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Mercantile Summary.

It is stated that ten vessels will be ready for launching at various points on Mahone Bay, N. S. in the spring.

THE *Eastern Chronicle* understands that Mr. C. W. Ives has resigned the agency at Pictou, of the Merchants' Bank of Halifax.

Two steamers arrived at St. John, N. F., from the ice fields on Saturday last with 52,000 seals, worth nearly two hundred thousand dollars.

The first sheet of paper made in the mills of the Toronto Paper Company here, says the *Cornwall Reporter*, was turned out on Thursday night about half past ten. The paper was beautifully white and in every respect satisfactory.

BROWN & PEASLEY, store-keepers and manufacturers of hosiery of Lawrenceville, Que., have assigned in trust. They have in the past been slow of payments and of late several judgments have been recorded against them. These have brought about the assignment.

An express train, westward bound, arriving at New Glasgow, N. S., last week, brought between 200 and 300 passengers, mostly from Cape Breton and eastern Nova Scotia. Part of them were bound for Manitoba, where they are engaged for railroad work, and some are going to the United States.

The catch of seals appears to be turning out well, almost every steamer heard from having a full cargo. The safe arrival of the steamer *Bear*, from the fisheries, with a valuable cargo of 31,000 young harps was telegraphed on Monday. This steamer was reported in the New York press as lost. Her cargo is valued at about \$80,000.

A DEALER in groceries and dry goods at Parrsboro, named J. W. Quigg, April-fooled some of his creditors by running away on the 1st instant. His stock is found to be transferred to local parties, and unless these can be made to disgorge there is nothing left for other claimants. Thompson Smith is now in possession.

It is stated by the *Portage la Prairie Tribune*, as giving an idea of the extent to which farming operations are carried on in that vicinity, that during 1882, most of the firms sold all the machinery they could get in, and could have sold a great deal more if they had it on hand, or if it had been at all possible for them to furnish the machines. The aggregate value of the machinery sold was \$350,000. Of the leading implements there were sold the following numbers:—Self-binders, 193; reapers, 44; mowers, 275; horse rakes, 220; wagons, 318; threshers, 80.