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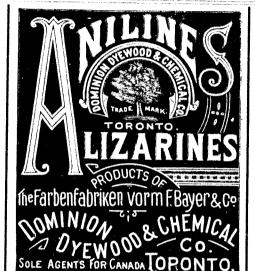
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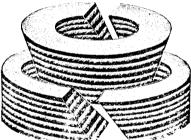
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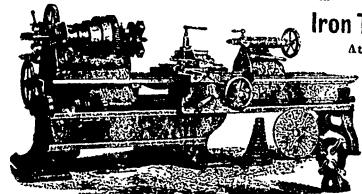
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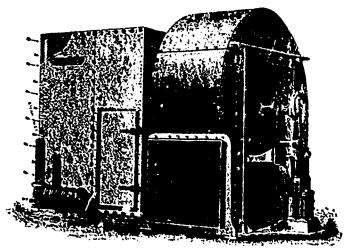
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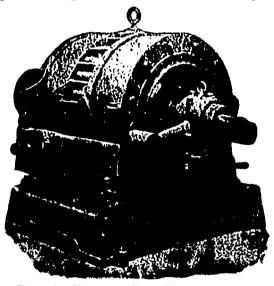
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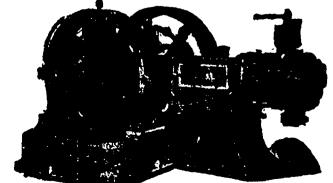
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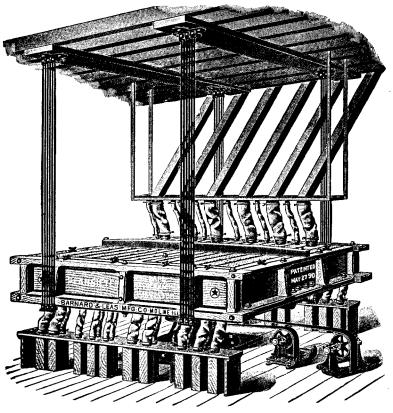


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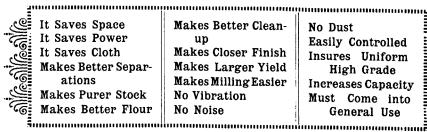
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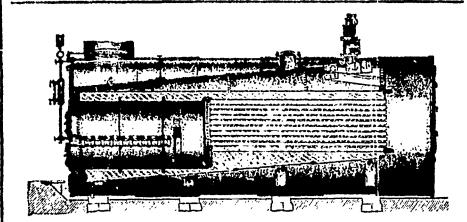
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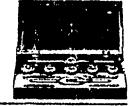


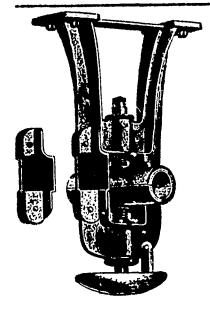




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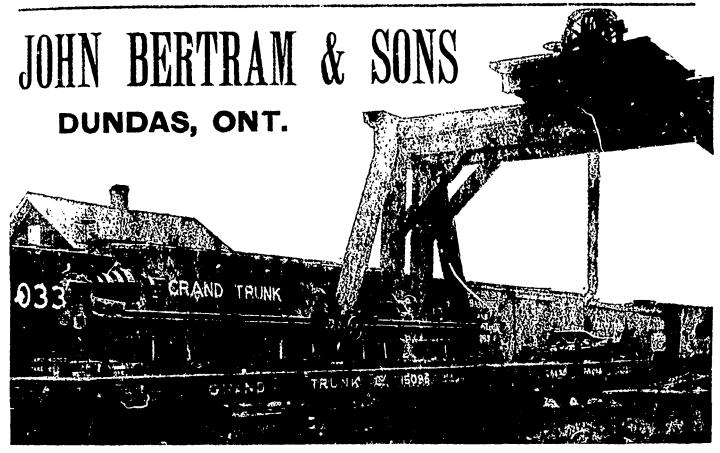
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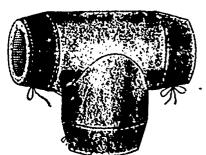
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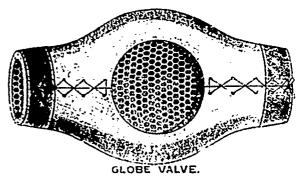
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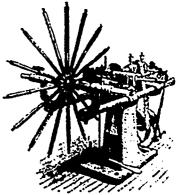
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OUR TARIFF EDITION

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In a future issue we will have pleasure in reproducing many more of the kind expressions of our friends regarding our Tariff Edition.

SMASHING CANADIAN INDUSTRIES.

A few months ago The Montreal Herald, urging the importance of the Canadian consumer using, as far as possible, home made goods in preference to those of foreign production, said:—

The situation aprly illustrates the distinction between the policies of the Liberal and Conservative parties. It is all the difference between "may" and "must." It has been the object of the Conservative party in the past, through its policy of high protection, to force the consumer to patronize the home manufacturer, whether he would or not, and whether the goods were good or had. The result has naturally been

the establishment of a false basis of trade, with all its accompanying evils of ephemeral enterprises, periodical over-production, and continuous customs frauds. The policy of "must" has proved a failure, and has brought its own reward. The idea that it was the intention of the Liberal party to smash Canadian industries as soon as they had a chance has been exploded, if it was ever seriously entertained. On the other hand, it appears to be the desire of the Liberal Government to foster every industry that can be carried on without injustice to the remainder of the community. It should be the endeavor of every Canadian to second their efforts in that direction. There is no discredit to the words "home-made;" they sound far better than the "made in Germany" which shows up so often. Canadian goods have already, in many lines, made the influence of their quality felt in open competition with those of other countries. It now remains with Canadians themselves to show, by their patronage, their faith in the skill and labor of their own country.

In the light of events that have transpired since the foregoing was written, our esteemed contemporary should explain. It tells us that it never was the intention of the Liberal party to smash Canadian industries, but it is observable that as soon as that party came into power, under a plea that it was giving preferential tariff advantages to Great Britain by a twentyfive per cent. remission of duties on merchandise coming from that country, it opened the door to the same preference to merchandise coming from more than twenty other countries with which Great Britain had "favored nation" treaties. The general reduction of duties effected in the new tariff was a heavy blow to the manufacturing industries of Canada; and this was greatly aggravated by the so-called preference to British products. Conceding something to Great Britain through patriotic or sympathetic motives, and the blow to the manufacturers was severe enough in all conscience; but when that patriotic blanket is required to be stretched so as to cover nearly the whole world, it is resolved with a mass of shreds and tatters ridiculous to behold.

It may be that The Herald believed that it was speaking truthfully both for itself and for its party when it asserted that it never was the intention of that party to "smash" Canadian industries; but events show that the Government, put in power by that party, either knew that it intended to engage very vigorously in the smashing business, or the conviction is irresistable that they were unable to measure the results to flow inevitably from the laws they were enacting. If the Government, consisting of the wisest and greatest statesmen of the Liberal party, made a law which, as they and The Herald declared was not intended to injure the manufacturers, and was to apply to Great Britain only; and if, as has been proved, that this law applies to nearly every nation on earth; and if, as has been proved, that no special preference has been shown to Great Britain, although that supposed preference was the sugar that coated the pill that the manufacturers and the Canadian people generally were obliged to swallow, the conclusion is obvious that the Government either were not wise enough to comprehend what the effects of the law would be that they were passing; or that it was their deliberate intention to lull the people into a feeling of security, the awakening from which would find them bound hand and foot and being led captive at the tail of a free trade chariot.

Ignorance is to be deplored, and all the more when displayed by those who rule over us, and is not an evidence of fitness for office. Duplicity is infinitely worse. Excuses may be made for those who are ignorant, but none whatever for the dishonest.

FAITH IN CANADIAN SKILL AND LABOR.

It is the desire of the Liberal Government to foster every manufacturing industry that can be carried on without injustice to the remainder of the community. It should be the endeavor of every Canadian to second their efforts in that direction. It remains with Canadians themselves to show by their patronage, their faith in the skill and labor of their own country.—Montreal Herald.

The method adopted by the Liberal Government to foster the manufacturing industries of Canada was, first, to greatly reduce the duties upon such articles as Canadian manufacturers produce; second, by enacting a law by which merchandise produced in Great Britain should come in at a reduction of twenty-five per cent. from this reduced duty; third, that the merchandise of more than twenty other countries besides Great Britain should be allowed to come in at this greatly reduced, or so-called preferential duty. That's the way the Liberal Government of Canada shows its desire to foster Canadian manufacturing industries.

And this, too, we suppose is the method of fostering so that there be no injustice done to the remainder of the community. The manufacturer, as a unit, is a very large and important integer of the Canadian community, and considering the way in which this importance is magnified by the army of employees and of those dependent upon them, it will be found that, by the law of interdependence, the welfare of the whole community must be affected either for good or bad by anything that affects the manufacturer and his employees. If the laws of the country favorably affect the manufacturer they also favorably affect the whole community; if the laws antagonize the interests of the manufacturer, by the same token they injuriously affect the masses of the people.

We are told, too, that it should be the endeavor of every Canadian to second the efforts of the Government in their desire to foster our manufacturing industries. To this proposition we would most heartil, agree if it could be shown that the Government were using any endeavors whatever in this direction, if it could be shown that the endeavors that they have already put forth were not calculated, if not intended, to utterly destroy the manufacturing industries of Canada, or to so emasculate them as to render them of but little value. It is not a good way to support an enterprise by removing all support from it.

