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CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED..... 500,000
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TOTAL ASSETS - - - - - \$1,583,263.52

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Capital, - - - - - \$1,000,000.00
Subscribed, - - - - - 1,000,000.00
Paid-up, - - - - - 664,932.86
Reserve Fund, - - - - - 140,000.00
Contingent Fund, - - - - - 2,696.54
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Nova Scotian.....	3,300	" W. Richardson.
Hibernian.....	3,494	" Hugh Wylie.
Caspian.....	3,200	Lt. B. Thomson, R. N. R.
Austrian.....	2,700	Lieut. R. Barrett, R. N. R.
Vestorian.....	2,700	Capt. D. J. James.
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Cabin.....	\$70 and \$80
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Finance Department, Ottawa, }
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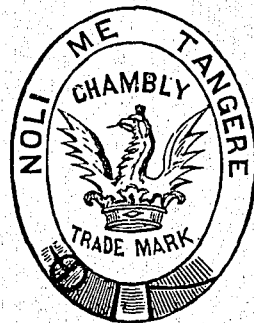
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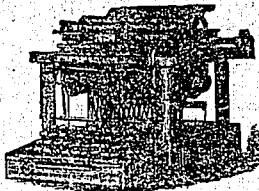
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THE LIQUIDATING of the Masson M'fg Co., Oshawa, is progressing slowly, and is said to be more expensive than is really necessary. Three years at \$5 a day is enough to make creditors ask questions: The sooner the matter is settled and business resumed, if possible, the better for all, creditors as well as the people of the village, employes, merchants, etc.

THE WHEAREBOOTS of Anthony Cain, grocer and liquor seller of St. John, N.B., who lately wandered from that city for more southerly quarters, is still a matter of concern to some of his creditors. Before leaving he assigned whatever property he possessed to his father-in-law on account of some endorsements. He forgot to pay even his printer's bill.

J. B. CROOKER, of Burlington, Ont., reported to have absconded, has returned and resumed his business of wire baskets. During his absence his effects were sold under chattel mortgages and for rent.—A. Cadenhead, of the same place, has compromised—after having assigned to a fellow-villager, James Allen—at 10c in the dollar.

THE terms proposed to his creditors by J. F. ROLLS, druggist, Winnipeg, are understood to be acceptable. The two lots on Hargrave street, transferred in December last, are being re-conveyed to the assignee, Mr. Alex. Moffatt, who also holds a chattel mortgage on the stock as security for the transfer to said assignee weekly of the proceeds of all sales, less disbursements, until the first instalment is paid, after which Mr. Rolls is to handle his own cash.

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The announcement of the Government offering the new four million loan to the people may be interpreted as an expression of confidence in the ability of the country to absorb such a sum without tending unduly to affect the loaning power of the banks, especially in view of the recent reduction of an equal amount in Government deposits.

Mr. Wm. J. Rattray, a well-known Toronto literary man, died in that city, the 26th ult., at the early age of 47. He was an author of some note, but some of his best efforts were put forth in connection with *Belford's Magazine* in its early days, where his "Current Events" became the most popular feature of that publication. Over-work, and its consequent brain-fever, terminated his career.

In the Bank statements for August, the column headed "Loans by Banks in Canada, unsecured," contains \$60,000 charged to the Bank of St. John, Que., an error caused by the dropping of the type from the line next above which belonged to the Union Bank of Lower Canada. And this reminds us that it is not too early for the Government to insist on a more rigid interpretation of the Bank statement headings.

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CHAS. T. RYLAND came to Montreal from our codfish colony some 3 or 4 years ago and, finding the climate more salubrious, determined on remaining. He entered into partnership with Mr. John Rhynas, in the oil business, in a small way, on Craig street, investing about \$2,000. The business not running smoothly, a dissolution took place, and meantime matters have not mended. Although a bookkeeper of 24 years' standing, he cannot now strike a satisfactory balance, but shows his creditors a statement of liabilities of about \$1,300 with assets of \$600 to \$700.

Wm. Robertson is a blacksmith at Benmiller, a post village in Harou County, Ont., who evidently conceived the idea that because the place yielded a profitable support to one store, enabling the proprietor to make some money, it could in a like manner support two. He accordingly opened up some two years ago, but having little or no capital he kept getting behind till a mortgagee distrained for arrears of interest and sold out the greater portion of the stock. The liabilities are about \$3,000; the only available assets are a house and lot and the store, and creditors get perhaps 40c. to 50c. in the dollar. Robertson is a man of integrity, but gave too much credit, as usual with inexperienced storekeepers.

Messrs. Malone & Livingston, retail grocers in Sherbrooke, Que., who bought out the firm of Sorel, Malone & Co., about a year ago, have assigned in trust, while still owing \$500 of the purchase money. They never possessed means, and having lost their limited lines of credit, together with having made some heavy losses recently by bad debts, were unable to continue. Two of the principal Montreal creditors are secured, and several seizures have been made. The liabilities are estimated at \$3,685, to pay which are stock and fixtures valued at

\$1,467, and book-debts of \$1,858. It is stated that a heavy percentage will be deducted from the last-named sum for bad and doubtful accounts. A meeting of creditors was held in this city last Tuesday.

The Provident Mutual Association of Canada have issued a circular deprecating certain attacks made on the officers of the company, and characterize as "absolutely false" the charges made, or to be made, reflecting upon the honesty of the management. As for their plans and modes of working they say "men will honestly differ on this as upon other matters." The circular is signed by A. DeMartigny, the president, who is the manager of La Banque Jacques Cartier, by Hon. W. W. Lynch and B. Globensky, the vice-presidents, and by Messrs. L. H. Massue, Jno. L. Cassidy, J. McEntire, M. Babcock, Jno. L. Harris, Arthur Gagnon, (secretary Royal Canadian Insurance Co.) and J. J. Guerin, M.D., constituting the board of directors.

This protracted and celebrated case of certain creditors against Archbishop Purcell of Cincinnati has been decided by the courts. Churches and other properties built or purchased by the contributions of their respective congregations are held exempt from confiscation, but those to which the Archbishop contributed are liable to the extent of his advances. In the former case, although in his name, the Archbishop held the title only as trustee. As to the cemeteries, although consecrated, it was decided that, as they were not dedicated to the public, that portion of them not sold in lots could be disposed of for the benefit of the creditors. The unfortunate financial operations of the Archbishop will afford a lesson not to be lost upon clergymen generally, many of whom appear to have but a faint idea of the relations of income and expenditure.

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G. F. CLINCH & SONS, of Musquash, N.B., who purchased mills and extensive lumber lands at Point Wolfe a few years ago, have assigned.

The Eastern Townships Bank has acquired the branch of the Exchange Bank at Bedford. On Wednesday the bank was opened as a branch of the Eastern Townships, with Mr. E. W. Morgan as interim manager.

J. G. TRIDER & Co., carpet dealers and house furnishers, Halifax, N.S., have assigned.—The revenue of the Dominion, exclusive of land sales, for the fiscal year ending 30th of June last, was \$35,388,334, and expenditure, \$28,805,229, leaving a surplus of \$7,083,105.

A CORRESPONDENT writes from St. John, N.B., that Messrs. James Harris & Co. have just finished 16 new box cars for the Nova Scotia Railway. The new passenger car this firm is building is to be the handsomest car ever built in the Lower Provinces. It will be sent to the exhibition.

The first shipment of this year's wheat from Manitoba was made on Monday, Sept. 24th. Two car-loads of No. 1 hard were sent to Hamilton, one to Brantford, and one to Montreal. It went over the Canadian Pacific Railway to Port Arthur, thence by Steamer "United Kingdom" to Sarnia, thence by rail to its destination.

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The Hamilton Whip Co. has been incorporated, with a capital stock of \$20,000. Of the incorporators are Walter J. Swartzenburg and Hugh Daly, whip manufacturers.—The Toronto Electric Light Company has been incorporated, with a capital stock of \$200,000, divided into shares of \$100 each.—A veneering mill is about to be established at Bolton.

On Monday last the new fire insurance tariff went into operation throughout Ontario. The Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association has been formed, with offices in Toronto, and with Mr. Robert MacLean as secretary, which will direct the working of the tariff. The rates and classification have already been published in this journal.

The stock of Boyer & Sney, of St. Johns, Que., already alluded to, is being offered for sale by the assignee, Mr. J. J. M. Duff. The total liabilities are \$4250; assets consist of stock \$2585; debts, good, \$280; doubtful, \$618; bad \$152.—A prominent professional man and former politician of Hamilton is reported missing during the last few days.

Toronto advices are to the effect that the estate of the late Noah Barnhart, of Toronto, who died presumably wealthy, is found to be

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insolvent. Deceased was a partner of Hugh Clishholm & Co., grain merchants, Meaford, and a meeting of their creditors has been held, the Ontario Bank and L. Coffee & Co. being heavily interested. It is supposed that the Barnhart estate will pay between 50 and 75 cents on the dollar.

The details of the amalgamation of the Union Bank of Charlottetown with the Bank of Nova Scotia have been completed, and the amalgamation went into effect October 1st. The Charlottetown branch continues under Mr. G. McLeod as manager; the Summerside and Montague branches are continued under Mr. N. McKelvie and Mr. M. J. Fitzgerald respectively. The Bank of Nova Scotia has now twenty-two agencies. It was established in 1832, and has a capital of \$1,000,000 and a "rest" of \$400,000.

MR. EDWARD CARTER, Q.C.—We deeply regret, in common with all classes of our fellow-citizens, to have to record the death, at the latter end of last week, of Mr. Edward Carter, Q.C., who had long held a high position at the Montreal Bar. Mr. Carter was at one time in Parliament as a member for the county of Brome, but of late years he has confined him-

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self to the practice of his profession. The members of the Montreal Bar met promptly after the decease of Mr. Carter, and unanimously recorded their sense of his merits, and resolved to attend his funeral in a body.

Mrs. HELEN G. BALLARD, of Paris, Ont., who has continued the furniture business of her husband since his death some 4 years ago, supporting a large family, having been sued by one or two creditors, has assigned for the benefit of all concerned. The failure is attributed to some dealings with the Oshawa Cabinet Co. whose drafts, amounting to nearly \$300, she had accepted. By arrangement with their traveller she returned about one-half the goods, the amount of which it is claimed they agreed to credit on the drafts. But these having been discounted in Oshawa, she was sued for the whole amount. It is stated that the assignee intends proceeding against the Oshawa company in the matter. Mrs. Ballard's trouble may partly be attributed to not collecting promptly, and giving too much credit. She hopes to pay in full, but 75c in the dollar will probably be nearer the mark.

Mr. Gordon Brown, late editor of the Toronto Globe, has entered suit against Mr. Thos. Nelson, capitalist, of Edinburgh, Scotland, to be relieved of a claim of \$38,000 worth of Globe stock held against him by the latter gentleman. Mr. Brown also sues for the return to him of \$22,000 worth of the same

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stock, pledged as security for a loan of \$38,000, negotiated through the Bank of Montreal, with which to purchase the first named stock. The agreement was that Mr. Brown should be the managing editor of the Globe, and pay for the stock out of his salary. Having been dismissed, as he alleges, without cause from his position, he claims that he is entitled to be released.

Miss A. JASPER began the millinery and fancy goods a year ago in a small wooden shop standing on rented ground at Emerson, Manitoba, and, with little or no capital, succeeded in working up a liability of \$1,500 before she made the recent assignment. Her assets are sworn to at \$2,400, consisting of the shop referred to and stock of ladies' and children's fancy goods. The latter, which is probably saleable at one-fourth the inventoried price, is in the hands of the sheriff on a debt of about \$300, which she will have settled if the other creditors agree to a compromise. There are not wanting people in the town who think Miss Jasper's business overdone; and the recent depression in the North-west has not been favorable to the sale of that class of goods.

Among the business changes of the week are the following. In Ontario:—Hyndman and

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Hamilton, general dealers, Appin; F. Dean, brickmaker, Hamilton; Thos. Donovan and Wm. Lightfoot, fruit dealers, Toronto, have assigned. In Quebec:—Samuel Peabody, storekeeper, Mansonville, offers to compromise; McDonnell Bros., box factory, have called creditors together; B. Michaels & Co., upholsterers, Montreal; F. Lebel, general dealer, River Ouelle, and L. P. Cote, general dealer, Weedon, have assigned in trust. A. Marceau & Frere, grocers, Quebec, offer 35c on the dollar. New Brunswick:—Wm. Stephenson, flour dealer, St. John, has assigned. Manitoba and North West:—Geo. Ripple & Co., hardware dealers, Brandon; Looby & Davidson, shoes and harness, Winnipeg, have assigned in trust; the stock of J. R. Cameron & Co., tailors, Winnipeg, sold by sheriff at 38c in the dollar; the general stock of J. J. Campbell & Co., Regina, is offered for sale by the assignee; Geo. Wilson, dry goods, Winnipeg, is removing to Almonte, Ont. Nova Scotia:—Nathan Lewis, grocer, and Oliver McGill, marble dealer, Yarmouth, and the Annapolis Organ Company have assigned in trust.

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The stock of McNeill & Hislop, Galt, Ont., was sold by the sheriff on Monday last at 65c in the dollar under executions in his hands to a large amount. They had been but a few months in business.—C. E. Thompson, rubber stamp dealer, left town this week in company with another, probably to enjoy the "fortune" recently left him.

Through some unaccountable oversight the judgment in the celebrated case of the Consolidated Bank versus Davis et al., rendered in the Superior Court the 4th ultimo, escaped notice in these columns. The action, as will be remembered, was instituted against Messrs. S. Davis and J. L. Moss,—formerly in partnership under the name of S. Davis & Co.,—wholesale manufacturers and dealers in cigars,—by the Canada Securities Co. in the name of the Consolidated Bank, whose assets it had bought, among these assets being a note for \$25,425 signed in the name of S. Davis & Co. The firm had been considerably indebted to the bank when partnership was dissolved. Mr. Moss, who undertook to liquidate the affairs of the partnership, continued to get advances from the Bank after he had entered another business, and to cover the entire overdrawn account Mr. Moss gave the note to question. The Court maintained the pretensions of Mr. Davis, that Moss had not the right to sign the note in the name of the firm, the partnership being then dissolved; and

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Mr. Davis denying that the firm had ever owed as much as sued for, the case so far as referred to him was dismissed entirely. In regard to the case against Mr. Moss, the liquidators having offered to take \$2,000 to close the matter, the Court was not disposed, under the circumstances, to condemn Moss to pay more than that figure, and judgment was given against him for that amount.

