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## Mercantile Summary.

Essex Centre will submit a by-law to the people to raise \$30,000 for water-works.

THE Ormstown Brick Co., at Ormstown in the Eastern Townships, has added to its machinery three new brick machines.

At the annual meeting of the Stratford Board of Trade, held on Friday last, the following officers were elected :-President, Mr. J. H. Macdonald; vice-president, Mr. E. T. Dufton; secretary, Mr. W. G. Mowat.

CLOVES have been very low in price, low enough to attract the notice of speculators, so on Friday last there was a rise of a penny the pound in London, with a buoyant market. Views of American holders have advanced.

THE shippers of canned goods and dried fruits on the Pacific coast will again appeal to the Transcontinental. Association for a reduction in rates. The C.P.R. is carrying tons of dried fruit from San Francisco and sending it on to New York.

"You say you never had any gymnastic training and never took part in a contest of this kind before?" "Never," modestly replied the man who had just won the championship in a high leaping match. "But there's no secret about the way I keep myself in condition. I live on a street where the grocers keep most of their stock out on the sidewalk in front."-Chicago Grocer.

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A QUEBEC tanning company is prospecting for a location in British Columbia, probably Revelstoke, where some forty hands will be employed, consuming about 5,000 cords of bark per year. The idea is to procure hides from China, and to ship leather to England.

WINDSOR, Ontario, proposes to tax herself \$73,000 for improvements. Some of the items are \$48,000 for a new town hall, \$25,000 towards a park, and \$6,000 for the purchase of the gravel road. Voting on the by-laws for this purpose is to take place on June 25th.

An old resident and a much respected citizen of Hamilton, Mr. Richard Benner, was laid in his grave last week. For a number of years past Mr. Benner had been secretary of the Hamilton Board of Trade, many members of which were present at his funeral. We understand that Mr. John Bell has been appointed secretary pro tem. of that body.

MR. R HILYARD has been the trusted manager of the St. Mary's branch of the Bank of Montreal for a quarter of a century, and now at last severs his connection with the bank to remove to Toronto. The citizens of the former place made him a presentation last week of a complimentary address, accompanied by a handsome walnut rotary desk. They also presented Mrs. Hilyard with a silver tea service, suitably inscribed

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At the Peterboro assizes last week, Irwin Roraback, a man over 60 years of age, who was convicted of forging the name of Robt. Gardner, of Dummer, to a mortgage offered to the Midland Loan & Savings Company for \$2,050, was brought up for sentence and the judge sentenced him to two and a half years in the penitentiary. The circumstances of this case were fully narrated in our columns at the time.

Says the Perth Expositor: Ten years ago the John Ryan farm, lot 10 in 5th concession, Lanark township, 200 acres, was sold for \$4,000. Two years ago Mr. Michael Connors bought it for \$6,000, and now he has sold it with \$1,100 worth of stock and implements to Mr. Duncan, of Appleton, for \$7,100, making the net price of the 200 acres \$6,000. This does not show any falling off in values.

A London refiner, Mr. Menhinnick, is putting down a test well for petroleum (or gas) at Comber, in Essex county. A gang of men has gone from Petrolea to bore the well. Four men from Toledo secured, says an American paper, 8,000 acres of land near the big gas well some 30 miles from Windsor. "They also secured the right of way for a pipe line from the gas fields to Detroit. On Monday of last week they conveyed their holdings and right of way to the Standard Oil Company for a large sum of money."

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