It is superfluous for The Herald to tell us that it remains with Canadians themselves to show by their patronage their faith in the skill and labor of their own country. The people of Canada have been showing this faith for the past eighteen or twenty years, and would be showing it to-day in a most practical manner had it not been for a side wind that placed the Liberal party in power. Without doubt the people of Canada are now as much attached to the theory of tariff protection as they were when Sir John Macdonald first swept the country with his invincible National Policy. The Liberal party did not accede to power upon any demand of the people for an abandonment of protection, an evidence of which was shown when Sir Wilfrid Laurier assured the manufacturers of Brantford that if elected he would see to it that their interests would not suffer. And yet we see this same Sir Wilfrid returning from abroad happy in the possession of a Cobden Club medal. The prosperity that has so generally attended Canadian manufacturing industries is an evidence that the Canadian people had, and still have, the utmost faith in the skill and labor of their own country.

BIR WILFRID LAURIERS BRANTFORD PROMISE.

On the second day of February last a great political denonstration occurred at Brantford, Ont., held in the interest of Mr. C. B. Heyd who was then aspiring to election as Member of Parliament for the riding of South Brant. The meeting was addressed by Hon. Mr. Laurier, Hon. A. S. Hardy, Premier of Ontario; Hon. Wm. Patterson, Controller of Customs, and others. Mr. Hardy, in his speech, said that Ontario was in love with Mr. Laurier, and looked upon him as the ideal of what a Canadian statesmen should be.

Mr. Laurier at the very beginning of his speech went into a discussion of the trade policy of the Liberal party during which he made the following declaration:—

One thing is clear to me, though a protective tariff in my continuation is never conducive to the welfare of the people at large, I am aware that under a protective tariff industries have been built up in which capital has been invested, and if you are to proceed hastily and without due regard it will be possible by a struke of the pen to wipe out millions of dollars invested in these industries. It will be possible to do that: so that a man who retires to had well off at night, may awake and find himself a pauper. We do not want to do anything of the kind, and that is the remon why we are obtaining information, so that when the day comes when we shall have to give to the communers of the country that measure of relief to which they are entitled, and which we have promised to them, we shall do no without injury in any way to established industries. That is what we want to do, and though Mr. Foster may smoor at and taunt us, I ask him if he thinks he could revise the tariff in any other way than this.

How Mr. Laurier's policy, and the tariff that eventuated from it, has departed from the lines iaid down in this brantford speech, the history of the events that have occurred since then quite fully records. As the Premier truly said, under the National Policy that had prevailed in Canada for eighteen years, millions of capital was invested in manufacturing industries that any hasty or ill-considered legislation might, by a struke of a pen, wipe out of existence, so that a man who retired to bed well off at night might awake in the morning to find himself a pauper; and that surt of legislation, he said, he and his Government would be careful not to enact.

Hat things have changed since this Brantford declaration. What he then asked for, and what his oratorical companions asked in his behalf, was the confidence of the people that in the formation of the tariff that was then being prepared, whatever shape it might assume, it would contain no feature injurious in any way to the established industries of the country. The country, then, had good reason to suppose that this promise would be lived up to.

At the following session of Parliament the tariff was perfected and presented to the gaze of an admiring world. In it was an abandonment, as far as possible, of specific dutien that truest and best safeguard against undervaluation and freed upon the revenue. In it, as far as possible, every feature of pretection to Canadian manufacturing industries was abandoned. In it was a special provise by which a reduction of twenty-five per cent. was to be made in duties on British merchandise. This latter feature, we were told, was to be made from purely patriotic motives—a discrimination in favor of the Mether Country, to be participated in by no other nation. It is difficult to see how this twenty-five per cent. discrimination, even if made in favor of Great Britain alone, could have any other than an injurious effect upon

Canadian manufacturing industries, but it was in the nature of a conting of sugar to render it palatable to the people.

Did Mr. Laurier and his Government really know what they were doing when they introduced this discriminatory clause in the tariff! If they knew they were false to the Brantford promise, and to scores of similar promises made in other places. If they did not know what they were doing they should never have been entrusted with the reins of Government. When submitted to the crucial test of the Home Government it was discovered that because Great Britain was in treaty with Belgium and Germany, in all British possessions the same tariff duties applying to British merchandise should also apply to Belgian and German mer chandise; and that Canada must of necessity admit both Belgium and Germany to the benefits of the preferencia, clause of our tariff. The Brantford promise to the contrary notwithstanding, the Government was forced to admit the merchandise of these foreign countries at the very same rates of duty accorded to Great Britain.

This was a laid realization of a sacrodly made promise, but upon further investigation it is discovered that not only liebgium and Germany, but every other nation with whom Great Britain has treaties which include what is known as the "favored nations" clause, Canada must concede the same tariff favors that are extended to Great Britain. These foreign countries are:—

Madagament. Algeria. Morocco. Argentina. Muscat. Austria-Hungary. Persia. Halgium. Russia Holivia. Salvador. Chili. Spain. Colombia. Switzerland. Cores. South African Republic. Costa Rica. Sweden-Norway. Denmark.

Dominica. Tonga.
France. Tunis,
Germany. Uruguay.
Liberia. Vencesels.

So that the so-called preferential tariff that Mr. Laurier told us was to apply to Great Britain only, and that on patriotic and sentimental grounds, must, of necessity, apply to some twenty-eight other nationalities.

And this is the way the Brantford promise is kept.

HOW OUR TARIFF DISCRIMINATES.

A few days ago the Government at Ottawa passed an Order-in-Council giving the so-called "British preference" in our tariff to the following countries:—

Argentina.

Austria.

Russia.

Russia.

Persia.

Colombia.

Chili.

Denmark.

This preference, we were told when it was being placed in the tariff, was to apply to Great Britain only.

Then it was extended to Belgium and Germany.

Then it was accorded to France and Algeria.

Then it was made to include the dozen countries above enumerated.

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And there are more to come, which will include almost every nation on the face of the globe.

The British flag waves over many other countries than Great Britain, and it might reasonably be supposed that, if Canadian tariff favors of a preferential character were to be bestowed upon every foreign country, they should also be conferred upon all British countries and possessions, but, strange to say, nothing of the kind is done, with the exception of New South Wales, that practices free trade. All British possessions, as below enumerated are liable to pay the higher rates of duty upon their imports brought into Canada; and thus we see that our tariff discriminates against some thirty-seven British countries and in favor of some twenty-eight foreign countries.

The British countries against which our tariff discriminates are:-

Ascension. Haliamas. Bermudas. Basutoland British Bechuanaland. British Honduras. British Grinum. British New Guines. Cape of Good Hope. Ceylon. Cyprus. Falkland Islands. Fiji. Gambia. Gibraltar. Gold Coast. Hong Kong. India.

Jamaica. Leeward Islands. LARON. Mauritius. Malia. Newfoundland. Natal. New Zealand. Nige: Protectorate. Queensland. South Australia. Straits Settlements. Sierra Leone. Tasmania. Victoria. Western Australia. Windward Islands. Zululand.

A notable feature of the so-called British discrimination in our tariff is that the imports from these favored foreign countries into Canada must, to enjoy the discrimination, he brought directly from the country of production; but if they should come by way of Great Britain, in British ships, the preference is not given.

Great Britain does most of the carrying trade of the world. A French ship may lead with French merchandise at a French port, and when bringing her cargo to Canada will enjoy the favors of our preferential tariff; but when a British ship takes the French merchandise first to a British port and transfers it to another British ship, the cargo pays the full rates of duty, no preference whatever being allowed; and that is how our British preference tariff discriminates against British ships and British trade.

A contemporary sizes up the situation as follows :--

Some of these discriminations are ridiculous. For example, Newfoundland takes a good deal of our produce—flour, potatoes, cattle, and so on; but Norway and Sweden take nothing, and, as a matter of fact, come into serious competition with us on the British market. Our Government lays a discriminatory duty upon Newfoundland products, and gives Norway and Sweden a preference. France is carrying on a war against Newfoundland fish in the interests of St. Pierre and Miquelon. We discriminate against Newfoundland and give St. Pierre and Miquelon, as colonies of France, better terms than we accord to our fellow-subjects. Newfoundland is already agitating for the ratification of the Bond-Blaine tenty, which gives the United States a tariff preference over us in the markets of that colony. This is not a matter for surprise under the circumstances.

that made the anti-British demonstrations on the boundary question and nearly precipitated a war between Great Britain and the United States, gets a tariff preference from us; but British Guiana, next door, has to pay the high duties. Own Paul, in the Transvaal, is also entitled to a preference if he sends us anything, but Natal and the Cape Colony have to pay the high rates. We will it seems, take anything 4 gentina has to sell at the lower duties; but when it co. is to the Australian colonies we promptly discriminate. A numbor of the British possessions are sugar-producing countries the West Indies, for instance. Mr. Fielding has taken good eare that they shall not come in on reciprocal terms under any circumstances; for his tariff declare, that there shall be no low or reciprocal rate for sugar. We decline to take British sugar at a lower figure than the sugar of the Spanish colonies. As a matter of fact, we give Spain and her colonies a tariff preference on everything but augar, as, for example, fruits, but the same articles coming from British possessions must pay the heavier duty. It will be observed that our discriminations take the form of low duties to foreign countries that will send in manufactured articles to compete with and to injure our industries, and of high duties to British countries which export natural products such as we do not grow, and which, but for these high duties, would send us their products and take from us ours in exchange. It is a dreadful tangle. True, it will only last for a year; but when the year is up a new set of complications will arise. As one batch of foreign countries drops off the low tariff list another batch will come on, and the British section will remain out as before.

