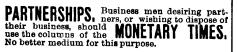
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THE capital of the Mercer Company, of Alliston, is \$180,000.

THE wage-earners of Great Britain are about 13,000,000 in number.

"A MAN'S deeds live after him." So do his mortgages .- Columbus Post.

MR. JAS. S. EVANS, head of the clothing firm of J. S. Evans & Co., Montreal, died on Satur. day last after a long illness.

WHAT is thought to be the largest flag in the United States floats over a factory in Chicopee, Mass. It measures 41 by 71 feet.

S. J. HESSIX, of Annapolis, N.S., has shipped about 1,500 rabbits to Bangor, Me., within a week, and has about 1,000 more ready.

A TELEGRAM from Halifax dated 17th instant, says that the notes of the Farmers' Bank of Rustico, P. E. I., are being refused by the Charlottetown banks.

WHEN you borrow money you borrow trouble, but at the same time you sometimes increase the trouble of the fellow who lends it to you .- Somerville Journal.

MR. J. D. ANDERSON, late of the wholesale dry goods firm of Struthers, Anderson & Co., London, Ont., has purchased the banking business of Reid & Elliot, Essex, and will take possession in a few days.



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THE firm of Prior & Matthews, of Victoria, founded we believe in 1889, is to be incorporated under the name of E. G. Prior & Co., Ld. Liability, with a capital stock of \$250,000. Col. Prior, G. F. Matthews and G. W. Wynne are the trustees.

SINCE the death of Mr. William Cassils, one of the directors and long the president of the Dominion Transport Co., Mr. Charles Cassils, of the manufacturing firm Cochrane, Cassils & Co., Montreal, has been appointed a member of the board of that company.

Officers were elected as under at the last meeting of the Windsor Grocers' Association : President, James F. Smith; vice president, John Spiers; secretary, B. G. Davis; treasurer, Alex. Black; guard, Nelson Stevens; board of directors, Messrs. Pequegnot, Meloche, Hawkins, Lajeunesse and Chauvin.

It has been decided in Massachusetts that if a hotelkeeper supplies a guest with milk not up to the standard required by law, he can be held responsible for it. This is the finding of the full bench of the Supreme Court in an opinion just sent down in the case of the Commonwealth v. Henry P. Vieth, restaurant keeper. Mr. Vieth was summoned before the municipal court for supplying defective milk, and his case went up



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through the successive court stages to the highest tribunal in the State.

Following is an exact copy of a circular sent out by an enterprising merchant of Tokio to his customers:

Tokio, Skitshichome, Ichibanchy. SIR !

Man haf it say to me that many my chapman and female customer are desiring my Soda Water Maschine rigt to comprehend-for it-i allow me the honour to making Avis to Tokio Resident! that i, the undersing, the maschine at 5 o'clock on Saturday 30th inst. will detailing explicitemently in the Englishlanguage ant prey that the presence all person interestit.

REFERRING to the dissolution of Messrs. Ed. ward Earl & Company, of Montreal, mentioned in our last, we are requested to make the explanation that Edward Earl was the only general partner in that business. J. Widmer Nelles and R. Campbell Nelles were special partners only; they retired from the firm on 1st January, and Edward Earl continues the business. We are told that the only business carried on in Montreal of which Messrs. J. Widmer Nelles and R. Campbell Nelles are sole partners is the one they carry on as manu. facturers' agents and general merchants under the name J. Widmer Nelles & Brother.

