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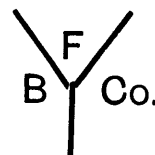
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## Mercantile Summary.

THE business of the Grand Trunk Railway at  
Sherbrooke for the month of August last, amount-  
ed to \$21,239.95, an increase of \$5,027.96 over  
the receipts for the same month last year.

THE village of Cowansville gets along with  
an assessment of one mill in the dollar for  
municipal purposes. The valuation of the real  
estate according to the *Observer*, is \$259,400;  
other taxable property, \$6,100; property exempt  
from taxation, \$20,000. Total \$285,500.

A PLOT of land, three or four acres in extent,  
close to the railway, has been purchased, on  
which to erect the Windsor, N. S. Cotton Fac-  
tory. The brick and stone necessary have been  
engaged and the foundation begun, and super-  
structure is to be undertaken before winter sets  
in.

THE Great Western Railroad Company appears  
to have got ahead of the ticket "scalpers." The  
excursion tickets they issue do not bear the  
name of the station from which they were issued,  
but the place is indicated by a number, the key  
to which is in the possession of the conductor  
only.

A widow in Philadelphia who keeps a shoe store  
owns a parrot which repeatedly cries: "Say,  
come over here and buy some shoes." This  
amused the passers-by, but two rival shoe deal-  
ers on the other side of the street thought the  
parrot was alluring away their trade by his oft-  
repeated entreaties, and they brought suit against  
the widow and caused her to be bound over in  
the sum of \$500 on the charge of maintaining a  
nuisance. And still the parrot cries: "Say,  
come over here and buy some shoes."