quarters of the globe, enough besides to make her total exports \$879,000 in value. In 1898, Brantford factories paid in wages \$1,151,190, as against \$943,335 the previous year. The number of employees engaged increased from 2,815 to 3,381, a gain of

A. L. PARKER and E. H. Parker, of Scotstown, P.Q., who have operated more or less in conjunction with one another, as saw-millmen and lumber dealers, have assigned, and their creditors are called

CITY OF BELLEVILLE

Debentures for Sale

The Corporation of the city of Belleville offer for sale the undermentioned debentures:

First.—For the purchase and improvement of Water Works System, \$182,000, dated June 20th, 1899, term 30 years, Interest payable semi-annually, at the rate of 32 per cent. per annum.

per cent. per annum.

Second.—For Bonus granted to the AbbottMitchell Iron & Steel Co., of Canada,
Limited, for the establishing of Rolling
Mills and Iron Works in the city (and now
under construction), \$55,000, dated May
1st, 1899, term 20 years, Interest payable
semi-annually, at the rate of \$\frac{3}{2}\$ per cent.

per annum.
Sealed Tenders.—Marked Tenders for Debentures will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Thursday, July 20th, 1899. The highest or any Tender not necessarily accepted. J. P. THOMPSON,

City Treasurer.

Belleville, June 13th, 1899.



Debentures for Sale.

The undersigned is prepared to receive offers for the purchase of

Debentures of Drainage District No. 2.

in the Province of Manitoba, guaranteed by the Province, and issued under the provisions of "The Land Drainage Act," 1895, and amendments thereto, the whole issue amounting to about the sum of \$350,000 00, of which only \$200,000 00 may be sold at present; such debentures to be dated July 1st, 1899, payable in thirty years from the date of issue, and bear interest at the rate of four per cent. per anaum, payable half-yearly.

All offers must be addressed to the undersigned, marked "Tender for Debentures" and must reach this office not later than the 20th day of July, 1899 and must state the rate per centum offered for the whole of the issue, or the \$200,000.00 worth, whether the debentures are desired in currency or sterling, the denomination or denominations (not more than two), and number of each desired, and at what place it is desired to have the debentures and interest made payable.

Delivery of, and payment for the debentures to be

together for the 10th inst.-For twenty years or more, F. Briere has been quite a prominent figure in the business community at Lake Weedon, Que., but as a money-maker he has not been a success. As long ago as 1884 he became insolvent, and now he is reported as having assigned. -William Faust, of Montcalm, Que., is

a carpenter and contractor in a small way, who also engaged in a hardware business a year or two ago. The venture has apparently wrought his downfall, and a demand having been made upon him, he has assigned, owing about \$2,200.

RAILWAY DEPUTATIONS.

Editor MONETARY TIMES:

DEAR SIR,—Allow me to call your attention to an editorial paragraph in the last issue of "The Monetary Times," with relation to the deputations from Toronto which recently waited upon the Government. The writer of this article goes on to say "that some of the speakers mixed up other questions with these proposed roads, etc." I take the liberty these of thinking that he must be mistaken, for I was present during the interviews, and

I was present during the interviews, and there was certainly no mixing-up in the matter, and they were entirely distinct. The James' Bay Railway deputation, headed by the Mayor and Mr. McMurrich, had their interview, and when the same was concluded, the Toronto Board of Trade was introduced by its president, Mr. A. E. Kemp, who, during the conference called upon the Mayor to say a few words on the subject of the proposed Toronto & Georgian Bay Short Line—but there was no mixing-up of the subjects whatever.

Yours very truly,

EDGAR A. WILLS,

Secretary.

Secretary.

The Board of Trade, Toronto, June 20th, 1899.

STOCKS IN MONTREAL.

Montreal, July 5th, 1899.

		Lowest.	Total,	Closing Prices.		same 898.
Stocks.	Highest.			Sellers.	Buyers.	Average, s date 18
Montreal	2511	251	13		952	
Ontario						*******
Molsons	195	1993	1	201	198	
Toronto I. Cartier			•••••	····	•••••	
Merchants	173	171	56	173	113	••••••
Commerce				152	179 1401	•••••
Union				192	120	•••••
Hochelaga				100	2217	•••••
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R. & O. Nav Street Ry	328	8271	50	112	110	•••••
do. New	320	0014	50	330	397	•••••••
Gas			*********	327	325	••••••
C.P.R	99	98	1154	99	982	•••••••
Land Grant bds					202	••••••
N. W. Land Nid.						••••••••
Bell Tele. x.d				190	181	*******
Mont. 4% stock	1031	1031	50C	•••••••		•••••
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