

BUSINESS CHANGES.

DIFFICULTIES, ASSIGNMENTS, COMPROMISES.

A. LAFONTAINE, general merchant, Drummondville, Que., has assigned and his creditors held a meeting on September 15.

The Eastern Canada Tea Co., Sydney, N.S., has assigned.

Samuel G. Hall, grocer, Lawrencetown, N.S., has assigned.

J. A. Berube, general merchant, St. Fabien, Que., has assigned.

Juste Poirier, general merchant, Caracquet, N.B., has assigned to the sheriff.

P. Gagnon, general merchant, St. Flavie Station, Que., has effected a compromise.

The offer to compromise of J. A. Lomme, St. Johns, Que., was refused, and he has assigned.

Mrs. J. A. Blondin, general merchant, St. Maurice, Champlain Co., Que., has compromised.

The creditors of A. Lafontaine, general merchant, Drummondville, Que., meet on September 22.

P. Morin, general merchant, St. Tite, Que., is offering to compromise at 30c. on the dollar cash.

G. Leblanc & Co., general merchants, Napierville, Que., have assigned to Lamarche & Benoit.

The creditors of L. N. Despins, general merchant, Grand Falls, N.B., held a meeting on the 10th inst.

The creditors of Juste Poirier, general merchant, Catarquet, N.B., held a meeting on the 18th inst.

The offer of Edward Finnegan, grocer, St. John, N.B., to compromise at 15 per cent. has been accepted.

Mason & Stewart, general merchants, Parrsboro', N.S., are offering to compromise at 15 per cent.

Jules Falardeau, wholesale and retail tobacco merchant, Montreal, is offering 25c. on the dollar cash.

The creditors of Robitaille Freres, general merchants, Lake Megantic, Que., hold a meeting on September 22.

The chattel mortgagee is in possession of the premises of Sigmund Grass, grocer, Vancouver, and the stock is advertised for sale.

Edwin B. Hill, general merchant, LeRoy, Ont., has assigned to John Elliott, and a meeting of creditors was held on the 22nd inst.

Obed. A. Ham, general merchant, Mahone Bay, N.S., is offering 50 per cent., payable within 30 days, and asks six and nine months extension on the balance.

PARTNERSHIPS FORMED AND DISSOLVED.

J. W. Gordon & Co., general merchants, Boucherville, Ont., have dissolved.

Hopper & Fleming, grocers, Ottawa, have dissolved and are succeeded by Hopper & Brown.

M. Stier & Co., general merchants, Montreal, have dissolved; Mrs. Moses Stier has registered.

Merriman & Ross, wholesale and retail grocers, St. Catharines, Ont., have dissolved; W. H. Merriman continues.

SALES MADE AND PENDING.

Mrs. R. L. Johnston, dealer in sundries, Arrowhead, B.C., is advertising her stock for sale.

The stock of A. D. M. Bertrand, general merchant, St. Raymond, Que., has been sold at 66c. on the dollar.

The assets of K. Finnson, general, and lumber merchant, Icelandic River, Man., are advertised for sale by tender up to September 21.

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Wilfrid Bousquet, grocer, Maisonneuve, Que., has registered.

The St. Johns Creamery, St. Johns, Que., has registered.

Marie A. Case, grocer, Toronto, has sold out to J. Duggan.

Hunter & Thomas, general merchants, Foster, Que., have registered.

W. J. Flynn, liquor merchant, Ottawa, is succeeded by Antoine Richer.

Henry Oliver & Co., grocers, Toronto, have sold out to J. Yake & Son.

J. S. McKay, miller, Bois-sevain, Man., has sold out to J. W. Knittle & Co.

The stock of A. B. Wark, grocer, Hamilton, has been sold to W. H. Ryckman & Co.

John Dobbin, general merchant, Regina, N.W.T., has sold out to George Mickleborough.

H. J. McLean, confectioner, Holland, Man., has sold out to E. J. Merrill.

Manuel Y. Gonzalez Co., dealers in cigars, etc., Montreal, have registered.

The Imperial Cigarette and Tobacco Co., St. John, N.B., is opening a branch at Vancouver.

J. F. Fumerton & Co., general merchants, Treherne, Man., have sold out to J. K. McLennan.

Tweed & Ewart, general merchants, Medicine Hat, N.W.T., have sold out to Stewart, Clarke & Co.

Banbury, Gourley & Banbury, bankers, Wolseley, N.W.T., are succeeded by the Union Bank of Canada.

The estate of R. A. Lawrence, general merchant, Wetaskiwin, N.W.T., has been sold at 68½c. on the dollar.

The business formerly conducted under the style of Thomas Cahill, jr., general merchant, Lake Talon, Ont., is now run under the name of Cahill Bros.

FIRES.

Thomas Embleton, grocer, Rossland, B.C., has sustained loss by fire.

J. M. Nelson, general merchant, Temperanceville, Ont., was burned out.

Corbett Bros., grocers, Toronto, have sustained a small loss by fire; insured.

John E. Brown, dealer in hides, wool, etc., Hamilton, Ont., has sustained loss by fire; insured.

Ebenezer Crow, general merchant and sawmill owner, Green's Harbor, Newfoundland, was burned out, sustaining a total loss with no insurance.

DEATHS.

W. L. Shields, general merchant and sawmill owner, Cobocok, Ont., is dead.

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