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BUSINESS NOTES.

Gingras & Cie have registered as contractors and builders at St. Ignace, Que. Corriveau & Lockerbie, plumbers, Ed-

Corriveau & Lockerbie, plumbers, Edmonton, N. W. T., recently suffered loss by fire.

The property of Milton J. Ruhland, carpenter and builder, Halifax, N. S., is advertised to be sold by the sheriff on October 19th. An Ontario charter has been granted to the McLennan Paint & Color Company, Limited, Hamilton, with a share capital of \$100,000. The provincial directors are: C. J. McLennan, C. A. Birge, W. H. Kestin, Frank A. Lane, and Andrew Dadge.

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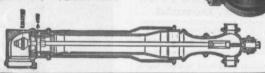
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