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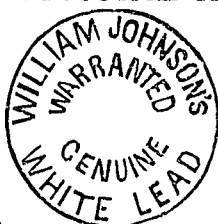
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**WHOLESALE GROCERS,
HAMILTON.**

ADAM BROWN.

ST. CLAIR BALFOUR.

JOHN McPHEE, trader in dry goods, Charlotte-town, P.E.I., has called a meeting of his creditors. His business was purchased from Owen Connolly in February, 1882, for \$21,000, —payable, \$10,000 the first year and balance in four years in equal quarterly installments. The first payment has been made; also a second and part of a third. Mr. McPhee now finds his business is not as prosperous as he expected, and has been forced to adopt the present course. The assets are estimated at \$28,000, by McPhee, and he asks an extension of nine months for half, and fifteen months for balance, with interest at 6 per cent. Mr. Connolly's security is a bill of sale on the stock which he still holds.

The expending of about \$2,500 in improving his premises embarrassed W. E. Blanchard, a St. John, N.B., dry goods dealer, to that extent that he has assigned in trust, showing liabilities of \$8,000 and assets nominally equal, but consisting of stock, household furniture, and book debts. He also owns considerable real estate, but heavily mortgaged. Mr. Blanchard, with the assistance of his wife, commenced his present business in 1878, having been burnt out and forced to succumb to losses by the fire of the year before, on which occasion he effected a compromise, but paid the full amount agreed upon. No decision had at last accounts been

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MANUFACTURERS' AGENTS, AND LEADING

IMPORTERS IN THE DOMINION OF

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arrived at by the trustees, who were engaged in making an inventory of the stock.

THE WESTERN ASSURANCE Co.—The report and financial statement of the Western Assurance Company will be found elsewhere. Although the expectations formed in 1882 have not been fulfilled, there are evidences of improvement as compared with that year. The increase of over \$160,000 in fire premiums is a testimony, doubtless, of the timely advance in the tariff for Ontario. This is, however, offset by increased losses of \$95,000. Marine premiums have fallen off, as, owing to the low rates prevailing, the company reduced its risks; and the result is seen in the losses of this department, which are some \$27,000 less than those of 1882. The increase of over \$200,000 in cash on hand and in banks is an evidence that the company has deemed it advisable to realize upon some of its securities. Two handsome dividends at the rate of twelve per cent per annum have been paid, and these were nearly provided for by the interest received.

Mr. F. McElderry, of the firm, bearing his name in this city and Toronto, requires no introduction to the dealers in domestic cotton staples throughout Canada, having for many years been identified with the wholesale dry goods trade here and in the west. Mr. McElderry began his mercantile career as an employee of the house of A. T. Stewart, New York. Removing to Canada, he entered the employ of D,

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M. Boitard, Cognac, Brandy.	Wm. Younger & Co., Edinburgh, Ales.
D. G. Ross, "Black & White" Distillery,"	Bass' Ale, "Pig Brand," bottled by
Dingwall, Scotland, Scotch Whiskies.	Wm. Edmunds, Jr., & Co., Liverpool.
Jno. S. Shields & Sons, Leith, Scotland,	Guinness' Stout, "Pig Brand," bottled by
Whiskies.	Wm. Edmunds, Jr., & Co., Liverpool.
R. Vanzeller, Oporto, Port Wines.	Peleo Island Vineyards, Peleo Island,
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McInnes & Co., Hamilton, and afterwards represented in Canada the firm of Arthur & Co., of Glasgow. He next became agent in this city for a prominent cotton company in the west. As a result of the re-arrangement of the cotton mills agencies some months ago, he became the representative of the Hamilton Cotton Co. in Montreal and more recently of the Stormont Cotton Co. of Cornwall. To this he has just added the agency of the Simcoe Woolen Co. Mr. McElderry is deservedly popular with the trade, and his representative of the Toronto branch, Mr. J. P. Leslie, is not likely to allow any sinking at his end of the business.

Business changes not mentioned elsewhere:

—Ontario.—A. Ballantine, general store, Arthur, closing up; J. A. Cameron, grocer, Guelph, assigned in trust; S. C. Bigford, picture frames, etc., and B. Rouse, grocer, Toronto, assigned; J. A. Garlick, drugs, Brussels, assigned; J. O. Byrne, mfg. cigar boxes, London, assigned; J. Logan, grocer, Seaford, assigned; J. P. Wright, drugs, Kincardine, assigned; M. McLean, fancy goods, Mudoc, assigned; J. Darrach, cabinetmaker, Stayner, failed. Quebec.—E. J. Faulkner, dry goods, Hull, assigned; A. Third & Co., grocers, etc., Huntingdon, assigned; S. G. A. Raiche, general store, Mayo, assigned; F. L. Derry, general store, Black Creek, assigned; L. Perodeau, tailor, St. Jerome, assigned; John Howie, blacksmith, St. Johns, assigned. Mani-