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Orders for SCOTCH REFINED SUGARS and merchandise executed in the British markets ON BEST TERMS.

— A writ of attachment has been issued against William Allan, Port Dover, Ont. Creditors are to meet on 15th inst.

— Mr. Wm. Wedd, jun., of the firm of Chamberlain & Wedd, insurance and general agents, Pembroke, Ontario, has been appointed an Official Assignee for that district.

— A writ of attachment has been issued against Lewis S. Black & Co., of this city, who were referred to last week as being in financial difficulties.

— A petition is being circulated in Winnipeg praying the Postmaster-General to establish a daily mail between that city and Portage la Prairie.

— Messrs. Samson, Kennedy & Gemmel, Toronto, have purchased the entire stock of the Toronto Tweed Company (Hird, Fyfe, Ross & Co.), whose dissolution we noticed last fall.

— Lambert Bros., of Halifax, cabinet makers, have been served with a writ of attachment. Liabilities about \$4,000. Meeting of creditors the 20th inst.

— Jas. P. Brown, of London, Ontario, flour and feed dealer in a small way, has made an assignment. Assets nominally \$1,310; liabilities, \$1,527.

— P. Beswick, Toronto, merchant tailor, has assigned. James McClintock and John Albert Betsford, hotel keepers, Keswick, North Gwillimbury, Ontario, have assigned. Liabilities about \$2,000; assets about \$300.

— A dangerous counterfeit \$10 note of the Ontario Bank issue was palmed off on a merchant in Winnipeg recently, and its spuriousness was only detected upon being examined by the bank officials.

— The new legislation sought by the Canada Life proposes to divide 90 per cent. of the profits among the policy-holders. There was a demand for shares at 100 per cent. premium in this city last week.

— The able communication on the Insolvent

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ST. PAUL STREET.

Law in the present issue will be read with interest. The writer, besides having an intimate knowledge of what he describes, is in a position to judge impartially of the subject.

— At a meeting of the creditors of Barnaby, Healy & Co., wholesale grocers, Halifax, last week, the firm made an offer of 45 cents on the dollar, which will probably be accepted. Their liabilities are estimated, direct \$8,000; indirect \$3,000; assets \$5,000.

— E. McGarvey & Co., of Wyoming, Ontario, general dealers, whose failure we noticed last week, owe \$30,000 for merchandise, and from \$20,000 to \$30,000 for secured advances by banks. Assets: Stock, \$15,000; book accounts, \$7,000; real estate (over mortgage), \$2,000.

— A writ of attachment has been issued against Oliver & King, druggists, Toronto. The following stocks have been advertised for sale by the assignee: Mr. John Davy, of Toronto, millinery, and Patrick and Nicholas Melody, also of Toronto.

— The first train went through to Quebec via the North Shore Railway last Saturday. Messrs A. & W. Ogilvie of this city were the first shippers of freight over the line, a consignment of flour to the Messrs. Baptist of Three Rivers.

— Thompson & Bligh, wholesale grocers and commission, Halifax, have been unable to meet their compromise of 60 cents effected last spring, and have placed their affairs again in the hands of the official assignee. One or two of their creditors have, it appears, been pushing them.

— Inland Revenue Collector, Dunbar Browne, of this city, has been released on bail of \$20,000, the certificates of three physicians having been procured to the effect that he was suffering severely from rheumatism. When gout is not well fed, we suppose it degenerates into rheumatism.

— The rate of taxation in Paris, Ont., is thirteen mills in the dollar, which will leave a couple of thousand dollars in the Town Treasury. All the public buildings, Town Hall, schools, iron bridges, steam engines and other apparatus are paid for, and the town has not one cent of municipal indebtedness. Happy Paris!

— Elie Raymond, of St. Eugene, Prescott county, Ontario, storekeeper, was arrested in this city a few days ago upon a charge of obtaining goods from two of our leading wholesale house under false pretences, stating that he was owner of real estate worth from \$4,000 to \$7,000.

— Joseph Townsend, general store and fishing, Louisburg, N.S., has been attached. Mr. Townsend was mixed up with W. C. Brennan in the Louisburg Supply Company, and his attachment is the natural result of the failure of W. C. Brennan & Co. Liabilities show up rather heavy; assets of a doubtful and uncertain character.

— The *Harriston Tribune* is informed that at a sale for taxes of the chattels of J. Welsh, an absconder from Peel, a stack of hay containing three tons was sold for \$2; another stack of about two tons for 90 cents; a six-year old horse, in good condition, only brought \$5; pigs weighing from 100 lbs to 125 lbs. sold for \$1 each.

— Geo. P. Black, commission agent, Halifax, recently attached, shows liabilities of \$80,000 direct, \$5,000 indirect. Assets, principally in real estate, nearly all secured to creditors. The prospects for unsecured creditors are very poor. Mr. Black was agent at Halifax for the Grand Trunk Railway via Portland, and the opening of the Intercolonial severely injured his business. We learn he has received the appointment of travelling agent for this Railway (a new office), probably to make up for the injury he sustained from it.