIME BANK**

—OF THE—

**DOMINION OF CANADA.**

Head Office, - - - ST. JOHN, N.B.

**Board of Directors.**

THOS. MACLELLAN, *President.*  
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**CASHIER, - ALFRED RAY.**

AGENCY—FREDERICTON: A. S. Murray, Agent.

“ - WOODSTOCK, N.B.: G. W. Vanwart, “

Loan Societies.

**Montreal Loan & Mortgage Co.**

AND TRUST COMPANY.

Incorporated 1858.

CAPITAL - - - - - \$1,000,000 00  
TOTAL ASSETS - - - - - \$1,583,263 52

LOAN MONEY ON REAL ESTATE AND PURCHASE MORTGAGES.

This Company is authorized to act in any position of Trust, either as Executor, Administrator, Guardian, Trustee or Receiver.

Registrars and Transfer Agents of the Stocks and Bonds of Incorporated Companies.

Trustees of Mortgages executed by Railroad and other Corporations.

Every facility offered in matters of a fiduciary character.

**INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.**

DERENTURES.  
Issue Sterling Debentures payable in London, also Currency Debentures, payable in Canada bearing five per cent. interest.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**

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THOMAS CRAIG, Esq., *President.* Exchange Bank of Canada.

TRUSTEES AND EXECUTORS:  
Trustees and Executors are authorized by Act of Parliament to invest the Debentures of this Company.

GEORGE W. CRAIG, *Manager.*

OFFICE, 181 ST. JAMES STREET, MONTREAL.

**THE HAMILTON**

**Provident and Loan Society.**

GEORGE H. GILLESPIE, Esq., *President.*

JOHN HARVEY, Esq., *Vice-President.*

Subscribed Capital..... \$1,500,000.00  
Paid-up Capital..... 1,100,000.00  
Reserve and Surplus Profits..... 97,000.00  
Total Assets..... 2,697,000.00

MONEY ADVANCED on Real Estate on favorable terms of Repayments. The Society is prepared to issue DEBENTURES drawn at THREE or FIVE YEARS with interest coupons attached, payable half-yearly.

Office: Cor. of King and Hughson Sts.,  
**HAMILTON, CANADA.**

H. D. CAMERON, *Treasurer.*

**Dominion Savings & Investment Soc.**

LONDON, ONT.

INCORPORATED, - - 1872.

Capital..... \$1,000,000.00  
Subscribed..... 1,000,000.00  
Paid-up..... 884,982.86  
Reserve Fund..... 140,000.00  
Contingent Fund..... 2,606.54

Loans made on farm and city property, on the most favorable terms.

Municipal and School Section Debentures purchased.

Money received on deposit and interest allowed thereon  
F. B. LEYS, *Manager.*

**CANADA LOAN**

AND BANKING CO.

**SAVINGS BANK.**

HAMILTON, Ont.

Interest allowed on deposits of one dollar and up wards. Money to loan on real estate.

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Allan Line.



Under Contract with the Governments of Canada and Newfoundland for the Conveyance of the Mails. 1883. Summer Arrangements. 1883.

This Company's Lines are composed of the following Double Engine Clyde built IRON STEAMSHIPS. They are built in water-tight compartments, are unsurpassed for strength, speed and comfort, are fitted up with all the modern improvements that practical experience can suggest, and have made the fastest time on record.

Vessels.	Tonnage.	Commanders.
Numidian.....	6,100	Building.
Hanoverian.....	4,000	Capt. J. G. Stephen.
Parisian.....	5,400	James Wylie.
Sardinian.....	4,650	J. E. Dutton.
Polynesian.....	4,100	R. Brown.
Sarmatian.....	3,800	John Graham.
Circassian.....	4,000	Lt. W. H. Smith, R.N.R.
Moravian.....	3,650	Lieut. F. Archer, R.N.R.
Peruvian.....	3,400	Capt. Jos. Ritchie.
Nova Scotian.....	3,300	W. Richardson.
Hibernian.....	3,434	Hugh Wylie.
Caspian.....	3,200	Lt. B. Thomson, R.N.R.
Austrian.....	2,700	Lieut. R. Barrett, R.N.R.
Nestorian.....	2,700	Capt. D. J. James.
Prussian.....	3,000	Alex. McDougall.
Scandinavian.....	3,000	John Parks.
Siberian.....	4,600	Building.
Buenos Ayrean.....	3,300	H. P. Moore.
Coroon.....	4,000	Berclay.
Grecian.....	3,600	C. E. LaGallais.
Manitoban.....	3,150	McNeill.
Canadian.....	2,600	C. J. Manzie.
Phoenician.....	2,300	J. Brown.
Waldensian.....	2,600	W. Dalfeil.
Lucerne.....	2,200	John Kerr.
Newfoundland.....	1,500	Myling.
Acadian.....	1,350	F. McGrath.

The shortest Sea Route between America and Europe, being only five days between land to land.

The Steamers of the

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Sailing from Liverpool every THURSDAY, and from Quebec every SATURDAY, calling at Lough Foyle to receive on board and land Mails and Passengers to and from Ireland and Scotland, are intended to be despatched.

FROM QUEBEC:

Sardinian.....	Saturday, Oct. 27
Circassian.....	Saturday, Nov. 3
Polynesian.....	Saturday, Nov. 10
Peruvian.....	Saturday, Nov. 17
Parisian.....	Saturday, Nov. 24
Sarmatian.....	Saturday, Dec. 1

RATES OF PASSAGE FROM QUEBEC.

Cabin.....	\$70 and \$80
Intermediate.....	340
Steerage.....	\$25

(According to Accommodation.)

FROM HALIFAX.

Nova Scotian.....	Monday, Nov. 5
Hibernian.....	Monday, Nov. 19
Caspian.....	Monday, Nov. 26

RATES OF PASSAGE BETWEEN HALIFAX AND ST. JOHNS:

Cabin.....	\$20.00   Intermediate..... \$15.00
Steerage.....	\$6.00.

Persons desirous of bringing their friends from Britain can obtain Passage Certificates at lowest rates.

An experienced surgeon carried on each vessel. Berths not secured until paid for.

Through Bills of Lading granted at Liverpool and Glasgow, and at Continental Ports, to all points in Canada and the Western States, via Halifax, Boston, Baltimore, Quebec and Montreal; and from all Railway Stations in Canada and the United States to Liverpool and Glasgow, via Baltimore, Boston, Quebec and Montreal.

For Freight, Passage or other information, apply to John M. Currie, 21 Quai d'Orleans, Havre; Alex. Hunter, 4 Rue Gluck, Paris; Aug. Schmitz & Co., or Richard Berns, Antwerp; Ruys & Co., Rotterdam; C. Hugo, Hamburg; James Moss & Co., Bordeaux; Fischer & Behmer, Schusselkorb, No. 8, Bremen; Charley & Malcolm, Belfast; James Scott & Co., Queenstown; Montgomerie & Workman, 17 Grace Church St., London; James & Alex. Allan, 70 Great Clyde St., Glasgow; Allan Bros., James Street, Liverpool; Allan, Rae & Co., Quebec; Allan & Co., 72 La Salle Street, Chicago; H. Bourlier, Toronto; Love & Alden, 207 Broadway, New York, and 201 Washington street, Boston, or to

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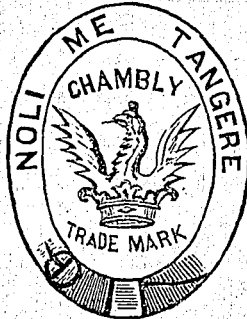
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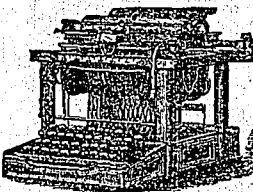
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**Commercial Summary.**

The amalgamation of the Merchants Bank of Halifax and the Maritime Bank of St. John has been decided by the directors. When necessary legislation is obtained business will be continued under the name of the Merchants Bank alone.

The liabilities of John Barbour, furniture dealer, Galt, are about \$6,000, and most of his creditors deem it better to accept his offer of 25 cents in the dollar rather than run the possibilities of realizing much less under closure of the business.

Advices from North Sydney, C.B., report the herring fishery along the coast a failure the past season. The fall catch was light, owing to rough weather. The cod and mackerel catch has been much better.—Lumber, shipped from Miramichi to Oct. 12th amounted to 118,669,267 feet against 65,478,015 to the same date last year.

The new Bankruptcy Act of Great Britain has a clause providing for the payment on the part of assignees of all unclaimed dividends, and this feature of the Bill is retroactive, and unlimitedly so. The effect of this provision is already seen; some ex-trustees are becoming anxious, and a prominent one among them has fled the country.

We LEARN that the Edison Electric Light Co. of Hamilton, Ont., has received a contract to light the House of Commons, Ottawa, the work to be completed and in readiness for the approaching Session of Parliament. The promoters of the system, while maintaining the intense brilliancy of the light, appear to have overcome all the obstacles as to tone, regularity and distribution.

The Florida orange crop is estimated at 102 millions, or double of that for 1882, and next year is expected to double that of the present year.

THE RECEIPTS of the Dominion Exhibition at St. John, N.B., are given at \$42,545; expenditure \$41,678.—New York spent 48 millions in new buildings the past season; nearly one-fifth of this was in flats.



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J. B. MILLS of Toronto, in a communication received in Montreal recently, says, "In my libel suit against the *Budget* the jury gave me \$300 damages and all costs, which amount to over \$1000."—The Sovereign Fire Insurance Co. of Toronto, with agencies in this city and elsewhere, is endeavoring to negotiate for a reinsurance of its risks. The company thinks 35 is not too much; they are offered 20.

A PROMINENT and enterprising dry goods merchant of Chatham, Ont., has become embarrassed, and has recently given chattel and land mortgages for \$7,200 and \$55,500 to a Toronto bank having a branch in that town, to secure indebtedness to the latter. A company in which the merchant is interested, whose paper he has endorsed for a large amount, are said to be in difficulties, and the bank secures itself as above. It is to be hoped the bank will grant the necessary indulgence to enable him to pull through all right, which there is every probability he will do. His troubles are also attributed to land speculations in the Northwest and elsewhere. His direct liabilities to the bank are about \$60,000.

JOHN HABBICK, of Galt, Ont., a merchant of many years' standing in that town, has assigned to Wm. Blackley of McColl Bros. & Co., milliners, Toronto. About three weeks ago Mr. Habbick gave a chattel mortgage on his dry goods and millinery stock to a prominent wholesale house in this city, to secure some \$10,000, and this firm are now in possession. A Hamilton wholesale grocery firm are said to

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have an execution in the sheriff's hands for some \$8,000, and a seizure has been made. The inadvertent publication of the above mortgage in a Toronto paper is said to have precipitated the collapse. Liabilities are estimated at \$25,000.

A DELEGATION from the Board of Trade composed of two or three of our leading business men, accompanied by Mr. Thos. Darling, accountant, has gone to Toronto to confer with a committee of the Board of Trade in that city respecting some insolvency legislation at the approaching session of Parliament. It is highly important for this purpose that the mercantile community should agree upon some common ground and work together for the general good, and it can matter little where the Act is framed if it can be made to serve the purposes for which it is intended, in the interests of the retail as well as the wholesale dealer.

By the official list of awards at the Fisheries Exhibition, Canada obtains gold medals for best collection of cured tinned fish, shipped fish, salmon nets, deep-sea fishing gear, fishing boats, antiseptics, whale oil, signalling telegraph system, most complete breeding establishment and steam fishing tug. The Dominion exhibit was also awarded five medals for distinct varieties of fish of commercial value and also fifteen silver medals, six bronze medals and four diplomas. Special mention was also made in the award list about twelve other awards, in reference to which decision has not been reached. Newfoundland obtained ten gold medals, eight silver medals, five bronze medals, and three diplomas.

JOHN B. KELLY, a dry goods dealer of Chatham, Ont., has recently assigned for the benefit of his creditors. He commenced business in Chatham some years ago, this being his third

failure, the first time he compromised and went on. The second time his stock was sold, and he remained out of business two or three years. About a year ago he purchased the bankrupt stock of R. M. Calder, and has since been doing a good business. His trouble in this instance has been caused by the fact becoming known to his creditors that he had endorsed to the extent of \$6,000 for W. H. Davy, a jeweller in Chatham. Kelly, to secure himself, took a chattel mortgage on Davy's stock in trade. The transaction brought both Kelly and Davy to the wall. Davy has been in business in Chatham for 5 or 6 years. The probabilities are that both parties will arrange matters so as to go on.

A WINNIPEG widow named Smith, formerly keeper of the Brighton hotel, Toronto, has been showing her heels to her creditors in Manitoba. She went to Winnipeg during the boom, and opened the Hotel Brunswick on Main street. Mrs. Smith was her own clerk, business manager, and bar-tender, and was literally coining money. As her bank account increased, so did the number of suitors. There were two widows in Winnipeg then who divided the attention of the impecunious Lotarios. She was "rated" worth from \$20,000 to \$50,000. But Smith was not matrimonially inclined, and when the boom began to subside she sold out for \$12,000 and lived at the Grand Union. A few evenings ago Mrs. Smith went out for a walk, and it is said proceeded to Point Douglas, where she took a train for St. Vincent. A local paper says: The proprietor of the hotel at which she boarded mourns his unpaid bill; a liquor dealer has a trifle of \$1,100 against her; Messrs. McArthur & Dexter, barristers, have given her legal advice worth \$1,000; Penrose & Recan have a bill of \$600 against her, while unpaid servants want to know when she is coming back.

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A MEETING of the creditors of Isidore Auger, miller and trader, Granby Township, is called for the 8th prox., to be held at the office of Langelier & Decelles, St. John, Que.

McNAIR & SMITH, carriagemakers, Milton, Ont., have assigned for the benefit of their creditors generally. A meeting of these will be held next Monday. There is no expectation of heavy dividends.

Mr. JOHN CHARLES BURROWS, of Hamilton, contractor and builder, has been obliged to make an assignment, owing to having given accommodation paper to D. B. Chisholm, the absconding barrister.