THE NEW FISH REGULATIONS.—The first cargo of Newfoundland herrings coming under the new regulations, arrived in port last Tuesday. For several years past jobbers in this fish were put to no little trouble and inconvenience, owing to the Amendment to the Fish Inspection Act of 1874, by which Newfoundland was exempted from the conditions of the Act as regards inspection. No sooner was the Amendment passed than frauds began to creep in; in a short time No. 3 herrings had all disappeared, and No. 2 became very scarce; goods were branded indiscriminately, so much so that out

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- Jules Regnier, Dijon, Burgundies and Chablis.
- L. M. Canneaux et Fils, Château de Dizy, près Epervanay, Champagnes.
- Renaudin Bollinger & Co., Ay, Champagnes.
- Seigert & Sons, Trinidad, Genuine Angostura Bitters
- Wheeler & Co., Belfast Ginger Ales, &c. (Export Bottlers.)
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- Rois Ponsset & Co., Barcelona and Tarragona Spanish Ports.
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- Baugher Whisky Distillery Co., (Limited), Old Irish Whiskies.
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BANKING AND CURRENCY.

Mr. John McLennan has contributed to the *Gazette* a second letter on the subject which we have prefixed to these remarks, but without giving his readers much insight into his views on the subject of amendments to the Banking Act, which, nevertheless, he plainly intimates are not only necessary but likely to be soon proposed. He states that he thinks "the time of re-construction must shortly come." He likewise tells the *Gazette* that he is glad to find from his remarks that "we are at one as to the necessity of dealing with the currency in such a way that the man who has practically no choice but to accept what is current may be protected." Now it must be borne in mind that the *Gazette* distinctly propounded that the United States national currency system should be adopted in Canada, and as Mr. McLennan is "at one" with him it is to be inferred that he shares that opinion.

The really important question for consideration is whether the bank notes

which principally constitute the currency of the country should be furnished by the chartered Banks on their own security or either by the Government direct, as in England practically, or on the deposit of Government securities, as in the United States. There are important differences between the English and the American systems which are decidedly in favor of the former. In England the profit on the issues is derived by the nation, while in the United States it is nominally obtained by the banks, which are, however, heavily taxed as a set-off. Then in the United States there are over 2,000 issuing banks, while in England there is but one, and the important object sought by Sir Robert Peel has been attained, not only that gold and notes are of the same value, but that the paper circulation is precisely what it would be if gold alone was the currency in use. This object has never been even attempted in the United States. We own that we should deeply regret, in case it were seriously contemplated to deprive the banks of their present right of issue, that a preference should be given to the National Bank system of the United States over that which was so successfully introduced in England in 1844, which has stood the test of experience, and which has been for several years partially in operation in Canada.

It seems to us passing strange that both the *Gazette* and Mr. McLennan have failed even to notice the practical difficulties in the way of the adoption of either of the systems to which we have adverted,—difficulties which were the main cause of the failure of the Bank of Issue scheme recommended by Lord Sydenham in 1841. At a rough estimate, the Canadian banks have made loans to their customers to the extent of from 20 to 25 millions of dollars in reliance on at least that amount being always required by the public in the form of bank notes. Now, if a change were introduced, by which the circulation were in future to be based on Government securities and gold, the practical effect would be that the banks would have to reduce their loans to the public to the extent above indicated, and this could not be done without incurring the certainty of commercial stringency. When the change was effected in the United States the nation was practically insolvent, and gold at an immense premium. In England the Act of 1844 permitted existing banks to continue their issues according to the average of preceding years, and, moreover, bank issues other than those of the Bank of England had long been prohibited

in London and within a radius of 65 miles of that city. Those who advocate a change of such an important character as the substitution of notes issued on Government security for those issued, as at present, on commercial paper, should at least state how they propose to meet the difficulty.

Far from discussing this important point, Mr. McLennan has confined his observations chiefly to a general censure on bank directors. He states, "I should hold them responsible for a proper estimate of the character of all the business proposed to the bank;" but it may be doubted whether it would be possible to find bank directors who would assume such responsibility. We fail to discover the meaning of the reference to signatures to bank returns unless it is meant that they are designedly framed to deceive. The most important item in bank returns is that which gives the amount of bills discounted, and this is what no manager or director can guarantee to be of the full value that it represents. Mr. McLennan refers to the calamities which overtook several of our banks after the last crisis, but he cannot be unaware of the fact that, although the banks to which he refers had to succumb to those calamities, yet there was not a single bank in the country that went through the same crisis without suffering heavy loss. That such losses are consequent on transactions which involve risk proportionate to the profit, which allures investors to embark their capital in banks, is evident from the losses sustained by half a dozen London banks in 1875, which aggregated between four and five millions of dollars, and yet a writer in treating of the subject remarks: "There were satisfactory proofs, however, that the relationship between the directors and shareholders of the respective concerns was in no sense largely disturbed. Regrets, annoyances, bitter disappointments were of course manifested. There was an absence of clamor, no excitement or revengeful feelings, only a calm, steady, invincible faith that the great springs of credit were unimpaired; that the strength of the monetary institutions of the metropolis would be soon restored by prudence and reasonable self denial in regard to dividends." We confess that we fear that the tendency of Mr. McLennan's contributions to the press, which are void of a single practical suggestion for improved administration of our banks, must be to impair public confidence in the banking system, although we are very far indeed from attributing to the writer any such intention.

CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

It will be generally admitted that the speech of Mr. A. G. Ramsay, President of the Canada Life Assurance Company, which will be found elsewhere in our columns, is a valuable contribution to the history of Life Assurance in Canada. The Canada Life has now been 36 years in existence, and Mr. Ramsay has divided that period into three cycles, and has shewn the income and the amount insured at the termination of each of those periods. The first period must have been one of anxiety, as the progress was slow, owing to a very natural doubt as to the ability of a Canadian company to cope with the old and firmly established companies of Great Britain and the United States. At the end of the second period success had been assured, and from that time to the present the progress of the company has kept pace with the general improvement of the country. It seems almost marvellous to find an increase of income from \$127,727 to \$1,150,388, and an increase in the amount assured from \$3,105,401 to more than \$30,000,000. The success of Life Assurance companies depends largely on the prudent investment of their funds, and Canada possesses the advantage of affording opportunities for safe investment at much higher rates of interest than can be obtained in England. It is scarcely necessary in the present day to enlarge on the importance of life assurance, which ought to be looked on as one of the first charges on the income of every young man. The statements which will, we trust, be carefully read, afford evidence that the people of Canada are fully alive to the importance of making provision, while able to do so, for those who are dependent upon them. We observe that the meeting of shareholders which has recently taken place was held in the new building erected by the Company, and which is of a substantial character, and an ornament to the city in which the Company has its headquarters. In noticing the report of the Canada Life we should not omit to congratulate the Company on the extension of their business in the Province of Quebec, which is under the able management of Mr. Marjng.

THE BOARD OF TRADE.

At the quarterly meeting of the Montreal Board of Trade, held on Tuesday last, the president called attention to the necessity of an insolvent law, and to the advisability of the Government assuming the control of the telegraph. He likewise referred to the operations which

are being carried on for the deepening of the channel of the St. Lawrence. We have no reason to doubt that the President gave a faithful exposition of the views of the commercial classes on the various subjects to which he referred. It is to be hoped that the Government will see the necessity of taking up the question of insolvency and proposing on their responsibility a measure substantially in accordance with the Act recently enacted by the Imperial Parliament. Great care had been bestowed on the subject by gentlemen of commercial experience, and although it is hardly probable that the Act is perfect yet it is an immense improvement on all previous legislation.

With regard to the assumption by Government of the control of the telegraph system, while we are ready to acknowledge the success which has attended the assumption of the telegraph system in England, we cannot shut our eyes to the difficulty which would be experienced on this continent if the Canadian Government were to undertake to operate the telegraph system, while the United States telegraph system was in the hands of private companies. We fear that, situated as we are, we have no course open to us but to wait patiently until public opinion in the United States shall have been sufficiently powerful to induce the Government of that country to undertake the business of telegraphy, when we ought to be prepared to follow with promptitude so good an example. Meantime we must be permitted to doubt the expediency of our Government placing itself in the position of having to enter into business arrangements with private companies in the United States.

With regard to the operations in the channel it is satisfactory to feel assured that there is reasonable ground for expecting that the time is not distant when the recommendation of Lord Sydenham in his message to the House of Assembly of 20th August, 1841, will have been fully acted on. That recommendation was that the Government should be authorized by Parliament to undertake, together with other works, such as the canals, "the improvement of Lake St. Peter, and the navigation between Quebec and Montreal, for vessels of large burthen." It is now over forty-two years since the recommendation was made, and it is lamentable to find that there is less appreciation to-day of the importance of the work than there was when it was first proposed. Montreal, however, has been steady in its advocacy of a work which is really of the greatest value to the entire country to the westward.

THE MAIL AND THE BOUNDARY.

The following article was unavoidably shut out of our last issue, and we have consequently had an opportunity of seeing the remarks of the *Bystander* on the important question of the Ontario boundary. *Bystander* holds that "Governments are bound by the acts of their predecessors;" that "Chief Justice Harrison ought to have been able to construe the language of the instrument under which he was appointed;" that "Sir John Macdonald bows to political necessity in this case, as he manifestly did in the Letellier case and in the case of Orange incorporation;" that "Quebec rules at Ottawa, and Quebec regards with jealousy any extension of Ontario;" and that "Ontario pays for the industrial stagnation, and for the political corruption of her partner, and it would be hard if she were to be dwarfed by her partner's jealousy besides." *Bystander* seems either unable or unwilling to pronounce any opinion on the point in dispute as to whether the expression "to determine the boundaries" required the arbitrators to find "a true legal boundary" where they were of opinion that none had ever been established. He, however, admits that "to us the wording of the instructions appears broad enough."

There is, we fear, little use in protracting a controversy with a journal which persists, as the *Mail* does, in resorting to the grossest misrepresentation. The *Mail* disclaims any disposition to discredit the name or fame of Chief Justice Harrison; but, while admitting that "the nature of a good and acceptable arbitration requires that it should come to such a conclusion as could be made a matter of judicial decision," he, on a former occasion, drew a distinction between the duty of an arbitrator and a judge, and expressly stated that Chief Justice Harrison would have been to blame as a judge had he given the decision which he gave as an arbitrator. The *Mail* seems to have completely abandoned his former position, to which we took exception, and which was that an arbitrator ought to be an advocate of the claims of the party by which he was appointed. The *Mail* professes to be surprised that three gentlemen, called on to arbitrate on a question like that of the Ontario boundary, which required the careful study of several volumes of printed matter, more than 1,000 pages in length, should have examined them in their own studies, with the cases of the counsel on both sides before them, instead of waiting to listen to the

speeches of the lawyers. That they arrived at the same conclusion on the main points without any communication with one another is said to be "preposterous," and that "it smells of jobbery," if not that "it smells of raw haste and discreditable jobbery." And the writer of such language disclaims any idea of slandering the late Chief Justice Harrison, a man as much the superior of his libeller as one man can be to another.

The *Mail* charges us with "quibbling" because we have pointed out that there is a difference, and we will add an important difference, between a reference to find "the true legal boundaries," and "to determine the boundaries." The *Mail* cannot comprehend, apparently, that the language of a charter may be so vague that it would be impossible for any tribunal "to find a true legal boundary," inasmuch as such does not exist. The truth is that the *Mail* has a duty to perform, which it must be admitted it labors with sufficient zeal to discharge. That duty is to defend the action of the Dominion Government, right or wrong, and even to sacrifice, if necessary, the rights of the Province of Ontario rather than the interests of the Government. The party politicians of the class to which the *Mail* belongs, have throughout this controversy pretended to believe that Ontario was entitled to more territory than was awarded by the arbitrators, and accordingly they have tried to establish that doubtful points were decided against that Province. Now, the pretension of the Dominion Government which is what would be contended for by counsel before the Judicial Committee, Supreme Court, or any other tribunal, is that the true legal boundaries are the height of land on the North and what is called the due North line from the confluence of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers on the West. In regard to that claim, the arbitrators were clear in their opinion that such were not the true boundaries.

The *Mail*, in all probability, has never taken the trouble to read the documentary evidence, and it would perhaps be unwise in him to do so, but if he had, he would have ascertained that no "true and legal" boundary has ever been defined on the North-West, and that the term "determine" was properly used under the circumstances. At all events, the *Mail* should not resort to the fabrication of a public document. He professes to think that "to find the true legal boundary" and "to determine the boundary," are synonymous expressions. Let him rejoice in his opinion, but cease to assert that the language of the Order in Council

is different from what it is. We record our dissent from his opinion, and are quite satisfied that the public shall judge between us, but we shall continue to protest against the misquotation.

The *Mail* must be aware that the title of the Hudson's Bay Company was to "all the territories" not possessed by the subjects of any other Christian Prince or State in the year 1670. It must likewise be aware that the boundary established by a proclamation issued under the Statute of 1791 was a line drawn due North from the head of Lake Temiscamingue to the boundary of Hudson's Bay. Over and over again the opponents of the award have been challenged to name a possible North-Western boundary to meet the language of the statute, "including all the territory to the westward and southward of the said line to the utmost extent of the country commonly called or known by the name of Canada." All this has been repeated *usque ad nauseam*, but no reply has ever been made. The arbitrators having found true legal boundaries on the South-West and North-East were bound "to determine" on a line to unite them, and they did so by a natural boundary, and one that the Hudson's Bay Company had at one time offered to accept.

The "doubt" question is easily disposed of. We shall first quote the words used: "the only questions of doubt were decided in favor of the Dominion. Both on the West and North the doubts were whether Ontario should not have had more territory." Now we may observe, 1st. That this was the opinion of one of the arbitrators alone. 2nd. That the same arbitrator has repeatedly affirmed that the decision as to the South-Western and North-Eastern boundary was arrived at from an examination of the papers by each arbitrator before their meeting at Ottawa; and, 3rdly, that inasmuch as no precise boundary was ever defined on the North-West it is absolutely necessary that a conventional line should be "determined" on, while it cannot be denied that the one recommended to the arbitrators by Colonel Dennis, deputy Minister of the Interior is the most convenient that can be selected. It seems impossible for the *Mail* to avoid deviating from the truth. He states, "Now we are told that the arbitrators had no doubts at all, and only decided the doubtful points because the counsel (who were not heard) had raised them." It is absolutely false that the counsel were not heard, and it is so transparent a falsehood, that it requires the audacity of the *Mail* to utter it. The printed

papers will at once satisfy any enquirer that Mr. McMahon spoke as long as Mr. Mowat, and although Mr. Monk was not quite as long as Mr. Hodgins, both of the learned counsel did full justice to their cases. However, they were not the counsel specially referred to in our former article, who were those employed in the De Reinhard's case in 1818, and who contended, as many other high authorities have done, including the Dawson Brothers, for a far more western boundary than that determined by the award. The *Mail* assures us that "the public are sick of the subject." We are not surprised to learn that the readers of the *Mail* are thoroughly sick of his efforts to defraud the Province of Ontario of its territory for the benefit of Manitoba, which, most assuredly, never had a vestige of claim to it.

