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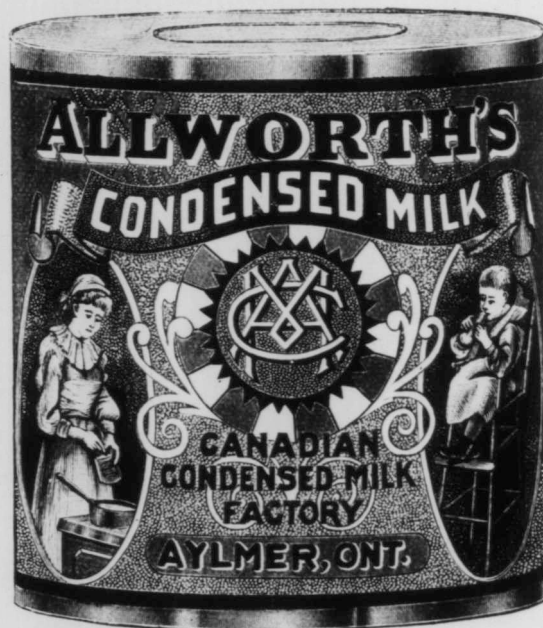
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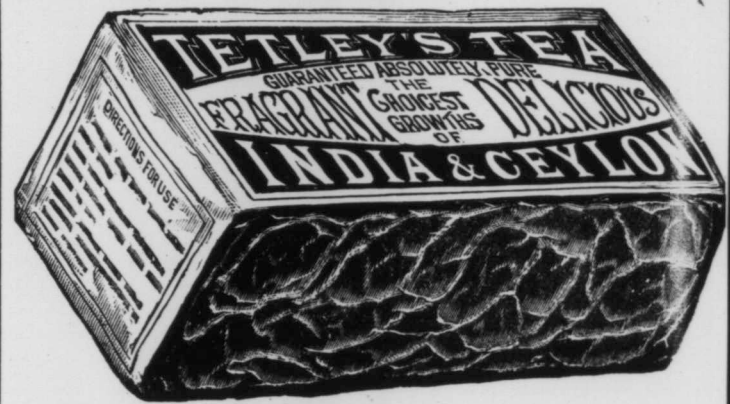


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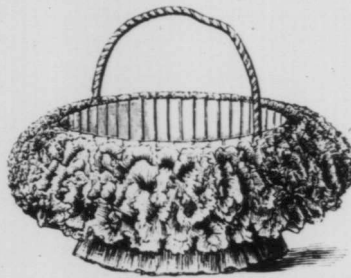
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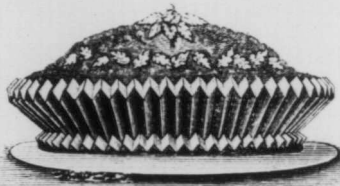
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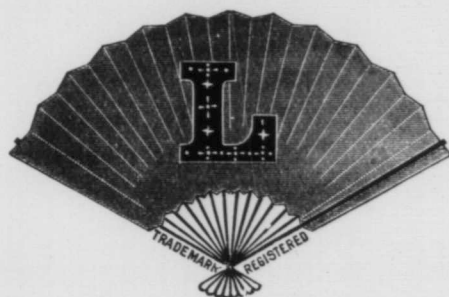


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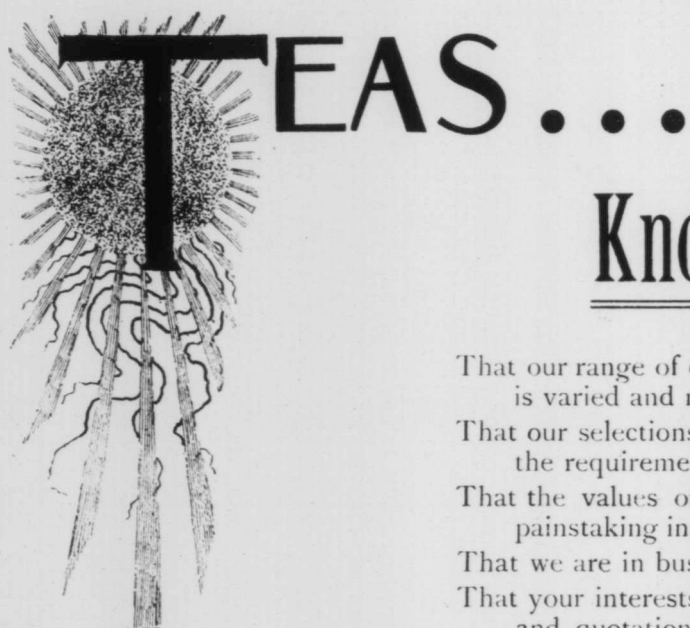
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COMPLAINTS have reached THE GROCER several times lately to the effect that some spice and extract firms are in the habit of imitating the labels, marks, packages, and ideas generally, of their competitor. One firm particularly seems to be affected in this respect. Aims such practices language scarcely strong enough can be brought to bear. When men spend their time and their money in crystallizing ideas for advancing their business, the resultant is as much their property as is any piece of machinery in their factory or article in their shop. And it is no less robbery to copy the one than to take the other. Scarcely one of those who are remiss in this particular are probably ever conscious of this. They cannot help knowing that what they are doing is not exactly right. But that they were guilty of theft

pure and simple they would all probably scout. They are, nevertheless. What difference there is is only one of degree. The thief in the ordinary accepted sense takes all he can find in his victim's pocket or till. On the other hand he who steals a man's ideas as represented in labels, marks, etc., does leave his victim his ideas and the labels, marks, etc., which he has caused to be made. But this makes him none the less a thief. His motive is to deprive his competitor of enjoying to the full the advantages that are likely to accrue from the label or mark and to appropriate them unto himself. If that is not robbery, what is?

Of course the originator of a mark or label can protect himself against these idea-stealers by recourse to registration. But that is not the question. Be a label registered or be it not, that does not alter the moral right of a man to keep intact the product of his own ingenuity or give another freedom to deprive him of that right. Because a man may not have a mark registered, or an invention patented, he who would purloin either is none the less a thief in the eyes of the moral law, whatever he may be in the eyes of the statutory law. But a great obstacle in the way of registration is the fee which is demanded for doing so. This fee is from \$25 to \$35, no small sum, especially to a firm that is continually getting out new labels and marks like spice and extract firms are. And this is what is the cause of so many marks and labels going unregistered, and affords in consequence so many opportunities for plagiarism in this respect. Obviously it is the duty of the Government to cheapen the registration fee, and that by two-thirds at least. Were this to be done registration would be much more common, while bene-

ficial results would accrue to the Government in the shape of increased fees.

The final official figures of Canada's foreign trade for the fiscal year ending June 30 have not yet been issued; nor will they be for some months yet. But from what can be gathered from the monthly returns there is much to give satisfaction and very little to create dissatisfaction. The aggregate trade was not as large as that for the year 1892-3, but that year it was the largest on record, and, in view of the general condition of the financial world and the general conservative tendency that obtains at home, it was not to be expected that that of the past fiscal year would either equal or even come near it. Bulking the twelve monthly returns the aggregate trade is made out to be \$227,430,787. These monthly returns are never complete, and therefore when the returns for the year come to be finally made up, an increase in these figures will be seen, probably, of three or four millions. At least, that is what has been the rule in the past. But taking the figures as they are, the decrease in the aggregate trade is \$13,838,213. This decrease is caused largely by a falling off in the imports, the decline in this respect being about \$8,750,000. The decline in exports, on the other hand, was less than \$700,000, the aggregate for the two years being \$115,187,665 and \$114,488,985 respectively.

Lacking as the trade returns are in completeness, they are sufficiently full to demonstrate one thing to even he who reads as he runs, and that is Canada's steady development as an exporting country. In spite of the depression in the United States and in Great Britain—our two largest customers—and the low price of wheat, flour and barley

Canada's export trade comes within less than three-quarters of a million of being as large as last year, which was by some \$5,000,000 larger than ever before in the history of the Dominion. Ten years ago our export trade only aggregated \$91,406,496.

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As with the individual merchant, so with the nation: It is buying carefully and pushing business energetically. And in this way our credit among the nations is gradually rising. No nation is to-day enjoying immunity from depression to the extent that Canada is. Financial men in the Old World are recognizing this more and more every day; and the opportunities Canada affords for investment come as an afterthought. The trouble is that we have not advertised our country enough. Nations as well as individuals must advertise in order to be anything. At the World's Fair we surprised everybody, ourselves no less than foreigners. Like a young giant we did not know our own strength. We knew long ago that we were something, but it was not till we actually measured our strength with the nations of the world as represented at Chicago, and proved our superiority in many important respects, that we awoke to anything like an adequate sense of what we really were and what we might be. Nature has blessed us with fisheries and mineral deposits, the richest on the globe; our grain lands are not to be surpassed, and the championship for wheat growing is held by the Dominion. In timber there is none to touch us, while if we are the Land of Icicles in the winter that some deluded people imagine, we are also the land that abounds in fruit illimitable in the summer. Canada is a country of which we might well be proud and in which we might well have abounding confidence. And we are cultivating these qualities, and not any too soon either.

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Advices from Great Britain indicate that prices for canned lobster will be well maintained there the current season. The reason for this is that ordinary shipments have not been "equal to the ordinary requirements for consumption." This is good news for the Canadian packers, Great Britain being about our best customer in this respect, our shipments of canned lobster to that market for 1893 aggregating 5,932,272 lbs., valued at \$829,334. Our total exports to all countries were 12,618,662 lbs., so that our exports of canned lobster to Great Britain last year were more than 47 per cent. of the whole.

HONESTY OF CUSTOMS OFFICERS.

THE crookedness which is so scandalously characteristic of the Customs officials in the United States in general and the port of New York in particular does not obtain in Canada.

But Canadian officials are not above suspicion in this respect.

THE GROCER has more than once lately charged this. And with promptness that is commendable, and not at all in keeping with the insinuations often thrown out regarding the Customs department being a latter day "circumlocution office," the Hon. Clarke Wallace, Controller of Customs, instituted vigorous investigations.

These charges were specially in regard to blackmailing and pilfering.

The practical work of the investigation devolved upon S. W. McMichael, Financial Inspector of Customs. As a result of the probings of that astute officer some of the charges were brought home, and some of those affected were men in high places too. The work of investigation is still going on.

A recent charge was one made by some of the wholesale fruit dealers, through THE GROCER, and was to the effect that the Customs authorities were in the habit of systematically pilfering from packages.

During the last few days Inspector McMichael has been specially engaged in investigating these charges. So has THE GROCER. Pilfering there undoubtedly is, but the onus does not appear to be on the Customs officials. They may take a peach, sample a cherry or some other fruit, but from what can be gathered it does not seem possible that the Customs officials could carry on the wholesale pilfering of fruit that is reported, even were they so disposed. There are not enough of them through whose hands the fruit passes unless they have some underground railway to carry away the stuff.

The bonded cars of fruit arriving in Toronto are run into the siding at the foot of Yonge street. When a car is opened by the Customs official a certain proportion of the packages are taken to the Customs house, a hundred or a hundred and fifty yards distant, there examined, and returned to the car, the consignee often awaiting their return, while it is the duty of the Customs official at the fruit siding to see that the packages come back intact. And he says that to the best of his knowledge they do.

That packages of fruit are broken into and pilfered the Customs officials emphatically declare to be true. But they are all of one mind in asserting that nearly all the pilfering is done before the fruit reaches Toronto, and that, therefore, the onus is upon either the carriers or the Customs authorities at New York or other entry ports. And enquiries of the railway officials bear out these contentions.

They claim that the stealing in nearly

every instance is done before the car crosses the Canadian border.

During Mr. McMichael's tour of the fruit men, not one had any charges of pilfering to prefer against the Customs officials; nor would any of them acknowledge that they had ever suffered from any dishonesty on the part of the officials. And yet to THE GROCER there are fruit dealers who still maintain that they do suffer from dishonesty in that direction, but they will neither speak for publication or prefer definite changes.

The excuse is that "they don't want to get themselves into hot water with the Customs authorities."

"We are glad," said Inspector McMichael, "that THE GROCER has brought these matters to the attention of the department. Hon. Mr. Wallace is determined to put a stop to any and all pilfering or blackmailing that may exist. Pilfering and blackmailing there undoubtedly is somewhere in the Customs department. It is, however, only to a small extent, comparatively speaking; but whoever is suspected will be suspended and dismissed from the service if proven guilty."

Controller Wallace is aggressive in this matter, and he has an able lieutenant in Inspector McMichael. If there are any Augean stables to be cleaned we may therefore expect to see them cleaned before a great while, although scouring of this kind is necessarily slow, especially when those who would profit most thereby are so loath to point out the unclean spots.

In order to assist the department in the premises, all importers having complaints against officials in other places besides Montreal and Toronto should lay them before Mr. McMichael, who will keep in confidence whatever information may be supplied him.

FENELON FALLS BOOMING.

Business men in Fenelon Falls are in good spirits. The particular reason is that an American syndicate has purchased and fitted up the old saw mill there, and is now turning out large quantities of lumber. The syndicate in question is reputed to have large timber limits in the northern part of the province, and the lumber will be sawn at Fenelon Falls. It is said that the owners have enough lumber to keep the mills running for 20 years.

CITRIC ACID.

The subscriber who wanted the address of the Toronto representative of a Montreal firm which handles citric acid may apply to A. P. Tippet & Co., 43½ Wellington street east, Toronto, who can supply him.

A sandwich man was run over and killed in the streets of Edinburgh recently. He was carrying at the time boards advertising Sir Noel Paton's picture, "Death the Gate of Life."

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SNAP SHOTS AT THE LONDON RETAIL GROCERS' PICNIC.

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THE SECRETARY.

WHEW! but I'm hot. What made me hot? Well, say, if you had been at the London Retail Grocers' picnic you would be hot too. The day, you know, was not so awfully hot, but I chased round for about two

hours trying to get photographs of decorated grocery wagons, of committees and of baseball teams, all of which is respectfully submitted.

