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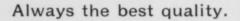
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DROPS FROM THE EDITOR'S PEN.

Perseverance is the plow which opens up the furrow along which success is to tollow.

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Be politic, but not political, in business matters.

It is the live advertiser who is "in it" these days.

A bright advertisement denotes a healthy advertiser.

Renewed tenure of life is relaxation from business cares.

The advertising dodger is about as unreliable as the artful dodger.

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Push, perseverence and policy are the three "p's" of success in business.

It is the studious clerk that becomes the merchant with a stupendous busines:.

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Business is not a lottery: it is an arena where those who would win must fight.

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Money makes the mare go, but it requires push, as well as money, to make business go.

Many of our desires go ungratified because we do not will to go and appropriate them.

"Cleanliness is next to Godliness." This applies to the store as well as to the individual.

Cobwebs in the store and mustard in the wheat field have their origin in one cause—laziness.

The ancient Lacedæmonians must have been pushing business men. Lycurgus compelled them to use iron money, in order

that its weight might deter them from overmuch trading; and all the rulers who would put barriers in the way of rade are not dead

Politics and religion are strange bedfellows, but they often sleep together on the same couch.

Good times are coming. But it is just as well not to go to sleep. They may pass before you wake.

The man who tries to go through business with slipshod methods usually finds that business goes through him.

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"A salesman should be trained" remarks a contemporary. Where he is not, trade will be maimed, that is sure.

Several New York grocers have had their push-carts stolen lately. An abnormal development of "push" evidently.

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Those who cannot see an improvement in the trade of the country must have their eye to the wrong end of the telescope.

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The mosquito bores for blood and the merchant for business. The latter should not, however, like the former, be a "bore."

The whiteness of the fields does not necessarily mean that they are white unto the harvest. It means they have a large crop of daisies.

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An enterprising Yankee has begun the evaporation of potatoes. It remains to be seen whether his capital will evaporate or not.

The Dominion Agriculture Department has been notified that the medals of award for the World's Columbian Exposition are expected to be ready about the latter part of August. There is evidently, then, a glimmer of hope that the children of the winners of these awards will yet receive the fruits of their fathers' prowess.

It is well to give the store the appearance of life whether business be good or bad. A dead store is almost as repulsive as a dead man.

It is the young man who has faith in himself, and possesses the industry to make the best out of his ability, who makes business a success.

A Philadelphia grocer has substituted female for male clerks. This is a case where the male went. It is well to have a mail that will go.

Because a pleasant countenance fails to thaw all frigid customers, it is no reason why the pleasant countenance should go down behind a cloud.

Merchants who cannot see the advantage of saving the discounts are not necessarily color blind. The seat of their trouble is in their appreciative faculties.

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It may not be like locking the stable door after the horse is stolen to stop extravagance when necessity compels it, but it is a very near relation to it, at any rate.

Political questions will now have to give way to educational questions, and legislation of import to business men s ands still less chance of receiving attention.

It is not by giving the coffee mill a few turns, or wrapping a pound of sugar, that a young man becomes a grocer. It takes years of hard work and hard thinking.

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A contemporary desires the address of every gracer "who wants to do a cash business." They all want to do a cash business, but the question with them is —How?

H. LAPORTE.

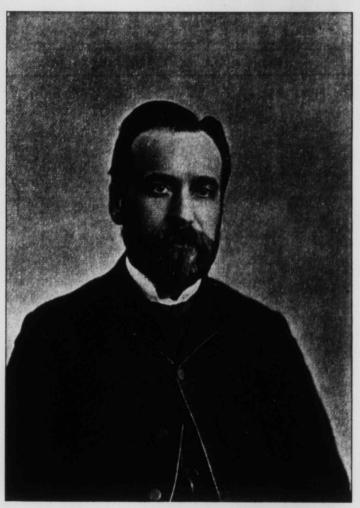
THE activity and prosperity of the French Canadian element in the commercial life of Montreal have formed a prominent feature of business there in the last ten years. In the wholesale trade especially they have made great advances. Their leading men have not only done well individually, but through the organization of the Chambre de Commerce

they have become a decided force and influence as a body.

The Canadians of French origin possess all the requirements of success in business. They are industrious, energetic, intelligent, readily acquire both languages, and possess, as a rule, kindly and courteous manners. A typical French Canadian merchant is Mr. H. Laporte, of Laporte, Martin & Cie. He is still young, only about 45 years of age, and is at the head of a large and successful wholesale grocery firm. He was born at Lachine. where his parents resided at that time, and, as they were not wealthy, his own efforts were required to ga n position and means. He left school at 15, and struck out for himself. Desiring to get more education than schoolboys of that age usually acquire, he attended night school classes for some time. Here he got instruction in the English language, and in order to increase this knowledge became a diligent reader, as so many of his fellow-Canadians are, of the English papers. He made it a rule to read them first and the French papers second. This is a capital method of familiarizing one's self with

another language. As the years went by Mr. Laporte was brought more and more into contact with his English fellow-citizens, and now speaks the language well, with an accent, it is true, but correctly and fluently. For a number of years he was in the retail grocery business, learning thoroughly the practical details of a merchant's career, and acquiring knowledge of goods and prices. For fourteen years he has engaged in the wholesale trade, and is the senior partner in the firm. His leisure is fully employed. He has always taken a great interest in all political and municipal contests, and has served repeatedly as president and vice-president of organizations interested in such work.

He is a member of the Board of Trade. He is the president of L'Alliance Nationale, the society insurance organization which in two years has grown to a membership of 3,000, with 81 branches throughout Quebec. The society is now seeking incorporation over the whole Dominion from Parliament, have ing thus far confined its efforts to one province. He is a director of the Monument National and vice-president and director of the Washington Trust Company. He is



H. LAPORTE,
PRESIDENT LA CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE, MONTREAL.

also a director of the new Imperial Brush Company, and belongs to the Good Government Association of Montreal.

Mr. Laporte's connection with the Chambre de Commerce, of which he has been for two years the president, dates from its formation in 1887, he having been one of the original promoters, serving since 1888 as a member of the council, then as vice-president for two years, and latterly as president. Mr. Laporte has taken a warm interest in the excellent work done by the Chambre for promoting trade. Its latest achievement, the preparation of a valuable report on the possibilities of trade with France under the new Treaty, had his hearty support, as he

believed that before urging the appointment of a commercial deputation to France, it would be better first to have a ground work of knowledge to proceed upon.

HE'S A SOLDIER, TOO.

C. A. Smylie, of Young & Smylie, the American licorice manufacturers, who has made himself deservedly popular in Canada during his semi-annual trips in the interests of his firm, devotes his spare time to military

matters. He commands a company in the 12th Regiment, New York. That he is as successful there as in business is proven by the report of the annual inspection of his regiment, which appeared in a recent issue of the "Army and Naval Journal." It specially refers to the creditable condition in which the Inspector-General found Capt. Smylie's company, which obtained 100 per cent. of the points. The 12th is looked upon as the most reliable regiment in New York. It is always the first ordered out, and is always given the hardest work to do in riots, strikes, etc. It is so thoroughly disciplined that it is more like a regular than a militia regiment.

The master bakers and bread drivers of Montreal hold their annual picnic at Ormstown early in July.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gillard, of Hamilton, Ont., have gone to Port Arthur, where Mrs. Gillard is the guest of Mrs. George Marks, Mr. Gillard going on to Vancouver and Victoria, returning by Tacoma, Portland, San Francisco, Ogden, Dewer, Salt Lake City and Chicago.

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FINANCIAL OUTLOOK.

HE address of President Byron E.
Walker at the annual meeting of the
Canadian Bank of Commerce shareholders has an interesting bearing on the
present financial situation of this country
and the neighboring republic. Among other
things Mr. Walker said:

"The activity of the last month or two would seem to indicate that the tide of trade is already rising, but we want many evidences, still lacking, before we are quite convinced of this. One of the most hopeful and significant of the changes between April and June is in the employment of labor. We learn from Bradstreet's that in the United States 227 establishments, closed during the depression, opened up for work, that 53,400 wage-earners obtained work who were before idle, and that the wages of 178,000 employes were advanced. During this period about 36,000 employes joined various strikes, and of these about 25,000 demanded higher wages, but on the whole there has not been serious trouble from that source. The next most significant change has been the improvement in both gross and net railroad earnings. This has already been experienced to a satisfactory degree, but if the tide has really turned a much greater increase will develop during the ensuing year. Excessive competition by railroads may be a very good thing for trade,

but the other result in the shape of inadequate earnings is ruinous to the financial credit of all North America, and indirectly does far more harm than the benefit by competition to trade. There is some ground for hope that the era of free railroad building in the United States, that is, building under a general railroad Act, and without reference to public requirements, may be gradually checked. An Act passed in 1892, in New York state, intended to prevent the paralleling of lines or the building of railroads in localities where they are not required in the public interest, has been in one case actually put into force."

Coming to agricultural interests the president delivered himself thus:—

"I am sorry that for the first time we cannot speak with positive encouragement of the dairy interests of Canada. We have had rapid growth in volume and satisfactory prices for cheese for many years, but it looks as if we are to have something in the nature of a check. Owing to the severe drought of last summer, the shipments, which for the first half were much larger than for the former year, fell off in the last half so that we only scored a total of 147,039,000 lbs., against 146,595,000, with a value of \$14,647,000, a very trifling increase. In the United States a slight increase, the first in some years, is shown, but they evidently still eat nearly all the cheese they make, as the total value of their export was only \$6,609,000. Our success has caused the building of many new cheese factories during the past year, and

in several districts where cheese was not made heretofore. This will ensure a large product, but it will be very disappointing if in these new districts lower prices should bring about discouragement. The farmer bring about discouragement. did well enough last year, as to price, but the English buyers lost heavily, and still have large stocks of old cheese on hand. We are also destined to meet serious competition from New Zealand. At the moment quotations have recovered somewhat, and the dry weather in England and here may improve the price at the cost of the quantity manufactured. In cheese and pork the farmers must have prospered last year. In almost all other products the experience was very disappointing, but the changes of the last month or two have caused a feeling of great cheerfulness throughout our farming community, notwithstanding the damages by frost and dry weather. In the fruit districts the frost has certainly done very serious damage, but as far as we can learn there is likely to be no such general failure in yield as was at one time feared. Our people, however, are apt to overlook the great money value of the fruit crops in this province as a whole, and the extent to which it exceeds all other agricultural interests in the district specially adapted to fruit-grow-The outlook in this province is not uniform'y good, even apart from fruit, frost having done damage to fall wheat and some other crops, but it is too early to form a definite opinion as to the general results of farming in Ontario. At the moment the prospect for hay is not good in many parts, and hay and grass are perhaps our most valuable crops. In Quebec and in the parts of our province which were not advanced too much by the early warm weather, the whole outlook is excellent."

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A CURSE AS WELL AS BLESSING.

PARADOXICAL as it may seem, great blessings are sometimes accompanied by great curses. The building of railways and canals is an evidence of this.

Ordinarily the construction of railways and canals tends to benefit the localities through which they run even before they are in operation: There is material to be bought and food for man and beast demanded.

But, unfortunately, in supplying these necessities much evil is wrought to the manufacturers and farmers who supply them.

And the reason is that unbusinesslike and unsafe methods are employed in carrying on the transactions.

Two instances, one of recent and the other of somewhat remote date, will serve to illustrate.

The recent instance had its cause in the construction of the branch of the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffal railway from Hamilton to Brantford.

The contractors of this line were Americans with much ambit on but little money. At any rate, some of those from whom they bought both labor and products got little or no money. The navvies of course could not exist without food, raiment and shelter. As a Hibernian once put it, "God knows you can't work unless you ate." In order, therefore, that their employes might have the necessities the contractors issued scrip

which would be acknowledged on presentation. With this scrip the navvies paid their board, if single, and for their rent, clothing, provisions and other household and personal necessities, if married.

Before the road was finished the contractors failed, with the result that to-day there are large quantities of scrip floating around in search of a resting place, while many retail merchants are unable to collect accounts due them, boarding-house keepers are bemoaning scores of unpaid board bills, and employes are lamenting unpaid salaries. Some of the scrip is being taken by speculators at 50 cents on the dollar, it is said.

The other and remote instance is the construction of the Well and Canal. There, on account of the loose methods employed, comparatively large numbers of merchants were ruined. One well-known wholesale merchant, who was during that time a traveler, declared to THE CANADIAN GROCER that of all the merchants along the route of the canal that catered to the trade which developed owing to its construction, only one was in business to-day.

The lesson is obvious: Un!ess merchants can secure payment in the legal tender of the country, they shou!d abstain from catering for a species of trade that has, in both recent and remote periods, wrought so much injury to business communities.

UNHEALTHY SPECULATION IN CHEESE.

With the Englishmen offering limits of 36s. to 37s. for fine June cheese, or about 7¾ to 8c, Mon.real, the recent advances in the country prices on the article to those on the outside seem hard to understand. The reason is plain, however, being due, to a very large extent, to short sales.

Toward the end of May several of the large exporting houses in Montreal conceived the idea that June cheese was a sale at 36s. 6d. to 37s. Acting on this belief, they sold short to buyers in Great Britain to a large extent. In fact, some houses are said to be short over 40,000 boxes, so that the aggregate amount must be considerable, possibly 100,000 boxes or so.

Towards the end of the week before last these speculative sellers became frightened, and sent out "best terms" orders to their country agents. In other words, they ordered these agents to buy cheese no matter what they paid for them, and entirely irrespective of what the shippers had sold for.

The result was a prompt advance in the country price, representatives of Montreal houses in the country putting the cost up on themselves. The strange spectacle, therefore, is witnessed of shippers paying over 8c. in the country for cheese which they will have to ship to England at 7¾ and 8c.

Montreal, or, in other words, at a loss of 1/4 to 1/2c, per lb.

Naturally, these tactics have completely unsettled the cheese market, making it difficult for conservative shippers to trade on a legitimate basis.

ONTARIO GROCERS' ASSOCIATION.

We, the undersigned grocers of the city of St. Thomas, think that the time has now arrived when the grocers of Ontario (if not the whole Dominion) should have a national association for the protection of ourselves against the many abuses that exist in the trade, which the grocer only knows, to say nothing of the ones that the public are aware of, such as the farmers' supply stores, Patrons department stores and bankrupt stocks; also so-called wholesale grocers, who sell doctors, lawyers (their own friends), etc., which is the cream of the trade. We think it desirable, and would suggest, as the best means to the end, that a monster picnic be arranged, to take place at some central point, between Toronto and Windsor, to be held some time in July, and an invitation be extended to all retail grocers and associations, also general storekeepers, from Toronto west to Windsor and Sarnia, to attend.

The above is the preamble to a document which is being circulated for signature among the grocers of St. Thomas, and explains itself.

The object sought is most commendable. It is not bred of any desire to have a "good time," such as will of necessity accrue from the interchange of ideas resultant upon the foregathering of the leading merchants from the cities, towns and villages of the province. There is a cause for it, and this cause is manifold. The abuses cited above are but a fractional part of the whole. Some of the existing abuses are within the power of merchants themselves to remove or ameliorate. To remove others it will be necessary to operate upon the will of others.

The idea of holding a monster picnic is novel, and much good would in all probability result from the same. But for discussing trade questions a picnic is hardly the thing, unless it be a means to an end, and that end a deliberative convention, where there would be nothing present to detract from the subjects under discussion. Have a picnic by all means, but have one or two more days for business pure and simple; and have the place of meeting as central as possible.