ENGLISH OPINION ON THE COLONIES.

The *Nineteenth Century* for September has two contributions on subjects of great interest to the people of Canada, one from a venerable statesman, Earl Grey, who has nearly completed his 81st year, and who filled the office of Secretary of State for the Colonies from 1846 to 1852. He it was who selected the Earl of Elgin as Governor General at a critical period of our history. The other contribution is from the pen of Mr. H. O. Arnold-Forster, and is in support of "Imperial Federation." Earl Grey's article is entitled "Ireland and the Empire," and is interesting chiefly in regard to the policy of State-aided emigration, to which his ordship is strongly opposed. With reference to the scheme, recently propounded, of settling 10,000 emigrants from the West of Ireland on farms of wild land in the Dominion of Canada, Lord Grey observes, "I see no grounds for hoping that such a scheme can end otherwise than in the complete disappointment of all concerned in it. In order to succeed as a settler on wild land, a man must possess not only industry but skill, with habits of prudence and self-denial. Will the intended settlers possess these qualities, and if they should would they need any aid from the State?" The object of Earl Grey's article is to advocate the non-interference of the State with the operation of economic laws, which he maintains will regulate the relations of the various classes of society. He contrasts very favorably the position of the agricultural laborers in an English county with the peasant proprietors of France and with the tenant class in Ire-

land, arguing that if the latter were proprietors, the distress would be as great as at present.

With reference to emigration, Lord Grey admits that, as a remedy for a local congestion of population it may be valuable, but that it can be effected by the efforts of those who expect to benefit by their departure or by private benevolence. He thinks that there are insurmountable objections to a large system of emigration carried on at the public cost under the direction of the Government. Lord Grey is unfortunate in his reference to the emigration policy of Lord John Russell's Government in 1848, which many now living can recollect. There are, however, some interesting facts stated, one being that the Emigration Commissioners reported in 1853 that the remittances made by the emigrants in six years aggregated £7,520,000 or \$37,600,000, and that this paid three-fourths of the expenses incurred. One Irish landlord, the late Earl Fitzwilliam, spent no less than \$250,000 in assisting distressed tenants to emigrate. It is well to bear in mind that the mortality in 1847 and 1848 was very great. It appears from papers laid before Parliament by the Board of Trade that remittances to aid in enabling friends of settlers to emigrate are still made to a great extent, say from \$7,000,000 to \$10,000,000 annually. Lord Grey apprehends that the effect of affording State aid would be to interfere with the natural and healthy emigration, which is now going on upon so great a scale, without cost to the State. Lord Grey has apparently wholly failed to grasp the comprehensive scheme of assisted emigration to the North-West which seems at least well deserving of a trial.

—Mr. Arnold-Forster entitles his article "The Liberal Idea and the Colonies," and under that caption argues strongly in favor of Imperial Federation as the only mode of maintaining the connection between the Colonies and the United Kingdom. He furnishes tables shewing the proportions of imports into various countries from Great Britain and British possessions. It may be interesting to notice these returns. Canada is much the lowest in the scale, taking only 45 per cent; Queensland and Mauritius each 87, New South Wales and Natal each 88, Victoria, Cape of Good Hope and New Zealand each 90, India 91, South Australia 93, West Australia 95; and Tasmania 98 per cent. In contrast, the imports into France were 13, Italy 21, Russia 26, Spain 28, and United States 41. Of the exports from the United Kingdom the British possessions took, in 1880, 33 per cent, and

foreign countries 67. In only ten years' between 1870 and 1880, was the proportion slightly greater to the British possessions. Mr. Arnold-Forster has proved the great importance of the continuance of the present relations between Great Britain and her Colonies, but he has, in our judgment, completely failed to establish the other branch of his subject, which is that Imperial Federation would be likely to perpetuate the connection. It would, in our opinion, be much wiser if the sincere friends of the connection, and we feel assured that Mr. Arnold-Forster is one, would wait patiently until the colonists, who have legislatures to convey their wishes, make a demand for a change in their relations to the Empire. Mr. Arnold-Forster notices what he terms "one of the commonest and cheapest fallacies which has been tossed up on the great sea of clap-trap." This is that "every people know their own interest best, and if the Colonies wish to separate from us it is presumably because they know their own interest best, and it is not for us to gainsay them." It is a mistake made, certainly in Canada, and probably in all the Colonies, and it is likewise in England, to attach undue importance to contributions to the press. If an article appears in the London *Times* criticising with severity some proceeding of the Government or Parliament of Canada, the press of Canada immediately assumes that the English people are responsible for such opinions, although there has not been the least reason to suppose that they are entertained by either the Government or Parliament of the United Kingdom.

Our own belief is that what is termed Imperial Federation would result almost certainly in separation from the United Kingdom. The truth is that Canada is in the happy position of not having a single real grievance, at least not one, for which she cannot apply a remedy through the action of her own Legislatures. Mr. Arnold-Forster, himself a Liberal, charges his party with having assumed an attitude, which is calculated, if persisted in, to produce the absolute and certain dissolution of the Empire, as it has hitherto existed; and he further states that such a dissolution is contemplated, if not with satisfaction, at any rate with indifference, by an appreciable number of those who are concerned in forming public opinion. And yet after such an assertion he cites an eloquent passage from a speech of Mr. Gladstone, the leader of the Liberal party, in which he says that "we should almost as soon think of renouncing the name of Englishman as

"of renouncing the great duties which are imposed on us in regard to the more distant, but not less dear, portions of this Great British Empire." Such sentiments leave no ground for complaint.

Meetings, &c.

THE CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

The 36th annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Canada Life Assurance Company was held at Hamilton on Tuesday, the 25th ult. There were present:—Messrs. Adam Brown, Geo. A. Cox, F. W. Gates, Col. C. S. Gzowski, A.D.C. to the Queen; Alex. Bruce, W. F. Burton, Campbell Ferrie, Wm. Hendrie, Rev. Canon Innes, London; Walter R. Macdonald, Hon. D. McInnes, H. McLaren, D. Moore, John Riddell, John Stuart, George A. Young, Charles Riordon, J. W. Marling, W. F. Findlay, D. Kidd and others.

The chair was occupied by the president of the company, Mr. A. G. Ramsay.

Mr. R. Hills, the secretary, read the

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

In coming before the shareholders in the company's new premises, on the occasion of their 36th annual meeting, the directors offer their hearty congratulations upon its completion and occupation. It affords the extended office accommodation which the company's largely increased business requires, and supplies the best class of fire-proof vaults, necessary for the protection of the company's books and records. It will, moreover, give satisfaction to the shareholders to know that a most perfect burglar-proof strong room has been provided to contain the debentures and other valuable securities in which the larger proportion of the company's funds and assets are invested, in place of the previous inefficient provision for them, which had long given the directors much cause for anxiety and apprehension. The convenience and eligibility of that portion of the building not at present necessary for the company's own purposes, have led to its being rapidly leased, upon terms which make it a fair and prudent investment, and the attractions of the structure itself have called such a degree of attention to the stability and advantages of the company as have greatly contributed to make the business of the past year the largest and most successful it has ever transacted.

The applications for assurance during the year to 30th April last were 2,534 for \$5,149,634, but of these 219 for \$373,900 having been declined, and 137 for \$244,000 not been carried out, the new assurances of the year were for \$4,534,734, under 2,178 policies, giving a new premium income of \$142,376.51. The total sum assured at 30th April last, with bonus additions, amounted to \$30,139,094.99 under 16,425 policies, upon 13,279 lives. This year's income as shown by the accounts amounted to \$1,150,337.72. Claims by death during the year were upon 137 lives, under 163 policies, for the sum of \$329,735.72, while the mortality expected and calculated upon was for an amount of \$400,035. The Company's assets have been increased during the year by the large sum of \$553,425.68, and amounted at 30th April last to \$5,617,632.33. A dividend was paid to the shareholders during the year at the rate of 15 per cent per annum, and there was left at the credit of the Proprietors' Account the balance of \$101,818.80, as at 30th April last. In accordance with the Company's Charter, the following gentlemen, whose names stand first on the list of Directors, retire from the Board, but are eligible for re-election:—John Stuart, Esq., Dennis Moore, Esq., William Hendrie, Esq., all of Hamilton; Geo. A. Kirkpatrick, Esq., M.P., Kingston; and A. G. Ramsay, Esq., Hamilton.

(Signed) A. G. RAMSAY, President.
R. HILLS, Secretary.

The Canada Life Assurance Company,
Hamilton, Ont., 19th Sept., 1883.

Statement of Receipts and Payments of the
Canada Life Assurance Company, for the
36th year, ending 30th April, 1883.

RECEIPTS.

To balance at 30th April, 1882.....	\$4,694,517 05
Premiums received on new policies and renewals.....	\$512,859 84
Extra risks.....	1,295 92
Fines.....	245 83
Interest earned on investments, and profit on sale of debentures, &c.....	335,906 13
	<u>1,150,337 71</u>
	\$5,844,854 76

PAYMENTS.

By expense account...	\$ 152,726 04
Liens on half-credit policies (suspended) written off....	307 20
Re-insurance premiums.....	4,631 62
Claims by death.....	\$289,650 95
Claims by matured endowments.....	9,187 50
	<u>298,838 49</u>
Cancelled (purchased) policies.....	21,027 00
Annuities.....	648 00
Profit of Mutual Branch—"Bonus".....	\$ 37,594 61
"Cash".....	12,979 50
"Diminution of Premiums".....	84,513 28
	<u>135,487 48</u>
Dividends on stock.....	18,750 00
	<u>\$ 632,015 83</u>
Balance of assets as per general abstract of assets and liabilities.....	5,212,838 93
	<u>\$5,844,854 76</u>
(Signed), A. G. RAMSAY, President. R. HILLS, Secretary.	
The Canada Life Assurance Company, Hamilton, 7th August, 1883.	
Audited and approved. (Signed) J. A. SYDNEY CROCKER, Auditor.	

General Abstract of the Assets and Liabilities
of the Canada Life Assurance Company, as at
30th April, 1883.

ASSETS.

Cash on hand \$394.94, and in banks \$65,152.39.....	\$ 65,577 33
Mortgages on real estate—value in acct.	911,183 22
Debentures—value in account.	
City.....	\$496,720 79
County.....	267,573 34
Town.....	563,840 38
Township.....	379,153 44
Village.....	513,041 65
Harbour of Montreal.....	112,400 00
Ontario Government (subsidy).....	4,371 41
Canadian Pacific land grant bonds.....	483,250 00
	<u>\$2,820,351 01</u>
Bank stocks.....	215,721 25
Stock in loan companies.....	16,812 50
Loans on policies.....	369,875 80
Loans on stocks, etc....	244,025 00

Ground rents (present value).....	18,671 93
Real estate—Hamilton, Montreal, and Toronto properties.....	341,000 00
Liens on half-century policies in force.....	196,281 50
Office furniture	7,870 41
Suspense account.....	5,468 98
	<u>\$5,212,838 93</u>

OTHER ASSETS.

Cash in agents' and others' hands, including receipts held by them for premiums which have since been accounted for.....	\$218,615 31
Half-yearly and quarterly premiums secured on policies and payable within 9 months	121,832 33
	<u>\$340,447 64</u>
Deduct 10 per cent. for cost of collecting.....	34,044 76
	<u>306,402 88</u>
Accrued interest on debentures, etc.....	98,390 52
	<u>\$5,617,632 33</u>

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid up.....	\$ 125,000 00
Proprietors' Account.....	101,818 92
Assurance Funds.....	4,202,107 70

Note.—From this falls to be deducted \$53,286.17 as it is paid for death claims not fully due, or for which claimants had not presented valid discharges at April 30th, 1883, nearly all since paid.

Assurance and Annuity Funds.....	90 83
Annuity Funds.....	5,267 05
Profit Funds, being declared profits upon Mutual Assurances.....	757,976 09

Note.—From this falls to be deducted \$15,548.87 as it is paid for vested profits on the above unpaid death claims and "Cash" and "Dominion" profits unpaid at 30th April, 1883.

Reserved profit on mutual policies	20,578 34
	<u>\$5,212,838 93</u>

(Signed), A. G. RAMSAY, President.

R. HILLS, Secretary

The Canada Life Assurance Company, }
Hamilton, August 7th, 1883. }

Audited and approved.

(Signed) J. A. SIDNEY CROCKER, Auditor.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INVESTMENTS.

We hereby certify that we have carefully examined and passed in detail the several securities specified in the "General Abstract of the Assets and Liabilities to 30th April last," and find the same to be correct, and have also verified the balance of cash.

(Signed), F. W. GATES.
THOS SWINYARD.
JAS. OSBORNE.

Canada Life Assurance Company's Offices,
Hamilton, 15th September, 1883.

