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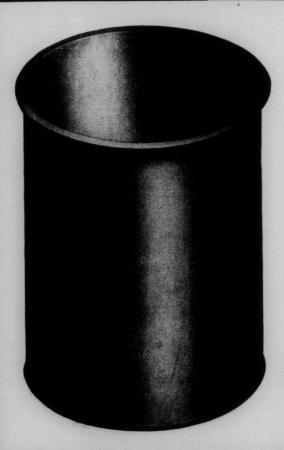
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AROMA TEA
AROMA COFFEE

The most satisfactory goods to the consumer.

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Two good reasons to justify buying these well-known lines.

Our Traveller will tell you about them.

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The season is approaching when Granulated Sugar will be in active demand for preserving and canning purposes. When ordering supplies ask for



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Made from PURE CANE Sugar by

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WE WANT YOUR ORDERS FOR

"Balmoral" Scotch Marmalade

It's a Trade Winner. It's absolutely Pure. It's well made.

For Quality and Flavor it has no equal.

We ask no favors. "Balmoral"
sells on its merit.

Write us for Samples and Prices.

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A leading British line well-known and largely advertised.

The World Renowned Food Beverage

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"THERE IS MERIT IN IT,"

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WHITTEMORE'S POLISHES

The Oldest and Largest Manufacturers of Shoe Polishes in the World

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Dirty Canvas Shoes

made perfect'y clean and white by using Whittemore's "Quick White" Compound. In liquid form, so can be quickly and easily applied. No white dust No rubbing off.

A Sponge in every package, so always ready for use.

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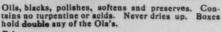
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ALL kinds

of

Black



Price per gross

Excellent for old rubbers.

"SUPERB" Patent Leather Paste



For giving all kinds of Patent or Shiny leather shoes a quick, brilliant and waterproof lustre, without injury to the leather.

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Med. size (blue tin
boxes) per gross
Per doz. ¼ lb. boxes
Per doz. ½ lb. boxes

"BOSTON" Waterproof Polish

A black liquid for men's and boys' shoes. Produces a patent leather shine without brushing. Largely used by Boot Blacks for polishing heels and edges of shoes.

"BOSTON JUNIOR" 10c. size, per gross
Also in Russet and Ox Blood

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Teoning first-class article
for ladies' and gents' "Box
Calf" "Vici Kid" and all
black shoes. The only
polish endorsed by the
manufacturers of "Box
Calf" leather. Contains
oil and positively acurishes
and preserves leather and
makes it wear longer. Blacks
and polishes.
Per gross

"BABY ELITE" Combination

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For cleansing and polishing all kinds of russet, tan or yellow colored boots and shoes.

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The only black dressing for ladies' and children's shoes that positively contains oil. Softens and preserves. Imparts a beautiful lustre. Largest quantity; finest quality. Its use saves time, labor and brushes, as it

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The pure juice of the finest Nova Scotian apples manufactured and bottled by secret process, under direct supervision of a member of the most celebrated English Cyder makers—H. Whiteway & Co. Ltd., whose patrons include H. M. King Edward VII, H. M. Alfonso

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Write Our Agents

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VANCOUVER







REINDEER condensed COFFEE

Hot Water Only



Required for

A CUP OF COFFEE

A SPLENDID SELLER

TRURO CONDENSED MILK CO., Limited, TRURO, N.S

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SNAP



is Canada's Leading Hand Cleaner

Snap has any kind of soap beaten to a standstill when it comes to quickly removing dirt from the hands. All kinds of people need it; pretty nearly all your customers will buy Snap if you will show them what it does. Why not have your share of Snap profits?

ORDER A TRIAL CASE OF SNAP FROM YOUR JOBBER.

Snap Company,

Limited

Montreal.

Quebec



"GLOBE" with Percolator.

This pot speaks for itself. When tea is drawn take the Percolator out and tea remains free from tannin.

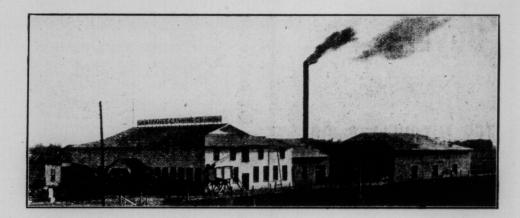
We make seven sizes of this, also The Champion Tea Pot. Send for price list.

R. CAMPBELL'S SONS

HAMILTON POTTERY

HAMILTON.

ONTARIO



"Canada's Pride" CANNED GOODS

This brand represents the highest class of goods possible to pack.

ASK FOR THEM BUY THEM SELL NO OTHER

They are packed at one of the best growing points of the Bay of Quinte district in a most modern and sanitary factory where every precaution as to cleanliness is taken and only expert and local help is employed, therefore insuring the highest state of perfection in canned goods.

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BLACK JACK

WILL BRING NEW CUSTOMERS TO YOUR STORE

TRY IT



SOLD BY ALL JOBBERS

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THE A 1 SAUCE

A Fine Tonic and Digestive. An Excellent Relish For "FISH, FLESH or FOWL."

Simply A 1. Pleases everyone. The Public WILL have it. Sold all over the world.

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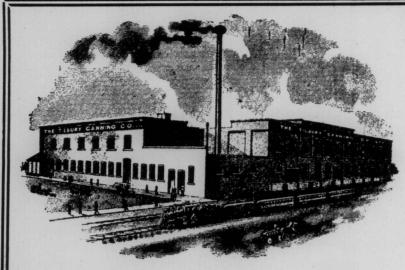
E. T. Grocers, How About Canned Goods?

We are booking orders for all popular brands of canned goods, and are delivering early lines. We are desirous of filling your order, because we can sell you at prices minus the freight, allowing you that much more clear profit.

WRITE US TO-DAY.

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Wholesale Grocers



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Nothing Better Packed

One of the best-equipped factories on the Continent situated in the heart of the best Tomato District in Canada.

Get our prices for immediate and future delivery.

The Tilbury Canning Company, Limited, Tilbury, Ont.

The Wise Grocer

is placing his order for 1908 pack and buying

"PEERLESS" Brand Canned Goods

Put up by the Beamsville Packing Co., Limited.

Sole Distributors:

WARREN BROS. & CO., - LIMITED TORONTO and KINGSTON

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Commands a Preference Over All Others.

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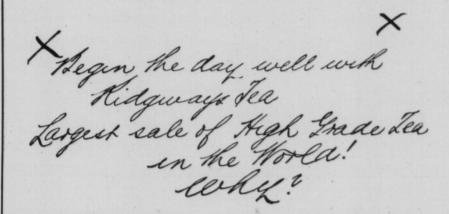
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Agents Richards & Brown, 314 Ross Avenue, Winnipeg, Man.

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AN INFLAMED TENDON

Will do it and restore the circulation, assist nature to repair strained, ruptured ligaments more successfully than Firing. No blister, no hair gone, and you can use the horse. \$2.00 per bottle, delivered. Book 2-C Free.

ABSORBINE, JR., for mankind, \$1.00 pottle. Cures Strained Torn Ligaments, Varicose Veins, Varicocele, Hydrocele, enlarged Glands and Ulcers. Allays pain quickly

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Every Can Absolutely Guaranteed. Orders promptly attended to. PREPARED IN MODERN SANITARY FACTORY

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Factory: Aylmer, Ont.

Sales Office: 39 James St. South, Hamilton

White Dove Cocoanut



My Attractive Package: 1, 1, 1 and 5 lb. tins.

Why not give your customers the best that money can buy,

White Dove Cocoanut?

It costs no more than cheaper goods. It increases your sales of specialty goods and wins customers for you every time. It also yields you a larger profit than the ordinary line.

If your wholesaler cannot supply you write direct and I will see that your order is filled.

We have now installed a plant and are in a position to supply the market with ALMOND PASTE.

MANUFACTURED BY

W. P. DOWNEY,

24 and 26 St. Peter St.,

MONTREAL

VALENCIA RAISINS

It is just as easy for you, and infinitely more satisfactory to your customer, to secure the very finest quality Valencia Raisins. You are assured of this, and also of uniform packing, if, when ordering, you specify

"BEAVER" BRAND

SPECIAL FANCY QUALITY

This brand has the reputation of being the highest quality obtainable

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Canadian Agents:

Rose & Laflamme, Limited

Montreal and Toronto

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ONTAF

Canned Fruits from the Model Factory

The Niagara Falls Canning Co., with the finest, most modern and most sanitary Factory in Canada have placed on the market

THE

"Pride of Niagara Falls" brand

of Canned Goods. These are of the finest quality and are sure to bring customers for every grocer who stocks them. ALL FRUITS are packed in SANITARY ENAMEL LINED CANS which preserves the natural flavor and color of the fruit, also safe-guarding the consumer against ptomaine poisoning.

REFUGEE WAX BEANS, SELECT HAND PICKED TOMATOES, CHERRIES, PEACHES, PEARS, RASPBERRIES, STRAWBERRIES

Selling Agents EBY-BLAIN CO., LIMITED

Our travellers will show you samples of the above.

TORONTO

The reputation of

Rowat's Pickles and Olives

is one based on

Quality, Purity, Cleanliness of pack, Uniformity and generally bright packing.

Canadian Grocers

find them the most ready and profitable sellers of any line of imported or domestic pickles.

Are you getting your customers interested?

Your jobber can sell them.

ONTARIO and QUEBEC—Snowdon & Ebbitt, Montreal HALIFAX—Warren & Co. ST. JOHN—F. H. Tippet VANCOUVER—Jarvis & Co.



REAP THE BENEFIT OF OUR ADVERTISING

By keeping a good stock of

MATHIEU'S NERVINE POWDERS

Display them on your counter and in your windows. They sell like wildfire—in fact they are always in demand. We advertise—you get the benefit. An order from you now will be appreciated.

You never know when a customer will askfoi Mathieu's Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil. Keep some in stock.

J. L. Mathieu Co., Sherbrooke, P.Q.

Proprietors

L. Chaput, Fils & Cie, Wholesale Depot, Montreal

Housekeepers are growing more and more particular what brand of goods they buy, and grocers who want the better class of trade will find it distinctly worth their while to give

"Essex" Canned Goods

the preference. They represent the best of fruits and vegetables, in best of condition of ripeness and freshness, prepared in their several ways for quality. To buy them once means to buy them again. You run no risk at all in handling the best.

The Essex Canning and Preserving Co., Limited 28 Wellington Street E., TORONTO, Can.

FACTORY AT ESSEX, ONT. The Most Southerly County in Canada.



Wagstaffe's

New Season's Strawberry Jams and Sealed Fruits are now ready, order at once, quality cannot be beaten.

Wagstaffe Limited

THE PURE FRUIT PRESERVERS

Hamilton



Imperial Evaporated Cream

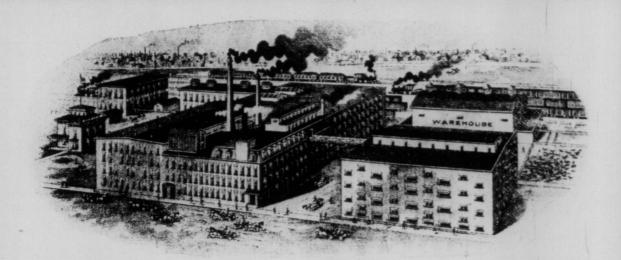
Since commencing operations we have been in receipt of an immense volume of orders, many repeats, showing the confidence of the trade in our brand.

This confidence is based on **Quality**. We will continue to merit it.

THE CANADIAN CONDENSING COMPANY

Chesterville - Ont.

Sales Agents- S. H. EWING & SONS, MONTREAL



FRESH SAUSAGE

If there is one dish more than another that appeals to the palate at this time of year it is **FRESH SAUSAGE**—both large and small casings, made the INGERSOLL way with absolutely pure spices of the highest quality—in Canada's most sanitary packing-house.

The demand is on-order your supply early.

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R. R. Rankin, St. John, N.B.
Baird & Peters, St. John, N.B.
The Riley Ramsay Co., Port Arthur.

Order from any wholesale grocer, our agents, travellers or from Ingersoll.

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The INCERSOLL PACKING COMPANY, Limited INCERSOLL ONTARIO CANADA

Whenever you want

SOAP

When you want in quickly, no matter what kind, and at reasonable prices write to us.

SAVONS FRANCAIS

C. Pagnuelo, Manager.

Factory : 1653 Notre Dame St. E.

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SURE PROFITS

are what you want. No use risking your capital in buying unknown Shoe Polishes. We tell every Canadian shoe-wearer that all up-to-date grocers can supply him with



SHOE POL

The F. F. Dalley Co., Ltd. Hamilton, Canada

Buffalo, N.Y., U.S.A.

The delicious flavors of

Nation's Custard Powder

with Stewed Fruit is an ever pleasant memory,



GREEN & CO., 25 Front St., E. Toronte

W. H. ESCOTT,

White Moss Cocoanut

Sells Everywhere



Standard For Years

The Canadian Cocoanut Co., - Montreal

You Can Stand Behind

an article that has the quality to back it up like

James Dome Black Lead

It's just Stove Polish, nothing else. All Shine, NO DIRT or DUST. Gives a lasting brilliant shine.

W. G. A. LAMBE & CO., Canadian Agents

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New Dried Fruits

We Are Offering Special Bargains in

Apricots Malaga Raisins

Currants Valencia Raisins

Figs Sultana Raisins

Peaches Candied Peels

Prunes Drained Peels

James Turner & Co., Limited

Hamilton, Ontario

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How to Prepare Grocery Advertising

Advice and Hints for the Retailer in Using Newspaper Space-What is Really Good Ad. Copy?-The Part "Position' Plays-Some Seasonable Examples From London-Department Conducted by W. F. Ralph.

During a recent address before the Trade Press Association, at Chicago, R. R. Shuman, assistant editor of the Novelty News, summed up the question of copy preparation as follows:

"Now, what is good copy?

"It is simply a sensible, succinet, striking selling talk, with emphasis on the right points and only enough detail to excite the desire to possess the thing advertised, or, at least, the inclination on the part of the reader to make further investigation.

Adequate Space Necessary.

"An adequate space is a necessary part of good copy. The best page ad-ever written is not good copy when it

IT IS NOT ECONOMY TO USE CHEAP VINEGAR FOR YOUR PICKLES

We buy the best Vinegars made and guarantee them to keep your pickles firm and crisp. Delivered in clean stone jugs.

Our Special White Pickling, the strongest and finest flavored vinegar made75c gallon

English Malt75c gallon White Wines and Ciders. We have two strengths of both and guarantee them the best made in Canada .. 40c and 50c gallon Small Cucumbers, Silver Skin Onions, Cauliflowers and Peppers. Choice Tomatoes.

Leave us your orders for these. Spices-All our spices are new and fresh, and we guarantee them absolutely pure.

South London 'Phone 969. Dundas Street 1866 and 317.

T. A. ROWAT & CO.

crowded in 6-point type into a quarter-page. That ad is like the fellow on the platform who talks well, but in a voice so weak that few can hear him; and on the other hand, a full page an-nouncement that does not announce is not good copy, even though the size of the ad. forced a certain amount of at-That ad. is like the big bellowing salesman who forces your attention by his stage presence and makes you hear him by force of pure lung power, but says nothing worth hearing when he does get your car. The best salesmen are the ones who have a logically connected talk, clearly, briefly and convincingly presented, and the best ads. are the ones that do the same thing.

Hints on Type and Display.

"On the important matter of type and display, I wish to offer the following observations, which are my own purely, and which I do not present as being either universal or infallible. I do believe, however, that their application is sufficiently broad to make them well worth thought.

1. The successful ad., typographically, is the one that is easily and quickly read. The contrasts in heights and the predominance of curved outlines make it easier for the eye to grasp display lines in caps and lower case than in all caps, so the cap and lower case line is prefer-

able to all caps.

2. At least one-third the space in each ad. should be white paper, as less than this does not afford the proper contrast or high light to make easy reading. figuring this space, I count leading be-tween the lines as part of the white space. In fact, I would lay it down as a general proposition that no part of any ad. should be solid, and that if copy compels it, 6-point leaded is better than

8-point solid.
3. Black against white is more easily read than white against black; hence, reverse plates are not good advertising.

4. As contrast is the soul of display. the one man who has his ad. set in light space in a trade paper usually bigger money's worth than the other ten on the page who want the blackest kind of display. Emphasis, mind you, is a matter of contrast, not of big type, and a 6-point paragraph set narrow measure and surrounded by a wide area of white space will be read where a page full of circus type may be overlooked.

5. For the same reason under the present preponderance of borders of all kinds, the borderless ad. has the advan-tage of display when sandwiched in among a bunch of black boxes.

The Place for the Name.

6. The advertiser's name should follow, not precede, the thing advertised, because people who read advertisements are looking for things to buy, and the thing a man has to sell should be given precedence over name and address.

7. One series of type should be used throughout an ad. rather than mixing the series, as jarring type faces destroy the continuity of attention of the read-er. Successful advertising is "easy

worth reading.

8. Display lines should be few. hest ads. have only one, or at least two. When a woman writes a letter and underscores two-thirds of her words, she emphasises nothing. It is not the loud voice of the orator that commands and holds attention, but the contrasts between oratorical and conversational, and the less frequently he makes the rafter ring, the more effective will be the climaxes when they do come.

9 One point made and clinched in an ad is more valuable to the advertiser

than forty points droned in a non-con-

vincing monotone. This one point should be given emphasis in the type display, with the others held down in proportion to space limitations.

