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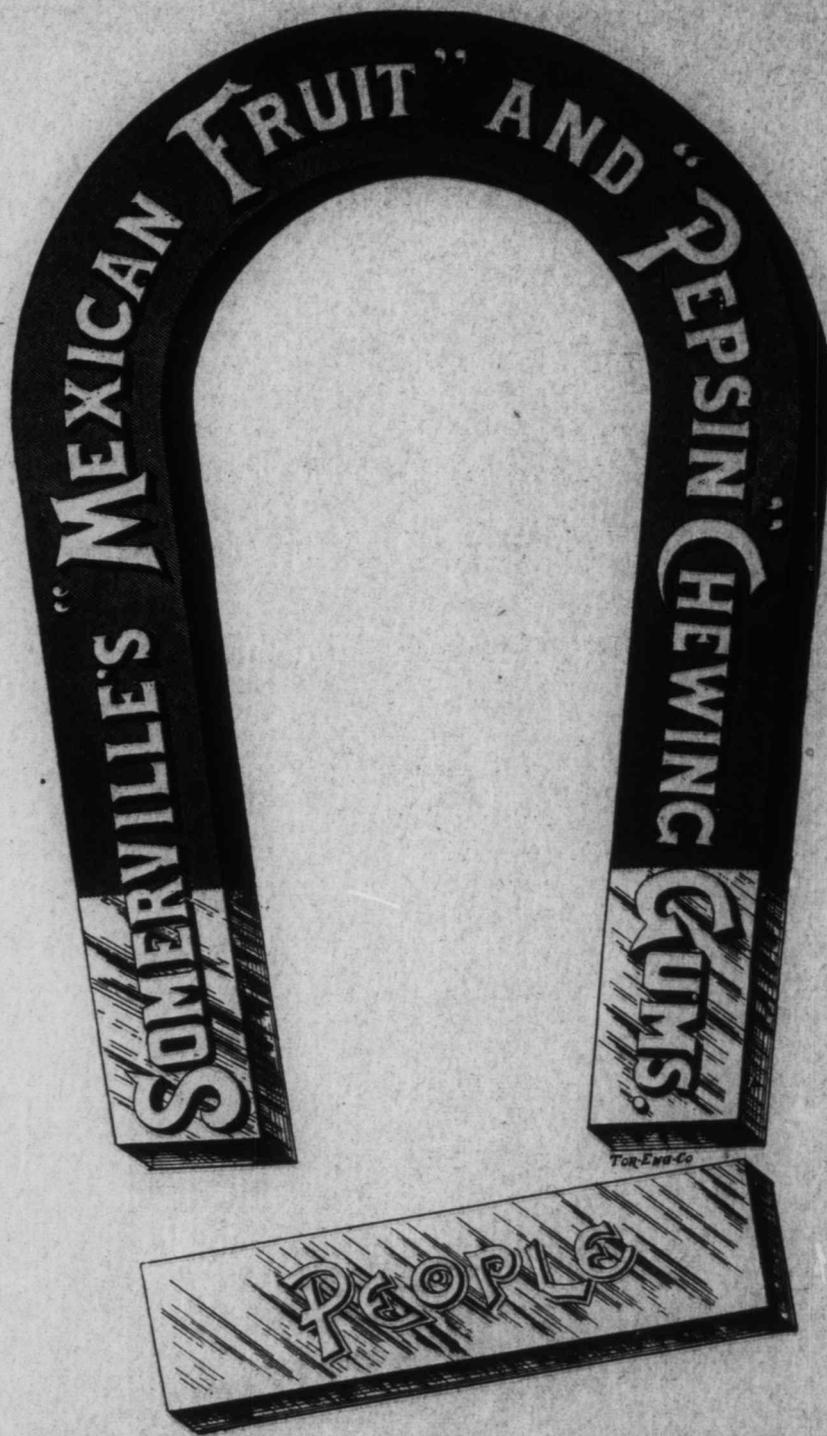
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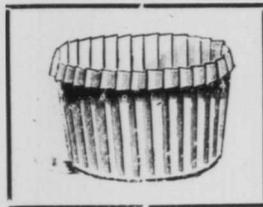
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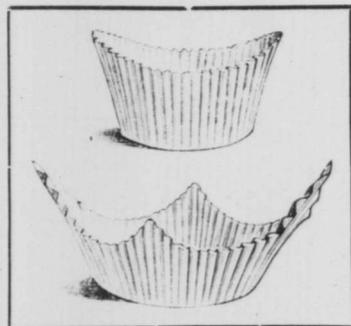
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A BUSINESS man should never miss an opportunity of making an honest dollar. Just now is the time of year when numbers of people, especially those who are unable to enjoy a respite from their daily avocations, feel the need of tonics. To cater to this demand is within the province of practically every grocer and general merchant in the country. It does not necessarily cost much to get in a supply. The character and location of a merchant's business must determine the extent to which he should invest in this particular. But no one need stock heavily in patent medicines, particularly when the object at the moment is merely to cater to the demand for tonics. For this it will only be necessary for the merchant to lay in a few cases of the leading standard tonics. In fact, if he gets in a supply of, say

beef, iron and wine only, it will suffice. At any rate, it will be a start. This medicine is one of the most popular of tonics, while the package is attractive, and, what is still more important to the merchant, there is a good profit attached to it. THE GROCER is persuaded that if the retail merchants would take hold of not merely tonics but proprietary medicines generally, they would reap beneficial results therefrom.

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Could we but see to what an undertaking would lead, or the possibilities in store for it, we would often have done this or that particular differently in order that it would the more easily have fitted certain conditions. When electricity became first to be applied as a motive power, if anybody thought of it in connection with the steam railways it was as a competitor, not as an adjunct. Of late years, however, it has come to be looked upon as both competitor and feeder of the railway systems of the country, and town and villages, here and there, are building electric railways in order to facilitate transportation between themselves and the steam railways. But now the question is dawning upon them whether the desideratum would not have been better secured had the gauge of the electric railways been made to conform with that of the ordinary railways. The promoters of the new electric railway between Galt and Preston saw the advantage of so doing, and the cars that now run on that line can run just as well on the rails of the Canadian Pacific Railway if need be.

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The wisdom of the Galt and Preston Railway directors has set some of the daily papers moralizing. The Toronto World, after pointing out the mistake that this city made when converting its street railway system from horse cars to electricity in not

changing the gauge and making it the same as the standard railway gauge, dwelt upon the advantages that would accrue to Toronto if cars of merchandise brought in by the C. P. R. or G. T. R. could be hauled direct to the consignee's warehouse via the electric railway's road bed. The Free Press, of London, also takes up the burden of the song and sings of the advantage it would be to that city if the gauge of its street railway were made the standard width. And as London is on the eve of changing its system, it has a good opportunity to take the advice of the Free Press.

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There no longer seems to be any "ifs" or "buts" about the wedding of the electric and steam railway systems. Even with the gauges of the two systems as they are the consummation is gradually being accomplished. But the union will be the more expeditiously and completely accomplished when the same standard gauge obtains on both systems. In the commercial centres rails could be laid along the lanes, etc., in rear of the warehouses, whereon the cars might be switched from the steam railways and unloaded at the doors of the consignees, or cars might be loaded at the warehouse doors, economy in time and expense being secured in each instance. But great as would be the advantages to the merchants in the cities from such a union of the steam and electric system they would be greater still to the farming community and to country merchants. Electric railways are no longer confined to the cities and larger towns: They tap and are tapping the country. And as the urban system extends the disadvantage under which the farmers labor as a class in getting their produce and live stock to market will diminish. If a farmer wants to ship a carload of live stock or

produce, instead of driving the animals or teaming the produce through probably miles of dusty roads and crowded city streets, particularly if his farm happens to be near an electric railway, a steam railroad car can be sent out to him whereon he can load, in all likelihood, at his farm gate, whatever he may desire to send to market. Country merchants would have the advantage in being able to ship their butter and eggs to market more conveniently, and to receive the supplies they had ordered at the city wholesale houses. This is the custom that will obtain in the future, and promoters of new lines of electric railways, urban as well as suburban, should govern themselves accordingly.

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The currant crop in Greece has reached the stage where forecasts can be made with less speculation surrounding them. From what can be gathered from private advices and other sources, one thing seems settled—that is, that the yield of 1894 will be less than last year. Authorities generally estimate the falling off at about twenty per cent., the aggregate crop being placed at from 140,000 to 150,000 tons. With regard to the quality, the advices are not so uniformly of the same opinion. One says "that the quality promises to be very good if there is not trouble with rain during the dry period," while another says that "the fruit in many districts has been shrivelled and without juice." Whatever the damage may be, it does not appear to be general. Other factors there are of a bullish tendency. One is that as distilling operations in Greece last year used up 15,000 tons, a large quantity may be again consumed in this way this year. But in counting upon this factor it must not be forgotten that unusual means were taken to encourage the distillation of currants last season in order to find an outlet for the crop which was larger than the growers knew what to do with. The other bullish factor is the presence of Russia in the market as a buyer. Last year, it is claimed, was that country's first appearance as a customer, when it took 16,000 tons, while the fact that the Muscovite has been lately buying currants on an advancing market encourages the hope that he will continue to buy. And Russia is not the only country in which it is claimed new markets are being opened up for Greece's currants. Then the refusal of the French Chamber to impose a further duty has removed a disturbing element, and a revival in the currant trade with that country is now looked for. The indications certainly point to higher prices for the coming crop; and the condition of the growers needs that it should be.

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP OF RAILWAYS.

THE railway strike in the United States has revived discussion regarding Government ownership of railways.

The ground taken by some of those favoring the innovation is that in governmental ownership of railways is to be found the panacea for strikes. In fact the discussion was started by those who argue from this standpoint.

Those who are opposed to government ownership of the steel highways find this species of argument an easy mark.

They contend that government ownership would be no guarantee against strikes.

This is true, but in part only.

If the railways of Canada or of the United States were owned by the respective governments, it would be no guarantee that the last would be heard of strikes. But there is this much to be said about it: If the railways were under the control of the government, there would be less chance of strikes.

The postal service is in governmental hands, and we do not remember when there was anything approaching a strike among the postal employees either in Canada or the United States. At any rate, if there have been strikes, the remembrance of which we cannot recall, one thing is certain, they have been rare.

Then again, the fact that the railway system was under the control of one central authority would naturally tend to expedite and simplify differences if they did arise.

Not infrequently we see strikes created or maintained because of lack of harmony among the different interests concerned.

The fewer parties there are to a dispute the easier, naturally, it is to effect a settlement.

But aside altogether from the question of strikes, it seems to us that the assumption of ownership of the railroads by the government would, in the long run, be to the public good.

The most common argument against the innovation is that it would afford the government greater opportunity for corruption.

But what is the government? It is the expression of the will of the people.

The stream is not higher than its source. Therefore if the government be continually corrupt it is evident that the source from which it emanates is nothing better. Governments, in fact, are just what the people make them.

After a government has been launched on its mission by the people it may fall into corrupt ways. But the people have the remedy in their own hands; and in Canada the constitution allows them to use it quickly too.

To contend, therefore, that the ownership of railways should not lie with the govern-

ment because it could not be trusted is to cast a reflection upon the people.

But we deny that governments are as corrupt as some would have us believe.

They might be vastly improved upon, and the more duties the people impose upon them that will require careful discharge, the greater likelihood will there be of this improvement taking place.

The imposition of the ownership of railways upon the government is one of these particular kind of duties that demand eternal vigilance as the price of successful operation.

The argument, therefore, that the government should not be trusted with the ownership of the railways because it would use them for corrupt purposes is unworthy of a free and intelligent people, armed to the teeth as they are with the franchise.

The railroad is a public convenience, and obviously the nearer the controlling force is allied to the public the more closely should the latter's interest be looked after.

The public in its essence is to be found in its representatives in Parliament or in Congress, and in these—as the expression of the people and, consequently, the closest in touch with the people—should be reposed the control of the national highways of this or any other country similarly advanced in civilization and enjoying a liberal franchise.

The postal service is under government control, and in Great Britain to the Imperial authorities belongs the telegraph as well as the postal service. No sensible man ever dreams of placing these under the control of private ownership.

And if the carrying of mails and the sending of telegraph messages can be safely reposed in the government, why not the carrying of freight and passengers? To us it seems unreasonable to answer in the negative.

