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Mercantile Summary.

THE city of London, Ont., asks for tenders for the purchase of \$185,000 worth of deben-

THE stock-in-trade of Percy B. Scovil, grocer of St. John, who left suddenly for the States, has been sold at auction uuder the Insolvent Debtors' Act.

AT a somewhat excited meeting of the Wind. sor water commissioners held in that city on Monday last, it was decided to purchase five polarite filters from a Montreal firm, at a cost of \$20,000.

THE steamship "Empress of Japan," which sailed on November 9th for the Orient, had a large list of cabin passengers and 450 Chinese. Her cargo amounted to 1,300 tons, principally flour and cotton.

THE stock of the insolvent V. & B. Sporting Goods Company, Quebec, was sold by auction; it amounted to \$14,413.63, and was adjudged to Mr. G. Van Felson for another party at 514 cents in the dollar. The book debts, amounting to \$3,175.34, were purchased by Mr. Veilleux, of St. David de Levis, for 553 cents in the dollar.

It is three years since the assignment of Sam. Chivrell, who kept a restaurant in Toronto. From that time up to his death a couple of months ago, he managed the business for his wife. Now she assigns. --- An assignment has also been made by Joseph Moses, a Toronto dealer in tinware for several years. He owes about \$1,500, and has assets amounting to \$600. His creditors are now considering an offer of one-third their claims. Real estate investments some years ago are the cause of

MR. F. W. PETERS, local freight agent of the C.P.R., at Winnipeg, is about to leave that city for British Columbia, having received a well deserved promotion. He is appointed district freight agent for the company in charge of the Kootenay district, headquarters at Nelson. The freight business of the C.P.R. in B.C. has been in charge of one official, with headquarters at Vancouver, but the rapid development of business in the mountains has necessitated a change and a division of territory. The late Wm. Brown had entire charge of the British Columbia section; this territory is now divided, Mr. Allan Cameron, at Vancouver, having charge of the Pacific coast district. and Mr. Peters takes charge of the Kootenay

A. D. TURCOTTE, of Montreal, formerly a building contractor, and lately running a planing mill, has been frequently sued during the past year or so, and a recent action having gone as far as seizure, a demand of assignment has been served upon him. --- Martin Freres, of the same city, also in the planing mill business and box manufacturers, have likewise been in uneasy shape of late; some weeks ago they approached their creditors with regard to an extension, but have now assigned with liabilities of \$20,451.--W. Lamoureux, boots and shoes, Montreal, lately failed, owing some \$18,000, is arranging a composition at 40 cents on the dollar; he first offered 30 cents. --- A demand of assignment has been made upon E. L. Ethier & Co., billiard table makers, who last week called a meeting of their creditors.-Hildebert Mederic Cote, of Quebec, formerly a sewing machine agent, and for several years past in the grocery trade, suggested a few days ago that his creditors should accept 20 per cent. of their claims in full settlement. Their views

did not coincide with his, and he has assigned.

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Companies.

No. of Par Price.

Companies.	Shares.	Value.	Price
Alberta	1,000 000	\$1 00	\$0.15
Dig Three	3,500,000	1 00	0 10
California	2,500 000	100	0 15
Deer Park	1,000 000	īŏŏ	0 20
Evening Star	1,000,000	100	0 26
Georgia.	1.000.000	100	022
Great Western	1,000,000	100	0 22
Iron Mask	500,000	100	0 70
Josie	700.000	îŏŏ	0 63
May Flower	1.000.000	1(0	0 17
Monte Cristo	1,000.000	100	0 20
Virginia	500.000	100	0 27
Colonna	1,000,000	100	
Novelty	1,000,000		0 15
Red Mountain View		1 00	0 15
St. Elmo	1 000.000	1 00	0 19
Silverine	1,000.000	1 00	0 15
Silverine	500,000	1 00	0 12
West Le Roi	500,000	1 00	0 40
Cariboo	800,000	1 00	0 45
Slocan			
Eldon	1,000.000	1 00	0 10
Special attention were	4-44-77-11		

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