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main features of the law, but some of the details are not satisfactory to the trade. A clause which is especially objectionable to the Ontario dealers reads as follows: "Anyone selling tobacco, either wholesale or retail, must sell from the original box upon which the revenue stamp has been placed." The dealers refuse to believe that the provisions of the Act will be enforced in Ontario, it being understood that at least the foregoing clause was intended to meet a state of things existing in the Province of Quebec. They affirm that it cannot be carried out in Ontario; that the authorities will not dare to confiscate tobacco in half-boxes which don't bear the revenue stamp, that remaining on the other half of the original package. The Toronto dealers are continuing their business in the usual way and awaiting developments. The Customs House authorities have yet to be heard from.

The failure of the long-established wholesale lace firm of White & Co., Toronto, who assigned last Saturday, was rather a surprise to the general trade of Canada, although it is said to have been predicted in inner circles for some time past. It appears to have been caused by losses incurred in Manitoba, as the

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firm holds a large amount of paper from retail houses in that province who have succumbed during the past few months. The newspaper rumor that the failure was due to land speculation in the North-west, is authoritatively denied. The Bank of Toronto, with whom the firm kept their account, is secured by customers' paper, and the liabilities,—\$91,000 direct, and \$83,000 indirect, making a total of \$174,000,—are due almost entirely in England. The assets amount to \$69,000 leaving a deficit of \$105,000. From present information the creditors will not likely realize more than 10c to 15c on the dollar. The firm have undergone some changes, but at present Mr. Alfred Reeves is the sole partner in the business, and was rated by one of the agencies in a circular issued 1st inst., as worth \$10,000 to \$20,000.

E. W. ROSEVEAR, boot and shoe dealer, of Orangeville, Ont., whose failure was recently announced in the *Journal*, removed or sold out his household effects a few days ago, and left for parts unknown. Rosevear has been in business some three years, formerly in St. Catharines, and up till the last couple of months enjoyed a good reputation, but latterly most damaging disclosures have been made against him. His

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liabilities foot up some \$4,000, of which over \$3,000 were secured by his father-in-law, Mr. Jonathan Platt, an honest but imprudent farmer in Mono Township, who endorsed heavily for Rosevear, has had to sacrifice all his farm stock, implements, etc., to the unrelenting bailiff; even the growing crop on Mr. Platt's farm, it is said, will be taken charge of by the bailiff, when ready for the sickle. This is the second time Mr. Platt has met with a similar misfortune. Another party in the town loses \$600 by the failure, but the principal creditors are Toronto wholesale shoe merchants. The assets amount to only \$750—the proceeds of the Sheriff's sale of stock and book-debts. This is said to be Rosevear's second failure, brought about this time by extravagance and irregularity.

The failures in Manitoba appear to be increasing instead of decreasing. The latest evidences of the depression existing in Winnipeg at present are the reported suspension of the wholesale dry goods firm of Rowe, Newton & Co., the assignment of Stead & Stevenson, another dry goods firm, with estimated liabilities of \$50,000, and of Clarkson and Polhurst, merchant tailors, of that city. In the case of Messrs. Stead & Stevenson, it is believed that the creditors will not lose heavily, as Mr. Ste-