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outside liabilities at 50 cents in the dollar,
about a year ago, payable in 4, 8, 12 and 15
months, eight friends becoming his security, is
again in trouble, and the business will probably
be wound up. Since his settlement he paid
little or nothing on his outside debts, amount-
ing to \$1,300, and nothing at all on his local
liabilities. Liabilities, preferential, \$200;
secured, \$2,000; ordinary \$2,000. The assets
nominally amount to \$2,200.

— At a meeting of the creditors of W. Staf-
ford & Co., last Saturday, the offer made by
the firm of 25 cents in the dollar was not accept-
ed. The total liabilities amount to \$153,110.16,
of which \$21,933 is to D. R. Northy & Co. A
meeting is called for 3rd ult. In our paragraph
of last week we should have stated that Mr.
Stallford's personal capital at start was chiefly
acquired while he was partner in the leading
house of J. & R. McCreedy & Co., now James
McCreedy & Co., who, when he retired from
the firm, paid him some \$20,000.

— J. W. Fowke, of Oshawa, general dealer,
is in trouble; cause speculations outside of his
legitimate sphere, especially in grain. The
success of a former storekeeper, Hon. T. N. Gibb,
in the grain business, dazzled several ambitious
people in the vicinity, and Mr. Fowke, who
was successful as long as he confined himself
to dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, &c.,

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is a sad illustration of the evil of flying too
high. His liabilities are largely to the Domini-
on Bank, who hold security for \$90,000; it is
stated.

— The new railway route from Hamilton to
Guelph, via Waterdown, Carlisle, Freelon, &c.,
is likely to become an accomplished fact, several
prominent men in East Flamboro' being favor-
able to the project, and it is probable that a
large bonus will be granted. The new route
would connect with the proposed extension of
the W. G. & B. Railway to Owen Sound or Col-
lingwood, and probably revive along that fine
agricultural district the old stirring times when
the Brock Road was the principal thoroughfare
from the Northern counties to Dundas and
Hamilton.

— Few persons think of traveling now-a-days
without an Accident Insurance ticket, at least
they should not. It would be the height of
imprudence to do so. The report of the Acci-
dent Insurance Co. of Canada elsewhere, as
showing the success which has attended its
management during the past year, is an evi-
dence that the public appreciate fully the exis-
tence in our midst of this thoroughly reliable
Company. It is of interest not to a few per-
sons or to a class; it concerns every man,
woman and child in the Dominion. We recom-
mend its perusal to our readers.

— At a meeting of the creditors of J. H. Aus-
tin, of Woodstock, Ont., held on 12th inst., Mr.
Geo. Perry was appointed assignee of the estate.
Liabilities were stated to be in the neighbour-
hood of \$8000; assets about \$7,000, consist-
ing of stock and shop furniture \$6,000, and book
debts \$672. The stock, &c., were sold to
Rutherford & Stevens, of Chatham, for 68 cents

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in the dollar. The book debts were undisposed
of, no one offering for them. The insolvent on
examination stated he had been in business
from 17th August, 1878, to 21th January, 1879,
when he assigned; that his liabilities exceeded
his assets about \$500 at the time he commenced
business, and that he attributed his failure to
excess of expenses over profits. In no other
way could he account for the deficiency.

— Among the many appreciative and gener-
ous letters we are continually receiving from
subscribers in all sections of the Dominion, is
the following from a leading merchant of
Fredericton, N.B.:—

"Dear Sirs,—Enclosed please find two dollars
to pay my last year's subscription to the JOUR-
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paper as worth many times its cost to any busi-
ness man. The comprehensive discussion of
commercial questions in its pages, the very
full and reliable market reports, and the large
amount of general information furnished every
week renders it invaluable to every merchant
desirous of keeping abreast of the times.

Yours very truly,

A. A. STERLING."

— James Sutherland, a showy stationer, of
this city, is numbered among the unfortunates,