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ON Wednesday next, Messrs. Suckling & Co. will sell the dry goods stock of H. A. Matchett & Co., Galt.—Wm. Barnard has purchased the general stock of H. A. Bingham, at Culloden, at 49 per cent. discount.

WE understand that the E. R. Ather-ton Co., Limited, dealers in men's fur-nishing goods, etc., at Sandon, B.C., is seeking an extension of time. At the date of the large fire, a little more than a year ago, they met with a very heavy loss, and then compromised at 50 per cent.

JOHN PARKER, general storekeeper, at Dunbarton, who has been trading on his own account about two years, is the latest link in the third generation of Parkers, who have carried on this business. But, unfortunately, John has not been so successful as either his father, George, or his grandfather, who had been in trade at that place more than a half century. Probably the narrow margin between the buyer and the seller, or the changed methods of business, or the more extravagant habits of the present generation, smart as it is, or all three combined, have to do with the comparatively short business career of many of the merchants and manufacturers of to-day.

THE Imperial Produce Co., Limited, was established in Canada many years ago, but not operating successfully was reorganized in Toronto in February, 1890, with an authorized capital of \$50,000, about half of which has been paid up. During the past ten years, the company seems to have done a fair amount of export business, but owing to demands for reclamations, etc., from abroad, the business has not always been a profitable one. Last winter the company made a large purchase of cheese in Quebec, but before it was removed from the warehouse, in which it was stored, and before the company formally accepted it, the cheese was destroyed by fire. Under these circumstances the company has gone into voluntary liquidation, but we understand that it appeals to the courts before it will stand the loss.

THE industrial situation is at present very threatening in various parts of the United States. On Monday last, circulars were sent out from the national headquarters of the Amalgamated Association of iron and steel and tin workers, declaring a strike at all the plants of the two combines. The great strike is now on, nominally, but the thousands of men it will affect, some 20,000 or 30,000, it is said, were not yet out at Thursday noon. On July 3rd, delegates from representatives of the Iron Moulders' Union, and the National Founders' Association, after conferring at Chicago, failed to reach an agreement, and a strike involving 2,000 men is imminent. The men have agreed to the minimum wage of \$2.85 a day, instead of \$3, and the national officers were requested to convey that ultimatum to the employers, else the men would strike on 4th July, the national holiday.

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