Mr. AMBROISE CHOQUET, the secretary-treasurer of the Notre Dame Fabrique who absconded a short time ago, has returned to the city, and is reported to have come to a settlement of his financial difficulties agreeable to all concerned.

The offer made by Geo. McDonald, Oshawa, of 40 cents in the dollar, payable in 4, 8 and 12 months, was recently accepted, the notes being endorsed by Messrs. E. Nield & Co., this city. Six per cent off for cash was an alternative probably chosen.

The stock in trade and fixtures belonging to the Horsman hardware estate, Winnipeg, is advertised to be sold by tender on the 10th inst.

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The stock is inventoried at \$15,000; the book debts at \$7,000. Applications should be made to the trustees, or to Messrs. Crathern & Caverhill, this city.

Mr. ABRAHAM JACOBS of this city has bought the stock of Mr. Vineberg in Cornwall and Carleton Place, for 41 cents in the dollar, cash.—P. A. Marien of this city, hat and fur dealer, has compromised at 33 $\frac{1}{2}$  cents in the dollar, payable in 1, 2, 4 and 6 months. This was one of Taylor, Robertson & Co.'s accounts. The assignment was made to Mr. John Taylor, and was precipitated owing to that firm's suspension and inability to extend his notes.

Mr. GEORGE SPENCER, of Owen Sound, has formed a partnership in Hamilton for the purpose of carrying on an importing and commission business with his son, Robert S. Spencer, and Mr. E. Bagnall Beddoe, both of whom have been until recently with Messrs. John Proctor & Co. Mr. Beddoe has just returned from England, where he has secured several valuable agencies in heavy hardware. The style of the firm will be George Spencer & Co.

J. B. SARAVLT, a small hatter, etc., this city, left the path of sorrow last spring, and the business was continued by his relict, until she met her fate a second time some few weeks ago

**KIRK, LOCKERBY & CO.,**  
Importers and  
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CORNER  
St. Peter and St. Sacrament Streets,  
MONTREAL.

in the person of a lively young butcher, whose business was more promising than her's. She gave up the hat trade, and the creditors sold the estate *en bloc* for \$2,500, which will probably yield the creditors 40 cents in the dollar. The assignment was made to Mr. John Taylor.

LOUIS PEINE, stationer, New Hamburg, Ont., has just learnt a lesson which he will not likely forget. He recently endorsed a note for \$300 for H. R. D. Brown, for whom he was acting agent for coal sales, cheese factory supplies, etc., in that town and vicinity, and was sued for the amount, which he has settled. But he is now asking an extension for the balance, on time, which his creditors have readily acceded to. He was formerly a school teacher, and commenced business about three years ago with a capital of about \$500. Prospects good.

MESSRS. TAYLOR, ROBERTSON & Co., wholesale hat and fur dealers, this city, are offering their creditors 50 cents in the dollar, half cash and half in four months. Many of the creditors, feeling that this is more than the estate would realize if sold out at once, are disposed to accept the offer. Should the firm not get back the estate at an early date there will be less value in it, as the hatter's harvest is rapidly passing

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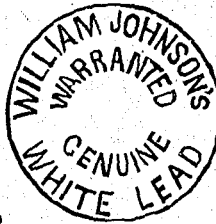
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" DUNVILLE & CO., BELFAST, Do  
" R. THORNE & SONS, GREENOCK Do  
" BAGOTS, HUTTON & CO., DUBLIN, Do  
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ADAM BROWN.

ST. CLAIR BALFOUR.

away. No one will attribute wrong intentions to John Taylor or his partner, and it is well known that their rather inadequate capital had determined them to abandon the fur department of the business when the suspension of the Exchange Bank brought them up a standing.

R. GALLOWAY and James Muir embarked in the dry goods business in Paris, Ont., some years ago with what proved rather an insufficient capital for the extensive way in which they commenced, resulting in their being pretty often hard pressed for money and their failure being looked for at any time. However the concern was kept going until Galloway retired, receiving from Muir notes to the amount of \$2,000, which are believed to have been paid since. At last business slackened, and protests frequently occurring Muir could hold out no longer. He got an extension a few months ago, but this only put off the crisis for a time, and he has now made an assignment and offers 75c on the dollar.

The steamer *St. Francis* of the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation company ran aground last Monday, at the Lachine rapids, and is thought to be a total loss. She was originally built at

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a cost of \$40,000, but is acknowledged to be worth only about \$20,000 at the time of the accident, and was insured for \$50,000. The wreck was caused by the rudder being broken in striking a rock. About 50 passengers were aboard, and were conveyed to this city by ferry and omnibuses. The steamer's freight, including 140 head of cattle and sheep, has all been unloaded in safety. The insurance companies, who have been gradually cutting rates on these steamers for some years past, have now another opportunity of balancing the accounts for 1883.

A CONFIDENCE man by the name of Sanford, alias Lobbey alias Hugh Allan, was arrested in this city 31st ult., on a charge of forging a certified check on the Bank of Toronto. He is also wanted in England and Scotland on similar charges, having there forged the name of Mr. Hugh A. Allan, with whom he became acquainted while crossing the ocean last summer. His operations in England were chiefly with jewellery firms, and amount to about \$8,000. Sanford is a man of prepossessing appearance and agreeable manners, but proved a rather troublesome prisoner. When searched a number of bogus checks all stamped,

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initialled and "certified," were found on his person, probably with a view to further operations in the swindling line.

**BUSINESS CHANGES.—Ontario.**—The following have assigned in trust: John Sturgis, general store, Huntsville; Thos. Gorman, shoes, Brantford; A. Ruthven, baker and Wm. Miles, tailor, Toronto; Chas. Tuze, tailor, Toronto, sheriff in possession; J. W. Treen, wholesale clothier, Toronto, compromised at 40 cents in the dollar. **Quebec.**—P. Bourdeau, general store, Laprairie, and Normand & Lacerte, dry goods, Three Rivers, offering compromise. **Nova Scotia.**—The following have assigned:—J. F. Rice, Bear River; J. S. McDonald & Co., grocers, Pictou, and T. Longley, victualler, Halifax. **New Brunswick.**—Jas. Haddock, general store, McAdam Junction, assigned in trust. **Manitoba.**—J. L. Ewing, general store, Otterburne and L. Lepage, butcher, Winnipeg assigned in trust. **N. W. T.**—S. A. Copland, grocer, and Wilson & Burnett, Moose Jaw, assigned in trust. **B. C.**—Havens & Co., merchants, Yale, assigned.

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THE Montreal branch of the business of Thos. Walls & Sons has been purchased by Messrs. Smyth & Walls, hitherto in charge of the business here: the Toronto business will be carried on by Mr. Thos. Walls and his son, Mr. John J. Walls.

IT APPEARS to be bred in the bone with some people, while others are the victims of uncontrollable circumstances. C. Robert of this city is one of the hat and fur dealers brought down by the failure of Taylor, Robertson & Co., but it is not Mr. Robert's *première pas*. After his failure four years ago he obtained a very favorable settlement, and money was advanced him to go on. Without even consulting his old friend, who was his largest creditor, and possibly unable to assist those who had lately sold him goods, he called a meeting immediately on the suspension of Taylor, Robertson & Co., and offered his creditors 40 cents in the dollar. This was indignantly refused by nearly all present. The stock was sold by auction, and realized 60 cents on inventory, making about 35 cents in the dollar of liabilities. Mr. Vineberg of this city became the purchaser,

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and Mr. Robert is still in his old place and paying back according as he realizes from the business to a gentleman who is too prudent to take heavy risks. The gradual reduction of some of the accounts before the failure is a matter in which Mr. Robert doubtless did no violence to his conscience.

T. E. BRADBURN, who succeeded his father, Thos. Bradburn, some two or three years ago, and who lives and carries on the dry goods business in Lindsay, disposed of the Peterboro stock to Messrs. Fair, VanAvery & Co., formerly of Port Hope. They are young men and seem determined to do a pushing trade; having succeeded to the old stand where the Bradburn business has been carried on for over twenty years. An amusing part of the transfer or non-transfer has been and still is the "Lattle of the

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Wheeler & Co., Belfast Genuine Ales, &c. (Export Bottlers.)  
Guinness' Stout, Bass' and Allsopp's Ales, &c.  
Roig Fonset & Co., Barcelona and Tarazona Spanish Ports.  
J. H. Henkes, Delfshaven, Holland, Superior Gen. va  
George Roe & Co., Dublin; Celebrated Old Irish Whiskies.  
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**THE MONEY MARKET.**

At a time when it cannot be denied that some uneasiness exists as to our trade prospects, it seems desirable to direct attention to the views of writers in influential journals in the great money centre of the world, and to consider how far special circumstances may influence our own position. The interest for money in what is known as the short loan market in London is abnormally low, especially considering the period of the year. At the end of September the Bank of England reduced its rate of discount to 3 per cent, the rate in open market having been rather below 2½, and for daily loans on Stock Exchange securities the rate has been 2. This is attributed to a collapse in speculation, and to the difficulty ex-

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perienced of late in employing capital advantageously. One of the causes assigned for the collapse is the panic in Paris last year, which checked the speculative tendency, which had led to such enterprises as our own Credit Foncier, and the various enterprises in phosphates, beet sugar, timber, etc., with some of which Mr. Senécal's name has been identified.

The enterprises referred to are mere illustrations of the speculative tendency which preceded the failure of the Union Générale in Paris, and as one among many causes of the plethora of money. One very important reason for this plethora is that, owing to a variety of causes, merchants are able to carry on their business with much smaller capitals than formerly. The use of the telegraph enables them to supply themselves with goods of every description at very short notice, steam power having reduced the length of voyages to a minimum, which it is easy to calculate with tolerable precision. There has been, consequently, a considerable fall of prices during the last ten years in commodities generally. Capital, like commodities, has fallen in value. Then there are temporary causes working to the same end. In London there has been a growing distrust of American railway securities, and a great difficulty in finding securities which are both safe and remunerative.

In addition to the causes already stated there has been of late a good deal of political anxiety. In France especially, trade has been bad, and the finances are in a disordered state, while there are so many complications abroad that war may supervene at any moment. Should such a calamity occur it would be necessary to resort to loans, and the large capitalists are said to be keeping their money well in hand, so as to be prepared for whatever contingencies may arise. Meantime, they have to employ their money in the short loan market, and this tends to lower its market value. Among the causes for uneasiness as to the future it is said that speculation in land has been carried to a very high pitch in the North-west, and it has been rumored, as we believe without the slightest foundation in truth, that Canadian and American banks are largely concerned in such speculation. We have little doubt that the *Saturday Review*, the journal to which our notice applies, had special reference to the land bonds of the Canadian Pacific railway; and if the whole facts had been accurately known it would never have insinuated any doubt as to the safety of the transaction, and, moreover, would not have fallen into the error of stating that "the Canadian and

"American banks are hardly big enough to produce much effect on the money market." If the writer of the article in the *Saturday* had been aware of the enormous capital and rest of the principal bank referred to, which is considerably over three millions sterling, he would hardly have written as he did. That capital, moreover, has been managed with a skill and prudence that leave no room for criticism. There is, we believe, little doubt that a very large number of the land companies have collapsed without causing much loss to their promoters, but it cannot be denied that there was considerable inflation in the value of real estate in the North-west by which private individuals have suffered, in some cases being forced into insolvency. On the whole, the writer to whose article we have called attention holds that there is not much probability of any disasters such as he has noticed, and, consequently, that the tendency of cheap money to cause an improvement in trade is likely to be realized, especially as all the raw materials of manufacture are remarkably cheap. There is much ground for hope that in Canada the depression which must inevitably be the result of the over-production of our manufactures, will be of short duration, and that, before long, the supply will be better regulated by the demand.

#### COMMERCIAL UNION.

We have noticed with regret more than one article in the *Winnipeg Free Press*, a journal that we have assumed to be an adherent of the policy of the Liberal party, indicating its support of a sectional policy, and very plainly intimating that it rests with the people of Manitoba to decide as to their future relations to the Dominion. In an article in the *Free Press* headed "Discontent not Rebellion," it is alleged that "there is much discontent occasioned by the manner in which our affairs are mismanaged," and it adds that no one believes that such a movement, as one in favor of separation, "at the present time is either practicable or desirable." It then proceeds to declare that "there is no disguising the fact that "under some circumstances an agitation in favor of separation from Canada might be very easily instituted, and probably conducted to a successful conclusion." It then proceeds to cite Mr. Goldwin Smith's prediction that "Manitoba and the Northwest would not long be content to be ruled from Ottawa," merely correcting him by remarking that "if he had used the word 'misruled' instead of 'ruled' he would have been entirely within the truth." The *Free*

*Press* argues that "the continuance of Manitoba in the union for any lengthened period depends mainly on the manner in which we are governed," and proceeds to threaten rebellion in case of misgovernment according to its own ideas. Now Manitoba has already tried rebellion and has not found it a very efficacious mode of securing the object of its promoters; and, whatever may be the shortcomings of the administration, it has had a satisfactory support from the representatives of that province. It is, moreover, maintained in power, owing to the confidence placed in it by the people of the Dominion, and even if it fails to give satisfaction to those who agree in opinion with the *Free Press*, threats of rebellion are wholly out of place, as is the assertion that Manitoba has become part of the Dominion, in virtue of a treaty of alliance, which can be abrogated at pleasure.

The grievances specially complained of in the *Free Press* are: 1st, "that appointments are made from among the people of the Eastern Provinces, instead of from those who are resident, and therefore better acquainted with the requirements of the country." This is sufficiently absurd, in view of the fact that the great bulk of the inhabitants, who claim a monopoly of the patronage of the Government, are themselves emigrants from the Eastern Provinces, within a very brief period of time. The other complaint is that the Province has been made "a close preserve for the manufacturers and tradesmen of the East." The remedy which is stated in another article is the celebrated commercial union of the *By-stander*; and it is alleged that the Canadian territories labor under an immense disadvantage as compared with the North-western States, and territories of the United States. We must enter our protest against the allegation that nearly all the necessaries of life are higher by 30 to 50 per cent in Canada than in the United States, and still more against the assertion that the North-western farmer is compelled to dispose of his produce for from 25 to 40 per cent less. All this is mere assertion, incapable of proof, but it indicates a desire to create dissatisfaction among the people, and the tone of the articles leaves no room for doubt that their author is quite prepared to advocate the most extreme measures unless the Parliament of the Dominion submit to the domination of the Province of Manitoba, or, to be more correct, to that of the discontented portion of its population.

