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WHOLESALE

IRON AND HARDWARE*Merchants & Manufacturers,***Saws, Axes, and Edge Tools,****SPADES and SHOVELS, LOWMAN'S PATENT,**
Cut Nails, Horse Nails, Horse Shoes, Tacks,
Paints, Lead Pipe, Shot, Leather and Rubber
Belting, Dawson's Planes, Oils, Glass and Putty,
and all descriptions of**SEELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE,***Montreal Saw Works.**Montreal Axe Works.***CHAMBLY SHOVEL WORKS,****385 & 387 ST. PAUL ST.,
MONTREAL.****MILLS & HUTCHISON,****13 and 15 ST. HELEN ST.,**

MONTREAL.

CANADIAN WOOLLENS.Are now prepared to offer the Trade a
FULL RANGE of**FALL AND WINTER TWEEDS, &c.,**
FOR CONVENIENCE OF WESTERN BUYERS.

OFFICE AND SAMPLES

**13 WELLINGTON ST., (East),
TORONTO.**Robertson, of this city, was one of the principal
witnesses in the case.— J. A. I. Craig of Montreal, whom we
mentioned last week as offering to compromise,
has obtained a settlement at 25 cents on the
dollar, cash. The Bank Ville Marie has ad-
vanced the money, some \$23,000, and taken a
transfer of the whole estate of the insolvent as
security.— The total premiums taken out of Canada
by American insurance companies since 1869
is \$17,945,987. In the face of this sum the
American companies threaten to withdraw from
doing business in Canada. We don't apprehend
there is any immediate probability of their do-
ing so.— Contracts are being made at Oshawa for
fall delivery of potatoes at forty cents per
bushel. The crop is expected to yield pretty
well, some farmers estimating that they have
three hundred bushels to the acre. This is a
pretty high figure, but the crop is generally re-
ported to be far better than last year.— O. B. Charlebois, general dealer, of Ottawa,
is offering to compromise at 10 cents on the
dollar. He has been trying very hard for some
time to buy large lines of goods on credit, and
to enable him to do so, offered one of the Mer-
cantile agencies a bribe for an increased rating.
They refused the offer, erased his former rating,
and warned their subscribers against trusting
him. The present state of his affairs justifies
the course they took.

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JOHN McARTHUR & SON,

Importers of and Dealers in

White Lead & Colors,

DRY AND GROUND IN OIL.

Varnishes, Oils, Window Glass, Star,
Diamond Star and Double Diamond Star Brands
English 16, 21 and 26 oz. Sheet.
Rolled, Rough and Polished Plate Glass.
Colored, Plain and Stained Enamelled Sheet
Glass.

Painters and Artists Materials.

Chemicals, Dye Stuffs.

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OFFICES AND WAREHOUSES:

**310, 312, 314 and 316 St. Paul Street
AND
253 255 and 257 Commissioners Street
MONTREAL.****J. RATTRAY & CO.,**

Manufacturers, Importers and Wholesale Dealers

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**TOBACCO, SNUFF, CIGARS,
AND GENERAL****TOBACCONISTS' GOODS.**

MANUFACTORY:

No. 80 ST. CHARLES BORROMEE STREET.

WAREHOUSES AND OFFICE:

**428 ST. PAUL cor. of St. FRANCOIS XAVIER ST.
MONTREAL.**— A writ of attachment has been issued vs.
Raines & Co., of Bowmanville, of which firm
Capt. Raines of this city is the principal part-
ner, at the instance of the Ontario Bank. This
is owing to Capt. Raines' connection with the
insolvent concern of Robt. Mitchell & Sons, of
this city, flour and commission merchants, in
which firm it appears he was interested.— Marine insurance rates for the week are
somewhat higher. They are as follows.—Grain,
Temperley line, $\frac{3}{4}$ less 15; other lines to Liver-
pool and Glasgow, $\frac{3}{4}$ less 15; cheese and but-
ter, London line, $\frac{3}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ less 15; Liverpool and
Glasgow lines, $\frac{1}{2}$ less 20. Grain, per iron clip-
pers, 1 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ less 15; by regular steamers, $\frac{3}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$
less 15.— The stock of the Imperial Fire and the
North British and Mercantile Insurance Com-
panies made quite an advance in the London
market for the week ending August 14th, the
former $3\frac{1}{2}$ and the latter $3\frac{3}{4}$ per cent. The stock
of the Ontario Savings and Investment Society
of London, Ontario, is quoted at an advance of
 $2\frac{1}{2}$ for the week ending 30th inst.— A decision of some importance to vessel
owners has been given by Judge Blatchford of
the United States District court. The ship
Niagara carried a quantity of salt and arsenic
on the same voyage. The salt became impreg-
nated with arsenic and was poisonous and un-
fit for use. The Court decided that the owners
of the vessel are responsible.— The estate of C. D. Edwards, safe manu-
facturer, of this city, was sold a few days ago
by auction. The St. Joseph street property
brought something over the mortgages on it

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Blacking,
Snow Blacking,
Leather Preserver,
Harness Oil,
Nails Foot Oil,Glue,
Ivory Black,
Animal Charcoal,
Super Phosphate,
Bone Dust.

The Toronto Tweed Co.

Hird, Fyfe, Ross & Co.,

CANADIAN

WOOLLENS,

14 Front Street, East,

TORONTO.

which amounted to \$12,300. The Dorchester
street property also realized a trifle over the
mortgages which covered it, amounting to
\$15,000.— The New York daily *Witness* has departed
this life, proving that "Gotham" will not sup-
port a daily religious newspaper. Its circu-
lation has fallen off very much of late. It was
established by Mr. John Dougall of the Mont-
real *Witness*, who sank a large fortune of his
own in the enterprise, besides a large sum, \$75,-
000 it is said, contributed by friends. The
weekly edition will still be continued.— The following business men have sold out:
O'Higgins & Carey, grocers, Stratford, to M. C.
Carey; W. S. Foot, grocer, Stratford, to J. &
C. Stock; Jas. Cuthbert, cabinetmaker, Guelph,
to Thos. E. Johnston; J. O. Pencock, photo-
grapher, Waterloo, to Alex. Courtney; A. J.
Wood, general dealer, Sparta, George Mit-
chell, tanner, Chatham, Ont., and H. Tripp,
conveyancer, Forest, are reported to have left
town.— Nelson Lewis, late member of the firm of
Lewis & Lewis, grocers, of Ingersoll, has ab-
sconded, leaving creditors to the amount of
about \$4,000 to mourn for him. Since his
departure several promissory notes to the
amount of \$500 have turned up, with Dr. Scott
and Irwin Lewis' signature to them, which they
deny having signed. It is supposed that the
absconder is in Chicago. A detective has
started out in pursuit of him.— On Friday last Judge Torrance delivered
judgment in the case of T. Plessis dit Belair, an
insolvent, his wife having petitioned to obtain
possession of certain effects advertised for sale
by the assignee. The goods were conveyed from
the husband to the wife through an interme-
diary, but no money had been paid. His
Honor held that the transaction was made to
withdraw from the estate of the insolvent mov-
ables which belonged to it, and that the petition
must be rejected.