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# THE TRADE REVIEW.

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MONTREAL, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1865.

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PAPER MANUFACTURERS AND  
WHOLESALE STATIONERS, 354 St Paul st  
1-ly

**H. W. IRELAND,**  
NAIL AND METAL BROKER,  
Agent for Cut-Nail and Spike Manufacturers.  
1-ly 235 St. Paul st., Montreal.

**MUNDELL & STEENCKEN,**  
IMPORTERS OF STAPLE AND  
FANCY DRY GOODS, 236 St. Paul st., corner  
of Custom House square, Montreal.

**EDWARD MAITLAND, TYLES & CO.,**  
WHOLESALE WINE, GENERAL  
and COMMISSION MERCHANTS.  
2-ly 10 Hospital st

**M. LAING,**  
PRODUCE AND COMMISSION  
MERCHANT, 97 Commissioners st., Montreal.  
Hams, Bacon, Lard, Tallow, Butter, Flour, &c. 3-ly

**JOHN RHYNAS,**  
COMMISSION AND SHIPPING  
MERCHANT, Montreal - Cash advances made  
on Com. - Payments to myself, or to friends in England.  
1-ly

**DOUGALL & CO.,**  
COMMIS. MERCHANTS, for  
the Purchase and Sale of Produce principally  
Flour, Butter, Ash and Pork.

**JOHN DOUGALL & CO.,**  
Leather Commission Merchants

**FOR SALE,**—  
Herrings, Cod Oil, Soda Ash, Potash Kettles,  
&c. 1-ly JOHN DOUGALL & CO.

**JAMES DOUGLAS & CO.,**  
DEALERS IN TEAS AND TOBAC  
COs, attend to sales of Butter, &c. &c  
1-ly 236 St. Paul st., Montreal.

**WALTER MARRIAGE,**  
WHOLESALE AGENT, AND IM-  
PORTER OF ENGLISH GROCERIES,  
1-ly 22 Lemoine st., Montreal.

**B HUTCHINS,**  
COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
AND  
IMPORTER OF GENERAL GROCERIES,  
2-ly 85 McGill street, MONTREAL.

**THOMPSON, MURRAY & CO.,**  
COMMISSION AND GENERAL MER-  
CHANTS, St. Sacrament st., Montreal. 1-ly

**GREENE & SONS,**  
HAT AND FUR MANUFACTURERS  
AND IMPORTERS. [See next Page.] 1-ly

**CAMERON & BOSS,**  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS for the  
sale and purchase of Grain, Flour, Pork, Butter,  
Ashes, Wool, Flax, and General Merchandise. Montreal

**GEO. WAIT,**  
PRODUCE AND COMMISSION  
MERCHANT, Montreal  
1-ly Young's Buildings, No. 2 McGill st.

**S. H. MAY & CO.,**  
IMPORTERS OF STAR & DIAMOND  
STAR WINDOW GLASS, Paints, Oil, Varnish,  
Brushes, Spirits Turpentine, Benzole, Goid Leaf, &c.  
1-ly 274 St. Paul st., Montreal.

**THOMAS HOBSON & CO.,**  
PRODUCE AND COMMISSION  
MERCHANTS, Commissioners street, Montreal.  
Consignments of Flour, Pork, butter, Lard, Lard,  
Ashes, and all Descriptions of Produce, promptly  
realized. 5-ly

**BROWN & CHILDS,**  
MANUFACTURERS OF BOOTS,  
SHOES, AND LEATHER, Montreal.  
OFFICE AND WAREHOUSE—Corner St. Peter and  
Lemoine sts.  
MANUFACTORY—Corner Queen and Ottawa sts  
TANNERY—Corner Bonaventure and Canning sts.

The articles manufactured by us are under one  
general superintendence during the whole process of  
manufacture, beginning with the raw hide, and end-  
ing with the finished boot and shoe. By this arrange-  
ment we secure uniform quality throughout.  
Orders received by post promptly executed, and  
should the goods sent not be approved of, they may  
be returned at our expense.  
To occupy the extensive facilities which we have at  
our command for the manufacture of Boots and Shoes,  
it is necessary that we should send goods to all sec-  
tions of the Province, however remote, every inducement  
allowable in commerce will be granted to this  
end. 1-ly

**THOMAS W. RAPHAEL,**  
COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
Montreal. Consignments of Flour, Grain, Leather,  
Ashes, Butter, &c, receive personal attention.

**FOR SALE.**  
Olive Oil in qr casks. Coal Oil, Cedar Creek.  
Hemlock Sole Leather Spanish Sole Leather,  
Waxed Upper, Waxed Calf,  
Pebbled Calf, Prime Mess Beef in tierces,  
Prime, Prime Mess and Mess Pork,  
Butter in tinnets and kegs,  
Upper Canada Leaf Tobacco,

Flour, Superfine, } of well known brands.  
Flour, Extra, }  
Flour, Superior Extra. }

**THOMAS W. RAPHAEL,**  
1-ly 15 St. Nicholas Street.  
Agent for Hamilton Powder Company.

**LINTON & COOPER,**  
MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLE-  
SALE DEALERS IN BOOTS AND SHOES,  
306, 308 & 310 St. Paul st., Montreal.

We invite the attention of Merchants, East and West,  
to our large and varied stock of Boots and Shoes now  
on hand, and in process of manufacture for the Spring  
trade. Goods in every conceivable style will be found  
in our establishment, from the finest kid or satin  
Gaiter, to the strongest Stock or Hungarian Boot.  
Men's, Boys', Youths', Ladies', Misses' and Children's  
wear, in over 200 different patterns. Special notice is  
requested to the fact that all our goods are hand-made,  
and of the very best material. The introduction of  
Pegging Machines having thrown a large number of  
workmen out of employment, and consequently re-  
duced the cost of labor, we are thereby enabled to  
manufacture neater and more substantial Boots and  
Shoes, at no greater cost than if made by machinery,  
and are prepared to offer the choicest goods at the  
very lowest possible figure.  
Orders personally or by Post, will have our immedi-  
ate and most careful attention. 1-ly

**J. TIFFIN & SONS,**  
GENERAL MERCHANTS, IMPORT  
ERS OF TEAS, SUGARS, and GENERAL GRO-  
CERIES, WINES, BRANDY, &c., Nos. 184 and 186 St.  
Paul st., and 49 and 50 Commissioners st

Offer for sale several Invoices fresh Teas just received  
per Steamers, consisting of.  
Imperial Gunpowder. Japan, Colored  
Old Hyson. and Uncolored.  
Young Hyson. Oolong.  
Hyson Twankay Souchong  
Twankay

Also several Invoices FRESH TEAS, just received  
per Steamer via Portland, together with a full assort-  
ment of other STAPLE and GENERAL GROCERIES.  
Also 200 lbs. choice Porto Rico Sugar, and  
250 lbs. Prime Retailing Molasses  
50 Tierces }  
10th August 1865 1-ly

**A. KIN & KIRKPATRICK,**  
A GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, do  
an exclusively Commission business, and possess the  
highest experience and facilities for its efficient man-  
agement. Consignments of GRAIN, FLOUR, ASHES,  
PORE, BUTTLE, and general produce, receive per-  
sonal attention. Sales effected, and returns made with  
the utmost promptitude. Liberal advances made on  
goods for sale in this market, or shipment to Britain.  
Charges the lowest adopted by the responsible houses  
of the trade. 1-ly  
Corner William and Grey Nan streets.

**DAVID ROBERTSON,**  
IMPORTER TEAS, TOBACCO, AND  
General GROCERIES, 24 St. Peter st., Montreal.  
1-ly

**REUTER, LIONAIS & CO.,**  
IMPORTERS OF WINES  
AND SPIRITS, 11 and 13 Hospital st., Montreal.  
1-ly

**ROBERT MITCHELL,**  
COMMISSION MERCHANT AND  
BROKER, 24 St. Sacrament st., Montreal.  
Drafts authorized and advances made on shipments  
of Flour, Grain, Pork, Butter, and General Produce,  
to my address here.  
Advances made on shipments to Europe.  
The sale and purchase of Stocks and Exchange will  
receive prompt attention. 1-ly

**GREENE & SONS**  
INVITE the attention of close buyers to  
their Fall Stock of Furs, Hats, &c [See next P.]  
1-ly

**J. A. & H. MATHEWSON,**  
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE  
GROCERS A complete and extensive assort-  
ment of General Groceries. Special attention to TEAS.  
1-ly

**HALL, KAY & CO.**  
HAVE FOR SALE—  
A large and well assorted Stock of CHARCOAL,  
COKE and TERNE TIN PLATES.

—ALSO—  
CANADA PLATES, various brands.  
Young's Buildings,  
McGill Street,  
Montreal.  
1-ly

**GREENE & SONS,**  
HATS, FURS, BUCK MITTS, &c.  
See next Page. 1-ly

**W. D. MILLER & CO.,**  
MANUFACTURERS AND IMPOR-  
TERS OF Boots and Shoes,  
1-ly Corner of McGill and Lemoine sts., Montreal.