Mr. RAMSAY then said:—

GENTLEMEN,—Upon the occasion of your first meeting in the Company's new premises it seems a fitting opportunity to glance very briefly at the history and progress of the institution since its establishment in 1847. Of the twenty original founders of the Company at that time there are to-day, I regret to say, only four alive, but I am happy to add that we have the good fortune to have still two of these gentlemen connected with it as Directors—I allude to Messrs. Nehemiah Merritt and James Osborne. When the Company

was originated, thirty-six years ago, it was then I believe, the only Canadian Life office which had been attempted, and the public, very naturally deeming it an experiment of which the success was very far from certain, was slow to give it support and countenance. Its success was consequently in its early years, although sound and substantial so far as it went, but very limited and gradual, as a glance at the figures of each of the three twelve yearly cycles since 1847 indicates, and that you may the more readily follow these figures, I have had a memo of them printed and placed in your hands. These show that in 1859, after twelve years' efforts, the income was but \$127,737, and the sums assured \$3,105,401 in 1871, after twenty-four years, the income had become \$355,437, and the sums assured \$8,309,111, while now, in 1883, after thirty-six years, the income reaches 1,150,333, and the sums assured \$30,139,095. The early figures of the business well indicate the difficulties with which a new institution of the kind had then to contend in inducing persons to appreciate the benefits of Life Assurance and in inspiring that public confidence in a novel Canadian enterprise which was essential to make it successful. Your directors, however, felt that patient perseverance in a careful and prudent management, combined with strictly just and liberal dealings with its assurers, would in due time secure its success, and the figures I have already given you amply prove that they have not been mistaken nor disappointed. In the past six years alone our Company has increased its income and sums assured to about twice what they were at the end of the previous thirty years, and the assets are to-day raised to \$5,617,632, or in these six years to about double what they were at the end of the thirty years referred to. These details prove the high degree of public confidence enjoyed by the Company, and we cannot doubt that a continuance of the same principles and practices, which have already produced such successful results in the past, will yet further add to them in the future. Since the commencement of the Company it has paid to the families and representatives of deceased assurers the large sum of \$2,765,786, and has thereby been the means of providing for many widows and children who would otherwise have been left wholly destitute. In addition to the payment of that large sum there has also been paid to assurers, by way of profits, a further amount of \$750,000, and over and above that there stands at their credit bonus and other profits of the cash value of \$788,834, making a total cash profit allowed to policyholders amounting to \$1,770,507. The report and accounts before you contain, I think, such a clear exposition of the business of the past year as to render it unnecessary to trouble you by any lengthened remarks as to them, but there are some points in the progress of the year to which I may draw your attention, more especially as during that time the Company's success has so greatly exceeded that of any similar period. You have been informed by the report that the year's new assurances reached the large amount of \$4,534,734. Such results indicate a most gratifying measure of success attained by the energetic labors of your agents and officers, who are thereby adding to the business of the Company at the rate of over \$12,000 per day. These new assurances produce a corresponding new premium income of \$142,376.51, and thus add a larger sum to the income in that single year than the whole amount of the income which had been secured at the end of the first twenty years. The total income of the past year was \$1,150,337.72, or more than \$3,000 per day, and \$53,425.68 were added to the assets, bringing them up to a total of \$5,617,632.33. The death claims last year were, as might be expected, in excess of those of the previous year, but they were largely under what was anticipated and provided for, and I may mention that during so much of the current year as has already elapsed since 1st May last, the claims by death have been remarkably light, being just about one-half of what they were at the same date for the

corresponding period last year. Of course it is quite likely that such an extremely favourable state of matters in that respect may not continue to the end of the year, but it is in the meantime a favourable feature of which you will be pleased to learn. It is satisfactory to be able to point to the gradual decrease of the percentage of the Company's expenses. It is already of quite a moderate amount, and it will continue to be further reduced from time to time, so far as that can be done consistently with the efficient conduct and extension of the business and the Company's best interests. The next division of the profits takes place in 1885, and while I desire to speak with great caution and hesitation as to the probable result of that, avoiding any prediction as to it, for like the profits of any other business they may be affected one way or the other by future circumstances which cannot be foreseen or foretold. I may say that an interim valuation lately made indicated that the profits of the past three years to April 30th last are at present nearly as large as those of the previous five years. I cannot close without alluding to the attractive and substantial building erected by the Company, and in which you meet for the first time. While conspicuous for its perfect architectural style, as well as for a tasteful and artistic harmony of all its details, reflecting the highest possible credit upon the architect, Mr. R. A. Waite, its appearance and construction indicate that stability and permanence which are the characteristics of the Company itself. Anything of a flimsy or sham kind in its construction has been studiously avoided, as being unworthy of the Canada Life's position and reputation. The safe and office accommodation, while useful and handsome, have been at the same time made so ample as to ensure that the requirements of the Company in these respects will be fully met for a long period to come. I beg to move that the Directors' report be adopted.

Mr. F. W. GATES, in seconding the motion for the adoption of the report, referred to the magnificent building which had recently been erected by the Company, and to the prosperous state of the institution generally. Mr. Ramsay's remarks had been so comprehensive that they left very little with relation to the Company's affairs to be said. He had much pleasure in seconding the adoption of a report so eminently satisfactory to the shareholders.

The resolution was carried unanimously. Mr. ADAM BROWN moved a vote of thanks to the President and Directors for their attention to the interests of the Company during the year. Mr. Brown said he could not move this resolution without expressing the great gratitude which was felt by the shareholders to the gentleman having charge of the affairs of the Company. He referred to the gradual increase of the premiums, which showed the experience and care of the Directors and officials, and a hearty expression of good-will to them was certainly due.

Mr. Charles Riordon, of Merritt, seconded the resolution in a few neat remarks, and it was passed unanimously.

Mr. Ramsay returned thanks in a few well-chosen sentences, for the kindness shown by the resolution. It had been a great satisfaction to himself and his fellow-workers to pass through such a successful year. He hoped that the same good fortune would attend them in the future. The prospects of the company were never brighter than at present. (Applause.)

Colonel Gzowski, on being called for by several in the meeting, said that as a Canadian by adoption, he felt proud of the Canada Life, and that he was connected therewith. There was no company in this country or Europe that has made such substantial progress as it has done under Mr. Ramsay's able management, and the sentiment of the resolution just passed was fully endorsed by him.

The scrutineers reported that the following gentlemen were re-elected directors for the next four years, namely: John Stuart, Esq., Hamilton; Dennis Moore, Esq., Hamilton; William

Hendrie, Esq., Hamilton; George A. Kirkpatrick, Esq., M. P., Kingston; A. G. Ramsay, Esq., Hamilton.

The meeting of shareholders then adjourned. Subsequently a meeting of the Directors was held, and Mr. A. G. Ramsay was re-elected President, and Mr. F. W. Gates was re-elected Vice-President.

It is high time the attention of the public be drawn to the character of many of the so-called "patent" or "proprietary" medicines sold in such large quantities throughout the country. That some of these panaceas are efficacious is owing to the faith produced by persistent advertising, but the best of them are prepared from an ordinary prescription with some harmless admixture in order to conceal the character of the ingredients. A St. Catharines, Ont., druggist is attempting to do good service by refusing to pay a note and interest sued upon by the Star Kidney Pad Co. of Toronto for goods sold him, which were represented as a "good and saleable article," alleging in defense that he never received value or consideration for the note. After the purchase of the pads it was found that they were perfectly valueless and unsaleable, and in consequence the defendant suffered considerable damage. The defendant made a counter claim of \$800, being for amount paid on notes, expenses, and damages resulting from the transaction. A Toronto analyst made a chemical analysis of the contents of the pad. The small pad contained 275 grains of the mixture and the large one 730 grains. The ingredients were:—Resin in fine powder, two parts; Cinchona bark, one part; leucogreek, one part; mustard seed in course powder, one part; fennel seed, fine powder, one-half part; ginger one-half part; bran, four parts. Dr. Wright, lecturer on the practice of medicine in the Toronto School of Medicine, a witness in the case, was shown the statement of the analysis. From his knowledge of the ingredients he did not think that the compound in the pads would have any effect on a wearer. The defendant gave evidence to prove that he had been induced to purchase the pads through the representations made by the plaintiffs' agent to the effect that they were effective cures for diseases of the kidneys, etc. Several witnesses were also called by the defendant to show that they were suffering from diseases of the kidneys and had worn the pads, but had found no relief. The inventor, a doctor in Galt, brought, on the other hand, witnesses to prove their curative properties.

"Working a racket" is a term of common use in the United States which will likely be found in the next edition of the national dictionary. "Rackets" are becoming more frequent in Canada, and it is no compliment to our shrewdness that they are so successful. Scarcely has the business community finished discussing the doings of the cheeseman Dewey than we hear of a clever scheme perpetrated upon that portion of the young women of Toronto who endeavor to earn their own living outside of factories and domestic service. The whole affair resembles so much the method of the woman Carlisle, who swindled a score or two of young persons and several trades-people, as well as the landlord, a few weeks ago in Montreal, that one is surprised at the audacity of the attempt. Mrs. Hazelton was her name in Toronto, and several young woman and tradesmen in that city are not likely to forget her for a while. The circular and advertisement issued in Toronto are singularly like those employed in Montreal, although it is said

she has a different method for each town. In Chatham she was known as Mrs. Tift. The American hotel, Toronto, found nothing in her room last Monday but a lot of letters in reply to her advertisement for dupes, and entered her 16 days' board to the debit of profit and loss. Young women should consult their parents or male relatives before putting their scanty funds into any new and easy schemes for getting rich. It is not a little singular that the very tradespeople who are so ready to trust plausible strangers with their goods will often refuse to let even a pair of shoes out of their hands without the cash to people in their own vicinity who never owed an honest account which they were not willing and able to meet.

HON. ISAAC BUCHANAN.—The numerous friends of the late Hon. Isaac Buchanan were in some measure prepared for the news which was telegraphed to Montreal on Monday, as the lamented gentleman has been for several months in failing health, and had reached the ripe age of 74. Mr. Buchanan was one of the survivors of those who were elected to the first Parliament after the union of the Provinces, where he sat for the city of Toronto. He at a subsequent period represented Hamilton, to which he removed, and where he continued to reside until his death. Few men were more generally known than Mr. Buchanan and few more respected. He carried on a large wholesale business for many years in Montreal and Hamilton. With every desire to accord to Mr. Buchanan all merited praise we must correct an error in the obituary notices of the *Gazette and Globe*, that "he took an active part in framing the Municipal System of Ontario." The first municipal bill passed in 1841, was a transcript of that which had been adopted by the Special Council of Lower Canada, and it was Lord Sydenham's boast, as will be seen on reference to his life, that he carried it intact. The next bill was framed by the Hon. Robert Baldwin. Mr. Buchanan supported the bill introduced by the Government under Lord Sydenham in 1841, and which was carried without amendment.

MR. JAMES LITTLE died at his residence, Côte St. Antoine, on Tuesday, the 2nd inst., in his 80th year. Mr. Little was long a resident in the Niagara District, Ontario, and moved to Montreal about 12 years ago; to be in the vicinity of timber limits, where he carried on extensive lumbering operations until within the last few years. Mr. Little was the first person to make a really vigorous effort to arouse public opinion on the subject of the destruction of our forests, and contributed many articles on the subject to the press. His son has followed in his father's footsteps, in regard to forestry. Mr. Little had a large circle of acquaintance in Ontario, where he was even better known than in Montreal.

THE VALUE of fish exported from Halifax during the 16 years ending with 1883 is as follows:

1868.....\$1,734,176	1876.....\$2,612,548
1869..... 1,658,117	1877..... 2,728,979
1870..... 1,915,096	1878..... 2,903,957
1871..... 2,169,893	1879..... 3,021,142
1872..... 2,426,980	1880..... 2,988,330
1873..... 2,581,267	1881..... 2,855,344
1874..... 2,605,074	1882..... 2,887,116
1875..... 2,510,731	1883..... 2,955,561

a showing on which the Halifaxians are to be congratulated. The value of the fish exports from 1870 to 1883 shows an increase of \$1,347,104 over those from 1874 to 1878.

FIRE RECORD.

QUEBEC.

Montreal, Sept. 24.—The loss by fire in T. J. Claxton & Co.'s premises amounted to \$14,000. Insurance paid \$12,000. Oct. 1.—A large building on Lower Lachine Road destroyed. Loss covered by insurance. Hull, Oct. 2.—A barn and stable owned by Dr. Scott, destroyed, with contents. Loss \$2,000; partly insured:—Also C. B. Wright's cement works totally destroyed. Loss about \$30,000; well insured.

Market Reports.

MONTREAL WHOLESALE MARKETS. THURSDAY, 4th Oct., 1883.

In the absence of produce movement from the interior, business, save in one or two departments, is not active, retailers, seemingly, preferring to hold off for clearer indications as to later wants. The Fall Wheat crop has threshed out a much lower yield and poorer quality than expected, owing, doubtless, to the low average temperature of the summer. Spring wheat, although not abundant, shows a better sample. Corn, which many western farmers planted in their winter-killed-wheat fields, suffered from the frost, and in the absence of much barley, oats and hay are the principal crops of the year. There is but a very ordinary demand for money; while the transactions on Change are scarcely enough to make a market. The usual stock quotations will be found in the table devoted to their department.

ASHES.—Receipts have been moderate the past week. Sales of Pots at \$4.00 to \$4.65 for First Sorts, \$4.10 to \$4.15 for Seconds. No Thirds offering. All the large lots of Pot Ash in first hands are still held off the market, for much higher prices than have recently been paid. Pearls.—All this Ash, with the exception of a few barrels, is also held off the market, and orders of any magnitude could only be filled by paying a sharp advance. We quote nominal at \$5.60. Receipts since 1st January 6,410 barrels Pots, 408 barrels Pearls. Deliveries, 5,704 barrels Pots, 430 barrels Pearls. Stock in store on Wednesday night, 1,021 barrels Pots, 70 barrels Pearls.

CATTLE, ETC.—Cable advices from the English markets report lower prices for live cattle, good to choice heeves being quoted at from 7c to 7½c. At the local markets last Monday business was dull and prices unchanged. Export cattle were quoted at from 5c to 5½c per lb., live weight, and sheep from 4½c to 5c per lb. Hogs sold at from \$6 to \$6.50 per 100 lbs. The offerings of butchers' stock comprised about 100 head, the best qualities selling at 5c per lb., ordinary to fair from 3½c to 4½c. About 400 sheep and lambs met with fair enquiry, the latter selling at from \$4 to \$8 each, and the former from \$3 to \$5. Calves sold at from \$4.50 to \$15, as to size and quality.

COARSE GRAINS.—Beans are in demand at \$1.60 to \$1.75 per 60 pounds. Barley—nothing doing; a small lot of bright new sold at 60c. Oats, we notice some offerings of western black oats at 35c, but no sales are recorded.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.—There is a general advance in butters, but the movement has scarcely begun, makers holding off for better prices than recently obtainable. The outside figures quoted are to be understood as procurable only for

choice selections, which always command 1c to 2c more per lb. at the same time that inferior creameries will not bring within 2c of the lowest quotation. Morrisburgs are moving under keen competition, buyers offering 20c to 22c for summer and late-made dairies, but there are none in the city as yet. Western Dairy is in good demand for export orders. Farmers east and west are wanting 20c for straight dairies, and will not move till they want money, but stocks must soon increase, and as delays are dangerous at this season, and stocks in the country are little diminished, advantage should be taken of the present strong demand for choicest and better class goods. The *Cheese* market rules firm, but there is little doing, holders and buyers being far apart in their views. For finest September 1½c to 1½c could be obtained, but holders want 12c to 12½c. The make of the present season is fully one-third over that of last year, while the make of butter is somewhat less. The quality is nevertheless excellent, and has, so far, been sold and shipped in good condition. The full make will probably be light. None of the city dealers had any transactions with the absconding Dewey.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.—The demand is of a very moderate kind, and there are no changes to note in prices. The English markets show a decided lull, following the advances of the past few weeks, but prices continue firm. Second-hand holders of Bleaching Powder are a little anxious to realize, and there has consequently been a slight break in this article, but makers are still firm. Quinine and Opium firm. Kibbarb slightly higher, with light stocks in London.

DRY GOODS.—A steady seasonable trade is being done, but stocks continue well assorted. In domestic goods—woolens are in good demand at steady prices, and Canadian tweeds appear to be in greater favor. Cottons have not as yet reached the point aimed at by the factories, but some improvement is noticeable. There are some sections of both Provinces where but few Canadian cottons are sold. These are along the St. Lawrence in the vicinity of Morrisburg and along the borders of the Eastern Townships. One or two Montreal customs officers might be useful thereabouts. Some jobbers complain of the difference in the price of ducks; which appear to be 2c a yard dearer than the American article, the prices being 13c and 11c respectively. Other goods compare favorably in price as well as quality.

