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## Mercantile Summary.

FALL RIVER mills are endeavoring to devise means of reducing production to relieve the stagnation of the print cloth market.

MR. P. S. ROSS, the well-known and experienced Montreal assignee and accountant, has taken his sons into partnership, and in future his business will be carried on under the name of P. S. ROSS & SONS.

GLOUCESTER fishermen say that fish, like moths, are attracted by light, and taking advantage of this theory, have found that an electric light supplied from a dynamo in the boat and suspended at mouth of the net, makes the most effectual bait they have yet used.

THE sugar factory at West Farnham, Que., is sombre and silent. It is said that new blood and new capital will soon be infused into it and that it will be reopened as a refinery pure and simple. As a refinery it might pay, but, in the opinion of a correspondent of the Montreal News, as a factory to convert beet into sugar it cannot.

THE steamers Beaver and Rimouski, now call regularly at Mabou, Cape Breton, to the great convenience of the people of Mabou, Broad Cove, Lake Ainalie, and points North. The trade between that part of the County of Inverness and Pictou is likely to be largely increased by the coming of these steamers to Mabou.

MR. R. H. HOLBROOK, of Springfield, Vt., writes: I was born and brought up on a farm, but have been in the manufacturing business for 22 years. Now, if I was going to write on any one subject relating to farming, the first subject and one I deem most important of all would be—teaching boys to love the farm—the way to teach them to be farmers and to like it.

MR. CHARLES STEWART PEIRCE one of the oldest and best known citizens of St. Johns, Que., passed quietly to his long rest last week, after a long illness. Along his father the late Jason C. Peirce, the deceased was identified with the earliest commercial interest of St. John. In the earlier years of his life Mr. Peirce was a large forwarding and commission merchant, a miller and dealer in grain, lumber, etc.

ACCORDING to the Winnipeg Free Press of Saturday last, the Emerson commissioners, Judge Ardagh and Mr. E. P. Leacock, M. P. F., held an informal meeting in the office of the former yesterday, and discussed with the manager of the Merchants Bank and a representative of the Federal the financial affairs of that city. The Merchants Bank has claims amounting to \$40,000 and the Federal \$170,000 against Emerson. The commission will make a searching enquiry into the affairs of the city and prepare a statement of its liabilities and assets, so that a satisfactory basis of liquidation may be arrived at.