**A. RAMSAY & SON,**  
IMPORTERS OF WINDOW GLASS,  
OILS, PAINTS, &c., 21, 23, & 25 Reollet st., Montreal.  
1-ly

**McMILLAN & CARSON,**  
IMPORTERS AND MANUFACTU-  
RERS OF CLOTHING. Wholesale, have con-  
stantly on hand a very carefully manufactured Stock  
of Ready-made Clothing, suitable for the country  
trade.  
Merchants are respectfully requested to call and  
examine. 1-ly  
No. 66 McGill st., Montreal.

**JOHN McARTHUR & SON,**  
OIL, LEAD & COLOR MERCHANTS,  
Importers of Window Glass, &c.,  
1-ly 118, 120 and 122 McGill st., Montreal.

**I. L. BANGS & CO.,**  
(Successors to T. L. Steele & Co.)  
MANUFACTURERS OF FELT,  
COMPOSITION, AND GRAVEL ROOFING,  
ENGLISH FELT ROOFING, &c.,  
Keep constantly on hand Felt Composition, &c.  
Parties building, in any part of Canada, can be sup-  
plied with the requisite materials, also, a Competent  
Workman to apply the same.  
Office, No 6 Place d'Armes Hill, opposite City Bank,  
MONTREAL. 1-ly

**A. H. FORBES,**  
IMPORTER OF IRON, ALL KINDS  
of HEAVY HARDWARE, &c. Has always in  
stock Iron Tubes for Gas, Boiler Tubes, Horse Nuts,  
Sofa Springs, &c.  
Iron Pipes, Fire Bricks all shapes, Roman and  
other cements, Carthage Lasing-Stones, Hearths,  
Burr Knives for Millstones, Bolting Cloths, Terra  
Cotta Vases, Fountains, Chimney-Tops, &c., &c.  
1-ly Queen st. Montreal

**FROTHINGHAM & WORKMAN,**  
**IRON, STEEL, AND HARDWARE**  
 MERCHANTS, ST. PAUL STREET  
 Opposite the Custom-House Sq.,  
 10-1y Montreal.

**BRITISH COLONIAL STEAMSHIP CO. (Limited.)**

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THE above first-class powerful Screw Steamships are intended to be dispatched from London for Quebec and Montreal as follows—

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OTTAWA	Tuesday	12th Sept.
ST. LAWRENCE	Wednesday	20th Sept.
THAMES	Wednesday	4th October
OTTAWA	Wednesday	1st Nov.
ST. LAWRENCE	Wednesday	15th Nov.

Cabin passage from London to Quebec.	£18 18s.	Sig
Steerage " " " " " "	" " " " " "	6 6s.
Cabin passage from Quebec to London.	£20	
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Return Tickets issued at reduced rates  
 Special arrangements made with families.

Apply in London to TEMPERLEYS, CARTER & DARKE, 3 White Lion Court, Cornhill, in Montreal to GILLESPIE, MOFFATT & Co., in Quebec to JAMES GILLESPIE.  
 Quebec, July 27, 1865.

**CRATHERN & CAVERHILL,**  
**IMPORTERS OF HARDWARE,**  
 IRON, STEEL, TIN PLATES, &c., WINDOW  
 GLASS, PAINTS & OILS, 197 St. Paul st., Montreal.  
 Agents, Victoria Rope Walk, Vieille Montagne Zinc  
 Company. 2-1y

**A. A. BARBER & CO.,**  
**WHOLESALE IMPORTERS OF**  
**HARDWARE,**  
 4-1y Nos. 23 and 25 St. Sacrament st.

**EVANS & EVANS,**  
**WHOLESALE HARDWARE**  
 MERCHANTS, MONTREAL.

AGENTS FOR  
**HARE'S CELEBRATED PAINTS AND COLORS.**

AGENTS FOR  
**CURTISS & HARVEY'S POWDER.**  
 7-1y 263 St. Paul street, Montreal.

**CHOICE PORTO RICO, BARBADOS, AND**  
**CUBA SUGARS.**

THE Subscribers are now landing, and have in Store:

280 hhds } Choice Muscovado SUGAR
112 brls. }
200 puns " Cienfuegos SYRUP.
20 " Cuba RUM, strong, proof, and fine flavour.
15 hhds United Vineyard Proprietors' Brandy, pale and dark.

Bags Pimento, Jamaica Lime Juico, &c., &c.

**MITCHELL, KINNEAR & CO.,**  
 No. 5 St. Helen street.  
 28th July, 1865. 1-1y

**JEFFERY BROTHERS & CO**  
**GENERAL AND COMMISSION**  
**MERCHANTS, 44 St. Sacrament st., Montreal**  
 2-1y

**BACON, CLARKE & CO.,**  
**IMPORTERS OF WINES, SPIRITS**  
 CIGARS, &c.,  
 St. Peter street, opposite St. Sacrament street,  
 MONTREAL  
 6-1y

**KERSHAW & EDWARDS,**  
 ESTABLISHED  YEAR 1838.

**IMPROVED FIRE PROOF SAFE.**

The favor these Safes have won by their many and severe trials during the last quarter of a century, from the fact that not one has ever failed in preserving its contents, thoroughly establishes their reliability, and with recent improvements made during the past two years, we offer them as the most perfect Fire Proof security extant, and free from dampness.

Our Burglar Proof Specie Boxes made of combined iron and steel in a manner peculiarly our own, the steel so highly tempered and placed as to be beyond the reach of, and defy the tools of the most ingenious burglars, and when placed inside of one of our Fire Proofs produce a most perfect Fire and Burglar Proof security. Merchants having large amounts of silver on hand should not be without one.

We also manufacture Patent Combination Bank Locks, and the most modern Bank and other securities.

Lists of sizes and prices mailed on application  
**KERSHAW & EDWARDS,**  
 1-1y 82, 84 & 86, St. François Xavier street, Montreal.

**FURS, HATS, BUCK MITTS, &c.**  
**GREENE & SONS**

**INVITE inspection to their FALL**  
 STOCK of

**LADIES' FURS, MEN'S WOOL HATS,**  
**MEN'S FURS, BOYS' FANCY HATS,**  
**BUFFALO ROBES, WHITNEY CAPS,**  
**BUCK MITTS, &c. SILK HATS,**  
**FURS, SKINS, &c.**

**HAT and CAP TRIMMINGS, &c.**

The attention of the Trade is directed to our Stock this Fall, which is very complete, embracing all the

**NEW AND LEADING STYLES,**  
 among which will be found a large variety of Mens' and Boys' STEEL BRIM RESORTE HATS, which are becoming very fashionable. Samples sent by Express to parties not visiting the city.

Orders promptly executed.  
**GREENE & SONS,**  
 1-1y Montreal.

**DAVID E. MACLEAN & CO.,**  
**PRODUCE, COMMISSION MER-**  
**CHANTS AND SHIPPERS.** Advances made on all descriptions of Produce, either for sale in this market, or shipment. No. 3 St. Nicholas street, Montreal.  
**DAVID E. MACLEAN. BENJ. HAQAMAN.**  
 1-1y THOS. C. CHISHOLM.

**WEST BROTHERS,**  
**TOBACCOS. — PLUG, VARIOUS**  
**BRANDS, CUT SMOKING, FINE CUT**  
**CHEWING.**

**CIGARS.—HAVANA,**  
**GERMAN,**  
**DOMESTIC.**  
**WEST & BROTHERS,**  
 1-1y Montreal.

**MORRISON & SAMPSON,**  
**BARRISTERS, ATTORNEYS,**  
**CONVEYANCERS,**  
**SOLICITORS IN CHANCERY & BANKRUPTCY,**  
 Offices corner Church and Colborne streets,  
 TORONTO.