FISH.—The arrivals of Newfoundland herrings for the week consist of 3 cargoes of 3,000, 1,500 and 1000 barrels respectively. In the absence as yet of any fixed price, barrels may be quoted at \$6½ to \$6½, and halves at \$3½ to \$3½. Many of the new arrivals will probably proceed to Chicago. Green Cod about \$6 a brl. Shell Oysters are quoted at \$2 to \$3½ a brl. with \$1 to \$1½ for hand-picked. The market is firmer than last week, and the weather is quite favorable. Dry Codfish (Gaspe) worth \$5.50 to \$5.75; Sealed Herrings 28c a box; Finnan Haddies about 8c. Pickled Salmon No. 1, 2 and 3, 20c, 19c and 18c, respectively; California about 16c.

FLOUR AND GRAIN.—*Flour.*—Prices of nearly all kinds have advanced, but transactions are light. The movement is chiefly on local account. Buyers are waiting for lower prices, which may not come. *Wheat.*—In the absence of any demand from Great Britain, owing to heavy stocks, business is very quiet, and there are no transactions to report. Some advances is made in quotations. Chicago market is quiet and steady; New York dull and easy.

FRUITS.—Fall Apples are quoted at \$2.75 to \$3.25, according to quality. The first consignments of winter Apples, strictly choice, sold at \$1 on Wednesday. Fallen Apples brought in

by farmers in quantity, have been commanding some attention at \$1.50 to \$2.50 per barrel and interfering with western fruit; but choice are always in demand in small lots. The crop of Apples being light, there is a disposition to hold off for prices to suit, and the market is in consequence not overstocked. Receipts of *Peaches* light; New York baskets sold at \$2, crates at \$4, and carriers of 6 baskets each at \$5.50 to \$6. The receipts of *Grapes* are much lighter, owing to the very low prices realized last week, the only supply being local—selling at 4½c to 6c per lb. *Pears.*—Receipts light also; Dutchess and Flemish Beauties bring \$5.50 to \$7. *Plums* are worth about \$2.50 per bushel crates. Jamaica *Oranges.*—Second receipts expected in a day or two; prices will be about \$10 to \$11 a barrel. Brazilian Oranges sell at \$4.50 to \$8, according to quality. *Cocoanuts* nominally \$8 per sack of 100 nuts. Virginia *Sweet Potatoes* \$5 a barrel; Jersey \$5.50 to \$6. Yellow *Bananas* are quoted at \$4 to \$8 a bunch. *Lemons* are selling from \$5 to \$6.50 according to quality. Stocks of Lemons light, but the demand is easy.

FURS.—No quotations for raw furs till towards December. Buffalo robes are in good supply, and prices range from \$12 for best No. 1 down to \$7 each for calves. In hats and caps there is no exceptional movement; retailers are rather indisposed to buy much before the season for winter goods is more advanced,—a determination which the leading firms are not inclined to question.

GROCERIES.—*Sugars.*—Decided advance again to report on Refined Sugars. Granulated is held by Refiners at 8½c, and Yellows are up at least ½c to ¾c, with active demand, and supplies at the moment very moderate. In West India Sugars there is but little business doing, and that mostly with the Refiners at advanced figures. New York market is firm and somewhat higher for Raw Sugars, while Refined are merely steady. *Molasses.*—Firm for Barbadoes. Syrups have been lately largely dealt in at full prices. *Coffees.*—There is improvement at principal points for Java as well as most other kinds. *Rice* is steady, at \$3.30 to \$3.85. *Spices.*—Pepper firm, and rather advanced here. Ginger also keeps up. Nutmegs steady. Cassia and Pimento dull. *Fruits.*—New Crop Valentias are still in light supply, nominally 8½c to 9½; Crop 1882, 4½c to 6½c. Malaga Fruit nominal for old crop. New crop soon expected. Currants badly injured by frequent rains. Market firm, and on the spot stock is light of old crop. Almonds firm at advance.

HARDWARE AND IRON.—Dealers are busy on Western orders, and a good seasonable trade is the rule. Notwithstanding the depression and lessened prices in the *Pig Iron* trade across the lines, and the tendency to weakness in the Scotch market, prices here are steady, and may be maintained during the winter, or till next season's arrivals. Although stocks are very light, the demand is much less than at the corresponding period of last year. *Barbed wire* is about ½c lower. All the Russia sheet iron in the market is held by one firm at the prices quoted. Other modifications will be noted in the table elsewhere.

HIDES AND SKINS.—Dealers report an improved demand for hides, but prices are somewhat easier, and we retain only the inside quotations of last week. Several items have been added to our table of prices current in this department. Hemlock bark in some sections is about \$1 per cord lower, owing probably to the lessened number of tanneries.

LEATHER.—We make a few slight alterations in published prices. The only new feature noticeable is the alleged demand for Splints from England at remunerative prices, reported by one firm, which should induce still greater shipments of these goods. The usual seasonable demand continues, with steadiness in prices as the prevailing tone.

LUMBER.—Business at the retail yards is moderately active during the past week or two, and will continue so until close of navigation. The legitimate profits are reduced very much, owing to close competition—considerable of the business is done by drummers—who try to swell up the amount of their sales. Concessions are made to influence buyers to so great an extent that the result cannot but tend in loss. Stocks held here are generally light, except in coarse lumber, which is plentiful.

OILS.—Transactions in new Cod Oil are reported at 62c and a few at 60c, while small lots have changed hands at as high as our outside quotations. Newfoundland dealers are said to be holding at 60c. In Straits (American) there is little doing, and we hear of only one small sale (20 barrels) at inside figures. Lard oil—No. 1 is easy at quotations. There is very little doing in paint oils, the only movement recorded being a backward one,—the abandonment of one of the suits recently instituted against prominent dealers arising out of transactions in the so-called adulterated boiled linseed referred to in August.

PROVISIONS.—Dealers are met with a drop of about \$1 per barrel in *Mess* goods during the week, while goods bought at the higher price are still on the way from Chicago, and quotations are altered accordingly by our principal city firm; strictly fresh *Lard* is also lower. *Eggs* are in strong demand and very scarce; Field lots 19c to 21c. Tendency upwards, in sympathy with U. S. markets. In *Yallow* there is very little doing in either kind, and quotations are almost nominal. *Honey* is abundant this year. Local grocers offer 12c to 13c per pound, according to quality.

TOBACCO AND CIGARS.—Quotations at the advance made last month are firmly maintained. The fluctuations in the market are not always referable to changes at place of growth, but rather to the fancy of a leading local manufacturer who sends prices up or down as he pleases. The recent change however corresponds with a still greater advance in the United States where Brights are 7c per lb. higher. Our prices current show other changes and additions. Cigars in good demand.

SALT.—Freights for salt from Liverpool have advanced to 10s., and prices have advanced accordingly to the figures given in our prices current.

WOOL.—A steady ordinary business is reported at quotations given in our tables. We reduce Pulled C to 19c to 21c.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

Boston, Oct. 4.—*Flour*, no change in market. Sales of Superline at from \$3.25 to \$3.75. Extras from \$4 to \$4.50, including choice Bakers from \$4.50 to \$6. Patent Spring sold at from \$7 to \$7.50, and Patent Winter from \$6 to \$6.75. *Cornmeal* selling at from \$2.80 to \$2.85. *Oatmeal* in fair demand, fair to good selling at from \$4.75 to \$5, and choice and favorite brands from \$5.75 to \$6.25. *Butter* in moderate demand; prices unchanged; choice grades held with firmness. Sales of choice at from 27c to 30c; fair to good from 22c to 25c. *Cheese* very firm, prices advanced. Sales of choice from 1½c to 1½c, and fair to good 10c to 12c. *Eggs* firm, prices higher; sales of Eastern and Canadian from 22c to 25c. *Canada Peas* in fair demand at from \$1.10 to \$1.15. *Potatoes* have been in fair demand, market firmer; sales at from 48c to 55c per bushel as to quality.

Chicago, 3.00 p.m.—Wheat, Nov., 97c; Dec., 99½c; Jan., \$1.00½. Corn, Oct., 47½c; Nov., 47½c; Year, 46c. Oats, Oct., 27½c; Nov., 28½c; Year, 27c. Pork, Oct., \$10.62½; Nov., \$10.50; Jan., \$11.25. Lard, Oct., \$7.35; Nov., \$7.57½; Jan., \$7.62½.

New York, 3.00 p.m.—Wheat, No. 2 Red, Nov., \$1.13½; Dec., \$1.15½; Jan., \$1.18½. Corn, Nov., 59½c; Dec., 58½c; Jan., 57½c.

Milwaukee, 2.30 p.m.—Wheat, Oct., 94c; Nov., 96½c; Dec., 98½c.

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ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 4, 1883.

(Beerholm's Advices.) Cargoes off Coast—Wheat steady. Corn, nothing offering. Cargoes on passage—Wheat firmer, held higher. Corn, heavy. London—stock Wheat 750,000 to 755,000 qrs. Maize, 25,000 to 50,000 qrs. Flour, 460,000 to 480,000 qrs. Quantity of Wheat on passage for United Kingdom—580,500 qrs. Maize 55,000 qrs. Wheat, 1,875,000 qrs. Liverpool Wheat on spot firmer. Corn, quiet. Mixed Maize, 5s. 3d. Pens, 7s. 8d. No. 2 Red Winter Wheat, prompt, 42s. Present, 42s.

TORONTO WHOLESALE MARKETS.

(Revised by Telegraph.)

TORONTO, October 4, 1883.

Trade continues moderate, and, if not quite up to what is desired, it is still as good as was expected. A feature in business is the delay in receipts from the country dealers. It was looked for that the crop would be freely coming forward by this time, and that money would be plentiful. But farmers are slow at bringing out their grain; and produce dealers here notice that the market is three weeks behind that of 1882. With good weather and good roads for a month to come the situation will be greatly improved. The demand on the banks for money has been light on account of the small movement of produce. Commercial is offering in small quantity; first-class is discounted at 7 per cent, with higher rates for lower securities. The rates for call loans are 6 to 6½ per cent, according to class; and for time loans 6½ to 7 per cent. There has been a marked increase in the amount of business done in stocks during the past week, and requirements by brokers are widening. Sterling Exchange is quoted at 109½ to 108½ for 60 days between banks, and demand bills at 109½ to 109½. Gold drafts quiet; at 1-16 to 1/8 between banks, and 1/4 to customers. The total amount of stocks sold during the week ending on Saturday was 9,200

shares; the week previous it was 4,145; and the corresponding week last year it was 5,343 shares. Bank shares have been rather irregular, with instances of decline. Loan companies were quiet, and prices generally steady, with a better feeling. Miscellaneous shares were irregular and more active. Among sales to-day were Toronto at 179½, Commerce at 129, Federal at 161, Standard at 115, Consumers Gas at 144½ ex-dividend, Ontario and Qu'Appelle at 116, North-west Land at 74s. Canada Permanent at 228½, Building and Loan at 102, and London and Canadian at 140½. The following were the bids to-day compared with those of last Thursday.

Banks.	Bid Oct. 4	Bid Sept. 27	Loan Cos.	Bid Oct. 4	Bid Oct. 20
Montreal	190½	196½	Can. Permanent	229½	224
Toronto	179	178½	Freshhold	101	106
Ontario	114½	114½	Western Can.	191	194
Merchants	119½	118½	Bldg. & Loan	101½	102
Commerce	129	128½	Farmers' Loan	125½	129
Dominion	118	118	London & Can'dn	140	140
Hamilton	118	118	Atton & Co.	102	102
Stand'd.	115½	114	Dom Savings	114½	113
Federal	161½	160	Ontario Loan	111	123
Imper'l.	142	142	Hamilton Prov.	125	124
Wilson			Imperial Savin's	110	109

FLOUR AND MEAL.—The flour market continues steady, but when a change occurs it will be in the direction of lower figures, unless an advance takes place in British markets. Prices are unchanged, and the demand is easier. Sales during the past four days were at \$5.35 for Superior Extra, inspected; \$5.20 for Extra; and Spring Extra is quoted at \$5.15, with no enquiry. The stock here on Monday was 107 barrels, against 1,497 same date last year and 1,958 October 3, 1881. The market to-day closed quiet and firm, with sales of ordinary Superior Extra at \$5.40. *Oatmeal* is in small demand and prices weak; car lots are worth \$4.65 to \$4.70; small lots sell at \$5.20 to \$5.30. *Cornmeal* quiet, selling single barrels at \$3.60. *Shorts* for feed in light demand, at \$15 to \$16 per ton, according to quality. *Bran* scarce, and fair demand, at \$12 to \$12.50 in car lots. *Barley* No. 2 offered to-day a 68c, with 65c bid; and No. 3 is nominal at 60c.

WHEAT.—The market is rather unsettled. With usual receipts at this season the present prices are not likely to be sustained, as they are at least 10c above an exporting basis. The British grain markets continue dull, and foreign wheat shows no improvement. The market here is nominally unchanged, but large purchases would not be made at present figures. On Friday and Saturday last No. 2 Fall sold at \$1.17, and No. 3 Fall at \$1.13; and a lot of new No. 1 Spring sold at \$1.16. On Monday No. 2 Fall was quoted at \$1.14; and No. 2 Spring at \$1.15. The demand is limited, and produce men are waiting for larger receipts and lower prices. At the market to-day wheat is feeling easier. Old No. 2 Fall offers at \$1.15; Old No. 3 Spring at \$1.12, and new No. 2 Fall at \$1.10. Stocks are being moved out; on Monday last the quantity in store here was 35,531 bushels against 73,354 on the Monday previous; against 24,758 Oct. 2, 1882; and 205,901 bushels, Oct. 3, 1881.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.—Trade is reported very fair. Quote: Borax, refined, 17c per lb.; Camphor, 35c to 38c per lb.; Gum Arabic, 20c to 38c per lb.; Aloes, Cape, 20c to 25c per lb; Opium, \$4.30; Fresh Ergot, 55c to 60c; Glycerine, 32c to 35c; Castor Oil, 10½c to 11c; *Oils.*—Sweet Almonds, 60c per lb.; Lemon, \$2.75; Peppermint, \$3.75 to \$4; Wintergreen, \$3.75 per lb. Quinine, Howard's, \$2.25 per oz.; German, \$2 in ounce bottles; Alcohol, \$2.75;

Morphia, \$2.70 to \$2.80 per oz.; Tartaric Acid, 63c to 65c per lb.; Cream Tartar 38c to 40c; Turpentine, 67c to 70c per gallon; Linseed Oil, raw, 60c; boiled, 65c to 70c per gallon; Madder, best Dutch, 12c to 14c per lb.; Newfoundland Cod Liver Oil, \$2.25 per gallon; Norwegian, \$4 to \$4.25 per gallon. Beeswax, 45c per lb.