TARIFF PROTECTION NECESSARY.

Speaking of the lumber business The Montreal Herald says: "Or shall we treat the example of the United States as unworthy of imitation, recognizing that it is the outcome of a nellish, narrow and dangerous spirit—indicative of a demoralization of public opinion and of a lowering of national dignity?" Never mind the United States or the example of that country. Common business sense teaches that when one has a good thing he should keep it and make the best of it.— Hamilton Spectator.

This we take to mean that The Spectator thinks it is common business sense for Canada to put an export duty on her wheat in order that it may be ground into flour in this country, her wool so that it may be spun and woven in this country, her ore that it may be smelted, her fish that they may be cured, her barley that it may be malted. If not, why not; where's the difference!—Montreal Herald.

The Herald fails to catch on. The reason why The Spectator advocates placing an export duty on round logs in that the only country to which Canada can conveniently export round logs—the United States—is deficient in that article and can obtain it from no other source as well as from Canada, while, at the same time, that country imposes a heavy duty upon lumber manufactured from logs. This is done, first, to prevent the free competition of Canadian with American lumber in the markets of that country, and, second, to make Canadian lumber contribute to the revenue of the United States.

The case is very different as regards the other articles The Heraid alludes to. While it might be desirable to have all the wheat grown in Canada manufactured into flour here at home, Canada does not enjoy a monopoly in wheat growing, and, therefore, cannot command the situation as in the case of saw logs; and as regards wool the situation is entirely similar. But Canada does enjoy a virtual monopoly of the production of nickel, and, therefore, it is entirely femilie for

us to impose an export duty upon nickel ore and matte with a view to forcing the refining of the article here at home-Every important nation of the world is a large consumer of Canadian nickel, especially for the manufacture of armor plates for war vessels; and the United States is a very large consumer for that purpose. That country admits Canadian nickel ore and matte free of duty, but imposes a heavy duty upon the refined article; and this is done to build up the nickel refining industry in that country. As with saw logs so it is with crude nickel. The United States requires large quantities of both these articles, and is very deficient in the production of them. And while our neighbors are compelled to depend so largely upon Canada for their supplies they will not allow Canada to send to them either of these articles in a finished condition except upon the payment of almost prohibitive duties. They desire to make Canada bear a relation to the United States precisely similar to that borne by the Children of Israel to the Egyptians in the olden days-simply hewers of logs and diggers of ores, for the aggrandisement of their country and the humilation of ours.

The theory of The Herald is that if our Michigan neighbors prefer to purchase our saw logs to cut into lumber in their own mills, why let them have them, even if Canadian mills are idle; that if the United States prefer to have the nickel for the armor plates of their war ships refined in that country in preference to purchasing the article refined in Canada, why let it so be. These arrangements would not be so objectionable were it not that that country goes as far as it can to exclude Canadian lumber and refined nickel from its market, the products of a country upon which they are so entirely dependent for these articles.

Heavy export duties should be imposed upon saw logs and nickel ore and matte, and pulp wood also, when going to any country that imposes heavy duties upon Canadian lumber, Canadian refined nickel and Canadian wood pulp.

The Herald's theory of give away and take nothing is not adapted to the necessities of Canada. It is the observing of this theory that has prevented the materializing in Canada of vast enterprizes such as steel works, rail mills and nickel and gold refineries; and this country can never attain to the industrial independence that should characterise it until the obsolete free trade policy is entirely abandoned and tariff protion to manufacturing industries carried out to its fullest extent.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

An important decision has been rendered by the Department of Justice as to the scope of the provision in the new tariff law placing a discriminating duty of ten per cent. upon certain merchandise transported in other than American vessels. The decision was requested by the Secretary of the Treasury, who asked whether a discriminating duty of ten per cent. should be levied under section twenty-two on diamonds the product of a foreign country not contiguous to the United States and imported from Canada, and whether, in determining the liability of the diamonds to the discriminating duty it was material to ascertain the mode of conveyance used in transporting them into the United States. The Attorney General has answered the first question in the affirmative and the second in the negative. In reference to the second question the Attorney General said that in deter-

mining whether the goods under consideration were subject to the discriminating duty it was not material to ascertain the mode of transportation or method of importation, but that it was sufficient to know that they "come into" the United States from a contiguous country, and are within a class subject to duty, being the production or manufacture of a foreign country not contiguous to the United States and not being imported in the usual course of strictly retail trade.—Bradstreets

Canada has begun to take means to enforce the alien labor laws against Americans. Commissioner McCreary this week informed the Canadian Pacific authorities that any American laborers engaged for railroad work would be deported to their own country again. The Commissioner has instructions from the Canadian Government to strictly enforce the new law. This is exactly what might have been expected from the paltry and ill-advised measures taken at some of the lake ports, and it is quite within the bounds of possibility that the next step the Dominion authorities will take is to debar American sailors from shipping on any of their vessels where or when Canadians are obtainable.—Marine Record.

An order in council has been signed by Lieut. Governor Kirkpatrick confirming the action of the Ontario Cabinet in their decision arrived at at a meeting of council last week to cancel or remit all claims and penalties incurred up to date by a number of companies incorporated in Ontario by reason of their failure to comply with the provision of section twenty-two, chapter twenty eight, of sixty Victoria, requiring the unabbreviated word "limited" to be printed or affixed to their names as the last word of the style of the firm. This action was taken owing to the fact that the companies affected had not knowingly or wilfully violated the law, and also that they have already been put to considerable expense by reason of the action taken by Inspector Bowker in issuing writs against them for the omission.

One of the most interesting incidents of the year is the fact that the meetings of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and of the British Association were held in two cities of the North American continent less than two hundred and fifty miles apart. The American Association has been in session at Detroit, Mich., and the British Association at Toronto, Ontario. The meeting of the British Association at Toronto may be regarded in its way as a recognition of the imperial idea which has been given so much prominence of late. It is safe to say that never before have so many men of scientific distinction been gathered together within so small a radius. Of the utility of these gatherings it is at this late day entirely unnecessary to speak, but the circumstance of the simultaneous meeting of the two great scientific associations at such a little distance from one another would seem to suggest the advisability of selecting some of the great cities on the North American continent for the meetings of the great international scientific gatherings of the future.—Bradstreets.

The Ottawa Ministers have committed another fiscal blunder. They have given the "British preference" to every European country except Italy, and have issued a Customs regula-

tion declaring that it shall not apply unless the importations from the favored countries are "direct." That is to say, if the gestia are sent via Great Britain the higher duty shall be charged. This is a discrimination against British shipping and in favor of that of Germany and of France. Foreign goods brought to Canada by a British vessel pay twelve and one-half per cent more duty than if they came in a foreign vessel. Mail and Empire

Now that the twiff hill has become a law, and with it a provision offering adequate protection to the best sugar industry, it is believed that branch of husiness will enter upon such an era of development in this country as will ultimately result in the home production of all the raw sugar refined in the United States, thus bringing added profits to the farmers and building up a great industry. The taciff is necessary in order to counterbalance the large bounties offered by Germany and France on best sugar production in those countries, by which the sugar produced there could be sold here at cost, under a low tariff, the bounty alone being large enough to afford the producer a good profit. Steubenville, O., Press.

Canada has another railway scheme mixed with politics. It is of interest on the lakes na it pertains to the movement of Manitoba grain A line of road is projected between Winnipeg, the expital of the Canadian Province of Manitoba, and Duluth. By a direct line of about 350 miles between the two points, by far the greater portion of it lying within the State of Minnesota, it is expected to bring the principal part of the product of the immense wheat fields of Manitolia to the lakes at Induth for shipment to Huffalo, whence it will be forwarded to New York and shipped to Europe instead of going over the Canadian Pacific Italiway to Montreal direct or to Fort William and thouse largely by Canadian vessels to Montreal. The political feature of the enterprise is found in the evident intention of Premier Greenway to run the next Manitaba election on the issue of making a contract with the proposed railway, by which, in consideration of a bonus to aid its construction, grain is to be carried to Duluth for ten cents per 100 pounds, or but little more than half the rate new demanded by the existing circuitous line between the two points. Bitter political opposition is being much to the project. The cry is raised that it is a direct blow to the Canwlian Pacific Railway, largely built with government aid; that it will rob the English stock and bondholders of that line; that those interested in the projected read are mostly New Yorkers, and that it will benefit New York to the damage of Montreal, give employment to American instead of Canadian lake tonnage, and inflict injury on oastern Canalian interests. The Greenway supporters make no other reply than that their platform is "Manitoba first," and that they "are resolved to get lower wheat rates by establishing a direct route to New York via Duluth and Buffalo, which is Manitola's natural coute to the scaloard." - Marine Review.

