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Mercantile Summary.

A. W. Oliver, a manufacturer of vinegar on a small scale in London, has failed.

Jas. Cullen, furniture, Rodney, and Chas. E. Smith, shoes, Udora, are small traders who have failed since our last issue.

THE total number of alewives caught and pickled in the vicinity of St. John, N.B., this season was 2,785 barrels. The number smoked will bring the total catch up to about 4,000 barrels.

In the town of Seaforth, J. W. Miller, who kept a men's furnishing store, has assigned with liabilities of \$3,000 and assets \$1,400. This is the rather unsatisfactory result of two years' trial, and Mr. Miller has, evidently, not the courage to face it, for we are told that he has left the place.

As a sample industry of part of New Bruns. wick, we note that one personiat Edmunston has bought and shipped no less than three hundred and twenty-seven tons of strawberries. raspberries, and blueberries up to date, the value of which, paid for in cash, was \$30,000. This money was a blessing to the poor people inhabiting that district of country.

THE Bradford Witness thus describes a hay industry in that town: A new industry which is assuming large proportions is the cutting and twisting of marsh hay for the purpose of mattress making. On the extensive marsh bordering on both sides of our Holland River many men are now engaged cutting and stacking this hay, which grows without any cultivation. The business is remunerative, as the only outlay is that incident to cutting, storing, and twisting, which costs from \$6 to 8.00 a ton. When put up in marketable shape it sells from \$12 to 20.00 a ton.

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