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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NUTICE IU CREDITURS. In the matter of the estate of James Reid Foster and Richard Morrison Foster of the city of Toronto, lately trading under the firm name of James Foster & Sons. The creditors of the said James Reid Foster and Richard Morrison Foster, individually and as memb-ers of the firm of James Foster & Sons carrying on business at number 145 King street east, Toronto, as retail hardware merchants, are hereivy notified that the said James Reid Foster and Richard Morrison Foster have executed an assignment of their stock in trade and other asses to Lewis Samuel of the said James Reid Foster and Richard Morrison Foster have executed an assignment of their stock in trade and other asses to the side as ale of the said estate and effects in consideration of a secured composition of forty cents on the dollar to all creditors And the creditors of the said James Reid Foster and Richard Morrison Foster are further notified to seven the composition of solutions, on or before the undersimed, his solicitors, on or before the undersimed, his solicitors, on or before the seventh day of December next, accompanied by the vonchers upon which said claims are based, as the said trustee will then orthwith proceed to convey the assets of the said estate to the purchaser upon receiving such composition notes for all claims of which he shall then have notice. Dated at Toronto this 28th day of October, 1889. Beatty, Chadwick, Thomson & Blackstock,

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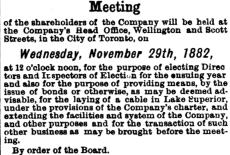
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AN ENTERPRISING SWINDLE.

The failure and subsequent disappearance of C. B. Mahan, a manufacturer of agricultural C. B. Manan, a manufacturer of agricultural implements at Montreal, was by no means a sur-prise to those cognizant of his antecedents and his modes of doing business. His record in the same line at Lebanon, New Hampshire, followed him when he started businesss in Montreal, but it is nevertheless astonishing to see how many he It is nevertheless astonishing to see how many he has managed to dupe and victimize, due, no doubt, to his very plausible and insinuating manners. The modus operandi was to appoint farmer's agents for certain territory, get them to pick out of the catalogue such implements as would likely sell in their locality, which they were bound to accept whenever shipped, and then induce them to sign notes which they were in-formed would not be used until the order was complete. They also signed a declaration, that complete. They also signed a declaration, that they owned so much property, &c., which was an They also signed a declaration, that aid in discounting the notes, which it is needless to say was none as soon as the notes, which it is becauses and as for the goods, few, if any of them were ever shipped. This sort of thing, of course, could not last long, and for some months past matters had been getting "hot" for Mr. Mahan, numerous suits were entered against him during the summer, and finally a *capias* was issued, but he was not to be found. An offer of 25 cents was made through his attorney but not accepted, and numerous seizures have been made on what assets their are. Matters are much complicated, and no estimate of liabilities can yet be arrived at, but every day adds to the roll of victims re-ported from all sections of the country, and feeling runs high. It is stated he country, and feeling runs high. It is stated he cannot return to the States owing to irregularities in connection with his old business, and it is supposed he is in hiding somewhere in Ontario. A list is published by the Montreal Post of

some forty persons who have given Mahan notes to the aggregate amount of \$14,053, while only seventeen of them have received machinery, to the total value of \$1,307. Twenty-six out of forty of these credulous farmers got nothing in exchange for their notes, many of which are in bank under advances. The following extract bank under advances. The follist will give an idea of the list:

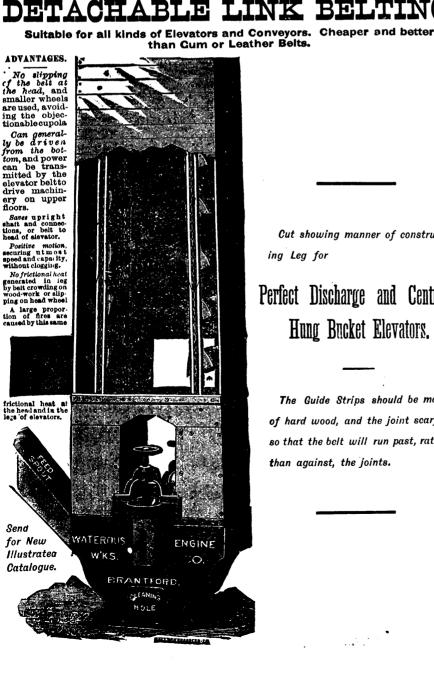
		Value of
Names.	Amount of	Machinery
	Note.	Received.
J. B. Morin, St. Rosalle	\$525 00	Nothing
Octave Daron, St. Barn	abe. 310 00	\$ 78 0Ö
Octave Lavote, Joliette	474 00	36 0 0
Jos. Deroche, Lothin'er	e 280 00	Nothing
A. Laliberte, St. Emelie	e 280 00	Nothing
Victor Belanger, St. En	aelie. 300 00	Nothing
D'Bellemare, Yamachic	he 325 00	14 00
Olivier Clautur, St. Pro	osper 404 00	Nothing
F. X. Joly, St. Elizabet	h. 434 00	Nothing
Joseph Gravel, St. Feli	x 311 00	Nothing
H. Ludec, Three Rivers	s 84 00	Nothing
Antoine Folsy, St. Cha	rles. 371 00	55 70
Joseph Bouin, St. Amie	ə 313 00	54 00
Chas. Ludec, Beauharn	ois 195 00	Nothing

- A Boston despatch of last week states that the approximate result of the work of the New England mackeral fleet for the season of 1882 is 332,775 barrels, an increase of 3,700 barrels over last year, but the present available supply is much smaller than at the close of last season.

-A telephonic exchange- is established in Sherbrocke. The Sherbrocke Mining and Smelting Co., already has telephone communication between their office in that city and their works in the Hepburn and Suffolk Mines at Capelton, a distance of nice miles.

THAMESVILLE. ONT., claims to possess 3 hotels, 3 blacksmith shops, 1 carriage and waggon shop, 2 hardware, 2 tin shops, 2 tailor shops, 2 bnt-cher shops, 1 grist mill, 1 saw and planing mill, 2 liveries. 1 barber, 2 drug stores, 2 doctors, 1 bakery, 2 boot and shoe stores, 1 cabinet shop, 1 faucy store, 4 general stores, 2 harness shops, 4 groceries, 1 confectionery, 1 photo gallery, postoffice, and bank agency. There is also a cheese factory, cooper shop, and liquor store. It should be added that there are 4 churches and 2 schools. THAMESVILLE, ONT., claims to possess 3 hotels, and 2 schools.

On this day week the directors of the Mon-On this day week the directors of the Mon-treal, Ottawa and Western Railway Company met in Montreal. The Hon. Louis Beaubien was elected president, and M. de Bellefeuille re-elected secretary and treasurer. The board comprises the Hon. J. A. Chapleau, Alderman Laurent, Messrs. J. Tasse, M. P., J. Natel, M. P. P., and P. S. Murphy. The object of the Company is to build a line from St. Jerome to Maniwaki or Natro Desret, there to tan the Ottawa Notre Dame du Desert, there to tap the Ottawa and Gatineau Railway, and further on to a point on the Canadian Pacific Railway near Lake Nipissing.



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