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When a grocer retires from business, he weighs less than he did before.—American Hebrew.

A well-known Winnipeg grain dealer says that the prospects for the wheat crop were never brighter. The increase in acreage, he believes, is very large.

AFTER the discussion of business, more or less important, the president of the Chatham Board of Trade, last week, invited each member present to partake of a dish of ice cream.

A Missouri farmer produced the following memorandum at the grocery store: "Carosene, hearpins, sally ratus, and shuger, muzzlin and hog medsin, razins and a bottle of Jew Nipper corjal."

THE stock of boots, shoes, and dry goods belonging to M. A. Kolfage, who recently failed at Amherstburg, has been disposed of at 511 cents on the dollar.—Henry Krahling's stock of tweeds, hats and caps, at Stratford, brought 51 cents on the dollar.

THE Ontario Car Company, of London, sued the South-Eastern Railway for \$45,000 for cars delivered while the property was mortgaged to the bondholders. Subsequently the company was compelled to take action to recover from the trustees the value of the cars. In Montreal Justice Mathieu has just given judgment for \$45,000 with full costs, and interest since

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MESSRS. A. MEIGHEN & BROS., of Perth, have already exported this season to the United States upwards of 40,000 dozen of eggs.

A DIVIDEND of twenty-eight cents on the dollar has been realised from the insolvent estate of Jas. Walmsley, boot and shoe dealer at St. Thomas.

Ir the proposition by the G. T. R., to enlarge its elevator at Midland, be carried out, the capacity of the building will be increased to about 500,000 bushels.

THE annual manufacture of flour in the United States is about 75,000,000 barrels, of which about 62,000,000 barrels are for domestic consumption, the remainder being ex-

We note the following assignments in the Province of Nova Scotia since our last issue:-Wm. H. Burns, blacksmith, Bridgetown; H. B. Fidler, harness, Halifax; A. G. McLellan, general dealer, Port Hood.

During the six years in which A. McNeil has carried on the men's furnishings business at Peterboro, he has accumulated liabilities of \$15,000, to which an assignee in Montreal will give his attention for the benefit of creditors. C. V. Grant, grocer, and A. Sailsbury & Co., bakers, both of Ridgetown, have assigned. J. B. Dolan, a dry goods dealer in St. Catharines, found it necessary to consult his creditors, as was noted a few weeks ago, and

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now he assigns, which is a proceeding that L. H. Webster & Co., tailors, Windsor, have just gone through, and not for the first time either.

WM. ROBERTS, a Winnipeg grocer, has been falling behind with his payments for some time back, and on the advice of the principal local creditor will conduct the business as manager until it can be disposed of. He does not owe much.

THE only tender for the entire assets of the Dominion Cattle Company, of Montreal, was \$250,000. This would pay about 82 cents on the dollar, after wiping out the entire capital stock of \$800,000. The offer being subsequently withdrawn, the assets of the concern are now in the hands of the liquidators. This, says the Star, is one of the most marvellous failures in the history of fraudulent concerns.

THE news arriving from the counties of Kent and Westmorland are of great encouragement to lobster packers. According to Le Moniteur Acadien, lobsters are more abundant and of much larger size than for some years past. There has been a great decline in this industry of late years. Most of the 23 factories formerly in operation in that vicinity are now closed. Between Cocagne and Shediac, a distance of 12 miles, six factories were formerly in operation, now only one; between Shediac and Shemogue, formerly 12, now only one; between Shemogue and Tormentine lighthouse, formerly five, now only two.

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