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Mercantile Summary.

A NUMBER of new steel coal cars passed through New Glasgow for the Dominion Coal Company, Sydney, C.B. Each car is thirty-one feet, six inches long, and as large as an ordinary freight box car. Their capacity is fifty tons each.

THE Pembroke Standard is credibly in-
formed that the Pembroke Southern Rail-
way has been leased to the Canada Atlan-
tic Railway Company for a certain num-
ber of years. But "this will in no wise
hinder the building of the proposed road
from Golden Lake to Bancroft, so as to
give us close connection with Toronto."

JOHN WATSON, of Montreal, who suc-
ceeded, some 20 years ago, to an old-es-
tablished hardware commission business,
formerly carried on by an uncle, but who
of late years has been doing an uptown
jewelry business, has gone behind, and
has assigned upon the demand of one of
his creditors. He owes \$14,590.

J. B. BUREAU & Co., Montreal, hotel-
keepers, have failed. Mr. Bureau has been
in the business, off and on, for a good
many years, but with an unfortunate re-
cord. He failed in 1896, owing then some
\$13,000, and in January last compromised
at 25 cents. Present liabilities are com-
paratively small, figuring at \$2,853.

JOSEPH BUSSIÈRE, the Quebec grocer,
reported as embarrassed, has been able to
arrange a compromise at 50 cents on the
dollar.—E. D. Plante, grocery commis-
sion, has assigned, owing only about
\$700.—The assets of J. L. O. Proulx,
dry goods retailer, also of Quebec, who
lately failed, owing \$3,300, are advertised
for sale.

ACCORDING to a paragraph which we
find in the Sarnia Observer, the average
yield of wheat per acre in the southern
counties of Michigan is eight bushels per
acre, in the central counties six bushels,
in the northern counties ten bushels, and
for the entire State eight bushels. The
quality of this year's wheat is poor, the
berry being shrunken in many localities.
In the southern counties the quality, as
compared with that of average years, is
77; in the central counties, 63; in the
northern counties, 84; and for the entire
State, 75.

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