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B. McCREADY & SON, tailors, Belleville, Ont., have failed.

About St. Catharines, the hay crop is pret'y well housed, and wheat will follow very soon. New potatoes are in market.

THE rebuilding of the suspension bridge at Clifton, substituting iron for wood, is progressing rapidly without impeding traffic.

GRANT & POTTER, boots and shoes of Belleville, Ont , have dissolved. Grant succeeds to the business

Welland County wheat has been extensively harvested during the past week, and the yield will be a good one.

N. & T. Garland, general merchants, Caledonia, Unt., are about to dissolve; the senior partner will continue the business.

In the matter of winding up the affairs of the Studacona Insurance Company, the promise of a dividend in the full is held out.

AT Grand Falls, N.B., two new stores have just been opened, a dry-goods and millinery establishment and a drug store.

WHEAT in Victoria County, N.B., is looking well. Grass not so satisfactory. The notato bug threatens muschief.

THE dry docks at St. Catharines and Port . Robinson are doing a good business this sum-

SUPERINTENDENT PAIGE assures the merchants of St. Catharines that the new Canal will be open for traffic on the 1st of July, 1881.

THE people of Picton, Ont., are dissatisfied with the repeal of the Insolvent Act, and hope that strenuous efforts will be made at next session of Parliament to make provision of some kind for distributing the estates of insolvents, provided only that the new Act shall not embody the exposed defects of the old.