As to commercial union, apart from all other objections, there is not the slightest

ground for believing that the United States Congress would agree to such a proposition. Writers, like those in the *Winnipeg Free Press*, assume that the whole difficulty arises from the unwillingness of the Canadian Parliament to consent to a scheme which has been advocated by the *Bystander* without finding a single response, so far as we have noticed, from any influential journal in the United States. It is based on the assumption that it would be possible to establish a commercial union between the United States and Canada, the duties from other states being adopted by the joint authority of the legislatures of the two countries. On the very face of it, the scheme is absurd, and no one, so far as we know, has ever attempted to point out how it could be carried out in practice. And yet we find a journal, which is in opposition to the Government and Legislature of the Province in which it is published, threatening the rebellion of its people, unless the representation of the whole Dominion adopt the views which it advocates. The *Winnipeg Free Press* cannot be unaware that a more liberal commercial policy has many advocates in all the Provinces eastward of Manitoba, as a similar policy has in all the States of the Union. At the present time public opinion has been strongly pronounced in favor of the protection of domestic industries, but it is notorious that our import duties are still much lower than they are in the United States, and that, consequently, the agricultural classes in the North-western States of the Union have just as much cause of complaint as the same class in the Canadian North-west. As the markets for agricultural produce are regulated by the European demand, there can be no material difference in prices in the United States and Canada. We would remark, in conclusion, that all sane men should discountenance the threats of revolutionists, and warn those who utter them to reflect on the ruin brought on the Southern States by their rebellion.

#### FRENCH-CANADIAN IMMIGRATION.

It is not without reluctance that we venture to criticize the recent speech of Sir Hector Langevin at the banquet recently given in his honor by his Montreal admirers, but we own that we are surprised that even the Ministerial press should have failed to protest against his remarks on the subject of French Canadian immigration from the United States at a time when the fact is universally admitted that there has been over-produc-

tion in our cotton and woollen factories and that the principal banks have all but insisted on a very considerable limitation of production as a condition on which alone they would be justified in granting an extension of time to their debtors. We should be sorry to have to apply to the Dominion Government the old adage: "*Quem Deus vult perdere, prius dementat,*" but if the policy indicated by Sir Hector Langevin should be carried out, and if it should be attended with the consequences which we cannot but anticipate, we fear very much that the political opponents of the Government will not hesitate to use it. Sir Hector, in the course of his speech in French (he did not refer to the subject in his English speech), stated that "it is with the greatest satisfaction and pleasure that I am able to announce to you this evening that the Government of Canada intends to take measures, and energetic measures, to recall into the limits of our own territory all our fellow-countrymen in the United States who desire to return and live with us." Sir Hector explained his inability to give at a banquet the details of such a measure, but he said that all that could be done to bring them back "we shall do most heartily." The announcement was received with loud cheers. Now, we should be glad to learn from the Ministerial organs the anticipated practical effect of this new scheme of immigration.

We are not aware of any precedent for the employment of taxes levied on the population of any country in bringing back people who have voluntarily emigrated from the country of their birth or adoption. We ought to make an exception in the case of the Province of Quebec which, being able to raise money by taxes on the mercantile classes, has adopted a very similar policy to that which Sir Hector Langevin has succeeded in inducing his colleagues at Ottawa to adopt. The emigrants from Quebec are, if we mistake not, of two classes, and their destination has been widely different. They are either operatives who have settled in New England, and who have obtained employment in the factories in that manufacturing district of the United States, or they are agriculturists who have settled on lands in the North-West. In the latter case it seems at least highly probable that the emigrants will have established themselves on land in some of the Western States, and in that case it is hardly conceivable that they would be likely to break up their establishments to come back to settle on land in Canada. The other class, New England operatives, are, it seems probable, engaged in factories

where they are earning good wages. At the very time that Sir Hector Langevin assures us that the Government is determined to take "energetic means" to recall those who have voluntarily sought employment elsewhere we are threatened with a stoppage of work in our own factories, owing to over-production.

It is, of course, yet uncertain to what extent operatives may be thrown out of employment, but there can be no room for doubt that it is no time for causing a glut of labor in the home market such as would be the necessary result of a wholesale importation of the operatives of Canadian origin in the United States. It is scarcely probable that the people who left a country where agricultural pursuits were open to them, in order that they might work in factories, will come back to engage in agriculture. The whole scheme is absurd on the face of it, and there is no precedent to be found for it, except in the practice of the French Canadians of Quebec. It has been aggravating enough to witness the waste of public money in the Province of Quebec in colonization schemes, conducted practically at the expense of the citizens of Montreal and Quebec, but chiefly of the former, but it is simply outrageous to find that Quebec influence has been sufficiently powerful to induce the Government of the Dominion to expend the taxes wrung from the people in paying the passages of those who, of their own free choice, have taken up their abode in a foreign country and who, if induced to return, will be competitors with our own people for employment in a labor market that is already overstocked. We give expression to our own views of this question, but we are bound to acknowledge, and we do so with feelings of unmixed regret, that the British population of Montreal, adequately represented, has endorsed the views of Sir Hector Langevin, and has received with loud cheers the announcement of the policy which he and his Quebec colleagues must have forced upon the Dominion Government. We venture to make a forecast that the time is not distant when those responsible for that policy will bitterly regret having consented to its adoption.

#### THE LOAN.

The failure of the attempt to place \$4,000,000 of bonds on the Canadian market at the present time has not caused surprise; and, on the whole, it may be considered fortunate that it was unsuccessful. It would be much to be regretted if the failure should have a prejudicial effect on Canadian credit in the British

market. The course adopted by the Government can hardly have given satisfaction to the public, and it is rather singular that Sir Richard Cartwright was much blamed a few years ago by members of the present Government for not announcing the names of the successful contractors for his loan. It is said that there were in all tenders for \$1,177,000 and that of these \$977,000 were accepted, but the names of the successful tenderers have not been published. The minimum rate which the Government proposed to accept was par, and yet it has been declared, contrary to all precedent, that no further sales will be made under 2½c premium. This certainly has the appearance of being done in order to help the successful tenderers. Whether it will tend to increase confidence in the Government action in regard to loans is at least doubtful.

### THE VERMOND BANQUET.

#### TRADE WITH FRANCE.

The fact that a distinguished French statesman has been entertained at a banquet at Montreal, at which the Hon. Mr. Chapleau, a minister of the Dominion, was present, as well as Mr. Frechette, a professed Liberal, and the editor of *La Patrie*, is suggestive to us that a few remarks on our commercial relations with France may not be out of place. At the banquet, all was harmony, and compliments were interchanged between the distinguished guest and his hosts, as if all our arrangements with France were on the most satisfactory footing. Not a single word of complaint was uttered by a Canadian of either of our political parties, and, moreover, an evening contemporary, the *Star*, announces, without a word of explanation, that Mr. Perrault, the French Vice-Consul, had actually had the audacity, for we can use no milder, and are much disposed to use a harsher, term, to complain that "Canada was not doing its share in bringing about so advantageous an object." Mr. Perrault would not, we apprehend, feel complimented were we to attribute his remark to gross ignorance of his subject, and we are therefore compelled to assume that he is simply continuing that game of bluff that France has played so long at the expense of the Dominion. We are told in the *Star* report that the *Compte des Sesmaisons* is "charged with the mission of obtaining from the Canadian Government a reduction of the tariff on wines." It is but a short time since Sir John Macdonald emphatically declared his adherence to the policy of negotiating treaties with foreign powers, through the British embassy.

Sir Alexander Galt acknowledged the cordial assistance he had received from the British Ambassador in his negotiations to obtain justice from France, and which failed, simply because justice was not to be got. Mr. Perrault refers to the reduction of the duty on wooden vessels, but he did not explain that, after refusing Canada for a number of years its just demand to be put, in regard to wooden vessels, on the footing of the most favored nation, France, for its own purposes, reduced the duty in its general tariff to which the least favored nations are subject. We have frequently, on former occasions, called attention to two facts, which certainly should have been brought to Mr. Vermond's notice. The first is that, while Turkey, a Mahometan state, sends its exports to France on the footing of the most favored nation, Canada, that Mr. Vermond would fain persuade us is looked on with affection by its Mother Country, is treated like an outcast as one of the least favored nations. 2nd, that, notwithstanding this treatment, Canada has hitherto admitted French exports on the footing of the most favored nations. As to the French Consul General, it must be borne in mind that his predecessor attempted to enter on similar negotiations, if we are not mistaken, with Sir Hector Langevin, which were repudiated by the French Government. It would be wholly irregular for a Consul General to propose such a scheme, as the *Compte des Sesmaisons* is reported to have taken up. Sir Leonard Tilley announced last session that, unless France admitted Canadian exports on the footing of the most favored nations, it would be absolutely necessary to retaliate. As to a reduction of the tariff on French wines, when England is complaining loudly of our tariff on her manufactures, it would be simply adding insult to injury. What right has France to meddle with our tariff on wines or any other commodity? Our complaint is not that France charges high or low duties. Every nation must regulate its tariff according to its own requirements and the wishes of its own people. To permit France to make stipulations on the subject of our tariff as an inducement to obtain, what we have a right to demand, viz., to be admitted to her markets on the same terms as Turkey, would be a degradation, but a degradation that we very much fear there are Canadians base enough to contemplate. We presume that the article in the *Star*, which, with the Vermond banquet, has led to our remarks, can only have been inspired by French diplomatists. It is thoroughly anti-Canadian.

### CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

The action of the Dominion Government in agreeing to guarantee 3 per cent interest on the capital stock of the Canadian Pacific Railway, amounting to \$100,000,000, took the public by surprise; but the explanations that have been made by the demi-official journals seem to be satisfactory. It is, of course, well-known that the capital required for the work in question cannot be obtained in Canada, except to a very limited extent, and in order to make the stock marketable in the United Kingdom and in foreign countries it is desirable that such a guarantee as that indicated should be given. It has been stated, and we have no doubt correctly, that before giving the guarantee the Government obtained from the company the most ample security, so that the guarantee, though it may be hoped efficacious, will be merely nominal. We have little doubt that the persistent opponents of the Canadian Pacific will adopt the policy which they have hitherto pursued and denounce the action of the Government, but it is too late to throw obstacles in the way of the successful prosecution of a work to which the country is fully committed.

### FIRE INSURANCE ADJUSTER.

To the Editor of the JOURNAL OF COMMERCE.

You said in a late issue of your paper that some fire insurance adjusters act without fear or favor, but I can tell you there are some queer sort of fellows amongst them, for I have had business with four or five of them lately myself, as I had a shed burnt down on which I had a thousand dollars of insurance, being two hundred dollars each in five companies.

A few days after the fire there came along a fellow who said he was from one of the companies, and before we had said a dozen words to one another, he wanted me to sign a paper; he had said, "Who is your builder," and I had said "Tom Jones." "Jack Robertson's mine," he said, and went to work writing something on a piece of paper. "Sign this," says he. He was in such a hurry asking me to sign, that I thought I had best go to Bill Sharp, our lawyer, and see about this signing business. So I puts off to see Sharp, when what did the fellow do but follow me right into the lawyer's office and introduce himself to Sharp right off. Sharp and him talked awhile together, when Sharp turned round and said, "It's all right, he only wants you to sign an agreement that Jones and Robertson are to say what the building was worth," so I signed the paper, and Sharp charged me five dollars for legal advice.

I went to Jones and told him I had a thousand dollars insurance on that shed, and he was to stick tight and fast to a thousand dollars. Pretty smart fellow is Jones, so you may bet your last cent he stuck to that thousand dollars as the value of my shed, and got Robertson to sign with him to that valuation.



This is just where that adjuster came in like a troop of cavalry and brings out the application I had made to his company, in which I had stated the value of that shed to be sixteen hundred dollars, and he tells me that I was only entitled to that proportion of my thousand dollars of insurance; that the thousand dollars I had got Jones to fight for as value was to the sixteen hundred dollars of value I had put in the application, so that I was only entitled to six hundred and twenty-five dollars, of which his company would pay one hundred and twenty-five, and he offered me the money right off, and wanted a receipt; this knocked all the wind clean out of me, you may be sure, so I went back again to Sharp and told him what I had done. "Get the award," says he, "and we will see what it says;" but that insurance fellow had got it in his pocket and would show it but would not part with it, so it was no go. If I'd a got it I'd a lost it and said there was a mistake, but I could only get a copy that the fellow called a duplicate, so Sharp told me I had acted like a fool, and I must take the consequences, and he charged me another five dollars.

Next day there came along another of them insurance fellows, and he seemed a quiet, decent sort of fellow; he asked me what I gave for the shed, and I said sixteen hundred dollars, so he made out some papers and told me I was to sign just here. I wasn't going to be caught fooling this time, so I said, "just let me have that paper for a while and call again." "All right," says he, "I'll call again in the morning." So I takes them papers to Sharp, and asks him to read 'em.

Sharp called me a fool again, which wasn't nice treatment, but he told me to sign the papers as they was only claim papers, for one of the two hundred dollar policies, so I signed 'em, and he witnessed my signature and charged me ten dollars—and next day that insurance fellow got his papers and went away, and I got my check in about a week for the \$20.

In a few days there came along another fellow who apologized for being so late, but said he had been busy; and he asked me, like the fellow I have last written of, "what I gave for the shed." I thought this was a good sign, and so answered him, as I did the other fellow, "sixteen hundred dollars." I should have said that he told me he represented the three other companies, and "who did you buy it from?" and "when did you buy it?" and "when was it built and who built it?" "how was it built?" and "what was it covered with?" and "when was it shingled?" and "who shingled it?" and "what did you give a thousand for the shingles?" and a pile of questions that left me senseless by the time I had got through answering them. "Where's the Registry office," says he, and I told him. "Good morning," says he. "The devil go with you," says I to myself, but "good morning" to him. This fellow kind a made me feel queer, so I went off to Lawyer Sharp, and told him all about it. "He's gone to see the registry of your deed," says Sharp, and he will see you bought that shed and the lot it stood on and your lot on which you have built your store on the front street all for the sixteen hundred dollars, and he'll arrest you right off for fraud.