The day was made to order. The night previous the rain came down in torrents, the lightning flashed and the thunder pealed, and at every peal Peter McGlade, the caterer, was heard to shout, "There goes another basket of sandwiches." But on the breaking of a glorious morning the sandwiches were found quite safe.

Shortly before 10 o'clock, the hour on which the procession was to start, I made my way into the market square and a sight met my gaze. Everywhere was life, color and gaiety. Grand Marshal Trebilcock was rushing around with a club forming carriages, wagons, etc., into line. On the first stroke of ten he rushed up to the President's carriage, in which I was seated, and shouted, "Is the CANADIAN GROCER here?" "Yes, sir." "Then let the procession begin." He raised his club, the big drum thumped, the bag-pipes squealed, the small boy shouted, and the great picnic of 1894 was begun.

The procession was headed by the Seventh Regiment band. Following the band were about 20 carriages containing the officers of the association—W. H. Ferguson, president; W. H. McCutcheon, vice-president; W. H. Branton, treasurer, and E. Sutton, secretary—and a number of the leading grocery



THE WORKERS OF THE LONDON RETAIL GROCERS' ASSOCIATION.

merchants and their assistants. Among the more prettily decorated delivery wagons in the line were those of Ferguson & Co., Ald. Fitzgerald, Andrew McCormick & Sons,

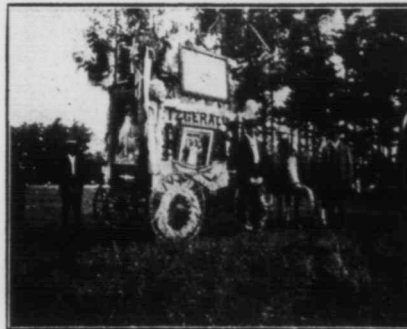
drawn by the well-known team of mules; Rolston's, surmounted by a ship made entirely of straw; R. A. Jones, E. Butler, S. Powell, with a couple of boys putting away watermelon; McCutcheon & Co., J. C. Trebilcock, A. J. Denny, W. H. Branton, with four little girls at tea; F. Harley and F. C. Toon. The judges awarded the prizes



THE PRESIDENT'S WAGON.

for the best decorated wagon as follows: 1, E. Rutter; 2, Jas. Fitzgerald; 3, McCormick & Sons; 4, Wm. Ferguson; 5, F. Harley; 6, A. J. Denny. Hundreds lined the street along the line of march, which was from the market by way of Talbot and Dundas streets to the park.

The baseball match was the centre of attraction in the morning between the wholesale and retail men. The wholesale men outbatted their retail brethren, they likewise outran them, they went to bat oftener, and were regular kleptomaniacs when a base was in view. "Bob" Lind's pitching puzzled



FITZGERALD'S WAGON.

the retailers and kept them down to seven hits. There were some brilliant features in the game. No chance was missed, even if it meant the turning of a double somersault in old time Donovan style. There was no grand stand to play to, but there was glory and \$20 awaiting the winners. The losing team were solaced with a box of cigars.

The wholesalers won by 18 runs, and the retailers had to content themselves with 7.

The sports in the ring began about two o'clock and lasted until eight in the evening. I am sorry that our editor will not allow me space for the full list of prize winners, but herewith are the principal events:

Fat men's race, 100 yards, open to grocers,

their sons, or employees, 200 pounds or over to qualify—1, J. C. Trebilcock; 2, R. J. Wood; 3, J. R. Shuttleworth.

Combination horse race, 1½ miles in harness, open to horses owned by grocers three months prior to race and driven regularly in delivery wagon; walk ½ mile, trot ½ mile, go as you please ½ mile; horses breaking in first or second event must make a turn on track—R. J. Wood's Barney McCoy won the event in the ½ mile walk. In this he got such a lead that he had finished the race before his competitors had finished the second part; W. Winder's Dolly, took



McCORMICK'S WAGON.

the second, and James Annett's McKinley Junior, third.

Foot race, 200 yards, open to all travelers selling to the grocery trade of London—1, Robert Lind; 2, F. W. Griffith; 3, D. W. Bell.

Grocers' delivery race, with regular delivery horse and wagon. Harness and hitch horse to wagon, deliver goods, return empties, unharness horse and tie up. Horses to trot or pace. Drivers running their horses will be ruled out. Driver allowed an assistant to hold horses—1, R. H. Cullis; 2, F. Richardson; 3, W. Cook; 4, McCormick & Sons.

Best turnout of horse, harness and buggy and cart, the bona fide property of retail grocers, their sons or employees—1, Ald. Fitzgerald; 2, Frank Turville; 3, T. A. Rowat; 4, R. Smith.



WHOLESALE BASEBALL TEAM—THE WINNERS.

Trotting race, one mile, best 2 in 3. Open to horses owned three months prior to race by grocers, their sons or employees.—The entries were Jennie Rooker, Sandy F. and

Shanghi. The Wood's mare drew the pole, but Sandy F. immediately took the lead. Coming down the half mile stretch Shanghi pulled ahead, with Rooker at his neck and Sandy F. bringing up the rear, having broke badly. This order was maintained to the finish, Shanghi winning by a length. In the second heat a pretty trotting exhibition was given between Shanghi and Jennie Rooker, the former leading all the way to the three-quarter, when he broke, and the latter went ahead and kept the advantage down the home stretch, passing under the wire a winner by a neck. The third heat was a neck and neck race all the way around, first one horse edging a little ahead and then the other. Shanghi won by a neck. Summary:

Shuttleworth's Shanghi	.....	1	2	1
Wood's Jennie Rooker	.....	2	1	2
Turville's Sandy F.	.....	3	3	dr

Committeemen's race, 100 yards, open to all active committeemen—1, A. G. McCormick; 2, Geo. Trebilcock; 3, D. J. Langdon; 4, A. E. Richardson.

Mr. McCormick was afterwards ruled out because he was not a committeeman.

NOTES.

By a curious coincidence the initials of the president, vice-president and treasurer are all "W. H." They're all hustlers.

Andrew McCormick's delivery wagon mules have been pulling groceries around the city for fifteen years now.

The veteran Peter McGlade was everywhere.

The ladies were in the ascendancy on the grand stand.

Not a grocery store was open in the city on that day.

Hot water was provided for those with lunch baskets.

The retail ball players threaten dire vengeance on the wholesalers next year.

Checking lunch baskets free proved a great convenience.

SALMON CANNING IN B.C.

B. C. Commercial Journal: "The first vessel of the new season's salmon fleet has arrived—the City of Glasgow, 1,168 tons, under charter to Turner, Beeton & Co., to load at Victoria for U.K. at 37s. 6d. Total tonnage engaged to date, 6,012. The Northern canneries are now in the packing season, and the first shipment has been received from the Skeena River by the A. B. C. P. Co., consisting of 700 cases talls and 300 cases flats for immediate distribution. But little information has been received as to the progress the canneries are making with their packing operations. Everything is ready on the Fraser River, and a few sockeyes are reported, but not sufficient for the canneries to get into full swing. The big run is daily expected. It is reported that buyers are waiting to see how the pack will turn out

before doing much business. Prices for the Eastern Canadian market are ruling from \$3.50 to \$4 per case according to brand. In London and Liverpool the current offerings are from 17s. 6d. to 18s per case for stocks of last year's pack now in warehouse.

"There will be twenty-eight canneries packing on the Fraser this season, which have taken out 560 fishing licenses. About 1,300 licenses have been issued altogether for the Fraser this year, which is 200 more than last year and double the number of four or five years ago."

THE CANADIAN TARIFF.

DEAR GROCER,—Your remarks on the above subject are right to the point. The way the matter was tampered with from beginning to end was most disgusting. With many others of its supporters I thought the measure brought down on March 27th was an evidence that the Government intended carrying out the many promises made, but instead of that the last estate is really worse than the first. The rice question which you allude to is a most unjust one. It benefits one or two people hugely, but the poor consumer has to foot the bill. Having no competition, the Mount Royal Mills can make their own terms and qualities—the latter at the moment being particularly poor. Our friends the sugar refiners had their finger in the pie also, and forced a prohibitive duty on American syrups, a most uncalled for concession on the part of the Government, as they knew from repeated representations made to them that a full supply of various syrups could not be procured from Canadian refiners. The tariff revisors have shown no independence or appreciation of their duty. The manufacturers have the pull, and wholesale and retail merchants as well as consumers have the grim satisfaction of knowing that no good use was made of the information they volunteered to those employed at the task of tariff revision.

ONE OF THEM.

July 30, 1894.

WITH PROGRESSIVE RETAILERS.

JOHAN BAMBRICK, Ottawa, has recently made improvements in his store. He has added a new office.

John Dean has been sold out on judgment obtained by his sister.

John Pratt and wife, of Heathcote, are holidaying in Great Britain. They expect to be absent about three months.

Among the country merchants who are "doing" the Old Country is J. M. Bothwell, of Barrie.

Bemrose Bros., of Bradford, are erecting a new store and dwelling. The building is of brick, and is of imposing appearance. It will be finished in a few weeks.

Thompson Bros., dry goods, etc., of Orangeville, are going more extensively into

groceries. Preparatory to this their store has been enlarged, giving it a depth of over 130 feet. Plate glass windows have been put in the store and in the room above, and a large stock of groceries has been purchased.

W. Davey, of Bobcaygeon, who has been out of business for about four years, during which time he has been in the Northwest, is going into business again.

D. A. McCalvey has bought out Workman & Stinson, general merchants, Minden.

Manager Clarke, for Mrs. B. Anderson, general merchant, Haliburton, is wearing a smile unusually broad. It's a daughter.

Noel Rivers, Kinmount, has bought on the opposite side of the street from his present premises, and has removed thereto.

J. J. Davis, merchant, Halton, is snuffing the invigorating breezes that are to be found on the upper lakes.

Mr. Deeves, of Crawford & Deeves, Brampton, is away enjoying a respite from business.

PURE GOLD TAKES A PARTNER.

J. D. ROBERTS, manager of the Pure Gold Manufacturing Co., took unto himself a life partner some months ago, and now his firm has taken him into partnership. Increasing business necessitated some such step being taken, Mr. A. Jardine having found the duties of proprietor pressing upon him too heavily.

Mr. Roberts is a first-class man. He has good executive ability, is a good buyer, a good seller, and is ever on the alert to appropriate whatever will advance the interests of his firm. His connection with the Pure Gold Co. dates back some seven years, when he took charge of the firm's business in Manitoba, his territory subsequently including the Northwest Territory and British Columbia. Under his superintendence Pure Gold's trade in these western parts of the Dominion grew rapidly, and the pushing representative became known from Port Arthur to Victoria as "Pure Gold" Roberts. Last summer brought him to Toronto when the firm made him manager, and now, less than a year afterwards, he has been taken in to share the responsibilities and honors of part proprietor.

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CONDITION IN DRIED FRUIT.

REMARKABLE as was the opening of the Mediterranean dried fruit market last fall, it is held that the present year is likely to see an even more remarkable opening in another direction.

Last year the peculiarity was the exceptionally low range of values at which the market opened on both currants and raisins. On the former, instead of prices ranging at the usual figure of 16 to 18s. per cwt. f.o.b., they opened at 12s., and from that figure gradually moved down to 7s. per cwt. f.o.b.

This unusually low level of prices led to free importation, so much so in fact that there are still holders of currants in Canada who have occasion to mourn the fact that they went in so deep.

With raisins the experience was rather different.

Prices on them also ruled from 2 to 4s. f.o.b. below their usual level, but despite this fact less of the fruit came across the Atlantic than usual.

The result was that after the influence of the arrivals of the first importations in Canada and the United States had passed away, values commenced to appreciate and have continued to do so ever since last fall under steadily diminishing supplies.

At present the market is absolutely bare of Denia goods at Montreal, and California

raisins have had to take their place at full figures.

It is owing to this unusual scarcity that a well-known Montreal commission man expressed his fears to THE GROCER'S correspondent that the market might open out too high.

With no fruit there, the market ostensibly was in right order for the receipt of new crop goods this fall. There was danger, however, that this exceptional condition would lead to the market opening out too high. Buyers having no stock on hand might be induced to pay speculatively high prices, which they would be unable to realize later on, and before values could settle down to a reasonable level, some dealers would be so involved that they would have to be satisfied with taking sharp losses.

Dried fruit ventures had not always been profitable ones in previous seasons, and there was just the possibility that the present condition of the market might make traders lose their heads this season in the matter of paying more for future supplies than they legitimately should.

Though nothing that could be much depended upon was to hand in the shape of advices from primary sources, there were indications that dealers in Denia had pretty high ideas of what fruit should be worth. These talked of 17s. to 19s. f.o.b., at Denia, which was fully 1s. above what prices usually open at.

Under the circumstances we would strongly advise caution in the matter of dried fruit.

Naturally such a disposition might be carried too far, but there was less danger in this direction than in the other.

WILL MOLASSES DECLINE ?

THEIR molasses speculation is, if present indications are fulfilled, not going to be so profitable a one with several Montreal houses as they expected. THE GROCER'S correspondent has had occasion to refer before to the fact that the importations were heavy, and that the demand did not seem to materialize to the extent that some in the trade anticipated.

With these large stocks on hand, there have been freer offerings from primary sources, an offer that was made last Thursday capping the climax when a cargo lot of 1,500 puncheons was offered to arrive in August at 26c.

With goods available at this figure in any large quantity it seems hardly possible that the parties to the agreement to sell molasses at a uniform rate will be able to hold up the market.

The only way they can do so will be to go in and buy up the fresh lots that arrive and are offered at the lower level, and whether with their already large stocks on hand they will care to do so is problematical. For this reason the theorists in the trade are figuring on the possibility of a decline in the position of the molasses market. In fact such a decline has already taken place to a certain extent, for although jobbers maintain the basis of 30c. for single puncheons, and 29c. for lots, round lots of stock have changed hands here at 27c.

