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Feb. 21st, 1879.

Mercantile Summary.THE first vessel of the season on Lake Erie,
the *Golden Eagle*, has arrived at Sandusky from
Put-in-Bay, and reports much floating ice in the
lake.THE City of Glasgow Bank Aid Association
has issued its prospectus. The capital is placed
at £1,000,000 sterling, in one hundred thousand
bonds of £10 each.THE Glass Factory at St. John's Quebec, is
to be re-opened in a month or two by Messrs.
W. & D. Yuile, of Montreal, who have become
proprietors of the effects of the old bankrupt
glass company. Mr. W. Borland is to be man-
ager.NEARLY 321,000 freight cars passed Point
Edward, the river St. Clair crossing of the
Grand Trunk Railway, during 1878. In the
last week of February, the ferry Huron trans-
ported 3,425 cars, in addition to five passenger
express trains daily.THE twenty-fifth anniversary of the laying of
the first Atlantic Cable was celebrated on Mon-
day evening, 10th March, at the residence of
Cyrus W. Field, Gramercy Park, New York.
About 1,000 had been invited, among them
many distinguished men. Congratulations were
received from all parts of the world.THE annual meeting of shareholders of the
Montreal Warehousing Company was held on
the 6th inst. and the Directors chosen for the
ensuing year were:—Sir Hugh Allan, Presi-
dent, C. J. Brydges, Vice-President, and Mr. H.
Judah, Managing Director. Messrs. George
Stephen, A. W. Ogilvie.THE Intercolonial Coal Company held its
annual meeting on the 5th instant. The
statement of the year's business was approved,
and the old board of Directors were re-elected,
viz: Messrs Peter Redpath, D. L. MacDougall,
G. A. Drummond, Gilbert Scott, John Hope,
Henry A. Budden, Robert Simms, Robert An-
derson, and James Burnett.