HARDWARE.—The general trade is not improved. Retail dealers in general hardware do not report more than a quiet business. Building hardware is in small demand. Quote: Nails, 10d to 60d, \$3.10; 8d and 9d, \$3.35; 6d and 7d, \$3.60; 3d and 5d, \$3.85; 3d, \$4.60, Barbed Wire fencing, Galvanized, 8½c; pointed, 7c. Bar Iron, ordinary, \$2 to \$2.10. Hoops, coopers', \$2.50 to \$2.60; band, \$2.50 to \$2.60. Lead, Pig, 4c; Bar, 5c; Sheet, 5c; Shot, 6c. Tin, Bar, 26c to 28c; Ingot, 24c to 25c. Zinc, 5½c to 5¾c.

HIDES AND SKINS.—Hides are unchanged, cows buying at 7½c, steers at 8½c for No. 1 inspected; cured selling at 8½c. *Calfskins* unchanged, buying green at 13c for No. 1; selling cured at 15c for No. 1. *Sheepskins* and *Lambskins* advanced to 70c all round.

COARSE GRAINS.—Barley is still rather quiet, but there have been sales of small lots. The price is yet not entirely established. Quoted prices are 68c for No. 2, and 52c for No. 3 f.o.c. No. 1 is quoted at 72c. The stock here on Monday last was 40,303 bushels, against 31,704 on Monday previous; 46,943 bushels Oct. 2, 1882; and 263,781 bushels Oct. 3, 1881. *Oats* have been arriving in moderate quantity only; western are selling at 38c to 39c on the track; and eastern are quoted at 37c. Stocks are nil. *Peas* are not quoted on 'Change, but No. 2 are selling in the street at 73c and 74c. Stocks are small. *Rye* entirely nominal. *Corn*, American, offered at 66c and 67c.

COAL.—The demand is exceedingly brisk, and dealers are kept actively engaged. There has not been the predicted advance; prices, on the contrary, are rather easier. Coal is delivered at, for grate and eggs, \$6.25; stove and chestnut, \$6.50; best soft \$6. Wood, best, \$6; soft wood, \$4.50.

COAL OIL.—Prices have advanced, and trade is good. Canadian refined, in single barrels, selling at 17c; carbon safety at 18c; American refined, prime, at 26c; water white, at 29c; Eocene at 32c.

GROCERIES.—There is no improvement in trade, and prices generally are unchanged. *Teas* are in fair demand. *Sugars*, Porto Rico, dark to fair, 6½c to 7c; bright to choice, 7½c to 7¾c; Canada refined, 7c to 8½c; Paris lump, 10c to 10½c; Scotch refined, 6½c to 7½c. *Fruits* are steady. *Tobaccos* in fair demand and unchanged. *Fish* quiet. The new catch is beginning to arrive, and prices are firm with advance probable. *Rice* quiet, at \$3.62½ to \$3.75.

LEATHER.—There has been an improvement, orders are more frequent, and the tone is better. Country dealers and shoemakers are ordering more freely. Quotations are entirely unchanged for several weeks past.

LIVE STOCK TRADE.—The market has been irregularly supplied for local consumption, and prices are not steady. Good to choice butchers' cattle sell at \$4.50 to \$4.75, and light cows and steers are worth about \$4 per 100 lbs. Cattle for export are quoted at \$5.50, but the demand is not active. *Sheep* have declined in value, and sell at 4½c to 5c for good to choice beasts. *Lambs* are easier; butchers' lots selling at \$3.75 to \$4; stock lambs at \$2.50 to \$3. *Hogs* easier at \$5.50 to \$5.75, with light receipts.

PROVISIONS, ETC.—Trade in meats is unsatisfactory. Prices are weak and irregular. A lot of bankrupt stock on the market has embarrassed the regular trade. *Bacon*, Long Clear is quoted at 8½c to 8½c for small lots; Cumberland is quoted at the same figures. *Hams* steady, at 14½c for smoked, and 14½c for canvassed. *Lard* is quiet, at 11c to 12c, according to size of package. *Butter* steady, good dairy and selections of store-packed sell at 15c to 16c; ordinary store-packed, off flavour, at 10c to 12c. *Cheese* 10½c to 11½c for fine goods. *Eggs* scarce, selling at 19c to 20c for fresh in case lots. *Pork* nominal, at \$16 per barrel. *Beef* steady at \$16 for prime, and \$17 for mess. *Beans* quiet at \$1.60 to \$1.70 per bushel. *Dried Apples* 10c; evaporated 15c; green apples \$3 to \$3.50. *Potatoes* \$1 to \$1.10 per bag for Canadian. *Hops*, old, selling at 28c to 30 for inferior grades, and good to choice at 32c to 35c. American hops quoted at 35c to 37c. New hops selling at 30c to 33½c. *Salt* nominally unchanged, with a fair demand.

WOOL.—The market is entirely without change. Car lots of coarse fleece are bought at 19c and 19½c for selections. Cotswold is bought at 17c; and rejects quoted at 12c to 14c. Southdown is bought at 24c. There is a better demand from the factories, and pulled wools are more active. Supers sell at 26c; extra supers at 30c. The future of the wool market does not promise any immediate improvement.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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Steel Boiler Plate Cuttings and Punchings, tons.....	5
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Tool Steel, tons.....	11
Leaf Spring Steel, tons.....	3
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White Metal Bearings with Brass Backs, ton.....	10
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Thin Sheet Iron, tons.....	5
Steel Turnings, tons.....	3
Leaf Spring Steel, tons.....	2
Spring Steel Clippings, tons.....	12
Spiral Spring Steel, tons.....	12
Steel Tires, ton.....	1
Brass Boiler Tubes, tons.....	1

AT BRANTFORD:

Wrought Iron Scrap, tons.....	30
Cast Iron Scrap, tons.....	60

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No. 1 Wrought Iron Scrap, tons.....	220
No. 2 Wrought Iron Scrap, tons.....	5
Steel Tires, tons.....	12
Steel Cuttings, tons.....	4
Leaf Steel, tons.....	4
Steel Turnings, tons.....	3
Old Files, tons.....	1
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Also for the construction of a lock, together with the enlargement and deepening of the upper entrance of the Rapide Plat Canal, or middle division of the Williamsburg Canals.

Tenders will also be received until TUESDAY, the 27th day of November next, for the extension of the pierwork and deepening, &c., of the channel at the upper entrance of the Galops Canal.

A map of the head or upper entrance of the Cornwall Canal and the upper entrance of the Rapide Plat Canal, together with plans and specifications of the respective works, can be seen at this office, and at the Resident Engineer's office, Dickenson's Landing, on and after Tuesday, the 30th of October next, where printed forms of tender can be obtained.

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Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in the case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and, further, an accepted Bank cheque for the sum of Two Thousand Dollars must accompany the Tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the works at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted. This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

A. P. BRADLEY,

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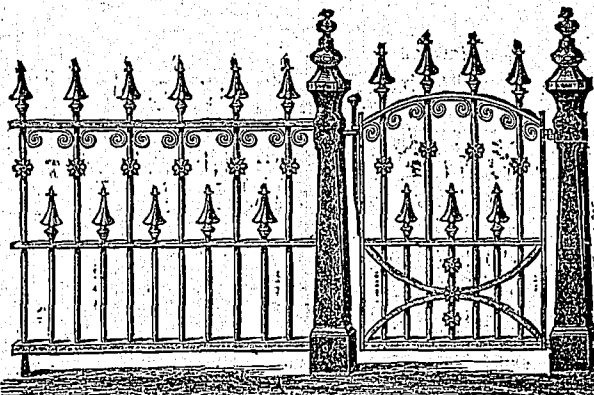
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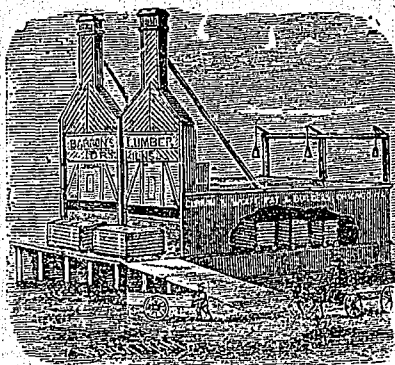
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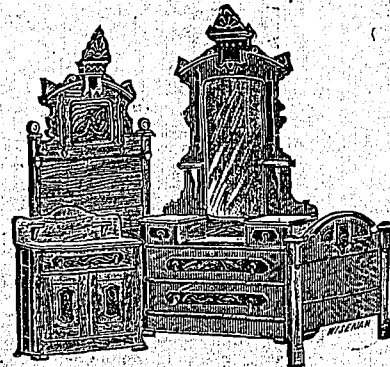
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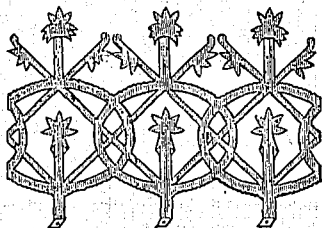
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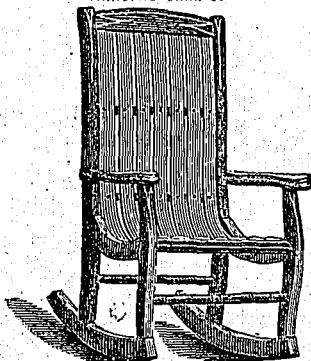
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Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates.	Name of Article.	Wholesale Rates
Boots and Shoes.	\$ c. \$ c.	Soda Ash.....	\$ 1 60 1 75	Japan, fine to choice lb.	\$ 0 33 0 50	Spices: Cassia..... per lb.	\$ 0 10 0 15
Men's Thick Boots Wax....	2 25 3 00	Soda Bicarb.....	2 50 2 75	Japan Nagasaki.....	0 14 0 22	Mace..... per lb.	0 50 0 85
" Split ".....	1 60 2 25	Sal Soda.....	0 95 1 05	Y. Hyson common to gd	0 13 0 33	Cloves.....	0 23 0 35
" Kip Boots.....	2 50 3 25	Tartaric Acid.....	0 53 0 60	Y. Hyson fine to finest, lb	0 36 0 60	Nutmegs.....	0 60 0 80
" Calf Boots, pegged....	3 00 3 75	Bleaching Powder.....	2 50 0 00	Gunpd, fair to med.	0 28 0 34	Jamaica Ginger Bl.	0 22 0 23
" Kip Brogans.....	1 85 1 40	Citric Acid.....	0 63 0 75	" Good to fine	0 40 0 50	Jamaica Unbl.	0 17 0 20
" Split do.....	0 90 1 10	Camphor Eng. Ref.....	0 40 0 42	Gunpd, Finest.....	0 67 0 65	African.....	0 12 0 14
" Buff Congress.....	1 50 2 00	Am. Ref.....	0 35 0 33	Imper'l, med. to gd	0 20 0 33	Pimento.....	0 10 0 12
" Buff & Pebbled Bals.	1 50 2 00	Gum Arabic, per lb.....	0 45 0 30	" Fine to finest.	0 37 0 58	Pepper.....	0 16 0 17
" Split do.....	1 20 1 50	" Traj.....	0 45 0 30	Twankay, com. to gd.	0 12 0 18	Mustard, 4 lb. Jars.	0 17 0 20
Wom's Pebbled & Buff Bals	1 00 1 50	Coppers per 100 lbs.....	0 95 1 00	Oolong.....	0 30 0 55	" 1 lb.	0 24 0 25
" Split Bals.....	0 90 1 00	Blue Vitriol.....	3 05 0 07	Congou common.....	0 16 0 20	Rice: Arracan, & op. 100 lb.	3 30 3 35
" Prunella do.....	0 50 1 25	Dry Goods.		" med. to good.	0 23 0 35	Sago..... per lb	0 05 0 05
" Inferior do.....	0 45 0 60	(See <i>Manuf's of Cotton.</i>)		" fine to finest.	0 35 0 65	Tapioca, Pearl.	0 05 0 07
" Cong. do.....	0 50 1 25	Flour.		Souchong common.	0 18 0 20	Flake:	0 05 0 07
" Buskins. do.....	0 60 1 00	Superior Extra.....	5 75 5 75	" med. to good	0 25 0 34	Glass:	
Misses' Pebbled & Buff Bals	0 85 1 15	Extra Superfine.....	5 50 5 55	Fine to choice.....	0 35 0 66	7 1/2 x 8 1/2, 7 x 9, 8 x 10.....	
" Split Bals.....	0 75 0 80	Strong Bakers.....	5 00 5 05	Coffees, green Mocha per lb.	0 33 0 33	10 x 12 1/2, 10 x 14.....	1 65 1 95
" Prunell do.....	0 60 1 00	Do American.....	6 25 6 35	Java.....	0 17 0 27	12 x 16 1/2 x 20.....	1 95 2 00
" Cong. do.....	0 60 1 00	Fancy.....	6 00 6 05	Maracabo.....	0 12 0 15	18 x 24.....	2 20 2 25
Childs' pebbled Buff B's	0 60 0 90	Spring Extra.....	5 30 5 35	Cape.....	0 11 0 12	Hardwax.	
" Split Bals.....	0 50 0 60	Superfine.....	5 00 5 05	Jamaica.....	0 10 0 14	Tin: Block, per lb.....	0 24 0 25
" Prunella do.....	0 50 0 75	Fine.....	4 25 4 30	Rio.....	0 10 0 13	Grain.....	0 25 0 25
Infants' Cakes, doz.....	3 00 6 00	Middlings.....	3 80 4 00	Singapore & Ceylon	0 17 0 24	Copper: Ingot.....	0 18 0 19
Dairy Produce.		Pollards.....	3 50 3 60	Chicory.....	0 11 0 12	Sheet.....	0 24 0 29
Creamery, fine to choice..	0 20 0 25	Ont. Bags.....	2 50 2 75	Sugars, (Caks. & Brs.)		Cut Nails: 3 in. to 6 in.	
Townships, finest.....	0 21 0 22	City Bags.....	3 00 3 05	Porto Rico..... per lb	0 63 0 74	Nett, 30 days, or 7 p.c. added	
" fair to good.....	0 16 0 20	Oatmeal.....	6 25 6 30	Cuba.....	0 63 0 74	Hot Cut Am. or Can. Pat'n	
Brookville, finest.....	0 20 0 21	Cornmeal.....	3 40 3 50	Barbadoes..... per lb.	0 7 0 7 1/2	3 in. and above " "	3 00 0 00
" fair to good.....	0 16 0 19	Bran, per ton.....	16 00 0 00	Yellow Refined.....	0 7 0 8 1/2	2 1/2 & 2 3/4 ins. " "	3 25 0 00
Morrisburg, finest.....	0 21 0 22	Shorts do.....	17 00 18 00	Paris Lump.....	0 9 0 9 1/2	2 & 2 1/2 ins. " "	3 50 0 00
" fair to good.....	0 16 0 20	Grain.		Granulatea.....	0 8 0 9 1/2	1 1/2 & 1 3/4 ins. Am. " "	3 75 0 00
Western Dairy, finest.....	0 18 0 18 1/2	Canada White, No. 2.....	1 20 1 21	Syrups—Extra... per lb.	0 4 0 5 1/2	1 1/2 ins. " "	4 50 0 00
" med to good.....	0 14 0 17	" Spring No. 2.....	1 20 1 21	Good.....	0 33 0 41	1 1/2 & 1 3/4 Cold Cut, Can. " "	4 50 0 00
Cheese, fair to choice.....	0 09 0 10 1/2	" Red Winter ".....	1 2 1 23	Fair.....	0 3 0 3 1/2	1 ins. " "	4 00 0 00
" Sept.....	0 10 0 11 1/2	Extra White Michigan..	0 00 0 00	Molasses (Barbados) im. g.	0 46 0 50	100 per keg off above prices,	
" Medium Grades.....	0 08 0 09 1/2	White Michigan, No. 1..	0 00 0 00	Trinidad.....	0 42 0 46	not cash.	
Drugs & Chemicals.		Red Winter, No. 2 Toledo.	1 06 1 07	Fruit: Loose Muscatel,	1 65 1 90	Casing, Box, Shook:	
Aloes Cape.....	0 16 0 18	Spring, Chicago No. 2..	1 07 1 08	Layers in boxes.....	1 70 2 00	1 1/2 in. p100 lb. keg.	4 90 0 00
Alum.....	1 75 1 90	Spring, Milwaukee No. 2.	1 05 1 06	Sultanas.....	0 9 0 11	1 1/2 in. to 1 3/4 " "	4 15 0 00
Borax xls.....	0 15 0 17	Oats.....	0 33 0 34	Seedless.....	0 5 0 07	2 in. 1/2 to 2 " "	3 90 0 00
Castor Oil.....	0 9 0 10 1/2	Barley.....	0 50 0 60	Valentia..... per lb.	0 05 0 07	2 in. 1/2 to 2 " "	3 65 0 00
Caustic Soda.....	2 80 2 50	Peas..... per 66 lbs.	0 93 0 94	Currants.....	0 05 0 07	3 in. to 4 " "	3 40 0 00
Cream Tartar.....	0 85 0 87	Eye.....	0 65 0 67 1/2	Trunes.....	0 06 0 07 1/2	Cut Spikes, all sizes.....	3 15 0 00
Epsom Salts.....	1 25 1 40	Corn in bond.....	0 51 0 52	Figs.....	0 04 0 15	Washing Nails:	
Extract Logwood.....	0 03 0 10	Flax Seed, prime.....	0 60 0 61	H. S. Almonds.....	0 08 0 00	1 in. to 1 1/2 in. p. 100 lb. kg	5 55 4 80
Indigo Madras.....	0 85 1 00	Groceries.		S. S. Tarragona.....	0 10 0 18	1 1/2 in. to 1 3/4 in. " "	4 55 4 80
Madder.....	0 12 0 13 1/2	TEA, (H-Ch. & Cad.)		Walnuts.....	0 07 0 10 1/2	2 in. and up " "	3 80 0 00
Opium.....	4 25 4 40	Japan, com. to med. lb.	0 13 0 22	Filberts, new.....	0 07 0 10	Tobacco Box Nails:	
Oxalic Acid.....	0 15 0 17	to good.....	0 24 0 32	Brasils.....	0 10 0 12	1 1/2 in. & 1 3/4 in. p. 100 lb kg	4 95 4 00
Potash Iodide.....	1 90 2 10			Batly's Nabob Pickles, doz	2 75 3 00	2 1/2 " 2 " " "	3 25 3 65
Quinine.....	1 95 2 15			" Mixed do	2 30 0 00	2 1/2 " 3 " " "	3 55 3 15
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	NAME.	Par Value	Capital subscribed.	Capital paid-up.	Rest.	Dividend last 6 Months.	Closing Price Oct. 4.
BANKS.	British North America	£60	\$ 4,866,666	\$ 4,866,666		8	108 1/2
	Canadian Bank of Commerce	50	6,000,000	6,000,000	1,876,000	4	129 1/2 129 1/2
	Dominion Bank	50	1,500,000	1,500,000	800,000	5	194 1/2 188 1/2
	Du Peuple	50	1,600,000	1,600,000	240,000	2 1/2	66 1/2 69
	Eastern Townships	50	1,600,000	1,399,739	350,000	3 1/2	118
	Exchange Bank	100	500,000	500,000	300,000	4	50
	Federal Bank	100	2,306,800	2,787,830	1,450,000	3 1/2	161 1/2 162 1/2
	Hamilton	100	1,000,000	976,670	50,000	4	118 1/2 120
	Hochelega	100	680,200	680,200	50,000	2	86 85
	Imperial Bank of Canada	100	1,600,000	1,670,000	650,000	4	142 143
	Jacques Cartier	25	500,000	500,000	140,000	3 1/2	95 101
	Maritime	100	686,000	686,000			40 45
	Merchants' Bank of Canada	100	5,798,267	5,714,500	1,150,000	3 1/2	119 121
	Molson's Bank	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	425,000	4	116 119
	Montreal	200	12,000,000	11,999,200	6,750,000	5	197 197 1/2
	Nationale	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	160,000		70 1/2
	Ontario Bank	100	1,500,000	1,500,000	335,000	8	115 116 1/2
	Quebec Bank	100	2,600,000	2,600,000	825,000	2 1/2	117
	Standard	50	784,600	784,600	140,000	2 1/2	114 115 1/2
	Toronto	100	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,061,000	4 & 2b.	179 180 1/2
	Union Bank of Lower Canada	100	2,000,000	2,000,000	18,000	4	75 81 1/2
	Ville Marie	100	500,000	494,250	20,000	3	98 100
	Building and Loan Association	25	750,000	747,574	58,000	3	102
	Canada Cotton Co.	100				5	76
	Canada Landed Credit Co	50	1,500,000	663,990	125,000	4	121 1/2
	Canada Loan and Savings Co	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,000,000	7	227 1/2
	Dominion Savings & Inv. Co	50	1,000,000	864,982	140,000	4	114 1/2
	Dominion Telegraph Co.	50	711,709	1,000,000			94 95 1/2
	Dundas Cotton Co	100	500,000	500,000		5 & 2b.	70
	Farmers' Loan and Savings Co	50	1,057,250	611,459	75,857	4	123 1/2
	Freehold Loan & Savings Co	100	1,050,400	630,053	204,500	5	157 1/2
	Montreal Provident & Loan Society	100	1,500,000	1,170,000	97,000	4	125 126
	Hudson Cotton Co.	50	1,000,000	1,000,000	331,000	5	161 1/2
	Huron & Erie Sav. & Loan Soc.	50	4,000,000	560,000	215,000	5	140 141
	London & Can. Loan & Agency Co	50	659,700	404,519	45,500	4	112
	London Loan Co. of Canada	100	518,900			5	118 120
	Manitoba Loan	40	2,000,000	2,000,000		4	120 122
	Montreal Telegraph Co	40	2,000,000	1,380,000		6	171 172 1/2
	Montreal City Gas Co	50	600,000	600,000		2 1/2	117 117 1/2
	Montreal City Passenger Ry Co.					10	35
	Montreal Cotton Co.	50	500,000	393,880		0	71 74
	Montreal Building Association	50	1,000,000	882,812	106,000	3 1/2	100 x. d.
	Montreal Loan & Mortgage Co	100	1,460,000	292,006	15,000	8 1/2	104
	National Investment Co	50	1,000,000	1,070,000	226,000	4	124 128
	Ontario Loan and Debenture Co	100	1,555,000	1,555,000		2	62 63 1/2
	Robelieu & Ontario Nav. Co	50	800,000	800,000		2 1/2	134 x. d.
	Toronto City Gas Co	60	690,000	575,000	160,000	4	133
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Do. do. 1885 op. of Gov. inscribed stock	102
Dominion 5 per ct. Stock	111
Montreal 5 per cent Stock	104 1/2
Montreal Harbor Bonds 6 p. c.	107
Do. Corporation 6 per ct. Bonds, 7 per ct. Stock	115 1/2
Toronto City 6 per ct.	110 1/2
Do. Debentures, (Ont.) 20 years 6 per ct. Township Debentures, (Ont.) 6 per ct.	108

