

of extending the water works system; also to cover the cost of construction of sewers on several of the streets.

The ratepayers of Stratford, Ont., will vote on a by-law to provide \$56,000 for stone sewers.

The Empire Gas and Construction Co., New York, have been awarded the contract for the construction of a municipal gas plant at Guelph, Ont., at a cost of \$65,000.

At Perth, Ont., the town council has passed a by-law providing for the issue of debentures amounting to \$20,000 to complete the sewerage system in that place.

The city council of Montreal recently appointed three experts: Manager Pearson, of the Consumers' Gas Company, Toronto; F. Giroux, a French engineer; and E. Belanger, to consider the advisability of establishing a city gas plant.



TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE

A new telephone line has been built between Canifton and Wallbridge.

The Moose Jaw Telephone Co., Moose Jaw, Sask., are laying several long distance lines.

The Saskatchewan Telephone Co., Saskatoon, Sask., are preparing to build long distance lines to several adjacent towns.

The Moose Jaw Telephone Co., Moose Jaw, Sask., are installing a Kelllogg switchboard, when the long distance line between that place and Regina will be completed.

The ratepayers of the town of Dauphin, Man., have voted in favor of the establishment of a municipal telephone service, which will be installed during the coming winter.

A telephone line has lately been completed by the Bell Telephone Co. between St. Angele de Laval and Gentilly. This means that there is now a direct line between Three Rivers and Gentilly, which also connects with the intermediate villages of St. Angele de Laval and Becancour.

The Winnipeg Board of Trade has decided to agitate for the installation of a municipal telephone system, unless a perceptible improvement is immediately made in the Bell Company's present service.



NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Ontario.—The Pembroke Electric Light Co. has increased its capital from \$50,000 to \$150,000.

The Hart Corundum Wheel Co., Hamilton, \$75,000; G. E. Webb, C. S. Wilcox, H. E. Sherk, F. H. Whitton, A. S. Devine, Hamilton; and C. D. Warren, Toronto.

The Canadian Oil Refining Co., Toronto, \$100,000; J. F. Hollis, T. H. Wilson, W. P. Bull, T. H. Hamilton, A. M. O'Brien, Toronto.

The Canadian Oil and Waste Saving Machine Co., Brockville, \$50,000; F. E. Clays, W. S. Buell, J. H. Botsford, G. H. Mallory, I. M. Braniff, Brockville; to manufacture machinery for separating oil waste and other materials.

The Standard Silver and Cobalt Mining Co., New Liskeard, \$40,000; J. Armstrong, G. Warrell, J. Sharpe, E. F. Stephenson, and W. N. Cameron, New Liskeard.

The Brakehurst Oil Co., Sarnia, \$100,000; G. M. Trefts, Buffalo, N.Y.; H. H. Cooper, Jamestown, N.Y.; J. W. Brake, J. H. Cooper, Sarnia, and J. Ferguson, London.

The Blanch River Mining Co., New Liskeard, \$40,000; J. Pearce, J. Dawson, J. Adair, G. S. Royce, S. Greenwood, A. I. Ritchie, E. T. Ord, New Liskeard.

The Rothschild Cobalt Co., Haileybury, \$500,000; M. Rothschild, H. M. J. Rothschild, New Liskeard; J. McKay, W. H. Hearst, J. L. Darling, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

The Robertson Machinery Co., Welland, \$40,000; A. Robertson, C. H. Hanson, G. W. Sutherland, B. J. McCormick, H. W. McCoomb, Welland; to manufacture and deal in machinery, engines, etc.

The Federal Electric Construction Co., Brantford, \$40,000; J. Ellis, York township; G. H. Kilmer, W. H. Irving, C. W. Laker, and N. Boynes, Toronto; to manufacture electric motors, dynamos, electrical machinery, etc.

Chapmans, Limited, Toronto, \$80,000; A. Chapman, W. Chapman, G. A. Chapman, E. W. Trent, F. M. Chapman, and R. J. Aikins. To manufacture ice tools and machinery.

