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THE traffic earnings of the C. P. R. for the week ending 21st December last were \$402,060, as compared with \$429,000 in the same period of 1891.

A "FIRE apparatus," costing \$1,600, has arrived at Stellarton, N. S., and been put up in the engine house. But the Eastern Chronicle does not tell us what sort of a fire apparatus it is.

THE Waterloo, Que., Wood Manufacturing Company has been formed. A building 60x140, two stories high, is being erected, and a New York firm is to take the output of the factory for the South American trade.

A GROUP of gentlemen in Sherbrooke have been incorporated under letters patent under the name of the Royal Corset Company; capital stock, \$20,000. Messrs. Gaboury, bank manager, McManning, Cormier and Oliver, merchants, are in it.

A company is applying for a franchise to build gas works to supply St. John's, Que., and the neighboring town of Iberville; it asks the sole right for twenty years, a free site for the works and exemption from taxes. At this rate the towns named had better ask to be made sharers in the company's success.

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mercantile Summary.

THE waterworks at Sydney, C. B., are finished, and the water has been turned on. The present reservoir, at an elevation of 140 feet above tide water, furnishes, says the Herald, an ample supply for the present requirements of the town.

REPORTS from the southern part of California indicate a large crop of oranges. Last season the crop was backward, while this season it is well advanced. The figures furnished by the railroad places the crop at 5,000 to 6,000 car loads, or 1,450,000 to 1,750,000 boxes.

WE learn that G. C. McClean, dealing in paints, oils, etc., at Brockville, is offering his creditors 25 cents n the dollar. Mr. McClean, it seems, inherited \$4,000 or \$5,000, but through carelessness in business ran behind with his obligations, and had to assign about two weeks ago. His liabilities are about \$4,000.

JUDGE JETTE rendered judgment last week in Montreal in favor of plaintiff in the case of Gravel vs. the Canadian Pacific Railway Conpany, which was an action for \$150 damages on account of the loss of three horses, killed on the track at Ste. Rose, owing to a defective fence under the charge of the company de-

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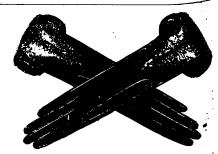
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THE Star says that the picturesque and cele brated falls of Montmorence and all the rounding property have been sold for \$286,000 to the Quebec & Levis Electric Light Com pany, which has acquired Montmorence the the sake of the water power of the falls, which is to be chiefly employed in producing ports able electricity. A new iron flume, 1,200 feet long and six feet in diameter, is being built to carry the water from above the cataract to factories below. It is possible that the company will among the comp pany will supply electric power for factories in Quebec and motive power for a street railway, and for trains upon the Montmorenoi Railway

THE following are the failures for the week in the Province of Quebec, outside Montreal E. Lesage, general dealer, St. Leon, Mark nonge county, who has been asking an extension of sion of time, has assigned on the demand Messrs. J. Hamel & Co., Quebeo; liabilities are about \$5,000 about \$5,000.—Mrs. J. B. Duperre, milliner, is offering a compromise; liabilities limited -A butcher at Thedford Mines, named Eusebe Paquet, has assigned; he owes \$2,290. -J. B. Buchanan, general store, reported in trouble a week or two ago, and who weeking an arrival to seeking an extension, has been asked assign.

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