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# Mercantile Summary.

THE revised assessment of Toronto for the present year shows a total value of \$62,160,184.

THE total assessment of Brantford is \$3,931,170, against \$3,701,200 last year. A gain of six per cent.

THE New Brunswick Red Granite Company met on the 7th of May, at the works in Carleton when the following were elected directors:—J. W. Lawrence, President, F. T. O. Burpee, James Harris, E. Fisher, J. C. Robertson, B. H. Appleby and Charles E. Burpee.

THE Annapolis Spectator says that counterfeit \$20 bills of the People's Bank of New Brunswick are in circulation in Nova Scotia. They are made out of \$1 bills of that bank, having the figures of \$20, probably cut from the Commercial College notes, pasted neatly over each corner.

THE steamers Magnet and Spartan so long known as of the Richelieu and Ontario line, between Hamilton and Montreal, have been sold to ply on Georgian Bay, we understand, in connection with the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway, and the Owen Sound Steam Navigation Co.

A. BERNIER, storekeeper of St. Pie Que., has assigned in trust to two of his Montreal creditors who have sent out a man to investigate matters. His creditors met last week and he then shewed liabilities of \$5,074, assets \$2,504. Creditors do not seem inclined to accept an offer of compromise.

E. ALAIN, of Champlain, Que., who last spring compromised liabilities of about \$4,000 at 85 cents is again in trouble and assigned to L. J. Lefavre. It would be astonishing if Mr. Alain gets credit again he first failed in 1869, and was again unsuccessful in 1880, in addition to the two occasions noted above.

AN Ottawa grocery firm, Bambrick & Wall, has assigned. They have shown a disposition to go into outside ventures, and also to credit too freely, which no doubt accounts, to a certain extent anyway, for their failure.—M. Quinn, a hotel-keeper of the same city, is in the sheriff's hands an execution having issued upon a claim in favor of a Toronto brewing concern.

DANIEL FRASER, a well-known hotel-keeper and general trader, at Metapedia, Que., who last fall was unable to provide for his liabilities of some \$19,000 has assigned. He shows a considerable nominal surplus, but largely locked up in fishing rights, timber limits and other assets of a like unrealizable character. His troubles are mainly due to an unchecked tendency to speculate and invest in this class of property. Mr. Fraser is one of the oldest and most popular residents of the section.