

The Hall Mines. Limited, at Nelson, B.C., smelted, during nine days in September, 5,145 tons ore, yielding matte containing approximately 84 tons copper and 59,560 ounces silver.

The ratepayers of Peterboro have approved, by a vote of 491 for, to 42 against, the by-law, under which the town loans \$30,000 to the William Hamilton Manufacturing Company for a term of years.

In December, 1896, Kert & Stern, dealers in clothing, etc., Mattawa, dissolved partnership. H. J. Kert continued the business, and now he makes an assignment.—About one year ago, T. M. Sibbald, manufacturers' agent, Toronto, decided that there was more money in selling coal, etc., than in doing a com-

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## CONSUMERS' GAS COMPANY.

The Annual General Meeting of the stockholders of the Consumers' Gas Company of Toronto, to receive the report of the Directors, and for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the Company's Office, No. 19 Toronto St., Toronto, on

Monday, 31st October Next

at 12 o'clock noon.

W. H. PEARSON,  
General Manager and Secretary.

Toronto, 28th Sept., 1898.

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Toronto.

mission business in textiles. To-day he considers that he made a huge mistake, for he is compelled to assign.

GALT merchants, it is said, are very much exercised over the falling off of trade in that town. The Town Council is considering a resolution to appoint a committee to confer with representatives of the Board of Trade, these two committees to consult with Galt merchants and store owners, the object being to ascertain why trade is being diverted to outside places, particularly the larger cities, to the detriment of Galt merchants and property owners on Main street.

A DISCOURAGING blow would have been dealt to Toronto printers who work hard and manage closely and pay one hundred cents in the dollar to their creditors, if it were true, as stated in print, that Shepard Brothers & Co., job printers on Adelaide street west, had been settled with at twenty cents in the dollar. But we are told it is not true. Assignment was made by this firm some days ago; the E. B. Eddy Company had sued them and got judgment; one of several American concerns, who are creditors for ink supplied, says it will accept the twenty cents offered, but the Canada Paper Company refuses, and properly. The circumstances of the case have an unsatisfactory look. Mrs. Perry, wife of one of the principals in the concern, suddenly appears in the character of a capitalist—whence her wealth is derived we cannot ascertain—apparently it is she who is offering to buy up claims against the firm's estate at 20 cents in the dollar, her own claim against the estate, of \$9,600 (out of a total liability of \$14,000), being found to be secured. Losses by doing printing for theatrical troupes is alleged as one cause of the firm's failure. Whatever the causes, it is not seemly that one secured creditor, the wife of a partner, shall grasp three-fourths of the assets of the concern, and leave the other fourth to pay twenty cents in the dollar to unsecured creditors. And we submit that people who expect other printing houses to pay them in full have no right to settle with such people as these, at one-fifth what they owe. If it be true, as stated, that this firm has lost \$9,000 in four years by bad debts, it is fair evidence that they are not fitted to carry on a business on credit.

### STOCKS IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Oct. 19th, 1898.

Stocks.	Highest.	Lowest.	Total.	Closing Prices.		Average, 1897.
				Sellers.	Buyers.	
Montreal .....	245	245	11	250	242½	239
Ontario .....						97½
Molson .....				205	200	196
Toronto .....				249	240	229
Jac. Cartier .....					110	95
Merchants .....	189½	181½	91	185	182	184½
Commerce .....	144½	144	8	146	143½	137
Union .....				110	105	103
M. Telegraph .....	177	177	20	180	175	176
R. & O. Nav. ....	100	99	225	100	95xd	106½
Street Ry, cash .....	279	278	850			
do. xd .....	277	273	385	275½	275½	224½
New, cash .....	273½	273	200			
do. xd .....	272	272	50	272½	270	239½
Gas .....	187½	186	75	187	186½	187
C.P.R. ....	84	81½	5605	82	81½	82½
Land Grant bds. ....				110	110	109
N.W. Land pref. ....				55	52	51
Bell Tele. ....	171	171	25	175	171	172½
do. new .....	170	170	25			
Mont. 4% stock .....						

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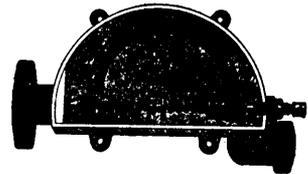
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