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THE Chatham Waterworks Company will not accept the offer of \$125,000 recently made by the city council for its plant. The company wants \$150,000.

We note that according to a registration just made, Mr. Brackley Shaw, who for some years past has resided in Boston, has resumed his interest in the leading sole leather house of Shaw, Cassils & Co., Montreal.

MR. GEO. A. STIMSON, the Toronto debenture broker, has just purchased the \$12,800 town of Tilsonburg bonds. They bear 5 per cent. interest, and mature in 1915. It is said that the premium paid was the largest the town ever got for its bonds.

A young firm of jobbers in men's furnishing goods, MacFarlane & Patterson, of Montreal, have assigned. They began on a very modest capital, and have been rather inclined to overtrade. Liabilities are \$27,676 direct, and \$17,-890 indirect

THE president of the Bank of Commerce of St. Louis has issued a peremptory order forbidding any employe of that bank attending horseraces. President Thompson believes that the tendency and opportunity to bet on the races, lose money, and eventually become defaulters, is so great that it is best to bar the clerks in the bank from the temptation altogether.

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A dissolution is announced of the boot and shoe manufacturing firm of Whitney & Brown, Montreal. Mr. Brown withdraws, and the business is continued under the old style by A. S. Whitney alone.

AT Carleton, N.S., Edward Crosby, a manufacturer of sashes and blinds, has made an assignment, owing \$4,200, and making preferences of \$1,400. He has been four years in this business, and had previously been a general storekeeper.-Dr. J. F. McGregor, of Hope well, in the same Province, has also assigned.

THE output of bicycles in the United States this year is estimated at 400,000, and it may reach 450,000, which would be double the production of any previous yeas Half-a-dozen American manufacturers now have agents in Europe. American wheels are said to be supplanting the English in the Mexican cities where wheels are used, and in Havana there are three or four agencies of American wheels.

When the Bank of London suspended payment about seven years ago, J. W. Sharpe, the manager at Dresden, at that time, opened an office and did a private banking business, having a capital of \$8,000, half of which was said to consist of real estate. Since then he has been supposed to be getting on prosperously. But now he suddenly suspends. We have not



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learned the cause of his suspension .two years ago, Stuart & Co. opened a small tea and crockery store in Hamilton, but never made sufficient headway, and a bailiff has closed his premises. -- In the same city, the tobacco stock of Berryman & Nex, which had been seized some weeks previously, has been sold by the same officer.

MONTREAL failures for the week are as follows: W. F. Smardon, a leading up-town shoe retailer, has had to assign He had a large account with J. & T. Stephens, wholesale makers of shoes, lately failed. Liabilities are \$13,476 direct and \$8,673 indirect.—Benard & Boyer, painters, have assigned, owing about \$1,500.—S. W. Cuthbert, grocer, involved through the recent suspension of a jobbing house, is offering 40 cents cash, on liabilities of \$3,500 ——Alex. Leblanc, another grocer, but in a limited way, is in the hands of the assignee; he owes only about \$900 --- Creed & Small, a plumbing firm, lately reported in trouble, have made assignment; they owe \$2,100, part of which is in Toronto. - A. S. Workman, clothier, is reported to have arranged a compromise at 25 cents on the dollar. --- Joseph Pont, saloon keeper, has been asked to assign. -F. G. Lajoie, jeweller, in a small way of business, has made over his estate for the general benefit; liabilities about \$3,000.

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