One of the wants keenly felt by shippers to-day is cheaper carrying facilities. This government ownership of railways would tend to accomplish. All that the government would desire under the circumstances would be to make both ends meet. It may be urged that this is about all some of the railways are doing now while others are not even able to accomplish this. In the United States last year we are told over 61 per cent. of the railroads returned no dividends to their shareholders. But this, it must be remembered, was under circumstances of extraordinary depression. Granted, however, that from bad management, over-competition, etc., some railways do not pay and others prove positively unprofitable, it is not because the shareholders will it so.

They invested their money with the intention of making more out of it, and because they failed that does not take any from their object.

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passenger rates with running expenses.

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Another crying evil of to-day is freight discrimination. This, too, governmental control would tend to obliterate. The people would not brook discrimination, and there would be no other alternative, for no government could afford to run in the face of the wishes of the author of its being in matters of this kind.

A question of such moment as the government ownership of railroads has its pros and its cons, but in our opinion the former by far outweigh the latter. And the signs of the times say that they will ultimately prevail.

THOSE POOR SUGARS.

IN our issue of the 27th July there were two interesting communications regarding bright and dark yellow sugars that made some serious complaints regarding the grade of goods of this kind at present supplied to the trade by Canadian refiners. It was also alleged that the Montreal refiners were as much to blame as those of the Lower Provinces.

Among the alleged faults given was the statement that the smell of many reminded one of the low-grade Scotch yellows; that the moisture was not sufficiently extracted, and that the bright, light-colored sugars solidified too rapidly, so that it was necessary to chop them out of the barrel with an axe.

If true, these were really serious complaints, so THE GROCER'S Montreal correspondent called upon the representatives of both refineries, showed them the letters in question, and asked them for their side of the story.

In both cases the accusations were characterized as exaggerations, the refiners maintaining that the consuming public in Canada to-day was getting a better sugar than they ever did for the money.

They pointed out that \$1 would buy more than double the quantity of sugar now than it did eight or ten years ago.

As an actual fact Montreal at present was one of the cheapest markets to buy sugar on the continent, being fully \$1.50 per brl. cheaper than New York.

Of course that market was unsettled at present, but it did not alter the fact.

But to return to the complaints regarding the quality of the bright and dark yellow sugars it was, to use a colloquialism, something of a chestnut.

When the market was easy in tone or declining, complaints about quality were always numerous. It was different when the market was on the rise, for they were conspicuous by their absence.

As to the merits of the complaints under consideration, the representatives of both companies positively averred that they were entirely unfounded so far as their goods were concerned. In fact they had had fewer com-

plaints than usual lately. They could not understand them, therefore, and had nothing to say of other sugars, on which they were not in a position to speak.

The correspondent next directed attention to another source of information, visiting some well known sugar brokers. These gentlemen fully endorsed the statements of the refiners.

The sugars complained of were certainly not Montreal sugars. When a buyer paid the price he got a good sugar every time, but if he wanted goods for a price that was $\frac{1}{8}$ to $\frac{1}{4}$ c. below his competitors, he should not be surprised if the quality did not suit him. There had of necessity to be a certain percentage of moisture in all dark and bright yellow sugars. After the goods left refiners' hands it was not fair to expect that the latter should be responsible for the condition in which they were kept, a matter over which they had no control. Everyone knew that sugar was an article that readily absorbed any taste or smell from a foreign substance kept adjacent to it, and this, they were prepared to say, was the secret of sugar being in improper condition in many instances.

With regard to the solidifying of bright sugars, this was easily understood. As already pointed out, the moisture was never entirely removed from any dark and bright yellows. If it was they would cost as much as granulated and have to be sold at the same price. No refiner, therefore, guaranteed bright sugars over a month, and if after being kept two or perhaps three months they showed a tendency to lump up, the refiner in all fairness could not be held responsible. But they could talk for columns on the subject.

The fact of the matter was you could never please buyers. One of the gentlemen gave an instance of this where a customer of his had been kicking and kicking for a special kind of sugar. At last, to satisfy him, the broker in question got the refiner he represented to go to work and make the special grade requested. After they had gone to all this extra trouble the customer calmly took 50 or 60 packages, leaving the balance of several hundred on the refiner's hands. The latter, however, in these days of keen competition, had to grin and bear it.

This was only one instance, but many others could be given to show that the grievances of the refiners were not by any means slight, though so much might not be heard about them.

FRENCH PEAS LOWER.

"French peas are going to be cheaper this year," said a broker to THE GROCER the other day. "And you might suggest to the retailers that the tins they ought to have this year should weigh about 19oz. gross. The same applies to mushrooms."

A FRONTIER MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION.

DEAR GROCER,—It may not be generally known that the above association has been organized since April, 1893. Its objects are for mutual protection from "beats," either dead or live, and for the promotion of a better understanding among local merchants. The association embraces all classes of business men, and aims to assist in any way possible in building up the locality. Last year we arranged for a civic holiday on August 16th, and an excursion to Toronto, which proved successful, and was highly appreciated. This year our second annual excursion has been arranged for Aug. 15th to Toronto. All ye traveling men please take note! Our password, which until recently was a profound secret, has leaked out, owing to a defect in the barrel. It is ("Codfish and Molasses") generally believed that John T. Atkinson, of Jas. Turner & Co., Hamilton, was the originator of the password. It is probable that some of our members will pay THE GROCER a call while in the city.

J. T. JAMES, Sec.

THE GROCER is pleased to know that the Frontier Business Men's Association is still vigorous, and hopes that its members will honor it with a call on the 15th inst.—ED. GROCER.

DROP IN TUBS AND PAILS.

A drop in the price of wooden tubs and pails is announced. Pails are 10c. per dozen and tubs 50c. per dozen cheaper.

The changes were decided upon at the annual meeting of the Woodenware Association, held on Saturday last.

For all purchases of \$20 and over the quotations to the retail trade are now as follows: Pails, 2 hoops, clear, No. 1, \$1.50; pails, 3 do., \$1.70. Pails, 2 hoops, clear, No. 2, \$1.40; pails, 3 do., \$1.60; pails, 3 do., painted, \$1.60. Tubs, No. 0, \$9; do. 1, \$7; do. 2, \$6; do. 3, \$5.

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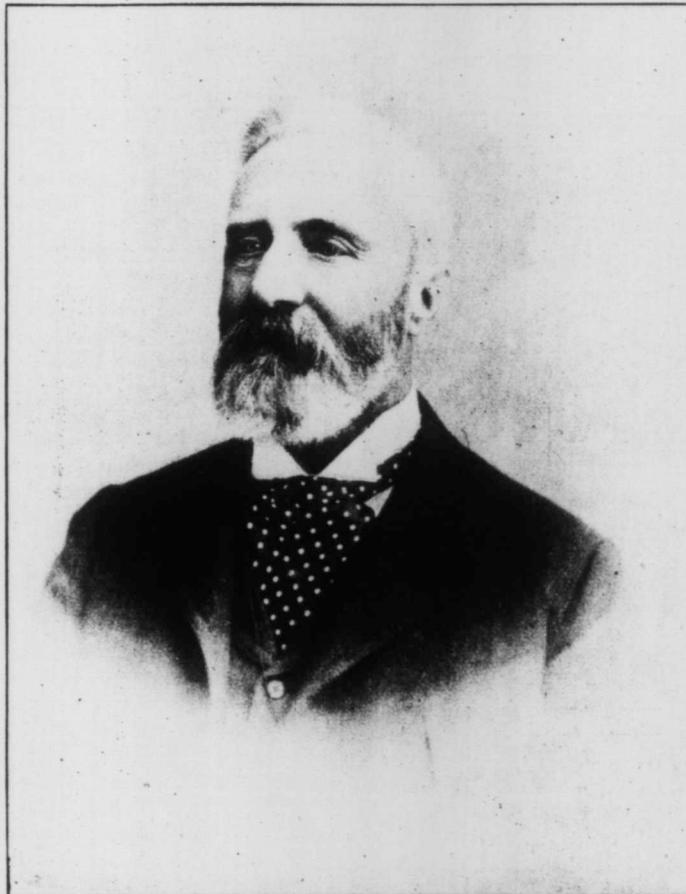
A TRAVELER INDEED.

SAM WILKINS, whose genial, fatherly face smiles upon you from the accompanying photograph, covers the ground in Ontario west of London as far as Windsor, for W. H. Gillard & Company, of Hamilton. Mr. Wilkins has had a varied experience as a "globe trotter," and commenced when a boy by taking a trip from his native land, England, up the Mediterranean to the seat of the Crimean War, where he remained for some years. He returned in 1855, to start immediately for Australia, and in that country spent four years among the kangaroos. He next took

both in the house and on the road. He is a man of fine appearance, standing over six feet, has robust health and is a noble representative for any house.

HOW TO TEST A WATERMELON.

I draw my thumb nail over the melon, scraping off the thin greenish skin, says the correspondent of an exchange. If the edges of the skin on each side of the scar are left ragged or granulated, and the rind under the scar is smooth, firm and white, and has something of a glassy appearance, the melon is ripe. But if the edges of the scar are smooth and even, and the thumb nail has dug into the rind in places, and the skin does not come off clean, then the



SAM WILKINS.

a jump backwards, landing in England in 1864, when he caught a fever (the western fever) and started for the land of Stars and Stripes. In two years he drifted into Canada and halted at Strathroy, there filling a lucrative position until his engagement as bookkeeper for Stuart, Harvey & Company. His capabilities as a salesman being recognized by the firm, it persuaded him to go on the road, and since that time he has steadily stuck to the grip with every success to himself and to his employers. He started with W. H. Gillard & Company in 1866, since which time he has made for himself a host of friends on the road, and is highly esteemed by his fellow travelers and clerks,

melon is green. You can easily learn on two melons, one ripe and the other green, noting the difference after they have been cut open.

TEA AND COFFEE AS FOOD.

M. Stanislaus Martin states that, as the result of an experiment on three different criminals sentenced to death, who accepted the scientific trial in preference to hanging, No. 1, nourished exclusively on tea, lived three years, and then died. He had become almost a skeleton, and was in a transparent condition. No. 2, on coffee, died in two years, burned as if an interior fire had calcined him. No. 3 lived on chocolate for eight months and died in a very advanced state of rotteness, as it were, devoured by worms.—London Lancet.

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TRADE CHAT.

THE popular and widely known Tudhope, the grocer, of Welland, has entered into partnership with C. W. Nugent, the flour and feed merchant. Their premises in the Morwood Block are being extensively altered and improved. This firm deserves success for their indefatigable energy.

A cold storage warehouse has been opened at Morrisburg.

Around Kingston there are a number of pedlars who are not licensed.

The Woodstock Board of Trade is negotiating for the establishment of a beef and pork packing business in that city.

Alex. Smith, Moosomin, is building a large brick store on Main street next to his present store.

Alex. Armstrong, merchant, Whitevale, has sailed for Great Britain, where he will spend about three months with his brother.

W. H. Lindsay, one of Milton's leading merchants, is having the inside of his store somewhat remodelled and improved.

Toronto and Montreal packing houses have begun making heavy purchases of Manitoba hogs for export bacon.

The new exhibition buildings at Owen Sound are being rushed ahead for occupation this fall. The company is expending \$5,100. The dates for the exhibition are the 18th, 19th, and 20th of September, and the

Lieutenant-Governor has promised that he will be present at the opening.

During the past twelve months E. D. Tillson, of Tilsonburg, has purchased from the farmers of that section over 150,000 bushels of wheat for the roller mill.

A Whitevale merchant set rough on rats for mice. His three-year-old child narrowly escaped going where it was intended the mice should go.

A Montreal man was fined \$1 the other day for peddling without a license, and \$50 for having in his possession unstamped tobacco.

Cod fishing on the north shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, especially at Esquimaux Point and Longue Point, nine miles from Mingan, is reported to be exceedingly good this year.

John Carter, grocer, Yonge street, Toronto, was thrown from his wagon a few days ago while driving on Yonge street near Eglinton, and sustained a fracture of the right arm.

The St. Croix Soap Manufacturing Co., St. Stephen, N.B., manufacturers of Surprise Soap, sent a contribution of \$50 to the Children's Aid Society, Toronto, the other day.

