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Mercantile Summary.

ROBERT FORSYTH, marble cutter, Montreal, in abandoning his estate, leaves about sixty creditors to whom he owes in the neighborhood of \$65,000. About one-third of this sum is due his banker. His failure was noted last week.

DUPONT & WILSON, mat manufacturers, Kingston, Ont., whose difficulties have already been noted, are now offering 60c. at 6 and 12 months.----Edward Morgan, plumber, Ottawa, has assigned after being in business a few years. He lost money on contracts, it is said.

D. COURVILLE, a small retail shoe dealer of Montreal, has assigned owing \$3,000. He started six years ago on limited capital, and as business in his line is overdone could not make it pay.—Andrew Hamilton, who has been carrying on a general store at Lacelles, Que., for some years has assigned. His liabilities are not large; he has done only a limited trade and seems to have been close run for a while back. --- Arthur Thiboutot, general store, Ste. Helene, Que., is offering to compromise. His difficulties have been noted in a previous issue.

THE Royal Victoria Hospital has received another munificent gift from its generous founders, which will enable the work to be carried on on a larger scale even than in the past. The governors announce that they have received from the founders, Lord Mount-Stephen and Sir Donald Smith, G.C.M.G., through the hands of E. S. Clouston, John Turnbull, J. W. Stirling and R. B. Angus, as trustees, securities of a par value of \$800,000, which may be expected to yield an annual income of at least \$40,000, for the permanent endowment of the hospital.

THE Fredericton Gleaner, of the 30th July, says: Of the lumber cut on the head-waters last year, some 17,500,000 was hung up. Mr. C. Dickey has a large quantity hung up. estimate is 5,000,000; Kilburn and Mc-Intosh for 4,000,000; Stetson for 4,000,000; Nobles for 3,000,000, and Cunliffe for 1,500, 000. This makes 132,500,000 cut on the headwaters last year. Nothing can be done with the stranded logs until next spring. On the Tobique waters there are 6,000,000 stranded logs, which will have to remain where they are until next year. Of this amount, Mr. R. A. Estey has 2,000,000, Upham 2,000,000, A. J. Beveridge 1,000,000, and D. Fraser & Sons 1.000,000. The water in the river has fallen so much of late that 4,000,000 of the corporation drive have been hung up near Grand Falls, and cannot be gotten into the booms until a raise of water, which some of the lumbermen look for in August.

JOSEPH RAOUL LALONDE, a small grocer, of Montreal, has assigned. — Jos. Mallette, coal, Montreal, already noted, has assigned with liabilities of \$18,000.--Popular Paper and Printing Co., Montreal, J. P Beaudry, sole owner, has assigned owing about \$3,500. This business was a succession to Bissonet & Walker. last February, Beaudry then joining them; dissolved in April, Beaudry continuing as alone. He lacked capital and found trade quiet .-Hercule Perrin, shoes, Montreal, has effected a settlement at 50 cents on the dollar, half cash, and the other half at four months, his own note. - Romeo Miron, another shoe man in the same city, has obtained an extension of 4, 8 and 12 months. -- C. E. Gagnon & Co., dry goods, Montreal, have obtained an extension of 12 months; they owe about \$6,000 and show assets of \$12,000 to \$13,000; but these locked up in stock and book debts. C. E. Gagnon, who managed the business, was of the firm of descent lighting system in the world.

Matthieu & Gagnon, who failed some years ago, and he afterwards carried on his trade under his wife's name, but did not make a success and compromised at 50 cents on the dollar cash, in 1894. Trade has been very quiet with them the past year, and they got behind in payments.

A MEETING of the civic finance committee was held in Ouebec on Wednesday last week for the purpose of taking into consideration the advisability of calling tenders for the conversion of the Quebec city English debt, which amounts to £910,489 sterling, or about \$4,431,046. The committee decided to call for tenders.

A PRESS telegram from Washington says that the Supreme Court in the United States has ordered the warrants for the payment of the sugar bounties earned in 1894 (except maple sugar), the payment of which was provided for in the appropriation of \$5,000,000 in the Deficiency Act of 1895. The proved €laims were pro-rated, each claimant receiving under the \$5,000,000 appropriation 84 per cent. of his claim. The number and amount of the beet sugar claims paid are insignificant. In all 490 warrants were issued. Three warrants amounting to \$11,944, were withheld, making the total amount of the 490 warrants issued \$4,988,036.

LAST week W. E. Brown, boot and shoe dealer, Ottawa, and his bookkeeper, Daniel McCallum, were arrested on the charge of defrauding creditors by the transfer of goods previous to their assignment in February last. It is alleged that twenty-two cases of boots, shoes, mitts, moccasins, and seven cases of rubbers were sent to one W. J. Saunders, of Smith's Falls, merchant, with intent to defraud the creditors of W. E. Brown & Co., and that similar transfers of goods were made on Jan. 14. Ian. 16 and other dates and that the goods so fraudulently transferred, amounted to in the neighborhood of two thousand dollars The charge against the bookkeeper is that he falsified the books. Mr. Brown denies any intention of fraud, and says that he is being persecuted. It will be remembered that Mr. Brown failed some years ago.

Considerable activity is being displayed in the erection of elevators in Manitoba. Both companies and individuals are investing in the enterprise. This the Free Press considers the best evidence of faith that the grain merchants have in the growing crops. The Northern Elevator Company is particularly busy this year. They are erecting elevators at the following points: Sewell, Qu'Appelle, Hamiota, Napinka, Pipestone, Delean and Medora. Thos. Kellet is also erecting one at Sewell, and R. D. Martin has work under way at Ninga, Carnduff, and Preston; Dobbin & Kellar are working on a modern and spacious elevator at Whitewater; R. P. Roblin has one in course of erection at Gretna, and the Lake of the Woods Milling Company is building one at Dominion City. One of the best elevators in the province is being erected by the Farmers' Elevator Company at Treherne. The recent storm interfered somewhat with the building of elevators. One was to have been erected at Thornhill, and all necessary lumber had been ordered, but as the crops were damaged the order was rescinded and the project abandoned. It was the original intention of the Northern Elevator Company to erect a building at Cypress River, but as the crops in that district also suffered from the storm, the elevator was built at Delean instead.

-The Edison Electric Illuminating Company, of New York city, supplies 240,000 incandescent lamps. This is the largest incan-