Sales on this basis are apt to have their effect sooner or later on selling values.

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John Leslie, Blake, Ont., writes July 27, '94: "I enclose \$2 for another year's subscription to THE GROCER to July 16, 1895. I thought at one time I would not renew this time, as I have been in rather poor health lately and thought of giving up business this fall. On second consideration I thought it would be impossible for me to even pass one month without THE GROCER. Even if I do sell my business I think I cannot do without the welcome weekly visits which I have enjoyed for so many years, and from which I have got so many benefits."

It is to be hoped that Mr. Leslie will soon improve and enjoy the best of health, and that not only THE GROCER, but the representatives of the wholesale houses, will continue to receive the same hospitable welcome from Mr. Leslie for many years to come that they have had for many years past.—ED. GROCER.

A BAD EGG CASE.

INFORMATION has just been given us regarding the returns of a lot of eggs shipped by an Ontario firm to an English house on commission not long since. It seems that the eggs, which were selected and carefully packed by an experienced man, were landed in good shape on the other side and delivered to the house in question, which rendered account sales at the market price, but deducted 50 per cent. for bad eggs, which showed a loss to the shipper of £32 15s. on the lot. A lot of about the same number of cases was sent to another firm in the same city, consisting of precisely the same class of eggs packed by the same experienced hand, with the result that account sales showed a net profit of £27 10s. 3d. In view of the suspicious circumstances surrounding this case, the shipper has written the consignee, asking him to furnish him with the name of the party or parties to whom the eggs were sold, in order that he may verify the correctness of the account sales, at the same time stating that if the party refused to do this he should con-

sider there was something wrong. Unless the shipper gets a more satisfactory account of the eggs, he intends putting the case into the hands of a party on the other side, with instructions to make what investigation he considered necessary.—Trade Bulletin, Montreal.

SUGAR PRODUCTION IN GERMANY.

From an article recently published in a French commercial journal is secured the following information regarding the production of sugar in the German Empire. The average price of raw sugar was, in 1892-93, 16s. 3d. per cwt., against about 18s. 4d. per cwt. in 1891-92. The average price of refined sugar was £1 10s. 1d., against £1 10s. in 1891-92. The imports in 1892-93 were: For raw sugar, 18,000 cwts., and for refined sugar, 20,000 cwts. The exports amounted to 8,100,000 cwts. of raw sugar and 5,314,000 cwts. of refined sugar. The imports are so insignificant as to be of no account. As regards the exports, they represent, for both raw and refined sugar, little more than one-third of the production. The net yield of the different duties on the sugar industry and trade amounted to £2,610,750, or 1.03 per head of population.

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DRY GOODS.

TORONTO MARKET.

CONSIDERABLE uncertainty prevails as to the situation in grey cottons. The recent drop was thought to be a temporary one, but it has, so far, given every evidence of being a permanent one. The reasons advanced at first were that the company had a lot of stock to unload, and that American firms desired to perform the same act on the Canadian market. But when prices continue low these reasons are seen to be inadequate. A buyer advanced the idea this morning that the combine, with Mr. Morrice as its chief selling agent, was attempting to undersell and crush the St. John mill. If this is so the consuming public will be pleased, although it may not please Mr. Parks and the St. John capitalists who generously put up \$160,000 some time ago to keep the mill going. If the Parks' mill should be closed out, or forced into the combine, the latter would soon make up for any losses it may be sustaining now, and the public would soon pay for all its previous advantages. In the meantime prices are ruling low.

Fall orders are certainly coming in more briskly, although not yet as freely as the

wholesalers desire. Covert coatings, worsted coatings, and tweed effects, are leading in dress goods and orders are very fair for this class of merchandise. Woolens generally are slower.

A full range of cream cashmeres have been opened this week by Alexander & Anderson. These are scarce goods. Orders for their fall goods are coming in well, and shipments arriving and being opened up keeps their dress goods department busy.

U. S. RICE CROP.

The following regarding the growing rice is taken from Dan. Talmage's Sons (July) bulletin No. 3, rice crop, 1894: In the States of North and South Carolina and Georgia conditions are generally favorable. Total area planted, 50,000 acres. Louisiana planting practically completed. In some sections acreage is considerably less than last year, but in the majority the area is said to be quite that taken off in 1892. Wherever less, it has been to give better care to that under cultivation. Rains have been frequent, yet the fall scarcely sufficient for immediate demands. Early plantings show vigorous growth, good stand, clean and free

of grass. Later plantings germinating and growing finely. Present month and early August is the critical period of growth and the question of moisture causes apprehension, especially wherever the reserve supply is light or exhausted. Harvest will be generally late, but some arrivals may be expected from upper and lower Coast in first half of August. Area planted, 147,500 acres. Total area present season, 197,500 acres, which under ordinary conditions should produce 7,900,000 bushels rough, equal to 625,000 barrels cleaned rice.

THE SHAPE OF AN EGG.

Dr. Nicalsky, of St. Petersburg, attributes the form of birds' eggs to gravity. He thinks that every egg not yet coated with a solid shell departs from the spherical form and elongates, simply by pressure on it by the walls of the ovary. In birds which keep a vertical position when at rest (such as the falcon and owl), the soft egg becomes short through the bird's weight against the ovarian pressure. In birds which, like the grebe, are nearly always swimming, the egg lengthens, because the weight of the body acts in the same direction as the ovarian compression.

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MARKETS AND MARKET NOTES

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, August 2, 1894.

GROCERIES.

NO marked change has taken place in trade during the week. There is a fair business doing, but not much life is exhibited, buying still being characterized by a great deal of conservatism. Travelers found business, if anything, a little better last week than for some time, but still the turnover is not generally as large as last year at this time. Sugars are stronger in tone, in sympathy with the New York market, but no actual advance has taken place. The market is again rather bare of Rio coffees. There is a fair movement in canned goods at steady prices. For spices the demand seems to be rather better than is usual at this season. There is still some demand for molasses. Teas continue to receive some attention, especially new Japans and new Monings. In green fruits people are again giving more attention to those of foreign growth on account of the season for some domestic small fruits nearing the close. Butter and eggs are easier, while provisions are firmer. Payments are fair.

CANNED GOODS.

Tomatoes are still moving fairly well for the season at the firm figures of 85 to 90c. Corn is in good demand at 80c. Peas, firm and quiet at 82½ to 85c. There is a little doing in new pack strawberries. The demand for canned peaches has fallen to a small compass. Plums are rather scarce. We quote: Peaches, \$3 to \$3.25 for 3's, \$2 to \$2.25 for 2's; raspberries, \$1.65 to \$1.80; strawberries, \$1.90 to \$2.10; apples, 3's, \$1 to \$1.10, gallons \$2 75, and preserved fancy quarters at \$1.35 to \$1.40. There is a good demand for salmon at \$1.25 to \$1.35 for tall tins and \$1.50 to \$1.60 for flat. A good deal of new pack lobster is going out. We quote: Flats, \$2.40 to \$2.50; new flats, ½'s, \$1.35; talls, \$1.80 to \$2.25. Potted meats are in active demand.

This report is furnished by the Packers' Association:

"The season for strawberry, raspberry, cherry and other small fruits is now past and is the lightest in the history of the canning trade. The pea pack is also past and is an exceptionally light one. The recent rains have helped the growing crops of corn and tomatoes materially in most localities, and, if no drawback, there is hopes of a fair pack of these two lines, but the critical time for these has yet to come. One night's frost in September would utterly ruin them, and as the spring was exceptionally early and summer-like, some growers think that this would

point to an early fall. If their opinion is a correct one, we may see these two staple lines that now promise well put in the same position as all the other lines so far packed this season, viz., the lightest for years.

"Canned goods have been selling freely for the past week, orders coming in from the far east and from the far west and from nearly every point between. The assured prospect for a fine wheat harvest is apparently helping to revive business in most sections of the country, and the canned goods business along with other lines evidently is benefited thereby."

COFFEES.

There is quite a demand for the better grades of coffee, while the market is getting bare. We quote green, in bags, as follows: Rio, 20½ to 22c.; East Indian, 27 to 30c.; South American, 21 to 23c.; Santos, 21½ to 22½c.; Java, 30 to 32c.; Mocha, 27 to 28c.; Maracaibo, 21 to 23c.; Jamaica, 21 to 22c.

NUTS.

Much as before. We quote as follows: Brazil nuts, 11 to 11½c. lb.; Sicily shelled almonds, 25 to 26c. a lb.; Terragona almonds, 12½ to 13c.; peanuts, 10½ to 11c. for roasted and 8 to 10c. for green; cocoanuts, \$4.50 to \$5 per sack; Grenoble walnuts, 12½ to 15c.; Marbot walnuts, 12 to 13c.; Bordeaux walnuts, 11 to 12c.; filberts, 9¾ to 10¼c. for sacks and 10½ to 11c. for small lots; pecans, 12½c.

RICE.

Trade continues fair for the season. We quote: "B," 3½ to 3¾c.; extra Japan, 5¼ to 5½c.; imported Japan, 5¾ to 6¼c.; tapioca, 4¼ to 4½c.

SPICES.

Trade is brisk for the season. We quote: Pure black pepper, 12 to 14c.; pure white, 20 to 28c.; pure Jamaica ginger, 25 to 28c.; cloves, 25 to 30c.; pure mixed spice, 25 to 30c.; cream of tartar, 20 to 25c. per lb.

SUGAR.

There is a stronger feeling in sympathy with the New York market, but no change has taken place in quotations. Jobbers report a fair turnover, but it is not equal to what it usually is at this season. Refiners' agents report business dull with them at the moment. The ordinary range for granulated is still 4¾ to 4½c., but it is seldom indeed that the outside figure is obtained. Yellows run from 3¼c. for dark up to 4c. for bright.

N. Y. Journal of Commerce, July 31: Now and then some one suggests the possibility of final disappointment over the calculations that have been made upon the placing of an import duty upon sugar, and

that is the vital point of the market. A very large majority, however, believe in the duty as a surety, and act accordingly, the market ruling steady and a fair demand still prevailing. Custom is mostly with the outside refiners, the current large arrivals coming to the Trust giving that source of custom an ample supply for the present. After the refusal to accept orders on Saturday it was no surprise to find the list of prices on refined goods marked up 1-16 to ¼c., although the advance was not as great as expected, and the two top and two bottom quotations were exempt from change. At the increase demand has been very fair, including the execution of some of Saturday's held-over orders renewed at the advance and some few fresh calls, but no unusual animation shown.

SYRUPS.

Dull and unchanged. We quote: Dark, 25c.; medium, 28 to 30c.; bright, 35 to 40c.; very bright, 45 to 50c.

MOLASSES.

There are still a good many moving out taking into account the season. Quotations are: New Orleans, barrels, 26 to 28c.; half-barrels, 30½ to 32c.; Barbadoes, barrels, 28 to 32c.; half-barrels, 30 to 34c.

TEA.

Trade continues fairly satisfactory in this line. New season's Japan teas are still attracting the most attention, medium kinds running in price from 18 to 22c. being the most sought after. Some exceptionally good values are being shown in low grade Japans at 13 to 15c. New season's Monings and Panyongs, fine quality, at from 35 to 40c., are receiving considerable attention; also new season's Monings at 16 to 18c. Indian, Ceylon and China green teas are quiet.

DRIED FRUITS.

Several cable quotations on new fruit have been received, but have attracted but little attention from the buyers, who are no doubt benefitting by their experience of the last two seasons, when many of them bought on speculative offers before the market opened and found they could be had much cheaper when the time of shipment arrived. Valencia raisins are still in demand and firm at quotations. We quote: Off-stalk, 6 to 6¼c.; fine layers, 8½ to 9c. The Valencia raisin crop promises to be lighter than last year, but quality promises well. There is a fair business doing in currants, with case fruit at from 4¾ to 5½c. being the most sought after. Some fine Filiatra currants in barrels and half barrels are being shown at 4¾ to 5c. We quote as follows: Provincials, 3½ to 4c. in brls., half brls., 3¾ to 4¼c.; Filiatras, 4 to 4¾c. in brls., and 4½ to 5c. in half barrels; Patras, 5 to 5½c. in barrels, 5¼ to 5¾c. in half brls., 5 to 6½c. in cases; Vostizzas, 6½ to 7½c. in cases, 6¾ to 7¾c. in half cases; Panariti, 8½ to 9c. Mail advices estimate that the crop of currants in Greece will be about 20 per cent.

less than last year, and authorities differ as to the prospects of quality, but they all agree as to probability of higher prices obtaining. Prunes are quiet, as follows: U's, $5\frac{1}{2}$ to $5\frac{3}{4}$ c.; B's, $7\frac{1}{2}$ c.; bags, $3\frac{3}{4}$ c.; casks, $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 5c. Figs remain seasonably dull at prices nominally unchanged. We quote as follows: Small boxes, $7\frac{1}{2}$ to 8c.; 5 lb. boxes, $7\frac{1}{2}$ to 8c.; 10 lb. boxes, 10 to $10\frac{1}{2}$ c.; 28-lb. boxes choice Eleme, 11c.; 6-crown, $12\frac{1}{2}$ c.; 7-crown boxes, 28-lb., $13\frac{1}{2}$ to 15c. Dates quiet and unchanged, at $4\frac{1}{4}$ to 5c.; selected Hallowee dates, $8\frac{1}{2}$ to 9c.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

The feeling on the butter market is easier, with buyers and sellers still apart. There have been some transactions at 14, $14\frac{1}{2}$, and $15\frac{1}{2}$ c. for round lots f.o.b. outside, but holders are, as a rule, asking 15 to 16c., while about 14c. is the limit that dealers seem willing to pay. Buyers and sellers are even further apart than a few weeks ago, and while the supply of really choice dairy tub butter is none too plentiful, large quantities appear to be held in the country. With no export demand there are a good many who cannot see how prices are going to be maintained. There are a few dairy pound rolls coming in, but they are not gilt edge, a good many of them being merely made over. The supply of creamery pound prints is about equal to the demand. Creamery tubs are slow of sale. We quote jobbing prices as follows: Dairy—Choice tubs, 17c.; straight store, 15 to 16c.; crocks, 18c.; bakers' butter, 14 to 15c.; pound rolls, 18 to 19c. Creamery—Tubs, fresh, 19 to 20c.; pound prints, 22 to 23c.