Here was a pretty kind of a go, so I asked Sharp what I had best do. "Give me fifty dollars right off," says he, "and I will see what I can do about it," so I gave him the fifty dollars and he went to see the insurance fellow who was taking a copy of my deed at the registry office, and him and him talked the whole thing over for about an hour, when Sharp came and told me that I had to give up my three policies, and give a clear receipt for one dollar apiece for the three, and to pay that insurance man's time and expenses, which was seventy-five dollars. So for my thousand dollars of insurance I received three hundred and twenty-five (\$325.00) dollars, and paid out \$95.00; but it was an old broken-down shed anyhow, and if anybody had offered me two hundred dollars for it and take it clean away I would have been glad to get rid of it, because it was a dangerous nuisance where it was, and I wanted to build a decent stable where it stood, so them insurance fellows didn't get much of a start on me anyway after all their fear and favor.

ALEXCK SMART.

**DUTY ON INLAND FREIGHTS.**—The matter in dispute between several of our wholesale hardware dealers and the Government respecting the additional duty imposed last August, by which the charge for inland freight—that is, the freight from the place of manufacture to the port of shipment—was no longer to be deducted from the amount of the invoice in reckoning the duty, was adjusted a few days ago in this city, at a meeting of the firms interested with Hon. Mr. Bowell, and it is now expected that the Government will refund the overcharge paid meantime. There appears to have been some uncertainty regarding the amount to be deducted for inland freight. The manufactory might be in any interior city of England, and if the manufacturer lived still further from the shipping port he might, and did sometimes, date his invoice thence, and the Liverpool shipper deducted 7s. 6d., 10s. or 15s. per ton as the case might be, in accordance, it was thought, with the provisions of the tariff in favor of Great Britain in this respect. It is now arranged that for the future invoices may be dated at Liverpool or any other point; and the inland carriage from point of production to place of ocean shipment will be allowed to be deducted from the f.o.b. price, provided evidence be furnished, by the production of the railway receipt, that the inland carriage has actually been paid; and the duty will be payable on the net amount representing the cost at point of production. More than one leading firm is in favor of a comprehensive rate per ton, covering all charges, but others, especially those who are themselves manufacturers, perceive obstacles in the way of such an arrangement. We may refer to this subject again.

The Molsos Bank has every prospect of recovering the greater portion of the \$30,000 carried off by the swindler Dewey, late cheese and provision shipper, this city. Dewey, whose real name is Halpert, was arrested on board one of the Pacific steamships in San Francisco harbor, just as the vessel was prepared to leave for Japan. The detection and arrest are due to a young man named Harsburg, formerly of Hamilton, ticket seller, who sold a ticket for Yokohama to Halpert or De Albert as he called himself. Drafts for about \$50,000 bought in San Francisco and remitted to Germany have been stopped. A photograph of Halpert sent from one of his eastern haunts and given by the

detectives to Harsburg, made the recognition quite easy, although the despatch from San Antonio, Texas, that Halpert had been arrested there had thrown the authorities off the track. He has been sent east for trial. Full particulars of the circumstances leading to the discovery and arrest have been sent to Mr. Thos. Workman, president of the Bank.

SOME of the circumstances surrounding the stoppage and transfer of the Thorold Wood Pulp Paper Co., of Thorold, Ont., are not quite satisfactorily understood by all concerned. About two months ago the mill stopped work, and was indebted for wages and teaming to a considerable amount, which has not yet been paid. After the mill stopped the pulp on hand was carried away, and later on the grinders were removed. The mill was advertised for sale at the suit of the Niagara Falls (American) Bank. The sale has been postponed, and is not likely to take place. John Battle, senior, is said to have a mortgage for six or seven thousand dollars against the mill, which is much more than it would sell for, as it is not likely to be again used as a pulp mill, there being no longer scarcely any demand for the pulp. Two or three months before the collapse of the pulp manufactory, the business was transferred to James Davy, jun., of Niagara Falls, N.Y., and David Battle, son of John Battle. It is said James Davy possessed little or no means, although the family is not at all indigent. David Battle is no better off. Appearances are not conducive to a favorable view of the case.

THE failure is announced of the large Liverpool firm of Morris & Ranger, dealers in raw cotton, bringing down with them several other firms and cotton brokers of that city. They are estimated to have been short more than 100,000 bales, and their failure is attributed to dealing in futures without the necessary protection secured by a deposit of margins. Liabilities £650,000. Hollinshead, Tutley & Co., and P. H. Forman & Co., brokers, have also suspended. New York dealers are interested in these failures to the amount of £100,000. Later cables announce the suspension of Henry Pearce & Co., and Jos. Taylor & Co., cotton brokers, of the same city.

THE "Dominion Dry Goods Report and Fur Record" is the name of a new monthly venture in journalism, devoted to these and relative departments. The publishers are Mr. Wiseman, wood engraver, this city, and Mr. Biggar, lately from South Africa, representing in this city the Canadian printers of "patent outsides" for those country newspapers of which the first and fourth pages are alike in all the papers of certain districts. The new work is well printed and on good paper. The quotations are taken from the JOURNAL OF COMMERCE; it is to be regretted that the statistics of cotton manufactory have not been more carefully compiled.

R. W. Cowan & Co., retail furriers, this city, held a meeting of their creditors yesterday, when it was resolved that as soon as stock is taken, the whole affair be sold en bloc at auction. A few years ago Mr. Cowan sold out his interest in a prosperous retail business, but invested a large sum in Wayne Griswold's Mineral Point Tunnel silver mine, which proved a failure. Other investments also turned out badly, and Mr. Cowan resumed his old business considerably weakened in purse. The liabilities are estimated at \$18,000. Mr. Cowan is a man of well known probity and character, and he has the sympathy of many friends in his troubles.

DEROME & LE FRANCAIS keep a fine stock of about \$11,000, chiefly furs, on St. Catherine street East, this city. They appeared to be

doing a good business when the many failures in their line interrupted the even tenor of their thoughts. They offered their creditors 50 cents in the dollar which, being refused, they assigned to Mr. John Taylor. The creditors are willing to take 75 cents in the dollar.

**AT FAULT.**—The London, Ont., *Advertiser* has thought proper to repent in a recent number a statement that has been repeatedly contradicted, and which is at variance with the usage which prevails elsewhere. This journal is not, and has never been, edited by Sir Francis Hincks, who is, nevertheless, one of our valued contributors. The *Advertiser* may not be able to comprehend the distinction which, however, will be sufficiently apparent to all acquainted with the practice adopted by the British and United States press.

The Ville Marie Bank has declared the handsome dividend of 3½ per cent for the current six months. The bank appears to be doing a careful business, largely under the supervision of some of the directors who, apart from long experience, have not been careless observers of the unfortunate mistakes in their vicinity for some time past.

## Market Reports.

### MONTREAL WHOLESALE MARKETS.

THURSDAY, Nov. 1st, 1883.

The period for the close of navigation has been heralded by weather gusty but warm, and the harbor is fairly busy with preparations for the departure of the last of the fall fleet. Business in most departments is characterized by almost extreme dullness, the sorting-up trade being unusually light. Concessions for cash are still reported possible from cotton holders, and it is claimed that cash purchasers can almost name their price, but no proposals at lower than regulation prices would be accepted for future delivery or on time. This means that the mills must get money. The closing of several large mills for some weeks—and the time may in some cases be extended to months—will throw a large number of consumers out of employment, and people who have benefited by the enterprise which in their own selfishness they deem will feel the change no less than those whose money is invested. Descending to sections:—Ontario trade is dull and crops are not moving; Ottawa district business is much less than usual, owing to decreased operations in the woods; Eastern Townships business is reported good. Troubles among woollen manufactures continue to crop out here and there according as paper matures. The severe competition in Toronto business is likely to attract some attention, but much will depend all over on how things may turn out in January and February. Bank stocks appear to have touched bottom for a time, and some have recovered 1 to 2 per cent, but this was to be expected as soon as they reached a point where six per cent may be realized, for in the present state of the money market throughout the world, such a rate of interest is as much as can be expected; besides there is the prospect of a rise—and good mortgages in Montreal are worth only about 5½. People are asking what is the matter with Ontario bank stock, which at the buy-

ing rate this week—about 98—is worth under \$20 per original share. The surplus claimed at the time of the recent reduction appears to have no longer any existence, if the stock market be an indication. For this and other quotations see table elsewhere. Sterling Exchange quiet, and rates for money nominally unchanged.

**ASHES.**—Receipts have been liberal. There has been a good demand the past few days at \$4.60 to \$4.70, a few large lots having been sold at higher figures yesterday. Seconds sold at \$4.00 to \$4.05, but would now command more. There are no Thirds to be had. **PEARLS.**—Purely nominal. There has been a large advance in price in Liverpool, and we must now see high prices here; but the enquiry is and will be very limited. Receipts since 1st January 7,044 barrels Pots, 456 barrels Pearls. Deliveries, 6,298 barrels Pots, 535 barrels Pearls. Stock in store 31st October, 1883, 1,061 barrels Pots, 13 barrels Pearls.

**BOOTS AND SHOES.**—All the large factories are still occupied on sorting-up orders and Spring samples. Many of the travellers are still doing well in sorting-up sales, while others are anxiously enquiring for Spring samples. Payments are good, while many dealers prefer paying cash for all small purchases.

**DAIRY PRODUCE.**—There continues to be a good demand for choice fall-made lots of butter, both for foreign and local markets, and all parcels of pleasing quality may be readily placed at our outside quotations. For summer makes and medium qualities the market rules extremely dull and unsettled, with large stocks on the hands of dealers, and no immediate prospects of an outlet. The future of the market shows no encouragement to holders, and sales are being forced at best obtainable rates. We note the sales during the week of choice Fall Townships for export at 21½ to 22½; straight western dairies in car lots at 17½, and 380 tubs of medium at 15½. Morrisburg and Brockville straight dairies are now offering, but owing to the extreme high price of the goods in the country, receivers find it impossible to dispose of them without considerable loss. The highest offers made by exporters are from 19c to 20c. Throughout the trades we find a general complaint of extreme dullness, and all feel disposed to see prices in order to fix sales. Cable reports from English markets are quoted 4 shillings lower.

**DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.**—There has been a fair amount of business transacted since, our last, with some slight decline in some articles, viz.: Borax, Opium, Potass Iodid and Potass Bichrom. which are unchanged in our price column. Castor oil is still light in supply, and price is a little higher. The English markets are quiet but steady, manufacturers maintaining a firm position, although their order books are rather bare now.

**DRY GOODS.**—In the course of our weekly perambulations we have not thus far been able to make out that anything but a meagre sorting trade has been the experience of the trade. People are not buying as freely as expected when reporting some three weeks ago. No doubt this is to be accounted for, as we ventured to predict in one of our late issues, by the trouble of the great selling firm which lately suspended.

**FISH.**—A fair fall business is being done in the ordinary way in the fish market, canned goods being on the rise, whereas other fish are on the decline. No. 1 Labrador Herrings are quoted at \$6; No. 2, at \$5, and No. 3 at \$4.

**FLOUR AND GRAIN.**—The market has been quiet and steady, and a better demand has existed. Sales are reported in excess of receipts, while prices are firm and unaltered. **GRAIN.**—There has been very little doing during the last week, but prices remain unchanged. Very little wheat is arriving, there being no demand from the English markets. The only business of importance that has transpired has been done in Peas, which are selling at from 89½ to 91c for carloads, and from 92c to 92½ for cargo lots. Nothing doing in other grains.

**FRUITS.**—The market is fairly active the receipts of Apples having been heavy and prices easier within the last few days. Good fall stock is quoted at \$3 to \$3.25; winter at \$3.50 to \$4, with a weaker tendency. *Almeria Grapes* are less plentiful this week, and prices firm at last week's quotations, \$4.75 to \$5.25. *Lemons* are selling at \$9 to \$10 for cases and \$5 for boxes. *Havana Oranges*, \$7 to \$8; *Jamaicas* \$8; stem-cut *Jamaicas*, \$9; *California Peas*, \$5 per box; yellow *Bananas*, \$3 to \$6 according to size of bunch. *Cocoanuts*, \$6 per 100. *Onions* and *Dates* unchanged. A sale of 3 car lots of winter apples is reported at \$3.50 to \$4. An auction of fruits took place on Wednesday, but the only transactions in fresh worth mentioning were some small sales of *Almeria grapes*.

**GROCERIES.—FRUIT.**—Auction sale yesterday did not show extensive operations. *Valentias*, only small quantity sold at 6½ to 7c, held at 7c to 7½ on heavy lots; 7½ to 8c in ordinary trade. A considerable sale was made at 6½. There is variation in quality, and this must be remembered. Ordinary layers sold at \$1.80. *Loose Muscatels* \$2 to \$2.30. *Black London Layers* brought \$2.15; best, \$2.35 to \$2.40. *Mats Figs* sold 4½ to 4c. *Extra Raisins* brought \$3.10 to \$4.25. *Avica Almonds* sold 14c. *Filberts* 7½ to 7c. Some advance of course, must be expected in ordinary way for the above. *Figs*, small boxes sold at 12½ to 13c. *Currants* are 6½ to 7c. *Sultanas* 9c to 11c. **SUGARS.**—Firm at advance of at least ½ to ¾. *Granulated* held at 9c to 9½. *Yellows* 7½ to 8½. **TEAS.**—High quality steady, and for any desirable Teas there is firmness; demand not active. *Japan advices* report market there holding up for good Teas. Exports about two million pounds less than last year to same time. *China Young Hysons firm.* *Black Teas.*—It is said a sale of common has been made for New York. *Molasses and Syrups*—no change, quiet. *Rice* firm at advance. *English market* higher, at \$3.45 to \$3.85. **COFFEES.**—The amount of business doing is not heavy, with values maintained. **SPICES.**—Pepper rather higher. *Nutmegs firm.* *Common Ginger* also held at full figures. *Pimento* and *Cassia* dull.