A few days ago in Montreal, the Ministers of the Province of Queboc were waited upon by an influential deputation of pulp manufacturers. The deputation was headed by Mr. John Forman, president of the Pulp Manufacturers' Association, and included Mr. John McFarlane, of the Canada

Paper Company, Mr. W. H. Rowley, of the E. B. Ebby Manufacturing Company; Mr. J. C. Smith, of the Toronto Paper Company; Mr. F. H. Clark, of the Scott Ste. Marie Paper Company; and Mr. A. Sauger of the Maskinonge Paper Company There were also represented by letter and personally the Laurentide Pulp Company of Montreal; Mr. James Davy, of Merritton, Ont.; Mr. Florentin Savey, of Old Lake Road, near Riviero du Loop, Que., Mesers, Hamlin and Avers, Lachute, the Thompson Paper Company, of Newburg, Out, the Acadia Paper Company, of Halifax, and Mr. John R. Barber, of Congetown, Oak. The deputation waited upon the Clovernment, or, more properly speak ing, this joint meeting was held for the purpose of exchanging information and of fully comidering the present position of the Canadian pulp teads, in view of the changed conditions arising out of the new American tariff, and from the fact of the energonally increased expertation of pulpwood in any logaand cordwood in different forms to the United States from Canada. The members of this and allied trades have had different interviews with the Federal Government during the last coar, and asked for duties varying from \$2 to \$1 per cord, or its equivalent, and in view of the recent resolution by which the Federal Government was empowered to impose this export duty, it was thought best to swait the return of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to ascertain definitely the intentions of the Clovernment in regard to this matter. In the mean time the deputation asked the Provincial Government to lower the stampage dues from thirty five cents per cord of a hundred and twenty eight cubic feet to twenty-five cents per cord. The Ministers promised to take the matter into their earnest consideration, but as the question would affect the revenue from Crown lands no definite answer could be given at the present time

According to the records of the United States Treasury Department, British vessels are carrying over fifty-five per cent, of the merchandise of that country, both of imports and of exports. Examination of figures for the first six months of this year shows the total imports in vessels have been of the value of \$402,689,981 and of domentic exports in vessels \$452,800,105. The percentage of imports carried in American venuels is 15.35 and in foreign venuels 84.65. Of imports its vegets the British have carried 55.89 per cent.; the Germans, 11.49; French, 5.46; Dutch, 3.3, and all other foreign, 8.51. Of domestic exports only 8.19 is carried in American bottoms, 91,81 being carried in vessels of other nations. British vessels carry 68.23 per cent, of the value of exports by vos. sels; Germany, 8.92; French, 2.19; Norwegian, 2.93, and all other foreign, 9.51. The value of imports carried in American vessels for the six months ending June 30th was \$66,428,149, and of that carried in foreign vessels \$366,261,832, and the value of exports for the same period carried in American vessels was \$37,113,168, and of that carried in foreign vessels \$415,687,238. The value of augar, which has been largely brought from the West Indies in American vessels, carries the percentage of imports in American vessels higher than that of the value of domestic exports. Since 1870 the Bureau of Statistics has stated the value of merchandise imported and exported in cars and other land vehicles. During the first half of the year the imports carried was \$20,068,149 and of exports \$27,297,619.

A few months ago when the United States Senate rejected the arbitration treaty proposed to be entered into by that country and Great Britain. The Toronto Globs said: —

. . . In the year 1895 the total exports of merchandise from the United States were \$507,538,165, of which Britain bought \$387,125,458, and her dependencies and colonies \$105,382,576, or a total of \$492,508,034. Sixty per cent, therefore, of the exports of the United States are purchased by the people of the British Empire. Of the \$387,125,458 worth of products which are taken by the United Kingdom, practically the whole enters the British markets without paying a dollar in imposts of any kind. It will be said that the British people buy these goods not to favor the United States, but because it suits them best to do so. This, of course, is quite true so far as it goes, but it must not be forgotten that the great bulk of the agriculturists in the United Kingdom think that it is a boon and that it should be withdrawn. Such events as the rejection of the arbitration treaty will not lessen the strength of this section of British opinion.

The New York Daily Financial News has lungs like a blacksmith's bellows. Hear it blow. Spoaking of Hawsiian annexation and the more or less speedy absorbtion of the whole continent, it says: "It is but a question of time only when we shall dominate both the northern and southern continents of America. Canada naturally belongs to us, and will come in at the proper time. Mexico, too, if not in the near future, will later on, while she may retain her name it will be nominally only!" It is this sort of impudent blowing that produces a feeling of disgust. The United States is a great country, but it, as yet, has no distinctive name like that of Mexico and Canada. The centuries will hasten along the corridors of time with many repetitions before a nameless country floats its flag over the whole American continent.

Readers of The London Advertisor have, no doubt, frequently noticed that that paper, from time to time, reproduces many of the items that first saw light in the Captains of Industry department of THE CARADIAN MASUFACTURES, relating to the industrial development of Canada. The Advertiser is, we believe, the only paper in the country that makes these items of news a special feature in its editorial page. The management of the late lamented Empire declined to admit such matter to its columns on the ground that it received no quid pro quo for advertising the concerns named. The Advertiser is possessed of more liberality.

It is suggestive to remember what influence outside pressure has had on Canadian development in the past. It is clearly recognized that the abrogation of the treaty of 1854 had no small influence in bringing about Confederation, and the Anglophobes in the United States may again be building better than they know. No lesson is more impressively taught by the records of the past than the shortsightedness of man. He designs one thing and a totally different thing is the outcome. Napoleon III thought to curb the growing importance of Prussia, and the result of his effort was a united Germany.—The Globe.

Free-traders will never understand the doctrine of protection. None are so blind as those who will not see. Protection is demanded, not to increase prices, but to give us the control of our own home market for the products of the American wage earner. Free-traders have been challenged

over and over again to mention a single article in common use that has not been sold at lower price within a comparatively brief period from the day a protective tariff was put upon it and its manufacture in this country entered upon on a large scale. They never have done it and they never will do it, because they never can do it. - American Economist.

When duties increase productions they decrease prices, when they decrease productions they increase prices. The consumer is benefited by the first and injured by the second.

A joint stock company, called the Spreekel Sugar Company, has been formed in California with a total capital stock of five million dollars; the organizers being J. D. Spreckels, A B. Spreckels, A. F. Morrison, M. H. Weed and W. D. K. Gilmon. Producing beets and manufacturing sugar therefrom is to be the primary object of the company, and incident ob they will engage in agriculture, will build, equip and manage factories and refineries, deal in real estate, construct railways, build ships, and do all other things necessary to the success. ful development of the sugar-making business. What the success of the venture will be is likely to be of interest to those Canadians who have faith in the establishment of the beet-root sugar industry in this country. Up to the present it has not been attended with success, although we note that a company having that object in view has been organized in Ontario and is now putting a superior class of machinery, being confident that success is in store for the undertaking. We cannot see why such an industry cannot be profitably and advantage ously carried on in this country. - The Shareholder.

The new one dollar "Canadian" bill is printed by a Yankee firm. It has a picture showing Yankee lumbermen getting out logs to be sawed in the United States. It also shows the portraits of two people who live in Great Britain. The "Canadian" part of the bill has been omitted,—Hamilton Spectator.

Washington advices indicate that the State Department has sent instructions to United States ambassadors and min isters abroad accredited to countries with which the United States has trade relations and which would be affected by the enactment of the Dingley Tariff law, directing them to communicate to the foreign offices at their respective posts the text of the act and to call attention to the sections of the new law which provide for retaliation, reciprocity and other similar relations. This action has been taken by the department in order that there may be a proper basis for the institution of negotiations looking to the consummation of some of the reciprocal agreements contemplated by the Dingley law. Owing to the complexity of the subjects to be treated and the dissimilar conditions existing in various countries with which the United States may have to do, the ground covered by the State Department in these instructions will be difficult to traverse; but something has to be done in relation to the matter, inasmuch as Congress has in terms enjoined the beginning of negotiations as soon as may be after passage of the Dingley law. Up to the present no responses have been received by the State Department, but indications furnished by our officials abroad point to the probability of overtures being made at almost any time.-Bradstreets.

The far-reaching results of the recent famine and plague in India are observable in the recent report of the Suez Canal Commission. Being the short cut highway from Europe to the Aniatic countries in the East, the canal could not escape a serious curtailment in its revenue. The decrease in receipts is shown in the recently issued report of the Peninsular and Oriental Steamship Company, showing a falling of some 600,-000 france, as compared with the revenues received the previous year, and is attributed mainly to the famine and the plague in India. The loss would have been much greater had it not been for a large and unexpected increase in exports, consisting of extensive shipments of machinery and railway material to Australia and the far East. The consignments under this head from Great Britain alone last year were 212,000 tons more than in 1895, while the Board of Trade returns for the first four months of this year show indications of a still further improvement for the coming twelve mouths. A significant feature of what would have otherwise made the decrease still more observable was the receipts from the passage of troops -Italian, Spanish, English, German, etc.-the Italians increasing nearly 64,000 in 1896 over the year 1895, and the Spanish nearly 26,000. The Turkish increase was nearly 8,000, and of Germany about 9,000. The total number of passengers in 1895 was 216,940, as against 308,243 in 1896, the largest of any one year since its opening. This report, while showing a docrease in revenue through unexpected causes that are limited to one season only, is encouraging for the future, as they are scarcely liable to occur again for some years to come, and when the commercial standing of their great highway will be on a much more secure and paying hasin.

The chief feature of the preferential tariff seems to be the innumerable perplexities in its working. Those who import British goods find that statutory declarations of British origin are necessary, and these are annoying to the maker of the goods, and expensive to the Canadian importer. Still another obstacle to the declared purpose of the tariff, i.e., a preference to Britain, is its practical discrimination against British trade routes. The one-eighth reduction is only granted on goods coming direct from the country of origin. Now, it is a custom of importers who buy largely in Britain, and to a less extent in Continental Europe, to have all the goods shipped to Canada from a central point in England. London is the mart of the world. The average English free-trader is as proud of the immense profits enjoyed by the country as an ocean carrier as he is of her fiscal policy. But the Canadian tariff, as now administrated, says to the French, Belgian or German firm, who have sold goods to Canadian merchants: If you ship via England the goods will paya higher duty than if they are sent by a foreign line direct from a French or German port. As long, therefore, as the present arrangement continues in force the tariff discriminates against British shipping. Possibly this was not contemplated by the Government; it may not have occurred to the Ministers. But even so, the whole experience with the new taxiff points the moral that a government which does not really understand a great question should not attempt to deal with it until a careful study of conditions and results has been made.—The World.