The Successful Advertisement.

"My next type is the successful ad-

The Secret of Good Pickles Is In the Vinegar You Use

Every housekeeper aims to have her pickles crisp and hard till the last are used, and her great disappointment is when they turn soft after remaining in the vinegar a few months. This is caused by the vinegar not being strong enough to neutralize the water in the vegetable, and have enough left to keep the pickle crisp and firm.

By selling our customers from year to year the purest and best vinegar we can buy, our trade has grown until to-day we can safely say that we have the largest vinegar trade in London. Our special white pickling vinegar we recommend because of its great strength and absolute purity. Costs you a little more than some other kinds. but easily worth it when such excellent results are assured. Delivered in clean stone jugs at 75e gallon. This vinegar should be used cold for pickling.

Our Imported English Malt is the best grade we can buy, and being properly aged has mellow, fine flavor. The price per gallon

is 75c.

It is easy to add an X to the vinegar you sell. We do not handle X grade. Our grades are XX and XXX Cider and White Wines, 40e and 50c gallon. These are the best of their kind and are excellent vinegars when properly used.

In spices we guarantee every-thing we sell to be absolutely pure. A very high grade of English Mustard is another of our specialties at pickling time. Leave us your orders for silver skin onions, gherkins in all sizes and choice cauliflowers. Your 'phone orders for anything in the pickling line will be carefully filled. Call 1866 or 317. T. A. Rowat & Co., 234 Dundas Street.

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It's All in the Advertisement.

It is easy to understand how completely an advertisement may be killed by its makeup, but its position, whether at top or bottom of column, or in the middle, has really much less to do with the matter than you might suppose. Try the experiment of opening, at random, the well-filled advertising pages of any newspaper, and observe what portion of the printed matter attracts your attention most particularly. It is not always that which occupies a preferred position—so-called. Very likely it is a little advertisement, with no position at all, to speak of, but so cleverly prepared, and possessing so much individuality of its own that it overtops everything else on the page.

Some Seasonable Examples.

Seasonable advertising is the best of advertising. This fact is apparently fully recognized by T. A. Rowat & Co., the London grocers. We have received a number of pickling goods ads. from them, which are pretty nearly above adverse criticism. We reproduce several of these; among them, one ad. of the "reader" variety, that is, ads. which like ordinary news items, have only the headline displayed. The line of informative talk on the pickling question given in this ad., will undoubtedly increase the use of the better grades of vinegars and spices among London housekeepers.

The half-column display ad. reproduced would make a better impression were it to contain fewer displayed lines. It is a well-known axiom among advertisers that too much display rather weakens than strengthens an ad. The headline of this ad. is really a four-liner, and is, therefore, rather too long for the maximum of strength. The multiplicity of items, however, renders over-display unvoidable.

GALT CORRESPONDENCE.

September 8.—Labor Day was marked in Galt by a very successful celebration. Trades unions and bands were present from Preston, Guelph and Brantford. There was a big parade and an afternoon and evening performance at the park. One of the features of the parade was the immense float of the Goldie Milling Company, makers of "Star" flour. A big load of barrels had been prettily decorated and on the top was a band composed of youngsters. The float was drawn by four horses and attracted much attention.

Business in the grocery line has been good during the past fortnight. Sugar is moving out briskly owing to the preserving operations of Galt's housewives. Fruit is a drug on the market. The buyers have conceived the idea that before the end of the season prices will drop considerably and they will then buy. The grocers say, however, that there will be no drop, so that in all probability some of Galt's male popula-

BOTH OF OUR STORES MAKE A SPECIALTY OF VINEGAR AND SPICES AT THIS SEASON

The importance of using pure, strong Vinegar and fresh Spices is well known to every particular housekeeper.

We buy the best Vinegars made, because they are the most satisfactory.

Delivered in clean stone jars. 'Phone orders are carefully filled as if personally given at our stores.

South London 'Phone 969. Dundas Street, 1866 and 317.

Pure Cider Vinegars
Two strengths—40c and 50c gal-

White Wines

Two strengths—40c and 50c gallon.

ENGLISH MALT75c gallon

Our Special White Pickling

A sparkling distilled Vinegar of great strength and purity. Per gallon, 75c.

Whole Pickling Spices
A combination of the best Whole
Spices—5c and 10c packages.

English Mustard

We sell an especially good grade of Mustard for your chow-chow and mustard pickles, 30c pound.

Preserve | Ginge:

The nicest thing to put with pears for chipped pears or marmalade; 30c pound.

Clapp's Favorite Pears
Handpicked, large fruit, 40c peck.
CHOICE FREESTONE
PEACHES, 15c quart.

SELECT TOMATOES, CUCUM-

BERS—All sizes.
SILVER ONIONS and CAULI-

FLOWERS.

RED and GREEN PEPPERS,
CELERY.

Leave as your orders for next week.

Old White Cheese

We make a specialty of good, old Canadian Cheese. Try a piece, 20c pound.

Our Coffee

If you enjoy a cup of really delicious Coffee, give our blend a trial. We have been told by hundreds of housekeepers that it's the best they ever used. No higher in price, 40c pound.

Our ELECTRIC MILL GRINDS it as you like it.

T. A. ROWAT & CO.
234 Dundas St. and Corner Craig
and Wortley.

tion will be forced to do without the Winter's supply of peaches and such like.

The Galt market may now be numbered with the largest in Western Ontario. For some months past the market has been gradually increasing until it has now assumed immense proportions. And the best of it all is that all the produce is disposed of each market day.

Some time ago W. Jopson was appointed official collector for the Galt Retail Merchants' Association. Mr. Jopson devoted his whole time to collecting for merchants who were members of the association, and the plan has proved to be most successful. Many accounts which had been given up as hopeless, have been collected, and no friction has been caused between the creditors and debtors. The collector approaches those in arrears with a proposition that so much should be paid every week, and the sum mentioned is often as low as 25 cents. When the promise to pay a certain amount each week is obtained Mr. Jopson personally visits the party in arrears and invariably receives the weekly a nount. The merchants are now coming to realize that had this course been adopted long ago there would be practically no creditors on their books. They recognize that their mistake was in selling goods on the instalment plan and then neglecting to insist on the payments when they became due. So successful has the collector's work been in Galt that Preston merchants have requested his services and hereafter a portion of his time will be spent in that town. Galt merchants are extremely well pleased with the success of their plan.

Retail Merchants' Association was a financial success and the business men will undertake to have the picnic on a larger scale next year.

Will there be a drop in the price of canned goods this Fall? Local merchants say that there is no likelihood of a decline, but conditions point other-

Musk and watermelons are a drug on the market, and they can be had for a song. Crawford peaches are arriving and are being disposed of at one dollar per basket.

TRADE NOTES.

Franklin, Laur, confectioner, Aylmer, Ont., has assigned.

Francis Conlin, grocer, Coleridge, Alta., has sold his business.

D. M. Stuart, general merchant, Neapolis, Alta., has sold out.

John Vance, confectioner, Toronto, is succeeded in business by Geo. Gain.

Daniel Ehman, general merchant, Regina, is succeeded by Ehman & Bergl.

Young & Co., grocers, Saskatoon, have sold their business to J. P. Friesen & Co.

Coleman, Strachan & Co., grocers, Trail, B.C., are succeeded by J. Joseph.

A. Gingras, general merchant, St. Hypolite, Sask., has sold his business to I. Plante.

B. W. Sheppard, confectioner, Minto, Man., has sold his business to F. T. Newberry.

News of the Canadian Grocery Trade

Western Province Notes

British Columbia Fruits Finding Good Market in Vancouver—Saskatoon Grocers Have Been Holidaying.

VANCOUVER.

Sept. 5.—The largest single consignment of peaches to come into Vancouver was brought by the Princess Royal last week from Seattle. It consisted of 1,043 boxes and along with these were 150 boxes of apples and 120 boxes of grapes. Each box contains 20 pounds of fruit, and a cent a pound duty is paid.

For the first time since the Cowichan creamery was started it is running behind this year on its output. This is the more remarkable since the price of butter has always been good, and is now up another five cents and the creamery has such a good reputation that is unable to meet the demand. For the nine months ending July 31 the output was 135,268 pounds, as against 139,179 for the same period of last year.

John E. Mackin, of Kamloops, has organized the Western Cigar Manufacturing Company, which will take over and enlarge the business recently started by Mr. Mackin. Twenty men are employed.

J. T. Armstrong, who has been manager of Schubert's store, at Penticton, has gone to Ottawa on a holiday trip.

Because of a rapidly expanding business, G. W. Shideler, manager of the Fruitvale Broom Factory, at Fruitvale, near Nelson, B.C., is putting up an addition 36x16 feet and two stories high. When the building is finished there will be three machines working, and thirty dozen brooms will be turned out daily. A traveler will then be placed on the road, the Nelson merchants handling the output at present. The broom straw is brought from Illinois, but arrangements are being made to secure a supply from Oklahoma. Mr. Shideler has imported seed and is making a test of growing the straw at Fruitvale. young crop is now over a foot high. If this experiment is successful, it will mean much for the district. A carload of straw costs about \$1,000.

Mayell & Co., of Toronto, have now a local representative in Vancouver to place their coffees, spices, baking powders, etc., before the trade.

A new brand of macaroni on the market is that manufactured by Ferrand. Renaud & Company, of Lyons and Paris France. It is handled by Kelly, Douglas & Company, and if they have had it, it is only now coming well before the

public. It sells at the same price as that manufactured locally.

The prices of butter and eggs have started on their annual climb for the winter altitudes. Local eggs are at 38c and 40c, with eastern No. 1 selected at 28c and eastern No. 2, from 23c to 25c. New Alberta butter is same as the local at 30c, giving a retail figure of 35c.

Joseph Crankshaw, proprietor of the famous salt beds on Carmen Island,

WHAT THEY THINK OF IT.

The following letters which came in entirely unsolicited, are samples of the kind words our subscribers are continually saying about the paper. It seems to be well worth the price to these business men:

'The Canadian Grocer is one of the best trade papers in existence to-day,' said a Galt groceryman, when discussing affairs with your correspondent. "We watch for it each week and find it a sure authority on conditions in all parts of the Province."—Galt Correspondent.

"I want to congratulate you on your article, 'Men Who Sell Things.' This is the kind of matter to please both the wholesale and retail trade. I have our branch store managers reading this article closely, as well as recommending it to my traveler friends. Many of the latter are reading it closely."—Bradley & Son, St. Catharines.

I certainly like your paper, The Canadian Grocer, and think every general merchant should be a subscriber to it for many reasons.—C. A. Elsley, Campbellville, Ont.

off the coast of Mexico, is up north on a visit. Much of this product is brought to British Columbia by the new Mexican line boats, and Mr. Crankshaw is combining business with pleasure. He says that Carmen Island presents a phenomenon not yet satisfactorily explained by scientists. The salt is found in a large lagoon, about 1,000 acres in extent, cut off by a coral reef. It is many feet deep, and at low tide the

work of digging is carried on. The strange thing is that at full tide the supply is daily replenished, making the deposit inexhaustible. It is found 99 per cent. pure, and all that has to be done is to wash it and dry it.

A Business Protective Association has been formed in this city to act as arbitrators in cases of business disputes and also to handle collections.

The American fruit market is not in such a good condition this year with the result that more fruit is coming from the South. Notwithstanding this, the British Columbia product is finding a ready market, and the demand is by no means greater than the supply. This, too, with the Okanagan producing about half as much again as last year. The markets in the middle west are enlarging all the time, as well as those in Great Britain and Australia and New Zealand. From Victoria large shipments are being made of apples and plums, and the report is that the fruit is ranking better than that of previous years. Prunes and crab apples are also beginning to arrive.

BRANDON.

September 5.-In the West those who can afford holidays usually have them in the retrospective at this date. A number of Brandon grocery celebrities went East this year. After a number of successful years in business here, Mr. J. F. Price visited his friends in St. Catharines, Ont., and he has returned feeling as fresh as a schoolboy. Our old friend, Frank Scott, has been down at the Petrolea old boys reunion, and although not eligible for the fat man's race, he has come back with quite an Olympian spring in his step. And so on, they are all gathering home and settling down for a strenuous fall and winter. There are still a few who say they cannot afford this annual holiday. It is not what money they spend, but what they get for it they ought to look at.

Writing of windows, how is it that so many of our grocers during the month of August have their show windows so unpresentable? Walking along Rosser Avenue and up the other business streets after a short holiday, your correspondent saw at least a half-dozen of stores having their windows dressed (?) with a crate or two of peaches and plums, a broken box of apples, a case of oranges and a few other straggling samples of fruit, such as one sees in the Italian quarter of an Eastern city. Usually the Italian has the advantage. What good does it do a high-class grocer to throw stuff away this way into his front window just to be in line with five or six

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Our markets here are much as usual at this season. Eggs and butter are scarcer and dearer, and if one can at anytime safely assume the role of prophet it would be pretty safe to predict 50e per dozen for eggs in February. Potatoes are plentiful, and after a light rainfall, through the summer, are of a better quality than last year.

Quebec and Maritime Provinces

Some Bright Stores at St. Louis de Mile End-Large Shipments of Nova Scotia Apples to London.

MONTREAL.

September 8.—The monthly meeting of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, which should have been held Thursday evening, September 3, was postponed until the first Thursday in October. At this meeting the nomination of officers for the Association for the ensuing year will take place, and the remaining business concerning the pienic will be disposed of.

John Graham, corner of Drummond and St. Catherine Streets, has returned from a holiday spent at Bic, Que.



WALTER C. GODEN.

Late of The Red Rose Tea Co., who is Making Good in Insurance.

A. G. Brand, of Brand Bros. & Co., Glasgow, was in Montreal recently on his way to Quebec, where he will embark on the Empress of Britain for home. Mr. Brand enjoys the distinction of being the head of the first British house to buy Canadian wheat. The first shipment of Manitoba wheat went forward consigned to this house thirty-three years ago. The original shipping bill is kept in the Board of Trade at Winni-

peg. Mr. Brand has just completed an extensive tour of the Canadian West, and is delighted with the prospects of the country.

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A. Gravel, of Gravel Freres, corner of St. Catherine Street and McGill College Avenue, has returned from a holiday spent at Val Morin.

The warehouse of Meldrum Brothers, produce merchants, 587-591 St. Paul Street, was the scene of a slight fire on Tuesday night.

Walter C. Gaden, who for several years was the representative of Red Rose Tea in Montreal, recently won a silver service cabinet in competition among the forty agents scattered throughout the world of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, with which Mr. Gaden is now associated. Walter was always a hustler, and it is only to be expected he would win the prize in such a contest.

Champeau & Brisehois, grocers, have been registered.

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The assets of A. Charron have been advertised for sale.

Desautels & Charest, grocers, have

dissolved.

Jos. Lamoureux, grocer, has been registered.

The assets of E. D. Malo, grocer, have been sold.

The assets of Barry Bros., grocers, have been sold.

The assets of Jos. Langlois, grocer,

have been sold. J. Talansky & Co., grocers, have been

registered.

The assets of Elphege Ouimet, orocers, have been sold.

ST. LOUIS DE MILE END.

September 8.-There is one thoroughfare in Montreal, or St. Louis de Mile End, to be exact, which boasts of more grocery stores to the square yard than any other similar length of macadam in Quebec Province, at least. It is Fairmount Avenue, to which reference is made. There are grocers here by the dozen, and they seem to thrive, for all the stores are up-to-date and prosperous looking, and the proprietors say that they do a good husiness. St. Louis de Mile End is a suburb of Montreal, has been for years, but it is only within the past five years that it has been building up in a manner to attract notice. With the influx of people to the place there

has, naturally, been much activity in a commercial way, but probably no other branch of trade has been so well represented in this development as the grocery. And it is very curious that so many stores should locate upon Fairmount Avenue.

Veteran and beginner alike are situated here. One of the oldest grocers in this part of the country is the proprietor of Swift's grocery and provision store, corner Fairmount and Waverley. For thirty-three years J. Herbert Swift has been at the wheel, the last five having been spent in his present location. He was on De Montigny Street, Montreal, for thirteen years. As might be expected, Mr. Swift has seen many changes, and he is likely, as he says himself, to "see many more," before he steps out.

A bright, clean store is that of T. J. Stevenson, known by the firm name of Kyle & Stevenson. Just a few months ago Mr. Stevenson suffered the loss of his partner, the popular "Billy" Kyle, who was drowned. It was a severe blow to the young firm, which had been established but a short time, but "T. J." was equal to the emergency. Many up-todate ideas are in use in the running of the store, which is large and airy. There are two entrances, and one of the departments carefully looked after is the provision counter. A good idea noticed was a shelf all around the walls just below the ceiling, on which displays of cereals were made.

Another young grocer who is doing well is H. G. Smith. Only two years in business, he has two stores. One he looks after himself, at the corner of Fairmount and St. Urbain Streets, while a bright young grocer, R. Ferguson, attends to the other, corner Esplanade and Villeneuve. The second store was opened in April of this year. Mr. Smith was connected with Davies. Limited, Toronto, before he broke into the grocery business.

With a lively looking store in St. Louis and a general store in Grand Freniere, Que., D. Hamilton is kept clear of idleness. He has been located in St. Louis for four years, and says things are going well with him. He felt that a store in the city offered greater opportunities for development and forsook the active management of the country business to establish himself near the metropolis.