Cheese is in liberal supply, and there is a fair demand locally at $9\frac{1}{4}$ to 10c.

PROVISIONS.

There is a good trade doing in provisions, especially in long clear bacon. Market is almost bare of breakfast bacon, backs and barrel pork. Small hams are particularly scarce. Prices are higher on some lines. There have been quite a few dressed hogs on the market during the week, and some sold as high as \$7.50.

BACON—Long clear, $7\frac{3}{4}$ to 8c.; smoked backs, $11\frac{1}{2}$ to 12c.; breakfast bacon, 11 to $11\frac{1}{2}$ c.; rolls, $8\frac{3}{4}$ c.

HAMS—11 to $11\frac{1}{2}$ c. for smoked, and 10c. for pickled.

LARD—Pure Canadian $8\frac{1}{2}$ to $8\frac{3}{4}$ c. in tubs, 9c. in pails and $8\frac{1}{4}$ c. in tierces. Compound, $7\frac{1}{4}$ to $7\frac{1}{2}$ c.

BARREL PORK—Canadian heavy mess \$17 to \$17.50; Canadian short-cut, \$18.00 to \$18.50; shoulder mess, \$14.50 to \$15; clear mess, \$15 to \$15.50.

GREEN FRUIT.

Oranges are in light supply and practically confined to Messinas, Rodi's not having yet arrived. Prices are higher. Enquiry for oranges is fair, but it does not appear to be

as good as the character of the weather would warrant. Prices run all the way from \$3.50 to \$4.50. Bananas are in little better demand on account of the falling off in the supply of domestic small fruit, and prices are a little higher. Four cars of bananas were sold by auction on the track Monday, and the prices realized ranged from 80c. to \$1.50 per bunch. The ordinary jobbing price is \$1 to \$2 per bunch. There are still a few raspberries to be had, and they are in good demand. A good many early peaches are coming in, but they are all taken. Watermelons are in good demand and those now arriving are small. Cucumbers are getting easier, while demand is good. We quote: Oranges, Messinas, half-boxes, \$2.50; boxes, \$4.50 to \$4.75. Lemons, \$3.50 to \$4.50. Bananas, \$1 to \$2 per bunch. Watermelons, \$18 per 100. Raspberries, 7 to 8c. Lawton berries, 6 to 9c. Celery, 60 to 70c. per doz. Cucumbers, 50 to 65c. per basket. Tomatoes, \$1.25 to \$1.50 per case and 50 to 60c. per box. Peaches, 40 to 65c. per basket.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

BEANS—Very few selling, but prices are steady at \$1.35 to \$1.40 for hand picked.

POTATOES—Receipts are more liberal and prices easier, domestic growth now offering. The idea as to price is \$2.25.

EGGS—Supply is liberal, while consumption is dropping off, and prices are easier at 10 to $10\frac{1}{2}$ c.

HOPS—Quiet. There was some fear of a shortage in the crop owing to the dry weather, but that possibility seems to have been removed by the recent rains. Some sales of bale lots of good hops are reported at $13\frac{1}{2}$ c. Package hops, 20c. per lb.

ONIONS—Egyptian are slow of sale, while jobbers are anxious to push sales. We quote: Egyptian, \$1.25 to \$1.40 per sack; domestic, 65c. per basket.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The total receipts Tuesday were 58 carloads, including 845 sheep and lambs, 377 hogs and 50 calves. The cattle trade is dull, with shippers showing little disposition to buy, owing to lower cables. Some heavy losses are reported by the exporters on cattle landed the past two weeks. Good to choice shipping cattle, averaging 1,200 to 1,350 lbs., sold at $3\frac{3}{8}$ to 4c. per lb. Butcher's cattle slow. The best sold at $3\frac{3}{8}$ to $3\frac{1}{2}$ c. per lb. for picked lots and good to medium cattle brought 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 3c. Inferior sold as low as 2c. About 50 calves offered. Good veals sold at \$4 to \$5.40 each. Sheep in fair demand, with sales at $3\frac{1}{2}$ c. per lb. for shippers' and at 3 to $3\frac{1}{4}$ c. for butchers'. Lambs are easy, with sales at \$2.50 to \$3.25 each. Hogs are steady and sold well. The best long and lean bacon hogs sold at \$5.50 to \$5.60, mixed at \$5.25, stores at \$5 to \$5.10, sows at \$4.25 to \$4.50, and stags at \$2.50.

HIDES, SKINS, WOOL AND TALLOW.

HIDES—Supply is good, but there is no accumulation of stock, and demand is fair. Dealers are paying 3c., and selling cured at $3\frac{1}{2}$ c.

SKINS—Dealers are paying 30c. all round for lamb skins and pelts.

WOOL—Has been offering freely at unchanged prices. The prices they are now paying are: Ordinary combing, 17c.; fine clothing and down, 18 to 19c.; rejections, 12 to 13c., and unwashed, 10 to 11c.

TALLOW—As before. Dealers are paying $4\frac{3}{4}$ to $5\frac{1}{4}$ c. and selling at $5\frac{1}{4}$ to $5\frac{1}{2}$ c.

FISH.

Trade is improving and prices are stiffening. White fish and trout are still scarce and higher. We quote: Skinned and boned codfish, $6\frac{1}{2}$ c.; shore herring, \$4 per bbl.; boneless fish, $3\frac{1}{2}$ to 4c.; boneless cod, 5 to 8c.; Lake Erie herring, \$1.75 to \$2 per 100; blueback herring 4c.; blue pickerel, 4 to 5c. lb.; yel. ditto, 5 to 6c. per lb.; salmon trout $6\frac{1}{2}$ c.; white fish, $7\frac{1}{2}$ c.; pike, 5c. lb.; had-dock and cod, $5\frac{1}{2}$ c. per lb.; steak cod, 5 to 6c.; large halibut, 10c.; brook trout, 25c. per lb.

SALT.

Trade has been fairly good and prices have gone up a little. We quote: Dairy, \$1.50, special grade; brls., 95c.; coarse sacks, 68c.; fine sacks, 70c.; American rock, \$10 per ton.

PETROLEUM.

Trade remains much as before. We quote, in 5 to 10 bbl. lots, imperial gallon, Toronto: Canadian, 12 to $12\frac{1}{2}$ c.; carbon safety, $15\frac{1}{2}$ to 16c.; Canadian water white, 16 to 17c.; American water white, 18 to 19c.; photogene, 20c.

MARKET NOTES.

T. Kinnear & Co. have now their full range of new Japan teas in stock.

Dominion Produce Co. report business gradually picking up.

Vance & Co. have to hand a shipment of California pears, peaches and apricots.

Further shipments of potted meats, etc., arrived this week for Davidson & Hay.

H. P. Eckardt & Co. are offering good values in lemons (Mikado brand).

The Dandy can-opener, sold by H. P. Eckardt & Co., is a dandy.

McAlpin Tobacco Co. report business quiet during the last three weeks on account of harvest.

T. Kinnear & Co. are making a specialty of Boulter's and of McClean's canned peas.

T. Kinnear & Co. report that they are offering special lines of brooms to the trade.

Jas. A. Skinner & Co. are now placing on the market a neat little novelty in the way of a cigar lighter. It is a small coal oil lamp

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Advices report that Tarragona almonds are a poor crop.

T. B. Escott & Co.'s second consignment of new Japans arrived this week, showing splendid value.

T. B. Escott & Co., of London, have received a consignment of choice rice, which, the firm reports, is selling well at low prices.

T. Kinnear & Co. announce that they are offering good value in three or four kinds of new Japan tea.

James Turner & Co. report that they are showing grand value in last season's Japans, which they have just received.

Beef, Iron and Wine, is a specialty with J. W. Lang & Co. just now, and they report that they have already sold large quantities.

White & Co., Toronto, want one carload of harvest apples and one carload of Duchess apples.

Two cars of California green fruit are due to arrive for Dawson & Co. One contains pears and the other mixed fruit.

The starch manufacturers here increased the trade discounts on 50 box lots to 4 per cent. and on 100 box lots to 8 per cent.

Todhunter, Mitchell & Co. have just received a large importation of fancy whole spices for the pickling season.

Davidson & Hay report the arrival of a shipment of low-grade Japan teas, which they are offering cheap.

W. H. Gillard & Co., Hamilton, report that their range of Japans this season is ahead of anything they ever had.

On account of the high prices asked for cash registers few of the dealers in small towns care to purchase, but Adams & Co., Toronto, are now placing one before the trade which is within the reach of all. It is neat, compact, simple and accurate. It is a total adder, and will register amounts from

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Marshall & Co., the fish curers, of Aberdeen, Scotland, beg to inform their Canadian customers that they are now shipping the new season's pack of herrings.

The trade tell James Turner & Co.'s travelers that the line of extra choice Japan shown by them is the finest they have looked at this season or handled. It is a beauty.

James Turner & Co. announce that their customers are unusually well pleased with the new season's Japan teas being shown by this firm.

Wm. Paterson & Son, in addition to their many other lines, are extensive dealers in "licorice." They ask the trade to write for samples and prices.

Valencia raisins are about exhausted. James Turner & Co. have a few fine off-stalk left for their trade, which, they report, they are selling at a reasonable price.

James Turner & Co. advise their friends to buy freely of their line of Vostizza currants in cases and ½-cases, in view of the reported damage to the growing crop.

White & Co., Colborne street, report tomatoes, potatoes and cucumbers coming in more plentifully of late, and prices gradually dropping.

Graham, McLean & Co. report they are experiencing large increases in receipts of commission butter, much of which is of second quality.

M. Masuret & Co. have just received their third shipment of Tanglefoot sticky fly paper. This is a good seller and pays well; so, says the firm, does Hire's Root Beer.

Eagle Japan and Ceylon teas in 6 lb. cannisters, 30 lb. caddies, half chests and chests, are in increasing demand with M. Masuret & Co.

Canned meats and fish are handy and convenient for cold lunches and picnic parties. M. Masuret & Co. announce that they are closing their stock of these goods at lower prices.

Six cars of fruits and vegetables were on the track one day this week for Dawson & Co. There were two each of potatoes and watermelons, one of tomatoes and one mixed car.

The Toronto Biscuit & Confectionery Co. are again working late at nights trying to overtake their orders. They have, in addition to the Ontario orders, some from the Northwest.

W. R. Wonham & Sons, Montreal, agents for Marshall & Co., fish curers and provision merchants, Aberdeen, Scotland, have recently filled an order for St. John, N.B., for their canned soups. The consignees are greatly pleased with the goods, and write

that they think them superior to any American soups they have been importing at the same cost.

Grand Mogul tea exhibits were held this week past at Niagara Falls, Grimsby, Woodstock, Ingersoll, Princeton and Drumbo. T. B. Escott & Co. are well satisfied with the success that they met with.

John Mouat, W. H. Gillard & Co.'s north representative, states that his customers now ask for Imperial Congou almost to a man, "as it is specially adapted to alkaline water," writes the firm.

Witt, Macaulay & Co., commission merchants, 64 Colborne street, Toronto, have sold their business and stock to P. J. Reid, of this city. Mr. Reid will continue the commission business, but on a much larger scale.

Joseph Tetley & Co. distinctly wish to inform the retail grocers of Canada that their teas are not sold to any dry goods merchants, but are extensively handled by grocers and general merchants throughout the Dominion.

Dried apples are all eaten up; evaporated in same position; so, to meet a want, James Turner & Co. write that they have arriving a nice line of Sphinx prunes, specially prepared by the grower and packer to keep fresh during August and September. Price is low.

A. & H. Foreman, of Collingwood, have taken the agency for "Salada" Ceylon tea for that town. P. C. Larkin & Co. report the opening of other agencies for this tea during the week at Elora, Newmarket, Markdale, Owen Sound, Thornbury, Dundalk, Tottenham, Ingersoll.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

MONTREAL, August 2, 1894.
GROCERIES.

THE grocery market remains much the same as it was in its general features as at the date of last writing. The demand for sugar continues slack and there is a feeling of uncertainty with regard to this staple which checks the demand. Tea has shown a fair degree of activity. Molasses has declined in price under heavy stocks, and canned goods are not as active as they were at the time of last writing. Dried fruit are firm in value and some high offers are spoken of to arrive, but are no criterion to figure future cost upon. In other lines there is nothing to mention.

SUGAR.

There are few new features of interest to the sugar market, the tone ruling steady and values unchanged. Business is of small volume for the demand has fallen off to a considerable extent. Granulated is quoted here at 4½c. net cash, and yellows at 3 3/16 to 3¾c. as to quality at the factory. With regard to the future of the market there is more or less uncertainty, and reasons are advanced to show that prices are apt to go

either way. In a word, on this respect the feeling is very irregular and the uncertainty no doubt has a good deal to do with curtailing the demand which is not anything like what it should be with the preserving season on in full force.

SYRUP.

Business in syrups continues quiet, the demand only being for small lots to supply actual necessities. Bright goods have sold at 2 to 2¼c. and dark grades 1 to 1¼c. per pound, so that the market can be called unchanged.

MOLASSES.

The development of an easier feeling has been the chief feature of the molasses market, and sales have been made of round lots at a decline of fully 1c. per gallon. This easiness is due to a congested market, supplies being more than ample for the demand. In fact it would not be at all surprising if prices should go lower. Fair-sized lots have changed hands during the week at 27c., while jobbers are asking 27 to 30c., according to quantity.

TEA.

