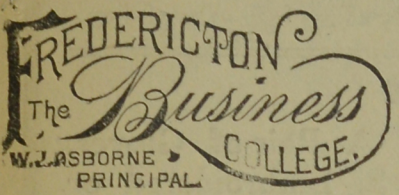


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**ONTARIO POTATOES
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Toronto, Dec. 10-Fair quantities of potatoes are offering locally, but the quality both of Ontarios and Delawares is inferior and the demand not very keen at recent prices. Ontarios quoted lower at \$1 per bag, out of store, and 80c. to 90c. per bag in car lots, track Toronto. A large proportion of the offerings is affected by rot and scab.

Wholesalers are selling to the retail trade as follows:

EGGS-New-laid, 47c. to 50c.; storage, select, 36c. to 37c.; country select, 38c. to 40c.; storage, 34c. to 35c.

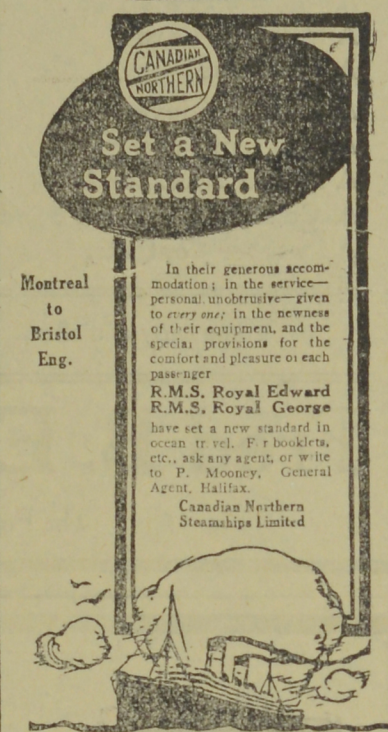
BUTTER-Creamery, prints, 30c. to 31c. Creamery, solids, fresh made, 28c. to 29c.

Creamery prints, storage, 27c. to 28c. Creamery solids, storage, 26c. to 27c.

Farmers' separator prints, 24c. to 26c.

Dairy prints, 22c. to 24c. Bakers' 20c. to 21c.

POTATOES-Delawares, \$1.65 to \$1.10, out of store; 95c. per bag in car lots, track Toronto. Ontarios, \$1 per bag, out of store; 80c. to 90c. in car lots, track Toronto.



**STATES TO SET
EXPRESS RATES**

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 10-A conference of state railroad and warehouse commissioners, representatives of the leading express companies and prominent shippers from many parts of the country, met in this city today to discuss the subject of interstate express rates. The conference was arranged by the National Association of Railway Commissioners at its meeting in Washington a short time ago. The conference will endeavor to arrive at a coherent method of regulating interstate express rates along the lines on which the Interstate Commerce Commission regulates interstate railroad rates.

"I serve the government with notice that it must act. From this moment we are ready for the fray. And I tell you, fellow Liberals, that I have been studying the conditions confronting many of our fellow Canadians on the threshold of a cold Canadian winter and I assure you that I will go into the fight with a greater courage than ever before, with the vigor of renewed youth, with the confidence of a just cause, yea, more, with the cause of humanity itself. Come along with me into the fight!"-Sir Wilfrid Laurier at Montreal.

**A WONDERFUL CURE OF
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Mr. A. W. Dryden, Amherst, N.S., writes:-"I am going to tell you what Burdock Blood Bitters has done for us. My son 'Vance,' when only nine months old, got an abscess on his cheek bone. I took him to a doctor in St. John, N.B., and he lanced it, and told me it would get well in a few days, and wanted me to keep it squeezed out. It did not seem to get any better, so my wife took him back. The doctor told her to take him home and it would soon get better. It would gather and break, and it went on that way until he was over four years old.

