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THE WAY OF A TRANSGRESSOR.—The now notorious case of Williamson & Co., of Brantford, Ont., is likely to demand attention from creditors or their representatives for some time. The Toronto claimants, to their credit be it said, are determined to make an example of the absconded as far as the law can reach. He

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was traced to Rochester and Buffalo and on to Chicago, where he was arrested for defrauding his Canadian creditors, and put in jail, where he now lies ruminating on the way of the transgressor. He is safe in his present place of abode for a few weeks, and if judgment can be obtained against him meantime on this side for fraud, and it be transferred to Chicago, the probability is that he cannot get out till the debt concerned has been discharged. The case of the defaulter Escott, this city, will be fresh in the minds of many of our citizens. He was kept imprisoned in Chicago for three or four years. Leech, who will be remembered as a judgment creditor of the estate of Williamson & Co., for \$20,000, has had his attention arrested by the customs officers at Hamilton,—where he is so-

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journing,—for having, in some way deemed unsatisfactory, double invoiced a certain lot of flannel goods which the said officers have seized and taken out of the custody of the sheriff. A cursory examination of the books of Williamson & Co. makes it appear as though an amount of about \$17,500 due by Williamson, Hewetson & Co., had been charged to the business to the credit of Leech & Co., and it was in respect of this that he (Leech) obtained his judgment. It is questionable under circumstances to be determined, whether this will hold good; meantime the books are about to be examined by a capable accountant. At last accounts the Palmerston stock had been sold, realizing, with prior judgments, \$3,200. Notice has been given him that the judgment of Leech is fraudulent, and steps have been taken to interplead.