Quite a large trade is transacted by the Fairmount Market, and Fairmount, of which is the owner, while Jos. A. Sansregret is another progressive retailer.

It is generally admitted by the grocers in this suburb that the people are good pay, the very poor class not being represented to any extent in the population.

HALIFAX.

Sept. 7.—The export business from the port of Halifax is now very brisk and the season is expected to be an unusually busy one. The first shipment of apples is going forward this week. The Furness liner, Rappahannock, is now loading fifteen thousand barrels for the London market. The steamer Sokoto will load five thousand barrels of potatoes besides a large quantity of flour, etc., for Havana. The Furness liner, London City, sailing for Liverpool this week, took five hundred cases of lobsters and seven hundred boxes of cheese.

The Pickford and Black liner, Sobo, which arrived from the West Indies yesterday, is now discharging six thou-

sand bags of sugar.

Trade, generally speaking, is in a very satisfactory condition, and the outlook for a good autumn business is most promising. Good crops all round are bound to add a stimulus to trade and put money into circulation. The high prices, however, to a large extent, rerestrict business in a very large measure. Butter is considered to be far too high in price for the season of the year. The season has been an exceptionally good one for pasturing and as the natural result the dairy industry should have benefited. Some of the dealers are now asking 27 cents, retail for choice tubs of dairy butter, and 30 cents for creamery. The receipts of butter this week have been very light, but this is accounted for in a measure by the fact that many of the farmers were busy preparing for the Nova Scotia Exhibition now on in this city. Eggs are not coming in as plentifully as they should be, and a large amount of the stock marketed can only be classed as seconds. They are quoted at 23 cents. The demand is light at present, due probably to the consumption of small fruits.

The announcement made public here this week that the Government will pay one-third of the express charges on shipments of fresh fish from points in the Maritime Provinces to Quebec and Ontario, was well received. Halifax and other large fish centres in Nova Scotia will benefit greatly under this new arrangement. Most of the shipments of fish are sent from Nova Scotia to the American market, the shipments from the other provinces being comparatively small. Canso, Halifax, Digby and Yarmouth will all reap considerable benefit. It is supposed that the new arrangement will cover oysters, and if this is so, the Island dealers will benefit, as thousands of barrels of oysters are sent every season from the Garden of the Gulf to the Montreal market. The people of Toronto and the inland towns will now be able to get fresh fish.

Five vessels of the Lunenburg Banking fleet arrived here during the week and reported having catches aggregating five thousand quintals of cod fish.

Harvesting commenced last week in Prince Edward Island. Considerable oats have been cut and many fields are ripening so that cutting will be general in a short time if fine weather continues. The straw in some places is reported short but in others a fair crop is expected. The potatoes look well and the earlier varieties show a good yield of excellent quality.

The estate of W. E. Crowe, grocer, whose death occurred last week, has been appraised at \$14,000.

George Mitchell, a former member of the Nova Scotia Legislature, and one of the most successful West India merchants in Halifax, died at his home in this city during the week, aged 63 years. For years he was a member of G. P. Mitchell & Sons, and about six years ago. when that firm was formed into a limited company, he was made president. The firm does a large business with the West Indies both in importing and exporting, vessels flying their own flag trading between Halifax and the Southern Islands. Mr. Mitchell was a man of fine qualities and his death is a distinct loss to the city in which he was born.

ST. JOHN.

September 7.—The recent drop in sugar is likely to be short lived, as dealers here expect the price to change at any time. Quotations on molasses show an advance of one cent as predicted last week.

The only other change in the price of staples is an advance of a quarter cent

on lard

In the produce market, potatoes, carrots, beets and turnips are coming in plentifully, and are now quoted at the following prices per barrel: Potatoes, \$1.25; beets, \$1.10 to \$1.25; earrots, \$1 to \$1.25; turnips, 75e to \$1.

Eggs are selling retail at 25e to 30e a dozen, and butter ranges from 25e to 32e

a pound

The wholesale tea warehouse of T. H. Estabrooks, on Mill Street, was broken into on Saturday, September 5, and \$530 in each stolen from the each-box. Entrance was obtained through a window in the office. The police are working on the case and they report they have a clue which may lead to further developments.

Tons of small sardine herring have been washed up on the shores of Courtney Bay on the eastern side of the city by the high tides during the past few days. As the fish were left high on the shore, city workmen are being employed to bury them or dump them in deep water, as the odor has been anything but pleasant as decomposition set in.

W. Frank Hatheway, M.P.P., lacked only one vote of being selected as the candidate of the Liberal-Conservative party to represent St. John City and County in the Federal Parliament.

H. B. Schofield, of Schofield Bros., paper dealers, is spoken of as a probable candidate for the Liberal nomination in this constituency.

NEWCASTLE, N.B.

Sept. 7.—Miss Ellen Catherine, daughter of ex-Mayor Patrick Hennessy, one of the leading grocers of this part of New Brunswick, was married on the 2nd of September to Alderman Charles J. Morrissy, son of Hon. John Morrissy, Chief Commissioner of Public

Works. Mr. and Mrs. Morrissy are spending their honeymoon in Montreal. Toronto and New York.

Two new grocery stores are being built in Millerton, the rapidly growing town, seven or eight miles from Newcastle.

Proposed changes in the Fredericton branch of the I.C.R. will make, it is believed, the main line run to Newcastle instead of, as now, to Chatham. The faster service will enable the people of Borestown, Doaktown and Blackville, who now buy largely in Fredericton to do their business here and at Chatham.

Hard times has found several of the local merchants but grocers are doing a good business still. J. D. Paulin, our newest grocer, has lately doubled his store-room and greatly enlarged his

Miss Bessie McIntosh, of Harcourt, has removed her grocery, recently established, to the MacLeod stand, beside the I.C.R. station, one of the largest stores in Harcourt.

Andrew Dunn, the veteran grocer of Kent County, now 83 years of age, is in failing health. His business at Harcourt is now managed by his daughter, Miss Jessie P. Dunn.

Clarence Wry, grocer and butcher, has removed from Harcourt to Salmon River.

Kent County.

Randolph & Sons, wholesale provision merchants, whose headquarters are in Fredericton, are building a new brick warehouse in Chatham, N.B., to accommodate increased business.

Campbellton badly needs a public market. The unsuccessful sellers of country produce now, after the merchants are supplied, peddle their goods from house to house, destroying the merchants' market. Peddlars require no license.

TRADE NOTES.

A curator has been appointed for D. Pelletier, Cedar Hall, Que.

D. Legault & Co., general merchants, St. Paul, Que., have been registered.

J. A. Bradley, grocer, Vancouver, has sold his business to Anderson & Ross.

The assets of J. Chabelle, grocer, Chicoutimi, are to be sold on September 11.

The assets of F. Tremblay, general merchant, Les Eboulements, Que., have been sold.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED-Position as traveller in Ontario by experienced grocery and specialty salesman. Married man, steady, sober and best of references. Address Box 216, CANADIAN GROCER, Toronto.

SALESMEN WANTED.

SALESMAN—By a large American manufacturing company, to travel in Eastern Canada, doing detail work among the grocery and drug trade for a well-known line of Food Products, extensively sold in Canada. Permanent position, excellent prospects' Applicants requested to forward full particulars—age experience, salary carning, copies of references, etc., in strict confidence. Apply "THE GROCER," box 217, Toronto.

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Broom Corn to be Grown in Essex—Presentation to Hamilton President—Brief Sugar Famine in Loadon.

CHATHAM.

September 8.-That the Canadian Packing Company, recently burned out at London, are likely to locate here, is the chief item of news this week. Though at the moment of writing nothing definite has been decided, both Manager Rechnitzer, of the company, and Chairman Westman, of the Civic Industrial Committee, unite in stating that Chatham's prospects look good; though St. Thomas, Palmerston and other places are also understood to be after the industry. Among the inducements Chatham has to offer are understood to be a free site, a fixed assessment for a period of years, power from natural gas at \$8 per horse-power, guaranteed, and ample fire protection. Still more important is the fact that Chatham is right in the centre of a great hog raising district. Hitherto the company is stated to have been handicapped by the fact that, located in London, it had to procure its supply of hogs from a considerable distance, the large proportion of them being shipped from Chatham. With the establishment of the factory here, there will be a great saving in freight. While Ald. Westman states that the point has not come up, there is no doubt that local financial men would not hesitate to take stock in the concern should that be desired. There being no competitive plant within a wide radius, this vicinity also offers an excellent market for the manufactured products. For years past a concern of this nature has been earnestly desired for Chatham, and the London company, in locating here, will not only secure the material advantages previously mentioned, but will head off competition that, in a few years, would otherwise be inevitable.

John McCorvie, head of John McCorvie & Son, returned last Wednesday night from a two months' trip to the Old Country. Mr. and Mrs. McCorvie and party took in the Franco-British Exhibition at London, visited Paris, Liverpool, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Belfast and the picturesque north coast of Ireland, as well as many other points of interest in the United Kingdom. Mr. McCorvie speaks in high terms of the Canadian exhibit at the Franco-British Exhibition. Incidentally, being a true Scot, he visited the field of Bannockburn, and Ayrshire, redolent with memories of Bobbie Burns, and brought home a big bunch of purple heather from the hills at Campbellton, near where his father and mother were born.

That undue enterprise has its boomerang qualities is emphasized by a complaint recently voiced in the local papers, against boys who, when delivering dodgers from house to house, secure prompt attention by ringing the door bell. Many housewives have complained against the practice, which, undoubted-

ly, in quite a few cases, defeats its own object. The complaint is one for merchants to at least consider.

HAMILTON.

September 8.—Talking about the Garden of Canada; if some of your readers could have seen Hamilton market last Saturday their thoughts would have certainly turned towards that oft-described spot, the Garden of Eden. There were loads and loads of luscious peaches, plums, pears, melons, grapes and vegetables of all kinds, grown in the highest state of cultivation. Just think of lorry loads of beautiful Crawford peaches, with an average quantity of 200 baskets to a lorry, and selling readily at a dollar a basket. Why, it kept the farmers busy counting their money; and the thousands of baskets of



JOHN FORTH.

President Hamilton Grocers' Association, to whom a Presentation was made Last Week.

plums, selling at 15 and 20 cents a basket: and here's where the people who couldn't buy peaches got busy. Tomatoes, 2 baskets for 25c. Canteloupes, 25c a basket, with from 15 to 30 in a box; grapes, 20c; pears, 20c; potatoes, 25c; and vegetables of all kinds in the highest state of perfection. The workingmen of Hamilton are on easy street as far as the price of fruit and vegetables is concerned. One thing that militates against the retail grocer in this bountiful supply is the peddling system. When the farmer finds sales a little slow he gets his horse out and starts canvassing the city, and in his dealings he is worse than the ordinary peddler, who knows what his goods cost him, and usually wants a profit. In the farmer's case he is always open for an offer and very often makes the good housewife think that the corner groceryman is holding her up in the price of

vegetables. At the last meeting of the Retail Grocers' Association this question was fully discussed, and it was decided to take some action in the matter. It was found that the city council had recently passed a by-law prohibiting the sale of foreign fruits on the streets and it was up to the police to look after them. A committee was appointed to investigate, and the opinion is, from the make-up of the committee, that there will be "doings" in the near future.

future.

The Association is in mourning for one of the "old guard," a pioneer member, who was always to be relied on be times good or bad in the history of the Association: always ready with a cheery smile and a kindly word, and his hand in his pocket ready to help the Association in anything that would tend to benefit and uplift the trade. Truly, the passing of our old President, John Rowan, cast a shadow over the last meeting of the grocers. His sudden death came as a great shock to his friends here. After twenty-five years in the trade he had endeared himself to thousands of Hamilton people. He had recently been appointed bursar of the asylum at Woodstock, and while his friends regretted his removal from this city they were pleased at the recognition given to him for worthy service, by the Ontario Government. The grocers of the city extend their sincere sympathy to the family in their hour of bereavement. The funeral, which took place on Saturday morning, was very largely attended.

That exceedingly affable but bashful young man, John Forth, the President of the association, was made the recipient of a very handsome present at the last meeting. As chairman of the Picnic Committee he distinguished himself as never chairman did before and in recognition of his ability and the arduous duties he performed the members decided to mark the 1908 picnic with a dot of approval by presenting the chairman with a handsome Morris chair of old oak design, which Mr. Forth duly appropriated after making a very touching speech in which he referred to the kind assistance of his colleagues.

LONDON.

September 8.—Business continues fair both wholesale and retail, and dealers, as a rule, have little to complain of.

A report that the Lake of the Woods Milling Company is negotiating for the purchase of a mill for the purpose of grinding a blended flour in this city, is denied by the local manager, J. C. Middleton. The company is simply erecting a warehouse near the C.P.R. for the purpose of storing a few carloads of flour for distribution throughout Western Ontario, and the idea of securing a mill here has never been taken into consideration.

As a result of the delay of a train on the Grand Trunk on Saturday morning, some local grocers were for a while without a supply of sugar, and many house-keepers were in a quandary to know what to do with fruit they had bought in the market. With one exception, the wholesalers were without sugar, and a canning company feared trouble with a large consignment of fruits which were too ripe to keep over. The train was delayed for about twelve hours.

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STUDY THE CUSTOMER.

A good deal of advice is given to grocers about being attentive to customers, and in most cases this is quite applicable, but occasionally a case occurs where the grocer loses sales and even customers by being too attentive. The writer's attention was called to this the other day. He was talking of trade matters to a grocer, a good grocer, too, when a lady of prepossessing appearance came into the store. Immediately the grocer was all attention, put on a smile of welcome and started in to talk. The customer was one of those quiet, business-like women, who knew what she wanted and how she wanted it. It was quite evident that she detested any fuss, and yet that grocer in his eagerness kept on suggesting this and that, and telling the good qualities of each in a way that was absolutely amusing. In the end the lady left the shop apparently annoyed, with a small sale that left the grocer disappointed.

To an onlooker the mistake was obvious and yet that grocer couldn't see what was the matter. He had simply used the same methods and selling talk with this customer as he did with other less reserved women, with whom it worked admirably.

The lesson in the mistake is, the salesman must study his customer as well as his goods. There is such a thing as giving too much as well as too little

attention, and if anything, this tendency to, well, slop over, is the more seri-

THANKSGIVING ON MONDAY.

The announcement of Monday, October 19 as Thanksgiving Day, which came from Ottawa last week, will be received with particular satisfaction by Canadian travelers, and by the retail trade generally. The date chosen is an advantageous one for several reasons. First of all, it will give the traveler another day at home instead of forcing him, as occurred in most cases with the old fixture, to spend the holiday in idleness somewhere on the road. In the second place it will avoid breaking up the week for the retailer, and while it will tend to make the preceding Saturday a particularly heavy one, it will be much better than it used to be on Thursday. The new date, too, is rather earlier than usual, and this will avoid interference with the elections and the rush usually incident on the closing of navigation.

ABOUT SORTING BUSINESS.

The best sorting business in years is ahead of Canadian wholesalers. This is admitted by those who are in touch even in a remote degree with the conditions which prevail.

The reason, obviously, is that retailers have bought lightly for Fall; placing orders have been unprecedentedly small, merchants apparently preferring to depend pretty largely on their ability to obtain goods in the Fall, when they actually need them.

To facilitate business under these new conditions wholesalers will have to carry heavier stocks for sorting than they have ever been obliged to do before. They, too, however, have bought light, and pretty much in proportion to the volume of placing orders.

The retailer, therefore, who anticipates his wants early and uses the wholesalers' stocks to supply his needs early in the season, stands the best chance.

Business will be better. It's up to the retail merchant to place himself in a position to profit most largely by this improvement.

KEEP ABREAST OF THE TIMES.

A man may not realize the stern necessity of keeping up with what is being done in the trade elsewhere-may even neglect to utilize business possibilities-and yet be personally a likeable good fellow. It doesn't help you. By cultivating the science of salesmanship to the highest possible point, by adopting methods that have proved successful elsewhere, by creating business,

by grasping opportunities, by encouraging and supplying demand for special goods, and by other numerous approved methods, you set up a standard of competition which is in itself honorable and praiseworthy, which will make you successful, but which will in no sense be describable as a "curse to the trade."

You are in business for business-your own business-neither for amusement nor for spite!

A FORCE IN THE BUSINESS WORLD

The trade paper is the medium that introduces the new things to the retailer who serves the interests of the consumer, and in this way is the greatest commercial force known. An order from one retailer is worth many orders from individual consumers. The dealer buys in quantities and sells single pieces, thus advertising through a trade paper; while it does not produce numerically as many returns as general advertising, each individual order represents a quantity and steady buying, whereas the average consumer ordering goods through a magazine advertisement orders once and never again. Every retailer represents on an average 300 consumers, so it will be easily seen that business secured through a trade paper is the most profitable, most extensive and most to be desired of any.

The trade paper is the best booster that the salesman of to-day possesses. No matter whether a man is on the street, or on the road, or behind the counter, the trade paper is working for him night and day. It is inspirational and is a medium of expression for his views and for the interchange of ideas. It helps the road man because it introduces his goods to the prospective buyer before the salesman gets to him. In this way it lessens his task and prepares the way. It keeps the retailer posted and abreast of the times so that the salesman has less trouble in finding a middle ground on which to meet him. It boosts the men who do things and helps them both with their employers and their customers.

