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Mercantile Summary.

BELLEVILLE citizens have expended \$92,000
on new buildings this year.

The first regular train over the New York,
Chicago and St. Louis, known as the "Nickel
Plate," Railroad left Chicago at 8 o'clock Mon-
day morning for Cleveland, and the road is
formally declared open for business.

THE Provincial Government of Quebec has
entered suits for the collection of the new tax
imposed by the Government, against the Grand
Trunk, Canadian Pacific, Southeastern and
Montreal, and Portland and Boston railways.
The amounts vary from \$1,000 to \$7,000.

BELLEVILLE granted \$150,000 in aid of the
Grand Junction Railway Company, in the belief
that the Railway would be a benefit to the city.
Now the citizens complain that, since the road
became part of the Midland system it discrimin-
ates against Belleville.

THE street car has made its appearance in
Winnipeg and passengers may ride along Main
Street, upon a payment of ten cents, from the
Assiniboine river to the market. This city is
ahead of all other Canadian cities in one respect.
Its Main Street is lighted by electricity.

A COMPANY is being formed at Plessisville,
Que., to carry on a foundry, and to manufacture
waggons, carriages &c. A charter is being
applied for under the style of the Plessisville
foundry, the capital to be \$50,000 in shares of
\$100. The Hon. Senator Mercier signs as one
of the first directors.

NOTICE is given that an application will be
made to the Quebec Government, for letters
patent incorporating the Colonial Company,
organized to make chocolate coffee &c., the
principal place of business to be at Montreal,
and the capital \$50,000. The names of Messrs.
E. A. Genereux, J. G. Laviolette, L. H. Massue,
T. E. Normand and Alexis Dubord are given as
those of the first directors.

A LETTER received from the States, written by
a young Canadian, says: "Canadian druggists,
that is, graduates of the Ontario College of
Pharmacy, are looked upon as A 1 men, in the
States, and a graduate coming from Canada has
no difficulty in getting a position in a drug house
over here. My only objection is that employers
work their men from 14 to 16 hours per day.
They pay you well but work you hard; and of
course they require you to be competent."

A farm of 100 acres has just been purchased
near Essex Centre, in the county of Essex, by
Mr. A. Wright, on which he will erect a sugar
factory, the farm to be used for growing sorghum
or sugar cane. For many years this cane has
been grown in Essex, and syrup made from it.
Mr. Wright's plan will be to buy out the cane
from all the farmers who may grow it, and pay
cash for it on the spot, so that farmers can
market it like any other article, without waiting
to go on the share system.