The abnormal abundance of money in London, Eng., last week compelled the joint stock banks to reduce their allowance on deposits from the previous minimum of 1 per cent. to $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. It was even sug-

gested that the Bank of England should change its custom and descend below its recognized minimum rate of 2 per cent. Gilt-edged securities have attained phenomenal prices, though it will be rash to predict that they have touched the highest point.

These have been elected officers of the Master Bakers' Association, Toronto, for the ensuing year: President, A. W. Carrick; Vice-Presidents, Geo. Weston and H. C. Tomlin; Secretary, M. Bredin; Treasurer, Wm. Bain.

Supplementary letters patent have been issued to the Hamilton Vinegar Works Co., authorizing an increase in its capital stock from \$100,000 to \$300,000, and changing the name to the Hamilton Distillery Company, Ltd.

Letters patent have been granted to the Canadian Forwarding and Export Co., Ltd., of Montreal, and to the International Produce and Manufacturing Ex. Co., Ltd., of Montreal.

Port Huron Times: The Grand Trunk is rushed with business now on account of the delayed shipments caused by the strike. They were never so busy at this season of the year. During the last 24 hours 35 trains passed Battle Creek, 20 east bound and 15 west bound.

At a meeting of the directors of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Co., a statement was submitted, showing a large increase in the company's earnings this sea-

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son. The report showed the receipts to have been \$263,903 for 1894, as against \$232,826 in 1893. The Saguenay and Quebec lines show large increases.

It is generally known that Hiram Walker & Sons have been leasing or buying all the available land located on the gas belt at Gosfield. It has aroused Kingsville people and several of them are endeavoring to secure enough of the gas fields to supply fuel for their manufactories.

Sawyer—"How do you suppose Knows-all amuses himself at his store since he gave up advertising?"

Seenyer—"I give it up. How?"

Sawyer—"By picking the flies from the fly-paper and using the paper over again."—South Boston News.

England exported only 25,880 cwts. of currants during the six months ending June 30, 1894. In the corresponding period last year, 37,523 cwts. were shipped, and in 1892,

no less than 44,490 cwts. There were in bond there, June 30, 314,255 cwts., against 284,708 cwts. a year ago, and 245,753 cwts. in 1892.

The other morning some miscreant threw a large stone through one of Perry & Alport's plate glass fronts, Orillia. The missile struck just about the centre of the pane and completely destroyed it. It was valued at \$80, and uninsured.

B.C. TRADE PROSPECTS.

Touching the trade prospects of British Columbia, the Vancouver News Advertiser says: "We cannot regard the present trade situation in the province as showing much improvement over the position two months ago. Compared with the state of things on the coast to the south of us, we may, however, congratulate ourselves. The serious labor troubles and disturbances which are paralyzing trade throughout the United

States fortunately do not here intensify the generally depressed state of business. British Columbia is also fortunate in having more diversity in her industries than is the case in some other provinces. It is to be hoped that the salmon canning industry will be up to expectation, as, although prices for the article in Europe are low, a good pack means a good deal of money put in circulation in the lower region of the province. It appears now as if the harvest will, in some parts of the province, be better than was anticipated. The lumber trade still continues dull and depressed. The outlook for the mining industry is better, especially in the Cariboo district, where much interest is centred in the operations of several companies engaged in opening out large hydraulic works. On the whole, it may be hoped that trade generally will continue at least moderately good, and that the gradual change towards an improvement in all branches of business, which appears now to be taking place, may shortly become more apparent and positive."

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BOUGHT EGGS, GOT CHICKENS.

On Monday evening last Mr. Joe Demara, of the south ward, went into a Kent street store and purchased a dozen eggs. The eggs were done up for him in a paper bag, and he took them home and put them away for future use. On Wednesday morning about 8 o'clock Mr. Demara concluded to cook some of the eggs for breakfast, and proceeded to the pantry. While in the act of opening the bag he heard a "tweet, tweet," and tearing away the paper he saw nine chickens looking up at him. The chickens are all eating heartily, and may be seen at any time. Mr. Demara says he would not take 50c. apiece for them, and is recommending that store as the cheapest place in town to buy fowl.—Lindsay Post.



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NOT many trade a probably fair does not. Sugars are quieting is common. New season's attention, but a good deal as to of prices. They have been advanced. This is the goods. Coffees scarce. In spite of demand for the regarding the new are becoming interest is being sequence. P mark.

The feature of 5c. per dozen by the packer their price to. There are still from the job the latter is generally quoted at 90 quiet, seasons at 85 to 90 at 85 to 95c. prices as before \$2 to \$2.25 for strawberries, \$1 to \$1.10, gallon fancy quarters regarding new some places a shortage is reported on spot is fairly the better brand known can be is in fairly good \$2.40 to \$2.50 \$1.80 to \$2.25 demand.

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MARKETS AND MARKET NOTES

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, August 9, 1894

GROCERIES.

NOT many interesting features surround trade at this moment. Business is probably fair for the season, but that fair does not represent much volume. Sugars are quiet, and to induce trade cutting is commonly resorted to by the trade. New season's Japan teas are attracting some attention, but the agents are complaining a good deal as to the unsatisfactory condition of prices. The price of canned peas has been advanced 5c. by the Packers' Association. This is the only new feature in canned goods. Coffees continue in good demand and scarce. In spices the feature is a brisk demand for the pickling kinds. Advices regarding the new crop of dried foreign fruit are becoming more definite, and a little more interest is being taken in this market in consequence. Payments are not up to the mark.

CANNED GOODS.

The feature of this market is an advance of 5c. per dozen in the price of canned peas by the Packers' Association. This brings their price to the jobbing trade up to 80c. There are still some to be had at this price from the jobbers, but the price with the latter is generally firmer, sifted being quoted at 90 to 95c. There is the usual quiet, seasonable demand for tomatoes at 85 to 90c. Corn is fairly active at 85 to 95c. Canned fruits are dull, with prices as before. Peaches, \$3 to \$3.25 for 3's, \$2 to \$2.25 for 2's; raspberries, \$1.65 to \$1.80; strawberries, \$1.90 to \$2.10; apples, 3's, \$1 to \$1.10, gallons \$2.65 to \$2.80, and preserved fancy quarters at \$1.35 to \$1.40. Advices regarding new pack of salmon show that in some places it is fair, while in others a shortage is reported. Demand for salmon on spot is fairly good at \$1.30 to \$1.40 for the better brands, and those not so well known can be had at \$1.10 to \$1.20. Lobster is in fairly good demand. We quote: Flats, \$2.40 to \$2.50; new flats, 1/2's, \$1.35; tails, \$1.80 to \$2.25. Potted meats are in active demand.

COFFEES.

There is a good demand for the better grades of Rio coffee, stocks of which are light on spot. Outside markets are a little better than they were. We quote green, in bags, as follows: Rio, 20 to 22c.; East Indian, 27 to 30c.; South American, 21 to 23c.; Santos, 21 1/2 to 22 1/2c.; Java, 30 to 32c.; Mocha, 27 to 28c.; Maracaibo, 21 to 23c.; Jamaica, 21 to 22c.

RICE.

Trade is still moderately good and prices unchanged. We quote: "B," 3 1/2 to 3 3/4c.; extra Japan, 5 1/4 to 5 3/4c.; imported Japan, 5 3/4 to 6 1/4c.; tapioca, 4 1/4 to 4 1/2c.

SPICES.

There is a brisk trade doing in pickling spices at unchanged prices. We quote: Pure black pepper, 12 to 14c.; pure white, 20 to 28c.; pure Jamaica ginger, 25 to 28c.;

cloves, 25 to 30c.; pure mixed spice, 25 to 30c.; cream of tartar, 20 to 25c. per lb.

SUGAR.

The market is quiet, and one of the best evidences of this is the cutting that is being done in an effort to induce trade, granulated being freely sold at 4 1/4c., which is the laid down price here from the refineries; 4 3/4c. is the ruling quotation. Yellows range in price from 3 1/2c. up, although some dark kinds may be got at a fraction less. The market generally has a firmer tone, in sympathy with the New York market.

SYRUPS.

There is no change to note either in regard to prices or business. We quote: Dark, 25c.; medium, 28 to 30c.; bright, 35 to 40c.; very bright, 45 to 50c.

MOLASSES.

Business keeps fairly good for the season at former quotations, which are: New Orleans, barrels, 26 to 28c.; half-barrels, 30 1/2 to 32c.; Barbadoes, barrels, 28 to 32c.; half-barrels, 30 to 34c.

TEA.

No special features have developed during the week. Demand continues good for low and medium grade new season's Japans at from 17 1/2 to 25c. A few new season's Moning teas are moving at 18 to 35c., but they are not saleable. Ceylon teas are nearly one penny dearer in London. Here both Indian and Ceylon teas are quiet. Tea agents report a little better demand from jobbers, but they are all complaining regarding the unsatisfactory prices obtained. Advices from London state that the war between Japan and China has induced some speculation on teas.

DRIED FRUITS.

The situation on the local market remains much as before. Valencia raisins are still scarce and firm. The demand is not large, the high prices ruling having, to some extent at least, checked consumption. We quote: Off-stalk at 5 1/2 to 6 1/2c.; fine off-stalk at 6 1/2 to 7 1/2c., and layers at 8 1/4 to 8 1/2c. Advices received by P. L. Mason & Co. state that shipments of early Valencia raisins will be late this season, the scalding not having begun as soon as usual on account of the backward condition of the vines. Shipments will probably begin about August 20. Advices from R. C. Casado, of Malaga, report the Malaga crop as good, and that low values will rule throughout the season. Currants are firmer on account of reported shortage in new crop, although no actual change has taken place in quotations. There are not many selling, although the demand is probably better than it otherwise would be on account of the scarcity and high price of Valencia raisins. We quote as follows: Provincials, 3 1/2 to 4c. in brls., half brls., 3 3/4 to 4 1/4c.; Filatras, 4 to 4 1/4c. in brls., and 4 1/2 to 5c. in half barrels; Patras, 5 to 5 1/2c. in barrels, 5 1/4 to 5 3/4c. in half brls., 5 to 6 1/2c. in cases; Vostizzas, 6 1/2 to 7 1/2c. in cases, 6 3/4 to 7 3/4c. in half cases; Panariti, 8 1/2 to 9c. Barff & Co., of Patras, under date of July 20, advise P. L. Mason & Co. that the coming crop will be smaller than last year by 15 to 20 per cent., estimating the aggregate at

140,000 to 145,000 tons. The falling off, they say, is accounted for by "natural decrease after a year of unusual plenty, by a very dry winter and spring, imperfect cultivation owing to straitened circumstances of many growers, and finally by loss caused by peronosporos in various districts." Of last year's crop 148,490 tons have already been exported. Dem. Schusas, writing from Patras under date of July 24 to Watt & Scott, says: "Since writing we have had some very hot winds that did great damage to the fruit now about ripening. This as well as the mildew and the drought during the winter have rendered the yield some 30 per cent. perhaps less than last year, so that our crop is not expected to turn out more than 130,000 to 138,000 tons, against fully 175,000 tons last season. You will understand from this that prices are sure to be higher." Early shipments of currants are expected to be on about August 28.

Prunes are quiet and unchanged on spot. We quote: U's, 5 1/2 to 5 3/4c.; B's, 7 1/2c.; bags, 3 3/4c.; casks, 4 1/2 to 5c. Opening prices for Turkish prunes will be higher than last year, and indications are that as crop is good, low prices will rule throughout the season.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

Holders of butter seem to be a little more desirous of selling than they were a week or so ago, but still their views are as a rule above those of the buyers. Some sellers seem to be pressed to sell by the need of money. The idea with holders appears to be about 15 to 16c. f.o.b. for round lots, although we hear of some wanting as high as 18c. With buyers the idea is about 14 to 14 1/2c. f.o.b., maintaining that this is nearer the value in view of the fact that a good deal of that coming in now is slightly off in quality. Of really choice butter there is not any too much, while low grade is beginning to accumulate. Price of the choice article is firm. A lot of 50 tubs of 1w grade changed hands this week at 13c., and was subsequently turned over at an advance of 1/2c. per lb. There is a little better demand for creamery pound prints, but tubs are still quiet. We quote jobbing prices as follows: Dairy—Choice tubs, 17 to 17 1/2c.; straight store, 15 to 16c.; crocks, 18c.; bakers' butter, 13 to 14c.; pound rolls, 19 to 20c. Creamery—Tubs, 19 to 20c.; pound prints, 22 to 22 1/2c.