Collections made at all points in Canada West.  
**ANGUS MORRISON. D. A. SAMPSON.**  
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**CHARLES G. DAGG,**  
**IMPORTER AND WHOLESALE**

**DEALER** in British and Canadian Stationery Goods, Writing Papers, Wrapping Papers, Envelopes, Steel Pens, Inks, Pocket Books, Twines, &c.; also, Account Book Manufacturer, Publisher of the National Series of School Books, Canadian and Progressive School Copy Books, Bookbinder, &c. **MANUFACTURED FOR, AND NOW IN STOCK,** several hundred reams each, of Manila, Brown, Tea, and Coffee Papers, all sizes. Several tons Straw Wrapping Papers, all sizes. The above goods will be sold at very low prices, and a liberal discount will be allowed to **CASH BUYERS.**

37 St. François Xavier street, Montreal.  
 Montreal, Feb. 27th, 1865. 7-1y

**MULHOLLAND & BAKER, IRON**  
 AND HARDWARE MERCHANTS, offer for sale PIG IRON, Scotch (chiefly Govan), Best Refined English, Swedes and Three Rivers IRON, Hoops, Bands, and Sheets of all sizes; BOILER PLATES, of best brands and sizes; Firths & Sons' Cast STEEL, Spring, Sleigh-shoe, and other steel; Cut, Pressed, and Wrought NAILS, and the celebrated F HORSE NAILS. AXES of their own and other approved brands. A complete assortment of HEAVY GOODS, Chisels, Anvils, Vices, &c. An extensive assortment of most saleable CUTLERY, SIEF GOODS in great variety, of English, French, German, and American make. GLASS, PUTTY, OILS, &c., CORDAGE; LEATHER, and RUBBER BELTING.

Also, a first class SHAPING MACHINE made by Smith, Beacock & Tannet, of Leeds, England, will plane or shape a flat surface 48 x 12 inches, will plane circular work to 30 in. dia. by 12 inches broad, will plane any angle or curve, cost £90 sterling in Leeds, and has been only a short time in use.

243 St. Paul street,  
 1-1y Yard entrance St. François Xavier street.

**F. SHAW & BROS.,**  
**TANNERS AND LEATHER MER-**  
**CHANTS.**—Our Leather is tanned at the well-known Roxton Falls Tanneries, under our own superintendence, thereby enabling us to produce an article of superior quality at the least possible cost, which we are prepared to offer to the trade at lowest market prices. All orders promptly attended to. 4-1y

**HUA & RICHARDSON,**  
**LEATHER IMPORTERS AND**  
**COMMISSION MERCHANTS,** have always in Stock an excellent assortment of FRENCH CALF'S KIDS and PATENTS, &c. Also a large supply of O L. Richardson & Sons' Spanish Solo and Slaughter Leather, for which they are agents in Canada.

Consignments of leather respectfully solicited.  
 Sole Agents for Alexander's Kid Gloves.  
**HUA & RICHARDSON,**  
 St. Peter st., Montreal  
 1-1y

**LEEMING & BUCHANAN,**  
**PRODUCE AND COMMISSION**  
**MERCHANTS,**  
 St. Nicholas street, Montreal.  
 Special attention devoted to the Sale and Shipment of FLAX, and liberal Advances made on consignments of either Fibre or Seed.

**SINCLAIR, JACK & CO.,**  
**WHOLESALE GROCERS AND**  
**COMMISSION MERCHANTS, St. Andrew's**  
**Buildings, St. Peter street, Montreal.**

Constantly on hand, a large Stock of TEAS, COFFEES, SUGARS, MOLASSES, SYRUPS, TOBACCOS, DRIED FRUITS, &c., &c., &c.

Consignments of BUTTER, PORK, FLOUR, WHEAT, and other products solicited.

The Sale of POT and PEARL ASHES shall have the very best and most prompt attention.  
 Agents for Coote's celebrated GROUND ROCK SALT, for Dairy and Table use.

1-1y  
**MESSERS. BAUKHAGE, BEAK & CO.**

**WHOLESALE IMPORTERS OF**  
**DRY AND FANCY GOODS,** have the pleasure of announcing to their Customers and the trade, that they have removed to 431 St Paul street, a new spacious building, opposite Messrs Andrew Robertson & Co., and Thos. May. They beg to draw the attention of Buyers to their well assorted and selected Spring Stock.

**KERR & FINDLAY,**  
**WHOLESALE CONFECTIONERS,**  
 Manufacturers of Gum Drops, Chocolate, and other Cream Drops, &c., &c.  
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**CONVERSE, COLSON & LAMB,  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
TEA DEALERS AND IMPORTERS**

OF  
**GENERAL GROCERIES, LIQUORS, CIGARS, &c.,**  
Corner of Hospital and St. John Streets, Montreal.

Offer for sale a large assortment of FRESH TEAS, now arriving from England, per Steamers via Portland; comprising, Hysons, Young Hysons, Imperials, Gunpowders, Colored and Uncolored Japans, Congous, Souchongs, and Scented Teas; and their usual variety of Coffees, Tobaccos, Wines, Brandy, Cigars, &c.

ESTABLISHED 1842.

**STEAM MADE CONFECTIONERY.**

GUM DROPS and JUJUBE PASTE.  
PAN GOODS, and CANDIES of all kinds.  
LOZENGES of every description.  
FRENCH CREAM BON-BONS and CHOCOLATE  
CREAM DROPS.

Manufactured and sold at his New Block, erected on the Old Stand, 243 (New No. 391) Notre Dame Street.

CHARLES ALEXANDER,  
Wholesale and Retail Confectioner.

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DEALERS** in Groceries, Teas, Sugars, Wines,  
Liquors, Tobaccos, Cigars, Fish, Oils, &c., &c.  
2-ly No. 4 Lemoine st.

SMITH & McCULLOCH,

**MANUFACTURERS' AGENTS  
AND GENERAL MERCHANTS,**

Importers to order of China, Glass, and Earthenware, Japanned and Tinware, Hardware and Electro-Plate, Plumbers', Photographists', and Chemists' Ware, Iron Stable Furniture, Encaustic Flooring Tiles, &c., &c.

We are now receiving our Spring consignments of China Tea and Breakfast Sets: White Granite and Printed Dinner and Toilet Ware; Tumblers, Wines, Lamp Chimneys, etc., which we offer for Sale to the Trade in original packages.

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1-ly 18 AND 20 HOSPITAL STREET, MONTREAL.

**J U S T L A N D E D,  
EX "HIBERNIAN,"  
FIFTY BALES COTTON YARN.**

This Yarn is made from American Cotton, and is superior in quality to any Yarn in the market.  
Numbers and Weight guaranteed.

ALEX. WALKER,  
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ment street, Montreal.**

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**GENERAL AND COMMISSION  
MERCHANTS, 8 Gillespie Buildings, Common  
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F. H. SIMMS,

**MONTREAL IRON WORKS,  
MANUFACTURES TO Order, and has  
in Stock, Carriage Bolts of all sizes, Nuts and  
Bolts of every description, Rivets, Lifting Jacks,  
Hatchet Braces, Copying Presses, &c., &c.** 8-ly

W. F. LEWIS & CO.,

**WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS,  
St. Peter st., Montreal.** 2-ly

**CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE COM-  
PANY.** Established 1847. Head Office, Hamil-  
ton, C. W. Capital, \$1,000,000. Sums Assured over  
\$4,000,000. Annual Income, over \$150,000. Assets,  
over \$600,000.

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LIBERAL CONDITIONS AND PRIVILEGES.  
Perfect security, and Rates Lower than those offered  
by English or Foreign Companies.

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DELAY.

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**THE TRADE REVIEW.**

MONTREAL, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1865.

**Petroleum.**

This article has experienced a considerable advance during the last week. Reports from the West indicate great scarcity of crude, with no stocks in the hands of refiners. During a recent extended visit to the oil regions of Western Canada, we made numerous enquiries for those two-hundred-barrel wells of which we had heard so much in these parts, but were sorry to find that they existed only on paper. We found quite a large number of wells, which were not being worked, and it was stated to us very freely by those interested in oil lands, that the intention was to endeavour to get the price of crude up to \$5 per barrel, with a view to aiding them in operating. While in London we found that an offer had been made of twenty thousand barrels crude (Bothwell) at \$6, which was refused. Refined can only be had as produced by the manufacturer. With the exception of a few hundred barrels at one point in the West, there is none now held. We are informed by one of the largest dealers here, who has just returned from the West, that, with the exception above stated, he did not know where to lay his hand on a car load of refined oil. So great is the demand for local consumption that three-fourths of the oil received during the last week was eagerly bought up. At present prices vary from 45c. to 60c., according to quality, with an upward tendency. A telegram from Toronto states nothing can be had there under 50c.

**Buying Everywhere.**

A gentleman recently from England reports the greatest activity in the grocery markets of the United Kingdom arising out of the extraordinary demand from the United States. The Americans appear to be buying up everything they can lay their hands on, and giving such prices as render it impossible for the legitimate trader to compete with them. A letter from New Brunswick advises us that the whole Province has been secured by American dealers, and that the stocks of all classes of imported goods have been exhausted. We notice also a great diminution in the exports from New York and all other points in the United States, and everything points to a large balance of trade against them, the effect of which must ultimately be a high rate of exchange, and consequently an advance in gold. This can only be avoided by large sales of American bonds in Europe, which can hardly be possible, so long as the interest rate in England keeps up to seven per cent. It is only when interest is low at home that European capital seeks investment abroad. We should not be surprised to see American bonds, which were purchased when gold was 140, come out again for sale, should it reach 180.

