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1879. PREPARING 1879.
FOR
SPRING TRADE.The last four Steamships have brought us the follow-
ing shipments of **Dry Goods**: Polynesian, Jan. 1st,
57 packages; Austrian, Jan. 8th, 65 packages; Sar-
matian, Jan. 15th, 167 packages; Moravian, Jan. 22nd,
163 packages, with weekly additions to follow.**T. JAMES CLAXTON & CO.**NO 37 ST. JOSEPH ST.
Jan. 29th, 1879.**MONTREAL.****Mercantile Summary.**THE exports of hardware and cutlery from
New York during 1878 were 115,754 packages,
valued at \$2,585,627, against 84,933 packages
and \$2,076,284 in 1877.WE regret to observe that by reason of the
falling off in patronage of the reading room and
merchants exchange, established 18 years ago
in Charlottetown, P. E. I., by Mr. McNeil, the
room has been closed.NEWBURY's shipments last week include 600
turkeys to Britain, and a car of live hogs, also
about 10,000 pounds of dressed pork to Toronto
by Messrs. Laird. Messrs. Armstrong & Co.
shipped a car load of cattle to Toronto.THE sugar beet is receiving attention in New
Brunswick. Mr. J. C. Newman, of Derby, will
experiment by planting three quarters of an acre;
Mr. James Mills, of Cardwell, one acre, and
other farmers in King's County will plant beets
to help along the proposed factory.THE total number of periodical publications
in the United States, says an exchange, is 8,703,
against 8,340 a year ago. There are thirteen
more daily and 307 more weekly newspapers
than in last January.MR. G. W. VANWART, exchange broker and
insurance agent, of Woodstock, New Bruns-
wick, has written requesting us to state that he
is not the Geo. W. Vanwart who was in the
hardware business there and failed some weeks
ago.MONEY is so abundant about Princeton, Ont.,
that a number of people thereabout have been
sending half a dollar each to a swindling Yankee
in Massachusetts, who promised for that sum to
forward a \$6.00 pictorial dictionary. The book
he did send to his dupes was one which is
usually sold in book-stores at 15 cents. The
result of the experiment was black looks and bad
language round the post office. Lotteries would
have a good chance of patronage around Prince-
ton.