Cheese is in much about the same position as before, local demand being fair at 9 1/4 to 10c. The factories are wanting about 9 1/2 to 9 3/4c.

PROVISIONS.

Hog products are ruling firm, and stocks are light. In smoked meats there is a scarcity. Further advances are announced in some lines. There are only a few dressed hogs coming in and they are selling at \$6.75 to \$7.

BACON—Long clear, 7 3/4 to 8c.; smoked backs, 11 1/2 to 12c.; breakfast bacon, 11 to 12 1/2c.; rolls, 9 1/2c.

HAMS—11 1/2 to 12c. for smoked, and 10 to 11c. for pickled.

LARD—Pure Canadian 8 3/4 to 9c. in tubs, 9 1/4c. in pails and 8 1/2c. in tierces. Compound, 7 1/4 to 7 1/2c.

BARREL PORK—Canadian heavy mess \$17.50 to \$18; Canadian short-cut, \$18.50 to

MARKETS.—Continued

\$19.00; shoulder mess, \$14.50 to \$15; clear mess, \$15 to \$15.50.

GREEN FRUIT.

New oranges have been arriving, but in bad condition, while old are about done. Stocks are consequently light, there only being a few Messina oranges to be had. There is a good outside demand for lemons, while the supply is getting limited and prices are higher. Demand for bananas is reported to be unusually good for this time of year, but the supply is equal to it, and the quotations are lower. Watermelons are in a liberal supply with demand good. Tomatoes are in good demand and supply is ample. There are still a few tomatoes of foreign growth coming forward, but domestic are now coming in pretty freely. A few domestic apples are coming in, but they are of poor quality. Demand for huckleberries, California peaches, plums, and pears, are in fair demand. Of domestic peaches there are more arriving than the market can comfortably absorb. Cucumbers are in good demand. We quote: Oranges, Messinas, half-boxes, \$2.50 to \$2.75; boxes, \$5 to \$5.25. Lemons, \$4.50 to \$5. Bananas, 90c. to \$1.50 per bunch. Watermelons, \$15 to \$23 per 100. Huckleberries, 80 to 90c. per basket. Cucumbers, 35c. per basket. Tomatoes, domestic, 60c. per basket; foreign, 80 to 90c. per four basket crate, and \$2 per bushel crate. Peaches, 55 to 60c. per basket. Apples, \$1.25 to \$2 per brl., and 20 to 35c. per basket. California green fruit—Peaches, \$1.85 to \$2 per box; plums, \$2 to \$2.25; pears, \$2 to 2.50.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

BEANS—Quiet at \$1.20 to \$1.25 for medium and \$1.35 to \$1.40 for choice hand picked.

POTATOES—Prices are lower in view of heavy arrivals. Market is still principally supplied with the American article. The idea as to price is \$2 per barrel. Demand is light.

EGGS—The bottom is out of the egg market. The cause is the anxiety of holders to dispose of their stock, and with these freer deliveries have come out large quantities of bad eggs, some of which have sold as low as 3c. per dozen; 100 cases sold at 5c. We quote: Cold storage, 8½ to 9c.; fresh, 9½ to 10c.

HOPS—Market is much as before with sales of bale lots of 1893 growth at 12½c. Package hops, 20c. per lb.

ONIONS—Egyptian onions are practically out of the market. Domestic are quoted at \$1.25 per bag and \$2.50 per barrel.

FISH.

Demand is good, with white fish and trout still higher. Herring are beginning to arrive. We quote: Skinned and boned codfish, 6½c.; shore herring, \$4 per brl.; boneless fish, 3½ to 4c.; boneless cod, 5 to

8c.; Lake Erie herring, \$1.75 to \$2 per 100; blueback herring, 4c.; blue pickerel, 4 to 5c. lb.; yel. ditto, 5 to 6c. per lb.; salmon trout, 7c.; white fish, 7 to 7½c.; pike, 5c. lb.; haddock and cod, 5½c. per lb.; steak cod, 5 to 6c.; large halibut, 10c.; brook trout, 25c. per lb.

HIDES, SKINS, WOOL AND TALLOW.

HIDES—There is a fair demand at unchanged prices, carloads of cured having changed hands at 3½c.

SKINS—There is not much doing, and dealers, as before, are paying 30c. for lamb-skins and pelts.

WOOL—Buyers have pretty well stocked up, and they are not so keen in consequence as they were. We quote: Ordinary combing, 17c.; fine clothing and down, 18 to 19c.; rejections, 12 to 13c.; and unwashed, 10 to 11c.

TALLOW—Demand is moderate and chiefly for small lots. Dealers are paying 4¾ to 5¼c. and selling at 5¼ to 5½c.

SALT.

Trade is reported good, with several car lots moving. Prices are unchanged and are as follows: Dairy, \$1.50, special grade; brls., 95c.; coarse sacks, 68c.; fine sacks, 70c.; American rock, \$10 per ton.

PETROLEUM.

Trade is picking up, especially in burning oils. Prices are unchanged. We quote, in 5 to 10 brl. lots, imperial gallon, Toronto: Canadian, 12 to 12½c.; carbon safety, 15½ to 16c.; Canadian water white, 16 to 17c.; American water white, 18 to 19c.; photogene, 20c.

The Petrolia Advertiser in its weekly report says:—"Petrolia Crude: 93 cents per brl. Oil Springs Crude: 96c. per brl. Refined, 5¾ to 6¼ cents in bulk, or 8½ to 9 cents in barrels in car lots f.o.b. here. Although business is not rushing, the crude market is very firm at the above quotations, with a strong tendency to rise. Refined is going along steady without change in prices."

MARKET NOTES.

Peels will be cheaper this season.

H. P. Eckardt & Co. are in receipt of a shipment of Gillard's pickles.

Dominion Produce Co. report eggs and butter coming in freely.

Adams & Co. report an increase in the sale of chewing gum during the week.

Sixteen stores in Beamsville are closing at 1 p.m. on Wednesday in July and August.

S. K. Moyer has a shipment of sweet potatoes in stock.

Dawson & Co. received five cars of watermelons this week.

Among Clemes Bros. receipts this week were one car assorted California fruit, several

cars of bananas, a consignment of musk melons (cantelopes) and their first shipment of sweet potatoes.

New white oats sold on the street, Toronto, at 34c.

Rutherford & Harrison report that during the past week they have been handling on an average 100 cases of eggs per day.

G. F. Marter, M.L.A., has bought out the Phoenix Coffee and Spice Mills, Toronto, manufacturers of Barton's baking powder.

Smith & Keighley report that they are offering fine, flowery Pekoe Ceylon tea at low prices.

Davidson & Hay have received further shipments of new season's Congous and medium Japan teas.

Vance & Co. have on hand a large consignment of California pears, peaches, plums and apricots.

A. Paxton & Co. are in receipt of a large quantity of dairy butter which is bringing a good price.

White & Co. report apples weaker, the supply being better, but principally in baskets.

Graham, McLean & Co. are handling a large number of pound rolls of butter at present.

Smith & Keighley report that they are experiencing an unusually good demand for new season's Japan tea.

J. E. Murgatroyd and Midgley Murgatroyd have opened up a new general store in Smithville.

Vance & Co. have on hand a consignment of California pear, peaches, plums and apricots, all very choice stock.

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The "Western Mixed" biscuit introduced by W. Paterson & Sons a short time ago, is proving, the firm says, a great seller.

Toronto Salt Works have just shipped 1 car dairy at \$1.50; 2 cars brl., at 95c., and 2 cars sacks, at 58c.

Hughan & Co., general merchants, Lindsay, are getting their stock arranged as fast as possible in their new premises, 52 Kent street.

The stock of Thomas & Mowat, Elkh. rn, Man., was sold on July 28th at Winnipeg. Wilcox & Ramsay, of Virden, were the purchasers.

P. C. Larkin & Co. report the opening of agencies for the sale of "Salada" Ceylon

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MARKETS—Continued

tea in the following towns during the past week: Penetanguishene, Mildmay, Clifford, Allandale, Port Elgin, Paisley, Hanover, Tilsonburg, and Southampton.

W. H. Gillard & Co. state that New York ginger ale is now in the hands of nearly every one of their customers, and that the sales are increasing daily.

Eby, Blain & Co. are in receipt of another shipment of Orient tea. This firm also reports large sales of low and medium grade new season's Japan tea and pickling spices.

M. Masuret & Co., of London, are offering large dry codfish in cases, and have a few Bosnia prunes in barrels, bags and cases, and currants in barrels, half barrels, cases and half cases.

Sinclair & Co., of Caer-Howell street, Toronto, are moving from their present stand to the premises lately occupied by the Royal Arms Hotel at the corner of Yonge and Edward streets.

T. B. Escott & Co., of London, have held exhibits for "Grand Mogul Tea" the past week at Waddell Bros., St. Thomas; J. T. L. Orme, Port Stanley; A. J. Denny, London, and Farmer Bros., Exeter.

Gillard & Co. report that they have secured the sole control of "Sovereign" salmon for this season, and having bought before the scarcity was known, are, they claim, able to quote specially low prices.

The attention of the trade is directed to W. Paterson & Sons' "Peanut" ad. on page 6. This firm are large dealers in these goods and will be pleased to quote prices and send samples on application.

Gowans, Kent & Co. are now placing on the market their new "Ivory Top" lamp chimney which is advertised on the back cover of this issue. This chimney combines durability to stand heat, and neatness, and retails at a low price considering the quality. It is manufactured by one of the best makers in the United States.

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the market by James A. Skinner & Co. This shade is handsomely gotten up in the shape of a costume, and is attached to the chimney the same as any ordinary shade. It will prove an attraction in a show window or store where lamp goods are displayed.

A. M. Piper, formerly with Todhunter, Mitchell & Co., has formed a partnership with James Langskill to carry on the manufacture of spices, coffees, cocoas, chocolates, baking powder, etc. The style of the firm is "Piper & Langskill, proprietors of the Queen City Coffee and Spice Mills," and the factory and offices are at 101 to 109 Adelaide street west, Toronto.

Sloan & Crowther have to hand advice of shipment of first car of 350 cases of Fraser sockeye salmon, this season's catch, per C.P.R. The packers advise Sloan & Crowther as follows: "We may mention to you that the run of salmon on the Fraser at present is very poor and only two canneries are reported to have caught over 1,000 cases, and in many instances they have not much over a carload to be put up. As time for fishing is so short, it looks as if a serious shortage will take place, and those who have made large contracts at low figures will suffer greatly in consequence. We note that a large combination has been formed in England to buy up British Columbia and Alaska packs at low prices."

MONTREAL MARKETS.

MONTREAL, August 9, 1894.
GROCERIES.

THERE has been no pronounced change in the grocery market during the week. A moderate volume of business is doing, but the dimensions are still more or less restricted. Tea, which was expected to show more life ere this, has failed yet in doing so, but a change for the better is expected. Sugar is very firm, but the demand for it does not widen to any material extent. Molasses continues easy, but values are not quotably altered. Canned goods rule quiet, the only business of importance being some round lots of salmon. Spices and coffees remain about the same, and there is nothing special to report yet in dried fruit. Payments are generally complained of.

SUGAR.

The past week has witnessed a rather firm feeling in our sugar market, in consequence of the tenor of advices from New York. Values, however, are not quotably changed and refiners do not appear to anticipate any radical alteration. Demand is limited for the season of the year; in fact, the volume of business is generally admitted to be comparatively light. For granulated 4½c. is still the basis from the refineries, and yellow 3 1-16 to 3¾c. as to quality at the refinery. Cables from London on beet stock have been fairly steady on the whole.

MOLASSES.

This market has continued quiet, and the easy tone noted specially and in our market letters last week continues, but no further change has, up to the time of writing, taken place in values governing ordinary business. For forward business further sales to arrive of round lots are noted on the basis of 26c. August delivery. The combination prices are still unchanged at 29c. for car lots and 30c. for single puncheons.

SYRUP.

Syrups have continued quiet and featureless with only a very moderate business passing. Quotations are unchanged from a week ago at 2 to 2½c. for bright grades and 1 to 1¼c. for dark.