There has been a rather better demand for tea during the week, and arrivals of new crop Japans have been meeting a fair reception. The eastern war trouble is attracting some attention from tea importers, as it is apt to have material influence on the question of supplies. Sales of 400 packages new crop Japans are noted at 17 to 20c. and we quote: Japan teas, common, 10 to 13c.; medium, 14 to 17c.; fine, 18 to 21½c.; and choicest, 23 to 29c.

COFFEES.

The market for coffee continues steady and values have no change. Demand is fair for small lots. We quote: Java, 24 to 28c.; Mocha, 25 to 28c.; Maracaibo, 19 to 21c.; Jamaica, 19 to 21c., and Rio, 18 to 21c.

SPICES.

The spice market rules moderately active in a jobbing way. Values are unchanged. We quote: Black pepper, 6 to 7½c.; white pepper, 10 to 12½c.; cloves, 7½ to 9c.; cassia, 9 to 10c.; nutmegs, 60 to 90c., and Jamaica ginger, 15 to 18c.

RICE.

There is no change to note in rice on spot. Demand is fair, and millers report about the average business at firmer prices. We quote: Standard, \$3.45 to \$3.70; Japan, \$3.95 to \$4.25, and Patna, \$4.25 to \$4.75.

DRIED FRUIT.

The scarcity of Valencia fruit that has already been referred to in this column has led to further importations of California stock on this market to make up for the shortage. There have been sales of this fruit at 5½c. in lots. With regard to future supplies of Valencias nothing definite is to note, but offers of 17 to 19c. f.o.b. Denia are spoken of. These are purely speculative, however, and no fair criterion on which to base any judgment of cost. Currants con-

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tinue much the same. We quote: Off stalk Valencias, 5 to 5½c.; fine, 5½ to 5¾c.; layers, 6 to 6½c.; currants, 3 to 3½c.

NUTS.

There is a fair jobbing trade doing in nuts at steady prices. The following are the quotations: Almonds at 11½ to 12c.; shelled do., 23 to 29c.; shelled walnuts, 18 to 21c.; Grenoble walnuts, 11½ to 12c.; filberts, 7½ to 8c.; pecans, 7½ to 8c.; Brazils, 9 to 10c., and peanuts, 7 to 9c.

CANNED GOODS.

A rather quieter feeling has characterized this market during the past week. The firmness in values in one or two of the leading lines previously noted by us, however, is firmly maintained. We quote: Lobsters, \$6 to \$6.50 per case; sardines, \$8.50 to \$9.50; salmon, \$1.15 to \$1.30 per doz; tomatoes, 80 to 85c. per doz; peaches, \$2 to \$2.10 per doz; corn, 85 to 90c. per doz., and marrowfat peas, 85 to 90c per doz.

GREEN FRUITS.

The supply of green fruit of late has been somewhat light, owing to the fact that no receipts of California stock have been received. Demand for all kinds is good. Oranges are scarce and firmly held at \$5 per box. Stocks of lemons are light and meet a good demand at firm values, \$3.50 to \$4 per box. Cocoanuts rule weaker at \$2.50 to \$3.50 per 100. Bananas are in good demand, but the market is well supplied with them. New apples in baskets come forward more freely and meet a ready sale at 75c. per basket. A few small lots of California cherries are coming in this week. Gooseberries are a heavy receipt, and the same can be said of raspberries and currants, prices on which are rather easier. We quote: Oranges, \$5; lemons, \$3.50 to \$4.50 per box; bananas, 75c. to \$1.50 per bunch; cherries, Canadian, \$1 to \$1.50 per basket; gooseberries, 50 to 75c. per basket; raspberries, 9 to 10c. per box; currants, 25 to 35c. per gallon; new apples, 75c. per basket.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Continued heavy receipts and a poor demand have resulted in a further decline on the price of eggs. We quote choice caudled stock 9 to 10c., and culls 7 to 8c. per dozen. Canadian tomatoes are commencing to come in and sell at \$2.50 per basket, but prices have a downward tendency at this level. A complete absence of demand characterizes the hop market which we quote as before nominal at 12 to 13c. for choice, 9 to 10c. for medium, and 3 to 7c. for old stock.

PROVISIONS.

A fair amount of business was transacted in provisions and the market was moderately active and steady with no change in values to note. We quote as follows: Canadian short cut, heavy, \$18.50 to \$20; do., light, \$17.50 to \$18.50; hams, city cured, per lb., 10 to 13c.; lard, Canadian, in pails, 9½ to 10c.; bacon, per lb., 10 to 12c.; lard, common refined, per lb., 7½ to 7¾c.

BUTTER.

The butter market is dull with the tone easy as before. No export business to speak of is doing and values are more or less nominal. We quote: Finest creamery, 19c.; creamery seconds, 18 to 18¾c.; fine Townships, 16 to 17c.; fine Western, 14 to 15½c.

CHEESE.

The cheese market continues much the same as it was. The easiness noted last

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FLOUR AND FEED

RETAIL dealers report that there is but little improvement in flour and feed. Flour in the grocery and feed stores has but little life, and breakfast cereals are selling very slowly; but little hope is held out for any improvement in these lines until September. There is a little more demand for chicken and other feeds. Collections are reported slow and many of the flour and feed merchants are complaining of their inability to collect accounts, and are refusing to give credit.

THE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

FLOUR—Trade is quiet. There has been a stronger feeling in wheat this week, but it has not affected flour prices. We quote as follows: Manitoba wheat patents, \$3.55 to \$3.65; strong bakers', \$3.35 to \$4.45; winter wheat patents, \$3.45 to \$3.60; Ontario family, \$3 to \$3.25; straight rollers, \$2.90 to \$3.05.

BRAN—While the demand has been fairly good for the season, there has been a reduction of from \$1 to \$1.50 per ton owing to the large stocks accumulated by city mills. In the city it is now being offered at from \$12.50 to \$13 per ton.

SHORTS—The demand has been good, and there seems to be a scarcity of it at the city mills, which are selling it at from \$16 to \$16.50 per ton.

SCREENINGS—A fairly good trade is reported. City mills are selling at from \$12 to \$12.50 per ton.

ROLLED OATS—The demand for all breakfast cereals is poor, and rolled oats are reported selling at from \$4.25 to \$4.50.

HAY—Trade is quiet. It is at present being offered at from \$8.50 to \$9 on track.

STRAW—There is not much being offered, but quite enough to supply the present demand, which is slow. Prices range from \$5.75 to \$7.50 for choice.

MONTREAL.

The demand for flour continues good, and the market rules active and steady, with a large volume of business doing. The Lake of the Woods Milling Co. report one sale of 1,000 sacks on export account and twenty cars on local at quotations. Winter wheat, \$3.60 to \$3.70; Manitoba patents, best brands, \$3.50 to \$3.60; straight roller, \$3; extra, \$2.75 to \$2.90; superfine, \$2.50 to \$2.65; Manitoba strong bakers', \$3.40 to \$3.50; Manitoba strong bakers', best brands, \$3.45 to \$3.50.

An active business was transacted in feed, there being a good demand at steady prices. Bran, \$15; shorts, \$17; mouillie, \$20.

In oatmeal a fair jobbing trade was transacted at about quotations. Standard, brls.,

\$4.30 to \$4.40; granulated, brls., \$4.30 to \$4.40; rolled oats, brls., \$4.50 to \$4.60; pot barley, per brl., \$3.90; split peas, per brl., \$3.40.

ST. JOHN, N.B.

Wheat is again at low water mark and the flour trade is limited to actual wants. Oatmeal is easier, while cornmeal continues firm. Middlings are about out of the market, being scarce and very hard to get. Bran is in better supply. Oats are firm, N.B. and P.E.I. being about out of the market; this is particularly the case with P.E.I. oats. Hay is very weak with a very large new crop about to hand. Beans are selling below the car load price to arrive. We quote: Manitoba, \$4.25 to \$4.35; best Ontario, \$3.50 to \$3.60; medium, \$3.35 to \$3.50; oatmeal, standard, \$4.50 to \$4.75; rolled, \$4.65 to \$4.75; cornmeal, \$2.70 to \$2.75; middlings on track, \$22 to \$23; bran, small lots, \$18.50 to \$19.50; oats, N. B., 45 to 47c.; Ontario, 47 to 48c.; beans, h.p., \$1.50 to \$1.55; prime, \$1.45 to \$1.50; split peas, \$3.65 to \$3.85; round peas, \$3.65 to \$3.75; pot barley, \$3.85 to \$4.00; hay on track, \$10.50 to \$11.

FINE VS. TRASHY TEA.

THE following is in part a circular recently sent out by a Philadelphia firm:

We all will admit that there is an infinite number of grades of tea, and that the differences in quality are not wholly discernable to the eye. Style counts for much in tea, as in everything else, but beyond the appearance of tea in the hand, its inherent value in the cup, comprehended by the term "flavor," is brought to light only by most careful and expert testing. Besides the flavor at first steeping, a good tea will develop strength and a lasting aroma, so that at table the second cup will be as good as was the first poured out. In these times of business depression, when competition sets people wildly astray in efforts to beat the world in prices, we find many dealers making a great ado in print about teas at absurdly low prices, some at less than half the import cost of good tea. No argument is required to prove that such prices always mean extremely poor qualities. It cannot be said

that it pays the grocer to sell such tea to his customers if it prejudices them against tea in general, and sets them in particular against the goods of the grocer who sells it to them. The users of such tea are likely either to stop drinking the beverage altogether or go elsewhere for their supplies afterward.

Dealers who permit themselves to be inveigled into a hope of reward by the notoriety which an advertisement of trashy tea brings them, will probably find, ere long, that the bird that once was in their hand has taken to the bush; their tea trade has "taken the wings of the morning"; other and wiser grocers are supplying their customers.

As to profit, the low grade article may show the largest immediate percentage, but the best ultimate reward comes to the man who sells the finer quality and wins the smile of his customers.

It is not inconsistent with these general principles to have in stock fair tea at a comparatively low price, to meet the demand from a certain class of people whose means require them to look to the price rather than to merit. Every grocer may judge for himself how best to cater to this class of buyers, without impinging upon his good rule to establish a reputation for satisfactory qualities in everything he sells.

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MONTREAL MARKETS—Continued

week is more apparent, and trading at the wharf on Monday was on a lower level than last week. The offerings were some 7,000 boxes, which sold at 9c. We quote: Finest Western colored, 9½c.; finest Eastern white, 9¾c.; finest Eastern colored, 9 to 9½c.; finest eastern white, 9 to 9½c.; Under grades, 8¼ to 8¾c.; cable, 45s.

LIVE STOCK.

At the East End abattoir market Monday the offerings of live stock were 350 cattle, 600 sheep and lambs, 300 calves and 20 lean hogs. The market was fairly active. One or two shippers were present and bought a few small lots, weighing on an average 1,250 each, at 3¼ to 4c. per lb, but they were rough looking beasts. Butchers' cattle were well enquired for, and all the choice stock was picked up at 3 to 3½c. per lb., while the lower grades sold down as low as 2c. per lb. live weight. The demand for sheep on export account was good, and a number were bought at 3¼ to 3½c. per lb. Lambs also met with a ready sale and butchers bought freely at prices ranging from \$2 to \$3.50 each as to size and quality. Choice calves were well enquired for and sold at \$5 to \$7 each, while common stock moved slow at from \$1 to \$4 each. Lean hogs brought \$3 to \$7 each as to size. The shipments of live stock to the different ports since the opening of navigation to date were 43,488 cattle and 31,938 sheep.

ASHES.

Business in ashes continues quiet, and values are nominally unchanged. We quote: First pots, \$4; seconds, \$3.65; pearls, \$5.40 to \$5.50 per 100 lbs.

MONTREAL TRADE NOTES.

There were sales of Ceylon Pekoe at 7 to 7½d. on this market during the week to London buyers.

California raisins, which have been taking the place of Valencia fruit on this market, were turned over by a leading McGill street dealer at 5½c. for 100-box lots.

J. Alex. Gordon & Co. received on Thursday last 425 cases of Australian canned meats, consisting of boiled, corned and roast mutton, in one and two-pound tins.

A few small lots of Californian cherries, which sold at \$2.50 per box, were the only Californian fruit to arrive during the past week.

Tea importers here are commencing to speculate as to whether the troubles in the East will seriously interfere with the flow of supplies of tea from Japan and China.

Cables from London to brokers here place the stock of raw sugars at four ports in the United Kingdom at 90,000 tons against 104,000 tons the same date last year.

A cargo of 1,500 puncheons of molasses was offered on this market to arrive in August at 26c. last week. This fact, with large stocks already here, has weakened the market.

The first arrivals of new fresh Canadian tomatoes were offered here for the first time on Thursday. They were taken at \$2.50 per basket, but will sell off from this in the course of a day or so.

ST. JOHN, N.B., MARKETS.

ST. JOHN, N.B., August 2, 1894.

BUSINESS has been better during the past week, and collections continue good. Coffee is firm, while tea is in buyers' favor, though some qualities of new crop are extra value. Some are not up to standard, and this keeps a weak feeling.

SPICE—Demand light. Compound goods are about out of the market. People are beginning to realize that pure spices are the cheapest. Cream of tartar, brls., 17½ to 18½c.; boxes, 20 to 25c.; nutmegs, 60 to 90c.; cassia, 18 to 20c.; cloves, whole, 15 to 20c.; ground, 20 to 25c.; ginger, 18 to 22c.; pepper, 12 to 16c.; bicarb. soda, \$2.30 to \$2.38; sal. soda, 1 to 1½c.

SALT—Demand is not as wished by holders, stocks being large during the past week. Coarse sold from vessel's side about 44c. An effort is being made to introduce Canadian fine salt in large packages. We quote: Coarse, 48 to 50c.; factory filled, 95c. to \$1; 5-lb. bags in brls., \$3.25; 10-lb. bags, \$3.10 per brl., 20-lb. wood boxes, 20c.; 10-lb. boxes, 12c.

