

BROPHY, CAINS & CO.,

DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS and SMALL WARES,

WHOLESALE,

196 McGill Street, = Montreal.

FALL 1892.

Our friends speak of our new warehouse as being the handsomest in the city. It is also commodious and central. Our business has shown a large increase year after year, proving that we have the confidence of the trade.

With increased facilities for doing business, and a much larger range of goods than we have ever shown, the incoming season promises to be our best.

As usual we will lead the trade in Fine Black, Mourning and Half Mourning Goods, also Choice Fashionable Dress Goods, Sealettes, Mantlings, Ulsterings, Cape Cloths and Suitings.

We purpose taking a larger share of the Linen Trade and have bought accordingly.

Please see our Samples and call when in the city.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

ONTARIO.

D SCHWAITZER, manufacturer hats and caps, London, a. stock sold.

Geo Rooke, tailor, Ottawa, assigned.

Miss E. Meeklat, millinery, Galt, has sold out.

A. J. McMahon, dry goods, Deseronto, burnt out.

Miss M. L. Simpson, millinery, Guelph, deceased.

John T. McGuire, men's furnishings, Toronto, assigned.

Austin McMahon, men's furnishings, Toronto, assigned.

Sterling, Macredie & Co., wholesale furs, Toronto, have gone into liquidation.

Ed. O'Donohue, dry goods and men's furnishings, Midland, burnt out.

Powell & Co., dry goods and millinery, London, have sold to Peddie & Co.

McDonald Bros., men's furnishings, Ottawa have been burnt out.

Deitch & Co., dry goods, Toronto, have assigned and the stock has been sold.

Jacklen & Work, merchant tailors, Toronto, dissolved. T. H. Work continues.

O'Brien & Howland, clothing merchants, Kingston have dissolved. J. P. Howland continues.

Powell & Co., dry goods, London, are offering to compromise.

John Camelford, carpet manufacturer, Paris, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors in favor of Joseph Bullock. A meeting of creditors is called for June 23.

QUEBEC.

Drolet & Frere, dry goods, Montreal, assigned.

A. H. Ouimet, dry goods, Montreal, assigned.

Miss E. Charland, Waterloo, millinery, assigned.

F. & J. Prieur, men's furnishings, St. Henri, have dissolved.

Mrs. M. A. Houalan, millinery, Sherbrooke, financial difficulty.

McKinnon & Liddell, commission merchants, Montreal have dissolved.

Wm. Lesprance & Co., wholesale dry goods, Montreal, have changed to Liddell, Lesprance & Co.

MARATIME PROVINCES

Robert fair, dry goods, Fairville, N.B., burnt out.

St. Clair, H. Ruggles, tailor, Halifax, burnt out.

MANITOBA AND THE WEST.

T. L. Brown & Co., men's furnishings, Nanaimo, B.C., assigned.

Marymontand Smidt, men's furnishings, Victoria, B.C., dissolved.

The stock of Thomas Brownlow, dry goods, Winnipeg was sold on the 11th.

THE CARPET TRADE.

In the early part of the season there was a slight advance in the cost of making the lower class of tapestries owing to the high price of jute. But this advance affected only slightly the carpet trade in Toronto as few of the wholesale houses advanced their prices. Just now tapestries are steady in price with no prospect of an advance. In the United States some classes of Brussels have advanced about five per cent. but the price of Brussels here shows no variation. Kidderminsters also are steady in price, and some very nice patterns are shown for the fall trade.

The orders for fall delivery have been very good and dealers are well satisfied with the volume of the orders received from the travelers. The stocks are arriving and the wholesale houses will commence shipping at once. The prospects of the fall and winter trade are very good, as the retailers report a good month's sales. Oilcloths and linoleums have had a very fair sale and the demand is still active but only for fall delivery.

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Letters translated from or written in any foreign language.

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