

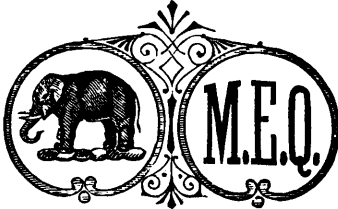
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Mercantile Summary.

On the 4th instant, we understand, the Montreal and Sorel Railway passed from the hands of Mr. Armstrong into those of the Grand Trunk Railway.

ACCORDING to the Newcastle Advocate, Mr. F. R. Morrison is now in charge of the branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia at that place, Mr. Walters having removed to Minneapolis.

THE total tonnage of steamers which arrived at Halifax during the year 1885 was 590,000, making an aggregate tonnage of shipping arrivals at that city for the year of 846,274.

THE amount of Customs' duties collected at London during the latter half of 1885 was \$235,076, which sum is an increase of \$12,742 over that of the corresponding period of 1884.

EXPORTS from Belleville during December last were of the value of \$106,188, which shows an increase of \$39,781 over the same month last year. Imports, on the other hand, show a decrease of \$9,076.

MR. JOHN MURPHY, of Halifax, dry goods dealer, has, on the 1st January, this year, admitted his brother, Michael Murphy, a partner in his business, which will be carried on in future under the title of J. & M. Murphy.

MR. JAMES MITCHELL became a member of the firm of G. P. Mitchell & Sons, Halifax, at the first of the year. The firm of Alexander Moir & Sons of that city has dissolved, Mr. Alexander Moir retiring, and the firm will hereafter be known as W. & A. Moir.

WRITING from Killarney last week, Messrs. J. & T. Noble say:—"In Algoma and here, we may say that the close season has crippled things very much. It is a poor district, and traders both here and on the Island have to credit the Indians largely. They depend on the fall fishing for returns, and the Indians and half-breeds depend on the fall fishing for their winter's supply. We think that the Govern-