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ST. CLAIR BALFOUR.

Owing to heavy losses during the last twelve months, Messrs. C. H. Cordingley & Co. of this city were obliged to hold a consultation with their creditors early this week. The firm showed a surplus of \$5,500 over and above liabilities of about \$40,000. The creditors are not losing much in having accepted the offer made by Mr. Cordingley. The losses by bad debts last year were over \$9,000, and since the beginning of the present year they have been obliged to take up customers' paper amounting to about \$1,500. The firm kept paying till their bankers called a halt.

The estate of M. Fronts, Sherbrooke, who recently assigned, will not be sufficient to pay anything on unsecured claims.—The returns of the combined traffic on the Northern and North-Western Railways for the week ending January 31st, 1884, amounted to \$26,975.41, against \$25,062.82 for the corresponding week in 1883, showing an increase of \$1,912.59.—J. Nixon, a Winnipeg boot and shoe dealer, assigned in January to E. Thompson, but a wholesale firm in this city had previously obtained judgment in their favor, which judgment is now being contested. No statement has yet been submitted to his creditors.

BEUTHNER BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS' AGENTS, AND LEADING

IMPORTERS IN THE DOMINION OF

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750 to 754 CRAIG ST., MONTREAL

The career of Mr. J. E. Clement, dry goods, St. Johns, Que., has been rather checkered. He began business in 1859, was burnt out in the fire of 1876, and shortly after compromised at 75 cents in the dollar. He has several times since been before his creditors. He has now assigned in trust. The bank claims \$8,300 from the estate on notes made by Mr. Clement—in whose name the business has lately been conducted—but endorsed by her husband. The regular liabilities are about \$11,500, showing a deficiency of about \$3500. There is a privileged claim of about \$1,000. The bank holds also some 200 shares of their stock in Mr. Clement's name, as security for \$5,000 lent him. The President of the bank, Mr. Molleur, offers 30 cents to the creditors.

The following traders in Quebec have assigned in trust.—L. Cushing & Son, general store, Cushing; H. G. Gilchrist, general store, Grenville; J. Desormier, dry goods, Joliette; L. P. D. Poirier, grocer, St. Johns; La Manufacture de Chaussures de Lanoraie; P. G. Dugal, furrier, Quebec; N. Jaubert & Co., boots and shoes, St. Johns; Alex. Vincent,

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boot and shoe manufacturer, St. Therese de Blainville; Carswell & Consineau, grocers, etc., Valleyfield, compromised at 60 cents; A. Goulet, general store, Joliette, compromised at 35 cents; John Carty, leather, etc., Richmond East, offering 20 cents on the dollar; Brosseau & Morin, sash and door, St. Johns, compromised at 40 cents; W. Brosseau, dry goods, etc., St. Johns, compromised at 40 cents.

The following traders in Ontario have assigned in trust:—Wm. Keetch, general store, Newmarket; Geo. Harcourt & Son, merchant tailors, Toronto; W. H. Mann, foundry, Aylmer; M. T. Hemsworth, books, Brantford; R. Pickard, grocer, Exeter; J. Eby, hotel, Galt; S. R. Maneer, saw mill, Vine; Mrs. Gardhouse, general store, Bolton; C. Frey, general store, Crosshill; J. T. Sturgess, general store, Huntsville; Thos. Duff & Co., dry goods, etc., Barrie; John Alexander, general store, Brunsels; J. & H. McKinney, general store, Perth; Aug. Asmus, general store, etc., Tavistock; Morrison & Webber, millinery, etc., Toronto; B. D. Ingalls, hardware, Thamesville. T. E. Lilley, carriage maker, Dutton Sta-