**HARDWARE.**—Business is quiet, but payments have been satisfactory: a large firm report only one drawback during the month in this respect and that was under \$100. There is, however, a slightly perceptible falling off to be noticed during the last few days.

**OILS.**—The market is firm. *Cod Oil* is in rather better supply, but prices are firmly maintained at 60c to 65c. The supply of *Cod Liver Oil* is very small, and prices are firmly held at \$2 per gal. *Linseed Oil* is in fair demand, with an upward tendency in sympathy with the English markets, which are 10s per ton higher. *Boiled Linseed* is quoted at 60c to 62c.

**PROVISIONS.**—The market is rather quiet, there being little or no enquiry at present; prices remain unchanged. *Tallow* is very inactive. We have not heard of any movement since several weeks past, and quotations are purely nominal. *Eggs* are in good demand, and the market is firm and active; strictly fresh lots are quoted at 26c.

**WINES AND LIQUORS.**—Importers state a fair business is being done with country dealers at firm but unchanged quotations. Travellers start out this week with samples for the holiday trade. Payments are reported fair.

**Wool.**—General business during the last week has been quiet, a few small sales within range of quotations are alone reported; transactions having been confined to immediate wants. Prices remain unchanged.

**FIRE RECORD.**

**ONTARIO.**

**Belleville, Oct. 26.**—Mr. Taylor's barn destroyed. Loss \$1,900; insured for \$1,000 in Queen's. **Chaudière, Oct. 25.**—The Canadian Pacific Railway round-house destroyed. Loss \$3,000; fully insured. **Covansville, Oct. 25.**—The dry house connected with Morrison Bros. & Co.'s woolen mills destroyed. Loss not known; the building belonged to Mr. Nesbitt. **Toronto, Oct. 25.**—The building owned by Messrs. Walmsley & Cornell, and occupied by Grip Publishing Company, partly burnt. Loss to building \$1,000; insured for \$4,000 in London & Lancashire. Grip loses \$8,000; insured in Citizens, London & Lancashire, City of London and Hand-in-Hand, for \$12,000.—**Oct. 31.**—The Li-Quor Tea Co.'s store partly destroyed. Loss estimated at \$15,000; insured for \$30,000, divided among the Royal, London & Lancashire and Citizens. **Millbrook, Oct. 25.**—The stove depot of T. Phillips, destroyed. Insured for \$1,000, but does not cover loss. **Hespeler, Oct. 28.**—The Hespeler Manufacturing Company's woolen mill damaged to the extent of \$5,000. **Wingham, Oct. 27.**—W. J. McCutcheon's barn destroyed. Insured in British America for \$150.

**QUEBEC.**

**Longueuil, Oct. 27.**—J. B. Labonte's barn, destroyed with contents. Loss \$400; covered by insurance. **Montreal, Oct. 27.**—The residence of Mr. F. Hamel damaged to the extent of \$250; no insurance.

**NEW BRUNSWICK.**

**St. John, Oct. 29.**—A three-storey wooden building owned by the McCulloch estate, and occupied by Mrs. Perry, destroyed. The house was insured for \$2,400 in Royal Canadian, and North British and Mercantile. Mrs. Perry was uninsured.

**MANITOBA.**

**Rat Portage, Oct. 13.**—The round-house of C.P.R., just completed, totally destroyed with four engines. Total loss \$3000; insurance not known.

**AMERICAN MARKETS.**

**Boston, Nov. 1.**—Flour, market improved, demand moderate, little change in prices. Sales of Superfine at from \$3 to \$3.50; Extras from \$3.75 to \$4.25, including choice Bakers from \$4.50 to \$6. Patent Spring selling at from \$6.75 to \$7.25, and Patent Winter \$3 to \$6.75. **Cornmeal** in fair demand, at \$2.80. **Oatmeal** selling at from \$4.75 to \$5, for medium to fair, and \$5.75 to \$6.25 for choice. **Hay**, market quiet, \$17 extreme price for best qualities, and very good from \$15 to \$16. **Butter**, choice in fair demand, other kinds moderate request. Sales of choice creameries at from 28c to 30c, fair to good from 22c to 27c. **Cheese** firm and in moderate demand; sales at from 12c to 12½c for choice, and 10c to 11c fair to good. **Eggs** firm and in good demand, with sales of Canadian at from 27c to 28c. **Peas** in steady demand at from \$1.10 to \$1.15. **Potatoes** in large supply; prices easier. Sales of choice grades at from 50c to 55c.

**Chicago, 2.30 p.m.**—Wheat, Nov., 93½c; Dec., 95½c; Jan., 96½c. Corn, Nov., 47½c; Year, 46½c; Jan., 46½c. Oats, Nov., 27½c; Year, 27½c. Pork, Nov., \$10.22½; Jan., \$11.12½; Feb., \$11.25. Lard, Nov., \$7.20; Jan., \$7.30; Feb., \$7.40.

**New York, 2.00 p.m.**—Wheat, No. 2 Red, Dec., \$1.14½; Jan., \$1.12½; Feb., \$1.14½. Corn, Nov., 56½c; Dec., 57½c; Jan., 57½c.

**Milwaukee, 12.00 p.m.**—Wheat, Dec., 94½c; Jan., 95½c.

**ENGLISH MARKETS.**

**LIVERPOOL, NOV. 1, 1883.**

(Beerbohm's Advices.) Cargoes off Coast—Wheat, quiet but steady. Corn, nothing offering. Cargoes on passage—Wheat and Corn quiet but steady. Arrivals off coast, Wheat, very small; Corn, nil. Quantity on passage for Continent, Wheat, 490,000 qrs; Maize, 60,000 qrs. Maize on passage for United Kingdom, 200,000 qrs.; Wheat and Flour, 1,925,000 qrs. Liverpool Wheat on spot dull; Corn weaker.

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**TORONTO WHOLESALE MARKETS.**

(Revised by Telegraph.)

**TORONTO, November 1, 1883.**

There is nothing impending to create any change in the opinions of what trade will be during the next few months. There is a growing opinion that the prices of wheat will improve in outside markets, and thus operate to the advantage of the farmers. Wholesale dealers are not generally looking for a good year's trade, and are prepared for what may come. The steady decrease in importations will have a good effect in time, but the large stocks accumulated under excessive importations and large home production will be found a heavy burden for some time. The money market is comparatively steady, and has acquired a settled tone. Banks are still careful about discounts for merely commercial purposes, and the rate is still 7 per cent. for first-class paper, the ruling rates on bonds and

debentures are 5½ to 6 per cent. Sterling Exchange is quiet, and rates unchanged and easy. Gold drafts on New York are at a premium of ½ across the counter. The Stock Exchange has been irregular and generally weak, but there is an opinion among financiers that the decline has been arrested. Loan Companies' shares have been rather quiet, and no great change in values has been reported. In Miscellaneous shares Northwest Land Co. declined from 70s to 66s; among others the greatest decline did not exceed one point. Altogether the Stock Exchange is firmer, with an increase of stronger operators, and business of a less speculative character. Following are the bids to-day compared with those of last Thursday:

Banks.	Bid Nov. 1	Bid Oct. 25	Loan Cos.	Bid Nov. 1	Bid Oct. 25
Montreal	181	184½	Can. Permanent	234½	234½
Toronto	108½	170	Freehold	167	167½
Ontario	99	103½	Western Can.	193	194
Merchants	115	115	Bldg. & Loan	1013	1011
Commerce	123½	124	Farmers' Loan	125	125
Dominion	187½	187	Land & Can'dn	137	138
Hamilton	116	116	Huron & Erie	162	162
Stand'd.	113½	113½	Dom. Savings	114½	114½
Federal	130	147	Ontario Loan	110	110
Imperial	136½	136	Hamilton Prov.	110	110
Molson	111	113	Imperial Savin's	110	110

**LEATHER.**—Trade continues quiet; sales are slow and carefully made. Prices to country traders are given:—Sole, Spanish, all weights, 28c to 30c; No. 2, at 25c to 28c; calf, hemlock, heavy, 75c to 90c; light, 60c to 70c; French, calf, \$1.10 to \$1.40. Straits oil, 55c to 60c; Cod oil, 65c to 70c.

**FLOUR.**—During the past week there has been no change in this market. A local demand constitutes the trade that is being done, and prices are only steady. A sale of choice Superior Extra was made at \$5.25 on Saturday; when ordinary Superior was bid for at \$5.15; and Extra was quoted at \$4.95. Patent Process brands, for pastry bakers, sell from \$6 up to \$7, according to quality. On Tuesday the market was still unchanged, with a sale of choice Superior Extra at \$5.25; and a sale of Extra at an outside point at equal to \$4.95 here. Ordinary Superior was held at \$5.15. Patent brands unchanged. Stocks have increased since last week, and the market closed steady at \$5.17½ for Ordinary Superior Extra. There were on Monday last in store 781 barrels, against 35 barrels Oct. 21, 1883; against 1,200 barrels Oct. 30, 1882; and 2,311 barrels Oct. 31, 1881.

**WHEAT.**—The market has undergone some change in tone, but there has been very little change in prices. The Chicago market was rather improved on Saturday, while British markets are still unchanged. The market here cannot be called even firm, while prices are still some cents above the export basis. The demand is almost exclusively for milling purposes; and as there has been very little movement of the crop up to the present prices are steady. On Monday there was no improvement, with No. 2 Fall offered at \$1.10, but no buyers. New Spring No. 2 sold at \$1.10; and choice quoted at \$1.11. Goose Wheat nominal at 91c to 92c. Quotations on Tuesday were \$1.11 for No. 2 new Spring, and \$1.10 for No. 2 new Fall. There was a slight improvement noted in the Liverpool market. At the market to-day No. 1 Spring, sold at \$1.14; other grades nominal. Stocks on Monday last were 42,137 bushels, against 93,519 bushels Oct. 30, 1882; and 80,939 bushels Oct. 31, 1881. The total quantity of grain in store on Monday last was 175,087 bushels; against 295,769, Oct. 30, 1882; and 481,653 bushels Oct. 31, 1881.

**COARSE GRAINS.**—Barley has been moving more freely, but still not in quantity at all equal to former years. The price is also not what was looked for. No. 1 has been steady at 71c; No. 2 at 66c; No. 3 Extra at 62c; and No. 3 at 53c. The United States markets are generally dull. Stocks are increasing, and shipments are light. In store on Monday last 130,148 bushels, against 188,584 bushels Oct. 30, 1882; and 283,900 bushels Oct. 31, 1881. The visible supply of barley in Canada and the United States was 1,609,000, Oct. 20; against 2,068,135 bushels Oct. 21, 1882. The market to-day remains steady at yesterday's prices. Oats keep very quiet in movement there being no receipts beyond what are required for local consumption. Prices are therefore steady: Western oats are quoted at 37c; and No. 2 at 36c. Stocks are nil. Peas are also quiet, the stocks showing a slight increase. Prices are steadily quoted at 74c to 76c for good to choice No. 2. Stocks on Monday last were 2,167 bushels against 8,720, Oct. 30, 1882; and 6,751 bushels Oct. 31, 1881. Rye is entirely nominal. There are no receipts except an occasional load on the street. The quotation is 62c on the truck.

**COAL OIL.**—The market continues very steady; trade is good and prices are firm. Crude is unchanged at the wells. Refined steady; Canadian, 18c for common, and 19c for carbon safety, in single barrels; American, 26c for prime; 28c for water white.

**COAL AND WOOD.**—Business continues to be active, with prices generally unchanged and steady. Receipts of coal have been large during the past month. Prices are still quoted at \$1 for stove and nut, delivered; \$6.75 for egg and grate; \$6.50 for best soft coal; and \$6 for blacksmith's coal. Wood is again easy, at \$6.50 for best hard wood, delivered.

**HOGS.**—It is somewhat early to give an opinion of the hog trade, with prices and supplies. But there are some features of the situation that are sufficiently distinct to be made out. The quantity of hogs that will be

brought to market this season is expected to be quite as large if not larger than it was last season, the high prices of last winter operating as a stimulus to growing hogs. It is also pretty well understood that the buyers this season will be fewer than they were last season, therefore less competition in the market. The continued depression in the Western markets will exercise a downward tendency here also. The opinion is almost unanimous that hogs will not bring over \$5 this season. Some dealers place the price below, but, leaving them out, the bulk of opinion will probably be verified.

**PROVISIONS, ETC.**—There is no change of any importance in the provision trade. Meats are nearly cleared out, and prices are steady, though very little improved. Long clear bacon is quoted at 8½c to 8¾c for small lots; Cumberland about 8c. Hams are done. Lard easy at 11½c to 12c, single packages 12½c. Pork nominal, at \$15. Beef quiet at \$15 for prime and \$16 for Mess. Butter is still irregular; fine qualities bring 20c for tubs and pails, in small lots, and is scarce; ordinary store-packed is quoted at 15c to 16c; inferior 10c to 12c. Cheese is in fair demand, and prices are steady at a slight advance; fine goods selling in small lots at 11½c to 12½c; inferior skims at 10c. Eggs are firm; single cases bought at 22c and selling at 23c. Potatoes are moving fairly; car lots are worth 75c; wagon loads 85c to 90c. Hogs are offering moderately on the street at \$6 to \$6.50. Hops dull at 22c to 23c for medium new; and 27c to 30c for old. Onions are in good supply at \$1.90 per bag for red, and \$2.25 for silver skin. Poultry unchanged from last week. Apples in good supply; cooking, \$2 to \$2.25; winter, \$3 to \$3.75, for single barrels.

**WOOL.**—Our market has continued without any change. The principal American markets have been rather more active, but it has been without any gain in values. The general opinion that this will be an easy winter is against any advance in prices of fleece in this market. Leicester is still quoted buying here at 19c to 20c, with an advance of ¼c for a fine ot. Cotswold is quoted at 17c for selections.

Southdown wool is taken, small lots only offering, at 25c to 26c; other downs at 22c to 24c. Pulled wools in small demand; Supers selling to factories at 26c; Extra Supers at 28c to 30c.