If the promoters of the scheme were to confer with business men's associations in other places, they would no doubt receive assistance in the premises.

A SHORT PRUNE CROP EXPECTED

The first authentic advices regarding the new European prune crop were received by a leading commission house in Montreal on Monday last. It was to the effect that everything pointed at present to a crop one-half what it was last year, both in France and Austria.

If this expectation is fulfilled, values are apt to rule higher than they did last season. Of course no quotations have yet been received by importers or commission men in

Canada, and none are expected for a month or so yet. Still, if the Austrian and French crops turn out to be only one-half what they usually are, prices are almost certain to be higher than 11s. 6d, c.i.f., the opening price last season.

MORE LARGE SALES OF SALMON.

ONTREAL jobbers have been free buyers of new pack canned salmon ever since they made up their mind a fortnight ago that they could not secure any better terms by holding off.

In addition to the large sales that we noted for future delivery last week, two further round lots, aggregating 3,000 cases each, have been placed, on the basis of \$4.50 f.o.b. on the Coast.

This makes up the aggregate transactions to over 30,000 cases, at prices ranging from \$4.30 to \$4.50 f.o.b. at point of shipment.

Two agents have done a large share of this business, one of them having sold about 10,000 cases at \$4.30, and the other 15,000 cases at \$4.50, the balance being contributed by one or two other agents.

At this writing there is no fresh news from the Coast, except that one of the leading selling agents still expresses his willingness to book orders at \$4.50, and is said to be doing so.

In consequence of these purchases of new pack salmon at comparatively high prices, the few holders of old pack salmon are now holding their property firm at \$4.75 to \$5 per case on spot in Montreal. Advices from the States are equally firm, one agent showing The Canadian Grocer a letter in which it was stated that some of the Columbia River packers were turning down orders, as they had sold all they cared to at present for future delivery.

"THE GROCER'S" SUGGESTION ADOPTED.

THE CANADIAN GROCER drew attention some weeks ago to the enormous fees made by the grain inspector at Port Arthur, amounting to about \$20,000 a year, and we suggested that immediate steps should be taken to reduce the fees, or to pay the inspector a salary and divert the surplus fees to the revenue of the country.

The Controller of Inland Revenue, Mr. Wood, has evidently taken the hint, for he introduced a bill in the House of Commons this week to amend the present Act and put into effect the suggestion made by THE CANADIAN GROCER. The Act provides that when the fees at any point exceed the amount necessary to pay fair salaries the Governor in Council may make such disposition of the fees in excess as he thinks proper.

EXCITEMENT IN TOMATOES.

Considerable excitement has developed in canned tomatoes on the Toronto market during the last few days.

The cause was a sudden realization of the fact that the commodity was scarce.

At the time of writing the ruling wholesale figure for standard brands is 85c per dozen, but there are some not so well known which can be had at lower prices.

There are, it appears, but one or two packers that have any stock. One of these advanced his price 5c. per dozen to 85c. on Tuesday, and he specifically instructed his Toronto agent to only take that figure when an order for corn was also given. "Unless there is also an order for corn we are not disposed to book orders under 90c," he wrote.

Stocks on the street are light, and four or five houses are understood to have bought at 8oc. early on Tuesday. Stocks in Montreal and Hamilton are understood to be in much the same condition as in Toronto.

It will, of course, be September before the new pack will come in. Between this and that some people expect to see one dollar tomatoes, but that extreme bullish view does not find many sympathisers.

LARGE ARRIVALS OF MOLASSES.

There have been some heavy receipts of new crop molasses in Montreal since our last, and nothing illustrates the firmness of the market better than the rapid way in which it has been absorbed and distributed.

The arrivals comprised 2,500 puncheons, ex Sicilia, two other cargoes of 800 puncheons each, and one of 500 puncheons, making 3,800 puncheons in all.

These large lots had not the slightest effect on price; for the good reason that they were all sold and distributed long before they were loaded on the dock at Montreal.

Among recent important sales of molasses from first hands in Montreal were: 300 puncheons of Barbadoes at 35c., and 400 puncheons of Porto Rico at 34c. In single puncheons no Barbadoes can now be had under 37c, and Porto Rico, 38c.

EGG CHANCES IN NEW ENGLAND.

The fact that the duty on eggs imported into the United States has been reduced to 3c. per dozen is attracting a tention from egg dealers in Montreal.

The egg market in Canada this spring has worked along slowly on the basis of 10 to 10½c. spot Montreal, and the chief demand has been on local account, for the exports to Great Britain have been a bagatelle. It is expected, therefore, that this reduction in the American duty will benefit the egg market, as it will lead to demand from the

eastern American market. In fact, the impression seems to prevail that both in eggs and poultry Canadian dealers will be expected to supply considerable wants in the New England States this season.

This is the light in which The Boston Herald looks at the matter, and it is a good authority.

THE PREMIER AND NEWFOUND-

URING a brief speech in the Senate last week, Sir Mackenzie Bowell, the Premier, dwelt upon the recent negotiations for the union of the Dominion and Newfoundland, and, in terms whose meaning there was no chance of mistaking, he animadverted upon the trade advantages that would accrue to Canada with the consummation of this union.

It is well. The Premier is evidently a stronger advocate of the union than a good many supposed. But why was he not a more ardent champion of the idea when the prospect for its consummation was more auspicious than it is at the moment? The price that Canada was asked to pay was undoubtedly the wet blanket that dampened his ardor. It should not, however, have obscured his business acumen.

Reading between the lines of Sir Mackenzie's recent speech on the subject, a suspicion arises that he now regrets the turn the negotiations took, although he, of course, does not acknowledge as much. He evidently thought that the Newfoundlanders were so anxious to enter Confederation that they would soon be hurrying back with amended terms more favorable to Canada.

Where the Dominion Government erred was in the imperative manner in which it declined to entertain the propositions of the Newfoundland delegates.

Deficient as it is in the business sense, it should first have consulted the business men of the country. Had it done so, it is safe venturing that negotiations, instead of being broken, would at least be in a pending condition.

For proof of this it is only necessary to refer to the opinions of the leading merchants of the country as voiced in the columns of THE CANADIAN GROCER.

Fifteen millions is undoubtedly a great deal to pay for the privilege of taking a new province into the Dominion. but, as this journal has already pointed out, it is cheap when we consider the money we are paving in steamship subsidies in order to induce trade with countries thousands of miles away.

In purchasing Newfoundland we would be securing a permanent customer for our products, and a customer which would naturally improve when affiliated with the Dominion, while our trade with foreign countries, and even with our sister colonies, will naturally be more or less fickle.

It is to be hoped the Premier's ardor will lead him to reopen negotiations with the colony down by the sea.

INDIAN AND CEYLON TEA.

THE development of trade in Indian and Ceylon teas is an interesting subject, and the study of it has been made all the more interesting, because less arduous, by the diagrams which have from time to time been furnished by Gow, Wilson & Stanton, of London, England.

Another of these interesting diagrams has just been issued, an advance sheet of which is now before us.

This diagram shows the Indian and Ceylon tea taken by countries outside the United Kingdom during each of the past five years. The diagrams, which are colored, show the quantities thus taken to be as folfows: 1890, 13,400,000 lbs.; 1891, 19,100,-000 lbs.; 1892, 19,300,000 lbs.; 1893, 27,-000 lbs.; 1894, 28,400 000 lbs. The diagrams are in two colors, red blocks representing India, and yellow, Ceylon tea. Each block represents 100,000 lbs. of tea. Last year Canada had eight blocks of Indian tea to her credit and eleven blocks of Ceylon, against eight blocks of each respectively last year and six and two in 1890.

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The approximate quantities, in pounds, of British grown tea used outside the United Kingdom last year, together with that of 1893, were as follows:

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Australasia	12,300,000	13,200,000
United States	3,300,000	2,500,000
Turkey and Persia	4,300,000	4,200,000
Canada	1,900,000	1,600,000
Russia and Germany	2,500,000	2,000,000
Other places	4,100,000	3,500,000
Total	28,400,000	27,000,000

The most striking re-ult shown is the rapidity with which the demand for Indian and Ceylon tea is increasing in Australasia. In these colonies the annual consumption of tea aggregates about 30,000,000 pounds, or 7.66 pounds per head of population. Five years ago India and Ceylon contributed some 25 per cent., while at the present time they supply about 45 per cent of the total consumpt on.

Tea culture in India has a history of over 50 years, and has never been attacked by any serious blight. Its production has continued to increase until at present about 380,000 acres are under tea culture, and a capital of some \$75,000,000 is embarked in the enterprise. The coming crop is estimated at 140,000,000 pounds. In Ceylon, although the industry only dates back some 15 years, its progress has been so rapid that about 280,0.0 acres are at present under tea while the capital invested is in the neighborhood of \$55,000 000. The next crop is estimated at 91,000,000 pounds.

LARGE SALES OF SALMON IN ENGLAND.

According to advices by wire received by several agents in Montreal on Tuesday last, representatives of English houses have largely increased their purchases of canned salmon during the past few days.

This is not only the case on British Columbia but on the Columbia river as well, and the belief is expressed that it would not be surprising if canners quotations were withdrawn if the demand keeps up.

NEW MONING AND INDIAN TEAS.

New season's teas are continuing to arrive, or at least the samples of them.

This week samples of Moning Congous and Ind an teas are to hand.

Not many of the former are offering, either on this market or in the United States, on account of their high price, especially of the finer kinds, values having been appreciated by the keen demand which is being experienced on Russian account. The quality of the Monings shown is generally accounted to be nice.

The Indian teas shown are of medium quality, but they are not receiving much attention. They are good liquoring teas.

BREAK IN THE COTTON COMBINE.

The report current, as mentioned in last week's issue, that the Montmorency Cotton Company will withdraw from the Canadian Cotton Combine at the end of the period of agreement, August 31st, is correct enough, so far as it goes. The company have issued a circular to the trade that they will be prepared to furnish goods on their own account after September 1st.

The Montmorency mill has hitherto been making exclusively for the Chinese trade, and its output of grey cottons has not increased the competition in the Canadian market at a'l.

If it breaks loose from the combine a new element would be introduced into the situation. It is not, however, thought probab'e that the Montmorency people will cut prices, and there is just a possibility that the agreement may be renewed.

WILL BE OPEN ALL WINTER.

Travelers will be pleased to learn that the Northern Hotel, at Port Archur, will hereafter be kept open all the year round, instead of during the summer months only, as formerly. A new manager, in the person of Mr. O'Ke'ly, is in charge, and he has already received letters from Americans who anticipate sojourning at his host'ery for a season.

HOW CANADA IS GOVERNED.

A new book on Canada, by Dr. Bourinot, will shortly be issued. It is entitled "How Canada is Governed," and gives in plain, simple language a short account of the executive, legislative, judicial and municipal

institutions of the country, together with a sketch of their origin and development. The book will be illustrated with numerous engravings and autographs, and, being the work of so eminent an authority as Dr. Bourinot, will be indispensable to those who wish to be well informed about the affairs of the Dominion.

SECOND CROP CALIFORNIA RAISINS.

Sales agents in Montreal report that several forced sales of second crop California raisins have been made in the last week at very low prices.

It was absolutely necessary, however, that these should be realized upon, as this grade do not have the same keeping qualities as first crop, a fact which the agents claim the trade will very soon learn.

It is understood also that another shipment of second crop Californias have been made to Montreal, and are now being offered.

PUNISHMENT FOR ADULTERA-TIONS.

The way in which persons are punished in the Old Country for selling adulterated stuff is indicated in the following paragraph from The London Grocers' Gazette: "Esther Carr, grocer, Quarrington Hill, was summoned before the County Petty Sessions on May 30, for selling adulterated ground ginger. Mr. Scott Elder stated that the sample contained nothing but exhausted ginger, which had been used in the manufacture of aerated water. He had often had ginger adulterated to the extent of 10 or 12 per cent., but never previously 100 per cent. The price paid was 1d. per ounce. Defendant was fined 5s. and costs. At Blackburn Petty Sessions on Monday, Mr. John Wm. Herd, grocer, 208 Audley range, and Mr. Stephen Tattersall, grocer, 66 Chester street, were summoned for selling adulterated ground ginger. Inspector Withers stated that in one case the sample contained 30 per cent. of spent ginger, and in the other 18 per cent. He believed the defendants, like some others, were innocent and the victims of circumstances. Grocers should insist, when purchasing ginger, on getting a written warranty. On defendants paying the costs the cases were withdrawn."

LATE BUSINESS CHANGES

John Gorman has started a fruit business at Ottawa.—Roche, Danford & Co., general store, Newmarket, Ont., are moving to Woodstock.—J. W. Johnstone, general store, Lacombe, Man., has sold out to D. G. Stewart.—Turnoth & Dagg, general store, Belmont, Man., have dissolved. Geo. Turnoth continues.

WINDOW-DRESSING DEPARTMENT

MOVABLE LIGHTS.

Where electric lights are employed, a little persuasion, remarks a contemporary, might induce the proprietor to allow the use of a few movable incandescent lights for service in the windows.

These can be had with small shades, the detached insulated wire allowing them to be placed anywhere in the window at will.

Many novel effects can be introduced with these, and by hiding them under folds of goods they will throw a strong steady light on almost every part of the window, without the source of illumination being seen from the outside. By covering the globes with heavy tissue paper, such as is used for making lamp shades, startling and novel light effects can often be originated.

A WINDOW POINT.

We are all agreed nowadays that we must take all we can out of the window, says a contemporary. No more stuffing it with goods and allowing them to get faded and dusty there. No more lolling in the office chair while people are rushing past and never giving a glance at the window because it is so stale, flat and (consequently) unprofitable.

The window is to be dressed often, very often, and never without some real attraction, either in the marked character of the

goods, the unique method of their arrangement, or the crisp and fascinating phrases on the card.

On the card? Yes, yes, the card must be a strong element in the combination. It used to be the fashion in old London, the London that was even so late as the Stuarts, it was the fashion, we say, for shopkeepers of all trades and their apprentices to stand at the open end of their bazaars and accost the passers, urging them to buy. Lots of trade was got that way, but now that method has but a narrow acceptance, not likely to be imitated.

In place of the miscellaneous salute is the silent window. Let its printed words be eloquent with that eloquence which both arrests the eye and convinces the judgment. What line of attack shall we use? Here is one line—hitch on to the current thought of the people. Seize whatever is uppermost in the newspapers or in local talk and make some allusion to it that everybody will instantly grasp, then attach a reference to the contents of the window that will be sufficiently reasonable, even in its absurdity, to tickle the popular fancy. When you get started you will find the subject popping up in many directions.

EXPORTS OF BREADSTUFFS.

Exports of wheat and flour as wheat at both coasts of Canada and the United States last week, as telegraphed Bradstreet's, amounted to 2,857,307 bushels, against 1,781,000 bushels the previous week, when the movement was exceptionally small, 1,927,600 bushels in the third week of June, 1894, 3,553,000 bushels in 1893, 2,457,000 bushels in 1892, and 1,906,000 bushels in the corresponding period in 1891.

LUMBER EXPORTS.

