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A joint stock company is said to be in process of formation to work and develop the gold and silver mines held in the Beauce District.

A GANG of fifty shanty men, who have arrived in Quebec from Peterboro', report that lumbering is suspended in the latter district for the season, owing to the lack of snow in the bush.

THE ESTIMATED cost of the Berthier beet root sugar factory, to be established by the Union Sucrière, when fully equipped, is from \$250,000 to \$300,000. The Company also propose to start similar factories at St. Johns, St. Charles, and Quebec.

WE BELIEVE arrangements have been made for a new propeller line between Kingston and Montreal. Capt. Patterson of Kingston is one of the Company. The Africa and California, two Kingston boats, will be put on the line.

It is reported that a statement complaining of the onerousness and injustice of the Quebec mining laws will shortly be submitted to the Legislature.

JAMES W. CHEESEWRIGHT, druggist, of St. Thomas, Ont., left for Detroit a week or two ago ostensibly for the purpose of meeting a traveller there of whom he said he wished to purchase goods. He, however, has failed to return, and writs of attachment have been placed in the Sheriff's hands by several creditors. It is not expected that fifty cents on the dollar of his liabilities will be realized.

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G. A. Davidson, grocer and stationery dealer at Kentville, N.S., owes about \$2,500 with estimated assets of only \$1,200. It is not surprising, therefore, that he is offering to settle with his creditors at 25c in three and six months. His difficulty is attributed to want of business capacity.

NOT DETERRED by the large number of drug stores doing business in Brantford, Mr. A. Pickey is about to commence business in the same line, making the ninth firm in the drug trade. There is a possibility of the drug trade being overdone in Brantford.—The sale of the old paper mill on the Brantford canal and the water power in connection therewith presents a good opening for a manufacturing business.

THE MONTREAL TRANSPORTATION COMPANY has been doing a large business in Kingston, building and repairing barges, and numbers of mechanics are employed who in former winters were idle. It is found that the Kingston and Pembroke Railway is a great stimulus to ship building in that city, owing to the facilities it affords for bringing in timber from the back country. The Company is at present constructing a large barge of 40,000 bushels capacity.

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Messrs. Thibaudeau Bros. of this city are opening a branch dry goods house in Winnipeg, and supplying the clerical staff from the ranks in Montreal. Ives & Hall, tinsmiths, Coaticooke, Que., have dissolved, and will be succeeded in the business by Messrs. Hall & Pope. George Vaughan, general store, Weston, Ont., is closing up, prior to leaving the town. Bigelow & Trounce, saw and flour mills at Port Perry, have dissolved; Trounce continues in the business under the style of Wm. J. Trounce & Co.

WILLIAM H. CARTER, of Port Colborne, Ont., ship chandler, has had his store closed by the sheriff, who has taken possession of the goods and effects, which will be sold on the 8th day of March inst.—Messrs. McKay & Smith, of the same place, dealers in dry goods, clothing, gentlemen's furnishing goods and groceries, are also in difficulties, having been unable to meet certain engagements, and have assigned to Mr. F. Swayze, of Welland, in trust for the benefit of their creditors.

MR. L. H. BOULT, for several years past, assistant manager of the British America Fire Assurance Company of Toronto, has been appointed acting general manager in the place of Mr. F. A. Ball resigned. Mr. Boult has a favorable record, comprising a detailed acquaint-anceship with the theory and practice of fire underwriting on both sides of the Atlantic, in the United States as well as in Canada, and an