

unsuccessful and has been put into insolvency. —J. E. Burroughs & Co., tailors and makers of ginger ale in a small way, at Shawville, Que., have been asked to assign. —A. Mireault, formerly a farmer, and doing a small general business at Ste. Marie Salomé, is reported insolvent. He has also done something as a vendor of herb medicines, roots, etc., in Montreal, and the store has apparently suffered. —W. Howatson, a storekeeper at Black Cape, in the Gaspé district, has assigned on demand. He has been reported slow for some time past.

The list of Montreal failures for the week includes the following: —M. Besner & Co., restaurant, have made assignment of their estate, and show assets of \$1,400 to pay debts of \$1,700. —J. S. Flynn, dry goods retailer, through accommodating his friends, has become embarrassed, and creditors have granted him a compromise at the rate of 60 cents on the dollar, liabilities being about \$8,000. —C. Adelson, clothier, reported failed a week ago, is offering 25 cents on the dollar. —A small boot and shoe concern, J. Godin & Co., by name, has become insolvent, owing about \$1,500. —McCrae & Watson, plumbers, have now assigned. Their indebtedness is \$5,035, and the estate will probably not pay much more than ten cents. —A. Poupart, coal dealer, lately reported in trouble, has assigned; liabilities are \$2,694. —Joseph Dagenais, in a small grocery business, is arranging a settlement at 25 cents. —Amiot & Hervieux, a retail dry goods concern, dating only from the spring of 1894, have already had to stop, and have turned their estate over to the assignee, showing assets of \$9,100, and an indebtedness of \$9,400. —A demand of assignment has been made upon C. O. Leclaire, tobacconist.

STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Commercial Cable stock was the most active on the Toronto Stock Exchange during the week, there having been 1,395 shares sold. Toronto Railway was next with 650 shares sold, and the Canada Permanent Loan following with 637 shares. Following is a summary of transactions: —Ontario Bank, 6 at 82½-85; Bank of Commerce, 160 at 137½-138; Bank of Hamilton, 8 at 157; British America Assurance, 20 at 122; Western Assurance, 239 at 166½-167; Consumers Gas, 15 at 195; Canada N.W. Land, 20 at 50; C.P.R. stock, 225 at 58.59½; Commercial Cable, 1,395 at 162-163; Bell Telephone, 66 at 158½-159½; Montreal

Passenger Railway, 25 at 208; Toronto Railway, 650 at 82½-83½; Canada Landed and National Investment Co., 10 at 115; Canada Permanent Loan, 637 at 157-160; Imperial Loan and Investment, 10 at 111; Western Canada Loan, 30 at 152.

THE PROPOSED QUEBEC CARNIVAL.

The Subscription Committee for the coming Carnival will meet this (Thursday) evening. The report of the various canvassers has been received. So far, favorable reports are received from everywhere, and the subscriptions are increased by a great number of our merchants.

Private information from the United States and Western Canada state that the Carnival is already the topic of conversation, and that it is better advertised by this time than it was two years ago in December.

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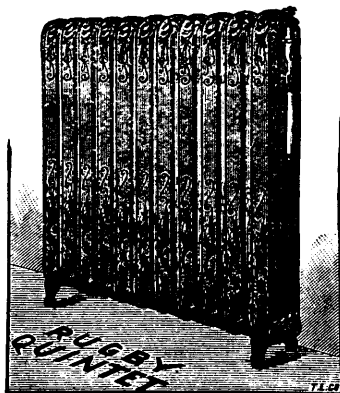
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