The Spreckles beet sugar plant, now in course of construction, near Salinas City, Cal, will have, to begin with, two

direct-current generators of 400 kilowatts each, for electric power purposes, a lighting dynamo of at least 100 k.w. capacity, and a large number of motors. The main building will be 100 by 586 feet, and five stories in height. Three thousand tens of beets will be crushed daily, and the daily output of refined sugar will be 450 tons. The space required for the fifteen beet bins is twenty acres.

Think of what such an establishment would be to Canada! and yet the Spreckles plant is but one of many now in successful operation in the United States. Think of how many farmers would find omployment, and of how many acres of land would be under profitable cultivation to supply three thousand tons of beets per day for a senson extending over one hundred days. And yet no politician or statesman in Canada has ever yet been acute enough to advocate the building up of the sugar beet and beet sugar industry in this country.

An American Senator has publicly apologized for his negligence in voting for the railway discrimination clause without knowing of its existence. The blunder is no worse than many which have been made with the full knowledge of Congress.—Toronto Globe.

Will Sir Wilfred kindly say if he, like the Yankee Senator, will publicly apologise for not knowing that his little gun was loaded when he interjected his British preference Schedule D into the tariff—that clause that does not discriminate in favor of Great Britain as he said it would. The blunder is worse than any that has ever yet come to our notice.

A Cleveland, Ohio, dispatch states that President A. J. Moxham, of the Johnson Steel Company, who is now in England, has just secured orders for 20,000 tons of steel rails for electric roads in Ireland. This is probably the largest order of steel rails for electric-railway purposes ever shipped out of this country, and the fact that they are to be sent to the very doors of England is one of the very notable features of the affair. Mr. Moxham has obtained a freight rate of \$3 a ton from the works to Ireland. It will be necessary for the Johnson Company to build special rolls to do the work, and already work has been begun on them.

There is no more reason for Cleveland, or any other city in the United States, manufacturing steel rails for Ireland than for Toronto or any other Canadian city: that is, there would be no more reason had it been that Canada had protected the iron and steel industry as it has been protected in the United States. As it is, no steel rail ever having bour rolled in Canada, we are now as much dependent upon the United States for the article as Ireland is.

LITERARY NOTES.

A strong point for The Methodist Magazine and Review for September is its superior illustrations, there are over forty. Those on "The Appian Way, and Footprints of St. Paul," are of unusual interest. "The Indian Famine and Indian Missions," is an able study, with beautiful illustrations, of an important subject of intense interest. The article on "Treaty Making in the Cansalian North-West," is by the Rev. John Semmens, who well understands the subject of which he writes. "Current Topics," "Science Notes," "Book Notices," and "Religious Intelligence," make up a valuable number.

The September Ladies' Home Journal is a notable number. A spirited article by John F. Coyle, "When Henry Clay Said Farewell to the Senate," describes the most impressive and dramatic acene ever enacted in Congress. Elizabeth Bisland, in "The Difference Between Mrs. A and Mrs. B," defines the exactions that "The Four Hundred," or the dominating social circle of communities, imposes on an aspirant for admission to its ranks. The first part of Mrs. Mark Morrison's "The Pixies and the

Elaines" series will charm every child who may follow the adventures of those winsome fairies. A composition for the piano, "Golden Vineyard Waltans," the musical feature of the magazine, is regarded by its composer as one of his best. Edward W. Bok, discusses "On Being Old-Fashioned," and other topics of especial concern to women. The Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia, one dollar per year.

The September number of The Canadian Home Journal, beyond its characteristic name, bears very little resemblance to The Canadian Home Journal of the past two years. It is under an entirely new management, and nothing will be spared in making it indispensible to every Canadian woman, in every Canadian home, and of which every Canadian journalist may justly he proud. The current number contains, among many other things, the first of a series of articles on the old families of Canada, illustrated, of a series of articles on the old families of Canada, illustrated, and entertainingly written by the celebrated art critic and electionist, Mies Alexandrina Itanisay; a very graphically written sketch of a trip from Toronto to Chippewa, from the pen of Madeleine Geale; a page of Savoury and Seasonable Dishes, by Mrs. Jean Joy, Principal of Domestic Science Department of Toronto Technical School; all the latest fall fashions and fancy work; Music Notes, by C. E. Saunders; an article on "Art in Muskoka," as seen by T. Mower Martin; a review of the latest books published; a pretty story of Love in the South, by Catharina Mann. Pagement: a more for children: Notes on Golf and ine Mann-Payment; a page for children; Notes on Golf and Yachting, and two pages of music. The fancy work department is another attractive feature. All the latest and prottiest designs will be illustrated, the patterns or materials for which can be obtained from The Canadian Home Journal. Free lessons in all the newest embroidery stitches are also being offered, instruction to be given by one thoroughly competent to teach. Address, The Canadian Home Journal, McKinnon Building, Toronto.

TRADE WITH MEXICO.

Mr. E. E. Sheppard, who was appointed a special Canadian Commissioner to Mexico to look into trade possibilities, has reported to the Minister of Trade and Commerce. He says:—

RECIPHOCITY SUGGESTED.

Every new industrial enterprise which is not represented in Mexico receives on its establishment ample tariff protection, and a unber of concessions with regard to taxation, and these features have proved very attractive to German, United States and French capitalists. Nevertheless, there are a number of avenues of business which, if taken advantage of by Canadian enterprises, would prove very profitable. Furthermore, if Mexico and Canada, similarly and disadvantageously situated as they are with regard to the tariff now imposed upon the products of both countries by the United States, were to make some reciprocal arrangement for the exchange of commodities, a very large business could be established between Canada and Mexico. During the past eighteen months over half a million cattle went from Mexico to the United States at an average duty of \$1.50 per head, while the average duty now imposed by the United States is between \$4 and \$5 per head.

SEWING MACHINES.

After pointing out that Mexico, like Canada, was harassed by the Alien Labor Law, Mr. Sheppard proceeds to deal with the dif-ferent industries. He says that the aewing machine agency dis-poses annually of over 300 machines manufactured in Canada. They found the absence of parcel post a great inconvenience for getting the small parts of the machine, which they sometimes want promptly. If the machine was as attractive booking as the United States article many more of them would be sold.

A Canadian knitting machine is said to be becoming popular in Mexico, though every effort is being made by a rival firm to supplant it with a machine manufactured in the United States.

MARKET FOR TOOLS.

In hardware the Germans have nearly the whole trade. They make a specialty of the Mexican market. But, for all this, there is said to be a market for Canadian shovels, picks, axes, hose, forks and the higher grade of hand implements. But this would have to be established in spite of the German dealers and not by their maistance

The French largely control the dry goods trade. Canada provides nothing that could compute.

CARRIAGES AND WAGONS.

In carriages France also sends the finest vehicles used. The turn-outs in the city of Mexico surpass in elegance and expensiveness anything to be seen in Canada, and in proportion to the population both the horses and carriages are much finer than can be

seen in Central Park in New York city Some of the carriages are from the United States, and Canada ought to be able to competo for a share of the business. Some carriage and wagon factories have been established, but their output is crude.

Large importations are made of farm wagons. Many are from ngland. This is a business worth looking into, as it is worth England. getting.

The Mexican is a matural worker in leather, and it is improbable that Canada could compete in anything but the very finest harmess,

even if the duties were not, as they are, prohibitory.

MARKET FOR CUT NAILS.

Nothing can be done in saddles, and cut nails would require to be of United States pattern. Wire nails are now made in the country, and not imported. The consumption of tacks is small. However, there is a market for cut nails, and it is worth look. ing into.

Canadian manufacturers ought to find a good market for hand tools. The prices paid by dealers appear to be about the same as those offered by Canadian manufacturers. Instead of sending samples Canadians ought to select the kind of tools most used in Mexico, and offer a price for their duplication.

ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN.

Sewing machines are sold almost altogether on the installment plan, a discount of \$10 being allowed for each. The time allowed for payment is in the neighborhood of two years. The Canadian machines bring from \$55 to \$115 each, Mexican money. The high rate of exchange still leaves a profit.

There is only one make of Canadian bicycles sold in Mexico. The agent for this machine claims that the wheel is satisfactory, but it costs more laid down here than other makes which are equally satisfactory. All things being equal, he would pre-fer to sell the Canadian wheel. The wheels which are competing with the Canadian one are the Dayton and the Syncuse. which he claims to buy at \$50 gold less \$5 off; while the Camatan machine is \$50 cash at point of origin. Wheels are gong into Mexico by the carload.

BONANZA IN LAMPS.

Owing to the very high price of coal, gas is but little used. A petroleum lamp, with cooking utensils, finds but little favor, as a supposedly similar one was previously found to be a failure. If such a lamp proved to be a success, and the maker had confidence in it there would be a bonanza in it for him. Lamp chinneys are supplied from Germany. There is also a line of United States chimneys which may be dropped from a height of several feet on to a wooden floor without danger of breaking.

ELECTRIC SUPPLIES.

The principal houses for telephone, telegraphic and electric light supplies of the United States are represented, and not only take large orders, but carry a more or less complete stock of general supplies. The business is developing into large proportions. To do business, an agent and stock would be required at the capital.

MACHINERY.

In regard to machinery, the cotton mills are being put in by English firms. Coffee and sugar plants were at one time put in almost exclusively by English houses, but German and United States firms are now offering a stout competition. Mining machinery is almost entirely sold by English and United States firms.