Shrs.	Railway and other Stocks.	Pd.	Oct. 4.
100	Atlantic & St. Lawrence 5 1/2 p. c.	all	130
10	Do. 5 p. c. Ser. Mt. Bonds	all	90
100	Do. do. 3rd Mort. 1891	all	114
10	Buffalo and Lake Huron	all	120 1/2
10	Do. do. 5 1/2 p. c. 1st Mort.	all	120 1/2
10	Do. do. 2nd Mort.	all	120 1/2
100	Ont. Central 5 p. c. 1st Mort. Ins. guar. by Gov.	all	114
100	Canada Southern 1st Mort. 3 p. c.	all	114
10	Chic. & G.T. 5 p. c. 1st Mt. Comp. 1900	all	114
10	Grand Trunk of Canada Consol.	all	114
10	Do. Eq. Mort. Bids. 1st charge 6 p. c.	all	122 1/2
10	Do. do. 2nd do do	all	122 1/2
10	Do. do. 1st Pref. Stock	all	94 1/2
10	Do. do. 2nd Pref. Stock	all	94 1/2
10	Do. do. 3rd Pref. Stock	all	94 1/2
100	Do. 5 p. c. Perp. Deb. Stock	all	109 1/2
100	Great Western of Canada	all	114 1/2
100	Do. 5 p. c. do 1890	all	113 1/2
100	Do. 5 p. c. pref conv.	all	114
100	Do. Perpetual 5 p. c. Debenture Stock	all	111 1/2
100	Hamilton and N. W.	all	111 1/2
100	Mt. Canada 5 1/2 p. c. 1st Mort.	all	94 1/2
100	N. of Canada 5 p. c. 1st Pref. Bonds	all	104 1/2
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100	Well. Grey & Bruce, 7 p. c. 1st Mort.	all	104 1/2
100	T. G. & B. 6 p. c. bonds 1st mort.	all	70 1/2
100	St. Lawrence & Ont. 6 p. c. Bids.	all	94 1/2
100	British Columbia, July, 1907 6 p. c.	all	117 1/2
100	Can. Gov. 1877-80	all	108 1/2
100	Can. Gov. at 6 p. c. 1882-84	all	102
100	Do 5 p. c. 1884, Op. of Gov.	all	102
100	Do 5 p. c. Ins. Stock	all	10
100	Do. Bond Stock of 1903, April and Oct.	all	111
100	Do. Dominion Stock of 1904, 4 p. c.	all	106
100	Do. Do. 1904 Ins. Stock 4 p. c.	all	106
100	New Brunswick 6 p. c. Jan and July	all	111
100	Nov. Scotia 6 p. c. 1884	all	106
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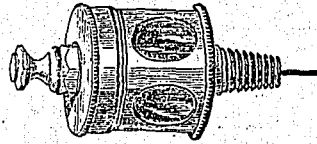
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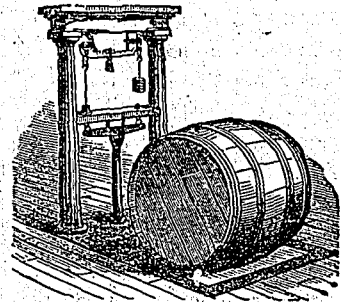
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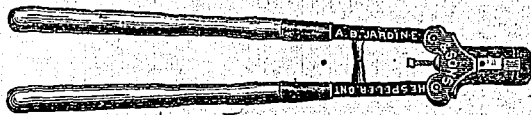
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		\$ c. \$ c.			\$ c. \$ c.			\$ c. \$ c.
Clinch and Heavy Clinch:			Tin Plate: IC Coke		4 40 4 50	Zanzibar, No. 1		0 22 0 23
1 and 1 1/2 in. per lb.	0 08 1/2 0 08		IC Charcoal		6 00 5 25	No. 2		0 20 0 21
1 1/2 " 1 1/2 "	0 07 1/2 0 07 1/2		IX		7 00 7 25	Slaughter, No. 1		0 25 0 28
2 " 2 " "	0 07 0 06 1/2		1XX		8 50 9 00	Harrison		0 23 0 34
2 1/2, 2 3/4 in. and up.	0 06 1/2 0 00		DC		4 25 4 50	Upper Heavy		0 32 0 36
Flat & Sharp pressed N'ts:			DX		6 00 0 25	Light		0 35 0 37
1 and 1 1/2 in. per lb.	0 10 1/2 0 09 1/2		DXX		7 75 8 00	Grained Uppr.		0 34 0 38
1 1/2 " 1 1/2 "	0 09 1/2 0 08 1/2		Russ. Sheet Iron		0 10 1/2 0 11	English		0 37 0 42
2 " 2 " "	0 08 1/2 0 07 1/2		Anchors, per lb.		4 75 5 75	Kip Skins, French		0 75 0 85
2 1/2 " 2 1/2 "	0 07 1/2 0 07		Lion & Crown, Tin'd Sheets		0 08 0 10	Canada, Kip		0 45 0 55
3 in. and up.	0 06 1/2 0 00		Lead: Pig, per 100 lbs.		3 90 4 25	Hemlock Calf.		0 49 0 55
Disc. on application.			Sheet " "		4 50 4 75	Light		0 60 0 70
Horse Nails:			Shot " "		6 00 0 00	French Calf		0 95 1 00
7 lb. size	0 23 0 00		Lead Pipe, per 100 lbs.		5 75 6 25	Split, Light & Medium		0 21 0 25
" " 9 lb.	0 21 0 00		Zinc: Sheet, lb		4 50 5 00	Heavy		0 21 0 25
" " 9 lb.	0 20 0 00		Powder: Canada Blasting		3 90 4 25	Small		0 16 0 20
" " P. & F. Bright.	0 22 0 24		F. F. to F. F.		4 75 5 00	Leather Board, Canada		6 05 0 12
55 to 57 p.c. dis.			Barbed wire, per lb.		0 07 1/2 0 08 1/2	Enamelled Cow, per ft.		0 15 0 17
Horse Shoes		3 90 4 00	Hides and Skins.		0 00 0 00	Patent		0 15 0 16
Galvanized Iron: No. 21.		0 08 0 06 1/2	Green Hides, No. 1, p. 100 lbs.		7 10 0 00	Pebble Grain		0 11 1/2 0 15 1/2
No. 26.		0 08 1/2 0 07	" No. 2		6 00 0 00	B. Calf		0 14 1/2 0 15
No. 28.		0 07 0 07 1/2	" No. 3		6 00 0 00	Brush (Cow) Kid		0 14 0 16
Pig Iron: Siemens No. 1.		21 00 0 00	Hamilton, No. 1		8 75 0 00	Buff		0 14 0 16
Coltess		21 00 21 50	" 2		7 75 0 00	Russets, Light		0 45 0 60
Calbr.		20 50 20 75	Toronto, " 1		8 75 0 00	Heavy		0 35 0 40
Langdon		20 50 21 00	" 2		9 00 0 00	No. 2		0 25 0 35
Summerlee		20 50 21 00	Western Buff, No. 1		9 25 0 00	Oils.		
Gartsherric		20 50 21 00	" 2		8 00 8 25	Cod Oil, Newfoundland		0 57 1/2 0 65
Carbros		00 00 20 00	Dry Salted, No. 1		16 50 0 00	Straits Oil, American		0 55 0 57
Egglaton		18 50 19 00	" 2		14 50 0 00	Straw Seal		0 62 1/2 0 65
Hematite		22 50 21 00	Lamb & Sheepskins, each		0 55 0 00	S. R. Pale Seal		0 73 1/2 0 75
Bar Iron, per 100 lbs.		1 90 2 00	Caltskins, per lb.		0 10 0 00	Pale Seal, Ordinary		0 67 1/2 0 70
Best Refined		2 15 2 25	Wool.			Lard Oil, Extra		1 05 1 10
Siemens		2 20 2 25	Fleece		0 21 0 22	No. 1		0 90 0 95
Sweetes		4 25 4 50	Pulled, unsorted		0 23 0 25	" Boiler		0 66 0 69
Sheet Iron to No. 20		2 65 2 75	Extra Super		0 30 0 33	Olive Machinery		1 00 1 10
Boiler Plates		3 75 3 25	" B Super		0 24 0 27	Eating		1 80 2 10
Hoops and Bands		2 50 2 75	" C		0 19 0 21	qt., per case		2 60 2 75
Canada Plates: Hatton		3 00 3 10	Australian		0 22 0 32	pts., " 2		3 25 3 50
Pom. and W. P. & Co.		3 15 3 25	Leather (at 6 month.			" pts., " 2		4 00 4 20
Iron Wire: No. 6, p. bdle.		1 75 1 85	No. 1, B. A. Sole		0 25 0 27	Lucca, Flasks		5 00 0 00
No. 9		2 10 2 30	No. 2, B. A. Sole		0 22 0 24	Antonini's pts., case 1 doz.		7 25 0 00
No. 12		2 50 2 60	No. 1 Ordinary Sole		0 24 1/2 0 25 1/2	" pts., " 2		8 25 0 00
No. 16		3 25 3 50	No. 2		0 21 1/2 0 23	Spirits Turpentine, brls.		0 67 0 62 1/2
Wro't Iron pipe 2 1/2 to 5 p.c.d		0 36 0 41	Buffalo Sole, No. 1		0 21 0 22	Whale Refined		0 70 0 75
Steel, cast per lb.		0 11 0 12	No. 2		0 19 0 20	Coal Oil:		
" Spring 100		3 25 3 50	China " No. 1		0 22 0 23	Imp. Gals. f.o.b. (Petrolia)		0 13 1/2 0 00
" Tire		3 25 3 50	" No. 2		0 19 0 21	Car Lots in Store		0 16 1/2 0 00
" Sleigh Shoe		2 40 2 60						
" Blister		0 08 0 10						