TEA.

Nothing very striking has transpired in the tea market since our last report. What demand there is continues to be of a hand to mouth character and very few large lots have been moving. In this connection we note sales of a 1,000 odd packages of Japans at a range of 13 to 20c. as to quality. The trouble between China and Japan has not affected the market, and as the bulk of the Japan teas for this market are now afloat importers here do not apprehend that it will do so in the immediate future. In New York, however, the feeling is strong on war news, and if speculators manipulate any pronounced alteration in that market it may possibly have some sympathetic influence on values here. We quote: Japan teas, common, 10 to 13c.; medium, 14 to 17c.; fine, 18 to 21½c.; and choicest, 23 to 29c.

COFFEES.

There is about the usual amount of business doing in coffees, but no large operations are being put through except a few round lots of Maracaibo, and one or two parcels of Mocha at 19½ and 24½c. respectively. We quote: Java, 24 to 28c.; Mocha, 25 to 28c.; Maracaibo, 19 to 21c.; Jamaica, 19 to 21c., and Rio, 18 to 21c.

SPICES.

The spice market is quiet under a moderate business at unchanged prices. We quote: Black pepper, 6 to 7½c.; white pepper, 10 to 12½c.; cloves, 7½ to 9c.; cassia, 9 to 10c.; nutmegs, 60 to 90c., and Jamaica ginger, 15 to 18c.

RICE.

There is no change in rice. A fair business is being transacted at previous quotations. We quote: Standard, \$3.45 to \$3.70; Japan, \$3.95 to \$4.25, and Patna, \$4.25 to \$4.75.

DRIED FRUIT.

There has been nothing very special since our last in dried fruit which rules much the same. Prices are more or less nominal and we quote as follows: Off-stalk Valencias, 5 to 5½c.; fine, 5½ to 5¾c.; layers, 6 to 6½c.; currants, 3 to 3½c.

NUTS.

There is a fair business doing in nuts at unchanged prices. The following are the quotations: Almonds at 11½ to 12c.; shelled do., 23 to 29c.; shelled walnuts, 18 to 21c.; Grenoble walnuts, 11½ to 12c.;

filberts, 7½ to 8c.; pecans, 7½ to 8c.; Brazils, 9 to 10c., and peanuts, 7 to 9c.

CANNED GOODS.

Outside of the sale of a round lot of 1,500 cases of B. C. salmon on the basis of \$3.65 f.o.b. on the coast on Thursday last very little business of importance has transpired. Aside from this the ordinary jobbing business is of very limited dimensions indeed, and there is no change in prices. We quote: Lobsters, \$6 to \$6.50 per case; sardines, \$8.50 to \$9.50; salmon, \$1.15 to \$1.30 per doz.; tomatoes, 80 to 85c. per doz.; peaches, \$2 to \$2.10 per doz.; corn, 85 to 90c. per doz., and marrowfat peas, 85 to 90c. per doz.

The Australian canned meats, the arrival of which we noted last week, are offering on this market at the following range of prices: Boiled mutton, \$1.86 to \$1.90 per doz. 1-lb. tins, and \$3.10 to \$3.15 per doz., 2-lb. tins; roast mutton, \$2.05 to \$2.10 per doz., 1-lb. tins, and \$3.35 to \$3.40 per doz., 2-lb. tins; corned mutton, \$2.05 to \$2.10 per doz., 1-lb. tins, and \$3.35 to \$3.40 per doz., 2-lb. tins.

GREEN FRUIT.

The chief feature of the week in the green fruit market has been large receipts of apples and consequent demoralization in prices owing to poor sales. Duchess and Astracans have been sold all the way from \$1.25 to \$2 per brl. The only oranges offering are a few boxes of Rodi, which sell at high prices, viz., \$5.50 per box. Demand for lemons has been rather quiet, but light stocks have prevented any decline in prices, which rule firm at \$3.75 to \$4 per box. California cherries are meeting a fair sale at \$1.75 per box. Pears command good sales at \$2 to \$2.50 per box, and plums sell well at \$1.75 to \$2.25 per crate. Raspberries sell very well at 12c. per box. The supply of bananas is large, and prices range from \$1 to \$1.50 per bunch.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Demand for eggs is fair, but receipts continue large and prices rule on the easy side at 9 to 10c. for caudled and 7 to 8c. per dozen for culls. In honey a fair business has been transacted for small lots at 8 to 9c. per lb. The market for beans continues to be quiet and steady at \$1.35 to \$1.50 per bushel of 60 lbs. Hops rule quiet at 10 to 12c. for good to choice and 9c. for medium grades. The market is kept well cleaned up of tomatoes at \$2.25.

PROVISIONS.

The provision market is without any new feature of interest to note. The feeling generally is steady and values are maintained. The demand for all lines is limited, and business in consequence rules quiet. We quote: Canadian short cut, heavy, \$18.50 to \$20; do., light, \$17.50 to \$18.50; hams, city cured, per lb., 10 to 13c.; lard, Canadian, in pails, 9½ to 10c.; bacon, per lb., 10 to 12c.; lard, common refined, per lb., 7¼ to 7½c.

BUTTER.

The butter market does not furnish any special change, except that prices are practically lower. It is understood that with freer offerings by factorymen quite a lot of July creamery has been picked up at 18½c. or thereabouts in the country, and this, no doubt, will act to a certain extent as a stiffener. Still it is pretty generally admitted that there is quite a quantity of July make to market, and, no doubt, the salesmen want to realize, which will have its effect. In dairy goods there are very few developments to report. We quote: Finest creamery,

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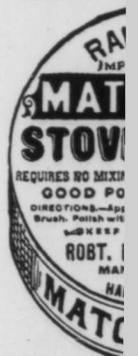
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CHEESE.
 The cheese market rules about steady, the buying in the country of July goods that has already been referred to tending to dissipate the easy feeling apparent at the beginning of last week. This buying has already been supplemented by more and at fractionally firmer prices, so that it is evident the speculators have again stepped in to keep the market up. This is the only interpretation that can be put upon it with an 8½c. market in New York and offers from this side on the basis of 45s. c.i.f. It is hinted also that there are some shorts and that a squeeze is on the tapis. Whatever the reason, the cheese market, so far as indications go in Canada, is steady. At the wharf Monday morning 3,500 cheese were offered and all sold at a range of 9 to 9½c., a good percentage going at the higher figure. At St. Hyacinthe the offerings comprised 5,000 boxes, and the ruling price was 8½c. We quote: Finest Western colored, 9½ to 9½c.; finest Western white, 9¼ to 9¾c.; finest Townships, 9½ to 9¼c.; finest Eastern colored, 9 to 9½c.; finest eastern white, 8½ to 9c.; Under grades, 8½ to 8¼c.

ASHES.
 Receipts of ashes are small and business is quiet with no change in price to note. We quote: First pots, \$4; seconds, \$3.70; pearls, \$6.50 per 100 lbs.

MONTREAL TRADE NOTES.
 F. Hughes, of Caverhill, Hughes & Co., is away from town at present on a short trip. Mr. Rose, of Rose & Lafamme, is away on a short business tour. A cargo of 1,500 puncheons of Barbadoes molasses is expected shortly by John Pinder & Co. There was a round lot of 1,500 cases of B.C. canned salmon placed to arrive during the past week by J. Alex. Gordon & Co. The Lion L brand of jams, jellies, vinegars and pickles is well known to all friends of the old house of Michel Lefebvre & Co. L. Chaput, Sons & Co. report trade in Quebec on the mend. There is a better demand for immediate wants, as well as for future delivery, for fall account.

J. Alex. Gordon & Co., brokers, received during the week some 400 cases of Australian canned meats, which they are offering at ruling quotations. Rose & Lafamme say that the demand for Ram Lal packet teas is improving, and that the tea market generally seems to be on the mend. Many now think of jellies, ma malades, etc. The trade should remember that Frank Magor & Co. can book orders through for

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FLOUR AND FEED

THERE has been much said through the columns of this and other trade journals as to the value of the window display for enhancing sales. Many grocers are inclined to think that the place for their flour stock is in the back of the store, or in the cellar, and that customers will naturally ask for it if they need it. An East Toronto grocer was heard recently to remark: "Oh, flour looks very well in the window of a flour and feed store, but a grocer is only sacrificing space and time, without receiving any return for his trouble, when he attempts to make a flour display." Now, while we respect this dealer's opinion, we differ from him nevertheless. A grocer in Parkdale, who is one of the leading dealers in that vicinity, has been recently devoting one of his windows to the display of flour only, and has not only succeeded in arranging the gaily labelled paper bags effectively, but has also enhanced his sales in this line considerably thereby. This is the dull season for the sale of flour, and the time when it needs most pushing. If one dealer finds it profitable to make such a display, why should not others? To those who wish to build up a good flour trade we say, "Go thou and do likewise."

Reports from the United States say that there has been a great lack of rain in the corn districts, and prices have risen considerably in the Chicago markets, carrying wheat with it. A deficiency in corn crop will doubtless do much to raise the price of wheat, and, as a consequence, we may expect a raise in flour. The weather bureau holds forth no prospects of relief from the hot winds that have been withering and destroying the grain in the western corn fields.

The annual meeting of the Dominion Millers' Association was held at the Board of Trade last Tuesday. President A. H. Baird, of Paris, was in the chair. There was a large attendance, and all the officers and committee were present, with the exception of Mr. Flavelle, of Lindsay, who was unable to attend through illness. The reports presented by the secretary-treasurer were satisfactory, and after the President's annual address the following papers were read:

"Our Export Flour Trade, and why it has been Largely Lost," M. McLaughlin, Toronto; "Shortages in Car Wheat—Causes and Remedies," W. H. Meldrum, Peterboro'; "Export Freight Rates on Flour—How to Secure Them"; "Doubtful Patents on Milling Machinery," H. Barrett, Port

Hope; "The Plansifter System of Bolting," James Hodd, Stratford; "Fire Risk in Mills—How Reduced," J. L. Spink, Toronto; "Discussion on Wheat Buying and Prices," T. O. Kemp, Seaforth; "Chattel Mortgage on Farmers' Grain—How it Affects Millers," James Goldie, Guelph.

THE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

FLOUR—Business in the city is quiet. Grocers complain of the hot weather which keeps their customers from doing much home baking, and bakers report a dullness owing to numbers of people who are at present out of town. An improvement in the flour trade is looked for during the coming month. There has been no change in prices. We quote: Manitoba wheat patents, \$3.55 to \$3.65; strong bakers', \$3.35 to \$3.45; winter wheat patents, \$3.45 to \$3.60; Ontario family, \$3 to \$3.25; straight rollers, \$2.90 to \$3.05.

SHORTS—The demand has been good, and city mills have been hard taxed to supply it. There is but little to be had at present. City mills are selling at from \$16 to \$16.50 per ton.

BRAN—While the demand from dealers in the city has not been great, some good shipments in car lots are reported at from \$12.50 to \$13, and city mills have a very small quantity on hand which they are offering at \$13 per ton.

SCREENINGS—There is a good demand and the mills are selling at \$12 per ton.

HAY—Business is quiet. Prices unchanged at \$8.50 to \$9 on track.

STRAW—There is some demand for sheave straw, but bale straw is selling very slowly. Prices unchanged at \$5.75 to \$7.50 for choice.

MONTREAL.

The demand for Manitoba flour on local account continues good, and a fairly active business is doing at steady prices. Winter wheat, \$3.60 to \$3.70; Manitoba patents, best brands, \$3.50 to \$3.60; straight roller, \$3; extra, \$2.75 to \$2.90; superfine, \$2.50 to \$2.65; Manitoba strong bakers', \$3.40 to \$3.50; Manitoba strong bakers', best brands, \$3.45 to \$3.50.

Owing to the continued good demand for feed, especially shorts, a stronger feeling prevailed and prices advanced \$1 per ton, sales being made freely Monday at \$18, and millers state that a further advance of \$1 per ton will be in order before the end of the

week if the present demand continues, as supplies are very short. Bran, \$15; shorts, \$18; mouillie, \$20.