The Manufacturers' Gazette says: "It is a somewhat singular fact that Canada exports several million dollars worth of lumber each year more to the United States than to Great Britain. Thus, in 1893 Canada's total export of forest products to Great Britain figured \$11,105,482, while to the United States that aggregate showed \$14,-841,455 worth. Yet with this enormous export of lumber to the United States and to Great Britain, the value of Canada's forest products is about \$80,000,000 per annum, leaving a balance for local consumption of about \$55,000,000 nearly 70 per cent. of its forest products, and equaling more than \$11 per head of population. It is somewhat surprising to note that Canada uses twice as much lumber at home as she ships abroad. This is a similar fact to that which we have noted concerning the largely increasing local consumption of lumber in the New England states."

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This naturally brings up the question to the mind of every grocer: "Am I handling those Breakfast Foods that pay best?"

Not the cheapest, but the most saleable kind—the kind that people ask for, after having tried them. In a word,

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MARKETS AND MARKET NOTES

ONTARIO MARKETS.

TORONTO, June 27, 1895. GROCERIES.

NTEREST is this week centered around the increased strength that has suddenly been assumed by canned tomatoes. In sugar, there is practically nothing doing, but the market keeps fairly steady, the refiners refusing to shade prices. Wholesalers, however, are being more easily induced to take lower figures. Coffees are in moderate demand. Spices are quiet, but the general tendency of them as to prices is still upward. Syrups are quiet and steady. Increased firmness has developed in nearly all lines of foreign dried fruits. Outside sugar, trade generally is fairly active, and future trade is looked forward to with confidence.

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CANNED GOODS.

The realization that there is a scarcity of canned tomatoes, as noted in our editorial columns, has caused an advance in the price of this article. For good standard brands that were quoted at 80c. a few days ago 85c. is now demanded, and packers who have any are firm at the same figure. The demand for all kinds of vegetables is good. Gallon apples is still a good selling line. Salmon are in fair demand and firm in price. Owing to the scarcity of first-class red fish there have been a number of transactions in Cohoes during the week, and, it is said, at prices which would not have been paid a short time ago. Although generally speaking there do not appear to be many transactions in futures, yet some of the canners' agents claim that they have sold their allotment for this market at from \$4.30 to \$4.60 per case. Contracts are subject to pack. Canned beef is strong, but the high prices appear to have checked the demand.

We quote: Tomatoes, 85 to 90c. for choice; corn, 80 to 85c.; peas, 80 to 85c. for ordinary; sifted, 90c. to \$1; extra sifted, \$1.40; peaches, \$2.75 to \$3 for 3's, \$1.85 to \$2 for 2's; raspberries, \$1.65 to \$1.80; strawberries, \$1.90 to \$2.10; apples, 3's, 90c to \$1, gallons, \$2.15 to \$2.25, and preserved fancy quarters at \$1.35 to \$1.40; salmon, \$1.35 to \$1.50, in tall tins, and \$1.55 to \$1.60, in flat tins; do., Cohoes, \$1.05 to \$1.10; do. "Horseshoe" brand, \$1.45 to \$1.50; canned mackerel, \$1 to \$1.10; lobsters, \$1.70 to \$2 for tall tins, and \$2.25 to \$2.75 for flat tins. Canadian canned beef, 1's, \$1.65 to \$1.75; 2's, \$2.65 to \$2.75; 6's, \$8 to \$8 25; 14's, \$18 to \$19. Chicago canned beef, 1's, \$1.75 per dozen; 2's, \$2.85. Australian mutton, boiled, 2 lb. cans, \$3.40; ditto, corned and roast, \$3.75.

COFFEES

The market is fairly well supplied with Rio coffees, and further shipments are coming forward. Demand is fair, for the season. We quote green in bags: Rio, 19½ to 21½c.; East Indian, 27 to 30c.; South American, 21 to 23c.; Santos, 20 to 22½c.; Java, 28 to 33c.; Mocha, 30 to 35c.; Maracaibo, 21 to 23c.; Jamaica, 21 to 25c.

RICE.

There is nothing special to note either in regard to business or prices. We quote unchanged prices: "B," 3½ to 3½c.; extra Japan, 5½ to 5½c.; imported Japan, 5½ to 6½c.; tapioca, pearl, 3½ to 5½c.

SPICES.

Cassia, cloves, and in fact spices generally, are firm at slightly advanced prices in the primary markets. Pepper is firm at the recent advance. We quote: Pure black pepper, 10 to 12c.; pure white, 18 to 25c.; pure Jamaica ginger, 25 to 27c.; cloves, 15c.; pure mixed spice, 25 to 30c.; cream of tartar, 22 to 28c. per lb.

NUTS.

Business continues seasonably quiet at unchanged prices. We quote: Brazil nuts, II to I1½c.; Sicily shelled almonds, 25 to 26c.; Tarragona almonds, 14 to 14½c.; peanuts, 10 to 12c. for roasted, and 7 to 10c. for green; cocoanuts, \$4.50 to \$5 per sack; Grenoble walnuts, 15 to 16c.; Marbot walnuts, 12½ to 14c.; Bordeaux walnuts, 12 to 13c.; Sicily filberts, 9 to 10c. for sacks and 10½ to 11c. for small lots; pecans, 10½ to 11c.

SUGAR.

The demand for sugar has flattened out completely. There is practically nothing doing. The outside markets have been somewhat irregular, but the Canadian refineries are still firm in their views, and nominal as their quotations are they steadfastly refuse to shade prices, holding that the sugar season and a consequent better demand is not very remote. The whole-salers are, however, not so particular about shading their quotations, the ruling figures being slightly lower than a week ago. We quote prices: Granulated, No. 1, 4½ to 4½c.; do., No. 2, 4½ to 4½c.; yellows, 3½ to 3½c.; Demerara, 3½c.

A London cable of Monday read: "Closed firmer. Last week's decline caused by clever bear mancevres on desire shown by German and French factories to sell old crop and by favorable weather for new crop. This influenced bucket shop bulls and nervous holders who were looking for an advance."

Mail advices received this week from Demerara quote sugar a little firmer.

SYRUPS.

The market is fairly firm in svrups, but there is not much enquiry. We quote: Dark, 30 to 32c.; medium, 33 to 35c.: bright, 40 to 42c.

MOLASSES.

The situation is unchanged locally. We quote: New Orleans, barrels, 30 to 32c.; half-

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Brooms

At a meeting of the Broom-makers' Union in Detroit, Mich., on 7th May, S. T. Penna, James Whiting and P. Reichert were appointed to do nothing but fight the sale of the Peninsular Broom Company's patent brooms, says The Detroit Journal.

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MARKETS-Continued

barrels, 33½ to 35c.; Barbadoes, barrels, 31 to 35c.; half-barrels, 33 to 37c.

TEAS.

There is a little more doing in Japan teas, some nice liquoring and drawing teas having changed hands. Supplies of medium grade are still small. The wholesale demand is principally for a tea at about 16c., brokers reporting sales of high grade Japans disappointing. Samples of new season's Moning Congous and Indian teas are arriving this week. As noted elsewhere, the price of new Monings is high on account of the Russian demand. In China green teas there is some demand for the higher grades, which are scarce. Some beautiful teas of this description have changed hands during the past few days. China black teas are neglected. We quote ruling prices to retailers as follows: Young Hysons, 12 to 18c for low grades, 24 to 27c. for mediums, and 30 to 45c. for high grades; China Congous, 14 to 18c. for mediums, and 35 to 55c. for high grades; Japans, 16 to 20c. for mediums, 28 to 35c. for high grades; Indians and Ceylons, 18 to 22c. for mediums, and 30 to 45c. for high grades.

DRIED FRUIT.

With an odd exception, there has been an all-round appreciation in values in the outside markets during the past few days.

Valencia raisins in active demand, and prices are higher in some of the outside markets. There is no change here. We quote present figures: Off-stalk, 85 to 90c. per box; fine off-stalk, 4 to 4½c.; selected, 5½ to 6c.; layers, 4½ to 5½c.

The currant market in Greece has assumed a stronger tone, and old fruit is getting pretty well sold out. Advices state that prospects for the new crop are good, although the quality is not likely to be as good as last year, when it was credited with being the best for seventeen years. Prices have advanced ½ to ½c. per lb. in New York. We quote as before: Filiatras, half-barrels, 4 to 4½c., barrels, 4¼c.; fine Filiatras, half-bbls., 4¼c., barrels, 4¾c.; fine Filiatras, half-bbls., 4¼c., barrels, 4¾c.; Patras, 5½c., in cases; Casalinas, 4½ to 5¾c.; Vostizzas, 6½ to 7c. in cases and half-cases.

Sultana raisins have advanced 1/4 c. in New York, but there is no change here, 6 1/2 to 7c. st.ll being the ruling price for good bright fruit. Crop prospects are reported to be about the same as last year.

Prunes, in both California and France, are likely to be a short crop, and prices are firm. The demand is still being maintained. We quote: "Sphinx"—"U," 110 to 115 to half kilo, 4¾ to 5c. per lb.; "C," 85 to 90 to half kilo, 6½ c. per lb.; "B," 80 to 85 to half kilo, 6% to 7¼ c. per lb.; "Atlas,"—"D," 110 to 115 to half kilo, 4¾ to 5c.

per lb.; "Unicorn," 5 to 5½c.; Bordeaux prunes, 4½ to 6½c.

Advices report prospects for fig crop much about the same as last year. The demand here continues light and prices nominally unchanged. We quote: 14 oz., 8 to 9c.; 10 lb., 8 to 10c.; 18 lb., 12c.; 28 lb., 15c.; taps, 4½ to 4½c.; naturals, 6 to 7c.

Dates are quiet and unchanged at from 4½c. up.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

The butter trade continues almost feature-The old country markets are still "sick," and until there is an improvement there dealers here cannot expect much better prices. Some of the country merchants do not feel like taking current prices, and as a result there is an accumulation in their cellars. This butter, if held long, will be very much deteriorated in quality, and the result will be that they will eventually have to accept a very low price. On the whole we think that merchants will do well to move their butter at current prices while it is sweet, so that there will be no cu'ls on their hands. So far, the greatest accumulations seem to be in the creamery factories, and those who have not got facilities for carrying it are liable to experience a serious loss. Prices are a trifle weaker the past week. We quote: Old summer dairy and store packed, 5 to 7c.; fresh large rolls, 10 to 12c.; prints, 13 to 14c.; fresh tubs, 11 to 12½c; Fresh creamery—Tubs, 15 to 16c.; pound prints, 16 to 17c.

CHEESE-Cable reports do not show any marked improvement in the situation in the old country, although dealers are generally advancing their prices, presumably on the principle that they are low and that the probability is that there must be an improvement later on. Of course cheese is different from butter, and does not deteriorate in quality as butter will, so that the risk in carrying cheese is small. The big local dealers, however, seem to think that cheese will not be higher this year. August and September makes of Canadian cheese bring 10 to 10 1/2c., and new Canadian cheese is quoted at 8 to 8 1/2c. Small Stiltons bring to to IIC.

GREEN FRUIT.

Trade continues quite brisk on the whole. Imported fruits and vegetables are becoming more plentiful and cheaper. Oranges are a little firmer and lemons maintain their strong position. Domestic strawberries and cherries are now properly upon the market. The former are scarce and of poor quality, but a little improved since the rainfall of the other night, and the latter are fine fruit, but not very plentiful. Red currants are also coming in. We quote: Messina lemons, 300's, 360's, and 420's, \$5 to \$6; Oranges—Messinas, half boxes, 80's, \$1.75 to \$2; 100's, \$175 to \$2.50; boxes, 160's 200's and 300's, \$3 50 to \$4; navels, \$4 to \$4.75; Messina ovals, 80's, \$2.25 to \$2.50;

California seedlings, \$3 to \$4. Bananas, \$1.25 to \$2 for firsts and seconds. Strawberries, 8 to 12c. a quart; cocoanuts, \$4.50 a sack; pineapples, 8 to 12c.; cucumbers, \$2 to \$2.50 per crate; new cabbage, \$1.40 to \$1.65 a crate; \$1.75 to \$2 a bbl.; tomatoes, \$1.40 to \$1.65 per crate; green California apricots, \$2.25 to \$2.50 per box; peaches, ditto; cherries, ditto. Domestic cherries, \$1.25 per basket; red currants, 85c. to \$1.10 per basket.

COUNTRY PRODUCE

BEANS—What are left in the market of choice hand picked bring \$1.60 to \$1.65 per bushel.

DRIED APPLES—Seem a little weaker at 5 to 5 1/4 c. per lb.

EVAPORATED APPLES—In 50-lb. boxes 6½ to 7c. per lb.

ONIONS—Domestic are pretty well out of the market, and Spanish, Valencias and Egyptians are quoted at varying prices.

POTATOES—Old are very weak, bringing only 30c. on the track and 40c. out of store. This is strange, as new are rather scarce on the local market, the price quoted in the south being high.

EGGS—The quality of the eggs this year has been so good as to make the consumption much larger than at the same time last season. They are not so plentiful as they were, and command 10½ to 11c. per dozen.

HONEY—Is up to 7 and 8c. in bulk, strained, and \$1.50 to \$1.80 a dozen in the comb.

FISH.

There is not much change in the situation since last week. Prices for salt fish are purely nominal, while trade in fresh is reported below the average. Blue fish and Spanish mackerel are introduced in the local market this week for the first time this season, We quote: Skinned and boned codseason, ve quote: Skinned and oblighted cod-fish, 6½ c.; boneless fish, 3½ to 4c.; haddock, 5 to 6c.; Labrador herring, \$3.25 to \$3.50 per half barrel and \$5.50 to \$5.75 per barrel; Newfoundland herring, \$2.50 per half barrel, and \$4.50 to \$4.75 per barrel; fresh water salt herring, \$3 per bbl.; blue-back herring, 4c.; pike, 41/2 to 5c. per lb.; flitched cod, 5c.; finnan haddies, 8c.; Digby herring, in bundles of 5 boxes, 11c.; ditto, lengthwise, 10c.; large halibut, 10 to 13c.; Georgian Bay trout, 6 to 61/2c.; white fish, 7c.; Lake Erie white fish, extra fine, 10 to 12c. per lb.; Lake Erie herring, \$2 to \$2.25 per 100; Restigouche salmon, 14 to to 16c.; blue fish, 9c.; Spanish mackerel,

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The market is firm, with a fair demand and steady prices. Dressed hogs bring \$6 to \$6.25 per 100 lbs. Products are quoted thus:

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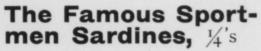
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LARD—Pure Canadian, tierces, 9c.; tubs, 94c.; pails, 94c.

BARREL PORK—Canadian heavy mess, \$15.75; Canadian short-cut, \$16 to \$16.50; clear shoulder mess, \$13.75 to \$14; shoulder mess, \$13.50 to \$13.75.

FLOUR AND FEED.

WHEAT—Has fallen away below the dollar mark again. White is quoted at 88c.; red at 88c., and goose at 83c.

OATS-Are rather weak at 43c.

BARLEY—Quoted on the street market at 50c.

FLOUR—The market is less active, and prices are weaker in accord with the drop in wheat. We quote: Straight roller, \$4.50 to \$4.55; Manitoba, \$4.60 to \$4.65; patents, \$4.85 to \$4.90.

BREAKFAST FOODS—Oatmeal is weak and Ioc. per barrel lower. We quote: Standard oatmeal, \$4.40 to \$4.50; rolled oats, \$4.40 to \$4.50; rolled wheat, \$2.75 in Ioo lb. barrels: cornmeal, \$3.50; split peas, \$3.50; pot barley, \$3.75 to \$4 per bbl.

