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Mercantile Summary.

AN Exeter firm is packing fifty tons of hay per week at that place. They pay \$9 per ton.

Sixty hands are employed in the Kingston knitting factory, which last week placed its first production upon the market.

THE Macdonald Mills at Hopewell, N.S., were lately sold by the sheriff and were purchased by Mr. James Macdonald for the sum of \$8,250.

THE Rocklin woollen mills in Nova Scotia are to be fitted with improved machinery, Mr. Robt. Fraser, visits Lowell and other Massachusetts factory towns to get the latest ideas.

THE iron miners on the Mississippi River, in Lanark County celebrated the Queen's Birthday by letting off a blast of nitro-glycerine which dislodged 16 tons of ore.

MESSRS. JACKSON, of Egmondville, Ont., are building an addition to their cider factory, and will turn out more of that healthful beverage than ever.

CAMERON's old mill, at Thedford, is being fitted up for a flax mill. 196 acres of flax have been sown on land rented by the firm, besides that sown by private individuals.

THE Napanee Brush Company require a new building, the present one being too small for their growing business. New premises of stone, 42 by 100 feet and two stories high are to be erected on the canal.

MESSRS KERR, woollen manufacturers at Middle River, Pictou county, are making, says the *Eastern Chronicle*, "some fancy patterns of woollen cloth finer than anything yet seen of our home production." We are very glad to hear it, but the journal quoted goes on to say: "There has been altogether too much money wasted during the past few years in the purchase of shoddy Canadian cloth, which is made chiefly of rags and refuse, and is to a large extent worthless."

THE County of Essex is to have a French newspaper. A weekly, printed in the French language and named *Le Progres* is to be published in Windsor by M. Ernest Pacaud, formerly of L'Electeur of Quebec. There are more French Canadians in Essex, than in any other county of Western Ontario. It was only surpassed, in this respect at the last census by Prescott, Grenville and Carleton, which are all at the Eastern end of the province. If M. Pacaud's experiment be practicable any where west of the Trent it ought to be in Essex, and we shall be glad to see it succeed.