In oatmeal a fair amount of business was done, there being a good demand for small lots, and values were steady. Standard, brls., \$4.30 to \$4.40; granulated, brls., \$4.30 to \$4.40; rolled oats, brls., \$4.50 to \$4.60; pot barley, per brl., \$3.90; split peas, per brl. \$3.40.

ST. JOHN, N.B.

The movement in flour as stated by a leading broker is flat, stale and unprofitable. The reaction after the recent advance has left the market if anything duller than before. Oatmeal is firm, as are middlings. Bran is, however, not so much in demand. Oats are off about 3c., and hay is again lower. The one movement is in cornmeal. It shows an advance of 20c. in the week, and if the firm feeling in corn continues, it will go higher. We quote: Manitoba flour, \$4.20 to \$4.30; best Ontario, \$3.50 to \$3.60; medium, \$3.35 to \$3.50; oatmeal standard, \$4.50 to \$4.75; cornmeal, \$2.85 to \$2.95; middlings, \$22 to \$23, on track; bran, small lots, \$18 to \$19; cottonseed meal, \$30; N. B. oats, on track, 43 to 44c.; Ontario, on track, 44 to 45c.; beans, h.p., \$1.55 to \$1.60; prime, \$1.45 to \$1.50; split peas, \$3.65 to \$3.85; round peas, \$3.65 to \$3.75; pot barley, \$3.85 to \$4.00; hay on track, \$9.50 to \$10.

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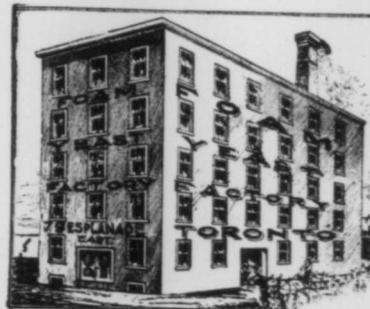
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MONTREAL MARKETS—Continued

Chas. Southwell & Co.'s high-class Kentish fruit.

Laporte, Martin & Co. are receiving this week a large consignment of "Brandy Richard" in bottles, half ditto and quarters, which they are offering at very special prices for immediate delivery.

Some very tempting samples of "Batger's" candied peels have been received by Messrs. Rose & Laflamme. They comprise lemon, orange, citron, etc. One sample of the latter—a complete half of a fruit—especially attracts attention.

The new season's catch of Marshall's Scotch salt herrings is a very fine one. Walter R. Wonham & Sons state that the goods are meeting a good demand in kegs, firkins, quarters, halves and barrels, but especially in kegs, as the latter is a very handy package.

ST. JOHN, N.B., MARKETS.

ST. JOHN, N.B., August 9, 1894.

TRADE continues rather quiet, but payments are fair and people are buying carefully. The only matter of excitement has been the rapid advance of cornmeal, first 5c., then 5c., and then again 10c. This, with 5c. last week, makes an advance of 25c., with value very firm and a further advance looked for. In tea some samples of direct importation are to hand. In Saryunes extra value are shown.

SPICE—Whole pickling spice is now a seller in value. Cream of tartar, brls., 17½ to 18½c.; boxes, 20 to 25c.; nutmegs, 60 to 90c.; cassia, 18 to 20c.; cloves, ground, 20 to 25c.; whole, 15 to 20c.; ginger, 18 to 22c.; pepper, 12 to 16c.; bicarb. soda, \$2.30 to \$2.38; sal. soda, 1 to 1½c.

SALT—In spite of reports to the contrary stocks here are large and movement is not rapid. Coarse salt, 48 to 50c.; factory filled, \$1 to \$1.10; Canadian 5-lb. bags in brls., \$3.25; 10-lb. bags, \$3.10; American wood boxes, 20, 10 and 12c.

TOBACCO—Prices as last week. McDonald's brands: Crown, 43c.; Pilot, 45c.; Index, 43c.; Napoleon, 49c. McAlpin's brands: Beaver, 62c.; Tecumseh, 65c.; Jubilee, 49c.; Gold Shield, 49c.; Woodcock, 53c.; Army and Navy, 45c. Tuckett's T. & B. Myrtle Navy, 59c.; cut, 70c.; Lily, 46c.; chewing, T. & B., long black, 48c.; Mahogany, 12s., 48c.; Mahogany, 12s. and 7s., 48c.

CANNED GOODS—A car of new salmon is reported on the road for Halifax. Orders for futures in vegetables are now being booked. Prices spot goods are quoted as last week. Corn, 90 to 95c.; peas, 90c.; tomatoes, 95c. to \$1; gallon apples, \$2.50; oysters, 1's, \$1.50; 2's, \$2.25; corned beef, 1-lb. tins, \$1.65; 2-lb. tins, \$2.65; salmon, \$1.25 to \$1.35; lobsters, \$1.75 to \$2; peaches, 2's, \$1.70 to \$1.90; 3's, \$2.70 to \$2.90.

OIL—Quotations are as last week. Demand good. Best American, 18c.; best Canadian, 17c.; prime Canadian, 13½c.; 60 days, no charge for barrel; linseed, raw, 56 to 59c.; boiled, 59 to 62c. Turpentine, 45 to 47c. Cod oil, 28 to 30c. Seal oil, steam refined, 40 to 45c.; pale, 38 to 43c. Olive oil, commercial, 90c. to \$1. Castor oil, com-

mercial, 6½ to 7c. Extra lard oil, 65 to 70c.; No. 1 lard oil, 60 to 65c.

DRIED FRUIT AND NUTS—In New York an advance of ½c. on currants is reported, but though prices are firmer here no advance has yet been made. Those selling Valencias for direct shipment report a larger sale than up to this time last year. California loose muscatels are making many friends in this market. One firm has a hundred sacks of filberts direct from Spain; this is understood to be the first direct shipment received here. A short crop of Sultana raisins is reported. We quote as follows: Sultana raisins, 7 to 7½c.; Valencias, 5½ to 5¾c.; London layers, \$2.10 to \$2.20; California loose muscatels, 6½ to 6¾c.; prunes, 5½ to 6½c.; California, 11 to 12c.; currants, barrels, 3½ to 4c.; cases, 4 to 5c.; dates, 5 to 6c.; figs, 10 to 12c.; Egyptian onions, 1½ to 2c.; French walnuts, 11 to 12c.; Grenobles, 13 to 15c.; almonds, 13 to 14c.; Brazil, 11 to 12c.; filberts, 9½ to 10c.; pecans, 12 to 13c.; peanuts, 10 to 11c.

GREEN FRUIT—Strawberries are out of the market. Raspberries hold firm. Cherries are out of the market after an exceedingly light crop, prices holding very high, and not enough for local demand. Plums are reported a large crop, while apples are reported light. Oranges are firmer, and other fruits are taking their place. Tomatoes, of which but very few natives are yet to hand, are lower, as are watermelons. Bartlett pears are now being offered. Messina lemons, \$4 to \$4.50; oranges, \$5 to \$5.50; bananas, \$2 to \$2.50; tomatoes, per crate, \$2.25 to \$2.50; cucumbers, per doz., 30 to 35c.; watermelons, 40 to 50; gooseberries, 40c. per peck; California apricots, peaches and plums, \$2 to \$2.50 per crate; apples, \$4.50 to \$5; Bartlett pears, \$4.50 per bush.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Eggs continue slow, with rather firmer market. Butter—a good demand for creamery prints is reported; market all round is rather firmer. Cheese is rather quiet; competition between the different factories is causing a rather weaker feeling in the market. One factory has a carload now ready for the English market. It is a splendid lot of cheese; average weight, 70 lbs. Eggs, 9½ to 10c.; butter, dairy, 15 to 16c.; creamery, tubs, 18 to 19c.; prints, 21c.; cheese, 10 to 10½c.

MOLASSES—No change in price is reported. Demand is fair. Barbadoes, new, 27 to 28c.; Porto Rico, fancy, 42 to 43c.; choice, 34 to 35c.; Antigua, 27 to 28c.; St. Croix, 27 to 28c.

SUGAR—In this market no change reported. Granulated, 4¼ to 4¾c.; white extra, 3¾ to 3¾c.; bright yellow, 3¾ to 3¾c.; yellow, 3¾ to 3¾c.; dark yellow, 3¼ to 3¾c.; Barbadoes, 3¾ to 4c.; Paris lump, 6 to 6¼c.; pulverized, 6 to 6¼c.

FISH—From Bathurst encouraging reports in regard to mackerel are to hand. Lobsters are a small catch this season. Fresh halibut and salmon are among the things of the past as far as general business is concerned. Fresh shad are being received in fair quantities. In salt and smoked fish market is steady. A carload of pickled herring from the east is to hand, being first of the season. Large cod, \$3.50 to \$3.60; medium, \$3.25 to \$3.35; haddock, \$1.75; pollock, \$1.70 to \$1.75; bay herring, half brl., \$1.40 to \$1.50; medium, smoked, 11 to 12c.; lengthwise, 10 to 11c.

PROVISIONS—Values are as last week. There are those who think the state of the corn market will cause a weakening on ac-

count of the unloading of live stock. Clear pork, \$19 to \$20; P.E.I. mess, \$16.50 to \$17; prime mess, \$13.50 to \$14; plate beef, \$13.50 to \$14; extra plate, \$13.75 to \$14.25; pure lard, 10 to 11c.; compound, 8 to 9c.; cottolene, 9¼ to 10c.

ST. JOHN MARKET NOTES.

In lumber the only movement is to British ports, which, however, makes a fair showing.

The friends of I. C. Bowman are much pleased to see him again in his accustomed place after a severe illness. No broker is more deservedly popular, and a general movement along the lines in which he is interested is expected.

In Customs receipts there is a decline of over \$12,000, comparing this July with last. The figures are: Last year, \$63,684.48; this, \$51,390.37. The inland revenue also shows a decrease amounting to \$4,486.71, figures being: last July, \$26,339.78; this, \$21,853.08.

B.C. SALMON NEWS.

B.C. Commercial Journal: The beginning of the run of sockeye salmon on the Fraser River this season is the latest on record. In fact, the run proper has scarcely begun yet, and is the cause of considerable anxiety among cannery men, who have made preparations for an average pack. Advices from the North received Monday report that fish are plentiful on the Naas River and Rivers Inlet, but on the Skeena the run is only middling, the canneries averaging, it is reported, about 6,000 cases each. On the Naas, the two canneries of the Federation brand have put up 13,000 cases. The B.C. Canning Co., Rivers Inlet, report that they were nearly finished on Thursday, 26th, with a pack for their two canneries of 25,000 cases. The Wannuck cannery, Rivers Inlet, is also reported to have filled 12,000 cases.

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It was such a bright boy who applied to the grocer for a job that he thought he would give him a little talk just for a guy.

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The boy never turned a hair.

"I'd say it," he responded promptly.

"If I told you to say the coffee was pure when you knew it had beans in it, what would you say?"

"I'd say it."

"If I told you to say that the butter was fresh, when you knew it had been in the store for a month, what would you say?"

"I'd say it."

The merchant was nonplussed.

"How much will you work for?" he inquired very seriously.

"One hundred dollars a week," answered the boy, in a business-like tone.

The grocer came near falling off his stool. "One hundred dollars a week?" he repeated in astonishment.

"With a percentage after the first two weeks," said the boy coolly. "You see," he went on, "first-class liars come high, and if you need them in your business you've got to pay them the price. Otherwise I'll work for three dollars per," and the boy had caught the grocer at his own game and got the job at three per.—Detroit Free Press.

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A TRICK OF THE TRADE.

Shrewd orange shippers in Florida make a virtue of necessity, and brand their rusty oranges with such fancy and attractive names as "Golden Russet," etc., says an exchange. Most consumers, and many Northern dealers believe such oranges to be a distinct and probably improved variety, and sometimes pay a higher price for them on that account. We have previously pointed out that the russet oranges of Florida are made so by an insect, and are in no sense a separate variety of fruit. At a recent meeting of the Florida State Horticultural Society, W. A. Marsh read a paper from which we take the following account of the rust mite: "This minute insect, which

is invisible to the naked eye, is a great source of annoyance to the orange grower, and causes a loss of thousands of dollars each year to the growers. The rust mite is only the 1,200th part of an inch long. The eggs are deposited singly or in clusters over the leaves, and hatch in four or five days. In about ten days they shed their skins and reach the adult condition, which differs from the young in being a little darker. It is during the hot, moist weather in summer when they become most abundant, cold or dry weather checking them. On examination of a single leaf infested with them, Mr. Hubbard estimates the number of mites and eggs at 75,000. These little creatures are able to travel twelve feet per hour, so they are able to cover a good deal of space in a short time.