A good business is doing at unchanged figures, viz.: Barrels, 85c.,; coarse sacks, 58c.; fine sacks, 6oc.; dairy, \$1.25; rock, \$0.

HIDES, SKINS, WOOL AND TALLOW

HIDES—Hides on the western markets are reported ¼ to ½c. off in price, but no change is recorded here, 8c. for No. 1 and 7c. for No. 2 being paid on the few brought in.

SHEEPSKINS—Few are offering, the season being nearly over. Sheepskins bring \$1 to \$1.25, lambskins 25c., and shearlings 15c.

CALFSKINS—The season for those is over practically.

WOOL — Local competition has forced prices up again to 20 to 21c. There is considerable activity on the market and dealers are buying freely at those figures. They seem well satisfied too, as they say the selections they are getting are excellent, and worth holding over for better figures than can now be got from the mills.

PETROLEUM.

Petroleum is quiet, both locally and on the primary markets, but prices have not altered. The long days will soon be over, and then an advance in illuminating oils is looked for. We quote in 1 to 10 bbl. lots, imperial gallon, Toronto: Canadian, 16 to 17c.; carbon safety, 18 to 19c.; Canadian water white, 18 to 19c.; American water white, 20½c.; photogene, 21½ to 22c.

TORONTO NOTES.

Canned tomatoes are excited.

Samples of new Moning teas are here.

Davidson & Hay are offering Buli's extract ginger beer, put up in 25c. bottles.

John Sloan & Co. are in receipt of a shipment of "Eagle" brand canned salmon.

Shipments of syrups, Durkee's salad dressing, and Japan teas are to hand this week with Davidson & Hay.

D. Gunn, Flavelle & Co. are giving a special cut in breakfast bacons for the next

twenty days. If specially requested these bacons will be put up in parchment paper. Those ordering should ask for parchment wrapper if they want it.

Clemes Bros. are in receipt this week of first car of Georgia watermelons.

Smith & Keighley have to arrive Marshall's fish products and Aberdeenshire lambs' tongues.

Todhunter, Mitchell & Co. report large sales of their new "Dominion Mills" pickle spice in large 10c. packages.

Perkins, Ince & Co. have to hand this week samples of new season's Moning Congous. They show good quality.

Lemon and citron peels in 20-lb. cartoons are to hand with John Sloan & Co. They are understood to be showing good value.

A good demand for flavoring extracts is reported by the Pure Gold Mfg. Co., and business is better with the firm than last year.

Graham, McLean & Co. report the quality of eggs they are receiving this year away above the average, and consequently selling better.

McWilliam & Everist report the arrival of three cars of Mississippi tomatoes, two cars of Tennessee potatoes, and two cars of watermelons.

The domestic supply of strawberries and cherries is as yet limited. The strawberries are of rather poor quality, and the cherries seem rather scarce.

Large sales of Beardsley's "Acme" beef, "Star" brand herrings and shredded codfish are reported by R. S. McIndoe, agent for Toronto and the west.

The feature of the Eby, Blain Co.'s sample room this week is the enclosure, from base to capital, of one of the large iron pillars with pound packages of "Orient" tea.

Dawson & Co. are just in receipt of two carloads of tomatoes direct from Crystal Springs. They claim that one of these cars contains the finest lot of tomatoes ever received in Toronto.

The new June list from Marshall & Co., Aberdeen, Scotland, shows reductions in prices of kippered herrings, fresh herrings, bloaters, herrings in tomato, shrimp and anchovy sauce.

The Pure Gold Mtg. Co. is this week making a shipment of tomato carsup to England. "We have a letter from Halifax," said Mr. Jardine, "which says that our sweet tomato catsup is going to be a great seller, and is considered the best on the market."

D. Gunn, Flavelle & Co. are having a good run on their sweet pickled green rolls, which they are putting up in barrels, on which they are giving special prices. This firm also reports a marked improvement in the demand for long clear bacon.

Byrant's root beer—five gallons for 10c.—wholesale from H. P. Eckardt & Co., Elliott & Co., Lyman, Knox & Co., the Toronto Biscuit and Confectionery Co., and Davidson & Hay, for Torouto; Masuret & Co., London Drug Co., A. M. Smith & Co., for London; G20. Robertson & Son, for Kingston; D. H. Rennoldson, Lyman, Knox & Co., for Montreal; Lumsden Bros., for Hamilton.

HAMILTON NOTES.

Spratt's Patent Dog B scuit, for which W. H. Gillard & Co. are agents, is finding a ready sale. Gillard & Co. are sending to purchasers of Dog Biscuit a little pamphlet

containing a treatise on dogs, which is valuable to those interested in our canine friends.

Lucas, Steele & Bristol are offering their customers the celebrated "Golden" finnan haddies.

Special inducements are being offered by W. H. Gillard & Co. on three brands of first-class salmon which they hold.

Two-lb. "C C" beef is in demand now, and buyers can purchase at manufacturers' prices from W. H. Gillard & Co., of Hamilton.

The sun-dried cod offering by Lucas, Steele & Bristol, in quintals, is same quality as they had last season. They are large size.

James Turner & Co. find their trade in "Golden" finnan haddies increasing. They are receiving another lot of these goods this week.

Lucas, Steele & Bristol report a good tea demand of late. Their values in Japans at 15 and 16c. are said to be exceptional. In Ceylons 19 and 30c. are their drives.

A snap is being offered by Lucas, Steele & Bristol in Royans a la Bordelaise. These goods are first-class, and packed by Dandicolle & Gaudin, of Bordeaux, France.

The New York ginger ale appears to be a wonderfully successful line to handle, and is becoming more popular every season, and W. H. Gillard & Co. report a large business. The article is made popular by the reasonable price at which it is sold, viz., 8oc. per doz. in quart bottles.

BRANTFORD NOTES.

The manufacture of biscuits reaches its highest standard in Paterson's sodas.

Wm. Paterson & Son report a brisk demand for their high-class domestic pickles.

Wm. Paterson & Son have appointed C. & E. Macmichael, of St. John, N.B, selling agents for their biscuits.

Mr. Wm. Paterson, senior member of the firm of Wm. Paterson & Son, biscuit manufacturers, sails for England on Saturday, accompanied by his wife and daughter. This is his first visit to the "Old Sod," and we wish him a safe passage and an enjoyable time.

Mr. P. L. Mason is taking a trip through the Eastern Provinces. He is accompanied by Mrs. Mason, and is on business and pleasure bent.

QUEBEC MARKETS.

MONTREAL, June 27, 1895. GROCERIES.

HE grocery market has presented quite a few interesting features during the week. Chief in this connection has been the activity and strength in canned goods of most kinds from first to second hands, but especially in canned salmon, which is now very firmly held. The same can be said also of staple lines of vegetables and fruit. In other lines, however, business is dull. Dealers generally appear to have been better supplied with sugar than at first thought, and, as a result, though the preserving season is at hand the refiners are not experiencing any accession in the demand. In syrups quie ness also rules, and though there is considerable life in the trade

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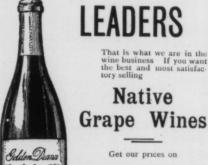


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between first and second hands in molasses, the jobbing movement is small. The same can be said of tea and other lines of staple groceries. In teas sales agents have been around with some new samples of 1895 crop, and found very indifferent buyers.

SUGAR

The sugar market has ruled rather quieter this week, and it would appear from reports from the country that supplies in third hands are more ample than anticipated. The result is only a moderate degree of life in the staple, though the housewives are now in their preserving season. Refiners are doing very little business as a result of this, and their price is unchanged at 4\%c. for granulated, and 3\% to 3\%c. for yellows, as to quality at the refinery. In a jobbing way quotations range from 4\%c. on granulated to 31/2 to 4c. on yellows, as to quality.

SYRUPS.

There has been little or no activity to note in syrups since our last report, and no material change seems to be anticipated. Both jobbers and retailers are said to be well supplied, and this conduces to continued quietness. Prices are steady at 134 to 2 1/4 c. for straight lots from first hands, with 1/8 to 1/4 c. advance on this for jobbing business in the ordinary way.

MOLASSES.

Firmness has been the prevailing characteristic of the molasses market, business being confined to large sales between importers and jobbers. Several cargoes arrived during the week, but as they were all sold ahead and distributed, the fact had no influence whatever upon prices, which are as firmly held as ever. The sale of some 600 puncheons to a Quebec house which took place Monday ex wharf will reduce the supply available here to that extent. In fact nothing but firmness is looked for, and prices are strong at 37c. for single puncheons and 36c. for car lots of Barbadoes, and 36c. for single puncheons and 35c. for car lots of Porto Rico.

RICE.

The rice market rules steady and unchanged, business being much as it was. We quote jobbing prices: Japan, \$4.30 to \$4.50; crystal Japan, \$4.80 to \$5; standard B, \$3.45; English style, \$3.30; Patna, \$4.37½ to \$5; and Carolina, \$7 to \$7.50.

SPICES.

There is only a limited demand for spices, and there is no change in prices to report. We quote jobbing prices as follows: Penang black pepper, 9 to 10c.; white pepper, 13 to 15c.; cloves, 15 to 20c.; cassia, 12 to 20c.; nutmegs, 65 to 90c.; Jamaica ginger, 20 to 25c., as to grade.

COFFEES.

The coffee market is quiet and unchanged. Business is of moderate dimensions, and does not furnish any special We quote: Maracaibo, 211/2 to 23c.; Rio, 19 to 21c.; Java, 25 to 30c.; Jamaica, 20 to 22c.; and Mocha, 29 to 32c.

TEA.

The tea market rules very quiet, and there is little doing either between houses or from jobbers' hands. Samples of new crop Japans now on the way have been shown during the week and pronounced fine, but the selling agents have not met with very gratifying results in their efforts to secure buyers. These new teas have been offered at a range from 18 to 35c., as to quality. Congous

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OUEBEC MARKETS-Continued

have changed hands in a small way at 14c., blacks at 14c., and Japans at 13c.

DRIED FRUITS.

There has been a fairly active trade in California raisins in a jobbing way at steady prices. The quality of these fruit at present offering here, it is generally admitted, gives them the preference over the supplies of other raisins offering. We quote: 6½c. for 4-crown loose muscatels and 5½c. for 3-crown ditto.

Valencia raisins are dull and neglected, and some holders are disposed to shade prices to effect a clearance. It is hardly permissible, however, to give any quotable reduction in the range of values. They rule from 3½ to 5c., as to quality.

The currant market is quiet and steady. We quote: 3½c. in barrels and cases, 4 to 4½c. for Filiatras and Provincials, Patras 5 to 5½c. and Vostizzas 7c.

Prunes are almost all cleaned up on this market, and none are spoken of as coming forward. The few Austrians offering here are held firm at 4 to 5c., as to grade.

All the dates here are in one or two hands, and are wanted. They can be quoted at 4½ to 5c.

NUTS.

There is no change in this market. We quote: Brazils, 8 to 9c.; shelled almonds, 18 to 25c.; Tarragona, 11 to 13c.; Grenoble walnuts, 12 to 13c.; shelled ditto, 24 to 25c.; filberts, 6½ to 7½c.; and pecans, 8 to 10c.

CANNED GOODS.

The market has been an active one, and the general tendency of values is firm, both on fruits, vegetables and fish. The activity displayed, however, has been largely in the shape of trade from first to second hands, for jobbers are not disposed to urge business with the tendency of values as they are at present. Contracts for future delivery of canned salmon continue a leading feature, and the basis for the new business that has been put through has been firm at \$4.50. In consequence of this, prices on old pack are more firmly held. Fruit and vegetables also show a strong tone, in consequence of the news from the producing districts in Ontario. We quote: Lobsters, \$5.75 to \$6.50 per case; sardines, \$8.50 to \$10.50; salmon, \$4.80 to \$5.20; tomatoes, 80 to 90c. per doz.; peaches, \$2 to \$300 per doz.; corn, 85c. to \$1 per doz.; peas, 85 to 95c. per doz.; strawberries, \$2 to \$2.25; raspberries, \$1.75 to \$2; green gages, \$2 to \$2.25; blue plums or damsons, \$1.50 to \$1.75; pineapples, \$2 to \$2.25, and 3-lb. apples, \$1 to \$1.10.

GREEN FRUIT.

BANANAS — The market for these has ruled rather firmer during the week, and prices are higher, at 8oc. to \$2, as to quality.

LEMONS—An easier feeling has been developed in lemons since our last report, and we quote prices 50c. lower here, at \$4 to \$5 per case.

ORANGES — There has been no change in cranges, which rule much as they were, at \$3 to \$4.50, as to quality.

PINEAPPLES—Steady, at 10 to 20c. each. CALIFORNIA PEACHES—Range steady, from \$2 to \$2.50 per box.

CALIFORNIA APRICOTS—Are unchanged at 90c. to \$1.10 per box.

CRANBERRIES-Receipts of these have

been rather freer, but prices are steady at \$2.50 to \$3 per box.

STRAWBERRIES—Montreal Island berries, which are offering freely at 4½ to 5c, have driven all other descriptions out of the market.

CHERRIES—Receipts of local cherries have been free and prices have declined in consequence to \$1.25 to \$1.75, as to quality.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

EGGS—The egg market is quiet and unchanged, but prices are steady at 10 to 10%c.

MAPLE PRODUCTS—The market for these will soon be over. We quote: Syrup, 50 to 60c. in tins, and sugar, 6 to 7c.

HOPS—No change is to note in these, offers being freely made of last year's crop at 5c.

HONEY—Supplies of this are light, but demand is small. We quote: New extracted 7 to 9c. per lb.; old, 5 to 6c., and comb stock, 10 to 12c.

BEANS—Firm and unchanged at \$1.60 to \$1.75 for hand-picked.

POTATOES—The potato market is easy at 40c. per bag. Some new stock has been offered, but the quantity has been too small almost to mention.

ONIONS—Bermuda onions are steady at \$2.25 to \$2.50 per crate, and Egyptian \$1.75 to \$2 per bag.

TOMATOES—Are selling steady at \$3 per carrier.

ASPARAGUS—Receipts are moderate and prices range from 80 to 90c. per basket.

CAULIFLOWERS—The quality of the offerings is excellent, but the supply is large. We quote \$1 per dozen.

PROVISIONS.

Hams and bacon are the only provisions for which there is any demand. Prices are steady and unchanged. We quote: Canadian short cut, clear, \$17; Canadian short cut, mess, \$18; hams, city cured, per lb., 10 to 11c.; lard, Canadian, in pails, 10 to 11c.; bacon, per lb., 10 to 10½c.; lard, common, refined, per lb., 7½ to 8c.

FLOUR AND MEAL.

In Manitoba flours a fair amount of business has been transacted, but Ontario grades are not enquired for at all. Values generally rule easier than they did a week ago. We quote: Winter wheat, \$5 to \$5.25; spring wheat, patents, \$4.90; straight roller, \$4.80 to \$4.90; straight roller, bags, \$2.25 to \$2.30; extra, \$4.20 to \$4.30; extra, bags, \$2.15 to \$2.20; Manitoba strong bakers', \$4.75.