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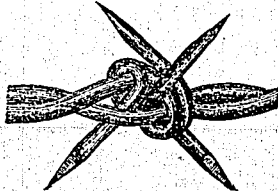
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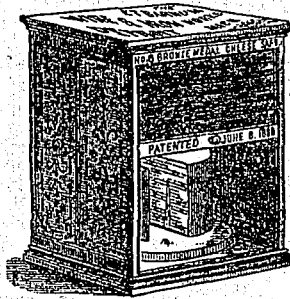
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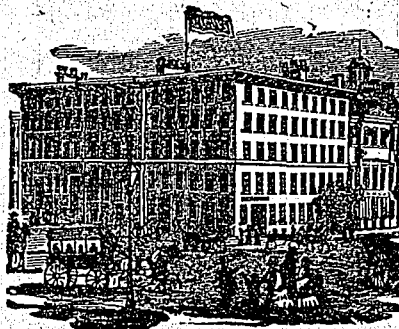
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Bleached Shirting, BB	0 10 0 00	AB Blue	0 11 0 00	Timber, Lumber, &c.		Jules Duret & Co.	\$ c. \$ c.
Cantons.		B Brown	0 15 0 00	Adl. 1 to 4 in., M	18 00 19 10	Pinet, Castillon & Co.	gal case
A Brown	0 08 0 00	BB Brown	0 17 0 00	Birch 1 to 4 in., M	20 00 00 00	Pinet, Castillon & Co.	gal case
B Brown	0 09 0 00	SB Brown	0 20 0 00	Basswood	16 00 19 00	A. Matignon & Co.	gal case
C Brown	0 10 0 00	Brown Sheeting.		Black Walnut, culls	10 00 05 00	M. Boitard, Gal.	3 00 3 00
H Brown	0 19 0 00	A Caledonia	0 04 0 00	Do do 1st & 2nd.	10 00 11 00	Cheaper shippers	gal case
Bleached	16 00 0 00	Canada.		Do do 1st quality	11 00 12 00	Irish Whiskey—Roel's case	6 50 7 00
Bleached Shirting.		Stirtings.—Clyde Checks.	0 18 0 00	Cedar, round, lineal foot.	00 06 00 10	Dunville	cases
CA Bleached Shirting	0 10 0 00	Canada	0 12 0 00	Cedar, flat, lineal foot.	00 04 00 06	Mitchella	cases
GE do do	0 11 0 00	Lybster No. 8, 30 in.	0 08 0 00	Cedar, square, lineal foot.	00 07 00 09	Scott's Whiskey case-ot	5 50 7 00
GB do do	0 11 0 00	" No. 2, 32 in.	0 06 0 00	Elm, soft, 1st.	15 00 17 10	Ross' Dew Ben Wyvis, Case	7 20 8 20
HC do do	0 12 0 00	Dundas (Grey) D 30 in.	0 06 1 00	Elm, Rook.	25 00 30 00	" Gal.	3 00 3 00
NP do do	0 14 0 00	" C 33 in.	0 07 0 00	Hemlock, 1 to 3 in., M.	8 00 9 00	Encore	case
AB Night Gown Twill.	0 18 0 00	St. Croix.		Hemlock, 3 to 4 in., M.	14 00 15 00	Jamaica Rum per imp. gal.	2 50 2 00
St. Anne, Brown Sheeting.		H Crown Sheeting.	0 08 0 00	Maple, hard, M.	21 00 22 00	Geneva Spirits... imp. gal	1 65 2 10
A 10.	0 05 0 00	HLL	0 07 1 00	Soft, do	16 00 00 00	" Green case	3 00 4 10
A 20.	0 06 0 00	Fine Brown Sheeting.	0 08 0 00	Oak, M.	40 00 45 00	" Red cases	7 00 7 75
A 3.	0 07 0 00	CC	0 07 0 00	Plum, clear, M.	35 00 40 00	Champagne	
A 40.	0 07 0 00	B	0 09 0 00	2nd quality, do	22 00 25 00	G. H. Mumm, Dry Verzeny's	26 50 28 00
A 50.	0 08 0 00	Windsor, Br' Sheeting.	0 05 0 00	Shipping Culls	12 00 14 00	Pommery	28 00 32 00
Valleyfield, Bleached.		22.	0 06 0 00	Mill do	7 00 9 00	Bollinger	26 25 27 50
W	0 07 0 00	25.	0 07 0 00	Lath, M.	1 75 0 00	Ayala, Ex dry	28 10 30 00
A	0 07 0 00	Paints, &c		Spruce, 1 to 2 in., M	10 00 12 00	Sherris	1 00 5 00
AA	0 08 0 00	White Lead pure 25 to 100	6 25 7 00	Tobacco, (In Bond)		Portis	1 00 5 00
M	0 09 0 00	ib kgs.	6 50 6 00	Black, Chewing in boxes	0 18 0 20	Graham's	2 1 4 00
SM	0 09 0 00	" No. 1	4 50 5 00	Mahoganies, Smoking	0 00 0 00	R. Van Zeller's	2 10 5 00
AW	0 11 0 00	" No. 2	4 00 4 00	Do Chewing	0 20 0 23	Poles Island Wines	1 44 1 65
AM	0 11 0 00	" No. 3	4 00 4 00	Do "Smoking	0 33 0 38	Claret cases	3 00 & up
SS	0 12 0 00	White Lead, dry	0 05 1 00	(Duty Paid)		Tarragona Port- imp. gal.	1 10 1 30
C Cheese Cloth	0 08 0 00	Red Lead	0 05 0 05	Black, chewing boxes 10's	0 35 0 38	Burgundy	
C Butter Cloth	0 06 0 00	Venetian Red, Eng'h	1 60 1 8	Do Navy, Cads, 3's, 6's,	0 30 0 34	L. Latour's, Still, Case.	10 00 23 00
H Hospital	0 04 0 00	Yel. Ochre, French	1 60 2 50	& 10's	0 30 0 34	" Sparkling	10 00 17 50
H Interlining	0 05 0 00	" " "	0 55 0 80	Mahogany Chewing C&S's	0 32 0 35	Can. Spirits, Imp. gallon.	1 00 1 00
A Wigans (all colors)	0 18 0 00	Portland Cement brl.	3 00 3 50	Solace, Common	0 30 0 33	Alcohol— 56 U. P.	2 71 1 04
Extra Stout Pocketing	0 11 0 00	Roman brl.	2 60 3 00	Solace Fair	0 32 0 35	" Pure Spirits "	2 47 1 05
Do Twill do	0 12 0 00	Water Lime, brl.	1 50 2 00	" Good	0 43 0 47	" 25 U. P	1 29 0 53
Stormont.		Fire Bricks per M	3 00 35 00	Bright Smoking, 3's & 8's	0 45 0 60	Whiskeys:—Family Proct	1 39 0 53
Stripped Ticking.		Salt.		Do Fancy	0 47 0 55	Old Bourbon	1 39 0 53
A	0 11 0 00	Liverpool Coarse per bag	0 42 0 48	American Fancy ch and am	0 70 0 95	Rye, Toddy, Mall.	1 31 0 68
AA	0 13 0 00	Canadian per brl do	0 00 0 00	Wine, Liquors etc		Rye, 4 years old.	1 60 0 78
S	0 14 0 00	Factory filled do	1 15 1 30	Atc English	2 35 2 40	" 5 "	1 70 0 88
SB	0 15 0 00	Eureka factory filled do	2 40 0 00	Domestic	0 80 1 15	" 6 "	1 80 1 88
W	0 17 0 00			Domestic	0 60 0 75	" 7 "	1 90 1 80
AAA	0 19 0 00			Stout: Guinness	2 35 2 46		
AA	0 23 0 00			Domestic	1 35 1 50		
Checks.				Domestic	0 70 0 00		
A, Nuns' Stripes	0 13 0 00			Brandy: Hennessy's	4 50 5 00		
Denims.				case	11 00 15 00		
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Total number of Policies in force, Dec. 31, 1882,	4,395
Covering Assurance to the amount of	\$5,504,478 00
Net Cash Assets	385,328 71
Net Reserve to Credit of Policy-holders,	383,044 59

The Company's Reserves are based on the Actuaries' "Table of Mortality," and four per cent. interest—the HIGHEST standard adopted by any life company in Canada, and one-half per cent. higher than the standard used by the Dominion Insurance Department.

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CASH ASSETS, 1st January, 1883,
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Income 1882. - 343,660

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NAME OF COMPANY.	No. Shares.	Last Dividend per year.	Share par value.	Amount paid per Share.	Canada quotations per ct.
British American Fire & Marine.....	10,000	5-6mos.	\$50	\$50	112
Canada Life	2,500	7½-6mos.	400	50	403
Citizens, Fire, Life, Guarantee & Acct	11,980	.....	100	22½	.....
Confederation Life.....	5,000	5-6 mos.	100	10	250
Sun Life and Accident.....	5,000	4-6 mos.	100	12½	200
Queen City Fire	2,000	10	50	10	.....
Western Assurance.....	20,000	6 6 mos.	40	20	129 130½
Royal Canadian Insurance.....	20,000	5	100	15	.....
Accident Ins. Co of North America..	2500	3 per ct.	100	20	.....
Guarantee Co. of North America.....	13,000	3 per ct	50	10	.....

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.—(Quotation on the London Market, Sept. 17 1883.

					Market value p'd up share
Briton Life Association.....	50,000	10	1	1	.....
British & Foreign Marine.....	50,000	50	20	4	£21½ £21½
Commercial Union Fire Life & Marine.	50,000	30	50	5	£18½ £18½
Edinburgh Life.....	5,000	10	100	16	10½s
Fire Insurance Association.....	100,000	5	£10	£2	4½s 50s
Guardian Fire and Life.....	20,000	13	100	50	£2½ £6½
Imperial Fire.....	12,000	£7 p. sh.	100	25	£137 £140
Lancashire Fire and Life.....	100,000	30	20	2	.....
Life Association of Scotland.....	10,000	15	40	8½	£5½
Lion Fire	500,000	10	10	2	£20
Lion Life.....	92,000	10	10	2	10s 10s
London Assurance Corporation.....	35,802	48	25	12½	10s 20s
London & Lancashire Life.....	10,000	10	10	2	£56 £56
Liverp'l & London & Globe Fire & Life	£391,752	70	20	2	35s 46s
Northern Fire & Life.....	30,000	70	100	5	£21 11s 3d
North British & Mercantile Fire & Life	40,000	56	50	6½	£46½ £46½
Phoenix Fire.....	6,722	£21 p. s.	.....	.....	£25½ £26
Queen Fire & Life.....	200,000	30	10	1	£220 £230
Royal Insurance Fire & Life.....	100,000	60	20	3	62s
Scottish Commercial Fire & Life.....	125,000	22½	10	1	£20 £20½
Scottish Imperial Fire and Life.....	50,000	6	10	1	25s 25s
Scottish Provincial Fire & Life.....	20,000	15	50	8	£14 £14½
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Philadelphia,	1882. Providence,	1881. Waterbury,	
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St. Louis,	1881. Norwich,	1882. Toronto,	
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Canadian Life Companies—Assets and Liabilities.

COMPANY.	ASSETS.	Liabilities including Reserve but not Capital Stock.	Surplus of Assets over Liabilities and Capital Stock.	Percentage of S'pl's of As'ts over Liab's & Capital Stock.
Canada Life.....	\$ 4,688,956.65	\$ 4,137,203.56	\$ 526,752.09	8
Citizens (Life)....	156,684.03	136,070.60	†	.....
Confederation	879,054.47	643,138.81	185,915.66	28½
Mutual Life.....	184,334.17	142,227.60	.....	.....
North American..	88,763.47	28,932.83	2,430.64	8½
Ontario Mutual...	337,191.65	309,606.50	27,495.15	9
Sun.....	538,623.75	411,199.68	64,824.07	15½
Toronto.....	67,431.50	29,921.70	7,647.36	25½

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