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## MARKET STREET EAST, WITNIPEG.

### Eastern Business Changes. ONTARIO.

R. Stone, butcher, Toronto, has assigned.  
James Clark, hardware, Sarnia, has sold out.  
John Pratt, confectioner, Chatham, has sold out.  
Isaac Bond, confectioner, Sarnia, has sold out.  
R. C. Delson, fruitier, Chatham, has sold out.  
Mrs. E. Blaine, groceries, Newbury, has sold out.  
John W. Dixie, furniture, Hastings, has assigned.  
J. E. Belisle, tailor, Georgetown, has assigned.  
Hamilton Bros., butchers, Sarnia, have dissolved.  
J. J. Hanratty, dry goods, Chatham, is closing out.  
Edward Browne, coal merchant, Hamilton, is dead.  
J. J. Crowley, hotelkeeper, St. Thomas, has sold out.  
Mrs. McNulty, hotelkeeper, St. Thomas, has sold out.  
Mrs. J. H. Bond, groceries, Almonte, has assigned.  
R. H. Kilpatrick, furniture, Blenheim, has assigned.  
Jas. C. Ross, confectioner, Blenheim, has sold out.  
F. L. Andrews, general merchant, Orono, has assigned.  
Wm. H. Swayze, apple dealer, Welland, has assigned.  
John Bull, general storekeeper, Warton, has assigned.  
Thomas W. Venner, harness, Strathroy, has assigned.  
J. W. Garrett & Co., bankers, Smith's Falls, have assigned.  
W. G. Bain & Co., hardware, Peterboro, have assigned.  
Isaac A. Kinsella, merchant, Glen Robertson, has assigned.  
Adam Good & Co., general storekeepers, Brussels, have assigned.  
C. W. Maclean & Co., general storekeepers, Port Findlay, have assigned.  
Sewell Bros., groceries and liquors, Hamilton; J. A. Sewell of this firm is dead.  
J. L. Partham, hardware, Chatham, is closing out business and leaving for Toronto.  
R. H. Greene & Co., wholesale boots and shoes, Hamilton; firm is now Greene, McLaren & Co.

J. B. Stringer & Co., produce merchants, Chatham, have dissolved; McGill retires.  
Frind & Co., importers of woollen and cotton goods, Toronto; style now Paul Frind & Co.  
Hillard & Roberts, builders, London, have dissolved; Thomas Hillard continues alone.  
John Fiske & Co., commission merchants, Toronto; John Fiske, senior partner of this firm, is dead.

### QUEBEC.

N. Coman, grocer, Montreal, has assigned.  
Mrs. Heath, millinery, Mansonville, has sold out.  
J. B. Lafontaine, lumber, Chamborn, has assigned.  
Pierre Plourde, saddler, Fraserville, has assigned.  
N. Roy & Co., grocers, Montreal, have dissolved.  
Hyman Bercovitch, clothier, Montreal, has assigned.  
Oscar Beauchamp, dry goods, Montreal, has assigned.  
H. G. Warren, general storekeeper, Granby, has sold out.  
Prosper Lafontaine, lumber, Lake Bouchette, has assigned.  
Arpin & Belair, shoe manufacturer, Montreal, have dissolved.  
Jos. Loiselle, general storekeeper, St. Athanasie, has sold out.  
James & Duchesneau, grain merchants, Montreal, have dissolved.  
F. Baker & Co., lime manufacturers, Montreal, have dissolved.  
Beauchemin & Bro., general storekeeper, Nicolet, has assigned.  
V. T. Dorais, general storekeeper, St. Valentin, is in difficulties.  
L. J. Lefaire & Co., grocers, Montreal, are offering to compromise.  
F. Moore & Co., general storekeepers, Windsor Mills, have assigned.  
J. Smardon & Co., manufacturers of soap, Montreal, have dissolved.  
V. Vachon, general storekeeper, St. Dominique, is offering to compromise.  
Robert Domina, general storekeeper, St. Jacques le Mineur, has assigned.  
Strathy Bros., stock brokers, Montreal, have dissolved; J. A. L. Strathy continues under same style.

### NOVA SCOTIA.

Jas. Donalds, victualler, Amhurst, has sold out.  
Jas. B. Sutherland, drugs, River John, has sold out.

Michael McDonald, general storekeeper, River Dennis, is dead.  
Thomas McDonald, general storekeeper, Durham, has assigned.  
C. B. Whidden & Sons, flour and groceries, Antigonish, have dissolved.  
Wm. Scott, general storekeeper, Wallace, is dead; C. A. Scott continues the business.

### NEW BRUNSWICK.

Miss E. Wright, fruits, Moncton, has assigned.  
R. J. Miller, shingle mill, Charlo, was burned out.  
J. McGowan, hotelkeeper, Sheffield, was burned out.  
Eddington & Coffey, provisions, Moncton, have dissolved.  
Stewart & Ritchie, ship builders, St. John, have dissolved.  
S. W. Sprague, general storekeeper, Hampton, is selling out.  
Chas. J. Burpee, general storekeeper, Sheffield, was burned out.  
Miss M. S. Adams, millinery, Hartland, is removing to Woodstock.

### PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

D. N. Fobes, general storekeeper, Tyne Valley, has assigned.  
Woollen Mills & Co., Charlottetown, was partially burned out.  
Wm. McLeod, general storekeeper, Montague, has sold out to Wm. G. McLeod.

### Long Credits.

In dealing with the question of long credits most of our contemporaries seem disposed to lay the entire blame of the growth of this trade evil upon the shoulders of the retailer. They seem to be under the impression that the retailers demand it as a concession simply for their own profit, and in order to enable them to turn the goods over before the time for payment approaches, and ignore the fact that in many cases (owing to the difficulty of collection from their customers) long time may be absolutely essential to their solvency.

The fact is the true cause of the necessity for long credits is the farmer. The guileless granger of the present day is a close, hard, grasping man to deal with. He expects to get as much as possible for his money, and to give as little in return as he can help, and if, when in the possession of ready money, he can see any opportunity of turning it to his own advantage, he will "stand off" his storekeeper with the utmost composure, and as the latter is well