CANNED GOODS—Demand is not large. Three cars of new salmon have been placed on this market; one or two more may be sold, but sales will be far less than last year. Low prices are being quoted on old goods. New goods are firmer. Values are as follows: Corn, 90 to 95c.; peas, 90c.; tomatoes, 95c. to \$1; gallon apples, \$2.50; oysters, 1's, \$1.50; 2's, \$2.25; corned beef, 1-lb. tins, \$1.65; 2-lb. tins, \$2.65; salmon, \$1.25 to \$1.35; lobsters, \$1.75 to \$2; peaches, 2's, \$1.70 to \$1.90; 3's, \$2.70 to \$2.90.

OIL—Demand is reported good, but wholesale dealers complain that on account of extreme low prices there is no profit. We quote: Best American burning oil, 18c.; Canadian, 17c.; prime, 13½c.; 60 days, no charge for barrel.

DRIED FRUIT AND NUTS—Egyptian onions, which were so low last week, are much firmer, though no advance is reported here, still stocks could not be received at old figures. Currants, though they continue low, are somewhat firmer. California loose muscatels are firm; they are having a large sale. Sultana raisins, 7 to 7½c.; Valentias, 5½ to 5¾c.; London layers, \$2.10 to \$2.20; loose muscatels, 6½ to 7c.; prunes, 5½ to 6½c.; California, 11 to 12c.; currants, barrels, 3½ to 4c.; cases, 4 to 5c.; dates, 5 to 6c.; figs, 10 to 12c.; Egyptian onions, 1½ to 2c.; French walnuts, 11 to 12c.; Grenobles, 13 to 14c.; almonds, 13 to 14c.; Brazil, 11 to 12c.; filberts, 9½ to 10c.; pecans, 12 to 13c.; peanuts, 10 to 11c.

GREEN FRUIT—American apples are now plentiful and Canadian are expected shortly. Bananas are easier, while oranges and lemons continue high. Cherries are scarce and continue high. Raspberries are now in good supply, while strawberries are about out of market. Good pines have been plentiful and have sold low. Lemons, \$4 to \$4.50; oranges, \$5; bananas, \$2 to \$2.50; tomatoes, per crate, \$3 to \$3.25; strawberries, 8 to 10c.; watermelons, 40 to 60; gooseberries, 35 to 40c. per basket; California apricots, peaches and plums, \$2 to \$2.50; cherries, 30 to 35c.; apples, \$5 to \$5.50; raspberries, 8 to 10c.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter is rather firmer and a much better demand for creamery is noticed. Cheese is quiet. Eggs are in good demand and much firmer. Butter, 15

to 17c.; creamery, 20 to 21c.; cheeses, 10 to 10½c.

MOLASSES—Demand is quiet. It is understood New York parties are again in the market offering goods, some samples showing good values. Barbadoes, 27 to 28c.; Porto Rico, 35 to 43c.; Antigua, 27 to 28c.; St. Croix, 27 to 28c.; syrup, demand light, 35c. per gal.

SUGAR—Is in good demand, with a not over-strong market locally, and offers of granulated under the market are reported. Granulated, \$4.30 to \$4.40; yellows, 3¼ to 4c.; Barbadoes, 3¾ to 4c.

FISH—Owing to small arrivals of dry fish market is firm. Large codfish are scarce. The prospects are for a continued firmness; prices are higher. Fresh salmon are coming forward in only small quantities, and prices have advanced. Halibut is also firmer. Smoked herring is somewhat easier. Salmon and mackerel from the gulf are being shipped to Boston. Large cod, \$3.50 to \$3.60; medium, \$3.25 to \$3.35; haddock, \$1.75; pollock, \$1.75 to \$1.85; salmon, 16 to 17c.; bay herring, half brl., \$1.40 to \$1.50; medium, smoked, 11 to 12c.; lengthwise, 10 to 11c.

PROVISIONS—Demand is quiet. There is little if any change. Compound lard is rather lower. Clear mess pork, \$19 to \$20.50; P.E.I. mess, \$16.50 to \$17; prime mess, \$13.50 to \$14; plate beef, \$13.50 to \$14; extra plate, \$13.75 to \$14.25; pure lard, 10 to 11c.; compound, 8 to 9c.; cottolene, 9¾ to 10c.

PERSONAL MENTION.

C. E. Colson, of Montreal, is making his usual tour of the West, gathering orders for fall shipment.

Major John Sloan has recovered sufficiently to enable him to pay short visits to the warehouse.

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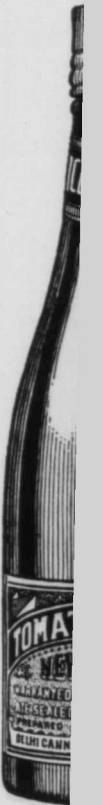
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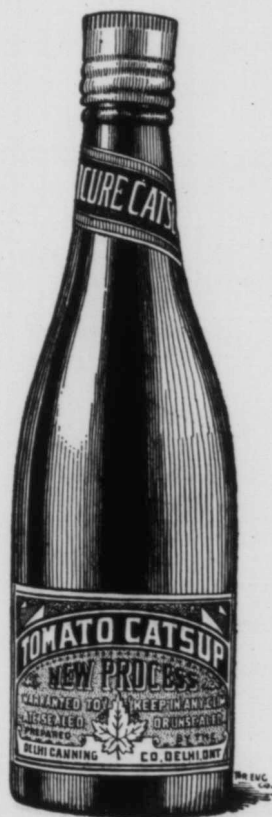
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EVOLUTION OF TEA-PACKING.

AN Indian tea-planter, in a series of reminiscences of the industry, tells in the Indian Planters' Gazette of the experiments of thirty years ago to utilize machinery in tea-packing after this fashion:

"The first efforts in labor-saving machinery had rather a comical side to them; there was a pretty general complaint as to the large proportion of dust and broken leaf owing to defective measures adopted for packing, and considering the means taken to get the tea into the chest this was not to be wondered at. We were some time ere discerning the advantages of a uniform net weight, and ere the steamer companies looked into matters, many planters set themselves to devise methods of getting the largest amount of tea into a box possible, a chest being taken on trust as a maund; the heaviest coolies available were in request for stamping down the leaf; one gentleman introduced a jack screw, and, though carrying off the palm with this power, miscalculated the resistibility of his chests and nails, as, though he succeeded in getting a maund and a quarter into a space intended only for the regulation bulk, his boxes burst asunder when removed from the protecting mould. Some pounded the tea in, and as we did not attend much to marking, at that time, when the consignments were opened for sampling in town, some from the top and others from

the bottom, there was rather a want of uniformity in the musters; not being aware of the ramming and jamming in vogue at the gardens, the agents sent up sieves, with directions for use. One secretary favored the manager with a winnowing machine, which the latter duly appreciated, placing it at the foot of his bed and utilizing it as a punkah. Rolling machines were the first to attract attention, and crude as the first contrivances in this line were, they led up to the present ones; though, had each device been sent to Europe or America in the early days, an enormous sum would have been saved. Kinmond's was not the first, but Gibbons'; this latter was a cylinder covered with corrugated leather revolving in a sack, and, though it did not finish the leaf, reduced the labor by one-half; this was considered a great step in advance; then came Nelson's mangle, and strange to say without collusion of any kind, the same idea was simultaneously hit upon by a lady in Ootacamund; both of these necessitated the use of bags, which from the difficulty of keeping them clean proved very objectionable, so that they had soon to be given up. One resembling very much the present rapid roller first saw the light in Hylakandy, but as the inventor failed to regulate the pressure he pulped his tea into a mass that would not answer, and so for a time we rested on our oars till Kinmond, Jackson and others came to the rescue."

TRADE METHODS.

It is surprising that some business men are so thoughtless as to continue an unprofitable business, or a business that pays a small profit, without stopping to consider for a moment why the business is unprofitable, or why it fails to pay a large profit, says N.E. Grocer. There is always a reason why these conditions exist; they do not come by chance. They are the result of wrong management, or else they exist because natural conditions are against the successful prosecution of the business at the point where it is unsuccessful.

It is not within the nature of things that all business men can be competent; there must be a good deal of incompetency until the world becomes a good deal more perfect than it is. We need not be surprised, therefore, at the failures that come to notice. But there is a remedy for a large part of unsuccessful business, and that can be found in consultation with competent business men who can be found in every locality. There are a good many competent business men who have not been able to reveal their full capability because they have been unable to straighten one or two problems in connection with their business, but as soon as some one can point out where the trouble exists, it serves to make them more searching and sharpens their ability to straighten out other equally as difficult matters, and in this way they develop into keen business men.

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PRUNE GROWING IN TRIESTE.

THE prune trade through Trieste suffered severely in 1893, in fact it is said that the depression has been unprecedented. According to a report to the Foreign Office by Consul Haggard at Trieste, there have been different reasons for this. One, it is alleged, is the abolition of the free port which drives the buyers to the places of production in Bosnia and Servia to avoid paying duty here; but it is the fashion now to put the blame for everything on the abolition of the free port. A more substantial explanation lies in the falling off in the demand from the United States, for which there are several reasons, but the depression may be only temporary, as should the proposed Wilson tariff pass in its present form, the duty will be reduced on the basis of present prices by about 50 per cent. This want of demand in America has caused prunes to desert Trieste in another way, for when they do not go to the United States they are almost entirely sent to Germany, consequently there is no need for them to come near this port at all. The factors which govern the prune trade in America are the Californian prune crop and the apple and apricot crops there, which last year were most productive. The Californian prunes are always at the top of the market, being very fine fruit, and no doubt chiefly compete with the French prunes. On the other hand American apples and apricots directly affect the Bosnian and Servian prunes, because the former can be (and are) used as substitutes by the German population of the United States, who eat the fruit with their meat, whether it be prunes, apples, or apricots, whichever is cheapest. It is said also that the trade is being permanently affected by the gradual assimilation of the Germans to the native Americans, as in the second generation they give up eating fruit with their meat, becoming in habits like the ordinary Americans. The McKinley tariff, too, has much injured the prune trade through Trieste; the duty, comparatively speaking, is enormous, being 2c. per lb. Under the proposed new tariff the duty will be 20 per cent. ad valorem. The prunes now shipped from Trieste are packed in boxes, being previously prepared in the French manner by steaming. In former times they were simply sorted and shipped in large casks, holding 13 cwt. or 14 cwt. of prunes each. This was altered partly in consequence of the steamship companies placing a differential rate of 2s. 6d. per ton upon the casks, which gave much trouble, as against bags and boxes, which were more easily stowed and less damaged in the hold. But the falling off in the prune trade has affected British shipping interests materially; eight or nine years ago it was no uncommon thing for large steamers to leave Trieste with full cargoes of prunes alone, whereas the quantity now shipped on board a single steamer rarely

exceeds 200 tons. There is a small trade to England in prunes through Trieste, but it is very small, as in England prunes are only used for dessert, the sweeter French prunes being preferred.—Grocers' Review, Manchester.

MORE RE ADULTERATED TEA.

N. Y. Journal of Commerce: Importers of Oolong teas have, as has already been reported, advised the tea growers in China that hereafter no first quality Oolong teas mixed with the poor tea will be accepted. This action on the part of importers is not, as is popularly supposed, due to the fact that large quantities of Pingsuey teas were rejected by the Government inspector last winter. It is an entirely different class of teas that are now meeting the attention of buyers. The Pingsuey tea rejected last winter was adulterated with a kind of Ningpoo mud, which made its use unhealthy to the consumers. Buyers are ordered to refuse poor Oolong tea, not because they are adulterated with a foreign substance, but because they are mixed with a poor quality of tea; the result being an inferior article.

Three sorts of Oolong teas are shipped here from China. They are Formosa, Foochow and Amoy. Of these, Formosas are much the best and very popular in the United States, where about 20,000,000 pounds of Formosa are used annually, against 8,000,000 pounds of Amoy and Foochow teas together. All the Formosa teas are raised in the Formosa Islands and brought over to Amoy by steamers of the Lapraik Line, of which Lapraik, Cass & Co. are managers. This concern is also the largest shipper of Oolong tea from China.

E. A. Willard was asked as to the reason of Lapraik, Cass & Co.'s circular, recently published, warning buyers against poor teas. He said: "In the latter part of the season, when the low grades arrive from the plantations, the poorer teas are obtained, such as are used here by those tea stores which give presents with every pound of tea. This plan has proved very popular and the tea stores have reaped a harvest, but the consumer has been getting poor tea in consequence. The increased demand for poor teas has enabled the grower to get a relatively larger profit on them than he could on fine teas, and he has increased the production of poor tea and lessened the production of fine.

"Last season the tea men in Formosa took over poor tea from the mainland and mixed it with true Formosa leaf, thus making the late crop poorer than ever. To guard against the repetition of this action by the Chinese, Messrs. Lapraik, Cass & Co. have distributed the circular already published widely among the tea growers, and other shippers have taken similar action. This course protects the dealer and consumer in this country, and is highly commendable."

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PURCHASING COMBINATIONS.

AMERICAN Grocer: At intervals of a few years there comes over the retail trade a craze for a buying combination or purchasing syndicate, based upon the idea that money can be saved by getting goods from first hands and then distributing them among its members. The strongest objections to this plan come from the retailers themselves, including many who are advocates of and belong to retail grocers' associations. These men object to the leveling power of the plan, as it discriminates against the most enterprising, thrifty and largest retailers. It gives to the man ignorant of business principles and methods, with small and limited capital, the same advantages possessed by his more progressive neighbor in high credit.

It is destructive of individuality and puts a premium upon ignorant, indifferent, incompetent and possibly insolvent retailers. It is a violation of the principle involved in the demand of the retailers that the jobber should not sell the consumer. This purchasing syndicate seeks to overthrow or do away with the services of the jobbers, who in equity have as much right to demand of the importers, manufacturers and the first hand dealers that they shall not sell the retailers, as the latter have to demand that jobbers shall not sell consumers or hotels.