The result of the little fellows' work is not altogether bad, for our rusty fruit will carry a good deal better than the bright, and late in the season there is not much difference in price. The russet fruit holds its juices better than bright. Almost any of the insecticides now in use will destroy the rust mite, but the trees must have several applications, for they work the year round, as their food is the oil in the rind of the orange, and other citrus fruits."

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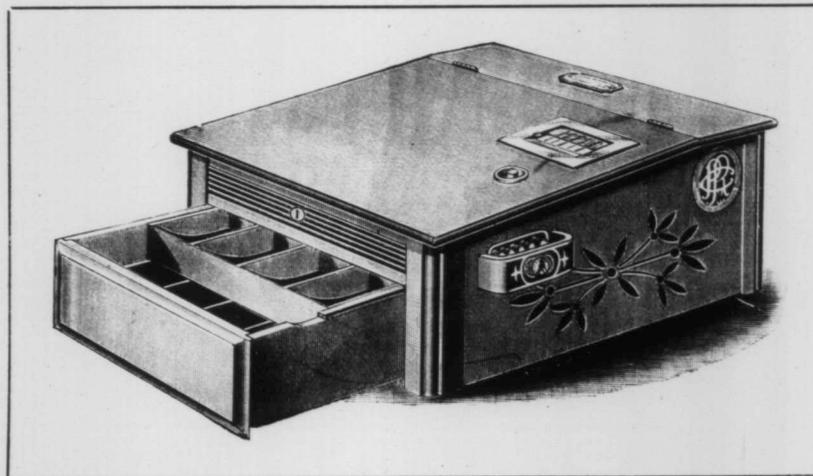
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TORONTO MARKET.

ALL orders are increasing in volume and the demand for all lines of imported goods is ten per cent. better than two weeks ago. This no doubt is due to very favorable crop prospects and a slackness in the money market. Domestics continue very dull, cottons, woolens, and underwear being very weak. Shaving of prices is quite common, although the bottom of the market is solid.

Collections this week have been important. The amount due was large, but while expected percentages of payment were made, still expectations were for a fair amount of renewals and these expectations were not groundless as events proved. Still no very weak spots have been brought to light.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

A fair enquiry for assortments of seasonable goods has characterized the week in dry goods, and some improvement, though it is very slight, is noted in the volume of orders for goods on fall account. Printed fabrics are in good supply from both England and the United States, and with this competition prices are very moderate as our own mills are meeting it.

Remittances are not as good as they might be, in fact collections are very slow.

Brophy, Cains & Co. have been busy for some time back receiving fall goods. Their

range of dress goods is an especially large and varied one with the firm this year.

Priestly's dress fabrics are a standard line, and S. Greenshields, Son & Co report business on them fully up to the average.

Thouret, Fitzgibbon & Co.'s glove department reports that cadet blue, navy, and myrtle, are to be the fashion for the coming season's supplies of fancy glaze gloves.

JAPAN RICE SITUATION.

A NEW York firm has received the following resume of the Japan rice situation, compiled from their special dispatches: Recent telegraphic advices from Tokio inform us that the prospects for the new crop for the Southern provinces are unfavorable on account of the continued dry weather, but the account from the Northern counties are quite cheerful. From this it is evident that the Southern rice district, which alone produces the best rice fit for export, has somewhat suffered from the want of rain, the young plant requiring any quantity of water during May, June and July. However, as it is too early in the season to do much damage to the coming crop, we may yet hear that the change of weather has completely restored the young plant to its normal condition. The good feature of the situation is the fact of the favorable account from the North, whose crop supplies most of

the domestic demand, and is the greater factor of the two to regulate our rice market. The telegram adds that the market is advancing but steadily, which is in itself evidence that it is not at all alarmed, but is waiting and hoping for a favorable turn. Everything depends upon the meteorological conditions of the next two months. What is wanted is an abundant rainfall for the immediate future, to be followed later by a hot and dry harvest. The present high price is evidently caused by the crop prospects, assisted to a certain extent by the Corean dispute.

APPLE MEN CONFER.

The Apple Buyers' and Exporters' Association held its annual session on Tuesday at the Albion Hotel. The report of the Executive was presented and recommended that assistants for buying and packing be paid by salary, instead of on commission, as has been the practice in the past. A uniform contract between buyers and sellers was adopted. The crop prospects are large and consequently prices will be low.

These officers were elected: President, W. Dixon, Hamilton; vice president, A. E. W. Peterson, Cobourg. Executive Committee—J. M. Shuttleworth, Brantford; J. C. Smith, Burlington; D. Cantelon, Clinton; S. Nesbitt, Brighton; Thomas Seldon, Ingersoll.

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BUSINESS CHANGES.

DIFFICULTIES, ASSIGNMENTS, COMPROMISES.

J. J. KELLY, general merchant, Acton, has assigned to Henry Barber & Co., with liabilities amounting to \$1,800.

T. Sylvestre, a Montreal grocer, has assigned to Beladeau & Renaud.

F. Juneau, boots and shoes, Quebec, has compromised at 40c. on the dollar.

Walter Welsh, of Stoney Point, reputed to be the wealthiest grain dealer in Essex county, has assigned.

L. M. Jocks, general merchant, Caughnawaga, Que., is offering to compromise at 25c. on the dollar cash.

H. Larocque, boots and shoes, Hull, Que., is offering to compromise at 60c. on the dollar cash.

James W. Kievell, baker, Hamilton, has assigned His liabilities are only \$800, while his assets are said to amount to \$2,100. His difficulties have arisen from his carrying on too large a credit business.

CHANGES.

E. A. Baker, soda water, Vancouver, has sold out to Alex. Calley.

D. Tracey, grocer, Montreal, has been succeeded by A. Gannon.

T. L. Bray, general merchant, Wolsley, is reported to be selling out to D. Desbresay.

Fred. Goebel, general merchant, New Hamburg, Ont., has been succeeded by J. K. Bricker.

T. Davidson has been registered proprietor of the wholesale grocery firm of Davidson & Co., Quebec.

PARTNERSHIPS FORMED AND DISSOLVED.

Bigaoutte & Co., grocers, Montreal, have dissolved.

Archibald & Crowe, general merchants, Lower Stewiacke, N.S., have dissolved.

W. P. Moseley & Co., grocers, Dartmouth—partnership registered; W. P. Moseley only.

W. T. Archibald, general merchant, Truro, N.S., has admitted J. A. Dickson as partner; style, W. T. Archibald & Co.

F. W. Griffith, A. M. Thompson and John M. Thompson have registered a partnership to carry on business as grain and hay merchants, under the style of Griffith & Thompson.

SALES MADE AND PENDING.

D. Longtin, general merchant, St. Philippe la Prairie; stock sold at 44c. on the dollar.

FIRES.

John Morrison & Co., saw mills, Pet. Rocher, N.B., have been burned out.

The saw mill of **W. B. Kelly**, lumber, etc., Bridgenorth, has been burned.

The Canadian Oil Co., of Sarnia, has been partly burned out.

H. Laundry, general merchant, Tweed, has been burned out.

Jardine & Co., brewers, Toronto, had their premises damaged by fire the other night.

W. Harris & Co., manufacturers sausage casings, etc., Toronto, have been burned out; loss about \$5,000; insured.

J. A. Ford, grocer and butcher, and **John Stocker**, general merchant, were among those who were burned out by the recent fire at Harrow, Ont.

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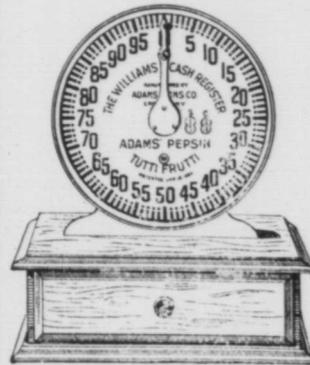
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Keen's Oxford Blue The delight of the Laundry.

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BAKING POWDER.

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



9 oz tins, 4	1 10
5 lb tins, 1/2 doz. in case	14 00
OCEAN WAVE No 10— doz cases	\$0 75
1-lb. 3 doz cases	1 20
No 1 (14 oz) 2 doz case	1 80
1-lb. 2 doz in cases	2 00
3-lb. 1/2 doz. in cases	5 75
5-lb. 1/2 " "	9 00
5-lb. 1/2 " "	9 60

GILLARD & CO., PROPRIETORS.

DIAMOND 1/2 lb. tins, 4 doz. cases	0 67 1/2
1 lb. tins, 3 doz. cases	1 17
1 lb. tins, 2 doz. cases	1 98

BARTON'S BAKING POWDER.

1 lb. sealer jars, 2 doz. in case	2 25
1 1/2 lb. jelly jars, 2 " "	2 25
1/2 lb. " " " "	1 25
2 lb. fancy enamelled tins 2 doz	2 75
1 lb. tins, 2 doz. in case	2 00
1/2 lb. " " 3 " "	1 20
1/2 lb. " " 4 " "	0 75

BISCUITS.

TORONTO BISCUIT & CONFECTIONERY CO	
Abernethy	8 1/2
Arrowroot	10 1/2
Butter	6 09
" 3 lbs.	20
Cabin	7 1/2
Cottage	8 1/2
Digestive	8
Daisy Wafer	16
Garibaldi	9
Gingerbread	10
Ginger Nuts	10
Graham Wafer	09
Lemon	10
Milk	9
Nic Nac	13
Oyster	10 1/2
People's Mixed	10
Pic Nic	09
Prairie	8
Rich Mixed	14
School Cake	11
Soda	6
" 3 lb.	20
Sultana	10
Tea	10
Tid Bits	9
Variety	12
Village	7 1/2
Wine	8 1/2

BLACKING.

Spanish, No. 3	4 50
" " 5	8 00
" " 10	9 00
Japanese, No. 3	4 20
" " 5	7 50
Jaquet's French No. 3	3 00
" " 3	4 50
" " 4	6 00
" " 5	9 00
" 1-gross Cabinets, asst.	7 50
Egyptian, No. 1	9 00
" " 2	4 50

F. G. FRENCH BLACKING, per gross	
No. 4	\$4 00
No. 6	4 50
No. 8	7 25
No. 10	25
F. G. FRENCH DRESSING, per doz	
No. 7, 1 or 2 doz. in box	\$2 00
No. 4	1 25

BLACK LEAD.

RALSTON'S FRENCH	
No. 1	\$9 00
" 2	4 80
" 3	3 60
" "	4 50
NIXEY'S	
Refined in 1d., 2d., 4d. and 1s. packages, (9lb. boxes)	7s 6d \$2 25
Jubilee in 1oz. and 2 oz. round blocks in cartons (9 lb. boxes)	4s 3d 2 00
Silver Moonlight, Plum-bago Stove Polish (13 1/2 lb. boxes)	
6 1/2 lb. in large 1d. pkts, 1 gross	4s 3d 1 50
13 lb. in large 1d. pkts, 2 gross	8s 6d 3 00
13 lb. in large 1d. pkts, 1 gross	7s 6d 2 50
13 lb. in large 2d. pkts, 1 gross	7s 6d 2 50

Reckitt's Black Lead, per box	1 15
Each box contains either 1 gro., 1 oz.; 1/2 gro., 2 oz., or 1/4 gro., 4 oz.	
Per gross	
Silver Star Stove Paste	9 00
Matchless silver polish	24 00
MATCHLESS STOVE PASTE POLISH	
No. 1	9 00
" 2	7 20
" 3	4 80

BLUE.

NIXEY'S	
"Soho Squar" in 8lb. boxes, of 16x6d. boxes, London	6s 0d
"Soho Square" in 8lb. boxes, of 16x6d. boxes, Canada	\$2 25
"Cervus" bag blue, 1 size	2 50
" " 1/2 " "	1 25
KEEN'S OXFORD, per lb	
1 lb packets	0 17
1/2 lb " "	0 17
Reckitt's Square Blue, 12-lb. box	0 17
Reckitt's Square Blue, 5 box lots	0 16

KNIFE POLISH.

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

CORN BROOMS.

