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Week's Commercial Summary.

The most sanguine do not at present, under existing circumstances, look for any great activity, but on the other hand no panic or general paralysis is feared with our great recuperative resources in the hands of our conservative merchants and general business. The number of failures continues large, associated with recent years, but fortunately the average of liabilities is reduced, and there has been recently no change of consequence in the prices of products. The country seems to have adjusted itself to the present situation, and is producing no more than sufficient to supply current needs, which are greatly reduced in volume, nor are importers ordering as freely as formerly, which certainly will render the process of liquidation more comfortable for them, and eventually more satisfactory to all concerned. There is now a tendency on all hands to do business with smaller stocks, and sorting orders are receiving relatively more attention. The low level of prices that prevails renders Canada a favorite market, and consequently our exports continue large. The strength shown here, however, is not a matter of special qualification, as we are selling in many cases at less than cost. All these indications point clearly to one conclusion, and that is that business interests have been in a state of suspense because of a well settled feeling of uncertainty, which in some respects ought to be eliminated in the near future. As soon as the uncertainty has been removed there can hardly fail to be a revival in manufacturing, etc., for the simple reason that the present stagnation is too pronounced for the causes underlying it in Canada to last long. There is nothing radically wrong with the country, and as soon as our best customers and patrons improve their own even more depressing financial and industrial condition there is nothing to hinder a return to our usual prosperity. Consumption cannot continue on the reduced scale of the present time, and distributors' stocks are so depleted that they will have to be replenished. With the weather continuing unfavorable, which, in addition to the condition of the markets, interferes with farmers' deliveries in country towns, there is but little hope of immediate improvement in collections. The money market is unchanged, with a slight tendency to drop to 4 and 4 1/2 per cent. in larger centres. The annual reports of our banks fortunately give but a slight indication of having been effected by the depression.

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It is reported from Ottawa that the Government of the United States has in contemplation the erection of extensive works for the smelting of nickel ores, which will give a great impetus to mining in the Sudbury district. The American Government, it is said, will locate their works somewhere in the State of New York, near the international boundary. It has been ascertained that in the extraction of nickel from the matter a very valuable constituent is lost, and the American Government sent an expert metallurgist to Germany, where for six months he studied the processes there employed for the production of nickel. His investigation resulted in the discovery that to obtain the highest quality of nickel it is necessary that it be extracted directly from the ore, and without the intermediate process to which it has been subjected on this continent. So satisfactory has been the results that under the new process the Government of Washington recently obtained from Congress an appropriation for the purchase of a suitable site, and it is said to be their intention shortly to erect works for the treatment of ore by the direct method at a cost of probably a million dollars. In all probability the works will be located as stated near the international boundary, since the supply of ore must be drawn direct from the Canadian nickel deposits. This action of the United States Government is taken in mining circles to indicate an immense revival in the very near future of the nickel mining industry in the Sudbury district. Tests made recently with plate composed in part of nickel produced by the new process have been so satisfactory that there can be no doubt that the authorities at Washington contemplate its extensive use, not only for the armor of warships, but for the strengthening of land fortifications as well. Evidence multiplies to sustain the belief that tuberculosis is developed more readily in warm modern stables and under what may be called hot-house conditions. A writer in Country Gentleman, in speaking of a case at Lenox, Mass., in 1888, when thirty-five cattle were destroyed, says: "These cattle were kept in a new barn built only after careful study into every detail. Stables were light and clean. Water was supplied in each stall. Even the most rigorous snap of a Berkshire winter failed to produce a freezing temperature in these stables, and for days at a time these cows remained inside, where they were well groomed and supplied with the best of feed and water. The warmth and comfort of these stables seemed to provide hot-bed conditions for the nurture of the tuberculous bacilli. Berkshire County has had at least six serious outbreaks, or rather developments, of tuberculosis since, all of which have occurred in herds of cows kept in the most modern construction, with the best of care, and I know of no instance where cattle left to 'rough it' have been troubled except in isolated cases, which were easily traceable to hereditary inoculation."

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The clause in the British budget relating to death duties extending to properties held in the colonies is receiving considerable attention in Canada, and may detrimentally affect British investments in Canadian securities, especially in Ontario, where a similar duty is levied. This will result in a double taxation, and, as pointed out, will tend to discourage colonial investments. A reciprocal diminution of such tax has been suggested, and is under consideration, but it is not likely to be adopted.

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A six-year-old son of D. McDonald, of Millbrook, fell into the canal at Perth on Tuesday night.

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OUR LAWMAKERS IN COUNCIL

Proceedings of the Senate and House of Commons, New Bills Introduced and the Budget Debate Continued.

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