The market for oatmeal has been dull and prices show no material change. We quote: Standard, bbls., \$4.10 to \$4.20; granulated, bbls., \$4.20 to \$4.30; rolled oats, bbls., \$4.20 to \$4.30.

An active business has been transacted in feed, and Manitoba millers state that they are well sold up of all stock on spot and what is on the way. We quote: Bran, \$14; shorts, \$16; mouillie, \$22 to \$23.

BUTTER.

The butter market shows no improvement and there appears to be little prospect of any in the immediate future. English buyers do not show any desire at all for Canadian butter, and the only outlet is the local demand. This restricts itself solely to the pick of the creamery offering, which is readily available at 15 ½c.

CHEESE.

Speculative operations by shippers in the different country markets have had the effect of rigging prices, which are above what the market outlet warrants. Values this week are in consequence fully Ic. higher than they were a week ago, viz., 8 to 8½ c., but it is impossible to do business in a legitimate way over the cable on this basis.

ASHES.

A fair business is reported in ashes at steady prices. We quote: First pots, \$4.10; seconds, \$3.80, and pearls, \$5.50 per 100 lbs.

MONTREAL NOTES.

A large lot of Roquefort cheese has just been taken into store by T. J. Cook & Co.

A large lot of Hires' root beer was sent forward to Bauld, Gibson & Co., of Halifax, last week.

Caverhill, Hughes & Co. have just landed a shipment of Stowers' lime juice cordial ex s.s. Montevidian.

A consignment of Sicilian lemonade tablets was sent forward this week to W. H. Gillard & Co., of Hamilton.

Laporte, Martin & Co. are having a big demand for their "Golden" finnan haddies. New pack are being received.

Alex. Millan, with W. T. Benson & Co., is paying a vist to the friends of the firm this week in Ontario and the west generally.

How, McIntyre & Co. have been appointed agents for "Golden" finnan haddies, and report an increasing demand.

George Childs & Co. find their trade for Marshall's Scotch herrings and lunch tongues good for this season of the year.

Consignments of Hires' root beer went forward the other day to Lumsden Bros., of Hamilton, and H. M. Bate & Sons, of Oc-

Mr. Chaput, of L. Chaput, Fils & Co., who was down in Quebec this week, states that the molasses market is very firm down there.

Kennedy, Greig & Co. have sent forward this week a large shipment of "Crown" brand extracts to Bauld Gibson & Co., of Halifax

George Childs & Co. are receiving this week a large shipment of Pettijohn's breakfast food, and report a brisk demand for the delicacy.

Grocers generally in Montreal report that McLaren's Imperial cheese is gaining in favor. It is sold by all the principal grocers.

The crop of strawberries on the Island of Montreal this year is an unusually good one. The fact is having its influence on local prices.

The first offerings of new crop potatoes were offered here this week. They were very small, but being a novelty brought as high as \$1 per bag.

A Quebec wholesale house took 600 puncheons of Barbadoes ex Sicilian off this market. This is a considerable reduction in the supply available here.

The s.s. Tritonia brought in a large consignment of Patterson's lemon squash for Rose & Laflamme. It is put up in 1 dozen cases, and is good value.

D. H. Reynoldson is landing this week another shipment of Cunningham & Defournier's potted meats. These preparations are meeting a large sale this season.

Gillespie & Co. have placed in the vicinity of 10,000 cases of new pack canned

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salmon here for forward delivery, and J. Alex. Gordon about 15,000 more.

Two carloads of choice southern tomatoes and boxed southern apples were received by Vipond McBride this week. The apples were the finest offered this season.

Perkins, Ince & Co., of Toronto, are landing this week a large shipment of Stowers' lime juice cordial, and A. P. Tippet & Co. note the arrival of other large lots as well.

Consignments of "Buttermilk" toilet soap are being landed this week for George Childs & Co., Caverhill, Hughes & Co., Hudon, Hebert & Co., and L. Chaput, Sons

A large lot of "Ram Lal's" tea was received this week by Rose & Laflamme. They find that the fine quality of this tea is showing itself in increased sales every month.

Geo, Vipond and J. McBride, of Vipond, McBride & Co., left for New York on Monday. Their steamer, the Premier, arrived at that port with 10,000 bunches of bananas. They went down to look after the cargo.

Kennedy, Greig & Co. are completing arrangements with several new English houses to represent them this fall. They also sent forward this week several large shipments of Carr's English biscuits to Toronto houses, and also some of their new specialty, Jelloine.

"Well, I am not a prophet nor the son of a prophet," said Mr. Geo. Mann, the Montreal representative of "Salada" Cey-lon tea, the other day, "but if straws show which way the wind blows, or if there is anything in the signs of the times, then 'Salada' is going to have an enormous sale in this city in the near future. It is now on sale in nearly 200 grocery stores, and the repeat orders are coming in most encouragingly."

NEW BRUNSWICK MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE CANADIAN GROCER

ST. JOHN, N.B., June 27, 1895.

HE past week has been an eneventful one. The quieter demand and rather large stocks are tending to somewhat weaken markets. In the country market there is little to note. Beef is very firm. In chemicals, market shows little change. Cream of tartar is easier, some 20 casks being placed in this market during the past week. In spice the market is firm with but a limited quantity moving. Teas continue to show good demand at firmer prices. Molasses continues to be a matter of interest, and is very firm at quotations. There is every prospect of higher prices. In canned salmon merchants are rather holding off on account of price, but advices from canners are that at present quotations they are good value. In almost all lines holders are sellers.

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Butter is in rather better condition than for some time, and good new sells freels.

OIL-Quotations in burning oils remain unchanged, with light demand. Linseed oil shows increased firmness at advance. Linseed We quote: American, best burning oil, 223/4 c.; Canadian, best, 211/2 c.; second, 171/2c., no charge for barrels.

SALT-There is nothing new to report. Prices remain firm at quotations. There is very light demand. The importation of American salt in boxes has largely fallen off owing to the Windsor salt being put up in The same is true of cartoons. We quote: Coarse, 50 to 55c.; fine factory filled, \$1 to \$1.10; 5-lb. bags, \$3 to \$3.25 per bbl.; 10 lb. bags, \$2.80 to \$3 per bbl.; 20-lb. boxes, 20c.; 10 lb. boxes, 12c.; cartoons, \$2 per doz.; cheese salt, bbls., bulk,

CANNED GOODS-Demand is good. The new stock of finnan haddies are now coming into the market, and large quantities are being shipped through to Ontario and points, where demand shows a steady increase at good prices. In salmon stocks of old are light, and are held firm. Merchants and packers are not of one mind as regards new, and but very few are as yet On account of the length of time these goods have to be held before there is a local demand, buyers are backward. New canned lobsters are now in this market. We quote: Corn, 90c. to \$1; peas, 95c.; tomatoes, \$1 to \$1.05; new gallon apples, \$2.25 to \$2.40; corned beef, 2 lb. tins, \$3 to \$3.10; 1-lb. tins, \$1.70 to \$1.75; oysters, 2's, \$2 to \$2 25; 1's, \$1.6c to \$1.65; peaches, 3's, \$3 to \$3.15; 2's, \$2 to \$2.10; salmon, \$1.40 to \$1.50; lobsters, \$1.75 to \$2; haddies, \$1.40; clams, \$5.50 for 4 doz.; chowder, \$3 for 2 doz.; scallops, \$5.50 for 4 doz.; Digby chickens, \$1.

DRIED FRUIT-Valencia layers continue very low. They are being offered in quantities to wholesale trade by brokers, as low as \$1 per box delivered. Demand along all lines is light. In loose muscatels the feeling is firm, but prices are still very low. Holders of evaporated apples have been much disappointed at the turn the market has taken. The position of dried is better; as stocks are very light, prices outside of local demand are lower. Prunes and dates are slow. Peanuts, which are finding good demand, are up from 1 to 2c. We quote: Currants, I lb. cartoons, 71/2c.; bulk, 61/2c.; dried apples, 5½ to 5¾ c.; evaporated apples, 7½ to 8c.; sultana raisins, 6 to 7c.; Valencia, 4 to 4½c.; layers, 5 to 5½c.; London layers, \$2 to \$2.25; loose muscatels, 5 to 51/2c.; currants, bbls., 33/4 to 4c.; half-cases, 4¼ to 4½c.; dates, 4 to 4½c.; prunes, 4½ to 5½c.; figs, 11 to 18c.; Bermuda onions, \$1.50 per crate; Egyptian, 2 to 21/4 c.; California evaporated peaches, 12 to 13c.; do. apricots, 12 to 14c.; do. pears, 12 to 13c.

DAIRY PRODUCE-Butter is in rather better demand, and good new sells freely at quotations. The stock of old is getting cleaned up somewhat. It can be bought at any price. There is still some through the country. Creamery prints are rather firmer, though demand is yet light. Cheese remains in light demand. The West India market, which has, as a rule, taken large quantities of cheese, about 30 lbs. each, is now very dull. There are still a few old through the country and city. The bulk of the demand is for the new. In eggs more are coming in and prices are easy. quote: Old butter, dairy, 12 to 14c.; creamery, 14 to 15c.; new dairy, 15 to 16c.; new creamery prints, 18 to 19c. Cheese, new, 81/2 to 90.; old, 9 to 91/2c.; eggs, 9 to 10c.

GREEN FRUIT-Mr. C. H. Dearborn, of Dearborn & Co., who is just home from his orange grove in Florida, reports the effect of the frosts most disastrous, and that there will be no oranges for a number of years. On the pineapples it was not so bad, and next year's crop wil be probably a full one. Prices here are firm, particularly lemons. Large quantities of goods are moving. Rhubarb is being received in large quantities, of good quality, and sells freely at quotations. quote: Pineapples, 18 to 20c.; rhubarb, 1/2c.; strawberries, 10 to 12c.; Messinas, \$4 to \$4.50; bloods, \$2.50 to \$2.75; Valencias, \$6; lemons, \$4 50; bananas, \$1.75 to \$2.50.

MOLASSES-Demand is rather easier, though stocks continue light, the best part of what has arrived having gone into the country. There are quite a number of bar-rels now here which at price are finding good sale. Prices are very firm and the tendency of the market is upward. A cargo of Porto Rico is expected in a few days. We quote: Barbadoes, 34 to 35c.; Porto Rico, 35 to 36c.; St. Croix, 33 to 34c.; bbls, 34 to 35c.

SUGAR-There is fair demand, but prices are not so firm, though in value there cannot be said to be any decline. Dealers, on account of large stocks, are selling very close to refiners' price. Present quotation is the bottom of the market, and at these prices it is considered good stock, higher prices being looked for. We quote: Granulard of the self-december of lated, 43/8 to 45/8c.; yellow, 31/2 to 37/8c.; Paris lump, 5 to 5½c.; powdered, 5 to 5½c.

FISH-Fresh salmon continue to be the most active line. Though the quantity caught on the north shore is such as to cause the price to be made there, ours is considered the best quality. Catch has so far been light. Shad are scarce and the season is about over. Lobsters are also scarce, and in most cases small, the best being shipped west. In other lines the market is quiet, West Indian demand being very light, and west Indian demand being very light, and shipments show very poor returns. We quote: Halibut, 8c; gaspereaux, 5oc; smoked, \$1 per 100; lobsters, \$6 per 100; large cod, \$3.75 to \$3.90; medium, \$3.60 to \$3.70; small, \$2.75; pollock, \$1.70; bay herring, \$1.40 to \$1.50 per half-bbl; Shel-burne, No. 1, \$4 per helt, half-bbl, \$2.40 to \$1.70. burne, No. 1, \$4 per bol.; half-bbl., \$2.40 to \$2.50.; shad, 9 to 10c.; smoked herring, 5½ to 6c.; Digby chickens, 10c.; salmon, II to 12C.

PROVISIONS-Demand is very light. Beef is rather easier. Lard is the best seller, but even that is moving in small quantities. Rolls are offered more freely than they have been. We quote: Clear pork, \$18 to \$18.50; mess, \$16.50 to \$17; beef, \$14.50 to \$15; pure lard, 9 to 10½c.; hams, 11 to 12c.; compound lard, 8 to 9c.; rolls, 9 to 9½c.; cottolene, 91/4 to 93/4 c.

FLOUR, FEED AND MEAL-The flour market, though still high and on leading brands showing no change, outside brands are more freely offered and millers more anxious to sell. Middlings are still scarce, but rather easier. Millers not selling flour in this market do not care to ship feed here : and in no market is it more difficult to introduce new brands of flour. Cornmeal continues firm at prices. Oats are rather easier. Most buyers prefer Ontario to P.E.I., but will not give the difference. Some from the Island, however, are giving splendid satisfaction, and Ontario people are rather more inclined to meet their prices. Oatmeal continues to be offered at least as

low as millers' figures. Hay is moving more freely at rather better figures. quote: Manitoba, \$5.65 to \$5.75; best Ontario, \$5.35 to \$5.50; medium, \$5.10 to \$5.25; oatmeal, \$4.60 to \$4.70; cornmeal, \$3.10; middlings, \$24 to \$25 on track; bran, \$22 to \$22.50; hand-picked beans, \$1; prime, \$1.75 to \$1.80; oats, Ontario, 51 to \$2c.; hay, \$9 to \$9.50; pot barley, \$4.15 to \$4.25; round peas, \$3.75 to \$3.90; split, \$3.75 to \$3.90; P.E.I. oats, 46 to 47c.

ST. JOHN NOTES ..

Lobster canning. The position of this product is not what one would wish. It is a matter of great importance to New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island. The trouble has been that too many of the packers are careless of the reputation their goods get so long as they get them off, and they seem to think that the cheaper they can put them up the more profit they will make, for-getting that such conduct will ruin the trade Already the English buyers altogether. say the quality runs so uneven as to make them most unsatisfactory goods to handle. Among the troubles are the poor qual ty of the lobsters packed, the poor quality of the tins used, which are often unlined, and sometimes carelessly soldered. Another difficulty is that pieces of solder and drops of acid get into the tin, discoloring the lobster. There are, however, some of our packers who by care have made such a

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name for their goods that they find no difficulty in getting at least 25c. per dozen more for their output than the bulk of the goods bring. A little extra cost, a little extra care, will more than repay the canner.

Dean Bros., retail grocers, mourn the loss of their collector and some \$75 to \$100.

The importers of root beer extract have been called upon by the Government to pay alcohol duty.

Even in the States, so much thought of by some, and by them so often held to be a so much better place than Canada, everything does not bring high prices. It is understood potatoes are selling in Maine at 30c. per barrel.

The firm of Simeon Jones have been appointed agents for Reinhardt & Co., the brewers of Salvador and Bavarian lager beer.

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Connor's rope walk is again to be operated. This is welcome news to the old employes. It is opened by the Consumers' Cordage Co. to prevent an opposition factory opening.

Messrs. T. Collins & Co. have received a shipment of extra grocery molasses in barrels, 40 gallons each.

An effort is being made by the police to have the Sunday observed better. The movement is particularly against the cigar storekeepers, who make no pretence of keeping the day. The grocers wish the movement success.

Jardine & Co. report good sa'es of Marshall's Scotch fish products. Considering the fish country they live in, it speaks well for the productions of Marshall & Co., Aberdeen.

Mr. Felix Taussig, representing the well-known firm of N. W. Taussig & Co., has been in the city during the past week. His firm do a large business here. They are represented by J. Hunter White.