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**Timber Trade.**

The trade continues in a very depressed state. Although the stocks in Quebec are very much less than they were a year ago, it is said there is quite sufficient there for three or four years demand. Red pine is quite unsaleable at paying prices, and in spars the trade is completely overdone. Prices are said to be 100 per cent. less than they were a year ago. White pine is somewhat improved, but it is hardly yet remunerative. In the Liverpool market oak and elm are pretty low. Were it not for the fact that freights this year are 50 per cent. less than last, there would be little or no shipment. Vessels are loading at 20s. per cubic foot, instead of the ordinary rate of 30. The Liverpool market is said to be glutted, and there is little or no increase in general in the trade. The present and past year have been most unsatisfactory for timber merchants; and limited as the operations were in all timber sections last winter, they promise to be more so this winter. The great mistake appears to have been getting out too much, and overstocking the market.

**Profitable Banking.**

We observe that the Royal Bank of Ireland, at its annual meeting of 27th September, showed a net profit for the half year of £56,000 on a capital of £300,000. The first half year they paid a dividend of 8 per cent., and the second of 10 per cent., making a total dividend of 18 per cent. This must certainly be very gratifying to the shareholders.

**Comparative Prices of Cotton.**

The following figures show the price of American cotton in London at the present time, and the comparative figures for each of the three past years.—

October, 1865. ....	24c. to 24½c.
" 1864. ....	27c. to 27½c.
" 1863. ....	26½c. to 27c.
" 1862. ....	27½c. to 27½c.

**The Spirit Trade.**

We give the quotations of the leading distillers—

W. Dow & Co., Montreal—	Per gallon.
Highwines, 50 O P . . . . .	\$ 6 1/2
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Old Rye and Toddy	0 60	" "
32 L. P. Whiskey	0 40	" "
40 L. P.	0 37	" "

**Bank Statements.**

It appears we were mistaken in stating last week that the Montreal and Ontario Banks were the only ones whose statements were published. We had completed their statements, but were in another part of the Gazette.

## NO TIME TO LOSE.

WE must apologize to our readers for taking up so much space upon questions relative to Reciprocity. The subject is one of such vital importance, and receives so little attention from other parties, that it really seems incumbent upon us, as commercial Journalists, to present the matter to the public in as great a variety of lights as possible. We regret exceedingly to observe the very great supineness of the press of the country, in relation to the subject, and especially on account of the apparent inaction of the Government. There is no getting round the fact that of all questions now before the people there is none so important as this. We have, within the last two weeks, attempted to show that the prosperity which has so suddenly come upon Canada, is more the result of the Reciprocity Treaty than of anything else, and although little is now said about it in public, the repeal of the Treaty cannot fail to be a great blow to our progress. It is true we will survive it. Equally true that the Americans may have to pay a large portion of the duties which they themselves impose, and equally true still that new markets may arise for our products. But it is impossible to deny that the imposition of twenty per cent duty on our products will in the end materially affect their consumption in the United States, and we can never have a market possessing so many facilities and advantages as that we now enjoy. It is all very fine to talk of the Americans being in absolute need of our coarse grains, lumber, etc., but it must be borne in mind that the duty which they contemplate imposing is one of a highly protective character. Twenty per cent. duty on our agricultural and native products is one that cannot fail to stimulate their cultivation in the United States. That rate would be considered highly protective of manufactured articles, for the production of which a large accumulation of capital is essential, which is necessarily locked up in machinery useless for any other purpose, and for the product of which new markets have to be sought and long credit given. If, under such circumstances, manufactures will increase and flourish, how much more likely is it that the cultivation in the United States of such articles as Canada has to spare, will be stimulated by the imposition of so high a duty on them. There is no necessity for the farmer to invest more capital in order to change his crop from corn to barley, and from wheat to oats, nor does he need to look up any of his means in this change; nor further, is it necessary for him to create new markets or give long credits, for he can sell readily for cash all that he can produce. It is useless to argue that because the Americans have needed our coarse grains, and have paid such high prices for them, that they will not make an effort to grow them themselves, when their government imposes a duty of twenty per cent. on the Canadian product. Again, with respect to lumber, it is a known fact that the proximity of our Canadian forests to the American markets, and the free access to them, is the main element in the demand from this side of the lake. The imposition of twenty per cent. will more than compensate the Americans for the expense and trouble necessary in order to bring their own lumber from far more distant parts of their own country. Thus, in the valley of the Saginaw, in the State of Michigan, we hear of the greatest activity in the manufacture of lumber this year, and we notice in the Detroit papers advertisements for hundreds of men to cut logs and prepare for the winter's operations in lumber. All this is in view of a repeal of the Treaty, and instead of Canada lumber being found in such large quantities in the Albany market next year, it is said that Western lumber will form the bulk of the receipts there. It is also alleged that the drain upon the Canadian forests has been so great for many years as to exhaust those nearest to water communication, and that the difficulty and expense of having the lumber conveyed to the lake by railroad and other means, makes the cost so great that the imposition of twenty per cent. duty will completely shut it out of market; especially in competition with the article from Michigan and other States, of which the forests remain yet comparatively untouched, and easy of access by water. These facts, with many others, cannot be lost sight of, and, while we are confident that the loss of the Treaty will not be altogether fatal to our prosperity, it is improper and even dangerous to indulge in the delusion that it will not injure us.

A growing impression that we can do as well without the Treaty as with it, is probably why so little

interest is taken in the matter. Mr. Galt's speech in Parliament last session went largely to create this conviction. That there was a good deal of truth in what was said, no one doubted, but he argued from conclusions which yet remain to be tested. It looks as if he and others in authority were contenting themselves with this idea, and neglecting to take the action which is very necessary in order to save the Treaty from repeal, if it is to be saved. Week after week elapses, and not a step is taken towards its renewal. Within six weeks Congress will assemble, and in the hurry and excitement of a session of unparalleled importance, in which questions of the greatest anxiety and magnitude will press for immediate and prompt attention, can it be expected that calm consideration can be had on a question which to them is of so little comparative importance? As has before been frequently said, the opposition in the United States does not result from a knowledge of the facts, but from a distorted and prejudiced view of the action of the Treaty. It is quite clear that if we are to have anything like an impartial consideration of this important question in the United States Congress, something must at once be done towards supplying the Congressmen and Senators with the information necessary to convince them of its beneficial effects. We have been asked since we referred to this subject before, to suggest some practicable mode in which this information can be imparted. We have already done so. That a large number of the Americans know little or nothing of the results achieved by the treaty is quite evident from the proceedings of the Detroit Convention. When it first assembled, two thirds of the members were opposed to the renewal of the treaty, but the speech of Mr. Howe, which put before the Convention the bearings of the treaty in regard to the fisheries, changed the minds of many of the members, and a vote was given in favor of a new treaty. Does any one suppose that if that speech had not been made the vote would have been in its favor? Certainly not. The subject of the fisheries was one entirely new to the Delegates from the Western States. In fact it was new to a large number of the Canadian Delegates, and yet it is one of the most important interests involved in the treaty. We venture to say that not one in ten of the American Senators and Congressmen know the extent of this portion of the question, and the consequences that would be likely to result from the repeal. Would it not be wise, then, for our Government to circulate a large issue of Mr. Howe's speech, and make sure that every legislator is possessed of a copy. As an oratorical effort, and a literary production of no mean quality, it would be read with interest and pleasure, and if a full report from Mr. Howe's own hand were properly circulated, it must be evident to every one that the best results would follow. There are also a variety of other views of the case. Mr. Galt's own pamphlet, for instance, of 1862. Any amount of information could be conveyed in the manner suggested, and the Government should at once prepare a comprehensive and readable statement of the whole Reciprocity question, including statistics up to the present time, which should be widely circulated all over the United States, and we cannot doubt that it would be a convincing argument in our favor. Five or ten thousand dollars could not be better spent than in circulating documents of this class upon the question which above all others most affects the interests of Canada. It is absolutely essential too that representatives from Canada should be sent to Washington and other political centres, for the proper manipulation of the press and other influences. We all know with what difficulty the treaty was originally secured to us, and what able and laborious efforts were made by Mr. Andrews and other friends of the treaty. There was no prejudice against Canada then, no ill feeling against England. Yet even then it was only by Southern votes that the measure was carried. There is now however a positive dislike to Canada, and a spite against England, besides the absence from the legislature of those members who could counterbalance any Northern sectional ideas. In the face of all this our Government appear to think the treaty is pretty certain to be renewed. How much they are mistaken, we fear the result will sadly show. We have waited so long that we now despair of action being taken by Mr. Galt and his colleagues, until the press pay that attention to the question which it deserves, and the public make known to the Government that their interests must no longer be neglected. It is highly important that some expression of opinion should at once be had on this subject and from such sources.