It is the great force that puts the new ideas, the new things, the new thoughts before the retailer, jobber or manufacturer in condensed and crystallized form and which has built up this great fraternity of men engaged in manufacturing, jobbing, selling or retailing. It is the cement that holds the business structure together, and every man in business should be a booster for trade papers in his line. A salesman cannot go into a retailer's place of business anywhere without finding some trade paper, and everybody should take advantage of this and use it for all it is worth. The trade paper of to-day is the greatest force in the entire commercial world.

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Markets and Market Notes

QUEBEC MARKETS

Montreal, September 11, 1908.

POINTERS-

Fish—Declined.
Vegetables—Advanced.
Molasses—Advanced.
Cheese—Firmer.
Butter—Declined slightly.

Encouraging crop reports from the West have resulted in a better feeling making itself evident in the trade of the country generally. A great many houses with headquarters in Montreal depend more upon Western Canada for their business than any other section of the country, and the feeling in the cropgrowing districts affects them and their turnover materially. Canned goods continue to move out satisfactorily, and de-liveries are still being made by the pack-ers. Late lines will shortly be in the store of the jobber. Sugar inquiry has proved disappointing of late, but refiners look for improvement, believing the lowest point has been reached in prices. An advance in black teas is prophesied for October. Japans do not present any new features this week. Molasses continues scarce, and the advance predicted in this paper last week has occurred. New crop Valencia raisins are expected to arrive about October 10. A shortage in figs is predicted. Coffees are firm. Good demand for spices is reported. More inquiry for flour is encouraging millers, who state feed also is selling more freely. New honey is arriving in good quantity. Rice and tapioca are unchanged. Green fruits are selling well. Prices have not changed. Vegetables are quite active. Changes are noticeable in fish quotations.

SUGAR—The sugar market is not as brisk as it should be at this season of the year, and the decline of 10c has not given it much of an impetus. Prices are the same as last week. From some sources of an authoritative nature it is stated that the market is as low as it will be likely to go as the new crop beets are being quoted near the cost of production, and there will be opposition to further decline. Nearly all growing crops are making good progress, but these will not be a factor for some time yet.

Granulated, bbls	 84 70
4-bbls	4 85
Paris lump, boxes, 100 lbs.	\$ 50
11 11 50 lbs	 5 60
" 95 lbs	 5 80
Extra ground, bbls	5 05
" 50-lb. boxes 25-lb. boxes	 5 45
Powdered, bbls.	4 85
50-1b. boxes	 5 05
Phoenix	 4 45
Bright coffee	 4 40
No. 3 yellow No. 2	4 20
No. 1 " bbls	4 30
No 1 " ham	A OF

SYRUPS AND MOLASSES—Stocks of molasses have been considerably reduced throughout the country lately, and this has firmed up the market, which is very strong at the present time. Syrups are in good demand and quotations are the same as at the last report.

Barbadoes, in punchect	18									0	37		39
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" fancy												ñ	34
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" 20-lb. " 1 doz.	**						 					2	60

MAPLE PRODUCTS—There are almost no transactions taking place in this market. Prices the same as last week.

Compound maple syrup, per lb Pure Townships sugar, per lb	0	06	(07	
Pure syrup, 81b. tin	0	60	0	65	

TEA—The Japan market offers no new features this week, remaining the same as at the last quotations. Ceylons and Indias are in good demand, while Ceylon greens and China greens are less active. Blacks are reported as being likely to advance in October, according to authoritative advices from primary markets.

Choicest	0 38	0 45
Choice	0 32	0 37
Japans-Fine	0 27	0 30
. Medium	0 22	0 23
Good common	0 21	0 22
Common	0 20	0 21
Ceylon - Proken Orange Pe koe	0 20	0 38
Pekoes	0 19	0 20
Pekoe Souchongs	0 19	0 20
India-Pekoe Souchongs	0 174	0 18
Ceylon green Young Hysons	0 19	0 25
Hysons	0 18	0 20
Gunpowders	0 17	0 25
China greens-Pingsuey gunpowder, low grade	0 12}	0 16
n pea leaf	0 19	0 27
" pinhead	0 30	0 45

COFFEE—The undertone of the coffee market is strong and trade is good in this line. Some of the cheaper grades have been particularly active during the week. An authority on the coffee trade maintains that the steadiness of this market is due to Brazil's valorization scheme, which is designed to provide more stability to the market and eliminate highly speculative deals with this product. Prices are the same as at the last quotations.

Jamaica	0 16	0 20
Java	0 20 0 184	0 35
Mocha. Rio, No. 7	0 00	0 11
Santos	0 12	0 15
Maracaibo	0 15	0 20

DRIED FRUITS—Oregon prunes are not being seriously considered owing to short crop there. Dealers are turning their attention to the Bosnia product, as this country is regarded as the source of supply this year for most countries, except the United States. In the latter country the duty will pretty well limit the trade to the native product. Seeded raisins are in fairly good demand. New crop Valencias are due to arrive about

October 10. Sultanas are 1 cent a pound cheaper than a year ago. A fair demand is reported for currants on the spot, but it is of the hand-to-mouth character. Reports state that figs will be firmer this year, owing to shortage in crop.

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SPICES—A good trade is reported in spices, which is the result of the pickling season. All lines are in good demand and especially cinnamon, both ground and whole. Both varieties of cloves, also peppers, are particularly active. The increase in demand has not yet resulted in any change in prices.

	Per	lb.
Peppers, black	0 14	U 20
* white	 0 18	0 27
Ginger, whole	 0 16	0 20
" Cochin	 0 17	
Cloves, whole	 0 17	0 30
Cloves, ground	 	0 25
Cream of tartar	 0 25	0 32
Allspice	 0 12	0 18
Nutmegs	 0 25	0 60
Cinnamon.ground	0 15	0 19
** whole	0 14	0 16

RICE AND TAPIOCA—The market is very dull in both rice and tapioca. Rice is, perhaps, the more active of the two. Prices remain unchanged.

Rice	g ade B.	bags 250 pounds 3	1,
**		" 100 " 3	15
4.5	44		25
44	**	pockets 25 pounds 3	25
	46	pocket*. 121 pounds 3	35
44	grade c c.	. 250 pounds 3	05
4.4	**	10 " 3	1.5
4.4	**	10 "	15
11	- 14		15
86	11	frockets, 121 pounds 3	25
Гарі	oca, media	am pearl 0	65

BEANS—There is a light demand for beans, and this is limited pretty much to those of foreign growth. Ontario primes are quoted most generally at \$2, although a few extra choice lots have been quoted at \$2.10. Most sales of Austrian and Indian beans are at the minimum price. Reports from Ontario state that the crop is not likely to be as good in quality as was expected, owing to unfavorable weather.

On ario, prim	. 2	00	2	10
Autrian	. 1	95	?	00
Indi n	. 1	65	-	75

EVAPORATED APPLES—There is scarcely any demand and stocks generally are very low. Quotations rule the same as last week.

ONTARIO MARKETS.

POINTERS-

Sugar—Steady.

Molasses—Advance expected.

Beans—Scarce and firm.

Collections—Fair.

Toronto, Sept. 10, There is rather a more cheerful tone evident in wholesale circles this week. Some firms report business as picking up noticeably. Others are more conservative in statement and do not see much change at present, though they report favorably on the outlook. Buying in small lots, however, continues to be the regular procedure. Travelers say that where at the same time last year a grocer would take twenty-five cases of goods, to-day he is only taking twelve, with, however, the prospect of taking the other twelve later on. This seems to be characteristic of the whole busi-Collections are generally pretty good, though on the last few months business most of the houses are keeping their books in pretty good shape.

Market changes during the week in staple groceries have been very few, most lines holding steady.

SUGAR—The market shows very little change since last week. Demand is good and since the recent decline seems to have brought prices to a better working basis the situation is a good deal more steady. There has been nothing very new in the raw markets during the week and at the present time there does not seem much prospect for any immediate change in Canadian refined.

There seems good evidence that both retailers' and wholesalers' stocks are light throughout the country as was shown in London last week when a delay of twelve hours in the arrival of a train saw a small edition of a sugar famine.

Willett & Gray, summarizing the situation, say:

"The decline, which extended for several weeks, has finally been checked. All unfavorable conditions have been discounted and a further decline is not warranted at this time. No boom is anticipated, but there is reason to expect a firm market for the immediate future. The balance of old crop Cuba sugars available for shipment is reduced to about 35,000 tons, which is offered only sparingly from time to time, the lowest price now named being 2 9-16c c. & f., 95 degrees test, equal to 3.98c for 96 degrees test, the Cuba sugars now testing low as a rule; there are New York buyers at 1-32c less, or equal to 3.95c for 96 degrees test. According to cables, the weather in Cuba is still favorable to the development of the growing cane. Our Havana correspondents write that many sections report that the cane has already begun to lay down, owing to its size, and that prospects of the crop are promising. Harvesting is expected to commence in December."

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Paris lumps, in 25-lb. boxes	6 05
raris lumps, in 50-10. boxes	5 75
in 100-1b. "	0 10
Paris lumps, in 20, 5-lb. boxes	7 10
Mt. Lawrence granulated, barrels	
St. Lawrence Beaver	
Stand rd granulated	4 80
Imperial	4 55
Acadia granulated, (bags and barrels)	4 70
Berlin granulated	4 70
Phoenix	4 75
Bright coffee	
No. 3 yellow	4 60
No. 2 "	
No. 1 "	4 40
Granulated and yellow, 100-lb. bags 5c. less than bl	bls.

SYRUPS AND MOLASSES—There has been no change as yet in molasses prices, though dealers are talking about an increase in accordance with conditions mentioned in these columns last week, and the change is almost sure to come shortly.

Medium				 	 0	1 26	0 35
2 lb. Tins,						Per	2 40 2 75
10 " "			****	 	 		2 65
20 " "	1 "						2 601
Barrels							0 34
Quarter Pails, 381		ch		 	:		0 13 1 75 1 25
Maple syru	ip-						4 50
1 " 12	11			 	 		4 80
Quarts, 24 Pints, 24							2 10
Molasses- New Orlea						30	0 35 0 20
Barbadoes Porto Rico West Indi		fancy.		 	 0	37	0 45 0 60 0 35

TEA—Local markets are comparatively quiet, with no particularly new features in evidence.

Kearley & Tonge's August circular reviewing the general situation, says:
"The stand-out event in connection with Ceylon tea during July has been the all-round improvement in quality. There are now comparatively few unusable teas offered; many of the low-country gardens, which during April, May and June were sending teas rank in cup and with black infusions, are now making good, sound, useful teas. Higher grown teas also show great improvement; gardens with reputations for fine flavor reputations, which during the last month or two have been in danger-are now producing quality and flavor very much nearer the standard that is looked for. The result of this general improvement has been to steady the market for low grades and send up the prices of good to fine, many cents per lb. And as is usual, with a return to fine quality, the quantity is less. Sales are considerably smaller, and are likely to continue so, consequently the prospects point to a firm market for some time."

DRIED FRUITS—Interest is centred in new crop goods with first shipments due to arrive in about two weeks. Some jobbers report selling largely on these, though mostly in small lots. Other houses have not been pushing the goods. The markets on both raisins and currants have a firmer feeling, with good reports as to the quality of the coming goods. Cables to local brokers from Smyrna this week noted an advance of from 1s and 6d to 2s on raisins.

Present prices are as follows:

Prunes, Santa Clara—	
Per lb	Per lu.
100-120s 0 06	30-10,25's, 50-1 boxes 0 075
90-100s,50-lb boxes 0 J6 0 07 7	70-808 " 0 (8
80-90a " 0 67\$ 0 08 (80-70s, 50-lb boxes 0 (71 0 09
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Note-25 lb. boxes to. high	
Candied and Drained Peels-	
Lemen 0 11 0 114 C	Stron 0 21 0 22
Orange 0 11 0 12	
Peaches, "	0 18 0 20
Figs-	
Elemes, per lb	0 08 0 15
Tapnets, "	0 091 0 04
Bag Figs	0.001.0.04
	0 029 0 14
Currants—	
Fine Filiatras 0 062 0 07	Fostizzas 0 09 0 094
Patras 0 08 0 081	
Uncleaned, to less.	
Raisins-	
Sultana	0 091 0 13
" Fancy	0 11 0 124
" Extra fancy	
Valencias,	
Seeded, 1-lb packets, fancy	
" 16 oz packeta choice	0 196
16 oz. packets, choice.	0 (8
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SPICES—Business	continues good in
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SPICES—Business continues good in lines in general demand. No changes are recorded.

Peppers, blk p re	0 16	0 20
Peppers, blk p re	0 25	0 30
whole, . Iack		0 18
" whole, white	****	0 28
Ginger		0 25
Cinnamon		0 40
Nutmeg		0 10
Cloves, whole		0 25
Allapice		0 19
" whole	0 17	0 20
Mace ground	0 80	0 90
Mixed pickling spices, whole	15	
Cassia, whole	0 20	0 25

RICE AND TAPIOCA—There are no features of interest locally. Cables from Japan estimate the season's rice erop at 18 per cent. above the average.

BEANS—There is a little more activity noticeable this week, and the short supply in the markets is very evident. Prices continue stiff.

Beans,	hand	picked,	per bush	2	90	2 1	0	
- 11	Lima	ner lh				0 0	2	

EVAPORATED APPLES—Little is doing with prices unchanged.

Evaporated apples 0 7½ 0 98

HIDES AND WOOL—The hide market is high and dealers are not anxious to buy. Wool is inactive.

No 1 inspected steers, 60 lbs. up	0 09	0 104
No. 2 " " "		0 (84
No. 1 " c ws		0 094
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TORONTO GROCER TAKES FIRST.

There was quite a line-up of grocers', confectioners', and bakers' delivery outfits at the Exhibition on Tuesday morning, in connection with the judging before the grand stand. In class 138, single horse, open to grocers, confectioners bakers and milkmen, R. Mathews, the Yonge St. grocer, carried off first with his spic and span outfit and the prize-winner, Fred, between the shafts. This is the fourteenth set of ribbons won by this horse. The Osgoode Dairy Co. carried off second with King, and S. J. Beacock took third, with Brown Duchess.

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CANADIAN CANNED GOODS.

Estimate of Pack on Various Lines-Reports From Business Centres.

Reports from reliable authorities in the different canning centres allow the compilation of estimates of crop and pack of vegetables and fruits on several lines, which are given herewith:

The pea crop has turned out somewhat of a failure. The hot and dry weather played havoc with the growing peas. On this account the pack cannot be very large. Some estimates place it from 1-3 to 1-2 of the normal pack.

Refugee and Golden Wax beans already packed, are of good quality and fair sized pack. Prospects have been very discouraging for a couple of weeks for the later bean pack but recent re-ports from the fields are brighter and the crop promises to be at least fair.

The tomato pack will be only an average one, and not so large as expected a few weeks ago. The average in most sections is smaller than last year and grubs and blight have done considerable injury. The last two weeks of cool weather also has delayed delivery.

The beet and pumpkin pack will be fairly large.

A large supply of plums was carried over from last year by most of the canners and in consequence the pack will probably be light.

MONTREAL-The demand for all lines of Canadian goods has been good since trade has been on the new price basis. American products are neglect-

TORONTO-The amount of business passing is not so large as expected this week, though fruits and vegetables are fairly active. Jobbers are gradually stecking up with new pack goods.

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Geo. Thorn, confectioner, Toronto, has sold his business.

Thibodeau & Cyr, wholesale confectioners, Montreal, have assigned.

Owen Bros., general merchants, Kirkella, Man., have sold their stock to Fred. Of H. P. Eckhardt & Co., Toronto, who Crossman.

D. J. Cullen, confectioner, Deloraine, Man., has sold his business to C. E. Stevens & Son.

O. H. Bruneau, general merchant. Stratford Centre, Que., has compromised with his creditors.

Bertram Carr, representing Carr & Co., biscuit manufacturers, Carlisle, England, was in Winnipeg last week consulting with Hamblin & Brereton, the Western Canada agents for his firm, and making the acquaintance of the Winnipeg trade. Mr. Carr has gone further West to visit the trade at the Pacific Coast.

F. W. Forde and Ald. Johnston, two of Ottawa's energetic grocers, who have been working hard in the interests of the Pure Food Show, to be held in connection with the Central Canada exhibition next week, were in Toronto for several days this week doing the exhibition and incidentally securing a few more exhibitors for the Ottawa fair.

ANOTHER HAPPY TRAVELER.

John Wilson Charles, of H. P. Eckhardt & Co., Toronto, is widely known as one of the cheeriest grocery travelers on the road. After this week he'll surely bubble over with happiness and he'll have good reason to. On Wednesday, September 9, John did one of the best things he has ever done by taking unto himself a bride, the young lady unto himself a bride, the young lady being Miss Violet A. Colville, niece and adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Colville, or "Billy" Colville of Com-fort Soap, to be more familiar. The fort Soap, to be more familiar. The ceremony was performed in St. Enoch's Presbyterian Church, Toronto, at one o'clock, by Rev. W. B. Findlay, assisted by Rev. J. McP. Scott. The bride was assisted by Miss Nellie Sinclair, and James Charles, the groom's brother, was best man. The ushers were Henry Smart and W. J. Bradv.

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After the ceremony a reception was held at 2 Bain Ave., Mr. and Mrs. Col-



JOHN WILSON CHARLES.

Was Married on Wednesday.

ville's home, and later in the afternoon the happy couple left for a honeymoon trip to Philadelphia, Atlantic City and New York. On their return they will reside at 2 Bain Ave.