The attractive ad. of Williams, Davis, Brooks & Co., of Detroit, proprietors of Bryant's Root Beer in the last number of THE CANADIAN GROCER has drawn general attention. Their goods have had a very large sale in this market. They are handled by the following wholesale houses: T. B. Barker & Son, druggists; Baird & Peters and C. & E. Macmichael, grocers; White, Colwell & Co., manufacturing confectioners; and H. Rattenbury, Charlottetown. J. Hunter White is their representative.

FREDERICTON.

Lumber business continues very active. At the booms in Fredericton 2,531 joints were rafted in one day. During the present week some eight steamers and a number of large ships have been loading.

RICHIBUCTO.

A large trade has been done at Richibucto this season shipping mackerel in ice to Boston, one firm alone shipping eight hundred barrels last week.

GRAND MANAN.

A new shaped herring box is being used at Grand Manan. It is in two compartments, each holding about 100 mediumsized herring. It is said to keep the fish in better condition than the old box.

TO STOCK T., H. & B.

A meeting of railway magna'es will be held at the Queen's Hotel, Toronto, on Tuesday next, July 2. Representatives will be present from the T., H. & B., N. Y. C., M. C. R, Canada Southern and C. P. R.,

and the object is the issuing of bonds, stocking the road, and to discuss other matters in connection with the Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Railway.

NOVA SCOTIA MARKET REPORT.

OFFICE OF THE CANADIAN GROCER,

HALIFAX, June 27, 1895.

THE past week has been characterized by a general dulness in trade. Reports from all parts of the province are of the same tenor. There is no one branch showing any marked improvement. The letter of G. C. Brown, in the last issue of THE CANADIAN GROCER, in reference to trade with Jamaica, seems to hit the nail on the head pretty correctly. Shippers here have complained time and again about the excessive freight rates, but they have had to take it out in complaining. The letter was re-published in Monday's Chronicle, and was the general theme of conversation among business men all that day. A prominent member of the Board of Trade said to-day that the present state of affairs would not exist for ever. The letter has had the effect of wakening our shippers out of a long sleep. They are easy going and put up with a great deal, but when they get roused they are wide-

FISHSTUFFS—Mackerel is the only article in fish showing any life. The demand is very good, owing to the poor supply. The few arrivals sell readily. The bulk of our spring catch has been stuffed fish, and that is a factor in keeping up present high values, the quotations being: large 3's, \$9.50 to \$10. If the receipts during the next few days are at all large, values will decline. Dry cod are now down to their proper value—\$2.50 to \$3.25—according to quality, only the choicest bringing the latter figures. Alewives remain unchanged at \$2.50. Herring are still in over supply; West India grades are worth \$1.25 to \$1.50.

FLOUR—The flour market is fairly active. A few hundred barrels of American have been received. Quotations remain: Hungarian patent, Manitoban, \$5.60 to \$5.75; Manitoba strong bakers', \$5.50 to \$5.60; Canadian pastry, \$5.40 to \$5.60; 75 p.c. roller patents, \$5.35 to \$5.50; 80 p.c. ditto, \$5.55 to \$5.35; 90 p.c. ditto, \$5 to \$5.25; straight, \$4.90 to \$5.10; extra, \$4.75 to \$4.85.

SUGAR—The refinery reports no change from last week. The business is still in the hands of the dealers, and prices are unchanged.

GREEN FRUIT — The market is well stocked with green fruit of all kinds. Native strawberries are plentiful and retailing at 15c. per box for extra good fruit. Some fine California peaches have arrived, but only in small quantities. Large supplies are expected next week. The demand is fair. Prices remain unchanged.

EGGS—There is a drop in eggs. The price on P.E. Island is 9½c., which means toc. here.

PRODUCE—The produce market is dull. There is nothing doing in potatoes at 34 and 35c. Large lots can be had at 3oc.

BUTTER—This article remains dull. No. I we-tern is offered at 11c, equal to 11½c. landed here, including icing. Small tubs of native are offered at 16c.

MARKET TRUCK-Long Island cabbages

are in abundance. Fresh beans and cucumbers are also arriving in large quantities.

MOLASSES— Stocks are not large. A cargo of Porto Rico arrived early in the week. There is no Cienfuegus on the market. Antigua is quoted at 30c; Porto Rico, 32c. to 35c: Trinidad, 30c; Barbadoes, 34c; Demerara, "M.R." brand, 39c, and St. Kitts, 28c.

HALIFAX NOTES.

M. O. Wier & Co. have opened a retail grocery on Argyle street.

Two-pound loaves of bread are still sold by Wm. Moir & Co. at 4c.

Hubley & Co., grocers, have dissolved partnership. John H. Blaikeney will conduct the business in the future.

M. & N. Smith, fish exporters, have made extensive improvements to their premises. They have now a handsome suite of offices.

The Eastern Trust Company have been appointed liquidators of the McDougall Brewing Co. The bonds are fixed at \$10,000.

Mr. Louis Butler has arrived to look up another general cargo for Hayti. He sends out fish, flour, dogs, cats, horses, wagons, etc., to the extent of \$25.000 monthly.

J. A. Leaman & Co., vituallers, have fitted up their slaughter house on new and improved lines. This firm is the largest of the kind in the lower provinces. They are large importers of Ontario beef, having the contract to supply the military, which only takes the best.

Quite a quantity of stuff went forward to the West Indies by the steamer Taymouth Castle last week. Her cargo consisted of fish, butter, oats, peas, boots and shoes, woolens, cement, rope, condensed milk, carriages, whiskey, hay, biscuits, cheese, shingles, and, to make the assortment complete, nine Chinamen.

KENTVILLE.

Mr. James Stewart, a former newspaper man, has gone into strawberry farming. This year he produced strawberries nine days earlier than ever before in the county. He has two and a half acres of strawberries and twenty acres in other small fruits, and is making as big a success of farming as he did of making newspapers.

Kentville had some out tanding 5 per cent. water loans, and thought it might do better. So it called for tenders for \$25,000 25 year bonds, and \$2.500 20 year bonds, both at 4 per cent. The offers received were:

Rufus Currry, Windsor, (for both loans, and this	
offer accepted)	
J. C. Mackintosh, Halifax, for \$2,500	
J. C. Mackintosh, Halifax, for \$25,000	
Confederation Life Assurance, Toronto	
Halifax Fire Insurance Co., \$15,000	
Hanson Bros , Montreal	
R. Wilson Smith, Montreal	
Jarvis & Co., Toronto, for \$2,500	
J. A. Meldrum, Toronto	
Tarvis & Co., Toronto, \$25,000	93.58

CREAMERY BUTTER INSPECTOR.

It is learned that the Minister of Agriculture has appointed F. E. Jodery, of Montreal, to inspect the fresh made creamery butter which is sent through to Great Britain, using the cold storage arrangements which have been provided by the Department of Agriculture in Montreal and on board the steamships. Mr. Jodery is further appointed to act as official referee in cases of dispute in regard to quality of cheese and butter. It is understood that his efficiency for these important services is undoubted.

HAMILTON TRADE GOSSIP.

RADE has ruled much about the same as a week ago. Prices show no decline, although the volume of business is light. What tendency to change there may be is in an upward direction. "I think this goes to show," remarked one wholesaler, "that there must be good prospects for the future. If it were not so, there would be more cutting than there is."

In all descriptions of canned goods the movement has continued brisk, if anything, more so than a week ago. This applies to vegetables, fruits, canned and potted meats and salmon. On tomatoes the ruling price still seems to be 80 to 85c., but there is a stronger feeling, and higher figures are being talked of. One house, in fact, is asking 87½c. for brands it was a week ago willing to take 85c. for. Outside one or two houses local stocks of canned vegetables are said to be light.

The new canned finnan haddie put upon the market is opening up well. "Probably better than last year," remarked one wholesaler. "We are now anxiously awaiting the arrival of new pack lobster," he added.

Salmon continues strong. There have been some transactions in futures at \$4.50 on the Coast, but holders are still inclined to hold off. Some inferior brands have changed hands at \$4.20 on the Coast. "As far as we can learn," said one jobber with whom I was conversing, "there appears to be no possibility of a cut in the price of salmon on the Coast, which means that the cheapest brand of anything like red salmon, would cost to-day in 1,000 case lots \$1.20 per dozen net cash laid down."

One wholesale house here informs me that it to-day (Wednesday) received its first quotations for the season on canned tomatoes, peas and corn for future delivery. They came from two different packers. One quoted tomatoes alone and asked 8oc. The other quoted tomatoes, peas and corn and wanted 85c. There were no transactions.

Local jobbers appear to be pretty well sold out of last season's Japan teas. One wholesaler was congratulating himself to me that he only had five packages in his warehouse. I don't know how many are in this enviable position. "You know," he said, as he paced the floor of his warehouse, "it is worse than drawing teeth to sell old Japan tea after shipments of new season's arrive."

There has, I understand, been a little increased activity in Japan tea during the week. "People are sorting up," said a member of one firm, "and we are looking for further improvement the beginning of the month, as people will then have found out that new season's teas coming to hand are not only inferior liquoring teas, but that

they are poorly made, being full of flat leaves, which is something the retailer objects to very much."

Currants and raisins are getting into smaller compass, and values offering here in both of them are exceptionally good. "For instance," remarked one jobber, "we are selling that currant there at 4½c. They can be retailed at four pounds for 25c., and they are better, or quite as good, as what are usually retailed at three pounds for 25c."

At a meeting of the Railway Comm ttee in Ottawa on Saturday, that body was asked to decree that before any further concessions were made to the T. H. & B. railway they be compelled to pay the arrears of wages due the workmen. Hon. Mr. Haggart explained that the committee had no authority to deal with a matter of that kind. It might, however, be made a condition in any legislation before Parliament. Now a Hamilton firm of lawyers is advertising for the signatures of the creditors of Bracy Bros., the insolvent contractors of the road, asking the Dominion Government to rule that no further legislation shall be granted to the T. H. & B. until the laborers and those who supplied material have been

Work on the tunnel of the T. H. & B. was commenced June 24th. There are over 200,000 cubic yards of earth to remove, and four steam shovels will be employed in this work. The tunnel is to be 1,900 feet long, made of brick and stone, and is to cost somewhere in the neighborhood of \$300,000.

The first shipment of merchandise to go on board the new steamer Majestic at Collingwood for the upper lakes was a consignment from James Turner & Co., of this city.

W. H. Gillard & Co.'s tea room has just been thoroughly renovated, re-arranged and re-fitted with new furniture. "We think this is about the best tea room in the country," admiringly remarked a member of the firm. "You see, it faces the north, and there is no light like that from the north for sampling teas."

The crop of raspberries promises to be most bountiful. "I was down east a few days ago, right through the raspberry section," said a wholesale grocer to me, "and the people tell me the crop will be simply enormous, and we expect to get a run on sugar in about a week," he added with a smile. "Yes," remarked another grocer, "the raspberry crop is going to be large, and it is raspberries, you must remember, that is the great preserving staple."

Among the delegates who were here last week attending the Foresters' convention were a number of merchants. And a wholesale friend of mine informed me that more

than one of them spoke in particularly complimentary terms regarding THE CANADIAN GROCER. "They tell me," he said, "that it is getting more valuable to them all the time. And I have evidence, too, that our Hamilton merchants carefully read your paper," he concluded.

The demand for sugar is very light, but jobbers are still holding out for 43% to 43% c. for granulated, although lower prices have been accepted from first-class men for quantities.

The Board of Trade met on Monday and elected these officers, all by acclamation: Messrs. John Hoodless, president; J. G. Bowes, vice-president; C. R. Smith, secretary-treasurer; Geo. E. Bristol, J. B. Fairgrieve, George E. Tuckett, Wm. Hendrie, J. Turnbull, John Proctor, A. T. Wood, to Council of the Board for three years; J. M. Young, R. T. Steele, Alfred Powis, J. M. Burns, to Board of Arbitration for three years. The annual meeting will be held on Tuesday next, when the retiring president, Mr. Kittson, will deliver an address.

I had a little chat a few days ago with Mr. H. C. Beckett, of W. H. Gillard & Co., who has been holidaying in the neighborhood of Port Arthur. "Trade prospects," he said in reply to a query of mine, "are fairly good. They are getting out a good deal of wood, which appears to be one of their principal industries just now. Port Arthur is going to be a great place yet. One man told me that in 1878 you could have shot a cannon ball down the main street without striking anyone, while there were so many unfinished buildings that window and door sashes were taken out and shipped to Duluth for use in buildings there. If Duluth has become such an important place, I don't see why Port Arthur cannot, do you W. L. E.

A PURE GOLD EXHIBIT.

At a stand in John Catto's big new building in King street east, Toronto, is to be seen a great array of the commodities prepared by the Pure Gold Mfg. Co. Tins and boxes of Delicatine, baking powder, Pure Gold icing and Pure Gold flavoring are piled in pyramids and other geometrical figures behind a large plate glass window. To attract special attention to the display, the original study for G. A. Reid's celebrated picture, "The Story," valued at \$500, is shown.

MARRIED IN JUNE.

On June 19 Frank Edwin Taylor, of the firm of Allan Taylor & Co., general merchants and foundrymen, Waterloo, Que., was married to Miss Laura Emily, second daughter of E. L. Roberts, of West Shefford, Que. Rev. R. D. Mills, M.A., rector of Berthier En Hunt, uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. Seth Mills, rector of West Shefford. Service over, the large party of invited guests repaired to the hospitable Roberts mansion, where a most recherche repast awaited the guests, and where the vast number of valuable wedding souvenirs were on view. The newly married couple left on the Halifax express for a lengthy trip through the Maritime Provinces and New England States.

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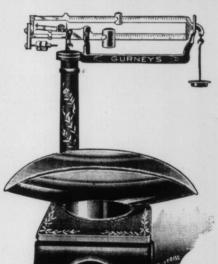
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THE DRUMMER'S BAGGAGE.

"I can tell after a single glance at the baggage carried by a drummer about how long he has been on the road," said a lawyer at the Commercial Travelers' Club. "When the young man first starts out to the grand tour of the west or south, he is likely to carry in one large trunk enough samples to stock a village store. Another trunk will contain changes of clothing and linen sufficient for a trip around the world. He will carry two large hand satchels--one containing samples, the other a bountiful supply of gents' furnishings and toilet articles. Two overcoats—one light, the other heavy -a shawl or blanket and a mackintosh rolled up and strapped, a leather hat box containing a 'sixer,' an umbrella and acane and a large pair of field-glasses swung over his shoulders on a strap will complete the

"Six months later this young man will have discarded one of the trunks, the hatbox, the cane and the field-glass. At the end of a year two satchels and the umbrella will comprise his belongings. He has gradually learned that every first class hotel in the country can do laundry work in 12 hours; that umbrellas can be hired at the check-room; that one middle-weight overcoat is sufficient for his wants; that a cane is in the way; that the place for a silk hat is on the head, or, better still, that a derby is good enough; that blankets are supplied

in the Pullman service; that field-glasses are only of use on race tracks, and then behold the angel of commerce with his change of linen on one side and his samples on the other of a single traveling bag, selling more goods in a day than he formerly sold in a week, and not paying out from \$3 to \$10 a day on excess of baggage."—New York World.

AN AMERICAN TEA FARM.

