ness on the local stock exchange was no so dull as yesterday, but that is all that can be said of it; it was atill very quiet, the transactions only totalling 130 shares. Prices were steady, the market opening slightly easier than yesterday. The feature of the day was the spurt of Western Assurance; it closed yesterday at 1338 and 1374 and opened to day at 1414 and spurt of Western Assurance; it closed yesterday at 133\(^2\) and 137\(^2\), and opened to day at 141\(^2\) and 140\(^2\) and closed at 142\(^2\) and 140\(^2\) and so of 60\(^2\) shares being made at prices as high as 141\(^2\). Montreal was ensier to day. In the forence of 141\(^2\) Montreal was ensier to day. In the forence of 141\(^2\) Montreal was ensier to day. In the forence of 141\(^2\) Montreal was ensier to day. In the forence of 141\(^2\) Montreal was ensier to day. In the forence of 141\(^2\) Montreal was ensier to day. In the forence of 142\(^2\) and 132\(^2\) Dom. Tel. at 29\(^2\) Globe Printing Co., 60 asked; N. W. Land, 65 asked; Western Ganda, 183\(^2\) Union 131\(^2\); (201. Landed Codify. 118 asked; B. and 10an Ass., 102\(^2\); Imperial S. and Invest., 116 and 115\(^2\); Lon. and Can. L. and A., 145\(^2\) and 145\(^2\); National Invest., 101\(^2\) and 26\(^2\); Montreal Co., 35\(^2\); The Land Security Co., 250\(^2\); Montreal Con. In the second of 121\(^2\); The Land Security Co., 250\(^2\); Montreal Con. British America, 97\(^2\) and 55\(^2\); Consumers' Gas, 134\(^2\) and 133\(^2\) Dom. Tel., 50\(^2\); N. W. Land, 60\(^2\) and 50.

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3.25 p. m. — Montreal, 222; and 221; sales, 50 at 221; and 254 and 103; Molsons, 165 and 124; People's, 104; and 103; Molsons, 165 and 165; Jacques, 92; asked, sales 60 at .91; Marchants', 135; and 135; sales, 40 at 153; Union, 92; Commerce, 118 and 117, sales, 50 at .112; Mon. Tel., 92; and 92; N. W. Land, 62 and 59; Richelieu, 55 and 54; Passenger, 126 and 155; Gas, 207; and 206; O. P. R., 52 and 51; sales 75 at 52.

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orted; O. Robillard, shoes, Amprior, ligned; Jno. Boyer & Co., druggists, Brock-rille, assigned; Charles Curry, blacksmith, ville, assigned; Charles Curry, blacksmith, Cardinal, assigned; R. Black, harness, Guelph. has called a meeting of creditors; F. T. Humphreys, grocer, Harditon, assigned; Geo. W. King, general store, Jasper, assigned; John W. Wallace, woolen manufacturer, Lindsay, assigned; H. H. Cairne, fancy goods, Othawa, assigned; John D. Cummings, woolen manufacturer, Peterboro, assigned; Gemmell Bres., Ronfrew, assigned; A. J. Pelmages confectioner, Sarnia, sold out by the sheriff; Montreal Soap and Oil Mnfg. Co., Montreal, assigned. Commercial Notes.

The Wall-street News calls the Canadian Pacific Railway "that great octopue."
For September the net earnings of 78 United

States railroads were \$13,521,693, or \$1,50,1024 less than for September; 1887. From January 1 to September 30 inclusive 90 railroads earned at \$115,717,790, a decrease of \$9,399,365, as compared with the same period last year. pared with the same period last year.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has taken another step against the railreads by pressing their call for a uniform classification of freight between the lastes and the guilf, and between the aliantic and the Radin, Railway men say there are insurmountable obstacles in the way of a philorom classification and that no railway can live unless in making rates it is allowed to make rates it considers the traffic on bear.

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The visible supply of wheat is now 4,000,000 bushels less than it was a year ago.

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