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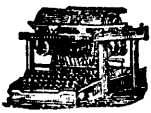
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**Mercantile Summary.**

THE liquidators of the Central Bank have removed their offices to the Queen City Buildings, No. 24 Church street, where they are making their distribution of cheques for a second dividend.

It is of importance to the building interests of the Pacific slope if true that red granite, similar to Scotch granite, is found in an extensive vein, side by side with the grey granite, of the C. P. R. quarries at the North Arm of Burrard Inlet, near Vancouver.

At Bridgewater, on the Lahave River, some fifty miles west of Halifax, another brick of gold, weighing 255 ounces and worth over \$5,000, was shown from the Malaga Mining Company's property; it was the result of eleven and a half days' crushing.

THE exports from Sherbrooke to the United States for the quarter ended with September were of the value of \$299,393, as compared with \$270,570 in the same period of 1887. The increase is mostly in steel rails for the short line of railway in Maine. Asbestos forms quite an item in the exports, the largest item, indeed, its value being \$111,872, representing 1,543 tons. The next item is that of lumber, \$79,209; then sheep and lambs, \$39,968. Other articles were hemlock bark, 1,852 cords, \$9,125; copper ore, 18½ tons, \$1,000; hides, \$4,072; horses, \$3,363; lime, \$5,566; pulp, 521,723 lbs., \$13,592; steel rails, 1,140 tons, \$25,228.

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**E. A. TOSHACK & CO., TORONTO****Mercantile Summary.**

In two weeks ended with Oct. 23rd, the shipments of merchandise from the Customs port of Summerside, P.E.I., amounted in value to \$63,176. They consisted of horses to the value of \$11,300; cattle, sheep, and lambs, \$7,373; oysters (4,614 brls.) \$9,228; oats (52,614 bushels), \$16,819; eggs, hides, starch, butter, wool, potatoes, &c. The shipments from the outports amounted to \$7,384 from Tignish, \$3,030 from Alberton, \$960 from Malpeque, while from Summerside proper they were of the value of \$51,802.

In the Summerside Journal of 25th ult., consisting of forty columns, to which size we observe that lively paper has now grown, we find a description by an Alberton, P.E.I., merchant of a trip thence to Toronto: "There were eight of us one evening at the Victoria Hotel, St. John, N.B. All merchants—in ways great and small—and hailing from Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Amherst, Yarmouth, Kensington, Murray Harbor, and Alberton. Next morning we took the 'Flying Yankee' for Portland, where we changed cars for Montreal. Here we put up at the St. Lawrence Hall. We drove around, up the mountain, &c. Leaving Montreal, we arrived at Toronto \* \* \* next morning. Here we spent four days visiting a number of the large wholesale dealers, among them the establishments of John Macdonald & Co. and McMaster, Darling & Co., also the Exhibition. \* \* \* After leaving Montreal, returning,

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where they called on some wholesale dealers, our party separated, branching off for different parts. Then I made my way home again to resume work in our own beautiful village of Alberton."

ABOUT a week ago the town of Morrisburg voted a bonus of \$25,000 toward the erection in that place of a paper mill, which we understand is to be under the control of Mr. W. J. Gage, of this city. We have always contended that the system of bonusing by municipalities is unsound and, under the most favorable circumstances, disappointing for all the parties interested, and we fear that, in this instance, the town will be a long time in deriving the benefit expected from the liberal vote granted. We shall be much surprised to learn that the above-named gentleman, who has the credit of being shrewd and wide-awake to his own interest, has invested much of his means in the enterprise. Because he too well knows how badly demoralized the paper trade now is, with not only home, but German, English, and American competition. The price of paper has never been so low in Canada as to-day. It is a significant fact that a paper mill, somewhat farther East, had made arrangements, when erecting its building, by which its capacity could be doubled when needed. Although this change could be made at a very small cost, the proprietors of the mill have never yet taken the step, thinking that the outlook did not justify the small additional investment.

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