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Mercantile Summary.

THE Bank of London has suspended payment. Having failed in its negotiations with the Bank of Toronto, which it hoped would take over its business, it was found necessary to close its doors this morning.

Mr. H. G. Joly, president, and Mr. Geo. Leclere, secretary, of the Quebec Agricultural Association, announce a grand exhibition in Quebec city on the 5th to 9th September.

Mr. John A. Orb, of the boot and shoe manufacturing firm of Orr, Harvey & Co., Hamilton, died on Wednesday last. Deceased was well-known throughout Ontario, and was for fifteen years a member of the Canadian Travellers' Association.

New Government envelopes, it is said, are to be issued in the United States about September 10th. The 1-cent. envelopes will be blue in color, the 2-cent. green, the 4-cent. carmine, the 5-cent. Milori blue, the 10-cent. chocolate, the 30-cent. Bismark brown, and the 90-cent. purple.

A Montreal trunk manufacturer, Mr. G. Barrington, called at the Central Police station, in that city, on Tuesday, and asked for police protection next morning, as he had information that some of his striking workmen intended to come down and try to intimidate him to discharge from his employ the new men he had engaged in their places.

ADMIRAL LUCE, the American Naval Commander in Chief of the North American Squadron, who had the audacity to attempt to instruct the American fishermen in the law, has been most unmercifully snubbed by Secretary Whitney, and in consequence the gallant Admiral has thrown up his command. He has the reputation of being a gentleman, and when at Halifax with his squadron he gained the esteem of the British and Canadian officials.

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