Common furniture is manufactured in the country, but anything of first-class material is imported from the United States. The duty is high, and only very good furniture could be exported. The Government buys a great deal of school furniture, and Canada ought to get a large share of this patronage if it displayed the excellent patterns in which the Dominion excels. Some of the Mexican houses are magnificently furnished, but in many cases such furniture is brought from Paris.

SAFES ARE WARTED.

The burglar not having become as accomplished in Mexico as in the United States and Canada, burglar proof-safes are not in demand except to hanks and other institutions. Nevertheless a large and profitable business is done in safes, especially by Ohio firms, who have adapted their goods to the necessities of the country. Canada might share in this business. To establish a business it would be necessary to have an agency.

There dous not appear to be a market for boots and shoes, and

rubber goods and shoes are almost entirely unknown.

A large business can be done in turned and Japanese ware, but lightness, cheapness and durability must be considered.

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"There is also a large colony of Britishers here, representing old country houses and travelling about the country. Amongst these, and at the British Legation and Consulate, I found a hearty welcome and ready co-operation. In offering a recommendation at the close of four weeks study of the situation, I have had every point carefully checked by those who have resided here for years, and feel sure I am but expressing the sense of everyone who has been consulted.

A PERMANENT EXHIBIT.

"To establish any line of business in Mexico City, now that competition is so keen both among native manufacturers and foreign firms, means the exercise of considerable patience and the expenditure of considerable money. If the manufacturers and exporters of Canada who are interested in obtaining a share of the Mexican market were to unite together and form a permanent and cooperative exhibit in the city, the business of the whole Republic could be reached with but little expense, and the articles exhibited would be continually under the eye of men representative of the buying classes. Details of such an exhibit have been suggested to me by many Canadian residents in this city, who are sanguine of the success of the scheme. Undoubtedly all Canadians resident in Mexico are anxious that Canada should make an effort to introduce Canadian goods, and but few are hopeless as to a favorable result. These few, it may be said, are either not conversant with business, or have interests which might be injured.

METHOD OF SELLING GOODS,

"In a general way the suggestion is that a large room in a central locality should be rented, the space divided among the exhibitors and a representative of the exhibitors given charge of the exhibits. The travellers who are going about Mexico soliciting orders for some large old country houses, as a rule, carry but few lines, and none of them are likely to interfere with anything offered by a Canadian. I have met a number of these gentlemen,

and they say they would be willing to extry cardogues and solicit orders for anything which is even remotely in their line. For instance, one salesman who has but two or three articles visits the principal haciendas of Mexico every year. He expressed himself as willing to look after agricultural implements, but felt doubtful if he could do much without sample implements and pieces which could be provided in case of breakage.

PAYMENT OF TRAVELLERS.

"In nearly all the lines which I have suggested as being adapted for Canadian trade, men apeaking Spanish fluently could be found to solicit orders on commission, and special ones could easily be obtained for each line if a certain amount of money were advanced for travelling expenses. Nearly all business done by can-vasaers and adeamen in this Republic is done on commission, and an allowance for expenses, this allowance being made permanently in many cases, but always when a new line is being introduced; though, of course, there are a 'umber who receive salary and commission combined. An effort lasting over one, two or three years would demonstrate to the Canadian manufacturer, at no great cost, the possibility of introducing his goods.

THE GOVERNMENT'S ATTITUDE

"The Government of Mexico would doubtless be willing to have such an exhibit established on the same terms as the United. States manufacturers are establishing them in South American centres, where the goods are admitted free of duty and practically held in bond until sold as samples; thus minimizing the outlay of those joining in the experiment.

"In consulting the Hon. Mr. Limantour, Finance Minister, in regard to this, he expressed his cordial approval of the idea, and said the Government of Mexico was willing to do everything in its power to facilitate such an enterprise. The only limitations he placed upon the project were that goods should not be sold at retail except as samples, and that the Government of Canada should supervise the exhibit and be responsible for its conduct. He pointed out that were it a private enterprise or one conducted by a syndicate of manufacturers it might be used as a means of smuggling, and the responsibility being divided among so many the Mexican Government could not supervise it without seeming intrusive and annoying. For these reasons, he expressed a decided preference for having it under the control of the Canadian Government, which would be responsible for everything imported and the payment of duties when the articles were sold or sent elsewhere.

THE TARIFF ON FISH.

"At the same interview with the Minister of Finance, I vontured to ask that the salt, dried and pickled tish, which is so large an export of Canada, might receive some attention at the next revision of the Mexican tariff, which, I am told, is shortly to take place. These articles (which are largely imported by other latin-American countries) hardly come to Mexico at all, as they have to pay an equal duty with canned tish and the most expensive grades of articles preserved in their own juices and intended to retain their natural flavor and consistency. I believe if your department were to make further representations to the Government of Mexico, that, in the event of communications being established, a large trade in such fish might be opened up.

A WONDEREUL CURRENT.

What is electricity? is a question that cannot be intelligently answered. It is known to have no material part that can be seen handled or weighed. It is a something that is known only by its action, and that for thousands of years was not known to the wise men of this world to have an existence. The progress of electric engineering science has advanced from agencies perceptible only to our senses, which emphasised organization could not perceive, but which has been transferred from the imponderable and immaterial to the material, giving motion and power wherever required. Prof. Faraday demonstrated that ether, an entity that is believed to fill all space in our system and other systems, is in some way directly allied with electric power; it is also believed to be the agent by which light and heat are transferred from the sun to our planetary system, and possibly from other suns and systems also. The question of what is ether cannot be answered by the scientists of this day, yet they are not entirely in the dark with regard to some of its properties, though not susceptible of proof.

Optical observation shows that there is a medium, not material, by means of which light is transmitted, and in another form power or potential. Atmospheric air is known not to be the means by which light is transmitted. This was demonstrated by Sir Isaac Newton. The space between the sun and the earth does not contain air, it being a part of the earth's substance. The German

scientist Hertz proved that electric and magnetic action is an otheric phenomenon. Electric potential is defined by modern scientiats as being ether in a state of unbalanced strain, this strain manifesting itself in the conductor of an electric circuit, one end connected with the dynamo and the other with the lamps or motor and that the other transmits along the surface or through the conductor. The pressure being imparted to it by the dynamo minus the friction, it is not known whether the other is transmitted along the surface of the conductor or through its substance. It is believed to form a belt or chain from the dynamos to the motor to give it motion, but how this belt or chain is held together there is no explanation or theory. Electric action is known to be practically instantaneous. So much is this the case that it is as if the ends of the canductor were held together by a substance less compressible them a steel bar, yet weighing nothing.

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KLONDIKE REGULATIONS.

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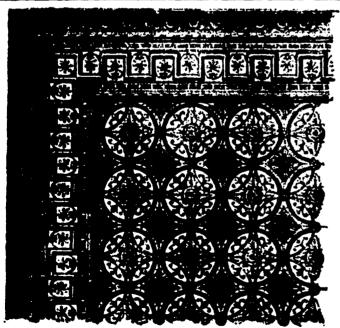
"That the regulations governing the disposal of placer mining claims along the Yukon River and its tributaries in the Northwest Territories, established by order in Council, he amended by providing that entry can only be granted for alternate claims, knewn as creek claims, bench claims, har diggings and dry diggings, and that the other alternate claims he reserved for the Crown, to be disposed of by public suction, or in such manner as may be decided by the Minister of the Investor.

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"That the penalty for trespessing upon a claim reserved for the Crown be the immediate cancellation by the Gold Commissioner of any entry or entries which the person trespessing may have obtained, whether by original entry or purchase, for a uniting claim, and the refusal by the Gold Commissioner of the acceptance of any application which the person trespessing may at any time make for claims; and that in addition to such penalty the Mounted Police, upon a requisition from the Gold Commissioner to that effect, may take the necessary steps to eject the trespesser.

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That upon all gold mined on the claims referred to in the regulation for the government of placer mining along the Yukon River and its tributaries, a royalty of ten per cent, shall be legal and collected by officers, to be appointed for the purpose, provides that the amount mined and taken from any single claim does not exceed \$500 per week, and in case the amount mined and taken from any single claim exceeds \$500 per week there shall be legisl and collected a royalty of ten per cent, upon the amount so taken out up to \$500, and upon the excess or amount taken from any



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to make such regulations and rules accordingly.

"That default in payment of such royalty, if continued for ten days after notice has been posted upon the claim in respect of which it is demanded, or in the vicinity of such claim by the Gold Commissioner or his agent, shall be followed by the cancellation of the claim.

"That any attempt to defraud the Crown by withholding any part of the revenue thus provided for by making false statements of the amount taken out may be punished by cancellation of the claim in respect of which fraud or false statements have been committed or made; and that in respect of facts as to such fraud or false statement or non-payment of royalty, the decision of the Gold Commissioner shall be final."

Another order in Council reads as follows :-

"Whereas clause 7 of the regulations governing the disposal of placer mines on the Yukou River and its tributaries in the Northwest Territories, established by order in Council of the 21st of Niy, 1897, provides that if any person shall discover a new mine, and such discovery shall be established to the satisfaction of the Gold Commissioner, a claim for 'lar diggings' 750 feet in length may be granted; and whereas the intention was to grant a claim of 750 feet in length to the discoverer of the new mine upon a creek or river, and not to grant a claim of that length for 'lar diggings,' His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, is pleased to order that clause 7 of the said regulations governing the disposal of placer mines on the Yukon River and its tributaries shall be and the same is hereby anended, so that the above grant to a discoverer may apply to creek and river claims instead of to 'lar diggings.'"

