

peared. The nominal assets are \$4,000 and the liabilities \$25,000. The Merchants and Dominion Banks are also interested, and there is a likelihood all the facts in this peculiar matter will be brought to light.

B. JENKINS & Co., who did quite an extensive furniture business in the western part of this city, have failed. Creditors will have to be satisfied with only a very small part of their claims.

The sheriff has seized and is selling the stock of W. F. Reid, a Bracebridge grocer. When the claim of his principal creditor is satisfied the others will receive but little. F. J. Gibson, a hotel keeper in Burlington, has absconded. Pennington & Co., Hamilton, dealers in paints, are trying to effect a compromise. The millinery stock of Hearn, Macaulay and McNab, London, has been disposed of by the sheriff.

A LARGE hardware firm in Winnipeg, Horsman & Co., has assigned with liabilities, as shown a month ago, of \$24,000 and assets \$38,000. They will probably be able to effect a compromise with creditors. The sheriff is registered at the hotel of Hogan & Gibbons, Winnipeg, and Gibbons has shown his dislike to that kind of guest by leaving for the United States. The same official has appeared officially in James Parker's drug store, and C. Noble's grocery shop, both in Winnipeg.

MR. GEORGE A. COCHRANE, of Montreal, has patented a method of keeping and carrying fruit such as pears, apples, peaches, tomatoes, &c., which promises to be a success. An experimental shipment of peaches by the Cunard steamer *Servia* from New York on the 22nd ult., had arrived out in fair condition and sold at thirty-six shillings sterling, or nine dollars currency, per case, according to the *Gazette*. The

cases contained 24 dozen pieces fruit, and the cost, landed and sold, in Liverpool, was \$4 80 per case.

We note the following assignments in Regina: Pascal Bonneau, J. J. Campbell & Co., general store men; Molton & Howson, R. D. Prest, Runciman & Kenelly, hotel keepers. Frank Gardner, a lumber dealer in Rat Portage, is seeking an extension of time. He promises creditors a detailed statement in a few days. A firm of hotel keepers in Winnipeg, Canniff Bros., has had its effects advertised for sale in order to settle the landlord's claim, for rent, of \$1,800. Shottlander & Co., confectioners, Winnipeg, have crossed the border. Creditors may place their claims against them to the debit side

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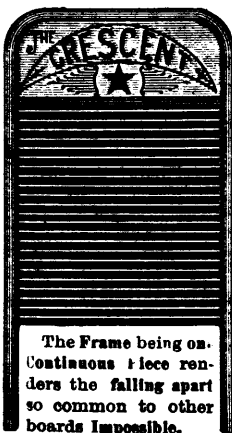
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of profit and loss. W. Senkbeil, a Brandon boot and shoe dealer, whose embarrassment we noticed some time ago, has effected a compromise with creditors at 3, 6 and 9 months, secured. His liabilities amount to \$9,500 and assets \$6,900. G. Ripple & Co., hardware dealers in the same town, have been granted an extension.

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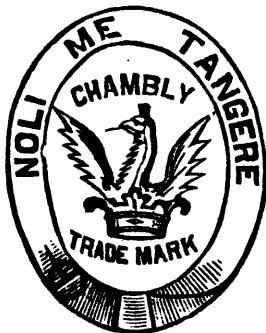
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