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forfeited their property through neglecting to pay calls .- Mr. Jas. Davison, the general manager, who was seized with a paralytic stroke on the 13th inst., is said to be slowly recovering.

J. T. WALKER & Sons, of New York, have taken seizure before judgment on the stock and fixtures of the Corriveau Silk Mills, this city, on their claim of \$6,000. Mr. Corriveau denies the statements made in the affidavit, and claims that the company is not only solvent, but has a large surplus. He threatens an action for damages, and will contest the seizure. The absent president of the Exchange Bank was a large shareholder of the Corriveau Silk Mills, and that bank holds a mortgage against the concern for some \$30,000.

JAMES RUSSELL, cocoa and chocolate manufacturer of Toronto, whose assignment we have already mentioned, was formerly in the employ of John MacDonald & Co., of that city. Through the munificence of his employers Mr. Russell was enabled to start a business of his own, but, probably on account of undue competition, has had to assign. He has, however, obtained a compromise at 60 cents on the dollar. His liabilities are estimated at \$4,000; assets, \$5,000.

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BUSINESS CHANGES: -- Ontario. - The following have assigned in trust :- Geo. Elmwood, shoes, Caledonia; Gosnell & Sutherland, general store, Highgate; Thos. Story, tailor, Ottawa; T. J. Carroll & Co., jewellers, Hamilton. Quebec .- J. W. & G. Waddell, general store, Stonefield, assigned in trust; A. E. Desilets, dry-goods, Three Rivers, offers 75 cents on dollar secured and 25 cents unsecured. Nova Scotia.-Walter S. Fraser and wife, millinery, Spring Hill, assigned in trust; Burchell Bros., flour, etc., and Burchell, Matheson & Co., of Sydney, both failed. Manitoba. -E. Brisebois and Wm. McAllister, general storekeepers of St. Norbert and Wolsely, respectively, both assigned in trust; Gill & Atkinson, contractors, and Hugo Holmes, dry goods and clothing, Winnipeg, both assigned in

MR. A. W. CRAIG, haberdasher, a younger brother of the absent president of the Exchange Bank, is reported to have assigned to F.B. Benjamin, representing Messrs. Skelton Bros. of this city, and stock is being taken in order to ascertain how far they may be warranted in helping Mr. Oraig_to continue the business:

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The liabilities are estimated at \$20,000, of which a large proportion is to Skelton Bros., and about \$6,000 to the Exchange Bank, the balance of the amounts which he was allowed to overdraw. Mr. Craig has worked up what should be a profitable connection during the two years he has been in business, but has probably erred in overstocking. For some time past he has been practically in the hands of Skelton Bros., who are a family connection.

The organ manufacturers are feeling the effects of the limited harvest yield, the farming community being the chief patrons of the class of instruments made by the smaller concerns. always excepting the French districts of Quebec. The piano sells better in this Province, the volatile and gay French preferring music. of a more lively nature. D. Bell & Sons, organ, makers, of Toronto, have assigned. An offer of 40 cents in the dollar is spoken of. The wellknown and highly respectable firm of Wm. Bell & Co., Guelph, is not to be confounded with the insolvent Toronto concern.