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CHAS. DESJARDINS & Co., hatters and furriers, this city, previously referred to, have assigned to four principal creditors here, and called a meeting to-day, when a statement will be submitted by the trustees. The liabilities amount to about \$25,000, with assets nominally about \$20,000, almost entirely in stock, which is, however, considered poor. He offered 50c on the dollar, but the creditors preferred making a thorough investigation, as it appears to be no secret that Desjardins had yielded to one house in the city the possession of some \$19,000 worth of furs to secure a debt of about \$7,000, a few weeks prior to his assignment.

One of the many new buildings in course of erection this summer in this city, which when finished will present an imposing addition to the solid cut stone block—the Albert Buildings—on the corner of McGill and St. Bonaventure Sts., is the new dry-goods warehouse of Messrs. McLachlan Bros. It will have fifty feet frontage on McGill Street, adjoining Messrs. Thos. May & Co.'s warehouse, and will be one hundred feet deep; it is expected to be ready for occupancy by 1st December next.

The tactics of ultra politicians are frequently no less mischievous than absurd in their tend-

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St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 31st, 1892.

ency. One side contends that the prosperity of the country can always be secured by Act of Parliament, while their opponents do not hesitate to egg on the masses against those who through their own foresight, industry and business ability have amassed wealth, a species of argument that can have but one tendency in these days of socialism, communism and other mischievous combinations, the sole aim of which is getting forcible possession of our neighbors' goods.

THE SCHOOL GRANTS.—There appears to be some difficulty on the part of our city public school institutions in obtaining sufficient funds to defray current expenses, and it is feared that necessity will compel a reduction in the staff of teachers or a cutting down of salaries which in these times of advancing prices in many articles of every-day want would mean little less than wretchedness and misery to those among them who have families to support. A suggestion worthy of some consideration has been made to the effect that the curriculum in all the public schools be confined to the branches of what is known as forming, "a good common school education," and let those who desire to train

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their children in the higher branches pay for them, as many of them are well able to do. A great deal of the practical common sense of every-day existence, that which fits a boy or girl to battle successfully with the affairs of life and makes them most useful to themselves and others, is often knocked out of their heads by much study of the languages of ancient Greece and Rome. Chinese or Japanese would even be more profitable. Should such a change be made, the present grants would probably prove sufficient,—that is in case further supplies be not forthcoming to carry on the present course. As we cannot have the excellent free schools of the United States and most parts of Ontario, let us make the nearest approach to them that we can.

THE Chicago Board of Trade, evidently with the object of preventing "corners" in grain, have adopted the following rule: "The tender of a higher grade of the same kind of grain than the one contracted for shall be deemed sufficient, and all contracts for future delivery of wheat made on and after June 1, 1882, unless otherwise specially agreed by the contracting parties, shall be understood as No. 2 wheat, of either the spring or winter variety, and a tender of No. 2 winter or a higher grade of winter wheat shall be deemed a sufficient tender in fulfillment of such contracts."