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SEND FOR SAMPLES.

D. Clement, general store, Alfred, Ont., has made a voluntary assignment to Lamarche & Benoit, city. He owes about \$2,000. He has been unable to arrange a settlement and his assets are to be sold.

Dingman & Lorimer, commission dry goods, Toronto, are endeavoring to compromise at 50c on the dollar, spread over 6 months, secured. They have suffered heavily from bad debts. Liabilities are \$16,000.

Wm. Seale, doing business under the style of R. Seale & Son, undertakers, has consented to assign on the demand of Arthur W. Simmens and James J. Evel, of Hamilton, who are creditors to the extent of \$566.48.

Louis Rennie, general store, Elmstale, P.E.I., has assigned to John A. Matheson, of Prince Edward Island. The liabilities are not stated but the business has been established 12 or 15 years. John Pratt, trader, Bloomfield, P.E.I., has also assigned to J. A. Matheson.

Jacob Silverstone, city, has assigned. The liabilities are \$5,000. The principal creditors are Moses Vinberg & Co., \$27; Kortack & Co., \$460; Waldron & Co., \$300; A. Vogel & Co., \$208; J. D. Cameron, \$250; Wendell Silverstone, \$950; and B. Mercier, \$291.

Oswald, Murdock & Co., boot and shoe jobbers, Toronto, have called a meeting of creditors for the 25th inst. No particulars are to hand as yet. The business was begun in December '94 by Oswald & Murdock and the present partnership dates from November last. The partners had no great experience of the jobbing trade and have suffered severely by bad debts. Their capital was not large enough to tide them over.

Albert Demers, men's furnishings, city, has assigned at the instance of Pierre H. Dufresne. The principal creditors are: Gault Bros. & Co., Montreal, \$747; J. W. Beck & Co., Montreal, \$282; Canadian Underwear Co., Montreal, \$657; H. J. Caulfield & Co., Toronto, \$340; Pierre H. Dufresne, Montreal, \$219; Skelton Bros. & Co., Montreal, \$479; Glasgow Bros., \$220; S. Greenhields & Son & Co., Montreal, \$406; M. S. McGuire, Montreal, \$244; liabilities about \$1,000.

Louis Perreault, boot and shoe manufacturer, has assigned with liabilities amounting to about \$5,000. Principal creditors: James Legault, \$12,445; Banque Ville Marie, \$1501; F. Frank M. Selby & Co., \$5625; H. J. Erko & Co., \$328; Dwyer, McIntosh & Co., \$1067; J. H. Warlow, \$275; H. B. Dwyer, \$402; Paul Galbert, \$1740; Dawson Last Works, Ohio, \$685; Godyear Manufacturing Co., \$1960; H. Packard & Co., \$303; Gaveau & Levesque, \$228. There are indirect liabilities to the Banque Ville Marie amounting to \$2,149, said to be fully secured.

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Nelson William Smith, doing business under the name of Hunt, Baras & Co., has assigned on the demand of W. A. Robertson & Co., St. Andrew's, N. B. The liabilities are about \$11,000, and the assets consist of stock in trade fixtures, book debts, horses, sleighs, express wagon, etc. Mr. Smith has been trading under this style since '85. At the outset he had a good connection but latterly business has been on the decline, due to the increasing competition of larger firms, etc. The principal creditors are Nuttall Bros., Rossport, \$261; Rossport Fish Company, Port Arthur, \$504; Caleb Haly & Co., New York, \$223; J. W. Frofithen, Portland, \$265; A. Alexander, Nepigon, \$850; C. D. Parmelee, Fair Haven, Conn., \$261; H. F. Hemmingway & Co., Norfolk, \$235; Reggin Bros., Crisfield, Md., \$281; W. A. Robertson & Co., St. Andrews, \$534; Bellman Chisholm & Co., Halifax, \$750; Behring Sea Co., New Whatcom, \$240; Geo. Tanguay, Quebec, \$210; Joseph H. Snow, Digby, \$260; J. T. Brock, city, \$245; John Magor & Son, city, \$343; Bank of Nova Scotia, \$200; T. S. Vipond & Son, city, \$650; W. Weir & Sons, \$1504; Jesse Joseph, rent to 1st May, 18'96, \$334, and Nellie Cherry Smith (under marriage contract) \$1500. The insolvent reserves the right to amend or add to the foregoing list of creditors in the event of errors being discovered therein.

HOTEL NOTES.

Albert Smith has opened a new hotel on the Nicola road, B.C., and has been granted license.

The North Essex license commission have transferred D. C. Gaither's license on the Stuart House, Sandwich, to Nelson Glydd, former proprietor of the Pacific House, Windsor.

F. G. Beckett is working up a scheme to form a company, with a capital of \$40,000, to purchase and open up Cardlake Park as a summer resort, enlarge and improve the hotel there so as to accommodate seventy guests, and to fix up the grounds with band stand, pavilion, and the other essentials required to make it attractive to picnickers.

The Dorham House, Ingersoll, has changed hands, Messrs. Richardson and Dundas being the new proprietors. Mr. Colwell, recently of London, will take charge of the Commercial Hotel at Woodstock.

Assignee W. A. Campbell has been instructed by the creditors of W. C. Price, proprietor of the Grand Union Hotel, Toronto, to sell the property on the 21st inst. Mr. Price has been in financial difficulties for some time, and made an assignment on Friday week. The liabilities will amount to \$12,000.

Mr. Charles Key, of Keewick, who is negotiating for the purchase of Long's hotel, was in Fredericton, N.B. He appears anxious to secure the hotel and accepted Ald. Everett's offer of \$14,500, agreeing to pay \$12,000 down and the balance later on. The bargain has not yet been closed, however.

A look through the new Dorchester Hotel at Chignecto, N.B., impresses one with the magnitude of the building. It promises to be a grand hotel. The lien claims have had a hearing in the courts. These are the first proceedings in Dorchester county and the mechanics "lien act," and the lawyers taking part in this matter pronounce the act to be a very complicated one. The further hearing of the matter was adjourned, to take place at Judge Wells's chambers at Moncton.

The Cobourg Post says that the prospects of the Arlington Hotel being opened next summer is brightening, and adds: "Our merchants and citizens generally will be pleased to hear of the permanency of the Arlington, for a remaining closed would mean a serious loss to the town. All admit that the Arlington trade is of much more benefit to the town than any other institution we have, and were it closed would be deeply felt." Port Hope should also have a summer hotel, and it would be at least as great a benefit to that town as the Arlington is to Cobourg.

The Dominion notes outstanding in December were \$22,413,463, a reduction during the month of \$464,837.

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