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**Mercantile Summary.**

S. T. EASTON, an Ottawa forwarder, is reported embarrassed, and owes some \$13,000, with assets some \$5,000 less.

A CAREFULLY compiled estimate gives the number of logs that were borne down the Moira this year as 600,000.

PLENTY of sleep is conducive to good looks in either man or woman; "even a garment looks worn when it loses its nap," says the *Binghamton Republican*.

SIXTEEN carloads, numbering about 500 head, of young steers arrived in Calgary from Ontario on the 19th inst. They are part of a contract of 5,000 for the Quorn Ranch.

THE shareholders of Liebig's Extract of Meat Company rejoice at making last year the largest profits in the history of the company, i.e. £126,678. Cheap cattle was the principal cause of this prosperity.

THREE score correspondents of the *Ottawa Journal* (probably in the Ottawa Valley mostly) report too much rain, but the wet not desperate. Grain excellent everywhere, and other crops good.

JUDGE: "You are sentenced to hard labor for two years; have you anything further to say?"

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**E. A. TOSHACK & CO., TORONTO****Mercantile Summary.**

WHAT is said by an Ottawa paper to be the first genuine phosphate sale of the season took place last week at Buckingham. Mr. Angus McMillan sold his phosphate mine to an American syndicate for \$20,000 cash.

WHY does, asks the *Rochester Post-Express*, the shoemaker wear old shoes and the tailor ill-fitting clothes? Why does the lawyer get into legal complications, and the business man make a failure of business? That is one of the prize conundrums of the century, and like the north pole, has to be given up.

AMONG the curiosities of commerce at New York last week was the unloading of a lot of copper ore from the bark "Iceberg." This ore, says the *Times*, had been transported from the copper mines in Montana, on this side of the Rocky Mountains, to San Francisco, and thence by the "Iceberg" hither. It will be taken to France.

WILLIAM E. HOWARD, "the electric sugar sharp," was found guilty in the Court of General Sessions, New York, of grand larceny in the first degree on the second count of the indictment, which charged him with taking \$6,500 from the Electric Sugar Refining Company by means of false pretences. He was sent to jail for ten years.

ACTING under instructions from Mr. E. R. C. Clarkson, Messrs. Suckling, Cassidy & Co. will, on Monday next, offer at auction, in this

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city, the bankrupt stock of Brown Bros. & Son, general dealers, whose failure has been noted in these columns. The stock at Keenansville is invoiced at \$1,541; at Schomberg, \$4,998; and at Tottenham, \$4,865.

MR. EUGENE W. VILLENEUVE has been admitted to an interest in the wholesale grocery business of J. O. Villeneuve, Montreal. The firm style will be J. O. Villeneuve & Co. — Mr. Olivier Thibadeau has become a partner in the firm of Isadore Thibadeau & Co., wholesale dry goods merchants, Montreal.

A. GAUDET & Co., a retail shoe concern in Montreal, is reported failed, owing \$2,109. Mr. Gaudet has been unsuccessful before several times, the last time in 1886, when he compromised at 25 cents. — A. Hardy & Co., a Montreal firm dealing in fish and provisions, have assigned. They owe \$1,962. — J. L. Gascon, a grocer in the same city, has failed, owing \$4,045.

OUT of a staff of thirty-seven at the head office of the Imperial Bank, Mr. George Pyke, accountant, and the messenger are the only married men. It was not on account of this "co-ingular singulence" that the rest of the staff presented Mr. Pyke with a handsome dinner set, silver tea service, and clock on the occasion of his marriage, but because he is an all-round good fellow, as well liked as he is deserving.

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