A pleasing incident previous to the happy event occurred on Saturday in the office of H. P. Eckhardt & Co., when in a little gathering of the staff John Charles, who has been with the firm for 15 years and is one of their leading travelers, was presented with a handsome china cabinet. The head of the firm, Mr. Eckhardt, and the manager, Mr. McKenzie, said some very nice things about Mr. Charles' work and his long connection with the house, and the recipient made one of his characteristicrecipient made one of his characteristically able replies.

The Grocer extends heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles in their new relations.

Though Increased Over Last Year, Not Large Pack.

THE CANADIAN SALMON PACK.

An article in these columns two weeks ago giving estimates of the salmon pack on the Pacific Coast, has aroused considerable interest among the trade, and some question as to its correctness. While the figures given have subsequently been proven to be correct, the article seems to have been somewhat misleading, in stating that this season's pack was increased over that of last year, and not stating that last year was a poor one. As a matter of fact, the present season's pack is anything but a large one. In some places the run was larger than anticipated, but the factories were not prepared to take advantage of this. From another standpoint, when it is known that the pack of "Talls," in which the Canadian trade is chiefly interested, is comparatively light, it will be readily seen that the supply of salmon this season will not be large. impossible, at present, to secure reliable statistics as to the British Columbia pack. but in the light of the facts given above the following report from a correspon-dent on the Coast, who is closely in touch with the situation, should be of interest:

Vancouver, Sept. 4.- The salmon pack for 1908 in British Columbia is better than that of last year. On the Fraser River, the increase is 16,000 cases in round numbers, the total returns not yet being available, while the total estimate for the whole of the Coast is placed at 338,000 of all shapes, as compared with 314,000 eases in 1907. The showing on the Skeena River was yery good. but at Rivers Inlet the canners were disappointed because of a decrease. One point worthy of special attention is that while on the Fraser the pack was 74,-000, on Puget Sound it was 151,000 cases. These canneries get their fish from practically the same source, but the fish before coming to the Fraser have to dodge the traps of the Puget Sound canners. The result is that Canadians get what are left. If the Puget Sound people observed the law, it would not be so bad, but it is stated with some degree of authority that the close season is only on the books, and trap owners do not allow it to bother them, except where they are forced by the seine fishers. As long as Canada takes steps for the preservation of the salmon fisheries, the United States reaps the benefit, and unless some co-operative measure is decided upon, and that enforced, it will only mean that canners here get little, while on the other side they take all that is offering.

ROLLED OATS UP IN MONTREAL.

A despatch from Montreal received just before going to press notes an advance on rolled oats, 5 cents on bags, 10 cents on barrels.

D. E. McGill has advertised his grist mill at Hillsburgh, Ont., for sale.

MANITOBA MARKETS

(Market quotations corrected by telegraph up to 9 a.m. Thursday, September 1), 1908.)

POINTERS-

Prunes-Advanced. Eggs-Advanced.

Butter—Advanced. Sugar—Upward tendency.

Business is showing considerable improvement and the outlook is much brighter. Anxiety about the crop is over now and while the yield is not so large as was expected last June it is still a satisfactory one and, with the high prices obtaining now, there is no doubt that it is the most profitable in the history of the country. With greatly improved business prospects, the trade are buying more freely and active trade may be expected during the coming months.

CANNED GOODS—Competition is keen in corn, peas and tomatoes. We quote:

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Lawtonberries-	-2's	4.18	4.08
Peaches—Yellow yellow pie, un pie un pie p	v 2's	S 4.443	4.08 6.44 3.24 2.40 3.27
" Globe 1.	s. 2's s. 3's		3.58 4.64 2.78 4.14
Raspberries-Re	ge 1. s ed 2's l gallons	3.08	2.18 2.18 2.98 4.08 3.771
" bla	ck 2's ck gallons	3.80	4.08
Strawberries-2		4.18	4.08
	VEGETABLES.		
Asparagus—2's. Beans—2's Corn—2's		2.08	6.18 1.98 1.98
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SUGAR-The tendency is upward but there has been no change since last week. We quote:

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Montreal and B.C. granulated, in bbls	5 15
" yellow, in bbls	4 80
" in sacks	4 75
Wallaceburg, in bbls	5 10
	5 15
in sacks	
Berlin, granulated in bbls	5 00
" " sacks	5 05
B,C. gunnies granulated, 5-18's to bale, per cwt	5 15
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" hard pressed lump, 25's, per cwt	6 35
" half bbls., per cwt	8 70
" leing	6 40
" bar sugar	5 80
Icing sugar in bbls	5 80
	6 00
" in boxes	
" in small quantities	6 30
Powdered sugar, in bbls	5 50
" in boxes	5 80
" in small quantities	5 85
Lump, hard, in bbls	6 15
" in \(\frac{1}{4}\)-bbls	6 15
" in 100-lb cases	6 15
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SYRUPS AND MOLASSES—

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BEANS-White beans are advancing in price and some houses are now asking \$2.50 per bushel for hand-picked and \$2.35 for 3-lb, pickers.

POT AND PEARL BARLEY-Pot barley, \$2.80 per sack. Pearl barley has declined and quotations now are \$4.05 per sack and \$2.10 per half sack.

MAPLE PRODUCTS-

Sugar,	25 lb. b	oxes. 4s. and 4s		 3 00
Syrup	gallons	doz. to case, per ase		 5 65
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"	1 "	2 doz. to case "	****	 6 5

FOREIGN DRIED FRUITS-Prunes are advancing and the price of old prunes now on the market has been advanced. The new stock which will arrive soon will be considerably higher in price. We quote:

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TRADE NOTES.

R. Frank Gill, grocer, St. Mary's, Ont., is retiring from business.

Isaac Davidovitch, general merchant, Burk's Falls, Ont., has assigned.

Thos. Newans, grocer, Prescott, has called a meeting of his creditors.

Chas. J. Farr, grocer, London, is succeeded in business by Milton & Trebil-

L. Welch, general merchant, Oil Springs, Ont., is succeeded by W. J. Griffin.

Sangster & McCuaig, general mer-chants, Mille Roches, Ont., have dissolved.

The general store of A. E. Barrett & Co., Havelock, Ont., was burned last

Neil McDonald, general merchant, Kintail, Ont., is advertising his business for sale.

The assets of S. Gagnon, general merchant, Bromptonville, Que., have been sold.

Levi Armstrong, grocer and baker, Stouffville, Ont., has advertised his busi-

A. E. Holmes & Co., grocers, Keewatin, Ont., have sold their business to L. H. & J. F. Clarke.

FEEDING THE EXHIBITION DOGS.

The dogs at the bench show at the Canadian National Exhibition this week are being fed on Spratt's dog cakes. It is within the truth to state that Spratt's sell 99 per cent, of the great kennel owners and breeders of the world, and that there is no dog living to-day of any account who himself, or whose ancestors, or descendants, do not, or have not, eaten Spratt's dog cakes. If your jobber cannot supply you, drop a line to the agents, F. Hughes & Co., 13 St. Therese St., Montreal.—Advt. Winnipeg, gan the office opening pri crop was re ous, and st \$1; No. 2 N 93c. Ever been a goo wheat past paid have r over the S ranged roui have also Exporters a very libe present it ther the de test the ne crop are in are much wheat was tion until coming in which was the marke I wired fo official ere the wheat estimate h most auth tained on that the co by wholly Free Pres way tran for the li ticularly the fact t any dama total dam of course not figure The dam the yield the grade dications and the spite of survey of correspon cent. of the Cana been av farming. man fro the othe hot wind great ex

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THE SITUATION IN THE WEST

The Western Viewpoint, by our Special Correspondent

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—With Sept. 1 began the official crop year of 1908-09. The opening price of the wheat of the new crop was really made a few days previous, and started with No. 1 Northern, \$1; No. 2 Northern, 97e; No. 3 Northern, 93c. Ever since the opening there has been a good demand for cars of cash wheat past Winnipeg, and the premiums paid have run all the way from 1c to 4½c over the September option, which has ranged round 98c to \$1. Rejected grades have also commanded a premium of 2c. Exporters report the demand good and a very liberal inquiry, but state that at present it is not possible to decide whether the demand may not be a desire to test the new crop. Receipts of the new crop are increasing daily, and, of course, are much ahead of last year when new wheat was not mentioned in the inspection until after Sept. 20th, but it is not coming in as rapidly as it did in 1906, which was one of the earliest crops on the market we have had in the West. I wired for last issue, the Free Press' official crop estimate for 1908, putting the wheat at 102,000,000 bushels. This estimate has come to be regarded as the most authoritative news that can be obtained on crop conditions, from the fact that the country is so completely covered by wholly disinterested inspectors, the Free Press buying every mile of its rail-way transportation, as well as paying for the livery hire. It should be a particularly valuable report this year, from the fact that the crop is spotted, that is, any damage that has occurred is not a total damage in any one place, excepting of course from hail, which really does not figure much in the bulk of the crop. The damage from frost will not lessen the yield materially, but it will lower the grade and it is going to be a pretty hard crop to buy on that account. Indications are all in favor of good prices, and the West is feeling very chipper in spite of the frost. A careful personal survey of the whole situation leads your correspondent to the belief that 75 per cent. of all the crop damage sustained in the Canadian West this year might have been avoided by better farming. No farming, however good, will protect a man from hail, so that damage goes in the other 25 per cent., but in the case of hot winds and frost, the matter is to a great extent in the farmer's hands. He cannot prevent either coming, but he can to a very great extent mitigate their effects. In the matter of hot winds, better cultivation would have reduced the damage fully one-half, if not two-This was plainly manifest by the condition of highly cultivated fields in the district where the hot winds and lack of moisture did the most harm. Well cultivated soil had conserved the moisture from the June rains, there were no weeds to share what moisture there was with the wheat, and the plants being strong, vigorous and well stooled were capable of standing more drought. In the matter of frost the bulk of the wheat

at all seriously damaged was sown too late. There was more excuse for late sowing the past spring than usual, because the bad weather last fall had made it difficult to get lands ready in time, but even this excuse was of no avail in many cases. The real trouble is the ambition of men to cover more ground than they can get in early and in good shape, and until this difficulty is overcome there will continue to be late crops that will be frosted.

It is interesting to note the condition of Manitoba, as compared with other Provinces. There has been a tendency on the part of many farmers, especially new-comers, to discount the little Province that made the West famous the world over for wheat, and to rush to Saskatchewan and Alberta, but in the off year of 1907, 60 per cent. of all the contract wheat was raised in Manitoba, and this year 75 per cent. of Manitoba wheat was harvested and out of harm's way before there was any frost. Of course, as the Provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta become older and cultivation has continued longer, this condition will prevail with them also. It is within the memory of your correspondent when it used to be considered that you could not grow a crop of wheat round Minnedosa, Rapid City and Neepawa without danger of frost damage, yet last year these districts harvested a 25bushel crop without a sign of frost. This goes to show that much of the heavy land in Aberta and Saskatchewan only needs good and careful cultivation to warm up and bid the frost defiance. The West is all right, but it still has a few lessons to learn, and, as usual, they have to be paid for. Fortunately, this year the price will not be high.

The event par excellence of the week in grain circles was the movement of the Grain Exchange into its new quarters, a magnificent seven-storey building on Lombard Street, east of Main. The building is not yet quite complete, but the members were determined to begin the new crop year in the new building and so they moved. There was more reason for this than appeared on the surface, for, as a matter of fact, the opening in the new building means a practically new Grain Exchange. since the disruption occasioned by the vicious legislation passed last spring by the Provincial Legislature, the members have been working quietly. A holding company was organized, which has taken over the building, buying it at sheriff's sale, and is operating it as landlords of the Exchange, and, as a matter of fact, when business opened on Tuesday morning in the new trading room, it was not the old Winnipeg Grain and Produce Exchange, with a Provincial charter, but all the members of that old exchange formed into a voluntary association without a charter of any kind. It will make absolutely no difference to the carrying on of business which will be handled precisely in the old way, but it

gives the members the control of their trading room and market reports, which would not have been possible to them had they continued to work under the old charter, after the restrictive legislation of last spring.

In land circles the event of the week was the coming into force of the new Land Act, opening up the odd numbered sections of Government land for homesteading purposes. The rush has been enormous, and even in Winnipeg where the number of homesteads thus available was small, the people spent the night in front of the land office. Moose Jaw had the largest number of homesteads to offer, some 40,000 in all, and the agents have been kept busy. The new law is a very popular one in the West, and has given a great impetus to immigration from the other side, though in many cases the homesteads have been secured by resident settlers for their sons. The fact that a lad of 18 may homestead and live at his father's home, provided that home is not more than nine miles from the homestead, makes it an easy way for the boys to get homesteads and many of them have availed themselves of the opportunity.

The railway strike does not appear to be nearing settlement, so far as the outsider can see, and there are many anxious hearts as to how the crop is going to move. There has been no difficulty so far, but the receipts have not exceeded 60 cars a day up to date. What everyone wants to know is how the company is going to handle 600 cars a day, for that is what will be needed presently. The series of disasters to their track east of Winnipeg has been a great blow, for it all happens on the lines that the wheat must pass over. There is no doubt that the company have secured a large number of men, but it is equally apparent that the number of skilled mechanics among these men is not large. It is learned, unofficially, that the men are anxious for the strike to be off, it has lasted longer now than they expected, and if the company are wise they will put their dignity in pocket and get the thing straightened At present the public largely sympathize with the company, considering that the men have been rash and un reasonable, but all the same they will have no sympathy with the company if the wheat trains get tied up. The feeling of the whole business community is that anyone who puts any hindrance in the way of marketing the present crop promptly is a traitor, and should be dealt with accordingly.

The much-talked-of new Union Stock Yards are coming at last. The land, about 100 acres in extent, has been secured, though the exact location has not yet been ascertained. It is known definitely, however, that it lies between the tracks of the three railways over in St. Boniface, and is excellently situated for the purpose. The purchase of the land has been guarded very carefully, but the three railways, C.P.R., C.N.R. and G.T.P., the big abattoir firms and a few others are interested in it.

"Men Who Sell Things"

What Respect for One's House Really Means-A Homily on Dress and Orderliness, One of the Important Factors of Salesmanship-Something About Displaying Samples.

By Walter D. Moody - Serial rights for Canada purchased by the MacLean Publishing Co. from the publishers, A. McClurg & Co., Chicago.

Respect for the House.

Why, of course! Down in the inner recesses of your sterner nature you know you have, only you have not stopped to think of it in that light. Show it, then by quitting the price-cutting habit.

You would not lift your hand against the safety and maintenance of your own father's household, would you? Why do you do it, then, against the home of your business family? When you compare the two cases there is not much difference.

You have some pride, have you not? Well, then, if you don't want to be known to the father and brothers of your business family as a weakling, constantly requiring care and watching quit that habit of price-cutting Start in to hold up your end in supporting that family, in place of being a drag on it.

Every time that you take a liberty that you have no business to take, some one suffers for it. When you fail to do your part, in keeping up the profits of your house, your brother salesmen have to carry the load you have imposed upon them by your lack of sense of obligation.

The most justifiable kick any salesman ever makes is when another salesman in his house cuts the price, while he remains firm. If you want the privilege of being a "special rights" member of the family, you ought to be willing to pay for it.

A Story of System.

My first business venture was the establishment of a house that traveled ten men. Our capital was limited, and we could not afford to make many mistakes. But in our desire to get a foothold, we allowed our salesmen a considerable degree of latitude the first two or three years. Finally we were obliged to call a halt. The cutting of prices was ruining our business. took the men aside one day and explained matters, asking their support in refusing to cut prices any longer. Our best men stopped the practice at once. but there were three or four weaklings on the staff, who thought the request was a joke, and to correct these it became necessary to make a positive rale that all salesmen cutting prices would be charged with the difference.

CHAPTER XVII.

DRESS AND ORDERLINESS.

Good clothes help to make a salesman. Observers are more impressed by the tidiness of one's clothing than by its expensiveness or variety.

It is said that no one ever notices a

man's linen, unless it is soiled; or his hat, unless it is of unusual shape, or dusty, or shabby; or his shoes, unless they are loud, or need blacking, or are worn down at the heel.

True, unpleasant conditions do attract True, unpleasant conditions do attract notice, but it is undeniable that the observer is always agreeably impressed by the cleanliness and good style which distinguish the gentleman. Every salesman, therefore, owes it to himself and to his house to be well dressed.

The secret lies more in the choice of clothes and the way they are taken care.

clothes and the way they are taken care of, than in their expensiveness or variety. Often the man with a modest wardrobe is better dressed than the one with many suits. Naturally, the man is light-headed, not to say wicked, who would squander on coats, boots, and neckties an income sufficient to support several families; but the example of the care-less, slovenly man is not inviting, and if extravagance is to be deplored, there is merit in good dressing. Strike the happy medium. Be neither a Beau Brummell nor a dust-stained Weary Wil-

Neglect of the clothing is a symptom of slovenliness that is apt to be pro-

The Well-Dressed Salesman.

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The well-dressed salesman is scrupulously neat, carries himself well, and is alert and active. The salesman who is content with ill-fitting clothes, shabby hat, soiled linen, rusty shoes, and a collar that is a size too large may be a very bright man and representing a first-class house, but he certainly does not look that way. The first impression the observer forms of him is that he is a "down-and-outer," bordering on a state of collapse. So much depends on first impressions and in keeping up good first impressions and in keeping up good impressions once formed, that every impressions once formed, that every salesman should regard his personal appearance as important.

