

## THE CHARGES AGAINST BORNSTEIN & THELLER.

—The trial of Julius Bornstein, an applicant in insolvency, charged with frauds upon his creditors, was concluded in the Fourth District Court yesterday afternoon, and resulted in the acquittal of the insolvent. He was one of the firm of Bornstein & Theller, clothing merchants. It appeared that before this failure, which took place in November, the firm made larger purchases than usual; but they answered that the fall and winter trade was about to commence, and they might fairly expect their sales to be larger than before. It was also charged that just previous to their failure, they had disposed of a large portion of their goods to A. Krain, a dealer on Jackson street, paid him money, and confessed a judgment in his favor for \$1,643, the alleged balance of his account, in fraud of other creditors. To this charge, they replied that Krain had loaned them money for a year; but, a month or two before their failure, desired to call in his money, and they had to pay him off. It was farther charged that the books had not been written up from day to day, but all at one time. To this, they replied that Theller kept the books. He was often absent on collecting tours, during which time Bornstein kept memorandums, and Theller on his return would write up the books. The jury, without leaving their seats, rendered a verdict that Bornstein was not guilty of fraud. The charge against Theller was then dismissed.