The Port Colborne-Welland Natural Gas and Oil Co., Port Colborne, \$50,000; J. H. Smith, T. F. White, J. W. McCoppen, S. H. Glasgow, W. H. Best, Welland; L. Burnbull, F. K. Brown, Township of Humberstone, Ont.

The Sublime Hygienic Cement Flooring Co., Toronto, \$50,000; L. P. Scarrone, L. D. Negro, P. Venier, U. Corsi, L. V. McBrady, J. Murphy, Toronto.

The Coleman Development Co., Haileybury, \$300,000; J. F. Gillies, R. R. Little, Haileybury; J. McKay, Sault Ste. Marie; J. F. Hope McCarthy and W. E. Moore, Toronto.

V. J. Hedden & Sons Co., Toronto, \$100,000; R. W. Berliner, H. C. Whitten, D. R. Gillie, H. W. Ivor, J. G. Coveny, Toronto. To carry on business as general building contractors.

The Northern Exploration Co., Haileybury, \$100,000; F. M. Perry, S. D. Lauder, A. W. Ballantyne, M. H. Ludwig, Toronto; A. C. Boyce, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

Standard Power Gas Construction Corporation, Toronto, \$100,000; F. Ford, B. Osler, G. C. Loveys, J. F. H. McCarthy, J. M. Ewing, Toronto.

The Pre-Payment Electric Meter Co., Peterborough, \$100,000; A. A. Hollingshead, W. Hamilton, J. H. Larmouth, J. H. McClellan, A. Parker, A. J. McClellan, Peterborough. To manufacture all kinds of electric fans, motors, meters, etc.

The Boiler Flue Cleaner and Supply Co., Toronto, \$100,000; A. C. Buell, Buffalo; C. E. Adams, London; T. H. Wark, D. W. Livingstone, Toronto; E. Wilson, Hamilton.

Standard Bolt and Screw Co., Toronto, \$40,000; T. Clark, Buffalo, N.Y.; A. A. Dickson, P. S. McKergow, J. Jennings, H. Millar, Toronto.

Mathews Steamship Co., \$250,000, Toronto; A. E. Mathews, R. S. D. Taylor, W. B. Raymond, F. Ford and B. Osler, Toronto.

The Grand River Metal Works, of Galt, and the Canada Steel Goods Co. have amalgamated under the latter name with a capital of \$115,000; Hamilton J. S. Ainslie, R. O. Y. Ainslie, Comber; A. F. Hatch, Toronto; A. Ludlam, A. G. Moffat, J. D. Ainslie, Leamington; J. S. Wardlaw, C. Cumming and G. Hancock, Galt.

Dominion.—"Marbelite," Limited, Montreal, \$20,000; L. N. Benjamin, A. B. Keiffer, J. B. Benjamin, Lachine; H. G. Lajoie, P. Lacoste, Montreal. To deal in all kinds of cement, artificial stone, etc.

The Sovereign Construction Company, Montreal, \$1,000,000; W. Cook, M. O'Meare, Montreal; H. Kennedy, M. Kennedy, Quebec; E. Dussault, Levis; L. M. Aldrich, Waterdown, N.Y.; and M. P. McGrath, Worcester, Mass. To carry on business as general contractors.

The Hill Electric Switch Co. has increased its capital from \$10,000 to \$45,000.

The Northern Construction Co. has been changed to the "Federal Construction Co."

The Kildare Mining Co., \$100,000; Ottawa; W. W. G. Bronson, R. N. Slater, J. D. Courtenay, J. W. Woods, Hon. N. A. Belcourt, Ottawa.

The Automobile Import Co., \$20,000, Montreal; A. E. H. Crawford, F. R. Crombie, W. W. Skinner, R. C. Grant, G. G. Hyde, Montreal. To deal in all kinds of vehicles, pleasure boats, etc.

J. H. Conrad, Yukon Mines, \$100,000, Toronto; E. Bristol, E. Bayly, W. F. McRae, C. W. Mitchell and W. Kelly.

Standard Lime and Quarry Co., \$10,000, Joliette, Que.; J. O. Dupuis, J. N. Foucher, Montreal; J. E. Th  reault, J. Lafl  che and C. Noreau.