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CANADIAN NICKEL

An announcement of the greatest importance to Canada was made by Mr. Goschen in the British House of Commons a couple of weeks ago. The Admiralty have resolved to adopt nickel steel as the material for the protection of the new warships to be constructed during the couning year. The new Assertion says being sheathed with nickel steel, and after careful tests the British authorities have decided that the material is a distinct advance upon ordinary steel armor. The Daily Graphic, describing the new naval construction programme, says:—"The principal item is the cost of laying down four new warships of an entirely novel pattern. They are to be cruisers and lattleships in one. In speed they will fall little behind those mighty cruisers, the Powerful and the Terrible, but they will also carry armor which will enable them to resist the direct fire of six-inch guns. At the same time, although their armament is practically the same as that of the Powerful and her sister ship, their displacement will be nearly 2,500 tons less. The secret lies in the adoption of nickel steel for much less weight."

The load of the British Government in naval matters is followed by all the great powers, and there can be no longer any question that the warship of the future will be clad in nickel-steel armor. Canada, which has the greatest deposits of nickel in the world, should benefit much from the new departure. The nickel mines of New Caledonia are much further from Europe and far more difficult of access than our own, and shipments of nickel to Europe should, in future, show great expansion. It is not at all creditable to us that the nickel mined, after being converted into mutes, is shipped to New Jersey to be refined by American labor. It is asserted by gentlemen well acquainted with the business that the urkel in Canada. If this is the case, the Government, with the prospect of a greatly increased use of nickel in the near future, should insist upon the erection of retineries. The phrase used in the agreement between the Government and the operators of the nickel properties is that the overshall be treated in Canada. A reduction of the raw over to matter may be treating under the law, but the probability is that a strict interpretation calle for smelting.—Toronto Globe.

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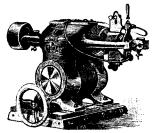
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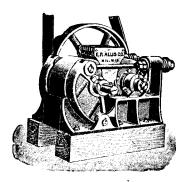
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A shipment of 526 bicycles was made to Australia a few days ago by the Massey Harris Company, Toronto.

Messrs. Davidson & Davidson's saw mull at Colpoy's Bay, Ont., was destroyed by fire a few days ago.

Mr. James Loughead is building a brick addition, fifty feet by thirty feet, twostoreys high, to his hub and spoke factory at Saruia, Ont.

The first carload of peaches and pears to be shipped in cold storage all the way to England, left the Ningara district a few days ago. Regular shipments will be made to London and Glasgow

The Paint, Oil and Chemical Company, of Toronto, has been incorporated with a cipital stock of \$50,000, to manufacture paints, oils and chemicals.

The London Box Manufacturing and Lumber Company's factory, London, Ont., was damaged by fire a few days ago.

The Defiance Machine Company, Defiance, Ohio, for whom the estate of T. T. Coleman, Scaforth, Ont., are the Canadian agents, recently received a large order for wheel machinery from Paris, France.

The vast country north of the Gulf of St. Lawrence is, to the uncommercial explorer, the most interesting region on this continent, if not in the world. For nearly four centuries the ships of civilization have sailed by it, yet, except at the very water's edge, there has been no intrusion upon it. The rivers which pour forth from every opening in the hills bear witness that the back country is a net-work of lakes and watercourses. Ask the Commissioner of Crown Lands of the great Province of Quebec today what his department knows of that region, and he will tell you that it is the least known portion of North America; that only a few of the lakes have been surveyed; that two exploring parties have recently crossed the peninsula; that a handful of fishermen's houses fringe the gulf; that for the rest of it, the wandering Montagrais Indians are the only tourists who traverse half a million square miles of territory. Steamers go up the Saguenay. Lake St. John is reached by But away to the northeast is a tremendous tract of country, from whence issue streams greater than the Hudson, the headwaters of which no white man has ever seen From "To the Shores of the Mingan Seigniory," by Frederic Irland, in Scribner's.

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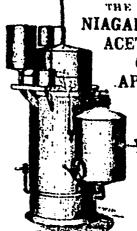
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In the issue of THE CANADIAN MANUFACTURE TURER of August 20th we published a clipping from Power, having reference to valves, etc., being made to a given dimen sion, and manufacturers publishing the re quirements so that steam fitters might kn x the lengths to cut their pipe. The St Lawrence Foundry Company, Teront, inform us that their catalogue now in preparation will furnish this much needed information, so that steam-fitters or mili owners using their valves, indicators, etc. will have no trouble in making their page standard lengths. Their catalogue is now nearly ready, and as soon as issued will be sent on application.

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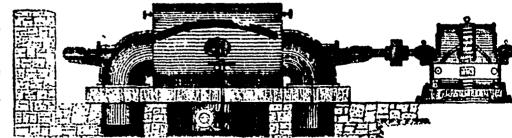
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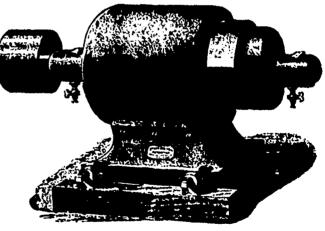
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The ratepayers of Stouffville, Ont., have voted to expend \$25,000 to insugurate a gravity waterworks system for that village

There is a boom in Newfoundland owing to the recent discoveries of coal on the west coat. The deposits are very extensive and the seams vary in width from six to this teen feet. The quality of the product is believed to be equal to the bost Welsh steam coal. Experts pronounce the prospects excellent. Sixty thousand tons are already visible, and it is expected that coal imming will become one of the most promising resources of the island.

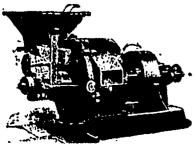
Toronto and Montreal expitalists, after a keen competition with a United States syndicate, have secured the franchise for the construction and operation of an electrical variety in Kingston, Jamaica.

Messrs. Tait Brothers' cooper shop and heading mill at Duart, Ont., was dumaged by fire a few days ago.

A contract has been let with the Camelian Rand Drill Co., of Montreal, to equip the Foley mine in the Rat Portage district, Ontario, with a complete air-compressor plant, and it is claimed that when completed at will be the largest mining plant in that district. The compressor is of the latest type, with compound stemm cylinders operated in conjunction with a condenser. Air is to be conducted all over the different workings, so that when completed operations may be carried on all over the property by means of compressed air as a power. As these workings are scattered, the change will do away with the use of several small boilers, and effect a very considerable saving in fuel as well as in the pay-roll. The larger portion of the machinery is at present on the ground, and the balance will follow in a few days. By the installation of this compressed or plant a very considerable saving will be effected in the cost of production, as the power can all be developed in one concentrated plant, and distributed to the different works with practically no loss.

The Wm. English Canoe Co., Peter-borough, Ont., have recently built large canoes for carrying heavy loads, and at the same time to be easy running. They are intended specially for the use of surveyors, prospectors and inining companies, and are built from fifteen feet to twenty-four feet in length, and weigh from ninety to one hundred and fifty pounds. Full information will be sent on application.

J. J. Stevens, late of Stevens, Hamilton & Company, manufacturers of tools and machinery at Preston, Ont., has made arrangements with the owners of the patents to manufacture the Model gas or gasoliar engine which has been on the market in the United States for some time.



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The enlargement and deepening of the Canadian canals is proceeded with, as the following particulars show: "The Lachine Canal is being deepened, the new Soulanges Canal, which is to replace the old Beauharmois, is well under way, and the Cornwall, which has never given satisfaction to the carners, is being attended to. Perhaps the most important work now going on is the re-building of the present Galops canal, which extends between Irraquois and Cardinal, a distanct of seven miles. The re-building, it may be stated, consists chiefly in widening, straightening and deopening the water course. This little stretch of water has been notoriously insufficient for the accummodation of the carrying trade of the country, and its enlargement has long been recognized by the governments of the day. Its shallowness, but more especially its tortuosity, has

always been the bane of the fresh-water skip- unlly improved have, therefore, good bases in per. The steadily increasing traffic on the fact. great St. Lawrence necessitates the deepening and enlargment of the canals. The Galops is now in the hands of the govern-purchased the Aylmer grist mills, Aylmer, ment. It is intended that when completed Ont., from Mr. E. R. Ingram. out, instead of nine, as at present. The depth may possibly be increased. At froquely, where the only lock exists, which lock it shall have a depth of fourteen feet throughis 200 feet by twenty-five, it is intended to construct one of 800 feet by lifty, capable of allowing the largest lake vessels, or even small-sized ocean-craft to pass through. The length of the lock will be 1,100 feet over all, with a lift of seventeen feet. There will also be a guard lock at the western entrance, 275 by twenty-five feet. The walls of the lock will be constructed of solid masonry of the most improved fashion. The reports that our oreat waterway to the soa is home grad-tlensall. is 200 feet by twenty-live, it is intended to our great waterway to the sea is being grad- (Hensall.

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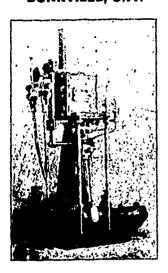
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The Dominion Bridge Company, Montresl, are placing in position the steel roof of the new power-house of the St. John, N.B., Railway Company.

The town hall at Galt, Ont., was destroyed by fire a few days ago. Loss about \$1,500.

The Ballard Electric and Machine Company, Toronto, has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$24,000, to manufacture electrical apparatus, motors, dynamos, etc.

The Laing-Ritchie Company of Essex, Ont., has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$40,000, to manufacture agricultural implements.

Mesars. A. J. Hiltz & Co., Truro, N.S., have increased the capacity of their woodworking factory by installing a twenty-live h.p. electric motor.

