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Mercantile Summary.

THE tax roll of Coaticooke for the current year shows taxable property valued at \$78,710, an increase in the year of \$12,617.

TENDERS for the purchase of over one hundred thousand dollars worth of debentures, are invited by the town clerk of the municipality of Berlin.

THE treasurer of the town of Deseronto is advertising for tenders for the purchase of \$25,013.66 worth of debentures.

Collingwood's town treasurer advertises for tenders for an issue of debentures, amounting to a considerable sum.

THREE years in the penitentiary was the sentence imposed upon George Ainsworth, who drove a Sherbrooke livery team to Rock Island and sold it to Ed. Audinwood. When Ainsworth appeared before the district magistrate he admitted having sold the team.

AT Lindsay, important improvements to the premises of the George Mathews Packing Company, Limited, are in progress. The chilling-room is increased in height, and enlarged by a building 30 feet by 60 feet; and an artificial ice-making plant will be installed.

ACCORDING to the Owen Sound Times, Messrs. Hay Bros., of the North American Bent Chair Co., handed the treasurer of that town, some days ago, a cheque for \$2,600, in re-payment of the first and second instalments of the loan made to the firm on its establishment, and interest.

THE Brandon Felt Factory was burned on the 10th instant; machinery worth \$15,000, stock worth \$5,000, and a building worth \$2,000 were a total loss. Insurances were, Quebec, \$3,500; Canadian, \$2,000; Mercantile, \$2,500; North American, \$2,000; Scottish Union and National, \$1,000.

A LIST of new buildings being erected in Rat Portage, is stated to amount in value to \$134,000. For example, the list includes schools, \$31,000; Post Office and Government buildings, \$25,000; an opera house, \$20,000; a church, \$12,000; two marine ships, and foundries, a pumping station, etc.

THE interest in tobacco-raising in Western Ontario continues. Those localities which have already grown the leaf successfully are very well satisfied with the result. Some interesting statements were made last week in Toronto by local members for North and South Essex, Messrs. W. J. McKee and J. A. Auld. The latter gentleman made the estimate, and apparently the former concurred with him, that in Essex and Kent there are 6,000 acres planted in tobacco, and yielding not less than 1,500 lbs. to the acre. This means a total of 4,500 tons, or 9,000,000 lbs. It is estimated that the crop alone will be worth from \$1,000,000 to \$1,250,000. "The Canadian leaf is being very largely used for plug tobacco and cheap cigars by the Montreal and other Eastern manufacturers. George Tuckett & Sons, of Hamilton, are building a \$15,000 warehouse to handle the Canadian product alone. Altogether, our section expects to roll in wealth in a few months' time."

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