CHAS. BORECKH & SONS, per doz	
Carpent Brooms—	net.
"Imperial," ex. fine, 8, 4 strings.	\$3 65
Do. do. 7, 4 strings.	3 45
Do. do. 6, 3 strings.	3 25
"Victoria," fine, No. 8, 4 strings.	3 30
Do. do. 7, 4 strings.	3 10
Do. do. 6, 3 strings.	2 90

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NEW ARRIVALS.

Send in your orders. Full stock on hand of Assorted Boxes, 5 lb., 10 lb., 20 lb. and 40 lb. boxes; also

SKINLESS CODFISH in 100 lb. Cases.

The Munn Brand, after a most severe test, gained the only medal awarded at the World's Fair this summer, which speaks highly for the merits of this article.

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FRANK MAGOR & CO., 16 St. John St., Montreal

Prices Current Continued—

"Standard," select, 8, 4 strings.	2 90
Do. do. 7, 4 strings.	2 75
Do. do. 6, 3 strings.	2 60
Do. do. 5, 3 strings.	2 40

CANNED GOODS.

Apples, 3's.	Per doz \$1 00	Per 100 \$1 10
gallons.	2 65	2 80
Blackberries, 2's.	1 75	2 00
Blueberries, 2's.	1 00	1 10
Beans, 2's.	0 85	0 95
Corn, 2's.	0 90	0 95
" Epicure	1 15	1 15
Cherries, red pitted, 2's.	1 85	1 90
Peas, 2's.	0 80	0 90
" Sifted select.	1 25	1 25
Pears, Bartlett, 2's.	1 75	1 75
" Sugar, 2's.	1 50	1 50
Pineapple, 2's.	2 25	2 75
Peaches, 2's.	2 00	2 25
3's.	3 09	3 25
Plums, Gr Gages, 2's.	1 85	2 00
" Lombard.	1 50	1 60
" Damson Blue.	1 50	1 60
Pumpkins, 3's.	0 90	1 00
gallons.	2 10	2 25
Raspberries, 2's.	1 75	1 85
Strawberries, choice 2's.	1 90	2 10
Succotash, 2's.	1 40	1 40
Tomatoes, 3's.	0 85	0 90
"Thistle" Finnan haddies.	1 40	1 50
Lobster, Clover Leaf, flat.	1 85	1 90
" Bishop (tall).	1 85	1 90
" Imperial Crown flat	1 90	2 00
" tall.	1 00	1 10
Mackerel.	1 25	1 35
Salmon, talls.	1 25	1 35
" Hats.	1 35	1 40
Sardines Albert, 1/2's tins.	13	13
" 1/4's "	20	20
Sportsmen, 1/2's genu-	11 1/2	12
ine French high grade, key	11 1/2	12
opener.	11 1/2	12
Sardines, key opener, 1/2's.	11 1/2	12
" Exq. fine Frch. k.op. 1/2's.	11 1/2	12
" " " " 1/2's.	10 1/2	11
" " " " 1/2's.	18 1/2	19
" " " " 1/2's.	11 1/2	12
" P & C, 1/2's tins.	23	25
" " " " 1/2's tins.	33	36
Sardines Amer 1/2's "	6 1/2	8
" " " " 1/2's "	9	11
" Mustard, 1/2 size, cases	11	00
50 tins, per 100	11	00

CANNED MEATS.

Comp. Corn Beef 1 lb cans	\$1 50	\$1 60
" " 2 "	2 60	2 65
" " 4 "	4 80	5 00
" " 6 "	7 50	7 75
" " 14 "	17 25	17 50
Minced Collops, 2 lb cans.	2 60	2 65
" " 2 "	2 60	2 65
Lard Tongue, 1 "	3 40	3 50

English Brawn, 2 "	6 90
Camb. Sausage, 1 "	2 75
" " "	2 50
" " "	4 00
Soups, assorted, 1 "	1 50
" " "	2 25
Soups & Bouilli, 2 "	1 80
" " "	4 50

CHEWING GUM.

ADAMS & SONS CO.	
To Retailers	
Tutti Frutti, 36 5c bars.	\$1 20
Pepsin Tutti Frutti, 23 5c. packets	0 75
Nerve Food Tablet, 36-5c. bars	1 20
Orange Blossom	1 00
(each box contains a bottle of first class perfume. Guaranteed first class)	
Flirtation Gum (115 pieces)	0 65
Monte Cristo, 180 pieces	1 30
(with brilliant stone ring)	
Mexican Fruit, 36 5c. bars	1 20
Sappota, 230 pieces	0 90
Sweet Fern, 230 "	0 75
Black Jack, 115 "	0 75
Red Rose, 115 pieces	0 75
Magic Trick, 115 "	0 75
Oolah, 115 "	0 75
Puzzle Gum, 115 pieces	0 75
Bo-Kay, 150 "	0 90
Red Spruce Chico 200 "	1 00
Automatic	6 00
Tutti Frutti Girl... } 800 pieces.	6 00
Sign Box (new)...	6 00
Tutti Frutti cash box 600 "	6 00
Glass Jar with Pepsin Tutti Frutti, 115-5c. pkgs, per jar	3 75

C. B. SOMERVILLE.

Mexican Fruit, 36-5c. Bars	1 20
Pepsin (Dyspepsia), 20-5c. Bars	0 70
Sweet Sugar Cane, 150 pieces	1 00
Celery, 100 "	0 70
Lalla Rookh (all flavors) 100 "	1 00
Jingle Bell, 150 "	1 00
Cracker, 144 "	1 00
O-Dont-O, 144 "	1 00
Little Jap, 100 "	0 70
Dude Prize, 144 "	1 00
Clock Gum comprising 500 pieces Gum (assorted flavors), and 1 "Little Lord Fauntleroy" clock guaranteed.	3 75
La Rosa (20-10c pieces)	1 40
Baby (100-1c. pieces)	0 65
Alphabet (100-1c. pieces)	0 65
Keno Prize (144-1c. pieces)	1 00
Love Talk (100-1c. pieces)	0 70

CHOCOLATES & COCOAS.

CADBURY'S.	
Cocoa essence, 3 oz. pkgs	Per doz \$1 65
" " "	per lb 0 40
Mexican chocolate, 1/2 lb pkgs	0 37 1/2
Rock chocolate, loose	0 40
" " 1 lb tins.	0 40
Cocoa nibs, 11 lb. tins.	0 30
TAYLOR BROS.' CHOCOLATE & CHICORY	
Per lb	
Soluble chocolate, 1/2 lb packets	0 30
Granulated chicory	0 10
Powdered "	10 1/2 to 11

TODHUNTER, MITCHELL & CO'S

Chocolate—	Per lb
French, 1/4's... 6 and 12 lbs.	0 30
Caraccas, 1/4's... 6 and 12 lbs.	0 35
Premium, 1/4's... 6 and 12 lbs.	0 30
Sante, 1/4's... 6 and 12 lbs.	0 36
Diamond, 1/4's... 6 and 12 lbs.	0 22
Sticks, gross boxes, each	0 00
Cocoa, Homopat'c, 1/4's, 8 & 14 lbs	30
" Pearl " " "	25
" London Pearl 12 & 18 "	22
" Rock " " "	30
" Bulk, in bxs.	18
Royal Cocoa Essence, packages.	Per doz 1 40
EPP'S.	
Cocoa—	per lb
Case of 112 lbs each	0 35
Smaller quantities	0 37 1/2
FRY'S	
(A. P. Tippet & Co., Agents)	
Chocolate—	per lb
Carracas, 1/4's, 6 lb. boxes	0 40
Vanilla, 1/4's,	0 40
"Gold Medal" Sweet, 6 lb bxs.	0 30
Pure, unsweetened, 1/4's, 6 lb bxs.	0 40
"Fry's" Diamond 1/4's, 6 lb bxs.	0 26
"Fry's" Monogram, 1/4's, 6 lb bxs.	0 26
Cocoa—	per doz
Concentrated, 1/4's, 1 doz in box	2 40
" " 1 lb.	4 50
" " 1 lb.	8 75
Homopathic, 1/4's, 14 lb boxes.	0 34
" " 1/4's, 12 lb boxes.	0 34

JOHN P. MOTT & CO'S

E. S. McIndoe, Agent, Toronto.)	
Mott's Broma	per lb \$0 90
Mott's Prepared Cocoa	28
Mott's Homopat'c Cocoa (1/4)	32
Mott's Breakf. Cocoa (in tins)	45
Mott's No. 1 Chocolate	30
Mott's Breakfast Chocolate	28
Mott's Caracas Chocolate	40
Mott's Diamond Chocolate	22
Mott's French-Can Chocolate	18
Mott's Navy or Cooking Choc	27
Mott's Cocoa Nibs	35
Mott's Cocoa Shells	5
Vanilla sticks, per gross.	90
Mott's Contec Chocolate	21c-43
Mott's Sweet Choc. Liquors	19c-30

COWAN COCOA AND CHOCOLATE CO.

Hygienic Cocoa, 1/2 lb tins, per doz	\$3 75
Cocoa Essence, 1/2 lb. tins, per doz	2 25
Soluble Cocoa No. 1 bulk, per lb	20
Diamond Chocolate, 12 lb boxes, 1/2 lb. cake, per lb.	22 1/2
Royal Navy Choc., 12 lb. bxs, 1/2 lb. cake, per lb.	30
Mexican Vanilla Chocolate, 12 lb. boxes, 1/2 lb. cake.	35

WALTER BAKER & CO'S

Chocolate—	
Premium No. 1, bxs 12 lbs each	45
Baker's Vanilla in bxs 12 lbs each	60
Caracas Sweet bxs 6 lbs each	40
Best Sweet in bxs, 6 lbs. each	28
Vanilla Tablets, 416 in box, 24 bxs in case, per box, net	4 28
German Sweet Chocolate	28
Grocers' Style, in bxs 12 lbs each	28

Grocers' Style, in boxes 6 lbs each

8 Cakes to the lb., in bxs, 6 lbs ea.	28
Soluble Chocolate—	
In canisters, 1 lb., 4 lb., and 10 lb.	55
Breakfast Cocoa—	
In bxs 6 & 12 lbs., each, 1/2 lb., tins	52
MENIER FABRICANT DE CHODOLAT.	
Paris et Noisiel.	
Per 120 lb. case lot.	Per 12 lb. box.
per lb.	per lb.
Yellow wrapper	\$0 34
Chamois	0 43
Pink	0 50
Blue	0 58
Green	0 50
Lilac	0 58
Bronze	0 65
White Glace	0 73
Premium	0 38

Fancy Chocolates.

Fingers—	per lb
20 in a box ...per box	\$0 36
40 " " "	\$0 40
Pastilles—	
Yellow wrapper per lb	\$0 40
Pink " "	0 55
Green " "	0 60
Each case contains 54 1 lb packages or 108 1/2 lb packages.	

CLOTHES PINS.

5 gross, single & 10bx lots	0 60
Star, 4 doz. in package	0 85
" " " "	1 25
" " " " cotton bags	0 90

COFFEE.

GREEN c per lb	
Mocha	28 53
Old Government Java	25 35
Rio	21 22
Platation Ceylon	29 31
Porto Rico	24 28
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Excelsior Blend	34
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Jersey	30
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Mocha and Java	35
Old Government Java	30 32 36
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DRUGS AND CHEMICALS

Alum	lb \$0 02	\$0 03
Blue Vitriol	0 06	0 07
Brimstone	0 03	0 04
Borax	0 12	0 14
Camphor	0 65	0 70
Carbolic Acid	0 80	0 50
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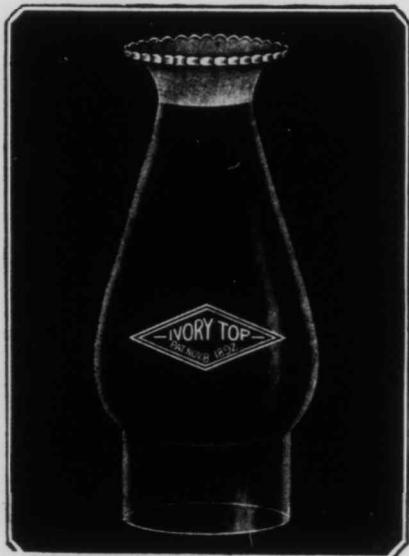
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