Contempt for clothes is too often associated with laziness. The salesmen whom the general trade care to meet are those who "keep up" in every way. In matters like dress, it is a good thing for the salesman to try to get a look at himself "as others see him."

It matters little what your income is or the claims there may be upon it, you can at least afford to patronize a tailor who can give your clothes a stylish cut and a neat fit. Properly selected and adjusted fifty-cent neckties look as good as dollar ones; and a hat that becomes you costs no more than a misfit.

How Personal Appearance Counts.

Personal appearance in salesmanship counts so much and costs so little, that counts so much and costs so little, that any salesman can afford the price, and it is money well invested. A man is judged almost as much by his appearance as by his actions or the degree of his sanity in this progressive age. A well-dressed, alert salesman will get a "look in" with a brusque merchant, while his slovenly brother is being waved asisde with the busy signal.

Orderliness in dress goes hand in hand

with orderliness in the sample-room and orderliness in everything else connected with the work of a salesman. creates in the buyer a desire to buy like stepping into a well-ordered salesroom. The most attractive line of goods will lose out fifty per cent. through ineffective display in a cluttered-up room. Displaying Samples.

The proper display of samples on the road is a subject worthy of the closest study. Due care should also be given to cleaning up the sample-room in general before going out to round up a customer. Waste paper, trays, and empty boxes should be stowed away out of sight, and everything arranged in apple-pie or-

der, if one hopes to conduct a customer through the line without a hitch. Some salesman are naturally orderly; others learn to be, by hard knocks taught in the school of experience; and still another class never learn the lesstill another class never learn the lesson. I graduated from the second class during my first year on the road. happened in this way.

(To be Continued.)

CREATING A NEW CUSTOMER

How a Trade Newspaper Ad Brought a Traveler a New Account.

In a prosperous town of the central part of Ontario there is a merchant who, until recent years, had never included wall paper in his stock. One day, three or four years ago, he was thoughtfully turning over the pages of one of the Mac-Lean trade newspapers when the advertisement of a prominent wall paper manufacturer caught and held his attention "Why not handle wall paper?" thought he, 'surely I can turn a few honest dollars that way. I'll try, anyway!" So he sat down and wrote to the wall paper manufacturer, who at once dispatched a traveler with a full line of samples. Later on, the smiling traveler left the store with a pretty fair order booked. In a couple of years that merchant had cleared several hundred dollars; and, needless to say, the traveler who followed up the first enquiry still gets the business. Really, there is no business-getting combination on earth superior to trade newspaper advertising and live travelers who appreciate its advantages!

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ONTARIO SUGAR BEET CROP.

1,200 Growers in Kent and Large Acreage Elsewhere—Prospects Good.

Special Correspondence of The Canadian Grocer.

Chatham, Ont., Sept. 9.—In the course of three weeks, more or less, farmers throughout southwestern Ontario will commence to harvest a crop that is probably unique in all Canada.

Since about 1900, sugar beets have been grown in this and adjoining counties. They are largely grown in Essex, Kent and Lambton, while the beet zone is steadily extending eastward into Elgin and Middlesex and northward into Huron and Bruce.

What is technically termed "the sugar beet campaign' opens about October 1st, and continues till nearly the end of January. During that time beets from all directions are being shipped to the factories by every known means of conveyance. Farmers close to the factories transport their beets in wagons. where water is near at hand scows are used and in other cases long freight trains of open cars, laden with the big white beets, are to be seen on every siding. At the factory the beets are weighed and tested, to discover the percentage of tare to be deducted, and the percentage of sugar, on which the price is based. Then they are piled in the sheds ready to enter into the mysterious processes which result in their conversion into sugar.

Farmers in Western Ontario grow chiefly for the Wallaceburg and Mount Clemens (Mich.) factories, the acreage being contracted for at specified rates in advance. Mount Clemens pays a flat rate per ton; the Wallaceburg rate is based on the sugar percentage, with a specified minimum price per ton.

Archibald Blue, chief of the Census and Statistical Department at Ottawa, visited Wallaceburg a few days ago for the purpose of securing a report on the sugar beet crops in this section. Later he talked entertainingly of the crop.

"The bast crop looks most promising," he said. "I have no doubt that this year's crop will be an excellent one, and, let me add, this is one of the most important industries in Canada to

day.

"I was greatly surprised to note to what an extent the farmers of this district have gone into the growing of beets. There are 1,200 farmers in Kent growing beets this year. Some of them have only four or five acres of beets, but many are growing as high as forty and forty-five acres, and when you consider that this crop brings in an average of \$50 an acre, you will understand in some sense what this must mean to Kent.

"The soil here seems especially adapted to beet culture, and the farmers appear to be experts in cultivating them. Beets are good for the land, and they are good for the farmers' pocket. They make the land clean for other crops to follow and sugar is an article for which

there is always a steady demand, and this is what makes the industry so valuable. They have an excellent plant at Wallaceburg, and I was much impressed with what I saw there."

It may be added, that farmers at first looked askance at the crop, and were with difficulty induced to try the experiment of growing a few acres of sugar beets. The wet summer of 1902, however, turned the tide; for, when all other crops proved failures, the beets were a resounding success. The reliability of the crop impressed the farmers in a way they have never forgotten, and year by year beets are being grown more largely, till to-day they form one of the many peculiar staples of these western counties.

OTTAWA PURE FOOD SHOW.

Prospects Bright for Success of First Foodstuffs Exhibition Next Week.

Ottawa grocers have been working hard for some time to assure the success of the Retail Merchants' Association's Pure Food Show, the first, by the way, to be held in the city, which will be one of the biggest features of the Central Canada exhibition from Wednesday, Sept. 16 to Saturday, 19th.

As matters stand at present everything points to a very successful show. The building secured is an ideal one for the purpose and the fittings and decorations have only been placed after a deal of study and planning. The space, at last reports was practically all disposed of and the exhibitors will include the best class of foodstuffs manufacturers from different parts of the Dominion and the United States.

C.M.A. CONVENTION NEXT WEEK.

Montreal Association Making Preparations to Entertain Visitors.

The thirty-seventh annual meeting of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association will take place on September 15, 16, 17 and 18, at the Windsor Hotel, Montreal. In an extremely pretty programme which has been published by the association the various matters which will engage the attention of the members are mentioned. In addition to the official programme the booklet contains many reproductions of Montreal's famous buildings and places, her theatres and hotels.

On Tuesday evening at eight o'clock the delegates will be entertained at the Peter Redpath Museum of McGill University by the Governor. On this occasion short addresses will be delivered by Principal Peterson, C.M.G. and Ald. Geo. W. Sadler, while R. Hobson will reply on behalf of the association. Arrangements have been made to give the members of the Association a trip around the Harbor. On the closing day a trip to Valleyfield has been arranged when the members will be the guests of

the Montreal Cotton Co. The evenings will be filled by banquets and theatre parties.

The biscuit and confectionery section of the association will hold a meeting in Room 135, which will be of especial interest to those connected with the grocery business.

Provision has been made for the ladies who will be entertained while the gentlemen are at the meetings.

The officers of the association are looking forward to one of the most successful meetings in the history of the organization.

E. D. MARCEAU REORGANIZES.

Quite reorganized, the old firm known as the E. D. Marceau Company, Montreal, is now transacting business under the style of the Marceau Tea and Coffee Company. Mr. Marceau is at the head of the business and will look after the interests of the new firm, which has purchased the trade marks Condor. Old Crow, Madam Huot, etc., from the old concern, as well as goodwill, fixtures and other things. Teas, coffees and vinegars will be handled in the old premises, corner St. Paul and St. Gabriel Sts.

MILLERS MEET IN TORONTO.

Emphasize Necessity to Keep Up Quality of Flour.

The annual meeting of the Dominion Millers' Association was held in the Board of Trade Building, Toronto, on Friday, Sept. 4th.

The principal business of the meeting was the election of officers and the votes of the sixty-seven members present resulted as follows: A. C. McLeod, Stratford, President; D. B. Wood, of Hamilton, 1st Vice-President and Mr. C. B. Watts, of Toronto, 2nd Vice-President and treasurer. After the elections several addresses on trade topics were given, one in particular by president-elect McLeod, emphasizing the necessity for preserving the quality of flour.

The association late in the afternoon adjourned to the exhibition grounds, where the annual dinner, a most successful function, was held.

CHANGES FIRM NAME.

Alphonse Raymond, who has been carrying on the business of J. A. Perrault & Co., 40-50 Plessis St., Montreal has decided to run the concern under his own name. The change went into effect September 1, and in future all pickles, catsup, jams, jellies and kindred lines coming from this house will bear the label of Alphonse Raymond. Mr. Raymond is one of the younger class of manufacturers in Montreal and his friends will be glad to see him make an even greater success of the business under his own name.

OUR CLERKS' CORNER

Some of the Difficulties the Grocer's Assistant Has to Contend With—How He Can Make Himself Most Useful to His Employer.

The ordinary man thinks it an easy thing to be a grocery clerk. It doesn't look to be very hard, but just wait until a crank comes into the store with a frown on his face; next a taster who tastes and prices for half an hour, and gets a good square meal and doesn't buy a cent's worth. Then others come in and tell you how much cheaper other stores are selling groceries and refuse to trade with you unless you cut. Then comes an order over the 'phone thick and fast in a woman's high-keyed voice, who rings off without giving her name. In an hour or two she rings you up again and asks why you haven't sent those groceries. While you are explaining matters to her in comes a man who sings off an order of flour, potatoes, sugar, coffee, etc., and who shoots out of the door and down the street. If you haven't eaught the order you are expected to guess at it; then there is a roar.

Next comes a man who wants credit. He has traded at other stores and paid cash, and now has a job where he gets his pay only every two weeks. He pays promptly for several weeks, then he has a small balance. This keeps on for a while and finally his bill is all balance.

The next customer who comes in and asks for credit you politely ask where he traded last. He says: "I used to trade at Mr. A.'s, but he cheated me, so I thought I would try you."

"Shall I call Mr. A. and ask him if you are all right?" I ask. "No, you needn't go to that trouble," he says. "I don't have to trade here." And he goes out and slams the door. Just to satisfy yourself you call up Mr. A. and find that he owes \$100.

Then there is this kind of a customer—a man who has always paid cash, who meets with reverses and asks you for credit. You can't turn him down, as he has been a good customer. You let him have the goods. The bill keeps growing larger and larger and finally gets so large the man goes elsewhere to trade. Then you are out again.

I have found that the man who owes the largest bill is the one who can take in all the theatres, circuses and excursions.

Then there is the customer who rings up just before dinner and wants you to deliver a package of yeast foam 13 blocks away at once.

Another thing we have to contend with is the girl who comes in to call up her sweetheart and talks for 15 to 20 minutes when our regular customers are waiting to use the telephone.

HELPFUL HINTS FOR CLERKS.

Your salary comes out of the gross profits you make for your employer. Make more money for him and you will make more money for yourself. Don't argue with customers. Give them the benefit of your experience and advice, but don't try to force upon them goods they don't want.

Don't make claims for your goods that you know the goods won't back up. The customer finds out the truth in the end and few customers will let you have a second chance to give them the worst of

Try to send every customer away satisfied. A satisfied customer is the kind that comes back.

Don't hide the "stickers" under the counter. Get them out and try to sell them. Often the proper display of an article means the difference between "sellers" and "stickers."

Any one can sell new, well advertised goods, but it takes a mighty good salesman to keep the odds and ends and hard sellers cleaned up.

Be a salesman, not a clerk. Learn to do things. Have a little initiative, and don't always wait to be told.

Look around and see what there is to do—and do it. That is the kind of a man who gets ahead nowadays.

Don't forget about the store the minute you get outside. Keep it in one corner of your mind all the time.

You often have a chance to drop a hint among your friends about new things "down at the store." It can't do any harm and may make business.

Get into the habit of doing these things. You know the way to get more money is to "show" your employer you are worth it.—Grocery World.

Study every customer and cultivate his acquaintance. It will help you inerease your sales.

Learn the name of each customer who comes into the store.

Calling a person by name goes a long way toward breaking down that barrier of reserve which otherwise is so hard to get around.

Be glad to see people when they come in. It is just as easy, and you will feel better, and so will they.

Show goods to your customers as you would to your friends. Get out anything and everything which you think will interest them. Help make the selections and don't get restless or impatient while the customer is deciding what to buy; it has spoiled many a sale.

When you know a thing from "A to Z," you get enthusiasm and sincerity into your talk. Your argument is convincing and it's easy for you to sell goods. But it is hard work, and it's unpleasant, too, trying to sell something you don't know anything about.

NEW QUARTERS AT THE SOO.

W. H. Gillard & Co.'s Wholesale Branch Getting Into Larger Premises.

The wholesale branch of W. H. Gillard & Co., Hamilton, at Sault Ste. Marie, which was established in 1901, has just moved into new quarters in the Plumner Block, the change being necessitated by a rapidly-increasing business.

In describing the new premises the Soo Star says:: "The new store is very spacious and extremely well lighted. The first floor front has been fitted up with iron columns, and plate glass windows, extending across the entire building. The interior is divided into two parts with high archways between, which gives it a very roomy, pleasing effect, and consists of two floors and a basement each 55x65 feet in extent, the entire space utilized being 10,725 square feet. The offices and sample room face Queen St. on the east side of the first floor and are being fitted up in first-class shape. The basement has been re-timbered and a passage made to receive goods from the Pim St. side, which will facilitate handling very much. The exterior is finished with Milton pressed brick and the building will be made as fireproof as possible. A warehouse, iron clad, 90x35 feet, stands in the rear, and is fitted for the handling of goods and freight with a minimum of labor. A driveway down the centre the entire length with raised platforms on either side, will render the loading and unloading very easy. The warehouse consists of two floors, and will also be made as fireproof as convenience will allow. The firm handles a great deal of freight by both boat and rail and every facility has

been made to meet growing demands."

The Soo branch of W. H. Gillard & Co.'s business was established seven years ago, when they occupied a modest store, 20x30 feet, opposite the Leland Hotel. Since that time they have moved twice; first, to the Rothschild Building, corner of Queen and McDougall Sts., and then to the premises they have lately occupied in the Collins Block, Queen St. east.

The manager of the Soo branch is Charles A. Leaney, to whose business enterprise and ability much of the success of the firm is due. Mr. Leaney has been connected with Gillard & Co. for fourteen years, and has been manager at the Soo continuously since the inception of the branch except for a period of eighteen months when he was absent in the Northwest establishing business claces for the company there. The Soo branch has grown until now it is one of the largest wholesale businesses between North Bay and Port Arthur, and a lease of the new building has been taken for a number of years.

P. G. Wilmot, grocer, Kingston, has assigned.

The wholesale grocer and liquor firm of Lucas, Steele & Bristol, Hamilton, has been changed to Geo. E. Bristol & Co.

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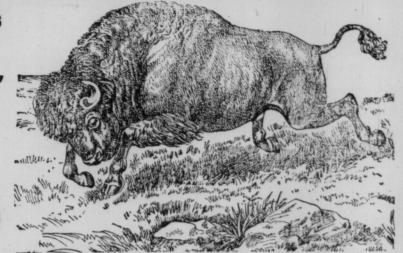
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A GROCER'S PICKLING WINDOW

Timely Display for the Present Season.

Vinegars, spices and pickle and preserving materials are very timely just at present and a window displaying these in an attractive manner is certain to be of considerable service in disposing of these goods.

The accompanying engraving illustrates a window of such a nature which appeared recently in the store of Rowat & Co., 234 Dundas Street, London. R. J. Doneeghy, the manager of the store, who sent in the photo, sent also an interesting description of the methods and materials used in dressing it, as follows:

The floor of the window in front is covered with assorted spices in packages, including whole and ground goods, turmeric, currie, cinnamon, peppers, etc. With these are displayed price tickets attractively marked up. The sides of the window are dressed with bottles of pickles and olives. On the floor in the centre are bottes of malt vinegar, and on these, supported by a glass plate, is a display of malt, white wine and cider vinegars, to which are attached price tickets.

The window as a whole is very well worked up, the idea of displaying only a few lines and telling something about them being one, which is sure to bring results. It is to a large extent uniform, and yet departs enough from sameness to be free from any semblance of stiffness.

THE WINDOW AS A WEAPON.

The window of the grocery store is a weapon for offense and a weapon for defense. It is a sure reliance when cutprice chain stores beleaguer the dealer, and a silent salesman doing effective work among customers of nearby rivals who are "not up to snuff"—who do not realize upon their opportunities. The merchant who uses his show window properly ought to spend no time in bewailing the trade lost to him. He should be too busy-too busy supplying the new business the show window has brought him. The writer is sometimes told that advertising in newspapers is folly for the retail grocer. Other people have asked. "What's the use of fooling time away on a grocery window?" The answer is this: If an advertisement in the paper is a useless expense, then the show window service is a necessary expense. If the advertising in the paper fails because the grocer cannot draw people from distant parts to his store, the window should have its innings, because it is a local advertisement, operating only within a narrow limit, although sometimes exerting influence upon thousands of people within the limited radius.

A common mistake in window service is made by the people who believe that dressy, dainty windows are only for the neighborhoods and patrons of considerable gentility. The dainty store in a genteel neighborhood would do less execution with a fine display than an ordinary store with an extraordinary window in an ordinary neighborhood could do, because the public has become accustomed to the former and not to the latter. If the grocer wishes to learn of the full possibilities of the show window let him work out a window-dressing plan in a common-looking store in a common neighborhood.