## SUCCESS IN BUSINESS.

THE failures which take place in business can generally be traced to their actual cause. "Hard times" and "bad luck" have far less to do with unsuccessful speculations than is popularly supposed. Certain conditions are as necessary to business success as they are in building a house or constructing a ship, and the neglect of these conditions will as inevitably produce failure in one case as the other. How frequently do we hear persons explain their want of success by exclaiming: "No person could make money in these times," or "No person ever had such a spell of bad luck as has overtaken me!" And yet, in the case of the great majority of such unfortunates, their failure is wholly attributable to their want of judgment, want of business knowledge, or their own folly. To give a *never-failing* recipe for a successful business, is impossible. But there are a few simple conditions which, if closely attended to, would soon reduce the insolvent below its present dimensions.

## NECESSITY OF BUSINESS KNOWLEDGE

And first among these conditions we would lay down the following rule—*Enter no business which you do not understand.* How frequently do we find individuals commencing some branch of manufactures, or some commercial undertaking, who are perfectly ignorant of the details and working thereof. What legitimate grounds have they to expect success under such circumstances? If they succeed in securing employees who have the practical knowledge which they themselves lack, and if these employees are entirely devoted to their master's interests, they may succeed. But where are these nobly unselfish employees to be had? Experience teaches that such men are rarely met with, and when masters have to rely for their business success on human nature as we generally find it—when they do not themselves *practically* know the business in which they have entered—their hopes of making a fortune rest upon a very sandy foundation. Exceptions to this rule there undoubtedly are, but want of business knowledge is a rock upon which many an undertaking has stranded.

## "HAVE I SUFFICIENT CAPITAL?"

This is one of the most important questions which a person about to commence business can put to himself. Hundreds are ruined from this cause annually. Look at the retail dry goods and grocery trade alone. How many new claimants for public custom open out every year?—and alas! how many others disappear? The number of failures in the mercantile line from *inadequate capital* is very large. Hundreds rush into business without even calmly and dispassionately considering whether they have means or credit enough to carry it on. It may be that they do a good business; but the first heavy payment on their stock cramps them, and then begins that desperate struggle which too often ends in the loss of whatever they invested. So it is often with regard to mechanical and manufacturing pursuits. Before the business is in full operation, in many cases, the proprietor's capital is consumed, and he is unable to conduct it with the energy and enterprise necessary to success. It is now difficult to begin any branch of trade in Canada without some means. It is therefore constantly becoming more necessary that individuals should enter upon no business for which their capital or credit is inadequate. To "go it blind" (to use a regular phrase) is to court disaster.

## THE PLACE TO START BUSINESS.

Having sufficient practical knowledge of your business, and a sufficiency of capital or credit to carry it on, the next point to consider is: *where shall you commence operations?* This is an important condition of success, and calls for the exercise of careful judgment. The first consideration should be—is there a *want* in the community for the particular calling in which I desire to engage? What folly it is for a man to start a foundry in a town or village where there are already two or three, and these well conducted, and quite able to supply all the public wants? And so it is with stores, manufactories, tanneries, and all other occupations. Make sure of "a good market" before you make arrangements to supply it, and always consider the chances of success dim when you can only succeed by taking away customers from deserving opponents. If a young man with but moderate means, you would act wisely to select some promising village or town in a good agricultural district, and grow up with the place. If you have considerable capital, the principal business centres will probably afford you the best field for your enterprise and skill.



HOW TO CONDUCT BUSINESS.

*Honesty—enterprize—and application.* These are three essentials in conducting business properly. "Honesty is the best policy." By double-dealing and misrepresentation a transient success may sometimes be achieved. But in nine cases out of ten, it is evanescent as the morning dew. Let a man be candid, straightforward, and truthful, and he can not only ask the blessing of God on his labours, but he will stand better with his fellow-men. His enterprises should display itself in keeping constantly the best articles, the newest styles and latest improvements, and by always endeavouring to keep pace with the spirit of the times. To supply his customer's wants better, quicker, and cheaper, than his neighbours, should be his unceasing study. Don't keep your light hid under a bushel! A little printer's ink is a good thing occasionally. If you have a first class article or a cheap one, which the public require, let them know where they can purchase it. Don't always make absurd statements about selling "twenty per cent. below cost," but simply announce the truth, and you will find a moderate sum spent in advertising a good investment. And with these conditions, there must be close application to business. Stocks must be carefully purchased, your books always kept in thorough order, your daily sales and profits constantly jotted down, and your credits limited to those who are perfectly solvent. The head of a business should overlook all its departments, and make sure that none of its wheels need greasing.

PERSONAL CONDUCT

And last, but not least, the business man should be economical without meanness—affable without being undignified. Many men signalize their entrance upon some new and important business experiment by an increased expenditure. Before ever it is certain that their undertaking will be permanently successful, how often is it that the family must have a new house, or the family carriage must be set up? Many a promising business has been cramped, others injured, and not a few ruined, by such extravagance, and far better would it be for such persons to act on the old Scotch maxim, "Spend less than you make, if it is only a shilling per day." The warm competition which now exists renders it necessary that the business man, particularly the new beginner, should cut down his expenses to the lowest limit compatible with the proper management of his trade, and no capital should be permanently withdrawn from his business, unless it is quite clear it has accrued from the profits of the concern. A courteous and affable demeanour is also very necessary to success. Very many excellent men study this too little. A cheerful word has made many a customer: a chilling manner, many an enemy. This does not necessitate flunkeyism. Far from it. Courtesy and affability are not less consistent with true dignity than essential to business success.

OBEY AND SUCCEED

Where these conditions of success—which we have thus hurriedly touched upon—have been complied with, you will generally find a prosperous business and a successful man. We do not deny that misfortunes sometimes come which no foresight could prevent. But these are exceptional cases, and they do not serve to account for the frequent failures which take place. Let those about to engage in business compare to the standard we have indicated, and set before them, and we will guarantee that success in business will become far more general than it is at present.

Cotton.

For the last two years very little raw cotton has been imported into England from the United States. The total receipts for the first eight months of 1864 were 4,670,000 cwts., while same period of 1865 they are but 4,561,000, showing a decrease of 109,000 cwts. The cultivation of the fibre in Egypt is being remarkably successful, and the quantity received in England from there up to 1st September of this year is considerably in excess of that for the same period of last year. From the East Indies however the sum has been increased to the extent that was anticipated. The quantity that was received from January to August, '65, is less by 260,000 cwts. than the supply during the corresponding period of '64 and while last year the supply of raw fibre from Egypt was only a third of the quantity received from the East Indies, this year it is a little over half. It is interesting to note the sources of supply upon which England has been depending for the last few years. The following figures show the actual quantities received from the different countries named up to 1st September, '65, as compared with those for the corresponding period of 1864—

	1864	1865
British East Indies	2,213,270	1,941,401
Egypt	845,212	1,005,464
China	537,965	301,509
Brazil	234,147	294,820
Mexico	163,769	275,550
Malacca and Bermuda	218,348	153,604
Turkey	147,932	166,604
United States	108,670	109,823
Other countries	200,187	307,237
	4,670,000	4,561,042

FATALITY IN THE PRODUCE TRADE.

NO. II.

OF all the sources of loss in connection with this business, none has proved so fatal as the practice of shipping to Britain on consignment. Considering how immense a development this trade has attained of late years, and what time and talent have been expended upon it; considering, too, how intimately the prosperity of this city is bound up with the export, as well as her import, trade, it is most melancholy to reflect how very small have been the profits, and how enormous have been the losses, that have resulted from the shipments of grain and flour to the markets of Europe. Canada is full of the wrecks of large fortunes lost on this perilous reef; and in all our cities, broken-spirited, down-hearted men are to be found, who have lost their all, and much more, in the vain attempt to compete in the markets of Britain with the rest of the world.

