Eastern Business Changes.

J. S. Fead, banker, Orangeville, is dead. Chas. Poile, shoes, Chatham, has assigned.

J. C. Mayrand, hotel, Mattawa, has assigned.

C. J. Thomas, grocer, Toronto has assigned. W. P. Pratt, harness, Weston, has assigned. Brantford Cordage Co. (ltd.; Brantford, sold out.

A. D. Patterson, grocer, Blenheim, has sold out.

Robert Graham, hotel, Port Dover, was burned out.

J. W. Martin, hotelkeeper, London, has assigned.

Stewart & Scraeder, drugs, Toronto, have assigned.

Hay & Co., dry goods, Wallaceburg, has as signed.

A. B. Ormby, galvanized iron, Toronto, has assigned.

G. H. Armstrong, furniture, etc., Orillia, has assigned.

J. R. Butchart, boots and shoes, Toronto, has assigned.

E. W. Walburn & Son, furniture, Aylmer, have sold out.

Newans & Co., commission, etc., London, have assigned.

Geo. Woods, butcher, Guelph, partially burned out; insured.

Vermilyea Corset Co., Toronto Junction, have suspended.

John Boos, tailor, Mount Forest, was burned out: insured.

James Rogers, tailor, London, has settled at 650 on the dollar.

John Crosswell, groceries, etc., Ahmic Harbour, has sold out.

G. G. Aakins, drugs, Campbellford, has sold out to T. Brunskill.

L. C. Dick, planing mill, Fordwich, was burned out: insured.

C. D. Walton, furniture, Schomberg; style now Walton & Davis.

M. J. Freeland, (Mrs. W. A.) grocer, Palmerston, has assigned.

W. N. Drennan, furniture, Kingston; the sheriff is in possession.

W. J. Richardson, general store, Reids mills, has moved to Vernon.

S. Tabor & Son, general store, Morton, are asking for an extension.

George Sutherland, general store, Fingal, has sold out to P. H. Farlay.

S. J. McKay, hardware, Kingsville, was burned out; partially insured.

M. A. Cole, dry goods, Ridgetown; stock advertised for sale by trustee.

Eastman & Bros., general store, Mountain, have sold out to R. J. Coburn.

Nelson & Shantz, foundry, Berlin, have dissolved; I. E. Shantz continues.

J. W. Pattinson, estate, dry goods, Toronto, estate advertised for sale Nov. 3.

Tennant & Co., wholesale lumber, Toronto, have called a meeting of creditors.

F. H. Corbeau & Bro., furniture, Penetang and Sault Sto. Marie, have assigned.

T. W. Douglas, mens' furnings, Owen Sound, were damaged by fire and water; insured.

J. W. Anderson & Son, shingle manufacturers and traders, Lanark Tp., have assigned.

Bingham & Webber, printers, Toronto, have dissolved; R. C. Webber will continue the business.

Prall & Ewing, general store, Warkworth, have dissolved; O. A. Prall will continue the business.

Struthers, Anderson & Co., wholesale dry goods, London; style of firm now R. C. Struth ors & Co.

Johnson & Brown, carriages, Toronto, are dissolving partnership; S. Brown will continue the business.

QUEBEC.

T. Naud, Montreal, shoes, has assigned.

Nap. Morin, grocer, Montreal, has assigned. T. O. Olson, general store, Sawyerville, is away.

J. A. Peard, plummer, Montreal, has assigned.

Wilkinson & Boyle, bakers, Montreal, have assigned.

Jolicoeur & Drolet, dry goods, Montreal, have assigned.

F. X. St. Fierre, general store, Lyster, has assigned.

Z. & J. Laurin, grocers, etc., Montreal, have dissolved.

Adolpho Dufresne, carriages, St. Dominique, has assigned.

Hansen & S:hwartz, ship brokers, Quebec, have assigned

Labonte & Perrault, dry goods, Montreal, have dissolved.

W. J. Nelson & Co., hardware, Montreal, have dissolved.

R. E. Wight & Co., millers agents, Montreal, have dissolved.

M. Carrinan & Co., grocers, Cote St. Paul, was burned out.

O. N. Morin, manufacturers of seeders, St. Pio, has assigned.

Magor Bros. & Co., wholesale grocers, Montreal, have suspended.

