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Mercantile Summary.

FALMOUTH, N.S., is to have a reed and rattan factory.

THE consumption of tobacco in Canada per head of the population is about two and a half pounds. In France, according to a scientific journal, it is decreasing, being at the present time about two pounds a head of the population annually, whereas in Holland it is seven pounds, in the United States five pounds, in Belgium and Germany three pounds, in Austria-Hungary two and one-half pounds.

DURING the two weeks ending 1st May, there were cleared for ports in the British Islands from St. John, N.B., 9,282,000 feet of deals and battens, scantling and boards, also 289 tons of birch timber. In the same period there were cleared for United States ports 3,865,000 feet of long lumber, 6,015,000 cedar shingles, 6,187,500 lath, 980 pieces of piling, and 493 cords of firewood. From the outport of Quaco went 328,500 feet of lumber, 680,000 lath, and 1,240 pieces of piling. A considerable fleet of sailing vessels is now on the way to the Restigouche, Miramichi, Kent county and Baie Verte ports for deals for the British market. Ocean freights have advanced, and steamers are hard to get.—Maritime Merchant.

ROSSLAND is very proud of the big payment of \$500,000 made the other day by the British America corporation on account of the purchase of the celebrated Leroy Mine in that camp. It is one of a series, the purchase price being three millions of dollars. The entire agreement, says the Rossland Miner, made by Colonel I. N. Peyton with the B. A. C. was cabled from London to Spokane. There were 1,422 words in the message and the cost was \$570. The principal beneficiaries of the sale live in Spokane, but W. J. Harris, of Rossland, is credited with about 40,000 shares, worth at \$6 per share, \$240,000. The Peytons, Valentine, I. N. and W. A., are jointly the holders of \$950,000 worth of stock, while the Turner interests are listed at \$522,000. Colonel Ridpath is reputed to hold \$230,000 worth of the stock.

MR. B. T. A. BELL, of Ottawa, has been visiting the mining districts of Nova Scotia. He states that while there is no "boom" the mineral industries of the Province are making steady progress. The output of coal in 1897 exceeded 2,200,000 tons, being the largest in the history of this industry, while with respect to gold, on an invested capital of something less than half a million dollars, the Province yielded during the same period 28,000 ounces of gold, of a value of about \$500,000. In his opinion a great future awaits the gold mining industry in Nova Scotia. Judicious capitalization and careful and skilled management were wanted. The easy means of access to the Province, the low cost of working, the cheapness of labor, fuel and supplies, and the probable permanent nature of the deposits, are good reasons why capital would find remunerative investment in that industry. Mr. Bell said that English capitalists were turning their attention to the Province and that the output would be still larger this year. The dividend-paying mines last year were the Brookfield, in Queen's county; the Richardson, at Isaac's Harbor; New Egerton, at Fifteen-Mile Stream; Blue Nose, at Goldenville; Oland, at Montague; Modstock, at Country Harbor. The Richardson has a forty stamp battery, to be increased this year to sixty stamps, and the working costs, mining and milling, are as low as \$1.68 per ton.

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