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Mercantile Summary.

MESSES. ISAAC BURPEE, E. R. Moore and Charles E. Burpee, of St. John, E. G. Scovill, of Simonds, and E. R. Burpee, of Bangor, have filed in the office of the New Brunswick Provincial Secretary a memorandum of association for the incorporation of a company, to be styled "The Coldbrook Iron and Steel Manufacturing Company," for the manufacture and sale of iron and steel, castings and foundry, &c. The principal place of business to be at Coldbrook.

It is proposed, and is perhaps arranged, in England, that the Canadian Copper & Sulphur Co., of Capelton, and the Huntington Copper & Sulphur Co., of Bolton, be amalgamated and become one company under the name of "The United Mining and Smelting Company of Canada, Limited." The resumption of operations, which, we believe, will include the erection of additional works for the manufacture of sulphuric acid, will be hailed with delight in Sherbrooke, by workmen and traders alike.

JOHN CLEWES, a dealer in house furnishings in the city, has again become involved and obtained an extension of time from creditors. Some years ago he opened two stores and shortly afterwards surprised his creditors by making a failure and getting off by paying one-half his liabilities.—The tavern of Eli Selyards, at Walkerton, was burnt a few months ago and he has since assigned.—A dry goods dealer in Amherstburg, S. S. Kolfage, bought last year the stock and book debts of J. J. Anger, amounting to some \$13,000, and began business virtually without capital. For a time he did a fair business and paid off a considerable portion of the purchase money. Lately he has been pressed and gave a chattel mortgage. An effort has been made to upset this and he will probably assign.

"It is a bad plan," said an outspoken salesman in a wholesale house last week, "it is a bad plan for a retailer to order goods in advance or in excess of his requirements just because he gets a little extra time on them. It may be flattering to a dealer to be coaxed to buy 'round lots' when he only wants a small parcel, but ten to one he will repent it, for he will almost surely get caught by the overstock." And the wholesale man, warning up, proceeded to give some illustrations of the way people are 'loaded up' now by means of dating ahead. "Why, sir," he said, "I know of some instances where retail men have been offered and have got nine months time on cases or bales of cotton goods. Four months from 1st of April on such goods is the dating given in a letter which I have seen. A man, whose stock would be bloated by half a case, is today induced to order a range of cottons, or say a whole case, the temptation being held