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Glass, Varnish, Japan, Spirits Turpentine, Shellac
Varnish, Mirror Glass, 2 and 3, White.The law firm of Halstead & Dickson in Mon-
cton, N.B., has been dissolved. Mr. Dickson has
removed to Albert County, and the business of
the late firm is now carried on by Mr. C. A.
Halstead.At the recent annual meeting of the Commer-
cial Union Assurance Company the directors
announced a dividend of 15 per cent., free
from income tax, making, with the interim
dividend, 20 per cent. for the past year.A rumor has been current in business circles
in Hamilton for some days past, that the Canada
Fire and Marine Insurance Company had decided
to wind up. Whatever foundation there may be
for this rumor it is at least premature to say
that any such decision has been arrived at by
the Company.ANGUS McLEAN, merchant tailor, who has
been in business in Moncton for some time, has
recently compounded with his creditors at 40
per cent., and gone to the Northwest in quest of
pastures green. He took with him a few hun-
dred dollars, and left his reputation, which is
reported not first-class.C. OSCAR ROWE, dealer in stoves, tinware, &c.,
Moncton, N.B., is erecting a new two-story
building to enable him to meet the increasing

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in English and French. Send for Price List.**EMIL POLIWKA & CO.,****32, 34 & 36 St. Sacrament St.,****MONTREAL.**demand for his goods. Mr. Rowe commenced
business a few years since in a small way,
manufacturing tinware, and has been steadily
adding to his stock as his circumstances war-
ranted. He now does quite a flourishing busi-
ness.T. BROSSARD, a retail dry goods dealer in this
city of one year's standing, called his creditors
together on Saturday last and made an assign-
ment for their general benefit. His liabilities
amount to \$7,130, and he has assets in stock
fixtures and book debts to the estimated value
of \$7,700. Since he took stock about the 1st
February, he has bought goods to the value of
\$2,970. Brossard's difficulty is attributed to
lack of means, the unfavorable winter, and lack
of business qualifications. The stock is being
taken, and the estate will probably be sold by
auction.MESSRS. HEATH AND GUNN, druggists, Kings-
ton, Ont., who have been in business in the
Limestone City for the last fourteen years, have
assigned with liabilities of \$10,900—\$3,800
unsecured—and assets \$14,000, in a valuable
store and stock-in-trade. Some real estate
belonging to the firm is said to be mortgaged for
over \$3,000. They commenced with a capital of
\$14,000, in stock and building, but lost heavily
by a fire in 1876, and secured an extension, but
withal have not been able to recover their loss,
estimated at \$3,000. The firm are highly re-
spected, their difficulty being attributed wholly
to misfortune. No offer has yet been made; it
is thought the estate may pay 40c on the dollar,
unsecured.The first consignment of ore for the new
smelting works at Hochelaga has arrived.**Batty's Jams.****C. H. BINKS & CO.,
MONTREAL.****Forbes, Roberts & Co.,**

WHOLESALE

GENTS' FURNISHINGS

AND

**TAILORS' TRIMMINGS,
53 Yonge Street, TORONTO.****THE CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION.**An adjourned meeting of the Canada Co-
operative and Supply Association was held the
5th inst., Mr. T. P. French presiding. Amongst
those present were Colonel Whitehead,
Lieut.-Col. Worsley, Rev. S. Milne, Messrs.
P. S. Stevenson, Jno. F. Nott, Stevens, Kinloch,
Robertson, Williamson, Malloch, Reid, Cross,
Rhodes, Grant, Mathews, Jones, and others.
[It was remarked that neither the President nor
vice-President of the Association was present.]The Chairman in opening the meeting stated
that he was happy to be able to make the
announcement that the affairs of the Company
were in a better shape than formerly, and that
there was every prospect of the Association
holding its own in future. The objects sought
by the committee had been obtained, and there
was a certainty of the business proceeding as
heretofore.Mr. Stevenson said that the required
\$50,000 had been subscribed, and there would
be a meeting of creditors next day; he would
ask the gentlemen present to meet again on a
day fixed by the committee in order to hear the
result of the terms agreed upon at that meet-
ing, and if they approved of them to confirm
them. The arrangements of the committee had
been completed. The increased amount of
stock had been taken, and the affairs of the
institution were commercially sound. In
reply to a question from Mr. Williamson, the
speaker said that the average receipts per day
were \$1,200. Mr. Mathews had been appointed
to oversee the taking of stock, which was done
by taking the selling price, and making a
reduction of 17 per cent. in order to get the
cost price. The work would be checked by
going over the list again, taking stock at cost
price.