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## Mercantile Summary.

For many years Tho's Robinson was the most prominent business man in Newbury, but he has lately become involved pretty heavily. In January last he claimed a surplus of about \$17,000. This was largely composed of lumber, staves etc. which as assets, are not always realizable at good prices.—Mrs. Doney, who has been in the general store business in Tyrone for more than two years without success, has now assigned.

ISRAEL PIERCE, a dealer in stoves etc. in Chipewa, has been slow in making payments, and is now pressed by creditors.—Application has been made to the court for an order to wind up the Hamilton Whip Co. The lately discharged manager claims that the concern is insolvent.—P. Slaven & Co., who have been in the clothing trade for some years in Napanee, appear not to have prospered lately and have assigned. We have not yet seen a statement of their affairs.

At Katopewa, in N. W. T., Wm. Robinson, general storekeeper, has assigned after being eighteen months in business.—The premises of Woodley & Co. Brewers at Emerson, have been seized by their landlord.—In Winnipeg, two hotel men are involved; one of these, Geo. Ecob, is reported away and J. D. McCaskill finds landlord in possession of the premises.—The principal creditors of Shaw Bros. Winnipeg, have agreed to a discount of 75 per cent. on liabilities of \$10,000. Certainly a liberal one.

MR. JACKSON FORDE, who has been a grocer in Brantford for more than a quarter of a century, has become involved partly by outside operations. He has always borne a good reputation and no doubt made some money out of groceries; but a year or more ago he became mixed up with the affairs of the "Snow Drift" Baking Powder Co., and it is feared that he has not profited by it. A meeting of creditors has been held but we have not been able to learn what transpired.

We learn with regret that the old established paint house of S. H. May & Co., Montreal, has been obliged to call its creditors together to consider its affairs. They made a heavy loss \$80,000 some years ago through the failure of Albert Hagar, lumberman, Plantagenet, which has crippled them ever since. This, together with the keen competition of late years, and recent poor business has compelled their suspension. The assets show a surplus over direct liabilities of \$37,000 and indirect about \$85,000. The estate is to be placed under the supervision of Messrs. McDougall, Robertson, Patterson and Sanderson, who it is understood, will advise a settlement at the rate of about 70 cents on the dollar, in six, twelve and eighteen months. This arrangement it is thought will be agreed to by creditors, who sympathize deeply with Mr May in his troubles.