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NOTICE.

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Dated November 24th, 1898.

BLAKE, LASH & CASSELS,
Solicitors for Applicants

The British Mortgage Loan Co'y OF ONTARIO

DIVIDEND NO. 41

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of SIX PER CENT. per annum, on the paid-up capital stock of this company, for the half-year ending 31st December instant, has this day been declared, and that the same is payable at the office of the company, in the city of Stratford, on and after

**Tuesday, the Third Day of
January Next**

The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to 31st instant, inclusive.

By order of the Board.

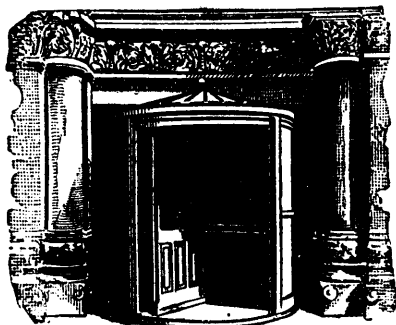
WM. BUCKINGHAM, Manager.

Stratford, Dec. 5, 1898.

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THE general stock of D. McEachern, at Clifford, is advertised for sale on Wednesday next. On the same day the dry goods stock of C. W. Brown, Whitby, will also be sold by auction in Toronto.

THE intelligence brought from textile centres in Europe by the Canadian buyers who have lately returned is to the effect that the firmness in woolen manufactures of all kinds continues, and that the tendency is still upward.

A NUMBER of counterfeit half-dollars of the coinage of 1892 are just now in circulation about Woodstock. The coins are easy enough to detect if one is watchful, as they bear the same characteristics of weight and color as other counterfeit pieces.

TUESDAY'S Halifax Chronicle says that Messrs. S. M. Giffin, Dr. Churchill, John McMillan, C. A. Musgrave and others have bought a two-fifth interest in a gold mining property at Ecum Secum, Halifax County. Mr. Griffin has also secured an absolute refusal of the remaining three-fifth interest in the same property.

AT noon on Monday last fire broke out in the lath piles at Cushing's mill, St. John, N.B., and spread with great rapidity from pile to pile until thousands of feet of sawn lumber were consumed. It was feared at one time, indeed, that the mill might take fire. As the mill is running night and day, to fill large orders, the loss to the Cushings will be heavy.

IN January, 1895, William G. Taylor, a Toronto grocer, assigned, and his brother, Robert H. Taylor, bought the stock. Since he commenced business, Robert has been hampered with too much real estate, and as there is but little if anything realizable now in it for creditors, he assigns, owing about \$2,000. He has some old book accounts which may amount to \$800. Another assignment here is that of J. Bird, caterer.

"THE finest paper, typographically, that I have ever seen turned out in Montreal." Such was the opinion expressed yesterday in our hearing by a practical printer, and it referred to the special issue of the Montreal Herald, devoted to describing and illustrating "Montreal and the St. Lawrence Route." The issue consists of 32 pages, toned paper, with illuminated cover. Not only is it valuable for the information it contains upon a subject of national interest, but for the views of, and in, Montreal, and especially for the numerous portraits of the business men of our chief city.

It is always agreeable to notice enterprise in the direction of manufacturing our great wood resources into new forms for export. We therefore hear with pleasure of the operations of the Aptees Collapsible Box & Veneer Co., whose works are at West River, Albert County, New Brunswick. The business of the company, as its name implies, is to manufacture boxes of a particular kind, and to prepare veneers from Canadian woods. They have bought a boiler of 125 horse-power from the Robb Engineering Company, of Amherst, N.S., and are preparing to do a very considerable business.

A GENERAL dealer at Revelstoke, B.C., Fred. G. Fallis, of the firm of Fallis Bros., has made an assignment. The partners in the business were formerly at Parkhill, and went to the West in July last. Some time after they had opened in Revelstoke, they claimed a surplus of \$5,000.

CONCERNING C. W. Brown, grocer, Whitby, who has just made an assignment. It was only in June last that Mr. Brown purchased the stock of J. D. Irwin, for which he paid \$2,500 cash, said to have been his own money. Before going to Whitby, he was in business at Glen Williams and also at Limehouse.

IT is but a few weeks since we noticed the admission of Frederick W. Scott to a partnership in the firm of A. E. Ames & Co., of this city. Now we have to chronicle his death, which occurred on Wednesday last, after a fortnight's illness. It is a sad and premature ending to the career of a promising and deserving young man. The Stock Exchange Board adjourned to-day to attend his funeral.

THE United Service Clothing Co., Toronto, is one of those retail institutions down near the market, which hangs a considerable portion of its stock on the outside of the building, and has a man patrolling the sidewalk in front, whose duty it is to give advertising cards away and to induce anyone, who may stop to look at the display, to enter the store. Mr. E. G. Watson is sole owner of this business, and he desires to effect a compromise with creditors at 60 cents on the dollar.

WE hear of the assignment of an implement agent, named Samuel Sutton, at Blyth. Formerly he was a cabinet-maker, but never accumulated any capital.—J. A. Secord, a grocer at Thamesville, after being in business two years has assigned. Now he finds that his small saving of \$500 when he began has gone.—In May, 1895, Catharine Wooley succeeded to the millinery business of Miss Edwards, in Hamilton, paying \$550 cash for the same. Her expenses have been heavy and now she makes assignment to her principal creditors in Toronto.

AN indignant correspondent asks, with reference to a circular issued from the Canadian Post-Office Department, under date December 2nd, signed R. M. Coulter, deputy, and relating to parcels sent by post: "Must every man, who wants to send a Christmas book or parcel to friends in England, trudge down to the Custom House and there make out a document to accompany it, under penalty of sending his little friendly parcel to the Dead Letter Office?" In reply we would say that upon enquiry at the Post Office, we find that the regulation now emphasized is not a new one; it has been in existence for years; and it is not necessary to go to the Custom House; he has only to call at the proper wicket, in the Post-Office, and state what is in the parcel, and its value. The intention of the measure is to protect the revenue, and to keep track of exports.

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