**HARDWARE.**—The general trade is reported rather quiet. An opinion is prevailing that demand for ordinary lines of goods will not be more than very moderate this winter. The general effect of limited business is being felt in its extension to many branches of manufactures and building. Quotations are nominally unchanged during the past few weeks, and it is stated that present figures are rather in buyers' favor. Dealers report a satisfactory settlement of accounts.

**HIDES.**—There is a change reported. Supplies are large. Green hides are buying at 7½c for cows and 8¼c for steers; cured selling at 8c. This is a decline of ½c all round. Calfskins unchanged. Sheepskins are worth 75c to 80c.

**GROCERIES.**—Business is reported as very satisfactory, with fair prospects for some weeks to come. Prices are also steady and likely to continue so. Quotations of leading articles are:—Sugars.—Porto Rico, dark to fair, 6½c to 7c; bright to choice, 7½c to 7¾c; Canadian refined, 7¾c to 8c; granulated, 9½c to 9¼c; Paris lump, 10c; Scotch refined, 6¾c to 7c; Peas are steady, and low grades are rather firmer. Coffees, steady; Java, 18c to 25c; Rio,

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**LIVE STOCK TRADE.**—There is not much interest in the cattle trade, as it is chiefly confined to local dealers and feeders. Prices are nominally unchanged. Supplies have been ample for the demand. Shipping cattle are quoted at \$5 to \$5.25. Butchers' cattle are steady; choice beasts of 1,200 to 1,300 lbs are worth about \$5 per 100 lbs, live weight. Common to good beasts, light but in good condition, are worth \$4 to \$4.50. Good feeding steers are worth \$4.50 per 100 lbs. Inferior cattle are not offering to any considerable extent. Sheep have been coming in more freely, and sell readily at \$4 to \$5 per head, for good to choice. Lambs are in good supply, and rather firmer, the Buffalo market having slightly improved. Prices are \$3.50 to \$4 for good to choice lots. Hogs in limited numbers, quoted steady, at \$5 to \$5.50 per 100 lbs., live weight.

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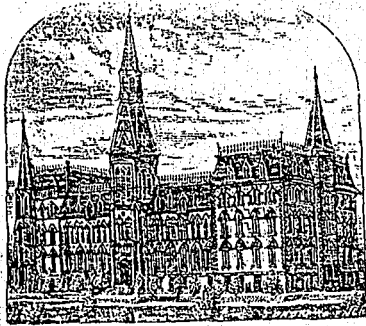
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The letting of the works at the upper entrance of the CORNWALL CANAL, and those at the upper entrance of the RAPIDE PLAT CANAL, advertised to take place on the 13th day of November next, are unavoidably postponed to the following dates:—  
Tenders will be received until TUESDAY, the FOURTH day of December next.

Plans, specifications, &c., will be ready for examination at the places previously mentioned on and after TUESDAY, the TWENTIETH day of NOVEMBER.

For the works at the head of the Galops Canal tenders will be received until TUESDAY, the EIGHTEENTH day of DECEMBER. Plans and specifications, &c., can be seen at the places before mentioned on and after TUESDAY, the FOURTH day of DECEMBER.

By Order,

A. P. BRADLEY,

Secretary.

Department of Railways & Canals,  
Ottawa, 20th October, 1883.

## ST. LAWRENCE CANALS.

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SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for St. Lawrence Canals," will be received at this office until the arrival of the eastern and western mails, on TUESDAY, the 13th day of November next, for the construction of a lock and regulating weir and the deepening and enlargement of the upper entrance of the Cornwall Canal.

Also for the construction of a lock, together with the enlargement and deepening of the upper entrance of the Rapide Plat Canal, or middle division of the Williamsburg Canals.

Tenders will also be received until TUESDAY, the 27th day of November next, for the extension of the pierwork and deepening, &c., of the channel at the upper entrance of the Galops Canal.

A map of the head or upper entrance of the Cornwall Canal and the upper entrance of the Rapide Plat Canal, together with plans and specifications of the respective works, can be seen at this office, and at the Resident Engineer's office, Dickenson's Landing, on and after Tuesday, the 30th of October next, where printed forms of tender can be obtained.

A map, plans and specification of the works to be done at the head of the Galops Canal can be seen at this office and at the lock keeper's house, near the place, on and after TUESDAY, the 13th day of November next, where printed forms of tender can be obtained.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in the case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and, further, an accepted Bank cheque for the sum of Two Thousand Dollars must accompany the Tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the works at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

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NAME.	Par Value	Capital subscribed.	Capital paid-up.	Real	Dividend last 6 Months	Closing Prices. Nov 1.
British North America	50	\$ 4,886,866	\$4,860,868	889,719	3	108 1/2
Canadian Bank of Commerce	50	6,000,000	6,000,000	1,940,000	4	124 1/2
Dominion Bank	50	1,500,000	1,500,000	830,000	6	101
Du Peuple	50	1,600,000	1,600,000	243,000	2	65
Eastern Townships	50	1,500,000	1,399,739	350,000	8	115
Exchange Bank	100	500,000	500,000	300,000	4	50 5/8
Federal Bank	100	2,906,800	2,787,800	1,450,000	5	141 1/2
Hamilton	100	1,000,000	976,800	200,000	3 1/2	116
Hochelaga	100	690,200	690,200	50,000	3	86 5/8
Imperial Bank of Canada	100	1,500,000	1,500,000	650,000	4	142 1/2
Jacques Cartier	25	686,000	686,000	140,000	3 1/2	100
Maritime	100	686,000	686,000	40,450	3 1/2	40 4/8
Merchants' Bank of Canada	100	5,798,267	5,714,500	1,150,000	3 1/2	115 1/2
Molson Bank	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	500,000	4	113 1/4
Montreal	50	12,000,000	11,999,200	5,757,000	5	183 1/2
Nationale	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	150,000	3	70 1/2
Ontario Bank	100	1,500,000	1,500,000	335,000	2	160 100 1/2
Quebec Bank	100	2,600,000	2,500,000	325,000	2 1/2	117
Standard	50	764,600	764,600	140,000	2 1/2	113
Toronto	100	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,060,000	4	169 1/2
Union Bank of Lower Canada	100	2,000,000	2,000,000	19,000	4	70
Ville Marie	100	600,000	464,250	20,000	8 1/2	98
Building and Loan Association	25	750,000	747,574	53,000	3	100 1/2
Canada Cotton Co.	100	1,000,000	1,000,000	125,000	5	60
Canada Landed Credit Co.	50	1,500,000	683,990	125,000	6	121 1/2
Canada Perm. Loan and Savings Co.	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,000,000	7	236
Dominion Savings & Inv. Co.	50	1,000,000	864,982	140,000	4	114 1/2
Dominion Telegraph Co.	50	711,709	1,000,000	94,000	3	94 95 1/2
Dundas Cotton Co.	100	500,000	500,000	50,000	5 & 20.	70
Farmers' Loan and Savings Co.	50	1,057,250	611,430	75,857	4	126
Freehold Loan & Savings Co.	100	1,050,400	690,080	201,500	6	167
Hamilton Provident & Loan Society	100	1,500,000	1,100,000	97,000	4	125 1/2
Hudson Cotton Co.	100	500,000	500,000	90,000	4	80
Huron & Erie Sav. & Loan Soc.	50	1,000,000	1,000,150	320,000	5	162 1/2
London & Can. Loan & Agency Co.	50	4,000,000	600,000	240,000	6	137 1/4
London Loan Co. of Canada	50	659,708	404,519	45,500	4	116 1/8
Manitoba Loan	100	958,900	958,900	120	5	120
Montreal Telegraph Co.	40	2,000,000	2,000,000	116 1/2	4	116 1/2
Montreal City Gas Co.	40	2,000,000	1,889,000	164 1/2	6	164 1/2
Montreal City Passenger Ry Co.	50	600,000	600,000	112 1/2	2	112 1/2
Montreal Cotton Co.	100	500,000	500,000	90	10	90
Montreal Building Association	50	600,000	309,880	71	0	71
Montreal Loan & Mortgage Co.	50	1,000,000	832,812	106,000	8 1/2	80 92 1/2
National Investment Co.	100	1,400,000	292,000	15,000	8 1/2	104
Ontario Loan and Debenture Co.	50	1,000,000	1,000,000	226,000	4	128
Riohellen & Ontario Nav. Co.	100	1,565,000	1,565,000	51 1/2	2	51 1/2
Toronto City Gas Co.	50	800,000	800,000	184	2 1/2	184 x.d
Union Loan and Savings Co.	50	630,000	575,000	163,000	4	133 1/2
Western Canada Loan & Savings Co.	50	2,000,000	1,230,000	570,000	5	132 1/2

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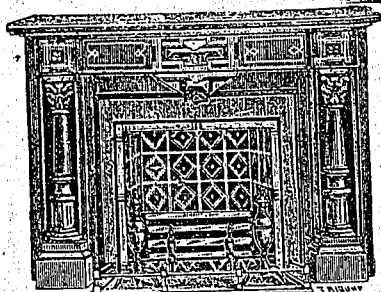
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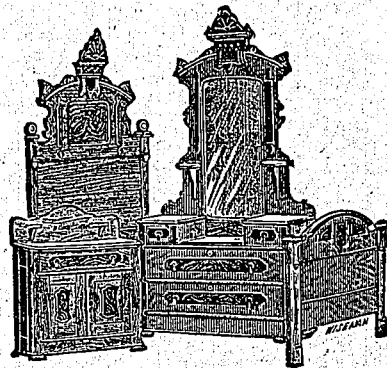
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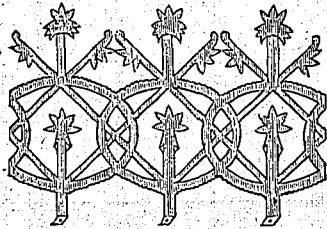
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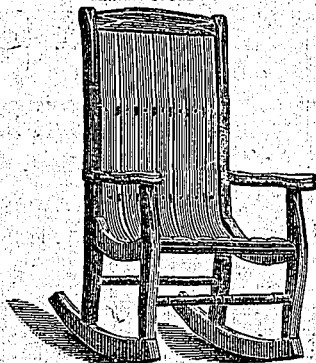
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WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT—THURSDAY NOVEMBER 1st, 1933

