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THE Ever Ready Dress Stay Co., of Windsor sends out to its friends a neat memorandum book, diary and calendar for 1896, bound in red morocco.

THE Bank of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, declares a dividend at the rate of six per cent. per annum, for the past half year, payable on the first of February.

PATRICK B. COYNE, for many years in general business at Portage du Fort, Que., is reported to be embarrassed, and creditors are investigating his affairs.

Two failures in Quebec: J. F. Guay, a dealer in electrical goods, has assigned, owing \$4,500, after unsuccessfully trying to make a settlement; also E. Laurent, fancy goods dealer.

AFTER a long and unsuccessful struggle, John Saunders, a grocer at Harriston, has made an assignment to F. H. Lamb, of Hamilton. A meeting of his creditors will be held at Harriston on 15th instant.

IN St John, N.B., Kelly & Murphy, carriage makers, failing to secure a compromise at 20 cents, have assigned. R. W. McCarthy, druggist in the same city, has been closed under bill of sale. — In Ottawa, J. F. Belanger, paints, is reported failed.

ROLAND G. WILSON has been made Toronto agent of the Canadian Express Company, in the place of the late Mr. J. D. Irwin. Mr. Wilson was born in St. Mary's, in 1854, and has been an express messenger on various routes between Detroit, Toronto, Montreal and Portland.

IN Montreal the following failures are reported: J. A. Debieu, grocer, has assigned on demand, owing about \$9,000. — After just about a year's business experience in selling stationery, etc., A. A. Lapointe has been asked to assign. He owes \$2,900. — C. A. Duclos and Michael Fox, both saloon keepers, have made over their estates to the assignee, and owe respectively \$4,262 and \$2,700. — L. N. Dagenais & Co., in the millinery line, are insolvent and owe \$1,250.

ABOUT a year ago, John Armstrong, a Peterboro' grocer, made an assignment and subsequently settled with his creditors at 25 cents on the dollar. This does not appear to have improved his position, for he again offers a compromise. — In this city, a firm of cigar dealers in the Rossin House block, A. & F. Harbottle, have been closed up by their creditors. — A Church street tailor, named Marquis Rich, has assigned. — A Jeffrey & Son, wholesale hardware dealers, have assigned.

AGAIN the farmer-storekeeper. Monsieur S. H. Frigon, near St. Tite, Que., was a farmer who sold his farm some eight years ago, and engaged in storekeeping. He failed shortly after, and arranged to continue by paying 50 cents on the dollar. He is again in trouble, and has been asked to assign. Liabilities are placed at \$9,000. — Elie Roberge, a small dealer at St Denis, offers 25 cents on the \$800 he owes. — Robert Robert, grocer, Magog, is reported an absentee, and a meeting of creditors is fixed for the 10th inst.

AFTER some four petitions from as many different European creditors, the judge has finally granted a winding-up order in the matter of the Canadian Trading and Shipping Co., of Montreal. This was one of the pet schemes of Mr. Bousquet, late manager of La Banque du Peuple and was conceived on such unsound business lines that its speedy downfall has always been predicted by conservative business men. The results will prove disastrous to the French and German wine houses, who were warned as to the doubtful nature of the enterprise.

J. E. DEWOLFE & Co., teas, flour, etc., Kentville, have sold their business to Ralph H. Lamont, for years in the employ of S. S. Strong.

A COUPLE of Montreal houses, jobbing in woollens, have decided to wind up, owing to unsatisfactory business results. The first of these firms, Mills & Galt, dates from January, 1893, being a continuation of the one time extensive firm of Mills & Hutchison. Alfred Small & Co., the second firm, have been in business since 1891, when they bought the insolvent estate of R. Tyler & Sons. This latter firm must not be confounded with E. A. Small & Co., wholesale clothiers.

SOMEWHAT of a sensation was created in the Montreal shoe trade, on Wednesday morning, by the announcement of the suspension of James Leggatt, a leading jobber in shoes and rubbers. The failure is attributed to heavy losses of late, poor collections, and numerous cancellations of orders, by which a large amount of stock is thrown back on his hands. The liabilities are estimated at \$150,000 direct, and \$80,000 to \$90,000 indirect. A statement will be prepared, and a meeting called at an early date.

THERE have been several failures among Montreal retail clothiers within the week. The chief is that of M. Genser, who has also latterly had a branch in Quebec. He owes about \$18,700, with assets of nearly \$8,000. Not long ago he claimed a fair surplus, and the failure is much criticized. — The assignment of A. Belasco is also reported, with liabilities of about \$10,000. He has a branch in Petrolia, Ont., and did business for a time in Woodstock. — M. Coviensky, a man of smaller calibre, is seeking a settlement at 30 cents on the dollar. — J. Josephson, who has been doing business under the style of the "Windsor Clothing Store," is reported an absentee, and a meeting of his creditors has been called for the 18th inst. He made rather a bad failure some years ago, and was away from the city for a few years. — M. Blumenthal is also reported embarrassed, and to be preparing a statement. He is reported to have made a serious loss by endorsing for Josephson, who is a son-in-law.

HERE are some items about traveling and other salesmen, etc.: Several of Samson & Kennedy's staff have been secured by other houses. One, we believe, went to Detroit: Mr. H. Walker, who has been with the house for 14 years, leaves in a day or so for Montreal, to act as buyer for Greenshields, Son & Co.

BARGAIN IN TIMBER LAND

Lots 6, 7, and 8 in 5th concession of Albemarle, county of Bruce, east of the Bury road, 300 acres; these lands are heavily timbered, and a portion with first-class cedar, suited for telegraph poles; these will be sold at a great bargain.

D. S. M'MILLAN, Barrister,
Sarnia, Ont.

Notice

Is hereby given by the Board of Trade of the City of Toronto, that an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at the next session thereof, for an Act to amend the Act incorporating the said Board of Trade, and the several Acts amending the same in so far as relates to their Gratuity Fund, and the administration thereof, and for enabling the Board of Trade to make such changes in the manner of working the Gratuity Fund as they see fit, and for other purposes.

W. H. BEATTY,
Solicitor for the Applicants
Toronto, Nov. 28th, 1895.

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None but A1 men need apply. Address "FUR," Monetary Times, Toronto.

Two travellers for an eastern fur house. State connections—age, experience, and give references.