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he has been swindled! The Pembroke people  
at all events have sent word to the other towns  
on the Canada Central to "look out below!"

A SPECIMEN INSOLVENT CASE.—An adjourned  
meeting of creditors of Horne & Burch, dry  
goods merchants, Stratford, was held in the  
Queen's Hotel, Toronto, on the 7th inst., when  
the insolvents were examined before Mr. Thos.  
Miller, the assignee. It appears they com-  
menced business in August, 1877. Mr. Horne's  
capital was \$1,000, which he got from his  
father-in-law; Burch represented that he was  
to get a \$1,000 from his brother, part of which  
he did get, but repaid it all except \$250. Mrs.  
Horne has filed a claim for the above \$1,000.  
A statement produced by the assignee, and  
sworn to by the insolvents, shows:

Direct liabilities.....	\$24,510 61
Indirect do .....	1,357 26
Privileged claims.....	518 31

Total liabilities.....	\$24,516 18
Nominal assets.....	18,364 05

Deficiency.....	\$6,152 13
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In their examination they state that they sold  
about \$42,000 at a profit of 25 per cent. over cost  
showing that they must have spent together  
over \$1,000 a month during the sixteen months  
they were in business. But Mr. Horne must  
needs spend a few weeks in summer at Portland,

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and Burch a few weeks in the fall with his  
dogs and gun on the St. Clair Flats, making  
lame ducks. The assignee is winding up the  
business. The estate will pay say 33 cents on  
the dollar. They bought exclusively in Toronto.  
Comment is needless.

— The St. Lawrence Hall, a summer hotel at  
Cococina, was sold yesterday to Messrs. W.  
O'Brien and S. Waddell of this city for \$9,050,  
sheriff's sale.

— Thos. Eyres of Port Hope, who lately com-  
promised with his creditors at 40c. in the dollar,  
unsecured, is about removing to Manitoba. His  
first instalment has been paid; second and third  
not yet due.

— The failure of Judson's Bank, Ogdensburg,  
N.Y., has created a sensation. The assets are  
placed at \$325,000; amount due depositors,  
\$350,000 to \$400,000. Several town collectors  
are heavy depositors. The impression is that  
creditors will get about twenty-five per cent.  
Failures of merchants are feared.

— Baxter Bros., cabinetmakers, Halifax, have  
dissolved business, continued by R. Baxter.—E.  
B. Hyson, trader, Mahone Bay, has assigned.—  
The offer of H. C. Evans & Co., Halifax, of 33½  
cts. secured and 6½c. unsecured has been re-  
jected, the creditors being evenly divided in  
number for and against. Liabilities \$25,000;  
assets reduced from \$20,000 to \$14,000.

— At the annual meeting of the Banque Ville  
Marie, held last week, it was stated that, "Not-  
withstanding the fact that the bank has suffered  
heavily by losses during the depression, the  
directors feel that the Ville Marie will work

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successfully through it." A motion for paying  
the directors \$2,000 for their services was  
amended to \$1,000 and passed. The old Board  
of Directors were re-elected.

— Mr. Andrew Ritchie, of this city, broker,  
has been arrested twice within the last two  
days, accused of having made use of false ware-  
house receipts, said to have been issued by L.  
G. Moir, warehouseman. Young Moir has  
taken flight across the lines, via Rouses Point,  
where he was seen at 4 p. m. Wednesday, evi-  
dently well posted in the way he should go.  
Mr. Charles Walters, who first caused Ritchie's  
arrest, got \$60 from him and security for  
balance of \$300. The banks interested have  
placed an embargo on the contents of the ware-  
house, where several of our merchants have  
goods stored.

— A meeting of the creditors of W. G. Steven-  
son, merchant tailor, Port Hope, was held last  
Tuesday in Toronto, which did not result very  
satisfactory to all concerned, and a writ of  
attachment was issued next day. His liabilities  
foot up some \$8,000 or \$7,000, with assets as  
follows: Stock, \$1,500; book debts of all sorts,  
\$2,500; and margin over mortgages in real  
estate, \$1,000; total about \$5,000. He felt  
inclined to offer 50 cents in the dollar.