

BROPHY, CAINS & CO.,

DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS and SMALL WARES,

WHOLESALE,

196 McGill Street, = Montreal.

FALL 1892.

Our friends speak of our new warehouse as being the handsomest in the city. It is also commodious and central. Our business has shown a large increase year after year, proving that we have the confidence of the trade.

With increased facilities for doing business, and a much larger range of goods than we have ever shown, the incoming season promises to be our best.

As usual we will lead the trade in Fine Black, Mourning and Half Mourning Goods, also Choice Fashionable Dress Goods, Sealettes, Mantlings, Ulsterings, Cape Cloths and Suitings.

We purpose taking a larger share of the Linen Trade and have bought accordingly.

Please see our Samples and call when in the city.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

ONTARIO.

Irwin R. Armstrong, merchant tailor, Brampton, has made an assignment to B. F. Justin.

Edith McDermid, milliner, Strathroy, has made an assignment to Mr. J. Cameron, her solicitor.

T. M. Henderson, men's furnishings, Norwich, assigned to T. A. Kilgour, Hamilton.

A. W. McLeod, dry goods, Rat Portage, has sold out to R. W. Ferrier.

J. G. Smallacombe, tailor, Exeter, has assigned to Robert Gibbons.

C. C. Rance, tailor and furnishings, Rat Portage, sold to W. A. McLeod.

Mrs. A. Cartan, fancy dry goods, Toronto, is out of the business.

Andrew Crawford, tailor, Aurora, has compromised.

Geo. Hilliard, of the Blythe Woollen Co., Peterboro, is dead.

Paul Shakespeare, dry goods, Toronto, has assigned to J. W. Lawrence.

Win. East, umbrella manufacturer, Toronto, is advertising his business for sale.

Andrew Crawford, merchant tailor, of Aurora, assigned to E. R. C. Clarkson a few days ago, and has already effected a cash compromise at the rate of 60 cents on the dollar.

Thomas H. Wark, merchant tailor, 171 Queen street west, who assigned this week to E. R. C. Clarkson has met his creditors with a statement of affairs, but has been given a week in which to make an offer of composition.

Mr. J. A. Graves, of Tilsonburg, has sold out his interest in the dry goods business and retired from the firm of Hansler & Graves on the 1st of July,

and Mr. W. J. Walker took a partnership in the business.

J. J. Tonkin & Co., the hatters and tailors at the corner of Yonge and Richmond streets, have assigned to Campbell & May. The liabilities are not thought to be large. Stock is now being taken, and the creditors will meet on Tuesday afternoon.

QUEBEC.

The estate of L. E. Cloutier, dry goods, Montreal, is being wound up. Harris Kellert, clothing, Montreal, is trying to compromise.

O. Bouchard & Fils, dry goods, Quebec, have dissolved.

Isidore Bolleau, hatter, Montreal, is in difficulties.

Graves & Rollin, tailors, Montreal, have assigned.

Langevin & Monday, clothiers, Montreal, are offering to compromise.

MARITIME PROVINCES.

Hanson & Grady, tailors, St. Andrew's, N.B., have dissolved.

W. Cowling & Co., dry goods, Moncton, N.B., have assigned.

James Kelly, tailor, St. John has assigned.

Craig & Kent, hat manufacturers, Truro, N.S., have advertised their factory for sale.

THE WESTERN PROVINCES.

J. H. Simpson, tailor, Victoria, B.C., has sold his stock to J. C. Leask & Co.

W. S. Hampson & Co., dry goods, Victoria, B.C., are closing up their branch at Nanaimo.

A. E. Allen has retired from the firm of Allen, Wilson & Creighton, tailors, Victoria, B.C.

Samuel Bare, dry goods, Winnipeg, Man., has compromised at 65c on the dollar.

Berkman & Bennett, dry goods, Regina, N.W.T., have assigned.

The stock of William McColl, dry goods, New Westminster, B.C., is advertised for sale.

T. L. Brown & Co., men's furnishings, Nanaimo, are offering to compromise.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

Among the dry goods men who suffered by the recent fire at St. John's, were: James Bryden, Campbell McPherson, Ayer & Sons, O'Flaherty & McGregor, Wm. Frew, Mrs. Mitchell, Marshall & Rodgers, Collin Campbell, Brown & Milly.

Nothing has appeared in the associated despatch in years to arouse the public to such a sense of the necessity for judgment in the security of papers and valuable documents as the St. John's fire, when nearly all foreign safes proved worthless, and those of the Canadian manufacture of J. & J. Taylor alone stood the test.

Last Saturday morning about eleven o'clock James McCallum Cosbie, son of Mr. R. H. Cosbie, traveller for Samson, Kennedy & Co., lost his life. It appears that the lad and his father were bathing in the lake at Kincardine, the latter endeavouring to teach his son to swim. After holding him in the water for some time, the young lad striking out with hands and feet and apparently enjoying himself, he suddenly seemed to have lost all animation. On taking him out of the water it was found that life had fled. Mr. Cosbie and family were spending a few days by the lake, and this was a sad ending to their pleasure-taking.