The Canadian merchant does this under very great disadvantages. As it takes nearly a fortnight for intelligence to be transmitted from Europe to this continent, the merchant here can only learn what was the state of the markets of Britain a fortnight ago. Operations are ruled by these quotations, and they are the merchant's only guide in purchasing. We will suppose that on the strength of Liverpool and Mark Lane prices of the 1st May considerable purchases are made between the 15th and 30th of the same month, with a view to shipment. On the 1st week in June a vessel may be loaded, bills of lading made out, and advices despatched home. On those arriving, if a speculative feeling prevails in the market, the cargo may be sold to arrive; but in other cases the arrival of the ship may be awaited before any sales are made. In the first place, the merchant may have a chance of selling within five weeks of the time he has bought; in the second, it may be ten or twelve. But in either—what changes may not have taken place in the meantime! The weather may have shifted a dozen times; cargoes may have poured in from the Baltic or the Mediterranean; hurricanes may have swept over the coast, and destroyed grain-bearing ships; the Bank of England may have lowered or raised the rate of interest; a Ministry may have fallen, an election taken place; a war broken out; an Act of Parliament passed affecting the whole grain interest; indeed it is impossible to catalogue the variety of influences which may have operated on the market, and made it as variable as a weathercock. Into the midst of this medley the grain speculator of Canada pours his supply, bought, he it marked, on the quotations of the same markets six or seven weeks before. Six weeks before! It might as well, in many cases, have been six years, so numerous and important have been the changes in the interval. The grain and flour have been shipped, too, during the season when it is most apt to spoil, and fortunate is the merchant whose cargo escapes without material damage. Once arrived in Europe, it immediately becomes subject to heavy charges in the shape of duty in storage, insurance and commission unless indeed a sale takes place at once, whereby some of them are saved. These charges be it observed have always to be paid, and are always taken out of the article whether the net result be profit or loss.

In this way the grain trade has been carried on summer after summer, and we do not exaggerate in saying that disaster, bankruptcy and ruin have followed in its train. The merchant in Canada, when he buys, has no more idea of the price he can sell at, than he has of the trade of the interior of China. His business is, therefore, the purest speculation conceivable, or rather—not to put too fine a point upon it—it is downright gambling, and with this peculiarity, that the other party to the game has nine chances out of ten in his favour, and can see its progress from beginning to end.

Large sums of money have been lost in the transactions of dealers one with another, or in those of the commission agent with the merchant. These transactions are nominally for cash, but in reality short credit is generally given, and it is here that losses have occurred.

The credit system, however, is entirely out of place in this trade. Considering how easy it is to raise money on produce, it is unreasonable in the buyer to ask for credit, and foolish in the seller to grant it. It may be almost invariably set down as an unhealthy sign, as an indication of something wrong, when a buyer cannot pay for grain on delivery, and all experience suggests that it is necessary to lay down the rule of absolute cash payments, if an effectual check is

to be put to the fraud and dishonesty which have sometimes taken place in the trade. We are near the frontier of a foreign country, having railway communication with us; in a couple of hours at any time a man may put himself out of the reach of the law, and in view of this state of things, common prudence suggests that no practice should be tolerated which gives fatal facilities to the dishonest schemer. "Cash for wheat" is a common sign on the stores of our country districts; let us have its correlative, "wheat for cash," and for cash only, established as the rule of trade in the city. It is much easier to point out the dangerous practices of trade than to suggest effectual remedies for them. It can never, indeed, be free from reverses, and so long as the price of grain is affected by changes of weather and political causes, so long will there be scope for speculation.

It is possible, however, to confine speculation within much narrower limits than has been customary. In Great Britain the grain trade was formerly a perfect lottery, scarcely a firm engaged in it escaping a crushing reverse at some time or other. These were the days of high duties, sliding scales, and deficient intelligence. Now, however, what with free trade, and the extension of the telegraph system all over the continent of Europe, the area of speculation is narrowed down to the smallest point conceivable. The merchant in Mark Lane or Liverpool knows perfectly well, every day, what is taking place in the grain growing districts from whence supplies are drawn—what cargoes are on the way—what are the prospects of the next crop—and what is the tone of all the markets. Similarly, the shippers in the ports of the Mediterranean, the Baltic, or the Black Sea, are in hourly communication with Liverpool and Mark Lane. The trade is, therefore, on the same basis as that between ourselves and New York. Operations can be entered upon with confidence when result can be predicted to a nicety; and we consequently hear far less of ruinous losses and disastrous failures, than was the case in former years.

The completion of that much desired enterprise, the Atlantic telegraph, would put us in the same position with regard to the markets of England as the merchant in Dantzic or Odessa. We should then know, what was the state of the markets the same day, instead of receiving intelligence a fortnight old; and we could telegraph our Liverpool correspondents that such and such purchases were made, this or that cargo shipped, and desire arrangements made accordingly.

This desirable consummation, however, is not reached. Until it be obtained, there must be great uncertainty about our European export trade, unless it can be placed on the basis of executing orders at a definite price. The speculation would then be shuted from Canada to England. Indications of this mode of doing business have been already manifested, and we trust our merchants will cultivate it with such care as to lead to its enlargement and extension.

It should not be forgotten, however, that the expediency of the parties giving orders requires to be carefully looked after, and prudence dictates a close adherence to the practice of shipping with documents, the property only to be delivered on payment of satisfactory guarantee.

It is impossible for the Canadian merchant to keep himself advised of the changes in the standing of parties at home, and the risk of fluctuations in the article is quite sufficient, without the addition of risk from the failure of the person to whom it is consigned.

With regard to our internal trade, we can only say that the closer operations are run, and the more is speculation avoided, the greater is the prospect of doing well. Gains may be small, but they will be steady, and go on mounting up. It is generally conceded that a "hand to mouth" mode of doing business, though it may seem very slow work, is the surest and most permanently profitable.

Let parties who know nothing of the trade keep out of it, and leave the field clear for those who have bought experience. They will save themselves much anxiety and trouble, and will enable the legitimate dealer to make a reasonable profit.

Let young hands especially beware of speculation. It is as charming as the gaming table, and as dangerous. As poor Richard says,—

Vessels large may venture more,  
But little boats should keep near shore.

The bank shall have been pretty severely bitten by irresponsible speculators, and can scarcely need any word of warning. If their own experience has not made them wiser, nothing we can say will have any effect.

THE GROCERY TRADE.

James Austin & Co.  
I. Buchanan & Co.  
Beon, Clarke & Co.  
H. Chapman & Co.  
Converse, Culson & Lamb.  
Jas. Douglas & Co.  
Forester, Mohr & Co.  
Fitzpatrick & Moore.  
Gillispie, Moffatt & Co.  
H. Hutcheson.  
Jeffery, Brothers & Co.  
Kingson & Kintoch.  
Law, Young & Co.  
Leeming & Buchanan.  
E. Maitland, Tyloo & Co.

J. A. & H. Mathewson.  
H. J. Gear.  
Mitchell, Kinnear & Co.  
William Nivin & Co.  
Reuter, Ionata & Co.  
Rimmer, Gunn & Co.  
Robertson & Beattie.  
David Robertson.  
Haviland Routh & Co.  
Sinclair, Jack & Co.  
Jos. Tiffin & Sons.  
David Torrance & Co.  
Thompson, Murray & Co.  
Alex. Urquhart & Co.  
Winn & Holland.

The chief feature of the week has been the large public sales of Mediterranean goods, general groceries and salt (at auction on the 25th) on account of Messrs A. Urquhart & Co. A large quantity of goods were offered, a considerable portion of which found buyers. The attendance of local and country purchasers was large, and quite a number of the trade from Western Canada were present. The bidding, generally was spirited, and upon the whole prices realized were fair. At auction, on 26th, at the stores of Victor Hudon, Esq., a large quantity of general groceries and wines were placed; the attendance was very fair and the bidding active. The article of Raisins at this sale sold at an advance of 15c. to 20c. above prices realized at the sale on the 25th.

The fall fleet is rapidly filling our harbor, and stocks are assuming a completeness which will enable the trade to thoroughly sort up their stocks for the fall and winter's business,—while we are satisfied that there will be no excess of goods in hands of importers this season, we are assured that the supplies in store and on the water will be ample to execute all the demands of the legitimate trade.

Business in the city by private sale has been quiet during the week, only limited lots changing hands, jobbers preferring to await the result of the public sales prior to coming into the market. This momentary stagnation was to have been anticipated, as usually preceding the large public sales at this season.

TEAS.—The temporary lull in demand for the New York market still continues. The late large arrivals at that point for the moment would seem to have supplied immediate wants, and sales during the week for the United States have been insignificant. The "Guiding Star," with direct cargo of teas on account of J. Buchanan & Co., is now in port, and we are informed will be offered by public auction on the 2nd prox. The cargo is said to be above the average in point of suitability for this market, containing a good proportion of fine green teas. The "Eva," with cargo of teas for Messrs L., Young & Co., has been turned to New York, so that the present vessel in port is the only direct cargo to Montreal this autumn.

Prices of all classes of teas are firm. Twankays are more enquired for, and clean sweet drawing teas of this class are improved in value and considered better stock. Fine Moyune Young Hysons on offer are still very scarce, and continue to appreciate in value. Gunpowders—only limited stocks and held at stiff prices. Imperials are in moderate supply, but the demand is not active. Hysons are dull and neglected. Fine Uncolored Japans are scarce and much enquired for, colored Japans are in better supply and demand steady. Blacks—only limited lots changing hands, and supply ample for all requirements. Our English advices by last Steamer report the markets for green teas steadily advancing, and few desirable country teas remain in the London market; exporters have been taking Moyune Gunpowders, in the absence of Young Hysons and Imperials of fine quality. Uncolored Japans are reported as having been nearly all cleared from the market, and the small lots left are held at extreme rates, sales have been made at an advance of fully 2d. per lb. Advices from China, dates to 4th dep., report teas of some grades slightly easier.

