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Mercantile Summary.

THE Georgian Bay Navigation Company,
Limited, is incorporated in Ontario; capital,
\$20,000.

A SHOE merchant at London, W. H. Tallman
by name, has secured a settlement with his
creditors at the rate of forty cents in the dollar.

By supplementary letters patent the capital
stock of the Toronto Paper Manufacturing
Company has been increased from \$250,000 to
\$300,000.

LOCAL improvement debentures of Chatham,
Ont., to the value of \$15,396 96 have been sold
to ex-Ald. Marx, his tender being the highest;
\$16,111.50 was realized on the sale.

THE assignment is reported from Ottawa of
Macdonald Bros., dealers in men's furnishings,
etc., with liabilities of some \$7,000, partly
secured by chattel mortgage. The firm started
some few years ago with fair prospects, but
have been somewhat unfortunate. They were
burned out in the fall of 1896, when they com-
promised unsecured liabilities at 10 cents cash,
and some months ago they also arranged an
extension.

MR. JAMES GOLDIE, the well-known Guelph
merchant miller, has issued a circular announc-
ing that the business carried on by him for the
past thirty-eight years will from 1st July be
continued under the style and firm of "The
James Goldie Company, Limited." He has
associated with him his four sons, John Goldie,
James Owen Goldie, Roswell Goldie and
Lincoln Goldie, who have all taken an active
part in the management for the past few years.
Mr. James Goldie is president of the company
and Mr. Roswell Goldie secretary-treasurer.

M. E. THORNTON, of Rockland, N.B., who
has had a varied experience as a hotel keeper,
implement agent, pedlar and storekeeper, all
within a very few years, is seeking a composi-
tion from creditors at the rate of 15 cents in
the dollar, liabilities being about \$3,000. It
was only last year he started as a storekeeper.
—N. C. Rand, of Moncton, N.B., formerly
kept a cigar store, which he abandoned a year
ago to go into boots and shoes. He is now
reported an absentee. The stock and other
assets appear to have been sold for ready cash
or notes, the latter being discounted.

THE Merchants' Association of New York has
issued this week a circular stating that certain
cities pay the expenses of merchants who buy
there. Their railroads discriminate in favor of
those cities. Other cities are favored by differ-
ential freight rates, and their export trade is
increasing, while New York's is decreasing. It
is pointed out that the terminal charges on
grain are five cents a bushel more in New York
than in other ports. The bank clearings tell
the story that New York is losing trade:—

	1890.	1897.
New York . . .	\$37,660,686,572	\$31,337,760,948
Boston	5,102,281,307	4,952,927,911
Philadelphia . .	2,755,523,735	3,106,510,779
Chicago	3,907,046,008	4,318,121,413
St. Louis	1,094,037,686	1,293,701,962

New York's banking business shrank 33 per
cent. from 1892 to 1894, while Chicago's shrank
only 14 per cent. Every other city but New
York has fully recovered from the shrinkage.
New York has not recovered half its losses!
The causes are artificial discriminations, which
can be beaten down by proper effort. So the
association proposes to beat it down. It has
now 1,200 members who pay \$25 each. At least
10,000 firms are directly concerned in its work.
The annual dues are \$25. Those who do not
wish to become members are invited to make
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