The Rogers Electric Company, London, Ont., are installing the electric lights in the Anderson Furniture Company's factory at Woodstock, Ont.

Sealed tenders endorsed: "Tender for Lock Gates," will be received until the 14th day of September, 1897, for the construction and setting up in working order of sixteen pairs of Lock Gates. Plans and specifications of the work can be seen on and after the 6th day of September, 1897, at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa. Printed forms of tender can also be obtained at the place named.

We are in receipt of price list of Lancashiro patent hair belting, manufactured by the Lancashire (Eng.,) Patent Belting and Hose Company, and for which Mr. D.K.McLaren, 24 Victoria Square, Montreal, is sole agent for the Dominion. Mr. McLaren will be pleased to mail list and full particulars on application.

The exports of butter and cheese from Montreal so far this season have been the largest in the history of the trade for that period of the export season. The cheese markets abroad have shown a marked improvement the past two weeks. Prices in the country continue to advance, and it is reported that contracts for September and October have been refused at 10]c. A sale of 15,000 boxes, representing \$105,000, by a Montreal firm at 10 c. is reported It is one of the largest sales of the season.

The Gurnoys, of Toronto, and other capi talists, have formed a company and will engage in the heating business in London, England.

The Goldie & McCulloch Company, Galt, Ont., have been awarded the contract for the engine and boiler for the new elevator at Kingston, Ont.

The report of Mr. Thomas Southworth on Forestry in Ontario, shows that in the lumber business of Canada about \$18,000,000 of capital is invested, employing 40,000 people with a wage roll of \$12,000,000, and an annual output valued at \$45,600,000.

The Intercolonial Deep-Well Boring and Manufacturing Company, Petrolia, Out., has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$150,000, to bore and drill wells for all purposes, and to manufacture drilling tools, etc.

Messrs. George A. Merrick and Thomas A. Anderson have commenced business in Winnipeg, Man., under the style of the their goods.
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The docking of the immense American battle-ship Indiana, at Halifax, was one of capital stock of \$25,000, to manufacture the events which contribute to advertise yarns, flannels, blankets, tweeds, hosier, Halifax to the world at large.

The R. J. Levell Company, Toronto is being incorporated with a capital stock of \$3,000, to carry on the business of printing, lithographing, embossing, etc.

The Ion Specialty Company, Toronto, is being incorporated with a capital stock of \$50,000, to manufacture specialties, to deal in patents, etc.

Cyrile Carron, who owns a planing mill at L'Orignal, Ont., will start a carding mill as an adjunct to his planing business.

The Cowichan Lumber Company, Bobcay, geon, Ont., is being incorporated with a capital stock of \$150,000, to do a general lumbering business in British Columbia and elsewhere.

G. A. Burrows is start a new carpet factory at Breslau, Ont. The plant includes some of the latest improved knowles looms. and a first-class line of carpets will be placed on the market.

The time for receiving tenders for hydrau. lic or electric elevators; electric and gas fixtures; pneumatic clocks; steel and wrought iron; terra-cotta, brick arching and concreting for the new municipal buildings, Toronto, has been extended to September 20, 1897. Full particulars may be had from John Shaw, Mayor, Toronto.

The Northey Manufacturing Company, Toronto, recently shipped a new steam engine to the A. W. Brodie mills, Hespeler, Ont., to be used in the fire protection of the

It is understood that the Cornwall, Ont. Electric Street Railway Company are making arrangements to run their line from the depot and freight shed in town to the main station on the line of the O. & N.Y., a mile and a half distant.

The Robb Engineering Company, Amherit N.S., have just constructed and tested a locomotive for the new Pole Railway, running from Weymouth, Digby County, NS. to Now France. It resembles an ordinary locomotive, boiler and engine mounted on a flat car, the wheels of which are concave to fit the wooden rails of the road, which are about a foot in diameter. This is said to be the first locomotive of this type ever in use

Measrs. John and Thomas Rowan, Orange. ville Ont., with others have formed a comdiscovered in the township of Caledon near Orangoville.

The Rathbun Company, Descronto, Oat., have received an order for 200,000 feet of timber for the new railway bridge to be built over the St. Lawrence River at Comwall, Ont.

The Kerr Engine Company, Walkerville, Out., will supply the numping machinery for the new waterworks at Renfrew, Ont.

The Essex Standard Gas Company, Essex, Ont., has offered to furnish Chatham with natural gas for heating purposes at a rate of thirty cents per thousand cubic feet. The city offices are to be heated free of charge and the schools at twenty cents per thousand feet.

The Granby Rubber Company, Granby, Que., have recently put in six paper bor machines and will in future manufacture their own paper boxes in which to put up

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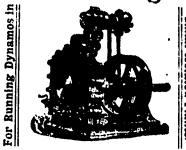
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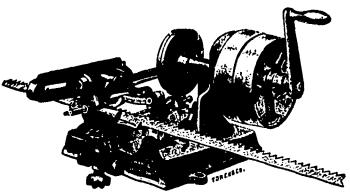
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CATALOGUE AND PRICES ON APPLICATION.....

Much of the machinery manufactured by the Buffalo Forge Company, Buffalo, N.Y., is used by the United States Government in its federal buildings, post offices and other public structures of the larger and better class. Buffalo fans, engines and heaters are class. Buffalo fans, engines and heaters are widely adopted for the heating and ventilating plants. Among such work being constructed by the above company is the appartus for the United States Government post office at Washington, D.C., consisting of three large special steel plate fans in the three-quarter housing type, capable of delivering a total of 300,000 cubic feet of air per minute, each fan having a suitable direct attached horizontal engine of the centrecrank type, with cast-iron sub-base. The court house and post office at Omaha, Neb., is being similarly equipped. The United States revenue cutters and torpedo boats, also, afford opportunity for the use of specially designed fans and engines, and it is here that the Buffalo Forge Company have had wide experience in meeting the requirements incident to such service. A number of orders are now in process, the most recent being for the United States Torpedo Boat No. 17. The electric light plants of the Government, both on shipboard and land, are a field for the introduction of Buffalo automatic engines. There are several forms of single and double types. A recent introduction is the open marine frame, which, for direct connected work is meeting with wide sale. The centre-crank self-oiling enclosed horizontal is a favorite form for larger plants.

The Metallic Roofing Company of Toronto have just issued a new, well-prepared and handsome catalogue of their goods. It is an exceedingly handsome affair, filled with photogravures of the goods offered. A look through it shows the artistic quality of the designs furnished for the metallic embossed ceilings, wainscottings, etc., supplied by the firm. As for the quality of the goods the best advertisement in it is supplied by the lists of firms who use the goods. Among the Toronto buildings which have been built with these appliances are the new I. O. F. Temple building, the C.P.R. Exhibition building, the Yonge and Dundas Street Fire Halls, the offices of Messrs. Davidson, Hay & Company, the Gendron Manufacturing Company, Mason & Risch, the Mercer Reformatory, the School of Practical Science, the Rossin House block, the Church Street School, the Athenicum and Liederkranz Clubs, the Heintzman Piano warerooms, etc. Outside of Toronto may be mentioned the Asylums for the Insane at Mimico, Kingston, Hamilton, London, and Brockville, the Asylum for Idiots at Orillia, the Deaf and Dumb Institute at Relleville, the Opera House, City Hall and Ladies' College at Hamilton, the Kingston Collegiate Institute, the London Y.M.C.A. building, the Tecumseth House, London, etc. The entire catalogue is extremely interesting.

The British Columbia Mills Trading Company, of Vancouver, B.C., are lighting up their mills by electricity, the plant being furnished by the Royal Electric Company, Montreal.

The Pritchard - Andrews Company, of Ottawa, has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$50,000, to carry on the husiness of engraving, lithographing, printing, bookbinding, etc., and to acquire the business heretofore carried on by Messrs. Pritchard and Andrews, as manufacturers of stamps, seals, etc.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company extensive improvements. There are preshave recently largely increased the staff in their car shops at Porth, and are working their car shops at Porth, and are working St John. Messrs. A. Cushing & Co. will overtime. The Royal Electric Company is inbuild a mill of a capacity of twenty tons stalling a plant in their shops.

New Brunswick evidently has quite a charge. future as a pulp manufacturing centre. The some of these mills, and perhaps all, will be English syndicate who recently purchased in ourse of erection within a few months. the Masterson mill at Miramichi are making St. John, N.B., Globe.

pects of at least four other mills being crected, two of them in the immediate vicinity of Point, providing they are given water free of charge. . . . There is no doubt that

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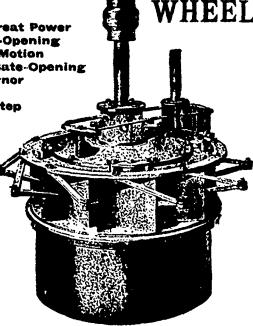
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tion being \$6,000,000.

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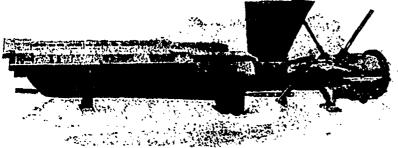
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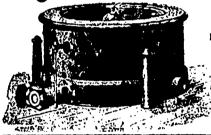
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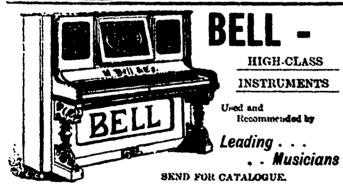


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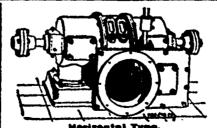
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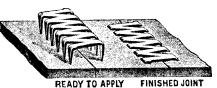
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