The best retailers desire perfect freedom as to the style, character and quality of

their stock. The purchasing syndicate places, as it were, all of its members in a mold. They all keep "Merchant's Oats," or whatever the article may be; and unless they all agree to sell at the same price, there will soon be a war of prices among themselves.

They will run against innumerable snags, amongst the foremost being the liability to irregularity in the quality of their proprietary brands, through not always buying from the same party instead of the lowest bidder. Part of the policy of the most representative retailers in this country is never to change the source of supply so long as high quality is maintained. And thus it happens that for 30 or 40 years they have bought their spices and other goods from the same firms, no inducement of price or terms being strong enough to cause them to assume the risks involved in a change.

It is doubtful if a purchasing syndicate can buy, deliver and settle for merchandise at as low or lower cost than the jobbers who are now distributing goods at a net profit of 1 or 2 per cent on their sales. No syndicate can possibly render as varied or complete a service, as the jobber. Why, then, try the experiment of co-operative buying? It has been tried over and over again without success, and yet no sooner is the past record forgotten than a new set of men, generally young and inexperienced, again make the attempt.

SOME QUEER FOODS.

THERE is an old proverb to the effect that what is food to one man is poison to another, and the proverb is well illustrated at the Department of Agriculture at Washington, remarks an exchange, by an odd sort of exhibit of queer foods eaten by out-of-the-way people. Among the articles in the exhibit is a loaf of bread made from the leaves of a plant that is allied to the century plant; as also another kind of bread from a dough of juniper berries. These are relished by some kinds of Indians, while others make cakes out of different kinds of bulbs. The prairie Indians like a dish of wild turnips, and the "screw beans," which grow on mesquite bushes, are utilized by Indians for food. Soap berries furnish an agreeable diet for some tribes. The Digger Indians in California do not disdain the seeds of salt grass, and the seeds of gourds are consumed in the shape of a mush by Indians in Arizona. The exhibit in question includes a jar of pulverized crickets, which are eaten in that form by Indians of Oregon. They are roasted, as are also grasshoppers. These delicacies are cooked in a pit, being arranged in alternate layers with hot stones. After being thus prepared they are dried and ground to powder. They are mixed with pounded acorns or berries, the flour made in this way being kneaded into cakes and dried in the sun. Among other curious things used by Indians for food are acorns, sunflower seeds, grape seeds, flowers of cat-tails, and the spruce fir tree, and the blossoms of wild clover.

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BUSINESS CHANGES.

DIFFICULTIES, ASSIGNMENTS, COMPROMISES.

THE liabilities of Spence & Tucker, the insolvent Cape Tormentine, N.B., lobster packers, are about \$2,500, and the assets \$1,600.

The meeting of the creditors of J. D. O'iver, the insolvent Toronto wine merchant, was adjourned the other day till August 7. The insolvent's liabilities are \$4,180 37, and the assets \$5,463.19, leaving a nominal surplus of \$1,282.72. R. H. Howard, C. Mead, and Mr. Les Visconte, have been appointed inspectors.

The stock of C. D. Anderson & Co., grocers, Winnipeg, has been sold to C. D. Anderson at 60c. on the dollar.

A. Genet, general merchant, Gentilly, Que., has secured a compromise at 25c. on the dollar.

W. Batchelor, grocer, Victoria, B.C., has been closed out under chattel mortgage.

J. F. Allan & Co., general merchants, Copleston, have assigned, and their stock is to be sold Aug. 6th.

G. Raymond, grocer, etc., Rosseau, has assigned.

Wm. McElroy, general merchant, Richmond, is offering to compromise at 40c. on the dollar.

SALES MADE AND PENDING.

These stocks were sold last week at Suckling's: That of V. S. Parsons, Smith's Falls, \$13,000, was sold to Nicholas Garland at 65c. on the dollar. The stock of W. H. Smith, Niagara Falls, \$14,300, was sold to N. B. Gould, Port Hope, at 65c. on the dollar. The general stock of Wilson Bros., Barrie, \$14,000, was sold to Powell & Co., Barrie, at 65c. on the dollar.

The general stock of S. N. Percival, Smith's Falls, has been sold.

The stock of Isabella Thomas, grocer, Toronto, has been sold.

PARTNERSHIPS FORMED AND DISSOLVED.

C. Moreau and Joseph Moreau have registered a partnership in Quebec to carry on business as traders, under the style of Moreau & Co.

Sylvestre & Lecuyer, grocers, Montreal, have dissolved.

CHANGES.

P. A. Rooney, grocer, Windsor, N.S., has sold out.

N. Wilson, general merchant, Edmonton South, N.W.T., advertises that he is giving up business.

A. Brawley, hotel, Uxbridge, has sold out to T. Derusha.

W. H. Burke & Son, bakers and confectioners, have been succeeded by T. Rear & Son.

FIRES.

E. R. Atherton, general merchant, Watson, B.C., has been burned out.

J. Chilton, cigars, etc., Barrie, has been burned out.

Armstrong Bros., manufacturers cheese boxes and lumber, Markdale, have been partially burned out.

DEATHS.

John Bascom, hotel, Uxbridge, is dead. Patrick Lynott, of the firm of Bertrand & Co., general merchants, Edmunston, N.B., is dead.

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16 oz. cans, 1, 2 and 4 doz. in case	4 60
12 oz. cans, 2 and 4 doz. in case	3 70
9 oz. cans, 2 and 4 doz. in case	2 40
6 oz. cans, 2 and 4 doz. in case	1 90
4 oz. cans, 4 and 6 doz. in case	1 25
Dunn's No. 1, in tins	2 00
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Size 1, in 2 and 4 doz boxes	\$2 40
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Pound tins, 3 doz. in case	3 00
12 oz. tins, 3 doz. in case	2 40



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

GILLARD & CO., PROPRIETORS.

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

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

BISCUITS.

TORONTO BISCUIT & CONFECTIONERY CO	
Abernethy	6
Arrowroot	10
Butter	6
" " 3 lbs	20
Cabin	7
Cottage	8
Digestive	8
Daisy Wafer	16
Garibaldi	9
Gingerbread	10
Ginger Nuts	10
Graham Wafer	9
Lemon	10
Milk	9
Nic Nac	12

BLACKING.

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

P. G. FRENCH BLACKING, per gross	
No. 4	\$4 00
No. 6	4 50
No. 8	7 25
No. 10	25
P. G. FRENCH DRESSING, per doz	
No. 7, 1 or 2 doz. in box	\$2 00
No. 4	1 25
RALSTON'S FRENCH	
No. 1	\$9 00
" 2	4 80
" 3	3 60
" 4	4 50

BLACK LEAD.

NIXEY'S	
Refined in 1d., 2d., 4d. and 1a. packages, (9 lb. boxes)	7s 6d \$2 25
Jubilee in 1oz. and 2 oz. round blocks in cartons (9 lb. boxes)	4s 3d 9 00
Silver Moonlight, Plum bago Stove Polish (13 1/2 lb. boxes)	
6 1/2 lb. in large 1d. pkts, 1 gross	4s 3d 1 50
13 lb. in large 1d. pkts, 2 gross	8s 6d 3 00
13 lb. in large 1d. pkts, 1 gross	7s 6d 2 50
13 lb. in large 2d. pkts, 1 gross	7s 6d 2 50

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

BLUE.

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

KNIFE POLISH.

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

CORN BROOMS.

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

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Phoenix Coffee and Spice Mills, Toronto

A Nation's Greatness

Depends upon its backbone.
To Keep it Stiff

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BRANTFORD STARCH

THERE'S NOTHING LIKE IT.

British America Starch Co., Ltd.,

BRANTFORD, ONT.

Prices Current Continued—

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

CANNED GOODS.

Apples, 3's.	Per doz \$0 95 \$1 00
gallons.	2 50 2 60
Blackberries, 2's.	1 75 2 00
Blueberries, 2's.	1 00 1 10
Beans, 2's.	0 85 0 95
Corn, 2's.	0 90 0 95
" Epicure.	1 15
Cherries, red pitted, 2's.	1 85 1 90
Peas, 2's.	0 80 85
" Sifted select.	1 25
Pears, Bartlett, 2's.	1 75
" Sugar, 2's.	1 50
Pineapple, 2's.	2 25 2 75
Peaches, 2's.	2 00 2 25
" 3's.	3 00 3 25
Plums, Gr Gages, 2's.	1 85 2 00
" Lombard.	1 50 1 60
" Damson Blue.	1 50 1 60
Pumpkins, 3's.	0 90 1 00
gallons.	2 10 2 25
Raspberries, 2's.	1 75 1 85
Strawberries, choice 2's.	1 90 2 10
Succotash, 2's.	1 40
Tomatoes, 3's.	0 85 0 90
"Thistle" Finnan haddies	1 40 1 50
Lobster, Clover Leaf, flat.	2 75
" Star (tall).	2 25
" (flat).	2 45
" Impr'l Crown flat.	2 60
" tall.	1 90 2 00
Mackerel.	1 00 1 10
Salmon, talls.	1 25 1 35
" flats.	1 50 1 60
Sardines Albert, 1/2 tins.	13
" 1/4's.	20
Sportsmen, 1/2 genu.	12 1/2
ine French high grade, key	12 1/2
opener.	10 1/2
Sardines, key opener, 1/2.	11 1/2
" Exq. fine Fr'ch, k.op. 1/2.	11 1/2
" 1/2's.	10 1/2
" 1/4's.	9 1/2
" Other brands, 3/4.	11 1/2
" P & C, 1/2's tins.	23 25
" 1/4's.	33 36
Sardines Amer. 1/2's.	6 1/2
" 1/4's.	9 11
" Mustard, 1/2 size, cases	50 tins, per 100 11 00

CANNED MEATS.

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

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

CHEWING GUM.

ADAMS & SONS CO.	
To Retailers	
Tutti Frutti, 36 5c bars.	\$1 20
Pepsin Tutti Frutti, 235c. packets	0 75
Nerve Food Tablet, 36-5c. bars	1 20
Orange Blossom, 150 pieces	1 00
(each box contains a bottle of high class perfume. Guaranteed first class)	
Flirtation Gum (115 pieces)	0 65
Monte Cristo, 180 pieces	1 30
(with brilliant stone ring)	
Mexican Fruit, 36 5c. bars	1 20
Sappota, 150 pieces	0 90
Sweet Fern, 230 "	0 75
Black Jack, 115 "	0 75
Red Rose, 115 pieces	0 75
Magic Trick, 115 "	0 75
Oolah, 115 "	0 75
Puzzle Gum, 115 pieces	0 75
Bo-Key, 150 "	0 90
Red Spruce Chico 200 "	1 00
Automatic	6 00
Tutti Frutti Girl	800 pieces.
Sign Box (new)	6 00
Tutti Frutti cash box 500 "	6 00
Glass Jar with Pepsin Tutti Frutti, 115-5c. pkgs, per jar	3 75

C. R. SOMERVILLE.

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

CHOCOLATES & COCOAS.

CADSBURY'S.	
Cocoa essence, 3 oz. pkgs	Per doz \$1 65
per lb	
Mexican chocolate, 1/2 lb pkgs	0 40
Rock chocolate, loose	0 37 1/2
" " " "	0 40
Cocoa nibs, 11 lb. tins.	0 30

TAYLOR BROS.' CHOCOLATE & CHICORY

Per lb	
Soluble chocolate, 1/2 lb packets	0 30
Granulated chicory	0 10
Powdered	10 1/2 to 11

TODHUNTER, MITCHELL & CO'S

Chocolate— Per lb	
French, 1/2's... 6 and 12 lbs.	0 30
Caraccas, 1/2's... 6 and 12 lbs.	0 35
Premium, 1/2's... 6 and 12 lbs.	0 30
Sante, 1/2's, 6 and 12 lbs.	0 26
Diamond, 1/2's, 6 and 12 lbs.	0 22
Sticks, gross boxes, each	0 00
Cocoa, Homopatic, 1/2's, 8 & 14 lbs	30
" Pearl	25
" London Pearl 12 & 18 "	22
" Rock "	30
" Bulk, in bxs	18
Per doz	
Royal Cocoa Essence, packages	1 40

EPF'S.

per lb	
Cocoa—	
Case of 112 lbs each	0 35
Smaller quantities	0 37 1/2

FRY'S

(A. P. Tippet & Co., Agents)	
Chocolate— per lb	
Carracas, 1/2's, 6 lb. boxes	0 40
Vanilla, 1/2's.	0 40
" Gold Medal " Sweet, 6 lb bxs.	0 30
Pure, unsweetened, 1/2's, 6 lb bxs.	0 40
Fry's " Diamond 1/2's, 6 lb bxs.	0 36
" Fry's " Monogram, 1/2's, 6 lb bxs.	0 26
per doz	
Cocoa—	
Concentrated, 1/2's, 1 doz in box	2 40
" 1/2's, " " "	4 50
" 1 lbs. " " "	8 75
Homopathic, 1/2's, 14 lb boxes	0 34
" 1/2 lbs, 12 lb boxes	0 34

JOHN P. MOTT & CO'S

E. S. McIndoe, Agent, Toronto.)	
Mott's Broma	per lb \$0 30
Mott's Prepared Cocoa	28
Mott's Homopatic Cocoa (1/2)	32
Mott's Breakf. Cocoa (in tins)	45
Mott's No. 1 Chocolate	30
Mott's Breakfast Chocolate	28
Mott's Caraccas Chocolate	40
Mott's Diamond Chocolate	28
Mott's French-Can Chocolate	18
Mott's Navy or Cooking Choc	27
Mott's Cocoa Nibs	35
Mott's Cocoa Shells	5
Vanilla sticks, per gross	90
Mott's Confec Chocolate	31c-43
Mott's Sweet Choc. Liquors	19c-30

WALTER BAKER & CO'S

Chocolate—	
Premium No. 1, bxs 12 lbs each	45
Baker's Vanilla in bxs 12 lbs each	60
Caraccas Sweet bxs 6 lbs each	40
Best Sweet in bxs, 6 lbs. each	38
Vanilla Tablets, 416 in box, 24 bxs in case, per box, net	4 28
German Sweet Chocolate	4 28
Grocers' Style, in bxs 12 lbs each	28

Grocers' Style, in boxes 6 lbs each		28
8 Cakes to the lb., in bxs, 6 lbs ea.		28
Soluble Chocolate—		
In canisters, 1 lb., 4lb., and 10 lb.	55	
Breakfast Cocoa—		
10 bxs 6 & 12 lbs., each, 1/2 lb., tins	52	

MENIER FABRICANT DE CHODOLAT.

