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### Enercantile Summary.

THE Belleville Street Railway has been sold to Messrs. Taylor Bros. of this city.

MESSES. Eickell & Wickett are going to build a tannery in this city near the mouth of the Don, and the Council has promised to exempt the property from taxation for a term of five years.

For a city the size of Winnipeg, property seems to be excessively dear. A lot having a frontage of 160 feet on Main street, with a depth of 264 and some buildings valued at about \$10,000, has been sold for \$110,000.

THE firm of J. C. Stuart & Co., dealers in wall paper in this city, has been dissolved by the retirement of Mr. Stuart. He is succeeded by J. S. Henderson, and the future style will be Mullen, Henderson & Co.

THE Customs receipts at the port of St. John, N.B, for the past twelve months were \$921,250, and the number of entries was 23,552. These figures are below those of 1873-4, 1874-5, 1876-7 and 1877-8, says the St. John Globe.

Mr. R. L. Hunter, a manufacturer of fanning mills at Lucknow has assigned in trust. Lack of capital is the principal cause of his embarrassment; and he was compelled to seek outside assistance. A meeting of his creditors was held on the 5th, inst.