What's the use?" has paralyzed a lot of window-dressing enthusiasm in the past. Ask John Wanamaker the question and he could answer that good showwindow advertising is one of the secrets

The store window of the grocers ranges from the sublime to the ridicul-

Doctor Curem's" window remedy. Never fails.—Merchants' Review.

UTILIZING THE MEAT SLICER.

A grocer in Southern Illinois tells of a novel window display which he says did him more good than any use to which he had put his windows in a long time. It seems that he had just bought a new meat slicing machine, which, as it happened, reached him on a Friday. Bright and early Saturday morning he had the machine in the window with a small boy in a white apron working it. As he tells it: "I had the boy alternate the cutting ham and bacon and dried beef, first one for awhile and then another. Crowds gathered around watching the smooth, even slices fall from the machine, and the boy had hard work to keep up with the demand. I really believe that nearly all the sliced meat sold in our town that day was bought at my store; and the



A Pickling Window From T. A. Rowat & Co., London.

ous, from the admirable to the disappointing, from the grand to the mean, and in nearly every case of marked difference from the common type it will be found that there is not enough time or money used up to warrant the grocer in continuing to abstain from special work in the window. The saving is too small when the work is badly and seldom done, and the expense is too light when the work is well done—that is, to justify the grocer in trying to economize.

The hardest times are softened by show-window emollients. Try them.

The show window is a specific for "that tired feeling" in a business. Sometimes that business gets the grip—dry rot fastens on it, or something else ails it. Then is the time to try some of "Old

best of it is that the demand is keeping up. I am selling many times the amount I formerly did." The idea is one which might be taken up in almost every town. While meat slicers are in pretty general use, hundreds of people do not know what excellent goods they turn out, and a display like this should popularize the goods to a great extent.

C. H. Colson, representative of C. E. Colson & Son, Montreal, Canadian representatives for Crosse & Blackwell, was in Toronto the past week calling on the trade. Mr. Colson is returning from a very successful trip through Manitoba and the Northwest, and expresses himself as very much pleased with the business and prospects for the future.

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CHEESE AND BUTTER BULLETIN

Montreal, Sept. 8, 1908. The cheese market is getting interest-ing by virtue of the fact that the yield may yet overtake that of last year. This possibility, however, is wholly dependent upon the sort of a fall we have. If we have a long, open autumn the prospects are that we will overtake last year's record, but, of coure, if the fall is short and cold there will be no possibility of doing this. It must be re-membered that the number of cows are far less this year than last, therefore, if the yield totals last year's it will indeed, be an accomplishment worth considering. Reports from United States points state that the keen competition for September make has already set in. This activity is due to the implied superiority of the September make over that of other months and this fact engenders the keenest sort of competition.

From the other side, cables report Canadian cheese to be very much in the limelight just now, and slowly advancing in price. The Cheshire product and the Canadian seem to be the only ones in the market which are attracting any attention at the present moment. It seems the Cheshire source of supply is not nearly so large as was expected therefore, the Canadian arrivals will have to be on a much larger scale if England expects to supply her wants with our cheese. In London it is stated that stocks generally are very much depleted and dealers are beginning to be anxious regarding supplies. The demand has kept up much better there than was anticipated, and now that the home make is much cut down owing to the hot weather Canadian cheese will be higher in the London markets. From other parts of England reports state markets are firm and prices advancing.

The receipts of cheese for the week ending September 5 were 70,849 boxes, against 66,045 boxes for the corresponding week of 1907. This shows a balance in favor of the present season of 1908 of 4,804 boxes. The receipts for the year, up to Sept. 5, have been 1,-232,642 boxes, against 1,409,576 boxes for the corresponding period of 1907. These figures show a balance in favor of 1907 which it will be difficult for us

to equal this year.

The butter market is in a speculative condition at the present time. Exporters are said to be losing money, owing to the high prices which they are paying in the country, and this butter is going into storage here, which looks as though a rise in price were expected. Such a condition is highly logical now, owing to the prospective shortage in the make this year. With the most auspicious weather we can hardly catch up with last year's yield, which was not by any means a large one. Reasoning on the basis that the make will be shorter this year it does certainly appear as though the chances of a rise would be good. This appears all right, but an English authority claims that it will not work out so, speaking for England, and it might be that the same reasons which he advances will obtain, to some extent at least, in this country. He claims that the poorer classes, in anticipation of a hard winter, are taking the bull by the horns and are seeking substitutes for some forms of foodstuffs, where they can be found. Margarine is naturally the thing which they turn to in such a time as this so in all probability the demand for butter in England will fall off materially during the winter months. While the Canadian working man will not entirely forsake butter and cannot buy margarine in Canada owing to the pure food laws, if there is a business depression here this winter the strictest economy will be necessary. Therefore, the consumption will not be so great as was anticipated, and the make may prove quite ample to supply all needs. The Danish make is increasing owing to the rains which have fallen in that country. The shipments from the United States to England are increasing, so it looks as though there would soon be enough butter arriving in the English markets to supply all requirements. At any rate it does not appear probable that the present top-heavy prices could continue much longer.

At the present moment there is practically nothing going forward in an export way, from Canada, as the prices are so high as to be prohibitive. A local dealer states stocks are large but not too much so, as he anticipates a large home demand, and thinks the supplies will not be equal to the requirements.

Two rather flattering statements can be made about the two leading Canadian products this week, and one is that Canadian butter remained the steadiest during the fluctuations which have taken place on the English market. This fact speaks well for this country. Another point which is a source of gratification to us is the fact that there has been much less complaining on the part of Englishmen regarding green cheese. This practice at one time bid fair to ruin the Canadian cheese trade, and also reflected on the butter trade.

The receipts of butter for the week ending Sept. 5 were 14,467 packages, against 10,932 packages for the corresponding period of last year. The receipts up-to-date are 294,689 packages against 292,206 packages for the corresponding period of last year. These latter figures show an increase over last year, and it remains to be seen whether or not this lead can be maintained.

THE PROVISION SITUATION

Toronto, Sept. 8, 1908. The immediate outlook is rather blue

for the packers, taking this week's conditions into consideration. Last week we reported no hogs, but pretty fair local business. This week, combined with a continued scarcity of working material, is the fact that local demand has fallen off rather materially. This, with no improvement in the English market and only small lots going forward, looks rather serious. And it is. Business is so depressed in some quarters this week that one or two of the smaller concerns are not killing at all, and this, too, on very light reserve stocks. The fact is the packers, in view of prevailing market conditions, are not at all anxious to pay the comparatively high prices the farmers demand.

What has become of the brisk local demand usually in evidence at this time of the year is rather an enigma. It has dropped, however, rather materially, probably in a good many cases as a result of smaller business being done in other lines of industry during the spring.

The English market, which continues to be well supplied by the Danes, and at spasmodic intervals by united shippers, is steady, though not too favorable. Local packers, under present conditions, are sending over only about a third of the product weekly that they did earlier in the season, and in a short time, too, the season of usual good summer business will be over.

Packers are offering \$6.25 for hogs on cars, but even this comparatively good price is failing to bring out anything but a mediocre supply and even then the quality is quite questionable. Truly the whole situation is not encouraging. Whether the farmer has been too much engrossed with politics or the Toronto fair the past two weeks to pay any at-tention to the opportunities of the hog markets, is a question no one can answer but themselves. In any event, something will have to turn up one way or the other very soon or the packing house dividends will not be very encouraging at the end of the year.

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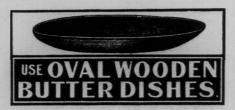
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PROVISION MARKETS

MONTREAL.

BUTTER-Butter is somewhat easier this week, owing to increased receipts. The price is still too high for any export business, therefore, the greater number of packages arriving are going into storage. The make is improving in qua-l ity, which as in the case of other dairy products, is the result of cooler weather.

CHEESE-The price of cheese is slightly higher this week, owing to lessened supplies arriving and advanced prices at the country boards. The maximum price this week is 123c, instead of 12½c, as last reported. Locally, the demand is good.

 Cheese, new, large
 0 121 0 122

 "twins
 0 121 0 13

 "old
 0 15 0 151

EGGS-The egg market locally is in good condition and supplies are arriving fairly freely. Prices have not changed since our last report. The quality is improving as the weather becomes cool-

 New laids
 0 23

 No. 1 Eggs
 0 19
 0 20

 No. 2 E/gs
 0 15
 0 16

HONEY-New honey is arriving in good quantity and is being taken up by buyers as fast as it is offered. Small lots of comb honey are arriving, the demand being chiefly for the white strained variety. The dark extracted lines are stronger in the maximum price by a cent. Other prices remain the same as at last quotation.

TORONTO.

PROVISIONS-Satisfactory trading has been done, but the exhibition record of a year ago has not been reached. Packing houses are not doing much killing just now and the visible supply in the storehouses is gradually diminishing. Quotations remain at last week's figures. Long, clear bacon is hard to obtain, and the smoked and cooked lines are in great demand. Supplies are expected to be better in a month's time, when more hogs will be offered for sale at the packing houses.

Long clear bacon, per lb 0 11		
Smoked breakfast bacon, per lb 0 14	• ;	Æ
Roll bacon, per 1b 0 11		
Light hams. per lb 0 14		
Medium hams, per lb 0 14		
Large hams per 1b 12	0	
Shoulder hams, par 1b 0 09	0	
Backs, plain, per lb	0	ı
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HONEY-Although this line is more plentiful in supply than a year ago, the honey crop this season is only about half an average one. Prices are 9c to 9te for 60-lb. tins and 9te to 10te for smaller sizes.

BUTTER-Big demand is still keeping up the price. Supplies are fair, but not too great. Montreal is asking for some for export, but England will not pay the prevailing price. Packing is going on as during the past few

	Per lb.	
Dreamery prints	0 25 0 26	
Dreamery solids	0 24	
	0 28 0 24	
	0 22 0 23	
ordinary	0 18 0 20	
tubs, choice	0 21 0 23	

EGGS-The conditions of a week ago continue to rule the market and the prices asked then prevail now, 20 cents to 21 cents. Supplies are free, but there is a big demand, too. The shrinkage is almost as great as ever.

CHEESE—Slowly moving is this line. With the exit of old cheese the new varieties have faired up a little.

POULTRY-A further decline in the price of chickens and hens is noted this week because of the very free supply. Ducks are not so plentiful and turkeys are hard to obtain. The poultry line is developing better business than a year ago, and augurs well for the fall season.

 Spring chickens. per lb, live.
 0 09

 Hens, per lb, live
 0 07

 Your g ducks, per lb.
 0 08

 Turkeys, per lb.
 0 13

WINNIPEG.

EGGS-There is a good demand and, country supplies being light, a further advance may be expected at any time. Produce houses are paying 22 cents f.o.b. Winnipeg subject to candling.

BUTTER—Supplies of dairy butter are light and the price is advancing. For No. 1 dairy, produce houses are paying 20c f.o.b. Winnipeg and for No. 2, 17c.

AN ATTRACTIVE EXHIBIT.

One of the most attractive exhibits in the Manufacturers' Building of the Canadian National Exhibition at Toron-to is that of the "SALADA" Tea Co., the decorations being carried out in a purely Oriental manner. Large bronze figures of East Indian warriors surmount each corner, and hold in their hands banners bearing the word SALADA. Below these are a series of panels executed in low relief depicting the methods of tea manufacture. A series of ebony elephants, starting with one three feet high, and graduating down to a tiny little one not more than three inches high, have caused a great deal of admiring comment. A. R. Whittemore, advertising manager of the "SALADA" Tea Co., is in charge of the exhibit, and has with him an East Indian, who is dressed in his complete native costume.

F. J. Hodgson, secretary the Montreal Biscuit Company, has returned home from a few weeks' vacation at his summer home on the Lake of Two

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THE FLOUR AND CEREAL MARKETS

An Advance in Ontario Rolled Oats-Flour Market Steady and Firm.

Grain, markets generally remain on about the same basis as at last reports and millers report local business as generally good with very little export business passing.

The only change noticeable during the week is an advance of 5 cents on Ontario rolled oats and oatmeal, this confirming the reports of higher oats this fall given in these columns the past couple of weeks. The advance is due to firmer markets consequent on rather a poor outlook for oats. The Ontario crop has turned out to be of rather poor quality, light and unsatisfactory for millers' purposes. While western oats have not yet been received in any quantity reports speak unfavorably of this crop also.

MONTREAL.

FLOUR-The flour situation remains about the same as last week with this, however, to note, that there is a slight improvement in the volume of trade passing. During the last week there has been some inquiry from foreign points but so far the orders filled for foreign account have been very small. A shipment of 30,000 sacks has gone forward to South Africa. Prices rule the sama as at last quotation. Buyers are holding off for better prices when the new crop becomes a factor in the market. local house says they will get what they are after according to what the Argentine can do this year. If there is a good crop of wheat there Canadian prices will go down, but if there is a shortage the price of the Canadian product will go up. There is a shortage in France and Russia this season, so this has placed the Argentine in a pivotal

Winter wheat patents	 1	4 70
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Royal Household,	 	
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Manitoba spring wheat patent		
" strong bakers		
Five Roses		
Harvest Queen	 	

ROLLED OATS—This market is quiet, very little business passing, although it may be said there is a slight improvement over last week. Business in the country shows some faint signs of improving. The orders received are small and only for immediate requirements. Prices are the same.

Fine oatmeal, bags		3 05
Standard oatmeal, bags		3 05
Granulated " " Golddust cornmeal, 98-lb bags		3 65
Golddust cornmeal, 98-1b bags	1 05	2 20
Rolled oats, 90-lb. bags.	. 1 30	2 80
80-1b. bags		2 50
" bbla		5 60

FEED—Bran is in fairly good demand and in some cases \$23 has been asked and received. Supplies are very limited. Business is picking up generally, as many mills which have been closed down are now opening up. There is considerable inquiry for shorts and middlings and the market is strong.

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TORONTO.

FLOUR—The market is unchanged on a firm basis. Local business continues fairly good with little export being done.

Manitoba Wheat.

60 per cent. patents		5 30
80 "		5 00
Strong bakers		4 80
Winter Wheat.		
Straight roller	3 7	3 80
Patenta	****	4 60

CEREALS—An advance of 5 cents in rolled oats and oatmeal during the week bears out the promises of stronger oat markets made in these columns recently. The Ontario oats coming in are of very poor quality, so much so millers say, that they cannot be used for usual purposes. Western oats have not yet arrived in Toronto but reports place this crop also as light.

Rolled wheat in barrels 100 the		2 85
oats in hags per bag 90 lbs		7 80
ratmeal, standard and granulated, in hage 9	98 lbs	3 10

OPPORTUNITIES IN THE WEST INDIES.

Flour Exporters and Soap Makers Should Exploit That Market.

C. S. Pickford, of Pickford & Black, Halifax, the large ship owners, was in Toronto this week looking after the West Indies exhibit at the Canadian National, and made a pleasant call on The Grocer. In speaking of the development of trade between Canada and the West Indies, Mr. Pickford said emphatically: "There's lots of business down there for Canadian firms, but they don't go after it. Goods must be sold down there just the same way they are here and representatives must be on the field to keep things going."

Mr. Pickford spoke especially for op-

Mr. Pickford spoke especially for opportunity for trade in flour and soap. "Why," he said, "the warehouses are piled full of other soaps and an immense business is done."

Speaking humorously, he said, "The women wash standing in the rivers with their clothes wrapped around them, and slush the soap around at a great rate, letting the most of it float away. Some business has been done in the West Indies by Canadian soap manufacturers," Mr. Pickford says, "but there are large possibilities not yet touched."

W. H. Halford, of Shaw T. Nishimura & Co., Montreal, has returned from a business trip to Quebec.

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BEAN CROP BELOW AVERAGE.

Reports From Western Ontario Not Too Favorable—An Early Harvest.

Special Correspondence of The Canadian Grocer.

Chatham, Sept. 8.—The continued dry weather of late has been ideal weather for the bean harvest, which is now under way in many parts of Southwestern Ontario. At no season does the crop stand to suffer so heavily by rain as during the harvest season. Hence, good weather for the next few weeks will be a boon to bean raisers.

Reports as to the extent and condition of the crop are rather conflicting. Nevertheless, everything goes to confirm the earlier reports that the dry weather earlier in the season and the heavy rains later both had a very detrimental effect in quite a few sections. The hot weather caused the beans to ripen quickly, before the pods were filled. The rain, which lasted almost continuously for a couple of weeks immediately after the warm, dry spell, played havoc with this ripening crop, causing a new growth to start.

As a result, reports from many sections voice the same complaint: that in

many places the beans are injured by the wet, while in others the pods are not well filled. One report says: "The yield will be away below the average, and the quality inferior." This statement is, however, perhaps somewhat extreme, and buyers are confident that the damage done, while not inconsiderable, is by no means what might be called general. The harvest is exceptionally early this year.

THE CARE OF SHOW CASES.

Numbers of glass cases are ruined. yearly from lack of proper attention, says an exchange. Small cracks appear, caused by heat or contact with hard, heavy bodies, and if these cracks are not at once attended to they soon spread. An excellent method to prevent a crack from spreading is to draw a short scratch at right angles with a diamond or a glass cutter; this will prevent a crack from spreading in every case. Cases should be set perfectly level on the floor, especially the new all-glass variety, which, if this is not done, are certain to warp. The legs of the case should be propped to the required height from the floor to ensure their sitting true. If these methods on the care of show cases are followed out they will likely repay owners for the care taken by retaining a better appearance for a considerable time.