Name of Article:	Wholesale Rates	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.
<b>Boots and Shoes.</b>	\$ c. \$ c.	Soda Ash.....	\$ c. \$ c.	Japan Nagasaki.....	\$ c. \$ c.	Mace.....per lb.	\$ c. \$ c.
Men's Thick Boots Wax.....	2 25 3 00	Soda BiCarb.....	2 50 2 75	Y. Hyson common to gd	0 14 0 22	Cloves.....	0 23 0 35
" Split.....	1 50 2 25	Sal Soda.....	0 95 1 05	Y. Hyson fine to finest, lb	0 36 0 60	Nutmegs.....	0 60 0 80
" Kip Boots.....	2 50 3 25	Tartaric Acid.....	0 58 0 60	Gunpd. fair to med.	0 28 0 34	Jamaica Ginger, Bt.	0 22 0 28
" Calf Boots, pegged.....	3 00 3 75	Bleaching Powder.....	2 50 0 00	" Good to fine "	0 40 0 50	Jamaica Unbl. "	0 17 0 20 1/2
" Kip Brogans.....	1 35 1 40	Citric Acid.....	0 63 0 75	Gunpd. Finest "	0 57 0 65	African "	0 12 0 14
" Split do.....	0 90 1 10	Camphor Eng. Ref.....	0 40 0 42	Imperl. med. to gd "	0 67 0 68	Pimento.....	0 10 0 12
" Buff Congress.....	1 50 2 40	" Am. Ref.....	0 35 0 38	" Fine to finest. "	0 20 0 28	Pepper.....	0 16 0 17 1/2
" Buff & Pebbled Bals.....	1 50 3 00	Gum Arabic, per lb.....	0 20 0 35	Twankay, com. to gd. "	0 12 0 18	Mustard, 4 lb. Jars. "	0 17 0 20
" Split do.....	1 20 1 50	" Traj.....	0 45 0 90	Oolong.....	0 20 0 55	" 1 lb. " "	0 24 0 25
Wom's Pebbled & Buff Bals	1 00 1 50	Coppers per 100 lbs.....	0 95 1 00	Congou common.....	0 16 0 20	Nice: Arracan, & p. 100 lb.	3 45 3 45
" Split Bals.....	0 85 1 10	Blue Vitriol.....	3 05 3 07	" med. to good. "	0 23 0 35	Sago..... per lb.	0 05 1 06
" Prunella do.....	0 50 1 25	Potash Dichroma.....	0 11 0 12	" fine to finest. "	0 80 0 65	Tapioca, Pearl. "	0 05 1 07 1/2
" Inferior do.....	0 45 0 50	Dry Woods.		Souchong common.....	0 16 0 20	Flake "	0 05 1 07
" Cong. do.....	0 50 1 25	(See Manuf's of Cotton.)		" med. to good "	0 25 0 34	Glass.	
" Buskins do.....	0 85 1 00	Flour.		Fine to choice "	0 35 0 66	7 1/2 x 8 1/2, 7 x 9, 5 x 10.....	1 85 1 95
Misess' Pebbled & Buff Bals	0 85 1 15	Superior Extra.....	5 60 5 65	Coffees, green Mocha per lb.	0 27 0 33	10 x 12 10 x 14.....	1 95 2 00
" Split Bals.....	0 75 0 90	Extra Superline.....	5 50 5 55	Java.....	0 17 0 27	12 x 16 14 x 20.....	2 20 2 25
" Prunell do.....	0 60 1 00	Strong Bakers.....	5 50 5 75	Maracabo.....	0 12 1/2 0 16	18 x 24.....	
" Cong. do.....	0 60 0 90	Do American.....	5 75 6 00	Cape.....	0 11 0 12	Hardware.	
Childs' pebbled Buff Bals	0 50 0 60	Fancy.....	5 50 5 00	Jamaica.....	0 10 0 14	Tin: Block, per lb.....	0 23 1 04
" Split Bals.....	0 50 0 75	Spring Extra.....	5 25 5 30	Ilo.....	0 10 1 18	Grain.....	0 24 1 25
" Prunella do.....	0 50 0 60	Superfine.....	4 90 5 00	Singapore & Ceylon	0 17 0 24	Copper: Ingot.....	0 18 0 19
Infants' Coaks, doz.....	8 00 6 00	" Fine.....	3 90 4 00	Cleicry "	0 11 1/2 1 12 1/2	Sheet.....	0 24 0 30
Dairy Produce.		Middlings.....	3 60 3 75	Sugars, (Ceks. & Bris.)		Cut Nails: 30 days price;	
Creamery, fine to choice.....	0 22 0 26	Pollards.....	3 00 3 25	Porto Mocha..... per lb	0 7 0 7 1/2	7 p. ct. per an. added for	
Township, finest.....	0 21 0 22	Ont. Bags.....	2 25 2 50	Cuba.....	0 63 0 71	4 months' note.	
" fair to good.....	0 16 0 20	City Bags.....	3 00 0 60	Barbados..... per lb.	0 7 0 7 1/2	Hot Cut Am. or Can. Pat'n	
Brookville, finest.....	0 20 0 21	Oatmeal.....	5 00 5 25	Yellow Refined..... "	0 7 1/2 0 8 1/2	3 in. and above "	3 00 0 00
" fair to good.....	0 16 0 19	Cornmeal.....	3 25 3 40	Paris Lump..... "	0 9 1/2 0 9 1/2	2 1/2 & 2 1/2 ins. "	3 25 0 00
Morrisburg, finest.....	0 20 0 21	Corn, perton.....	14 00 15 00	Granulated..... "	0 9 1/2 0 9 1/2	2 & 2 1/2 ins. Am. "	2 75 0 00
" fair to good.....	0 16 0 19	Shorts do.....	17 00 18 00	Syrups—Extra. per lb.	0 44 0 54	1 1/2 & 1 1/2 ins. "	3 50 0 00
Western Dairy, finest.....	0 16 1/2 0 17 1/2	Grain.		Good..... "	0 3 0 3 1/2	1 1/2 & 1 1/2 Cold Cut, Can. "	3 50 0 00
" med to good.....	0 13 0 16	Canada White, No. 2.....	1 17 1 18	Falr..... "	0 3 0 3 1/2	1 1/2 ins. "	4 00 0 00
Cheese, fair to choice.....	0 10 0 11	" Red Winter.....	1 21 1 23	Molasses (Barbados) 1m g.	0 46 1 00	10 per keg off above prices,	
" Sept.....	0 11 0 12	" Spring No. 2.....	1 15 1 19	Trinidad.....	0 42 0 45	not cash.	
" Medium Grades.....	0 13 0 10	White Michigan, No. 1.....	0 00 0 00	Fruit: Loose Muscatel, new	2 00 2 40	Casing, Box, Shoek:	
Drugs & Chemicals.		Red Winter, No 2 Toledo.....	1 10 1 11	Layers in boxes.....	1 80 2 10	1 1/2 in. p100 lb. keg.	4 00 0 00
Aloes Caps.....	0 30 0 18	Spring, Chicago No. 2.....	1 06 1 07	Sultanas.....	0 9 1/2 0 11	1 1/2 in. to 1 3/4 "	4 15 0 00
Alum.....	1 75 1 90	Spring, Milwaukee No. 2.....	1 05 1 06	Seedless.....	0 9 0 10	2 in. to 2 1/4 "	3 90 0 00
Borax xls.....	0 14 0 16	Oats.....	0 33 0 34	Valencia..... per lb.	0 07 0 08	2 1/2 in. to 2 1/2 "	3 65 0 00
Castor Oil.....	0 103 0 11 1/2	Barley.....	0 50 0 60	Currants.....	0 06 1/2 0 07 1/2	3 in. to 4 1/2 "	3 40 0 00
Caustic Soda.....	2 20 2 50	Peas..... per 66 lbs	0 91 0 92	Prunes.....	0 06 1/2 0 07 1/2	Cut Spikes, all sizes.....	3 15 0 00
Cream Tartar.....	0 35 0 87	Rye.....	0 62 0 68	Figs C. Mats.....	0 04 0 00	Finishing Nails:	
Epsom Salts.....	1 25 1 40	Corn in bond.....	0 50 1 01	H. S. Almonds bxs	0 12 1 15	1 in. to 1 1/2 in. p. 100 lb. kg	5 55 4 80
Extract Logwood.....	0 09 0 10	Flax Seed, prime.....	0 60 0 61	S. S. Tarragona.....	0 16 1 18	1 1/2 in. to 1 1/2 in. "	4 55 4 30
Indigo Madras.....	0 85 1 00	Groceries.		Walnuts.....	0 07 1 04	2 in. and up " "	3 80 0 00
Madder.....	0 12 1/2 0 13 1/2	TEA, (Hf-Ch. & Cad.)		Filberts.....	0 07 1 10	Tobacco Box Nails:	
Oplum.....	4 10 4 25	Japan, com. to med. lb.	0 13 0 22	Brazils, new.....	0 11 0 12	1 1/2 in. & 1 1/2 in. p. 100 lb kg	4 95 4 00
Oxalic Acid.....	0 15 0 17	" to good.....	0 24 0 52	Batty's Nabob Pickles, doz	2 70 3 00	1 1/2 in. & 1 1/2 in. "	3 85 8 65
Potass Iodide.....	1 90 2 00	Japan, fine to choice lb.	0 33 0 80	" Mixed do	2 90 0 00	" 2 " " "	3 55 3 15
Quinine.....	1 35 2 15			" Nabob Sauce, pts	8 60 0 00	Nail 30 days or 7 p. 64 mos.	
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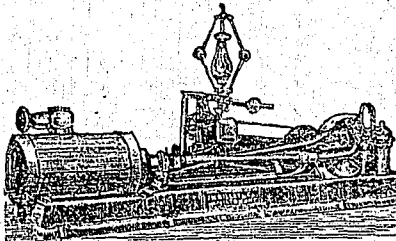
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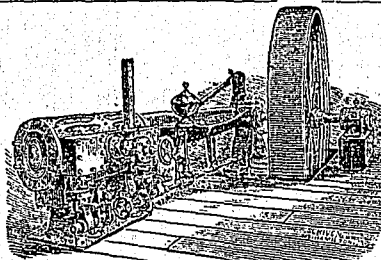
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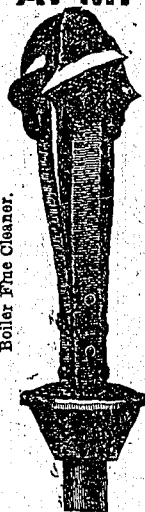
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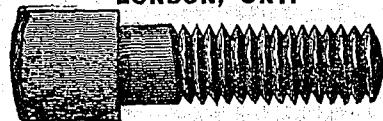
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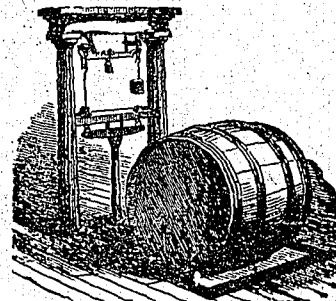
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Name of Article.		Wholesale	Name of Article.		Wholesale	Name of Article.		Wholesale	Name of Article.		Wholesale
		\$ c. \$ c.			\$ c. \$ c.			\$ c. \$ c.			\$ c. \$ c.
<b>Clinch and Heavy Clinch:</b>			<b>Tin Plate:</b>			<b>Zanzibar, No. 1.....</b>			<b>Broken Lots.....</b>		
1 and 1 1/2 in. per lb.....	0 08 1/2 0 08		IC Coke.....	4 40 4 50		No. 2.....	0 22 0 23	Single Brls.....		0 17 1/2 0 17 1/2	
1 1/2 " 1 1/2 ".....	0 07 1/2 0 07 1/2		IC Charcoal.....	5 00 5 25		Slaughter, No. 1.....	0 20 0 21	Ostrich Plumes (wild.)			
2 " 2 ".....	0 07 0 06 1/2		IX ".....	6 75 7 00		Harness.....	0 25 0 28				
2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2 in. and up.....	0 06 1/2 0 00		LXX ".....	8 50 9 00		Upper Heavy.....	0 26 0 34				
<b>Flat &amp; Sharp pressed Nails:</b>			DC ".....	4 25 4 50		Light.....	0 32 0 36				
1 and 1 1/2 in. per lb.....	0 10 1/2 0 09 1/2		DX ".....	6 00 6 25		Grained Uppr.....	0 35 0 37				
1 1/2 " 1 1/2 ".....	0 09 1/2 0 08 1/2		DCX ".....	7 75 8 00		Scotch Grain.....	0 34 0 38	Cape, Nos. 1 to 2, p. lbs...		200 300	
2 " 2 ".....	0 08 1/2 0 07 1/2		Russ. Sheet Iron.....	0 10 1/2 0 11		Kip Skins, French.....	0 37 0 42	Mongador, Nos. 1 to 3.....		150 250	
2 1/2 " 2 1/2 ".....	0 07 1/2 0 00		Anelors, per lb.....	4 75 5 75		English.....	0 75 0 95	Egypt, Nos. 1 to 3.....		100 2 0	
3 in. and up.....	0 06 1/2 0 00		Lion & Crown, Tin'd Sheets	0 08 0 10		Canada, Kip.....	0 95 0 75	Domestic Prime.....		10 2 0	
<b>Acres S.S. &amp; 1 S.S.....</b>		11 00 13 00	Lead: Pig, per 100 lbs.....	3 90 4 25		Hemlock Calf.....	0 45 0 55	Tames.....		050 100	
Dls. 25 to 30 p.c.			Sheet ".....	4 50 4 75		Light.....	0 70 0 55	Natural Grey Boos, doz.....		060 060	
<b>Horse Nails:</b>			Shot ".....	6 00 0 00		French Calf.....	0 95 1 50	Disc. 5 p.c. 30 days.			
" 7 lb. size.....	0 22 0 00		Lead Pipe, per 100 lbs.....	5 75 6 25		Splits, Light & Medium.....	0 23 0 28	<b>Meats, Eggs, &amp;c.</b>			
" 8 lb. ".....	0 21 0 00		Zinc: Sheet, lb.....	4 75 5 00		Heavy.....	0 21 0 25	Pork, Mess, Western.....		14 50 15 00	
" 9 lb. ".....	0 20 0 00		Powder: Canada Blasting	3 50 0 00		Small.....	0 16 0 20	Hams, City Cured.....		0 14 0 15	
" P. & F. Bright.	0 22 0 24		P. F. to B. F. F.	4 75 5 00		Leather Board, Canada.....	0 08 0 12	Lard, in palls.....		0 11 0 11 1/2	
55 to 57 1/2 p.c. dls.			Barbed wire, per lb.....	0 07 1/2 0 08 1/2		Enamelled Cow, per ft.....	0 15 0 17	Bacon, per lb.....		0 13 0 14	
<b>Horse Shoes.....</b>		3 80 4 00	Hides and Skins.			Patent.....	0 15 0 16	Eggs, Strictly Fresh.....		0 00 0 25	
<b>Galvanized Iron:</b>			Green Hides, No. 1, p. 100 lbs.	7 00 0 00		Pebble Grain.....	0 11 1/2 0 15 1/2	Held lots.....		0 22 0 26	
No. 21.....	0 06 0 06 1/2		" No. 2.....	6 10 0 00		B. Calf.....	0 14 1/2 0 15	Tallow, Rendered.....		0 08 1/2 0 09	
" No. 25.....	0 06 1/2 0 07		" No. 3.....	6 00 0 00		Buff.....	0 14 0 16	Mess Beef, per brl.....		3 00 15 00	
" No. 28.....	0 07 0 07 1/2		Hamilton, No. 1.....	8 75 9 10		Brush (Cow) Kid.....	0 24 0 18	<b>Manuf's of Cotton.</b>			
<b>Pig Iron:</b>			" No. 2.....	7 75 8 00		Russets, Light.....	0 45 0 50	<b>Hochelaga.</b>			
Siemens No. 1.....	21 00 0 00		Toronto, " 1.....	9 00 9 25		Heavy.....	0 35 0 40	A (15 in Sheeting)		0 05 1/2 0 06	
Coltess.....	21 00 21 50		" 2.....	8 00 8 25		Cod Oil, Newfoundland.....	0 60 0 67	B.....		0 05 1/2 0 05 1/2	
Culder.....	20 50 20 75		Western Bull, No. 1.....	9 25 0 00		Strait's Oil, American.....	0 00 0 00	C.....		0 06 1/2 0 06 1/2	
Langloan.....	20 75 21 00		" 2.....	8 00 8 25		Straw Seal.....	0 62 1/2 0 65	D.....		0 07 1/2 0 00	
Sumnerlee.....	20 50 21 00		Dry Salted, No. 1.....	16 50 0 00		S. R. Pale Seal.....	0 72 1/2 0 75	E.....		0 07 1/2 0 00	
Gurtsherrle.....	20 50 21 00		" 2.....	14 50 0 00		Pale Seal, Ordinary.....	0 67 1/2 0 70	F.....		0 07 1/2 0 00	
Carabroo.....	00 00 20 00		Lamb & Sheepskins, each	0 65 0 60		Lard Oil, Extra.....	0 67 1/2 0 70	G.....		0 07 1/2 0 00	
Eglinton.....	18 50 19 00		Calfskins, per lb.....	0 10 0 00		No. 1.....	0 90 0 95	H.....		0 07 1/2 0 00	
Hematite.....	22 50 24 00		<b>Wool.</b>			Boiled.....	0 90 0 95	I.....		0 07 1/2 0 00	
<b>Bar Iron, per 100 lbs.</b>		1 00 2 00	Fleece.....	0 21 0 22		Olive Machinery.....	1 00 1 10	J.....		0 08 0 00	
Best Refined.....		3 15 2 25	Pulled, unassorted.....	0 23 0 25		" Eating.....	1 80 2 10	K.....		0 08 0 00	
Siemens.....		2 20 2 25	Extra Super.....	0 30 0 33		" qt., per case.....	2 60 2 75	L.....		0 08 0 00	
Swedes.....		4 25 4 50	" B Super.....	0 24 0 27		" lbs., ".....	3 25 3 50	M.....		0 08 0 00	
Sheet Iron to No. 20.....		2 50 2 50	" C.....	0 19 0 21		" Lucca, Flasks.....	4 00 4 20	N.....		0 08 0 00	
Boller Plates.....		2 50 3 00	Australian.....	0 22 0 32		Antonini's qts., cuse 1 doz.....	6 50 0 00	O.....		0 09 0 00	
Hoops and Bands.....		2 75 2 75	Cape.....	0 17 0 19 1/2		" 2.....	7 25 0 00	P.....		0 09 0 00	
<b>Canada Plates:</b>			Leather (at 6 month.)			" 2.....	8 25 0 00	Q.....		0 09 0 00	
Hutton.....		0 00 0 00	No. 1, B. A. Sole.....	0 25 0 27		Spirits Turpentine, brls.....	0 60 0 62 1/2	R.....		0 09 0 00	
Penn. and W. 1' & Co.....		3 15 3 25	No. 2, B. A. Sole.....	0 22 0 24		Whale Refined.....	0 70 0 75	S.....		0 09 0 00	
<b>Iron Wire:</b>			No. 1 Ordinary Sole.....	0 24 1/2 0 25 1/2		Car Lots in Store.....	0 16 1/2 0 00	T.....		0 09 0 00	
No. 9.....		2 10 2 30	No. 2.....	0 21 1/2 0 23 1/2				U.....		0 09 0 00	
No. 12.....		2 50 2 60	Buffalo Sole, No. 1.....	0 21 0 22				V.....		0 09 0 00	
No. 16.....		3 25 3 50	" No. 2.....	0 19 0 20				W.....		0 09 0 00	
<b>Wrought Iron pipe:</b>			China " No. 1.....	0 22 0 23				X.....		0 09 0 00	
0 2 1/2 to 5 p.c.d		0 30 0 41	" No. 2.....	0 19 0 21				Y.....		0 09 0 00	
Steel, cast, per lb.....		0 11 0 12		0 22 0 23				Z.....		0 09 0 00	
Spring 100.....		3 25 3 50		0 19 0 21				AA.....		0 09 0 00	
Tire.....		3 25 3 50		0 19 0 21				AB.....		0 09 0 00	
Sleigh Shoe.....		2 50 2 53		0 19 0 21				AC.....		0 09 0 00	
Blister, p lb.....		0 08 0 10		0 19 0 21				AD.....		0 09 0 00	

