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Mercantile Summary.

THE Patrons of Industry have invaded New Brunswick and established their first lodge at Middle Sackville with 16 men and women.

THE Montreal Transportation Co. held its annual meeting recently, when the report upon the business of 1894 was presented and approved, and the former board of directors re-elected.

Mr. D. MORRICE stated on Friday last that "the cotton mills at Hochelaga and Ste. Anne's are working full time, and there is no change in the strength of the working force from what it was in the corresponding period of 1894."

NOT a pleasing statement to read, that made by the assignee of the British America Starch Company at Brantford. The liabilities footed up \$53,207, and the dividend was \$532, about a cent on the dollar. The creditors were sixty-two in number; the bank for \$21,216; George Foster for \$17,360; the Michigan Central Railway for \$2,198, and fifty others for sums varying from two dollars to a thousand. All that the assignee realized from stock was \$5,000, and from machinery and book debts \$640. Out of this he paid wages and salaries, \$2,173; trustees, \$2,314; lawyers, inspectors, the sheriff and himself, so that there was but \$532 left for creditors. Accordingly one cent in the dollar dividend is declared.

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A GAIN in population equal to about twenty per cent. in three years is shown by Brantford. When the census was taken in 1891, Brantford had a population of 12,753. According to the latest figures, its inhabitants now number 15,679.

WOOD pulp from Nova Scotia is being shipped to the British market per steamships "Ulunda" and "Barcelona," which left Halifax last Friday and are booked through to Manchester by way of the Manchester Ship Canal.

THE annual meeting of the Ontario Natural Gas Company took place the other day at Walkerville. The former officers were elected, as follows: President, Hiram Walker; managing director, Dr. S. A. King; directors, H. A. Walker, C. M. Walker; general superintendent, S. T. Copus.

THE Richmond Industrial Company has made application to the Quebec Provincial Government for a charter. The object of the company is to take over the business of the Richmond Water Power and Manufacturing Co., and the capital is to be \$100,000. Messrs. L. Thomas, M. B. Bourne, W. E. Jones, J. M. Nunns, H. A. Allan, K. A. Cummings and F. H. Nunns, of Richmond, Melbourne and Coaticook, are the parties interested.

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THE Tilbury Times notes that honors came thick and fast on Mr. W. C. Crawford of that place on New Year's day. His employes presented him with a gold-headed cane, and the electors of the village presented him with the highest gift in their power—the reeveship of the village—by acclamation.

IN 1892, L. Wartelsky removed from Montreal to Carleton Place and opened a clothing store. He has just assigned. It is said that free crediting to peddlers has had a good deal to do with his failure.—Joseph Larocque, a baker at Glen Robertson, Ont., has failed with small liabilities.

MONTREAL failures for the week are unimportant. George Lafranchise, butcher, has assigned, owing \$5,040.—P. F. O. Charlebois, a grocer in St. Henri suburbs, is also reported insolvent, and shows an indebtedness of \$3,112.—H. Pelletier, the retail dry goods merchant, reported failed a week or two ago, has made an offer of compromise at the rate of 60 per cent. spread over a year.—Cyprien Dumouchel, hotel-keeper, is offering \$350 to pay liabilities of \$3,500.—J. M. DeRepentigny, grocer, who bought out A. Rolland just about a year ago, has assigned.—J. S. Smith, fancy goods and crockery, has assigned on demand.—L. P. Lavoie, grocer, is offering 25c. on the dollar, cash, on liabilities of \$3,400.

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