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WINNIPEG, AUGUST 17, 1886.

F. R. JACKES, dealer in hardware, Winnipeg, has sold his stock to R. Wyatt.

W. G. ANDERSON, jeweler, Grenfell, contemplates giving up business there.

M. BRYAN & Co., dealers in cigars etc., Winnipeg, is giving up business.

PETER STANLEY, of Stanley & Nesbitt, dealers in liquors, etc., Boissevain, is dead.

P. L. MITCHELL, grain dealer, Brandon, contemplates adding lumber as a branch of his business.

WOODS & MCBRIDE, dealers in dry goods, boots and shoes, Moosejaw, are adding a grocery branch to their business.

J. McCROSSAN, one of the proprietors of the late Winnipeg News, has moved the plant of that journal to Selkirk, and will issue a weekly journal there, the title of which will probably be the same.

STONE & MURDOCH, milliners, Qu'Appello, have assigned in trust.

S. Hirsburg, formerly of Winnipeg, is about to construct and open up a new hotel in Vancouver, B.C.

F. H. CORREGAN & Co., alleged commission merchants, Winnipeg, have had their limited effects seized for rent.

JOHN A. BROOKS, of the Palmer House, Winnipeg, has given up hotel and rented his house to W. Furnival.

SIMCOX & IRWIN, insurance and financial agents, Emerson, have dissolved partnership. Irwin continues the business.

A. FERLAND & Co., general storekeepers, Calgary and Laggan, are moving their Laggan branch to Roger's Pass, B. C.

MALTY & McINTOSH, hotelkeepers, Winnipeg, have dissolved partnership. Thomas Maltby continues the business.

GEORGE WEIR, of Winnipeg, contemplates opening dry goods at Portage la Prairie according to the Tribune-Review of that place.

JOHN C. STEEN, general storekeeper, Donald, B.C., has admitted R. A. Kimpton into partnership. New style of firm will be J. C. Steen & Co.

A. E. SHAULTZ, formerly of Winnipeg, has purchased the grocery business in Morden, formerly run by Gray & Co., now gone to British Columbia.

KINSEY & YOUNG, dealers in coal and wood, Winnipeg, have dissolved partnership. R. Young retires and the business will be continued by Kinsey & Co.

J. H. SMITH, printer, Winnipeg, has sold out to W. H. Cullen, at one time foreman of the Winnipeg Times, and until lately foreman of the Montreal Star.

SUMMERVILLE & DUNLOP, dry goods merchants, Brandon, have dissolved partnership. H. Summerville continues the business under the style of Summerville & Co.

THIRAUDEAU BROS. & Co., wholesale dry goods merchants of Winnipeg and Montreal, are closing out their Winnipeg House. S.A.D. Bertrand, their Winnipeg manager, will remain in this city and look after the firm's interests in the Northwest.

J. G. MELVIN, jeweler, Winnipeg, is giving up business there.

ANDROS MUNRO, hotelkeeper, Winnipeg, contemplates opening a hotel at Vancouver, B.C.

AN arrangement has been made between the C. P. R. and M. & N. W. lines, telegrams of ten words can now be sent to any railway town in Manitoba from another for twenty-five cents

It is rumored that C. W. Spencer, assistant superintendent of the eastern division of the C. P. R., is to succeed Mr. J. M. Egan, as general superintendent of the road. A much worse choice might be made.

BLACKWOOD BROS., rotated water manufacturers, of Winnipeg and Port Arthur, have sold out in Port Arthur to Elliott & Co. and are removing a portion of their plant to Calgary, where they are opening up a branch house.

C. J. ATKINSON, of the Manitoba Liberal of Portage la Prairie, contemplates starting a journal at Regina. A paper that would give some attention to the business interests of that city and supply a minimum of official twaddle is badly wanted there.

RICHARD JONES, assistant appraiser of the Customs, at Winnipeg, has been appointed collector at Regina, and takes his place there on September 1st. He is one of the courteous officers of this port, with whom the business men will be sorry to part.

THE Medicine Hat Times says there are openings in that thriving town for a tailor, a furniture dealer and a tinsmith, none of these branches of trade being represented. The Times should give a guarantee that the "tinsmith" will escape unfavorable criticism in the Northwest Council.

THE reports on harvest are still favorable, and in almost every district the yield will be heavier than was calculated before grain was cut. Representatives of THE COMMERCIAL have seen during the week over twenty samples from different localities, and in every instance the quality is very fine. This crop will undoubtedly be the best in quality ever reaped in the Northwest and probably in America. Harvesting will be finished by the close of the present week. The weather has been all that could be desired.