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C. J. BRYDGES,

Land Commissioner.

Mr. JOHN HAMILTON, of the late firm of Whitehead & Hamilton, and Mr. F. Guggisberg, grocer, have entered into partnership under the firm name of Hamilton & Guggisberg as grocers and dry goods dealers in Walkerton, Ont.—Mr. John Goergen, confectioner, has removed into his new building, and Albert Kaiser, jeweller, has removed into Goergen's stand.

The price of new barley at Kingston ranges from 80c to 85c per bushel; the competition among buyers, it is said, keeps the price higher than at any point in the district.—The cut of lumber on the Ottawa river and its tributaries this season is expected to be unusually heavy. Sixty-four gangs of men passed through Pembroke last Saturday on their way to the shanties.

Hossack, Woods & Co., wholesale grocers, Quebec, are removing to Winnipeg; Pearsall & Higgins, grocers, Port Rowan, Ont., are selling off and giving up the business; David Lemay, confectioner, Peterboro, Ont., has sold out and is leaving; A. W. Rowland, general store; D. W. Bole, drugs; Arthur Brown, dry goods; Moore & Tibbits, fancy goods; and R. A. Cook, tins, &c., have all been burnt out.

JAMES A. COFF, stores, &c., Moncton, was formerly a ship master, but embarked as above a few months since. The result is that he has been selling out at auction as fast as possible, and, it is said, contemplates "going West" or some other place.—W. R. Angus, dry goods and gents' furnishing goods, is laying in a heavy fall stock to meet his increasing trade.—George F. Fair, general merchandize, has fairly commenced business with a heavy stock of new goods, which appear to be well selected. Mr. Fair's new building is a credit to him and the town.

For some time past the insurance companies have been endeavoring to bring about an agreement as to higher rates for the city of Quebec, which, notwithstanding the recurring conflagrations of the last 30 or 40 years, have not been any higher than those of Toronto or other cities possessing suitable and efficient fire preventive appliances. These efforts are at length about to be crowned with success, and there is some reason to believe that the amended tariff will go into operation next week.

The irrepressible L. T. Jondry, of Moncton, N.B., dealer in jewellery, horses, watches, &c., has again opened a shop in Moncton, where he proposes exhibiting, as he says, some splendid lines of goods. Jondry has been through the insolvent Court and otherwise compromised, but appears now to be moving easily.—Mr. George McSweeney, formerly clerk with McSweeney Brothers, is erecting a three-storey building of wood on Main street, where he intends opening a large stock of furniture, carpets, &c. Mr. McSweeney has had considerable experience in these lines of business.

The Merchants' Bank has decided to close the branch established in Chicago some two years ago. This conclusion has been arrived at through greater demand for money in Canada, including the North-West, and New York, as well as to the disproportionate, although unavoidable, expenses of the branch. The United States business will henceforth be conducted from the New York branch, thereby saving considerable to the Bank. Mr. Meredith, referred to in the press despatch, goes on the general staff. The branch of the Bank of British North America in Chicago will occupy the premises vacated by the Merchants.

JOHN CALDER of Moncton, N.B., and his new associate in business, Mr. Caleb R. Palmer, formerly station master at Dorchester, have purchased land on Main street and purpose building a large store. Mr. Calder has been doing a large business since he opened in Moncton.—G. P. Hogan, from Queen's County, has purchased a store and dwelling on Main street, Moncton, where he intends opening a general store. He brings a good reputation with him, and it is said paid cash for the premises purchased.

We REGRET to learn that D. D. Landry, of St. Mary's, near Buctouche in Kent County, N.B., is in trouble. The sheriff has an execution against him for \$5,000 in favor of his brother, Ami Landry. Mr. D. D. Landry is one of the firm of Landry, Girouard & Co., of Moncton, and has been considered good; the other partners were not supposed to have sufficient capital when the business commenced. They are offering 40 cents in the dollar, payable in 3 or 4 months, secured by good endorsed notes. Liabilities upwards of \$4,000; assets nominally a little more, but the stock is run down and the book debts are of little value. If this offer be not accepted an assignment will be made.

The furniture of the Hunter city and La-prairie residences was sold by auction last Friday, realizing good prices, in many instances more than the goods were worth. The total amounted to about \$6,000. A Steinway three-cornered grand piano-forte brought, however, only about \$400. Many valuables are said to have been removed before the sale, and many were the expressions of surprise at the inexpensive, although tasty, style of the furnishings owned by the absconding defaulter.