SCAMS.—The upward course of prices tends to restrict large operations upon speculation, and sales for the week have been limited. Stocks are very light in first hands, and holders are firm at the advanced rates. On the 24th, at auction, on account of E. L. Mills, 169 hds. were printed for sale, only about 25 hds., however, were placed, holders not being satisfied with the prices realized, viz. \$10.80 to \$10.40 for bright Cuba. The balance of the lot was consequently withdrawn. Last English advices report the late advance in the London market fully maintained. The stock in the latter market exhibits a decrease of 17,000 in contrast with that of 1864.

COFFER.—In liberal supply (if we except fine kinds, which are scarcer in store), large lots of Java having been bought up for the American market. We do not offer our quotations.

TOBACCO.—A good consumptive demand is visible, but in the absence of speculation the market cannot be reported active. Prices are unchanged and firm.

RISE.—In good supply and in fair demand; liberal lots have changed hands during the week, and gone forward in execution of orders from the country; holders are firm in previous quotations, and prices are unchanged.

FRUIT.—A large lot of Raisins was offered at auction on the 25th inst. at the stores of Messrs. A. Urquhart & Co. The bidding for these goods was exceedingly spirited, and although prices hardly realized up to views of sellers, very few lots were withdrawn; it was quite manifest, from the eagerness of buyers, that the late complete dearth in the market of this fruit caused the small supplies held by country dealers and jobbers from Western Canada to be quite exhausted. Layers in boxes sold from \$2.45 to \$2.75; London Layers \$3.05 to \$3.15; M R's from \$2.15 to \$2.25. Considerable lots of Turkey and Malaga Figs were placed at fair prices.

MOLASSES.—Large sales are reported within the week, and a good deal of speculation has existed in this article. Considerable parcels having changed hands, the stock has been accumulating, and at present is not short of requirements; prices are firm.

WINES AND SPIRITS.—A good deal of activity prevails in this department of trade, and orders are freely arriving from the country, but we anticipate an increased demand within the next fortnight, as Western dealers as a rule defer laying in their winter supplies of wines as late as possible in the season, consistent with safety against frost. Prices are unchanged.

SALT.—The late extreme views of holders have somewhat receded, and the high prices obtained within the week have not been sustained, about 3,000 bags of coarse Liverpool were offered by auction on 21st inst., opening price 97 cts., and closing at 93 cts.; the lot was all sold.

THE DRY GOODS TRADE.

James Bailie & Co.  
Baukhage, Beak & Co.  
Wm. Benjamin & Co.  
James P. Clark.  
John Denton & Co.  
Foulds & Hodgson.  
Gilmour, White & Co.  
Lewis, Kay & Co.  
Joseph May.  
Thomas May & Co.

McIntyre, Denoon & Co.  
J. Meyer & Co.  
Moncrieff & Steenken.  
Ogilvy & Co.  
Ringsland, Ewart & Co.  
A. Robertson & Co.  
Stirling, McGill & Co.  
William Stephen & Co.  
Thomson, Clayton & Co.  
Alexander Walker.

George Winks & Co.

IN Staples there has been considerable activity during the week. The demand for Goods is becoming larger every week, and houses are now doing a good business. We notice from the telegrams of the Africa's news that Cottons had experienced an increase of 1d. to 1d., which will of course largely affect the price of Cotton Goods.

Every steamer coming in brings a large amount of stuff in this line, and the stocks now in hand, although becoming sensibly lighter, are yet very complete in all departments. Cotton Goods are now selling in Montreal at less than they can be laid down here for, as if they are not soon disposed of, there is a prospect of their remaining on hand all winter. Linen Goods also have undergone an appreciation in price. In heavy Linens there has been quite a considerable business, arising principally from the wants of some dealers, who are shipping large quantities of grain, in bags. Stuff Goods are still on the advance, and the markets at home for plain stuffs of every kind seem to be filled with orders, enough to keep them employed for two months to come.

Leather Market.

There is no particular change to note in the Leather market this week. Stocks are not large, and receipts have been limited for several weeks. In Sole Leather of all descriptions the demand is quiet. *Crowned Upper*—Is in better request. The stocks have been somewhat lessened during the week by sales, a few holders having cleared themselves entirely out at our quotations. *Buff and Pebbled*—Keep up a constant demand, prices now tend upwards, stock quite light in first hands. Any good lots of *Calf Skins* find ready sale on arrival at outside prices. There is a better enquiry for *Splits*, and fair prices are easily obtained for a good article. *Sheepskins*—Continue about same as last report. The receipts this week have been very light. *Curried Linings*—Find good demand, but very little coming forward.

Furs.

A large sale of some 8,000 Mink was held in Montreal a few days ago, and we understand that pretty high prices were realized for them. They were bought principally for the American market.

THE HARDWARE TRADE.

Barber, A. A. & Co.  
Benny, McPherson & Co.  
Brash, George.  
Buchanan, I., & Co.  
Crathern & Averhill.  
Currie, W. & F. P. & Co.  
Elliot & Co.  
Evans, J. H.  
Evans & Evans.  
Ferrier & Co.  
Fraser, F.  
Forbes, A. H.

Prothlingham & Workman  
Gilbert, E. E.  
Hall, Joseph N.  
Hall, Kay & Co.  
Inland, W. H.  
Kerlaw & Edwards.  
Law, Young & Co.  
Melbourn, John.  
Montand, Watson & Co.  
Mullholland, & Baker.  
Simms F. H.  
Winn & Holland.

THE week just closed has been a very busy one in this department of trade. Large orders are in hands, and every body is hard at work filling them. All the goods in the trade have advanced in price, and the market may now be regarded as entirely in the hands of sellers.

PIG IRON—Almost entirely sold out. Some few lots to arrive have been disposed of at full quotations. Gertehorrio is not to be had under \$27.50; other brands \$23.50 to \$25. Any small lots to arrive are picked up at once from ship's side, even at extreme rates. None in market of No. 4 or Charcoal.

BAR IRON—Has been sold freely this last week in lots at full quotations, and will command 20c. to 30c. more in the course of a week. The stock is already very much broken. Many leading sizes are out of market. Refined Bars are also getting scarce. No horse-shoe size to be had, except in regular hands.

HOOP AND BAND IRON.—Many of the trade are asking a shilling over our quotations, and it is also getting scarce.

BOILER PLATES—Of these there is only one lot to arrive, except what has been sold at full prices. Some small are ordered *via* Portland, and contracted for at an advance of 50c. to 60c.

BOILER TUBES—Are in full supply, large lots having arrived by late steamers, and can be got at a shade under usual rates.

CANADA PLATES—Of these there are few left, the lots arriving by steamers having been sold at full rates from ship's side. Any further lots to arrive will bring 25c. to 50c. over rates quoted.

TIN PLATES—Very few in hands, and any lots to arrive will command higher figures than those given.

CURT NAILS—The stock on hand is too small for the demand, and although quotations have been made at lower rates than we give, yet deliveries cannot be got.

SHELF GOODS—In most staples the market is pretty bare, and advanced prices are asked for nearly every thing that is wanted.

PRETIGHTS TO WESTERN CANADA.—These have been almost doubled lately, and even with rates as they are it has become almost a favor to get goods carried. A great rush is taking place in order to get off as many orders as possible, before the close of navigation. This will account for the remarkably high rates of freight which now prevail.

Money Market.

In the early part of the week Exchange ruled about 109½ for cash, but on Wednesday dropped to 109, sympathizing with the fall in New York market—Exchange being quoted there at 109½. The cash rate for to-day's mail will probably be 109½ to 109½. Gold has been tolerably steady in New York during the week, as will be seen from the following figures:—

	Opened.	Closed.
Friday, October 20.....	46½	46½
Saturday, October 21.....	46½	46
Monday, October 23.....	46½	46
Tuesday, October 24.....	46	46½
Wednesday, October 25.....	45½	45½
Thursday, October 26.....	45½	

The rapid increase in the rate of interest in England has not yet had the effect which it was expected it would have in raising the rate of Exchange in New York, but if it continues, it must bring the price of Exchange up to the point at which Gold can be shipped, which will be in the neighbourhood of 10 per cent.

Boot and Shoe Trade.