Gilbert Chartier dit Robert, general store, St. Benoit, has assigned.

Ross, Forster & Co., wholesale dry goods, Montreal, have dissolved.

L. Theroux & Co., general store, Yamaske, is offering a compremise.

Marcus Cohen, commission merchant, Montreal, demand of assignment made.

S. Durocher & Fils, flour and grain, Monttreal; J. B. E. Durocher, the only partner, has formed a special partnership with S. Durocher, of Sorel, under the style of E. Durocher & Co.,

H Chapman & Co., implements and general commission merchants, Montreal, were succeeded, on Nov. 1st, by W. R. Wonham & Sons, composed of W. R. Wonham, W. C. Wonham, and P. C. B. Wonham.

NOVA SCOTIA.

B. S. Worth, mill, Mull River, has assigned. D. O. Parker, furniture, Berwick, has sold out.

John Mahoney, general store, Guysboro, is dead.

Augustus Strum, mill, Lunenburg, has assigned.

A. W. McMillan, tailor, Springhill, has assigned.

J. B. Gass & Co, dry goods, Amherst, have assigned.

J. W. Brown, saw mill, Gasperaux, was burned out. Edward Young, general store, Burlington,

has assigned.

Andrew Gillis, general store, Port Mulgrave,

has assigned. Alex. Wilson & Son, fish, Halifax, was burr-

ed out; insured.

Hugh Fraser, general store, Amherst, has moved to Oxford.

Stopley Valuet hours and shoes Religious

Stephen Veinot, boots and shoes, Bridge-water, has assigned.

R. D. Beals, estate, general store, Nictaux; stock sold to T. Smith.

Jas. Dempster & Co, planing mill, Halifax, was burned out; partially insured.

Isabella Lawlor & Son, groceries, etc., Dartmouth, is succeeded by S. Thompson.

J. W. Schurman, estate, general store and lumber, River Philip, is advertised for sale by tender.

A. H. Hatfield, general store, Port Graville, copartnership registered—J. E. Pettis & A. H. Hatfield.

Lovitt & Lovitt, wholesale grocers, Yarmouth, co-partnership registered—J. L. Lovitt & J. H. Lovitt.

E. Langille, stoves and tinware, Springhill; R. M. Langille admitted as partner; firm now E. Langille & Son.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Malcolm Taylor, hotel, Bay du Vin, is away. H. R. Baird, diugs, Woodstock, has sold out.

O. N. Price, saw mill, Havelock, has assigned.

G. E. Adams, grocer and butcher, St. George, is away.

Gilbert Doucett, general store, Jacquet River, has assigned.

Threshing and Plowing.

The reports with respect to the progress of threshing and plowing in the Northwest States are very contradictory. The facts seem to be in North Dakota that in some counties all the grain in shock is now threshed, while in others there is considerable grain in shock unthreshed; from Jamestown to Fargo a correspondent only saw one field standing in shock; north of Jamestown there is still more in shock, but the machines are threshing it quite fast. The amount of grain still in shock in the state will not exceed 5 per cent. of the crop, and will perhaps be considerably under that amount.

In regard to the threshing as a whole, there are some of the northwestern counties where not over 40 per cent. of the wheat crop has been threshed, but it is believed that not over 20 per cent of the entire crop is yet to to threshed out, and most all of that is in the stack. The good weather of the past week has assisted to rapidly rattle the grain out.

The snow storm of a week ago was far less disastrous than reported, It was not as extended as at first reported, and was worse in the vicinity of Devil's Lake. At Fargo there was hardly a half-inch of snow; at Cooperstown the snow was light; at Oakes but little fell, the storm was not bad at Jamestowa, but north of there it was very bad and blew into one cut so bad that the train was stalled all night and farmers felt blue over the prospects, but since they were threshing this grain which had been covered up with the snow, and it seemed but little injured by the exposure. There have been reports circulated of grain sprouting seriously in the shock, but this is hardly true, though there are places where shocks have become knocked down, and of course they have been hurt by the weather, but wheat generally is coming out from threshing muchines in much better shape than was anticipated. - Minneapolis Market Record.