Paris et Noisiel.	
Per 120 lb. Per 12 lb.	
case lot.	box.
per lb.	per lb.
Yellow wrapper	\$0 34 \$0 36
Chamois	0 43 0 48
Pink	0 50 0 56
Blue	0 58 0 66
Green	0 50 0 56
Lilac	0 58 0 66
Bronze	0 65 0 74
White Glace	0 73 0 83
Premium	0 38 0 42

Fancy Chocolates.

Fingers—	
20 in a box ... per box	\$0 36 \$0 40
40 " " " " " "	
Pastilles—	
Yellow wrapper per lb	\$0 40 \$0 45
Pink " " " "	0 55 0 60
Green " " " "	
Each case contains 54 1 lb packages or 108 1/2 lb packages.	

CLOTHES PINS.

5 gross, single & 10bx lots	0 60 0 65
Star, 4 doz. in package	0 85
" " " "	1 25
" " " "	1 85
" " " "	0 90

COFFEE.

GREEN c. per lb.	
Mocha	28 33
Old Government Java	25 35
" " " "	25 35
Rio	21 22
Platation Ceylon	29 31
Porto Rico	24 26
Guatemala	24 26
Jamaica	22 20
Maracaibo	24 24
Carafoma, 1 & 2 lb. tins asstd.	33

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Excelsior Blend.		34
Our Own		32
Jersey		30
Laguayra		20
Mocha and Java		35
Old Government Java		30 32 36
Arabian Mocha		35
Maracaibo		30
Santos		27 28

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS

Alum	lb \$0 03 \$0 03
Blue Vitriol	0 06 0 07
Brimstone	0 03 0 03 1/2
Borax	0 19 0 14
Camphor	0 65 0 70
Carbolic Acid	0 30 0 50
Castor Oil	0 07 1/2 0 08
Cream Tartar	0 25 0 28
Epsom Salts	0 02 1/2 0 02 1/2

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Sal Soda ..
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ST. LAWRENCE

Corn Starch

Increases in Sales DAILY
WORTHILY

Prices current, continued—

SYRUPS AND MOLASSES.

SYRUPS.	Per gallon	bbls. 1/2 bbls
Dark.....	35 80	30 35
Medium.....	35 43	50 00
Bright.....	50 00	40
Very Bright.....	1 25	2 gal. pails
Redpath's Honey.....	1 25	3 " "
" " " " "	1 50	" " " "



AMMONIA SOAP
72 bars per box
1 box...\$3 00
5 " " 2 85
10 " " 2 75
25 " " 2 65

MOLASSES.

	Per gal
Trinidad, in puncheons....	0 32 0 35
" " bbls.....	0 36 0 37
" " 1/2 bbls.....	0 40 0 40
New Orleans, in bbls.....	0 30 0 32
Porto Rico, hdds.....	0 38 0 40
" " barrels.....	0 42 0 44
" " 1/2 barrels.....	0 44 0 46



1 Box Lot 5 00
5 Box Lot 4 90
10 Box Lot 4 90
Freight prepaid on 5 Box lots.

SOAP.

Ivory Bar, 1 lb. bars.....	per lb 6
Do. 2, 6-16 and 3 lb bars	5 1/2
Primrose, 12 oz. cake, per doz.	8
Sterling (100 cakes).....	4 85

MORSE'S MOTTLED

	Per box—in 5 box lots
100 bars.....	\$5 95
69 bars.....	3 25



SUNLIGHT SOAP.
1 Case..... 3 30
5 Case lots..... 3 20
Freight prepaid on 5 cases.



Eclipse, 3 lbs..... 3 30

	Per box
Everyday, 12 oz.....	\$4 50
Morse's Best, 12 oz.....	4 50
Queen City, 14 oz.....	3 60
Detroit, 12 oz.....	2 40
Empire, 12 oz.....	2 40
Ruby, 10 oz.....	2 10
Monster, 8 oz.....	1 50

	Per doz.
Sweet Briar.....	0 85
Extra Perfume.....	0 55
Old Brown Windsor Squares	0 30
White Castile Bars.....	0 75
White Oatmeal.....	0 75
Persian Bouquet, paper.....	2 50
Carnation.....	0 60
Rose Bouquet.....	0 60
Oriental, per gross.....	5 00
Ocean Bouquet.....	0 45
Barber's Bar, per lb.....	0 25
Pure Bath.....	1 00
Oatmeal.....	0 85
Unscented Glycerine.....	0 90
Grey Oatmeal.....	0 60
Plain Honey, Glycer., Windsor	0 75
Morse's Toilet Balls.....	3 90
Turkish Bath.....	0 60
Infants' Delight.....	1 20
Home Comfort.....	0 85
33% Glycerine.....	1 25
Floral Bouquet.....	0 50
Stanley.....	1 00
Heliotope, wrapped, 1/2 doz.....	1 50
" " in gross lots.....	15 00

Congou—	BLACK.
Half Chests Kaisow, Mon-	
ing, Pakling.....	12 60
Caddies, Pakling, Kaisow...	18 50
	INDIAN.
Darjeelings.....	35 55
Assam Pekoes.....	20 40
Pekoe Souchong.....	18 30
	CEYLON.
Broken Pekoes.....	35 42
Pekoes.....	20 40
Pekoe Souchong.....	17 35

TOBACCO AND CIGARS

British Consols, 4's; Twin Gold	
Bar, 8's.....	59c
Ingots, rough and ready, 8's.....	57
Laurel, 3's.....	49
Brier, 7's.....	47
Index, 7's.....	44
Honeysuckle, 8's.....	56
Napoleon, 8's.....	50
Victoria, 12's.....	47
Brunette, 12's.....	44
Prince of Wales, in caddies.....	48
" " in 40 lb boxes.....	48
Bright Smoking Plug Myrtle, T &	
R, 3's.....	60
Lily, 7's.....	47
Diamond Solace, 12's.....	50
Mvrtle Cut Smoking, 1 lb tins.....	70
1 lb pg, 5 lb boxes.....	70
oz pg, 5 lb boxes.....	70

MCALPIN TOBACCO CO.

White Barley Chewing—	
Duty paid per lb	
Beaver, 12 oz., smooth, 3x12, 5c	
and 10c cuts, 12 lb butts.....	61c.
Do, 8 oz., R & R 2x12, 5 and 10c	
cuts, 12 lb butts.....	61
Do, 16 oz., R & R, 10c cuts, 2x12,	
18 lb butts.....	61
Jubilee, 7 1/2 to lb, chocolate, 15 lb	
butts.....	58
Prince George, 8s 21 lb caddies.....	47
Tecumseh, 9 to lb (fancy chew'g)	
Extra Black Chewing—	65
Gold Shield, 16 oz., 7 to lb, 20 lb	
butts.....	47
Black Chewing—	
Standard, 3rds, 4ths, 7s and 12s,	
20 lb. pkgs.....	45
Plug Smoking—	
Woodcock, 18 lb caddies, 7s.....	50
3rds.....	50
Sunny South, 6s and 7s, 18 lb	
caddies.....	46
Solid Comfort, 6s, 18 lb butts.....	44
Special, 7s, extra value, 18 lb	
caddies.....	44
Cut Tobaccos, Smoking—	
Silver Ash, 1-9ths, 5 lb boxes.....	62
Puck, mixture, 1-9ths, 5 lb boxes	
70.....	70
Cut Cavendish, 1-9ths, 5 lb boxes	
65.....	65
Fine Cut Chewing—	
Standard Kentucky, bright, 5 lb	
pails.....	80
Apricot, dark sweet, 5 lb pails.....	65
Terms, 30 days, less 2 per cent.	

CIGARS—S. DAVIS & SONS Montreal.

Sizes	Per M
Madre E' Hijo, Lord Lansdowne	\$60 00
" " Panetelas.....	60 00
" " Bouquet.....	60 00
" " Perfectos.....	85 00
" " Longfellow.....	85 00
" " Reina Victoria.....	80 00
" " Pius.....	55 00
El Padre, Reina Victoria.....	55 00
" " Reina Vict., Especial.....	50 00
" " Conchas de Regalia.....	50 00
" " Bouquet.....	55 00
" " Pius.....	50 00
" " Longfellow.....	60 00
" " Perfectos.....	60 00

Mungo, Nine.....	35 00
Cable, Conchas.....	30 00
Queens.....	29 00
Cigarettes, all Tobacco—	
Cable.....	7 00
El Padre.....	1 00
Mauricio.....	15 00

DOMINION CUT TOBACCO WORKS, MONTREAL.

CIGARETTES.	Per M
Athlete.....	\$7 50
Puritan.....	6 25
Sultana.....	5 75
Derby.....	4 25
B. C. No. 1.....	4 00
Sweet Sixteen.....	3 75
The Holder.....	3 85
Hyde Park.....	10 50

CUT TOBACCOS. per lb

Puritan, tenths, 5 lb. boxes.....	75
Old Chum, ninths, 5 lb box.....	70
Old Virgin, 1-10 lb pkg, 10 lb bx	
6 1/2.....	6 1/2
Gold Block, ninths, 5 lb boxes.....	7 3/4

CIGARETTE TOBACCO.

B. C. N. 1, 1-10, 5 lb boxes.....	83
Puritan, 1-10, 5 lb boxes.....	83
Athlete, per lb.....	1 15

PLUG TOBACCO'S.

Old Chum, plug 4s. Solace 16 lbs.	68
" " " " " 16	68
" " " " " 16 1/2	68
" " " " " 14 1/2	58
" " " " " 14 1/2	58
" " " " " 15	58
" " " " " 15	58
O. V. - plug 3s. Twist 16	68
O. V. - " " 3s. Solace 17 1/2	58
O. V. - " " 7s. " 17	55 1/2
Derby, - " 12s. " 17 1/2	51
Derby, - " 7s. " 17	51
Athlete, - " 5s. Twist 9	74

WOODENWARE. per doz

Pails, 2 hoop, clear.....No. 1..	\$1 70
" " " " " " " " " " " " "	1 90
Pails, 2 hoops, clear.....No. 2..	1 60
" " " " " " " " " " " " "	1 80
" " " " " " " " " " " " "	1 80
Tubs, No. 0.....	9 50
" " " " " " " " " " " " "	8 00
" " " " " " " " " " " " "	7 00
" " " " " " " " " " " " "	6 00
Washboards, Globe.....	\$1 90
" " " " " " " " " " " " "	2 00
" " " " " " " " " " " " "	1 40
" " " " " " " " " " " " "	2 35
" " " " " " " " " " " " "	1 70
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" " " " " " " " " " " " "	1 80
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" " " " " " " " " " " " "	1 30
Matches, 5 case lots, single case	
Parlor.....	1 70
Telephone.....	3 30
Telegraph.....	3 70
Safety.....	4 00
French.....	3 10
Steamship (10 gro. in case)	
Single case and under 5 ca.	3 10
5 cases, freight allowed.....	3 10
Mops and Handles, comb per doz	
Butter tubs.....	1 25
Butter Bowls, crates asst'd	\$1 60 \$3 60
Butter Bowls, crates asst'd	3 60

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Phoenix Coffee and Spice Mills, Toronto

THE ST. LAWRENCE SUGAR REFINING CO'S
 GRANULATED,
 YELLOWS
 and SYRUPS
 ARE PURE.

NO BLUEING Material whatsoever is used in the
 Manufacture of **OUR GRANULATED**

THE CANADA SUGAR REFINING CO'Y [LIMITED],
 MONTREAL.

MANUFACTURERS OF REFINED SUGARS OF THE WELL-KNOWN BRAND

Redpath

Of the Highest Quality and Purity, made by the Latest Processes, and the newest
 and Best Machinery, not Surpassed Anywhere.

Lump Sugar, in 50 and 100 lb. boxes.
"Crown" Granulated, Special Brand, the finest which can be made
Extra Granulated, very Superior Quality.
"Cream" Sugars, (not dried.)
Yellow Sugars of all Grades and Standards.
Syrups of all Grades in Barrels and Half Barrels.
Sole Makers of high class Syrups in tins, 2 lb. and 8 lb. each.

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 Phoenix Coffee and Spice Mills, Toronto

OILS

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TORONTO

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Having largely increased their capacity. We advise all dealers to see their price list before placing their orders for Jams, Jellies, Canned Fruits, and Canned Vegetables.
Besides their regular brands of Ground Coffee, now so favorably known, they quote:
Blend No. 1 at 50c., either ground or whole roasted
" 2 at 45c.
" 3 at 40c.
Their Flavoring Extracts are of the choicest quality.

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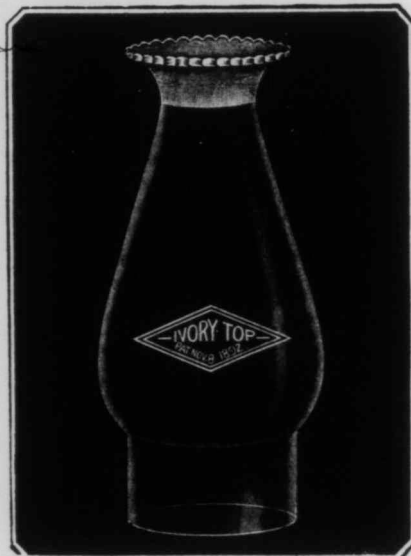
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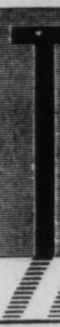
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