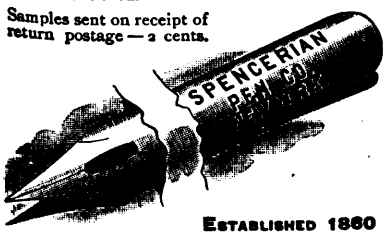


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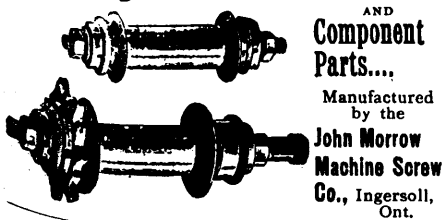
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A WELL known Toronto man, Mr. John Dunlop Hay, of the Davidson & Hay Co., limited, died suddenly on Monday. He was one of the most popular of the younger generation of business men.

THE grape crop of Pelee Island was a very heavy one this year. The fruit was all gathered before the frosts, and will be mostly used for making wine. Growers secured from \$12 to \$16 per ton for the grapes.

THE Western Stock Growers' Association have decided that it is expedient that an amendment to the North-west hides ordinance be introduced, making it compulsory that all stock must be inspected by a hide inspector before they are shipped from or driven out of the district.

THE past season has been an unprofitable one for Canadian shippers of cattle to England. Mr. A. J. Thompson, one of Canada's largest cattle exporters, tells the Montreal Herald that he intends to give the Argentine trade a trial, and with that object in view, he has gone to Buenos Ayres, under the belief that the cattle trade between the Argentine and England is going to show a marked improvement. Mr. Sheridan will continue to look after the Canadian end of the business.

THE fifth ordinary general meeting of the Acadia Sugar Refinery Company is to be held in Halifax on December 2nd. The report for the year ending Sept. 30, 1897, says that the business of the year has resulted in a loss of \$21,082.19, which was due to continued depression in trade, extreme competition, and a further decline in the value of sugars. The balance at debit of profit and loss at the close of last year was \$68,354.24, to which has been added the present year's loss, making the amount at the debit of this account \$89,436.43, which is carried forward. The insurance on the property destroyed and damaged by fire at Moncton was duly collected by the Eastern Trust Company, as mortgagees, and the amount, with accrued interest, \$59,198.57, is held by them, as shown in the financial statement. The efficiency of the refiners at Woodside and Richmond has been fully maintained.

HERE are some Montreal embarrassments: E. F. G. Daniel, druggist, has filed consent to assign, showing liabilities of \$4,430.—Aristide Belair, contractor, proposes a compromise at 50 cents cash.—W. B. Morris, bicycle dealer, is also seeking a compromise arrangement with creditors.—The liabilities of Cusson & Leduc, cigar dealers and manufacturers in a small way, are larger than anticipated, footing up some \$8,900. They have assigned to the court.—Eugene Montbriand, a small tailor, has assigned.—Paul Desjardins, who has for many years done a fair-sized suburban dry goods trade, on Western Notre Dame street, has of late been showing signs of retrogression. He some years ago sank a good deal of his capital in bricks and mortar, and has of late evidently felt the departmental store competition. He has now assigned, and is estimated to owe \$15,000.

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