A few miles from Charleston, on the old South Carolina railroad, is the only tea farm in the United States. It belongs to Dr. Charles U. Shephard, a distinguished chemist and public-spirited citizen who is devoting his time and means to continuing an experiment begun here in 1877 by Gen. Leduc, Commissioner of Agriculture under President Hayes. When the latter went out of office the enterprise was practically abandoned, and in 1888, when Dr. Shephard went to Summerville, he found everything in a discouraging condition with the exception of thousands of lusty young tea plants that had germinated from the seed the winds had blown from the old plants in every direction.

He bought the place, cleared off the rubbish and the weeds, and commenced an analytical study of the character and habits of the plant. He imported also various kinds of Oriental seeds from Japan, China, Ceylon, Formosa and other places until he had twenty acres of various varieties of the tea plant, with which he is experimenting to ascertain those most suitable for the climate and method of their cultivation.

During 1894 he produced 500 pounds of excellent black tea, which sold for \$1.20 a pound in Summerville and Charleston, and about 300 pounds of green tea, which sold for \$1.50 a pound. During 1895, if conditions are favorable, he expects to reach conclusions as to climate, cultivation, fertilizing, etc., which he believes will be of practical value to the farmers of the United States.

MONEY IN POULTRY.

According to a recent authority, the Canadian farmers do not pay enough attention to their poultry. A young hen is not a worthless nuisance to be left alone to pick her own living. She is valuable property, and, if properly cared for, will pay larger interest on cost and labor than other farm stock. Increase your flock to 2,000 hens at once. Build a suitable house for them. It will pay you. Few are aware of the value and importance of the egg trade as a source of wealth.

The amount of business done in the United States in the egg trade exclusively will amount to over \$2,000,000 each year. New York city alone consumed \$12,000,000 worth at an average price of 18c. a dozen. The poultry and egg business outranks any single product, except corn, raised and sold in that country.



TRADE CHAT.

EWS has been received of the robbery of the Bank of Rainy Lake on Thursday by two masked men, who, after holding up and knocking senseless the cashier and binding the teller, robbed the bank of some \$30,000, and made their escape.

Australian trade declined £8,000,000 last year.

The Toronto City Council has decided to abolish market fees.

The Rossburn (Man.) cheese factory will be ready for work in a short time.

The United States revenue on sugar for the 11 months ending May 31 was \$15,642,648.

The Guelph Stilton Cheese Co. on Monday made their first shipment of the product of their factory to Toronto.

The London Street Railway Co. have commenced work on their line to Springbank, on the south side of the river.

Levi Rightmeyer, for many years identified with the salt industry of Canada, died at his home in Kincardine, Ont., on Saturday morning.

A despatch from Wyoming, Del., says: "It is estimated that the shipments of peaches from this station this season will total about 275,000 baskets. The number usually shipped is 575,000 baskets. During

the phenomenal season of two years ago they aggregated 650,000 baskets. The tenor of reports from all districts is that this year's crop will only be about half the size of last year's."

The Cornwall canal, three lock gates of which were carried away by the steamer Ocean last Wednesday week, has been reopened for navigation. The Ocean was floated and taken to Montreal to be put in dry dock for repairs.

Mr. Palmisano, fruit dealer, of London, Ont., was charged at the Police Court on Monday morning with driving faster than a walk over the St. George street bridge. He was fined \$5 and \$1.85 costs.

"I am too much of a gentleman, sir, to tell you what I think of you here," exclaimed the irate politician, "but if I ever catch you in Congress, I'll call you a liar, sir."—Chicago Evening Post.

At a meeting of the Civic Finance Committee yesterday afternoon, it was decided to recommend Council to instruct the city solicitor to defend the suit now pending against the legality of the early closing bylaw.—Free Press, Winnipeg.

The Standard Oil & Gas Co., the stock of which is chiefly owned by the Detroit Gas Co., this spring announced that they would enter the field in competition with the Ontatio Gas Co. and proceeded to sink wells in Essex. It now appears that their idea

was merely to use the incorporation as a club over the Ontario Co., and they have since made an arrangement with that company to supply the Detroit Gas Co. with gas at 8c. per thousand feet, about half what they formerly paid. The customers of the Ontario Co. in Windsor pay 25c. a thousand, and are somewhat nettled at the difference in price.

SHORT CROP OF PEANUTS.

Advices which were received by leading fruit houses on Tuesday were very firm on peanuts. Both Hart & Tuckwell and Vipond, McBride & Co., of Montreal, were advised that the crop of the nut in Virginia was only about half the average.

In consequence of this news, and the strength in New York, prices in peanuts were advanced ½c to 7½ and 8c.

SALMON FACTORIES BURNED.

During the past week Costello & Mc-Morran's new cannery, near the mouth of the Fraser River, was completely destroyed by fire. The cannery was well appointed, and had preparations well in hand for this season; their output would have probably been in the neighborhood of 15,000 cases.

Advices received from the Skeena River announce the destruction by fire of the Windsor cannery, which last year packed 9,279 cases.

Both establishments will be rebuilt during the summer, and be ready for operation by next season. — B.C. Commercial Journal, June 18.

Abraham Lincoln once said:

"You can fool some people all the time, you can fool all the people sometimes, but you can't fool all the people all the time."

Some customers may upon recommendation accept a box of inferior matches "just to try," or because it is a cent or two cheaper.

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THE JAM TRADE.

FEW years ago when Mr. Gladstone, in one of his charming bucolic orations at Hawarden, recommended the British farmer to turn his attention to fruit cultivation and the making of jam, his advice was received with a good deal of cheap and ignorant ridicule. As usual, the ex-Premier has proved a good deal wiser than his critics, and those who gave ear to his counsel in this instance have had no reason to regret their confidence. In an interview a famous provider says, according to The Westminster Gazette:—

"The motive that induced me to take up the jam trade was my knowledge of the fact that within late years the demand for preserves had been steadily increasing, while that for butter has, no doubt in consequence, shown a tendency rather to decline than otherwise. Catering as I do for some 300,000 daily customers, I have naturally good opportunity of knowing what the public want in the matter of provisions.

"Jam has a great future before it. The people are using it more and more largely every year, and, in my opinion, they are doing wisely, for what could be cheaper and at the same time healthier than a good jam made from sound English fruit?

"I attribute the superiority of English fruit to the nature of the soil and to the fact that the fruit ripens more gradually in our climate than in countries where there is more continuous and powerful sunshine. The slower the ripening process the better is the flavor of the fruit.

"You may not perhaps be aware that strawberries grown in the northern parts of Scotland are vastly superior in all respects to those grown in southern England, without doubt because they take longer to mature. Australian jams are being pushed largely in India and elsewhere, and may very probably come here before long to compete with our home produce.

"In Ireland there is a magnificent future for the fruit growing industry, if only its opportunities were turned to account. Even now most of the blackberries that come to the English markets are grown in Ireland. But there are enormous possibilities there of which no one has yet taken advantage. Properly worked, its fruit trade might yet do much to insure Ireland's commercial prosperity."

WHY HIRAM WALKER NEVER TOOK THE OATH.

Many people have wondered why Hiram Walker never became a British subject, because it was in this country that he first made the money that laid the foundation of his immense fortune. But Mr. Walker's refusal to take the oath of allegiance now means the saving of nearly a quarter of a millton to him. Some years

ago the Local Government passed a law levying a tax of so much per cent on the estates left by deceased persons from a certain sum upward, the amount so derived to go to the fund for the maintenance of the asylums and penal institutions of the province. The executors of the will of the late Alexander Cameron paid the Government \$35,000, and if Mr. Walker had taken out his naturalization papers it would have cost his estate over \$200,000, taking \$8,000,000 as the amount of his possessions in this province.—Ex.

CALIFORNIA FRUIT.

Arthur P. Tippet & Co., under date of June 25, report as follows with regard to the coming crop of California raisins:

Raisins—The first crop in quantity will be about the same as last year; in quality it will be better, provided the weather is favorable from now until harvest time. The total quantity will be about the same as last year, provided all the second crop is cured; this latter, however, is very doubtful, as, owing to the exceedingly low prices that have been ruling, growers have not realized cost of harvesting second crop raisins of 1894, and unless there is a reasonable prospect of at least getting the cost out of them, the second crop will not be harvested. The shipments of California raisins last year were upwards of 80,000,000 lbs., or over 4,000 carloads.

Peaches—The crop is heavy and of unusually good quality; the quantity dried will be large and prices reasonable.

Apricots—The quantity will no doubt be much short of last year, scarcely more than 50 per cent.

Prunes—The quantity of these will probably be about the same as last year; the quality will be exceptionally fine.

NEW WAY TO SELL BUTTER.

The grocers of Ithaca, N. Y., says The Grocery World, have adopted an idea in selling butter which might be of advantage to the trade in other towns. They have arranged to sell this commodity from a central store, under their united control and in charge of an expert.

Several advantages are expected to accrue from this innovation. At present, not only in Ithaca, but in almost every other country town, grocers buy butter from farmers on a trade basis. Butter bought and sold in this way is practically never dealt with on its merits strictly. Inasmuch as the farmer's trade must be catered to, it becomes necessary to pay each farmer the same, whether the qualities embodied are the same or not. It also becomes necessary, as a rule, to pay considerably more for farmer's butter than it is really worth and could be bought for in a strictly cash deal, for if the farmer gets an idea that he is not receiving enough for his product, he takes his sometimes remunerative trade to some other grover.

The Ithaca scheme embodies the purchase of butter for cash strictly, the question of merit only to be considered. The butter is then to be sold on the same basis, the fine grades commanding the price due to them, and the ordinary qualities likewise. This will place the good butter-maker in a class

where he belongs as well as the producer of poor butter, and will render the butter trade much more remunerative than now, where good, bad and indifferent butter must be bought and sold on the same basis.

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Amherst, N.S., "Daily Press,"

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BRITISH TRADE IN MAY.

THE Board of Trade returns for the past month, as summarized by The London Times, are fairly satisfactory, even after making allowance for there being one more working day in the past month than in May, 1894. The imports are valued at £34,752,086, which is more than the total of May, 1894, by £618,026, or 1.8 per cent.; the exports of British and Irish produce amount to £,18,344,744, an increase of £860,532, equal to 4.9 per cent. The exports of foreign and colonial merchandise are valued at £5,215,785, which again is £311,677 more than the total in the corresponding month of last year. As regards the classes into which imported goods are divided, animals, articles of food and drink, raw materials other than for textile purposes and sundry articles, are less in value, but metals, chemicals, etc., oils, raw materials for textile manufacture, manufactured articles and parcel post articles are more.

The receipts of barley and Indian corn are much below last year's totals. Butter also is lower, the shipments from Denmark having fallen off. Refined sugar is more in quantity and value; both Germany and France have sent more. Raw sugar is greater in quantity, but less in value, the increase being in beet sugar. Cocoa, tea and tobacco each show considerable increases. Copper is less both in quantity and value, but iron ore, quicksilver, tin, zinc and lead are more both in quantity and value. Petroleum oil is more in quantity by 12.7 per cent., and in value is 97.2 per cent. more, owing to the great rise in its price. Cotton, hemp and flax were shipped more freely, but there is a heavy fall in jute. Sheep's wool is less 1.7 per cent. in quantity, but in value 9.7 per cent. Hides are much more both in quantity and value. Hewn wood also is more in quantity and value, but sawn is less by 151,000 loads in quantity and £326,346 in value. Manufactured articles as a whole have increased by 1,913,300 net. Of this large increase cotton manufactures account for £62,000, leather for £137,000, linen yarn for £45,000, paper for £39,000, silks for \$390,000, and woolens for £160,000.

As in previous months of this year the shipments of yarns and textile fabrics to the United States have conduced to the increased total value. Cotton piece goods, which are 2.0 per cent. less in quantity, are, however less in value by 7.7 per cent. Textiles are generally lower in price. Woolens have, however, best maintained their prices. The following figures illustrate how the shipments of textiles in the five months to the United States stand in comparison with last year:

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Copper and iron are each more in quantity and value, but telegraph wires, etc., are

less by £63,000. Of iron the chief increase is in pig. As to machinery, steam is less on account of Russia having taken fewer machines other than locomotives and agricultural. The shipments of mining machinery to South Africa are valued at £46,000, compared with £13,000 in May, 1894. Several countries in Europe have taken more of textile machinery.

A CHOICE JAPAN TEA.

Wm. Dallas, of New York, was upon the Toronto tea market on Friday last. He reported that Mourilyan, Heiman & Co., of Yokohama, for whom he acts as American agent, have purchased from an Oojikawa garden, Joshiu Prefecture, some 150 kin of the choicest leaf of the tea crop, \$137 being the figure named. If we mistake not, this is the highest priced tea ever reported since the port was opened to foreigners in 1868.

The tea will sell here for \$1.25 a pound. As Japan teas are generally very cheap, it will readily be seen, therefore, that Mr. Dallas is introducing a very superior line.

SALMON RUN.

The salmon run in the Fraser and Columbia rivers this season has been excellent, and it is declared by the oldest fishermen on the rivers that the quality of the fish was never so fine. The weight of the salmon is increasing yearly, and this year averages fully twenty-eight pounds per salmon. Buyers and distributors say that a large proportion of the public of this continent have only recently begun to be consumers of canned salmon, a result ascribed to the recent innovation of packing perfect steaks of the fish in oval cans. About 100,000 cases of Columbia river salmon have been bought for the British Isles this season, as against 30,000 cases last year.—Canadian Trade

CUBA SUGAR CROP.

Our estimate of the present crop, 975,000 tons, was long looked upon as excessive, but the closing figures are bearing out our predictions. We now with equal confidence predict that the next crop in Cuba will not exceed 800,000 tons, and may out-turn only 600,000 tons. There are several good reasons for our estimates. The fall plantings of new cane were much neglected, and the spring plantings almost entirely neglected. As fields must be renewed to keep up crops, these items alone mean 200,000 tons less sugar next year. The low price of sugar and difficulties of labor caused this neglect, and now staring the planters in the face are greater difficulties. With an insurrection in full blast and gaining power every day, already outgrown its limits at one end of the island, and rapidly spreading into new sugar districts, the moneyed powers who usually find the wherewithal for making the crop will be very slow to put their money into such danger as now threatens the plantations and cane fields from rebel attack and fires. Without money the laborer can't be hired, and he is rapidly joining the rebels in arms, who have abundance of everything for comfort, and are destitute only of arms and ammunition for the new recruits flocking to their lines. Such is the reliable information brought us personally from the seat of war, and our Cuba cable received to-day says: "Crop prospects are becoming worse." Hence, we will be surprised if the crop finally reaches our outside estimate of 600,000 tons.-Willett & Gray.

COLD STORAGE.

J. J Philip, of Winnipeg, has awarded the contract for the erection of his large cold storage warehouse on Elgin avenue. The building will be 34 by 48, two stories and a basement; the later of stone, with timber superstructure. The basement walls will be lined with brick, the floor laid with cement, and frost-proof, well adapted for warm storage in the winter and cold storage in the summer. The cold or freezing rooms will be on the ground floor, and will be built on the latest improved plans to obtain the desired result. The floor above will be for general storage. The necessity for such a building has long been realized, and he may be congratulated on the inauguration of this addition to the mercantile conveniences of the city.

TO PROTECT CANNERS.

The salmon canners of the Columbia river, says an exchange, are considering a scheme for the protection of their pack against competition with inferior fish, labeled by dishonest persons as "Columbia River Salmon." They propose to organize a "Columbia River Salmon Packers' Association," and to get up or copyright a stamp or tag which is to be attached to every can of spring-packed Columbia river salmon as a guaranty of its genuineness.

