# MISCELLANEOUS.

A lad at Sioux City, being bitten by a rattlesnake while out in the timber with his axe deliberately chopped off the wounded finger, thus saving his

A lady was felling a friend from the country of a very grand party she had given recently. "We had two generals, one judge, a popular author, and a play-writer." "Yes," chimed in her wicked son, nand there was a deputy sheriff, too, who said he wanted to see dad, and they went out before supper, and the see the seek yet." When that youth wanted to say the come back yet." When that youth went to school the next day with his head all tied up, he told the boys he had a dreadful toothache.

An ancient darkey leaned over a Clay street gate An ancient darkey leaned over a city street gate and called to the dusky proprietor: "See heab, Henry, isn't you bout ready tu pay me dat two bits?" "Haven't nuffin to pay wid," was the reply. "You porrowed dat money a whole year ago, Henry," continued the old man. "Can't help dat—can't pay." Henry, I believes you don't want to pay; I believes you is dishonest, and I nebbet ask for de money again; Fil leave the Lord to collect it? "Shoo!" again; 111 leave the Lord we contest it is concer-exclaimed Henry, greatly interested all at once, "you ye?"-Vicksburg Paper.

CHARITY OF A TRUE GENTLEMAN.—Perhaps a gentleman is a rarer specimen than some of us think for. Which of us can point out many such in his circle; men whose aims are generous, whose truth is constant, and not only constant in its kind, but elevated in its degree; whose want of meanness makes them simple; who can look the world honestly in the face with an equal, manly sympathy for the great and small? We know a hundred whose coats are very well made, and a score who have excellent manners, and one or two happy beings who are in what they call the inner circle and have shot into the very centre and bull's eye of fashion; but of gentlemen, how many? Let us take a little scrap of paper and each of us make out his list.—

A comprehensive report of the condition of western crops concerning three hundred and fifty points, published in the Cincinnati Price Current, says that in regard to wheat the reports indicate in Ohio and Indiana a fully average acreage, yield somewhat short, large losses by rain, and very inferior quality. In Illinois the crop is much below the average, and in quality inferior. In Iowa the acreage is about as usual, the crop generally harvested in good condi-tion, but somewhat damaged by blight and other causes; yield in many places, but the crop not a full average, and the quality inferior. In Missouri it is considerably short and materially damaged. In Kentucky the yield is up to the average amount, but damaged. In Michigan there is a good crop. In Wisconsin there is a very good crop, and in good condition. Of oats there has been large destruction and damage in Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, and Illinois, and parts of Missouri, while the acreage has been increased. Michigan, Wisconsin, and Iowa show a large production. Of corn there is a largely increased acreage, and it is very promising outside of parts of the Ohio Valley. If the crop matures north and north-west it will be much greater than usual. Cattle and hogs are generally in better condition than a year ago, and in many sections are f.eding on the damage I grain. Potatoes promise an nausually large crop throughout nearly all these sections.

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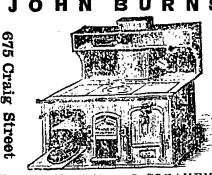
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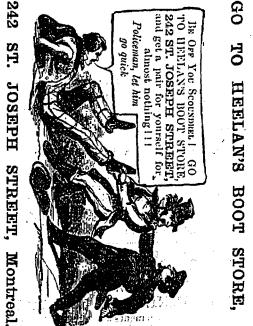
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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869. In the matter of JAMES O'MEALEY, of the City of Montreal, Fruit-dealer and Trader,

I, the undersigned, L. Jos. Lajoie, of the city of Montreal, have been appointed Assignce in this

Creditors are requested to fyle their claims before me within one month.

L. JOS. LAJOIE, Assignee.

Montreal, 25th August, 1875. No. 97 St. James Street.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869. In the matter of WILLIAM BERTRAM, of the City of Montreal, there doing business under the name or firm of W. BERTRAM & CO.,

A Third and Final Dividend has been prepared, subject to objection, until Monday, the 6th day of September next, after which day, dividend will be

JAMES TYRE,

Assignce.

Montreal, 17th August, 1875.

paid.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869, AND ITS AMENDMENTS. In the matter of REMI DEMERS, of the Village of St. Henri, in the District of Montreal, Con-tractor and Painter, Trader,

An Insolvent.

The Insolvent has made an Assignment of his Estate to me, and the Creditors are notified to meet at the Court House, in the City of Montreal, in the Room appropriated to proceedings in Insolvency, on Monday, the thirteenth day of Sertember, A.D. 1875, at the hour of eleven of the clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs, and to appoint an Assignee.

A. B. STEWART, Interim Assignee.

Montreal, 21th August, 1875.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869, AND ITS AMENDMENTS. In the matter of JEAN CHARLES DUCKETT, of the City and District of Montreal, Grocer and An Insolvent.

I, the undersigned, Andrew B. Stewart, of the City and District of Montreal, Official Assignee, have been appointed Assignee in this matter.

