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— Among the business changes of the week we notice John Lyons & Co., Lachine, have compromised at 75c, liabilities about \$22,000. Anselme Fortier, St. Anselme, has offered a compromise of 25c. A. Vincent Lortie of Hawkesbury, 10c. J. W. Hadley & Son, Guysboro, N.S., general storekeepers, have dissolved. William Hill, Cornwall, assigned. A writ of attachment has been issued against J. B. Andrews & Son, St. Catherine's. F. P. Muloney, Sarnia, tobacco merchant, has taken a sudden departure for parts unknown.

— General Warner of St. John, N.B., has had an interview with Goodwin in Boston, and recovered from him about \$7,500, all the money he had left. Goodwin was not arrested. Mr. Quill, who resides in New York, also went down to Boston. He intends to meet the liabilities of Quill & Goodwin, but will probably require time to do so. General Warner will settle the affairs of Warner, Goodwin, & Co. It is impossible to say at present how affairs stand. The books are now in the hands of Foster, Swazey & Co., Boston, and a statement of affairs will soon be made out. Captain H. W. Chisholm has been appointed United States Vice-Consul at St. John.

— A writ of attachment has issued against the estate of the Hon. Asa B. Foster of Montreal, upon bills of exchange drawn by the Canada Central Railway, and accepted by him, and also upon his admission of his inability to meet his liabilities. Not very long ago Mr. Foster enjoyed a handsome revenue, derived to a great extent from building railways, but of late some of

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his contracts have not turned out satisfactorily. Among his recent undertakings was the contract for the Georgian Bay section of the Pacific Railway, of which he was relieved by the Government. The Canada Central and several lines running through the Eastern Townships were benefited by his administrative abilities.

— The Machine Twist and Sewing Silk factory established in this city during the past year by Messrs. Belding Bros. & Co. of New York employs at present upwards of seventy hands. All the new improvements in machinery having been adapted by the firm in fitting up the Montreal factory, and as the processes begin with the raw silk, just as re-reeled from the cocoon, as described in a previous number, it is still found necessary to employ experienced help from the United States factories of the firm, although we are informed that the majority of the Montreal hands employed show a deftness that would do credit even to some of their skilled cousins in *la Belle France*. We learn that the firm shortly intend to inaugurate in this city the manufacture of silken fabrics, direct from the raw material also.

— The failure of T. & J. Kearney, grocery jobbers, is the latest addition to grocers' black list. The business was only established about two years ago on very small capital, and they have done a business of about \$40,000 a year in the city principally and among traders of the weaker class. They watched matters very closely, however, and it was supposed that they were doing pretty well, having been sold by the trade generally up to within a few days of their failure. The figures, so far as ascertained,

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are not very encouraging; they owe direct \$12,000 or \$13,000, indirect about \$6,000, while their assets are only about \$8,000, from which, we understand, doubtful debts have to be deducted. They propose offering twenty-five cents secured, but we hear of some creditors who will likely oppose any settlement.

— On Wednesday last a man, calling himself J. W. Jolly, of Montreal, presented a check for \$350 at Simeon Jones & Co.'s banking establishment, St. John, N.B. It purported to have been made by the Bishop of Hellmuth College, of Huron, Ont. Mr. Clinch, to whom the check was presented, recognized Jolly as a man who three years ago obtained \$200 from Jones & Co. on a check with the names of Lewis Carvill and David Kirk forged upon it. The man, who then called himself D. McKay, but who was registered at the Waverly as D. Lennox, made his escape with the money. Having been arrested and searched, on his person was found besides the \$350 check, other checks for \$700 and \$750, one having the signature of the Bishop, and the other that of the treasurer of Huron College. Another check, bearing the signature of M. H. Gault, of Montreal, in favor of Jolly for \$700, was at the Victoria Hotel, where Jolly has boarded since April 3. He left it with the clerk a few days after his arrival. The sum of 6 cents was the only money found on him.

— R. G. Lloyd, of Sherbrooke, boot and shoe dealer, does not seem to have sufficiently valued the good opinion of his Montreal creditors. He has for many years had the reputation of being worth from \$15,000 to \$20,000, and he could at