The following is suggested as a practical method to remove scratches from show cases: Dissolve 1 oz. of white wax in a pint of pure turpentine. To dissolve the wax place the vessel containing the turpentine over a burner and warm, and apply with a soft cloth. This will in every sense greatly improve the surface. For cleaning glass a good method is as follows: Mix 1 oz. of whiting, 1 oz. of alcohol and 1 oz. of water of ammonia in a pint of water. Apply with a soft cloth, allow to dry and then wipe off

TAKING ANOTHER AGENCY.

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FRUITS, VEGETABLES AND FISH

Canadian Peaches, Plums, Pears and Grapes Free in Supply and Supplanting Imported Lines—New Brunswick Delaware Potatoes Arriving in Ontario Markets and May Oust Ontario Varieties—Oysters Going Well in Inland Points.

Late fruit and vegetable lines appear to be the feature in all Canadian markets. Native fruits have displaced imported varieties, and Canadian peaches, plums, pears and grapes are arriving freely on the home markets.

Bananas from South America are an attraction on the Toronto market, but they have yet to win their laurels. Some late lemons are offered cheap on the Ontario markets. The Messinas will not arrive for two months yet.

New Brunswick Delaware potatoes are beginning to reach Western Ontario, and it is believed will supplant the native Ontario brands, as these latter have not been up to the standard set by the samples seen earlier in the season. All pickling vegetables are good stock, and are expected to be splendid sellers.

All fish lines are again freer in supply. The Toronto Exhibition has been the course of much business, not only in fish, but in other lines as well. Oysters are now going out in satisfactory quantities to inland points.

MONTREAL.

GREEN FRUITS—This market remains the same as last week as regards price but demand has not been quite as good.

California oranges, late Valenc'a	4 00	5 00
Praches, boxes	1 50	201
Plums, 1 basket crate	1 50	2 00
Pears, boxes	2 50	3 25
Verdell lemons	3 75	4 40
Bananas, per bunch		1 75
Coccanuts, per bag		3 50
Watermelons, each	0 30	0 40
Pineapples	3 50	4 00
Blueberries, 18-20 qt. box		1 25
New Apples, per bbl	1 75	2 25
Montre at melons, per basket of 13-14 melors	3 00	5 00
Blackberries, per quart	0 03	0 12
Can Peaches, tasket	0 50	0 75
" Plums, basket	0 50	0 75
" Pears, basket		0 60

VEGETABLES — Montreal potatoes are now quoted by the bag at 90c. Many lines are a little stronger this week, among which may be mentioned parsley, watercress, spinach, beets, green beans. Egg plant is quoted at 75c instead of \$1 per doz. Pumpkins and squash are being quoted at 16c to 20c apiece. Turnips are now selling by the bag at \$1. Other lines remain the same.

Paraley, per doz. bunches	
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Jelery, doz	
Water cress, large bunches, per doz	0 25
Spinach, box	
Freen peppers, doz	
Montreal cucumbers, doz	
Beeus doz bunch	
Darrots, doz. bunch	
Montreal tomatoes, gip box	0 25
Spanish onions, large orates	
ettuce, per doz	
Radishes, doz	0 10
Horse radish, per lb	
Seaps, green, bag	
gg plant, doz	
Cabbage, doz	0 30
Montreal new potatoes, bag	
Onions large bunch,	0 15
Fresh corn, per doz	0 07
Furnips, bag	
P. mpkins	0 16
Squash	0 16
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FISH-Haddock and cod continue to be scarce and prices are firm. Lake

trout and whitefish are more plentiful, but dore and pike continue scarce. Halibut is in better supply. Brook trout are now coming in more freely. Demand for oysters is brightening up. Shell oysters are expected after October 1. Prepared and salted lines are in good demand. A few lines have declined.

Fresh and Frozen Fish.

B.C sa'mon, frozen		14
Brook trout, lb		22
Haddock, per lb 0 05		06
Fresh halibut		10
Mackerel, "		10
Dore. "		12
Steak cod 0 06		07
Market cod. lb v 044		05
Pike. 1b 0 05	0	UR
Whitefish lb		10
Lake trout	0	10
Sea trout 1b		14
Flounders, lb	0	10
Bluefish, lb		17
American live lobsters	0	24
Bullheads (dressed)	0	10
Smoked and Prepared— Kippered Herring, 50 in box	1	25
Yarmouth Bloaters, per box		10
Shredded cod, box of 2 dozen cartons		81
		60
Skinless cod, 100 lb. cases		051
		064
Boneless fish, 20-lb. boxes, blocks		011/4
Boneless fish, 25-lb., boxes, per lb		
Smoked herring, box		18
Dry cod, 1121b. bundles	0	70
Oysters and Lobsters—		04
American I've lobsters, lb		24
Standards, bulk, per imp. gal		50
Standards, quart tins, sealed		40
Paper pails, 100, pint size		10
" 100, quart size	1	50
Pickled fish—		
No. I Mackerel, 20-lb. kitts	1	75
No. 1 mackerel half b 18		00
Green cod, large, per 20)		00
Green cod, "" "		00
Labrador herring, bbls	5	75

TORONTO.

GREEN FRUITS—A splendid business was done last week, the Exhibition and the holiday inducing grocers and retail fruit men to lay in large stocks. As a consequence, prices remained firm and this week the same conditions prevail. Evidently great quantities of fruit were consumed locally. The early days of this week saw another big demand at fair prices. Peaches, plums, pears and grapes are coming in heavily this week. Early Crawfords are the principal peach line, and blue, purple, green and some few odd lots of egg are the varieties of plums offering. Some splendid Bartlett pears are arriving, and not a few pickling pears are being sent out. The intermediate lines of pears are slow. Green and blue grapes are offered in large and small basket lots, and melons, though not such large quantities, are offering in plentiful supply.

Some bananas from South America, the first of the season, are a novelty, and Canadian crab apples in basket lots are now seen on the market. Lemons have declined somewhat in price. The new Messinas will not arrive for two months yet. Prices generally are slightly easier than a week ago.

Peaches, Canadian, early, Crawfords	0 50	1 00
" St. John Freestone	0 40	1 25
Plums, Canadian greengage large blue basket	0 40	0 60
" large blue basket	0 35	0 50
Pears. Canadian. Bartlett	0 40	0 50
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Carrots, new, per
Green Peppers, bas
Bed Peppers, bas
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Green corn, doz...
Vegetable marrow
Squash, basket dog
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A. H. B Co., Montr grocery job Toronto la ness good.

Grapes, Canadian, blue, basket		0 60
" green	U 15	0 30
" California, green, crate	2 50	2 75
Apples, Canadian, basket	0 20	0 30
" fall, bbl		2 00
Crab Apples, tasket	U 20	0 25
Musk Melo. , Canadian, case	0 40	0 50
Cantaloups Canadian, Rockyfords	u 35	0 50
Blueberries	0 85	0 90
Oranges, late Valencias, California, box	4 23	5 00
Lemons, California	3 15	4 50
Limes, per case		1 25
Bananas Jamaicas, firsta	1 75	2 25
" Jamaica eighte,	1 25	1 50
" jumbos	151	210
Watermelons	0 25	0 35
Blackberries	0 07	0 .9

VEGETABLES - Notwithstanding that there is a slight falling away of business, compared with this time a year ago, very satisfactory trading has been done. Vegetable lines are better in quality than last year, though the Ontario potatoes are not now so good as those offering earlier in the season. However, New Brunswick Delawares are coming in in car lots, and will supplant Ontarios should the latter not improve in quality. Tomatoes are a good stock, and, in fact, all pickling lines are fine. Carrots, turnips and late vegetables are first-rate lines, but cabbage is going off. Like fruit lines, vegetables have declined somewhat in price, though the market is pretty firm.

Cucumbers, Canadian, per basket	0 2
3herkins, basket 0 25	0 7
Comatoes, Canadian, red, per basket 0 15	
Comatoes, Canadian, red, per basacci	0 1
" green	0 3
Beets, Caradian, basket 0 25	
Egg plant, basket 0 20	0 2
Beans, wax, per basket	0 4
Potatoes, Ontario, per bag 0 80	0 9
" New Branswick, per bag	0 9
" sweet, barrel 3 50	5 5
" hamper 1 50	2 0
Onions, Spanish, per 50 lb. crate	0.90
white, pickling, basket 0 75	1 0
	0 3
" Canadian, dried, basket	0 5
Darrots, new, per bush:1 0 40	0 2
Freen Peppers, basket	
Bed Peppers, basket	0 4
Sabbage, Canadian, bbl	1 2
Freen corn, doz 0 67	0 11
Vegetable marrow, basket	0 2
Jouash, basket doz	0 3
White turnips, bush	0 5
'auliflower doz	1 2
	0 4
Delery, native, doz 0 35	
" imported, doz	0 6

FISH—Very satisfactory trading is being done locally and the Exhibition business this year is a bit better than it was a year ago. Oysters are a good seller, and so are all the other lines. Supplies have been more than fair, and the demand has been brisk. The variety of lines offering are proving a great attraction to visitors, and large quantities of fish are now being used as a breakfast line. Prices are unchanged from a week ago, and will likely remain so at present while the demand keeps up.

Perch, large, per lb			0	01
White fish, Georgian Bay, per lb		05	0	07
White fish, Georgian Bay, per lb			0	11
Herring, medium, per lb		05	0	07
Whitefish, Lake Erie			0	11
Cod. fresh	0	08	0	09
Trout, fresh, per lb			0	11
Halibut, fresh caught			U	10
Shredded cod. per doz			0	20
Bluefins, small white, per lb			- 0	07
Haddock, fre h			0	07
Sturgeon, per lb	0	12	0	18
Sea salmon				18
Pike				051
Pickerel, yellow	Ö	03	1 0	09
Herring, smoked, bundle			* i	00
Mackerel, each				30
Smelts, per pound				20
Pollook				05
Oysters, Long Island, gal				78
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A. H. Brittain, of A. H. Brittain & Co., Montreal, was a caller upon the grocery jobbing trade in Hamilton and Toronto last week. He reports business good.

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BANANA CONSUMPTION INCREASING.

Exports in 1907 Show Advance of 14 Per Cent. Over Previous Year.

According to figures furnished by the United Fruit Co., of New York, the world's consumption of bananas is increasing to a rather material extent. Figures showing the total annual exports for the past five years show that in that time this business has practically doubled. The past year itself shows an increase over 1906 of 14.57 per cent. The following table from the New York Journal of Commerce gives the figures in detail, and shows how each year gives a corresponding increase over the previ-

		Percentage of	
		in	crease over
		Bunches.	prev. year.
1903	 	 5,139,063	23.11
1904	 	 6,065,400	18.02
1905	 	 7,283,000	20.07
1906	 	 8,872,729	21.82
1907	 	 10,165,759	14.57
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During 1907 the bananas exported were despatched to the following ports:

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United States-	Bunches.
New York	1,236,846
Boston	1,273,398
Philadelphia	59,304
New Orleans	4,056,303
Mobile	406,229
Total	7,032,080
United Kingdom— Manchester	2,235,117
Bristol	898,562
Total	3,133,679
Grand total	10,165,759

While some shipments of bananas do reach Canada via Halifax and St. John, the bulk of the shipments come in via New York, hence the United States ports are necessarily credited with the acceptance of more fruit than are used in that district.

It is an interesting fact that the re-ceipts of the fruit at Manchester are almost twice those at any of the United States Atlantic ports.

ORDER-TAKER NOT A SALESMAN.

The order-taker is one who is led by the buyer. The salesman is one who leads the buyer. The salesman always presents his goods to the buyer in such a way that he realizes all the good points and advantages to be obtained in buying them.

The buyer is the judge who decides the case after the evidence is in. The salesman will never throw a blanket on his enthusiasm by think-ing that anyone can sell the goods better than he, nor by feeling that the buyer does not want his product or could not sell it if he bought it. These are negative qualities. A salesman to be successful must cultivate

the positive qualities of confidence and self-reliance—a knowing that the buyer will think as well of his mer-

chandise as he does.

The salesman should have a keen sense of values, and know where his goods can be placed to the best advantage. There is a place for all merchandise. It is the salesman's business to find the right place. The salesman should keep in mind the fact that he helps himself by helping others; that his best interests are served only when his employers and customers are benefited.

It is not the order that comes easy that helps; the orders that seem to come hard are the ones that develop the salesman. It is a pleasure for a salesman to compel a buyer to his advantage. The reward is in knowing that he has done good work.

Cultivate an intimate acquaintance with your merchandise, your costs and your prices; believe in yourself and your employers; be loyal; be activemake it your greatest pleasure to hunt for orders—for new customers; and when you get a good idea carry it along the line—make it serve.

FRUIT. FAVORABLE CONDITIONS FOR

Summary of Department's Report Gives Outlook for Crop.

The summary of the Agricultural Department's fruit crop report, recently issued, speaks favorably of general conditions in the fruit district during the past month.

Weather conditions have been favorable during the month of August, and all fruit is ripening earlier than usual.

Duchess apples have been moving freely from Southern Ontario in good condition. Gravensteins, Colverts and Alexanders have been shipped in small quantities and are yielding a full crop. Indications show a full crop for fall apples and below a medium crop for winter

apples. The quality is good.
Clapp's and Bartlett pears have been exported in small quantities. The prospects in Southern Ontario are for a medium to full crop of pears. Everywhere else a light crop is expected, except in British Columbia, where the prospects show a medium crop.

Early peaches have proved a medium crop. Yellow St. Johns are now being harvested. Late peaches are reported a light crop.

Plums are light generally, except in British Columbia and small portions of Ontario.

Grapes are reported a full crop. Moore's Early and Champions are now on the market.

Tomatoes are proving a medium crop. Insect and fungus diseases are not so prevalent as usual.

The United States crop reports show winter apples about the same as last year, with peaches a full crop and other fruits good.

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Information of Interest to Clerks and Grocers About the Goods They Are Handing Over the Counter.

There is something particularly attractive about an olive grove. The scene is one of beauty and restful fascination. The very shape of the tree tells of thrift; its upright growth, graceful and pointed leaves, olive hued now, but turned by the gentle wind, glisten like silver. It is generally supposed that the home of the tree is in Italy, where it has been known for ages, and where the growth is so slow that it is a common saying that a man plants olives for his grandchildren; but on the foothills near Elizabeth Lake a wild olive has been found, a large and thrifty tree. It appealed to the early Californians because it came into early bearing and practically never died. The old trees of San Fernando, which have been deserted and neglected for seventy-five years, are now being cared for and are rapidly throwing out branches and assuming their normal shape and beauty, and bid fair to equal the famous trees of Europe and Asia, which have been bearing fruit for one thousand years.

Starting a New Orchard.

A new orchard is started from cut-These are three-quarters of an inch in diameter and eight inches in length-slender material, one might think, from which to produce a bearing tree in four years. These cuttings have been taken from the parent tree in December or January and are planted in rows in sandy soil, being replanted permanently in February and March at a distance of about twenty feet apart. These will grow readily, and for a year the ground is kept well turned, the bush then being trimmed into a tree by cutting all the shoots but one, and in succeeding years the raiser watches the tree and prunes it, with the idea in view of making a lusty tree.

In four years some berries will be obtained, and the orchardist is delighted at the luxuriant growth and the rich green olives which hang so gracefully, but yet not sufficiently abundant to be of commercial value. In the sixth year the trees should produce thirty gallons each, and in eight years the cultivator finds himself in possession of a beautiful and productive grove. The trees have grown so wide that they fill the entire space and meet, and each tree under the most favorable conditions should produce forty gallons of olives. The orchardist figures that with one hundred trees an acre, and forty gallons per tree, he will have four thousand gallons; but there are pests and other enemies which materially reduce this estimate. Indeed, if the grove produces a fourth of this it is doing well. In November, when the first rains come, the olives ripen, and as soon as the berries begin to turn purple the pickers begin.

Extracting the Oil.

These pass through the grove each with a large bag hung around his shoul-

ders. Some use ladders and others gather the fruit from platforms erected on wagon bodies and drawn along as the trees are skinned. The fruit is then subjected to the drying process. In order to get the best results the process of the oil extraction must be carefully done or disaster is the result. The crushing operation is done by a large circular stone on end which is drawn around by a horse. The olive pulp is taken from the crusher and massed in lumps or cakes about three feet square and three inches thick. The press resembles a cider press. The result from the press is run into tanks, where it remains for three months, the oil rising to the surface, where it is readily recovered.

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H. Hubbard, of Brand & Co., London, England, is in Toronto this week, staying with Mr. Morton, of Hamilton Morton & Co., the wholesale distributors for Brand & Co. for Ontario. This firm is exhibiting at the Canadian National Exhibition for Brand & Co., and are showing some lines of interest to grocers, including A1 sauce and soups.

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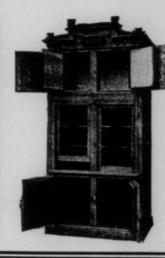
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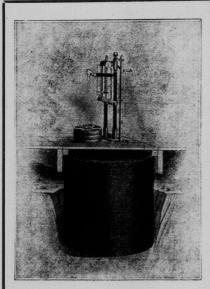
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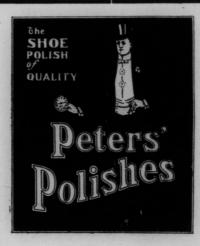
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