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Mercantile Summary.

THE fire brigade of Guelph has shown its wisdom in purchasing a good supply of new

THE bonus granting \$20,000 to the Whitby & Bobcaygeon Extension Railway was carried by the Township of Verulam, on Wednesday last.

THE by-law granting a bonus of \$1,000 to Mr. E. C. Palmer, to assist in erecting an oatmeal mill in Norwich, Ont., was voted on and carried by a majority of 48.

IT is reported that the President and Vice-President of the Passumpsic Railroad, have purchased Mr. Goff's interest in the Montreal, Portland and Boston Railway.

A WRIT of attachment has been issued against Messre. Morris & Brown, a Montreal tailoring firm. Heavy rent and dull trade, winds up a short career; liabilities \$3,000 or 4,000.

THE Hon. John Hamilton and Mr. E. A. Prentice, have entered separate actions against Sir Francis Hincks and the other directors of the Graphic Company for \$80,000 each.

MR. JOHN DEVANA, grocer of Kingston, has failed. His troubles originated about a year ago, by a barge he owned breaking one of the canal locks, which put him to considerable expense. Liabilities about \$4,000.

REPORTS received from the Newfoundland fisheries are rather favorable, the catch in some quarters, particularly the Bays of DeVerds and St. Mary's, being very large. From Cape Pine and vicinity fishermen are not doing so well.

THE schooner Julia Grace sailed from Halifax for Havre, with \$40,000 worth of canned lobsters. This is to be followed by the brig-Lorne, with a cargo of a similar amount. This is something of a new enterprise and we will be glad to hear of its success.

MR. W. A. Chamberlain, a general merchant of Plantagenet for the past fifteen years, and who for some time back has had hard work, has been compelled to assign, although claiming a good surplus. His liabilities amount to about five thousand dollars.