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rying 2,000,000 feet of lumber, is expected there for a load of ice as soon as the bay is clear.

In our last issue a statement was made to the effect that the creditors of the Markham woollen mills had taken possession of the premises and were shortly about to sell the estate. This we find on enquiry to have been incorrect, and to have arisen from the fact that a second mortgage on the property is to be sold next week. The present proprietors inform us that they have no creditors, but pay cash for what they buy. "The mill is running on bona fide orders for flannel, &c., of which we have enough to last us two months." We regret to have been misinformed about the matter and hasten to make the correction, so that no injury may result to a worthy firm.

company, and Mr. F. B. Buck, Sherbrooke, general manager and treasurer. The capital

is \$400.000. FROM a circular issued by the respectable firm of Dalby, Ballentyne & Claxton, Victoria, B.C., of which Mr. Fred. J. Claxton, of Montreal, is one of the partners, we learn that the population of Victoria now exceeds 20,000, onefourth of that number having been added during 1889. The fire losses have been reduced, by improved fire appliances, from \$148,000 in 1886 to \$16,000 in 1888 and only \$9,000 last year. The present rate of interest upon good city property, says the circular, is eight per cent. Ottawa.

barrels of lime. The Hon. Frank Jones, of

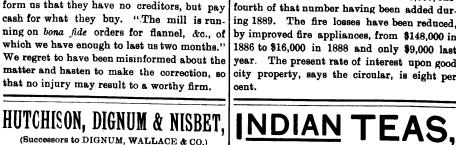
Portsmouth, N. H., is the president of the

connection with this estate, a delay was caused in getting out dividend sheet. L. GAMACHE, & Quebec grocer on a small scale, has assigned. He had the name of outting prices .---- A demand of assignment has been made upon L. Lupien, of St. Ursule, Que., whose difficulties we noticed a few weeks ago. His liabilities are put at \$4,850. He is said to have failed before. ----John O'Donnell, of North Onslow, Que., heretofore a farmer, who has of late been looking after the postoffice, a hotel, and a small store, has come to grief, and creditors are notified to fyle their claims with Mutchmor, Gordon & Co., of

dividend is now declared. Owing to several

insolvent estates having to be closed up in





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