"He lost four pieces of bone out of where it was lanced, and two pieces came from his mouth; he has lost all of his cheek bone, and his eye was drawn down. I took him to doctors in St. John, Moncton, and Amherst, and all wanted me to let him go under an operation. He was so small I told them that if he was going to die he might as well die as he was going to go there and be all cut to pieces, so I declined to have the operation done. I told them I was going to try Burdock Blood Bitters, as I had heard my mother talk so much about it. I got a bottle, and when it was about half gone noticed it was doing good, and before many days the sore stopped running, and healed up, and the abscess has never broken out again. This happened nearly six years ago, so you can see I have great faith in Burdock Blood Bitters, and I can say with all my heart that it is the best blood medicine in the world."

SIGNIFICANT NAMES

There is a Marked Difference in Place Names in Ontario and Quebec

The place names of Ontario and Quebec eloquently reflect the historical background of the respective peoples. Journey through Ontario and you are confronted with names of counties, townships, towns and villages lifted almost bodily from England, as in Middlesex, Lincoln or York. Go through Quebec and we meet the names of French Kings. Governors and explorers, not to speak of innumerable saints held in close reverence by a devoted people. In Ontario we find in the nomenclature a solemn march of heroes, Governors, poets, philanthropists, statesmen, discoverers and martyrs, connected with the expansion or glory of England, such as Sir Isaac Brock, Sir Guy Carleton, General Haldimand, Governor Hamilton, Governor Hope, General Prescott, the Duke of Richmond, Lords Durham, Sydenham and Aylmer, Governor Simcoe, Sir Charles Bagot, Hilton, Collingwood, Wellington, Nelson, Raleigh, Hampden, Palmerston, Pitt, Harvey, Franklin, Wilberforce, and Macaulay, with such reminders of victory as Blenheim, Trafalgar, Vincent, Waterloo and Sebastopol.

In Quebec how different are the scenes called up by the names of cities, rivers, counties and parishes: Champlain, after the founder of Quebec; Chicoutimi, the first French Viceroy; Montmagny, who succeeded Champlain. Two officers of the Carignan regiment, St. Louis and Richelieu, perpetrate the "and Monarch of France and his long-trusted Minister; Frontenac, Vaudreuil, and Beauharnois were three of the most able and energetic of the French Governors of Canada, while Bishop Laval, General Montcalm and de Levis, Cardinal Richelieu, Charlevoix, and other celebrities are similarly remembered. As to the names of saints, the calendar and Acta Sanctorum seem to have been ransacked, and not even the most obscure result of canonization overlooked.

EMPIRE BUILDERS

Such Are Poets Whether of Words or of the Axe and Pick

Like the Greeks who made no distinction between thinking and doing, we who speak the English tongue were above all a practical people, who loved being and doing and the strong, free life, said Mr. F. R. Benson, the great interpreter of Shakespeare's dramas.

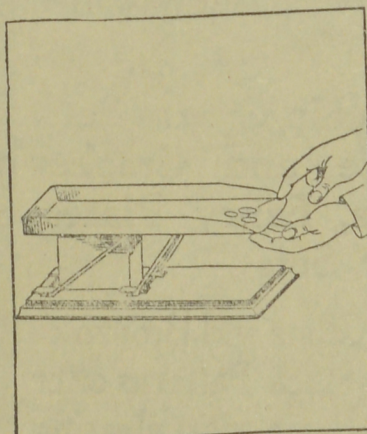
A transcontinental railway builder was a poet, not of words but in vision, leader of a band who carved out empire, not "writing his sorrows on the bosom of earth, making dust his paper," but in terms of pick and ax and dredge, in tunnel and train, wedding east and west. He was one who could identify himself with the living principle of all things, who saw the relation between the particular and the universal, surely a practical man for our generation, and all generations to come, and that was the meaning of poet. A concrete example was given at the Stratford-Upon-Avon festival, where people were joined in a mighty realization of the brotherhood of man, not in the pink-blooded terms of the copybook heads, but with the vital intensification of national feeling and patriotism. Mr. Benson had a vision of a great empire of English-speaking people, of which Shakespeare's drama would be one of the chief links.

In a time of strikes, a striker told him how at Shakespeare's shrine he had gathered a sense of the harmony of life, and had seen the due relation of things. He added: "Shakespeare has shown me a better way than dynamite." Another man had prayed God's blessing on the Stratford Theatre. "It has shown me in Shakespeare's plays how we British became what we are, and how we may keep so."

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