Creditors are requested to fyle their Claims be-

fore me within one month, and are hereby notified to meet at my office, Merchants' Exchange Building, in the City of Montreal, on Saturday, the Twenty fifth day of September, A. D., 1875, at the hour of Two of the clock in the afternoon, for the public examination of the Insolvent, and for the adverting of the Efficient of the Estate generally ordering of the affairs of the Estate generally.
The Insolvent is hereby notified to attend.

A. B. STEWART, Montreal, 17th Aug. 1875.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869, AND ITS AMENDMENTS In the matter of EUGENE POSE, of the Village of St. Jean Baptiste, in the Parish of Montreal,

Master Carter, Trader. I, the undersigned, Andrew B. Stewart, of the

City and District of Montreal, Official Assignee, have been appointed Assignee in this matter. Creditors are requested to fyle their Claims before me within one month, and are hereby notified to meet at my office, Merchant's Exchange Building, in the City of Montreal, on Saturday, the twentyfifth day of Sept., A. D., 1875, at the hour of Eleven of the clock in the forenoon, for the public exami-nation of the Insolvent, and for the ordering of the affairs of the Estate generally.

The Insolvent is hereby notified to attend.

A. B. STEWART, Assignee.

Montreal, 17th August 1875.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

In the mater of DAVID WATERS, of the City of Montreal, Accountant, as well individually, as having carried on business in copartnership with Douglas Battersby under the name or firm of BATTERSBY, WATERS & CO., Traders.

An Insolvent.

I, the undersigned, L. Jos. Lajoic, of the City of Montreal, have been appointed Assignee in this.

Creditors are requested to fyle their claims before me, within one month, and are hereby notified to meet at my Office, No. 97 St. James Street, in the knowledge of English and French. The Programme City of Montreal, on Monday, the 27th day of September at 4 o'clock P.M. for the examination of the Insolvent and for the ordering of the affairs of the Estate generally.

L. JOS. LAJOIE,

Montreal, 23 August, 1875.

In the matter of CAMILLE LEDUC, Insolvent. I, the undersigned, Georges Hyacinthe Dumesnil, of

Creditors are requested to fyle their claims before me within one month, and are hereby notified to meet at my Office, No. 212 Notre Dame Street, on the 16th day of September next, at 3 o'clock P.M., for the examination of the Insolvent and for the order-

The Insolvent is hereby notified to attend said meeting. G. H. DUMESNIL,

Official Assignee. Montreal, 16th August, 1875.

In the matter of HONORE IMBLEAU,

l, the undersigned. Georges Hyacinthe Dumesnil, of the City of Montreal, have been appointed Assigned

in this matter. Creditors are requested to fyle their claims before me within one month, and are hereby notified to meet at my office, No. 212 Notre Dame Street, on the 24th day of September next, at 3 o'clock P.M., for the examination of the Insolvent and for the order-

ing of the affairs of the estate generally. The Insolvent is hereby notified to attend said

G. H. DUMESNIL.

Montreal, 18th August, 1875.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

, the undersigned, Georges Hyacinthe Dumesnil, of the City of Montreal, have been appointed Assignee in this matter. Creditors are requested to fyle their claims before

23rd day of September next, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the examination of the Insolvent, and for the ordering of

G. H. DUMESNIL,

Montreal, 17th August, 1875. INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

In the matter of JOSEPH B, MEAD and CHARLES S. MEAD, both of the City and District of Montreal, Shirt and Collar Manufacturers, and copartners, carrying on business together as

firm of J. R. MEAD & CO.,

CHARLES S. MEAD, By JOHN S. ARCHIBALD, Their Attorney ad litem,

Montreal, 11th August, 1875. INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869. CANADA, Province of Quenec, District of Montreal.

McMINN, (Brown, McMinn & Co., Insolvents.) On Monday, the Twentieth day of September next the undersigned will apply to the Court for his dis-

JAMES T. McMINN. By his Attorneys ad litem,
PERKINS & MACMASTER.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869. CANADA,

In the matter of JAMES INCLIS, of the City of Montreal, Photographer and Trader, An Insolvent. On the Twenty third day of September next, the

charge under the said Act.

JAMES INGLIS,

By GILMAN & HOLTON,

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869. CANADA,

SUPERIOR COURT. PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal. In the matter of JAMES BROWN and JAMES T.

McMINN, both of the city of Montreal, Com-

Insolvents. On Friday the seventeenth of September next. On Friday the seventeenth of September next, the undersigned will apply to the said Court for a discharge under the said Act.

Montreal, 9th August, 1875, 121

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CANADA. PROVINCE OF QUEBEG. In the SUPERIOR COURT District of Montreal.

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JOSEPH R. MEAD,

SUPERIOR COURT.

In the matter of JAMES BROWN, and JAMES T. charge under said Act.

Montreal, 5th August, 1875.

PROVINCE of QUEFEC, SUPERIOR COURT. . District of Montreal,

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His Attorneys ad litem. Montreal, 14th August, 1874.

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