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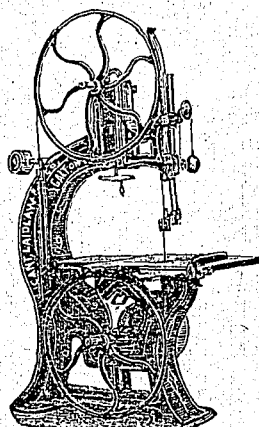
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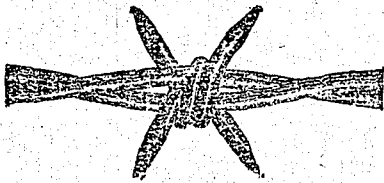
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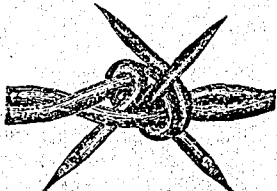
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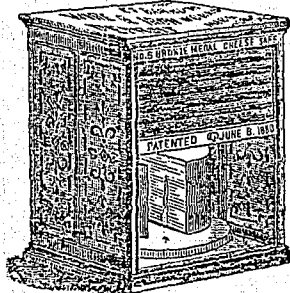
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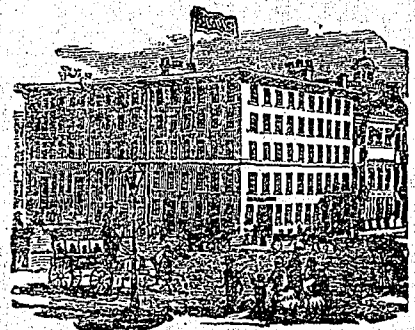
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<b>Bleached Shirting. BB</b>	\$ 0.10 0.00	AB Blue.....	\$ 0.11 0.00	Birch, 1 to 4 in., M.....	20 00 00 00	Jules Duret & Co.....	\$ 4.00 4.50
<b>Canons.</b>		B Brown.....	0 15 0 00	Blackwood.....	16 00 18 00	Pinet, Castillon & Co.....	9 00 9 50
A Brown.....	0 08 0 00	BB Brown.....	0 17 0 00	Black Walnut, culls.....	60 00 65 00	Pinet, Castillon & Co.....	8 50 8 80
B Brown.....	0 09 0 00	SB Brown.....	0 20 0 00	Do do 1st & 2nd.....	100 00 110 00	Pinet, Castillon & Co.....	8 00 8 50
C Brown.....	0 10 0 00	<b>Brown Sheeting.</b>		Do do 1st quality.....	110 00 120 00	A. Matignon & Co. (Gal.)	3 00 3 50
H Brown.....	0 19 0 00	A Caledonia.....	0 04 0 00	Cedar, round, lineal foot.....	00 06 00 10	Case.....	8 00 8 50
Bleached.....	16 00 0 00	<b>Canada.</b>		Cedar, flat, lineal foot.....	00 04 00 06	M. Boitard, Gal.....	3 00 0 30
<b>Bleached Shirting.</b>		Shirtings. - Clyde Checks	0 13 0 00	Cedar, square, lineal foot.....	00 07 00 09	Case.....	7 00 8 00
CA Bleached Shirting.....	0 10 0 00	Canada.....	0 12 0 00	Elm, soft, 1st.....	15 00 17 00	Cheaper shippers.....	2 50 2 75
CE do do.....	0 11 0 00	<b>Lybster No. 3, 30 in</b>	0 05 0 00	Elm, Rock.....	25 00 30 00	Case-qts	6 00 6 50
CB do do.....	0 11 0 00	No. 2, 32 in.....	0 05 0 00	Hemlock, 1 to 2 in., M.....	8 00 9 00	<b>Irish Whiskey - Roe's case</b>	7 75 9 75
BC do do.....	0 12 0 00	Dundas (Grey) D 30 in.....	0 05 0 00	Hemlock, timber, M.....	14 00 15 00	Dunville.....	6 50 7 00
BP do do.....	0 12 0 00	C 30 in.....	0 07 0 00	Maple, hard, M.....	2 00 22 00	Mitohells.....	8 00 9 50
NP do do.....	0 13 0 00	<b>St. Croix.</b>		Soft, do.....	16 00 00 00	Scotch Whiskey, case-qts	5 50 7 50
AB Night Gown Twill.....	0 13 0 00	H Brown Sheeting.....	0 08 0 00	Oak, M.....	20 00 45 00	Glenshiel, qts and Pts.....	8 10 8 50
<b>Ste. Anne, Brown Sheeting.</b>		H.....	0 07 0 00	Pine, clear, M.....	25 00 40 00	Ross' Dew Isen Wyvis, Case	7 20 8 20
A 10.....	0 05 0 00	B.....	0 09 0 00	2nd quality, do.....	22 00 25 00	Gal.....	2 00 3 25
A 20.....	0 07 0 00	<b>Fine Brown Sheeting.</b>		Shipping Culls.....	12 00 14 00	Encore.....	5 50 6 00
A 30.....	0 07 0 00	C.....	0 08 0 00	Mill do.....	7 00 9 00	Jamatac Rum per imp. gal.	2 50 3 00
A 40.....	0 08 0 00	B.....	0 09 0 00	Lath, M do.....	1 75 0 00	Geneva Spirits, imp, gal	1 55 2 10
<b>Valleyfield, Bleached.</b>		<b>Windsor, Br Sheeting.</b>		Spruce, lto 2 in., M.....	10 00 12 00	Green O'see	3 00 4 10
W.....	0 07 0 00	22.....	0 05 0 00	<b>Tobacco (In Bond.)</b>		Red cases..	7 00 7 75
A.....	0 07 0 00	33.....	0 05 0 00	Black, Chewing in boxes.....	0 18 0 20	<b>Champagne</b>	
A.....	0 08 0 00	44.....	0 07 0 00	" " in caddies.....	0 20 0 21 1/2	G. H. Mumm, Dry Verzon'y	28 50 33 00
M.....	0 09 0 00	55.....	0 07 0 00	Mahogany, Smoking.....	0 21 0 22 1/2	Pommery.....	28 00 32 00
SM.....	0 09 0 00	<b>Paints, &amp;c.</b>		Do Chewing.....	0 21 0 22 1/2	Bollinger.....	26 25 27 50
AW.....	0 11 0 00	White Lead, pure 25 to 100	6 25 7 00	Bright, Smoking.....	0 17 0 32	Ayala, Ex dry.....	25 00 30 00
HM.....	0 12 0 00	lb kge.....	5 50 5 00	Fancy Bright Smoking.....	0 32 0 35	Sherries.....	1 50 5 00
SS.....	0 12 0 00	No. 1.....	4 50 5 00	(Duty Paid.)		Port.....	1 50 5 00
C Cheese Cloth.....	0 06 0 00	No. 2.....	4 00 4 40	Black, chewing boxes 10's	0 31 0 34	Graham's.....	2 10 6 50
C Butter Cloth.....	0 36 0 00	No. 3.....	0 05 0 05	Do Navy, Cads, 3's, 8's,	0 31 0 35	R. Van Zellar's.....	2 10 5 50
H Hospital.....	0 04 0 00	White Lead, dry.....	0 05 0 05	& 10's.....	0 38 0 35	Pelee Island Wines.....	1 44 1 65
H Interlining.....	0 05 0 00	Red Lead.....	0 04 0 05	Mahogany Chewing 6's & 8's	0 32 0 35	Claret, (cases.)	3 50 & up
A Wigans (all colors).....	0 08 0 00	Venetian Red, Eng'h.....	1 00 1 15	Solace, Cominon.....	0 35 0 37	Tarragona Ports, imp. gal.	1 10 1 30
Extra Stout Pooketing.....	0 11 0 00	Yel. Ochre, French.....	1 00 2 50	Solace Fair.....	0 35 0 40	Burgundy -	
Do Twill do.....	0 12 0 00	Whiting.....	0 55 0 60	" Good.....	0 45 0 49	L. Latour's, Still, Case.....	10 00 23 00
<b>Stormont.</b>		Portland Cement, brl.....	3 00 3 50	Bright Smoking, 3's & 8's	0 45 0 0	Sparkling	16 00 17 50
<b>Striped Ticking.</b>		Roman " brl.....	2 00 3 00	Do Fancy.....	0 47 0 55	Can. Spirits, Imp. gallon.	Duty In Bond
AA.....	0 11 0 00	Water Lime, brl.....	1 50 2 00	American Fancy ch and sm	0 70 0 95	Alcohol - 65 O. P.	2 71 1 04
A.....	0 13 0 00	Fire Bricks per M.....	30 00 35 00	Wines, Liquors etc		" Pure Spirits "	2 72 1 05
S.....	0 14 0 00	<b>Salt.</b>		Atc English.....	2 35 2 40	" 50	2 47 0 95
SB.....	0 15 0 00	Liverpool Coarse, per bag	0 47 0 55	Domestic.....	1 00 1 65	25 U. P	1 29 0 53
W.....	0 17 0 00	Canadian per brl do	0 00 0 00	".....	0 80 0 75	Whiskeys - Family Proof.	1 29 0 53
AAA.....	0 19 0 00	Factory filled, do	1 30 1 50	Stout: Guinness.....	2 35 2 45	Old Bourbon.....	1 29 0 53
M.....	0 23 0 00	Eureka factory filled, do	2 40 0 00	".....	1 50 1 55	Rye, Today, Malt.....	1 21 0 55
<b>Checks.</b>		Timber, Lumber, &c.		Domestic.....	1 45 1 50	Rye, 4 years old.....	1 60 0 78
A, Muns' Stripes.....	0 13 0 00	Ash, 1 to 4 in., M.....	13 00 19 00	".....	0 70 0 00	" 6 "	1 70 0 88
<b>Denims</b>				Brandy: Hannassey's, gal	4 50 5 00	" 7 "	1 50 1 93
AB Brown.....	0 11 0 00			Case.....	11 00 15 50	" 7 "	1 50 1 80

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Accumulated Funds . . . \$4,500,000  
Annual Income, . . . . . 800,000  
Canadian Investments, . . . 450,000  
Claims and Bonuses paid, 8,000,000  
Canadian Deposit, . . . . . 100,000

**F. STANCLIFFE,**  
GENERAL MANAGER.

**WESTERN**  
**ASSURANCE COMPANY.**

FIRE & MARINE. Incorporated 1851.

Capital and Assets.....\$1,746,640 32  
Income for Year ending 31st Dec., 1882.....\$1,602,422 45

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EXTRACT FROM GOVERNMENT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT,  
FOR YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1881.  
Canadian Life Companies—Assets and Liabilities.

COMPANY.	ASSETS.		Liabilities including Reserve but not Capital Stock.		Surplus of Assets over Liabilities and Capital Stock.		Percentage of S'pl's of As'ts over Liab's & Capital Stock.
	\$	cts.	\$	cts.	\$	cts.	
Canada Life .....	4,588,956.65		4,137,203.56		326,752.00		%
Citizens (Life) .....	156,564.03		136,076.69				
<b>Confederation</b> .....	<b>879,054.47</b>		<b>643,138.81</b>		<b>185,915.66</b>		<b>23 1/2</b>
Mutual Life .....	164,334.17		142,227.60				
North American .....	88,763.47		28,432.83		2,430.64		8 1/2
Ontario Mutual .....	331,101.65		303,606.50		27,495.15		9
Sun .....	538,523.75		1411,199.68		64,824.07		15 1/2
Toronto .....	67,431.50		28,921.79		1,647.36		26 1/2

\* It may be stated that this Company's percentage for preceding year before the distribution of profits was about 24 per cent.  
† The capital in this Company is also liable for its other departments, so that these columns cannot be filled up. See its Fire Statement.  
‡ Including liability, Accident Department, \$3,397.35.

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GOVERNMENT DEPOSIT, \$100,000.

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