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Mercantile Summary.

We learn that the Prince Edward Island steamers are now making daily trips between Pictou and Charlottetown.

At the various ports on the Bay of Quinte shore, says the *Intelligencer*, there is about 70,000 bushels of barley awaiting shipment.

An assignment has been made to J. McArthur Griffith by Robson Bros., grist-mill owners, of Waterdown. It is thought that a good dividend can be paid.

The agent of Armour & Co., Chicago, was in St. John last week, canvassing. He talks of building a cooling house there in which to put the beef on its arrival in his firm's refrigerator cars.

IMPORTATIONS from Europe via Halifax, per Intercolonial Railway, are making quick time to Western points. We are told that freight is taking only five to six days from Halifax to Toronto.

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.

A QUEBEC Tanning Co. is prospecting for a location in British Columbia, and have about decided to locate at Revelstoke. They will carry on a large business, employing some

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forty hands in the tannery, and consuming about 5,000 cords of bark per year. They intend to procure hides from China, and to ship the leather to England. So says a Pacific Coast exchange.

FIRST business-man—"I see it stated that Wanamaker proposes to run the Post-Office Department on business principles." Second business-man—"Well, I'm glad of it. This paying as much for stamps by the sheet as by the piece is an outrage."

THE Rochester, N. Y., dried apple syndicate has bought 150 car loads of the fruit at a cost of \$250,000. Three-fourths of the product are made in New York, and the syndicate has already bought most of them.

UP to this date this season, says the *Yarmouth, N. S., Times*, the export of lobsters has been \$5,600, against \$360 last year at same time. The difference is caused by the mildness of this spring compared with the stormy weather a year ago.

SAYS the *Vancouver World*: The C. P. R. has reduced the rate of freight on lumber shipped from this province to all eastern points. Mill men now assert that they can ship with advantage and be able to compete with the eastern mills to points as far west as Winnipeg and for certain classes of lumber as far as Port Arthur.

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THE tinfoil so commonly used to wrap Neufchatel cheese, chewing gum, various kinds of candy, and all kinds of chewing tobacco, is said to be dangerous on account of the lead it contains. Its use for wrapping articles of food has been forbidden in France.

THE list of accidents for the month ending February 10, 1889, as reported at police headquarters of the City of New York, contained 257 casualties, as under: Injuries from falls, 150; persons injured by falling objects, 24; pedestrians injured by street vehicles, 40; injuries to those using street vehicles, 7; run over on railways, 5; burns and scalds, 11; accidentally shot, 9; kicked by horses, 6; elevator accidents, 3; miscellaneous, 20. The moral is: Get an accident policy.

MR. E. B. EDDY, of Hull, whose name has for a quarter of a century been prominently connected with the lumbering interests of Canada, has concluded to relinquish the business of lumbering and will go into manufacturing. He will therefore dispose of his large saw mill and piling grounds in Hull, together with his valuable timber limits on many of the tributaries of the Ottawa. On these limits are well cultivated farms and depot buildings. The whole of the property is valued at \$1,250,000, and it is to be sold by auction at the Russell House, Ottawa, on the 14th of August next.

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