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Stratford, Ont., has applied for a city charter, and will be the eleventh city in the Province.

The very interesting report of the British America Fire Assurance Co. for 1884, is unavoidably held over till next week.

Brick manufacturers in London, Ont., state that the quantity of bricks purchased this winter by farmers is already greatly in excess of the usual demand, and predict in consequence a brisk building season.

J. L. MARCOU & Co., retail hatters, this city, have assigned; and Lamalce Bros., wholesale fancy goods, are offering to compromise.—Alfred Sahlter, of Sarnia, clothier, lately referred to as having effected a settlement, has since assigned.

The statement of goods exported from the Dominion for January shows:—Produce of Canada \$2,958,314; produce of other countries, \$752,284; total, \$3,710,628. The grand total entered for consumption is:—Value \$6,579,558; duty, \$1,310,682.

MR. JAMES McDUGGALL, hardware merchant, Three Rivers, Que., whose assignment was recently noted, has made an offer of settlement at the rate of 30 cents in the dollar, and the creditors have given him 15 days to find security, which will probably be forthcoming.

WM. B. CRAIG, fancy goods, this city, has assigned to Edward Evans. Liabilities about \$10,000; assets nominally as much. The assignment is the result of a seizure before

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603 CRAIG STREET,

MONTREAL.

judgment on behalf of the executors of his father's estate in Glasgow, Scotland, the amount claimed being \$3,500.

MR. W. J. HOPWOOD opened up a dry goods store in Lindsay, Ont., but the number of his friends could not make up for the smallness of his capital; he has assigned.—The stock of books and stationery of J. R. Eaton of the same town is advertised for sale by the trustee.—H. O'Leary, hotelkeeper, is giving up business.

THE MONTREAL Gas Co.'s earnings for the quarter ending Jan. 31st are said to be over \$125,000, which is at the rate of 24 per cent of the capital stock, the largest ever received during any three months. The cause of the increase is attributed to the dull weather at the beginning of the quarter, necessitating the use of more gas than usual.

JAMES McGORMAN, of Albert, N.B., general dealer, has assigned in trust. The business was formerly carried on by Dickenson & McGorman, who got an extension and dissolved about five years ago, Mr. McGorman continuing and paying the extension. Although his means have been limited he had been doing a fair trade, and till lately paying fairly well.

UP TO Feb. 7th 360 cars of 600 bushels each had been shipped from Manitou, and 35,000 bushels are still left in the elevators, making a grand total of 251,000 bushels, representing about \$150,000, and it is estimated that there is still in the hands of the farmers to be marketed at that point 100,000 bushels, which will make the grand total of 355,000 bushels.

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Geo. R. GRANT, dry goods retailer, Queen street west, Toronto, has assigned to E. R. Clarkson. He had been looked upon as a weak account for some time, although he made a favorable impression after his trouble in 1882, having contrived to pay in full with the assistance of his mother; but it left him scarcely \$1,200 worth of stock to go on with. The liabilities are estimated at \$3,000.

DIJONNES DUBOIS, of Drummondville, Que., trader, has been ill and incapacitated for business for some time past, in consequence of which he has been obliged to assign. Messrs. Kent & Turcotte have sent a man to take stock.—Bienvenu & Brazeau, general dealers, Vercheres, Que., have assigned with liabilities of about \$5,500 and assets nominally \$2,000 less.—J. E. Marcéau, general store, Isle Verte, Que., has assigned to Mr. H. A. Bedard of Quebec.

MR. NATHAN FORCIMER moved his jewellery business to Renfrew nearly a year ago, after a 15 months' experience in Montreal. He now owes about \$5,000, and has assets worth nominally as much, but being unable to meet the demands of creditors, he assigned a few days ago to Robt. Tait of this city.—B. Bolduc, a jeweller in a small way at Quebec, has also assigned.—Nap. Picard, hotel, Lachine, has assigned, nominal assets of about \$6,000 to pay his debts.

MR. JAMES ALEXANDER, of Peterboro, Ont., dry goods, etc., is offering to compromise at 55 cents in the dollar.—Messrs. Hall & Co., crockery, etc., Woodstock, Ont., have been sold out under chattel mortgage.—U. Leveque, furniture and stoves, Ottawa, has assigned in trust; so has Mr. John Smith, clothier, of the