The vigour which has been maintained in this business for the last month, has entirely used up the old stocks, which have passed into the hands of consumers. The stocks now being produced are taken off the hands of the manufacturer as fast as made, and at full prices. From the continual advance in hides and leather, the prospects are that prices will be maintained, and from the general healthfulness of the country at the present time, it is very probable that a spirited trade will be done in this line of business.



MEETINGS OF CREDITORS TO COME.

FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF ASSIGNEES UNDER THE INSOLVENCY ACT OF 1864.

Table with columns: NAME AND RESIDENCE, TO BE HELD AT OFFICE OF, DATE. Lists various creditor meetings.

ASSIGNEES APPOINTED.

Table with columns: NAME OF INSOLVENT, RESIDENCE, NAME OF ASSIGNEE. Lists insolvent names and their assignees.

WRITS OF ATTACHMENT ISSUED.

Table with columns: DEFENDANT'S NAME AND RESIDENCE, PLAINTIFF'S NAME, DATE. Lists writs of attachment.

APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.

Table with columns: NAME, RESIDENCE, WHERE TO BE HELD, DATE. Lists applications for discharge.

IMPORTS FROM 1st JANUARY.

PORT OF MONTREAL.

We present herewith a table showing the imports at Montreal of the leading items in trade, from 1st January to 21st October of present year as compared with the same period last year:-

Table comparing imports for 1864 and 1865. Columns: Item, 1864, 1865, Decrease. Includes Cottons, Woollens, Silks, Sugars, etc.

\* There is an increase in the Imports of sugar this year, of 69,836 lbs, or 6 per cent, as compared with last year.

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE.

VIA GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY AND CANAL.

Table showing receipts of produce for the week ending Oct. 25, 1865, compared with the week ending Oct. 25, 1864. Columns: Item, For the week ending, From the 1st January to period, To corresponding period.

PRICES OF GRAIN.

Table showing average prices of grain for the week ending Oct. 25, 1865, compared with the week ending Oct. 25, 1864. Columns: Item, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Highest price, Average for week, Corresponding week.

WEEKLY PRICES CURRENT.—MONTREAL, OCT. 26, 1865.

Large table of weekly prices current for Montreal, Oct. 26, 1865. Columns: NAME OF ARTICLE, CURRENT RATES, NAME OF ARTICLE, CURRENT RATES, NAME OF ARTICLE, CURRENT RATES. Includes Groceries, Wine, Hardware, Soap and Candles, Boots, Shoes, Produce, etc.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

BREADSTUFFS have been dull during the week, and transactions very limited in flour, as buyers, profiting by the break in prices in Boston and New York, and the slight increase in receipts, hold back in hopes of forcing holders into a lower range of prices; hence an almost stagnation in the trade; no concession availing to move any quantity beyond the most pressing wants of the buyer. This is the inevitable consequence of prices being forced up to a point which admits of shipment neither to Britain nor to the States; business is all the time limited to small sales, to supply the actual wants of the city and district, and a reaction is inevitable as soon as receipts are beyond the daily demand.

Provisions of all kinds are firm and advancing; our farmers have acted wisely in selling while handsome profits are to be made. In the States they are holding their butter, and it is far from unlikely that a repetition of last year will be the result.

FLOUR.—Since our last arrivals have continued liberal, and buyers for the most part holding off or only supplying in limited parcels, a goodly portion of the receipts have latterly gone into store; holders now refusing to meet the gradually receding views of buyers. The ruling prices for Supers for some days past have been \$6.20 to \$6.40, only strictly choice bringing outside figures. Strong flour of moderate colour and finish has been declined at \$6.30, and \$6.20 to \$6.25 have been accepted in several instances in preference to storing. As the total stock of flour is unusually small for the season, and much of what may be expected to arrive till close of navigation will be needed for Quebec and Gulf ports, holders are sanguine of a favourable reaction ere long, and while willing to sell at prices lately current, decline for the most part to make further concessions. Extras and Fancies have been comparatively neglected, but towards the close engaged more attention, on receipt of more encouraging American advices. We quote Superior Extra \$8 to \$8.25; Extra \$7.50 to \$8, and Fancy \$7 to \$7.50. No. 2 and lower grades are scarce and wanted, and although prices have been in a measure affected by the general decline, a high relative value is maintained.

BAG FLOUR.—The supply by local mills as well as from abroad has more than met the wants of the trade, and a decline of about ten cents must be noted. \$3.40 is the ruling rate, while for strictly good and extra strong rather more is obtainable; \$3.35 to \$3.45 may be considered the range for ordinary to choice.

WHEAT.—U. C. Spring from scarcity at this point has fully maintained its value, recent sales being made in limited quantity at \$1.25 to \$1.27; Milwaukee continues worth about \$1.25.

PEASE.—Have arrived sparingly, and all offered of average quality have met a prompt sale at 89 to 90 cts. per 66 lbs. A healthy demand continues, consequent on more favourable British advices than were anticipated.

OATS.—Being dull and drooping in American markets, engage but little attention for the time, prices are however nominally unchanged.

BARLEY.—Very little doing on the spot, and quotations mostly nominal.

PORK.—Stocks are in few hands and very light, and there being little or no prospect of a speedy supply from packing at an early date, holders are very firm at about \$27 for Mess, which buyers pay reluctantly, and for the supply of immediate wants.

BUTTER.—Receipts here as well as at all the principal shipping points are considerably within the demand, and prices have continued gradually on the rise, closing at 23 to 25 cts., according to quality for good to choice. Inferior selling at from 20 cts. upwards. Strictly choice is eagerly caught up for the American market, but of Interior the stock both in Boston and New York is considerable, and on the increase. Such is moved with difficulty at a very much lower range of prices than choice, which continues scarce from farmers in the interior of New York; and the other Butter producing States holding their stocks above market rates, and advancing their pretensions with every rise at the sea-board. One remarkable feature in the trade of this article is the purchase and shipment from Liverpool to New York of some 800 kegs Butter. This has caused a rise of 4 to 5 shillings in Liverpool, but prices on this side continue too high to shew any margin of profit, and shipments have almost entirely ceased.

LARD.—Retail sales of choice at 20 to 21 cts.; no stock on hand.

TALLOW.—Remains unchanged.

CHEESE.—Has participated in the general rise of provisions, and may be quoted about 1 ct. per lb. higher, with a good demand.

ASHES.—First sorts Pots are firm, and command full rates, but Interiors are in overstock and difficult to move at lower proportionate rates. Pearls are steady, and, with light receipts, sell readily at quotations.

MONTREAL WHOLESALE CATTLE MARKET.

THE markets this week have been very well supplied, and prices have slightly declined for middle grades of Cattle. We hear one lot of 60 head extra Cattle was sold by J. McShane to an American buyer at \$62 per head, and a further lot of 44 at \$42 per head. *Beeves*—No extra; 1st quality, \$6 to \$7; 2nd do., \$5 to \$6; 3rd do., \$3.50 to \$4.50; ordinary, consisting of bulls and refusals of lots, \$3 to \$3.50. *Milch Cows*—Very scarce, and command long prices, say \$30, \$40, \$50, and as high as \$60 to \$65 for very extra. *Working Oxen*—Per yoke, \$90, \$110 to \$120. Yearlings, \$6 to \$9; two years old, \$11, \$15 to \$20; three years old, \$22, \$28 to \$36. *Sheep*—In fair supply, and in active demand. Extra, \$8 to \$10; good, \$1.50 to \$7; Lambs, \$2.50 to \$3.50. *Sheep and Lambs*, by the lot, \$3 to \$4.50. *Calves*—Scarce at \$5 to \$8. *Hogs*—Very high, and demand very active. Live weight, \$8 to \$8.75; dressed, \$10 to \$11.50. *Tallow*—Brisk demand; 8c. to 8½c. rough. *Lard*—20c. rendered. *Hides*—6c. to 6½c. per lb. *Sheepskins*—\$1.20 to \$1.50 each. *Barrelled Beef*—Primo Mess, \$14 to \$16; Primo, \$11 to \$12; Tierces, \$26 to \$28.

TRADE SALE OF CROCKERY.

THE Subscriber will Sell by Auction, on THURSDAY, November 9, 1865, at TWO o'clock, in the large Sale Room of Messrs. J. LEEMING & CO., (kindly lent for the purpose,) 304 Notre Dame Street, Montreal, on various accounts,

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and a number of other packages of Crockery, Glass and China.  
Parties who are unable to attend the Sale may purchase through the Auctioneer, on paying the usual buyers commission.  
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THE Subscribers have received instructions from Messrs. I. BUCHANAN & CO., to offer by Public Auction, at their Stores, on THURSDAY, 2nd November next, the ENTIRE CARGO, 7,000 packages FRESH TEAS, ex "Guiding Star," from Shanghai direct, consisting of—  
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| Denims,                    | Ribbons,            |
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| Muslins,                   | Buckles,            |
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