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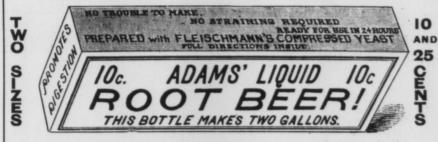
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BUSINESS CHANGES.

DIFFICULTIES, ASSIGNMENTS, COMPROMISES

AS. CHARETTE & CO, general store and lumber, The Brook, Ont., have assigned to E. N. Hurtubise.

Fortier & Fortier, grocers, Montreal, have assigned to Chas. Desmarteau.

W. J. Perkins, groceries, etc., Gorrie, Ont., has assigned to Jas. Perkins.

Wm. McEwan, general store, Maxville, Ont., has assigned to Alex. Mutchmor.

Way & Co., general store, Tamworth, Ont., have assigned to Jas. Aylsworth.

PARTNERSHIPS FORMED AND DISSOLVED. Shaw & Davidson, general store, Wind-

sor, N.S., have dissolved.

The Greenland Ice and Cold Storage Co.,

of Toronto, is applying for a charter.

Clement and Charles Frechette have been registered partners, as Frechette & Fils,

merchants, Quebec City.

Enoch Jas. Stuart and Robert Herbert have been registered proprietors of Stuart & Herbert, bakers, Montreal.

Larivee, Bourdon & Co., fish dealers, Montreal, have dissolved. Philias Bourdon has been registered proprietor, under the new style of Larivee & Bourdon.

SALES MADE AND PENDING.

The business of D. Beauchamp, crockery, Montreal, is for sale.

The stock of Rae & Lamb, grocers, New Westminster, B.C., has been sold to Joseph Coupland.

The assets of Miss E. Gregoise, general store, Fort Coulonge, Que., are to be sold by auction on July 2.

Thos. Thompson, grain dealer, Brandon, has sold his elevator at Kemnay, Man., to the Ogilvie Milling Co.

The assets J. B. Desrochers, grocer, Montreal, have been sold.

The stock of A. Jackson, general store, Thornhill, Ont., has been sold to Kilgour & Jordan at 64c. on the dollar.

CHANGES

Marie Eugeine St. Hillaire has been registered proprietress of H. Gagnon & Co., grocers, Quebec, Que.

Marie R. Hortense Asselin, has been registered as a trader at Montreal under the style of Jos. Asselin.

Marie Denise Leger, wife of Stanislas Legault, has been registered proprietress of the business of J. S. Legault & Co., traders, Montreal.

DEATHS.

Jas. Lebeau, grocer, Quebec, Que., is dead.

W. Stephenson, grocer, Woodstock, N.B., is dead.

J. F. Philbin, baker and confectioner, Rat Portage, Ont., is dead.

J. F. Burns, of J. F. Burns & Co., general store, Kingston, Ont., is dead.

FIRES.

Duncan McAlpine, general store, Lockport, N S., has been burned out. Insured for \$2,000.

SOUTHAMPTON VS. LIVERPOOL.

THE rivalry between these two ports continues unabated. The Liverpool Journal of Commerce, which, of course, ardently defends its own port, says: "The deepening of the bar, and the improved landing facilities of Liverpool, at last admit of an authoritative contradiction being given to the many published aspersions on our port still in active circulation throughout both hemispheres, and to turn the tab'es upon our competitors by the equally authoritative statement that it is now possible for

the American traveler to reach London via Liverpool in 14 hours' less time than he ever has done or is likely to do for years to come via Southampton. The basis of calculation for this statement is found in the logs of the two steamers that have at prosent made the fastest time between New York and Liverpool and New York and Southampton, and it will be observed that the margin is wide enough to allow of two other Liverpool steamers, judged by their records, making better time to London than the best via Southampton, while three of our other steamers' performances show that these passengers could reach London within one to three hours' time of the best record via Southampton, including the detention off Queenstown.

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From Rock Light to alongside Stage		1	0
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ampton dock		13	26
(Add from wharf to lightship)		1	50
Landing and examining baggage and loading up same in train at South-			
ampton	0	. 0	40
Rail journey, Southampton to London	0	1	45

"It is understood that the Mersey Docks Board are preparing for distribution throughout the United States chromo-lithographs dep cting the extended landing-stage and the Riverside Railway station. If to that be added information that the new station is distant only 3 hours 50 minutes from London, or so many hours from Glasgow, Edinburgh, Leed., Bradford, etc., the fact will come home to observers that all parts of the United Kingdom, including the metropolis, are far more accessible from Liverpool than from any other port."

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BOULTER & SONS, whose celebrated canning factories are lo-· cated at Picton, Toronto and Demorestville, have this season introduced a new line. This year for the first time they are canning pineapples, and on Friday last a representative of THE CANADIAN GROCER visited their Toronto factory to witness the process of converting the spiked fruit into the tinned preserve.

On entering the first department of the establishment the visitor found himself surrounded with cases of pineapples piled half way to the ceiling. The fruit was the choicest, being the rich golded-hued "Red Bahama" used by the best American canners, two carloads of which had just arrived from a warmer climate.

In the next room of the factory the "pines" were seen entering a simple looking machine in a procession, out of which they came neatly cored, peeled and sliced so as to greatly resemble evaporated apples as they are generally put upon the market.

Hence the fruit is conveyed in the whitest of white deal boxes to a series of the cleanest of tables, where a small army of women waits to assort them into two lots. In grade No. 1, perfect slices of the fruit only are kept, while grade No. 2 (every bit as good except in appearance) is made up of broken or irregular pieces.

Passing along further, another batch of women seated at tables are seen, filling the cans with alternate layers of pure granulated sugar and fruit. Into each two-pound can, it may be here mentioned, about oneand-a-quarter pines are packed, with a corresponding quantity of granulated sugar.

In this condition the cans pass through an automatic "exhauster", which expels all the cold air from the fruit, and leaves it floating in a thick s, rup within the can.

A patent "wiping" machine next drys the cans, which are passed through an ingeniously constructed soldering contrivance.

Now, being hermetically sealed, the cans are dumped into great boiling cauldrons. The length of time that they are there kept is not divulged to the public by the canners, for this portion of the process they seem to regard as a valuable secret.

Now the tins are beautifully burnished top and bottom, and passed through a labelling machine, out of which they come clothed in a wrapper of beautiful design. To the label the firm have paid particular attention, and they claim it beats even that used by the best American canners.

Before leaving the factory the writer sampled a can of the pineapple and found it

The capacity of the factory, it may be mentioned, is 7,000 cans a day, and 60 hands are employed.



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BAKING POWDER.

PURE GOLD. P	er doz.
5 lb. cans, 1 doz. in case	16 25
4 lb. cans, 1 doz. in case	13 25
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Size 1, in 2 and 4 doz. boxes	8 2 40
" 10, in 4 doz, boxes	2 10
" 2, in 6 "	80
" 12, in 6 "	70
" 3, in 4 "	45
Pound tins, 3 doz. in case	3 00

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MARSHALL & CO., SCOTLAND.	Tutti Frutti, 36 5c bars	Vanilla, 48	Mocha Old Government Java
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Kippered Herring, 1-lb 1 85 1 90	boxes, 23 5c packages 0 80	Pure, unsweetened, 1g/s, 64b, bxs. 0 42	Plantation Ceylon
Herrings in Tomato Sauce 1 85 1 90	Horehound Tutti Frutti, glass tops, 36	Fry's "Diamond, 14's, 6 lb. bxs. 0 24 Fry's "Monogram, 16's, 6 lb. bxs. 0 24	Porto Rico
Herrings in Shrimp Sauce 2 00	5c packages	Fry's "Monogram, 16's, 6 lb. bxs. 0 24	Guatemala
Herrings in Anchovy Sauce	Cash Register, 3905c bars and pkgs 15 60	Cocoa per doz.	Jamaica
Preserved Bloaters 1 85 1 90	Tutti Frutti Show Case, 180 5c bars	Concentrated, 1/4 s, 1 doz. in box. 2 65	Maracaibo
Real Findon Haddock 1 85 1 90	and packages	" 11bs. " 9 65	
CANNED MEATS.	Glass Jar with Pepsin Tutti Frutti, 115 5c packages	Homeopathic, 14's, 14 lb. boxes . 0 33	TODHUSTER, MITCHEL
(CANADIAN.)	Tutti Frutti Girl Sign Box, 160 5c	16 lbs. 12 lb. boxes. 0 33	Excelsior Blend
Comp Corn Beef, 1-lb. cans \$1 65 \$1 75	bars and packages 6 00	JOHN P. MOTT & CO.'S.	Our Own "
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14 18 00 19 00	Orange Blossom, 150 lc pieces 1 00	Mott's Prepared Cocoa	Arabian Mocha
Mineed Callons 2 200	Flirtation Gum, 150 le pieces 0 65	Mott's Breakfast Cocoa (in tins) 0 45	Maracaibo
. 2 . 200 200	Monte Cristo, 180 le pieces	Mott's No. 1 Chocolate 0 30	Santos
Lunch Tongue 1 3 40 3 50	Mexican Fruit, 36 5c bars	Mott's Breakfast Chocolate 0 28	
English Brawn 2 " 2 75 2 80	Orange Sappota, 160 le pieces 0 75	Mott's Caraceas Chocolate 0 40	DRUGS AND CHE
Camb Sausage 1 " 2 50	Black Jack, 115 lc pieces 0 75	Mott's Diamond Chocolate 0 22	Alum
4 00	Red Rose, 115 lc pieces 0 75	Mott's French-Can Chocolate 0 18	Blue Vitriol
Soups, assorted 1 " 150	Magic Trick, 115 lc pieces 0 75	Mott's Navy or Cooking Chocolate . 0 27 Mott's Cocoa Nibbs 0 35	Brimstone
2 22)	Red Spruce Chico, 200 lc pieces 1 00	Mott's Cocoa Shells 0 05	Camphor
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6 4 50	CHOCOLATES & COCOAS.	Mott's Confectionery Chocolate. 0 21 0 43	Castor Oil
Acme	CADBURY'S.	Mott's Sweet Chocolate Liquors. 0 19 0 30	Cream Tartar
Sliced	per doz.	COWAN COCOA AND CHOCOLATE CO.	Epsom Salts
Beef.	Cocoa essence, 3 oz. packages \$1 65		Paris Green
No. 1 tins,	Mexican chocolate, ¼ and ½ lb. pkgs. 0 40	Hygienic Cocoa, ½ lb. tins, per doz 83 75 Cocoa Essence, ½ lb. tins, per doz 2 25	Extract Logwood, bulk
key, 2 doz.,	Rock Chocolate, loose 0 371/2	Soluble Cocoa, No. 1 bulk, per lb 0 20	Gentian boxes
per doz., \$3.00.	" 1-lb. tins 0 40	Diamond Chocolate, 12 lb. boxes,	Glycerine, per lb
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Beardsley's	TODHUNTER, MITCHELL & CO.'S.	Royal Navy Chocolate, 12 lb. boxes,	Iodine
Boneless per	Chocolate - per lb.	½ lb. cake, per lb	Insect Powder
Herring. doz	French, 1/4's 6 and 12 lbs 0 30	boxes, 4 lb, cake, per lb 0 35	Saltpetre
2 doz \$1 4 ₁	Caraceas, 4's 6 and 12 lbs 0 35		Soda, Bicarb, per keg
	Premium, 1/2's 6 and 12 lbs 0 30	WALTER BAKER & CO.'S	Sal Soda
	Sante, ¼'s 6 and 12 lbs 0 26 Diamond, ¼'s 6 and 12 lbs 0 22	Chocolate	Madder
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Codfish. per doz.	Case of 112 lbs. each 0 35	Breakfast Cocoa—	8 " " "
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2 6-16 oz. and 3-10. bar, 60 10 \$3	30
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Darjeelings	0.35	0.55
Assam Pekoes	0 20	0 40
Pekoe Souchong	0 18	0 25
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Cases, extra firsts	0 42	0 50
Half Chests, ordinary	0 22	0 38
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Cases, small leaf, firsts	0 35	0.40
Half Chests, ordinary		
firsts	0 22	0 38
Half Chests, seconds	0 17	0 19
" thirds	0 15	0 17
" common	0 13	0 14
PING SUEYS.		
Young Hyson-		
Half Chests, firsts	0 28	0 32
" seconds	0 16	0 19
Half Boxes, firsts	0 28	0 32
" seconds	0 16	0 19
JAPAN.		
Half Chests		
Finest May pickings	0 38	0 40
Choice	0 32	0.36
Finest	0 28	0 30
Fine	0 25	0 27
Good medium	0 22	0 24
Medium	0 19	0 20
Good common	0 16	0 18
Common	0 131/2	0 15
Common	0 16	0 22
	0 14	0 15
" " Gunpowder	0 16	0 19
" " Siftings	0 071/2	0 11
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British Consols, 4's; Twin Bar, 8's	Gold	
Bar, 8's		0 59
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Brier, 7's		0 47
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Honeysuckle, 83		0 56
Napoleon, 8's		0 50
Victoria, 12's		0 47
Brunette, 128		0 44
Brunette, 12's Prince of Wales, in caddies in 40-lb. boxe		0 48
Bright Smoking Plug Myrtle, T	6. D	0 48
		0.00
3's		0 60
Lily, 7's	****	0.50
Months Cut Smoking 1 11 sing		0 70
Myrtle Cut Smoking, 1 lb. tins ¹ / ₄ -lb. plug, 6-lb. boxes	*****	0 70
oz. plug. 5-lb. boxes		0 70
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MCALPIN TOBACCO White Burley Chewing - Duty		per lb.

er, 12 oz., smooth, 3x12, 5c and cuts, 12-lb, butts. er, 8 oz. R. & R. 2x12, 5c and 10c s, 12-lb, butts. er, 16 oz., R. & R., 10c cuts, 2x12, b, butts. Beaver, 16 oz., R. & R., 10c cuts, 2x12, 18-lb. butts

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	Prince George, 8's, 21-lb. caddies	0 47
	Tecumseh, 9 to 1b. (fancy chewing) Extra Black (thewing)	0 65
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	packages Plug Smoking— Woodcock, 18-lb. caddies, 7s	0 50
	Sunny South, 68 and 78, 18-10. cad-	0 50
	dies Solid Comfort, 6s, 18-lb. butts	0 46
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	Cut Cavendish. 1-9ths, 5-lb. boxes	0 65
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	Puritan, 10ths, 5-lb. boxes Old Chum, 9ths, 5-lb. boxes	0 70
	Old Virginia, 1-10 lb. pkg., 10-lb.	0 75
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B. C. N. 1, 1-10, 5-lb. boxes	8	0 83
Puritan, 1-10 5-lb. boxes Athlete, per lb		0 83 1 15
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" " 8s, R. & B	16	0 68
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" 7s, Solace,	141/2	0 58
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O. V. " plug 8s, Twist.	16	0 58
O. V. " " 3s, Solace	, 171/2	0 58
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1		7 00
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" 3	****	5 00
Washboards, Globe	1 90	2 00
Water Witch		1 40
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" Double "		2 75
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World	****	1 75
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Washboards, Planet		1 60 1 50
" XX	****	1 40
" X		1 25
" Electric Duplex		2 25
" Special Globe		2*44
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