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Sealed tenders marked "Tender for Loan" addressed to the Town Clerk of the Town of Chatham, N.B., will be received up to noon of the

16th Day of May Next

for the purchase of bonds of the said town to the amount of \$10,000, or any portion thereof.

The above is the first \$10,000 of the second issue of bonds of \$20,000 authorized by the Act of the General Assembly of New Brunswick at the past session, are redeemable in 40 years, and are in denominations of \$100 each, bearing interest at 4 per cent. per annum payable semi-annually at the office of the Town Treasurer.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated at Chatham, N.B., the 5th day of April, 1898.

WARREN C. WINSLOW, Mayor.

JAMES F. CONNORS, Town Clerk.

Mercantile Summary.

THE ice-bridge at Quebec broke on Monday last.

N. D. & W. H. WHITE, sawmillers, etc., of Hawkesbury, Ont., are reported to have assigned to the sheriff. Their affairs have been in bad shape for some time past.

A LEADING firm of haberdashers, in Ottawa, Macdonald Bros., are embarrassed, and are reported as arranging for an extension of time. Their principal creditors secured themselves by a chattel mortgage several months ago. Liabilities are stated at about \$7,000, with some moderate surplus shown.

The assignment is noted of N. Garneau, dry goods retailer in the city of Quebec. The business was started in 1893, as Trudel & Garneau, but Mr. Garneau has been alone for several years past. The liabilities are \$11,618, with assets consisting of stock, \$9,800; accounts, \$1,900, and fixtures, \$250.

THE retail dry goods business of Carney & Webber, in St. John, N.B., was started barely a year ago by Carney, a man past middle age, who had many years experience as a clerk, and he was shortly afterwards joined by Webber, who had previously also had some business experience. The firm has assigned; its liabilities are not yet ascertained.

THE result of the smelting operations of the Hall Mines, Limited, at Nelson, B.C. were as follows for the five weeks ending 2nd April, 1898: The works did 31 days' 16 hours' smelting, during which 7,437 tons of ore were smelted: yielding 357 tons of matte, containing (approximately)—156 tons of copper; 111,420 ozs. of silver and 272 ozs. of gold.

HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY approves the gentlemen whose names follow as Consular Officers of the United States of America in the Dominion:—William H. H. Graham, as consul at Winnipeg; Harlan W. Brush, as consul at Clifton, Ontario; Neal McMillan, as consul at Port Sarnia, Ontario. The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Nosse Tatsugoro Shoschichii as consul of Japan for the eastern districts of Canada.

THE council of St. John, N.B., has ratified the winter port agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway, and pledged itself to provide the Manhattan Steamship Company with the needed piers for steamers to be run this summer from New York to St. John. The intended arrangement may be disturbed however, for the U.S. Government last week took over two steamers under lease to the Manhattan Company.

A CHEQUE was last week received by the treasurer of Toronto from the Toronto Street Railway of \$16,000 for mileage fees; and another for \$7,390, the city's portion of traffic receipts for March. A comparative statement of receipts and percentages for March in three past years is as follows:—Company's receipts, March, 1898, \$92,375; 1897, \$79,334; 1896, \$74,409. The city's percentage, March, 1898, \$7,390; 1897, \$6,346; 1896, \$5,952.

WE learn from a late issue of the Winnipeg "Tribune," that the property on Main street, in that city, occupied by the stores of Messrs. H. A. Holman, Paul & Taylor, and S. Barrowclough, has been purchased by Messrs. Walter Suckling & Co. for clients of theirs. It is understood that the price paid for the property was in the neighborhood of \$34,000, which strikes us as a pretty good figure. But, of course, it is in a good part of a good thoroughfare.

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