

WATERFORD, ONT.—The council has decided to construct several thousand feet of cement sidewalks.

ST. CATHARINES, ONT.—The St. Catharines Cold Storage Company will erect a building immediately.

BRADFORD, ONT.—Tenders for building a frame barn are wanted by James A. Wood up to June 3rd.

DALHOUSIE, ONT.—The ratepayers of Balmoral and Colborne have voted money for building new school.

KINGSTON, ONT.—The city engineer has estimated the cost of a sewer on Victoria street at \$7,400.

ROSEBANK, MAN.—Tenders close June 14th for building farmers' elevator. Plans at office of John Malcolm.

COLDWATER, ONT.—The Methodist congregation will either enlarge their church or build a new one.

WINDERMERE, ONT.—It is understood that a Sherbrooke, Que., company will construct a large hotel here.

NANAIMO, B. C.—The council will borrow \$4,000 for the purpose of purchasing a steam fire engine.

SINTALUTA, N. W. T.—The by-law to borrow \$2,500 to build a new school has been carried by the ratepayers.

TORONTO JUNCTION, ONT.—W. L. Joy has commenced the erection of a brick residence, to have slate roof.

THREE RIVERS, QUE.—The Board of Trade is promoting a scheme to build an electric railway to Grand Mere.

PETERBORO, ONT.—The town engineer has been instructed to advertise for tenders for granolithic sidewalks.

PENETANGUISHENE, ONT.—It is said that the owners of the tannery here purpose erecting another tannery.

HANOVER, ONT.—Bids are invited by H. H. Miller up to June 8th for erection of two-storey brick office building.

WALKERTON, ONT.—The members of the Evangelical Association purpose building a new church this summer.

ROSSLAND, B.C.—The Columbia and Western Railway Co. will let contracts immediately for building new depot.

GUELPH, ONT.—W. Frye Colwill, architect, is preparing plans for a detached pressed brick residence for J. F. Dutton.

LONDON, ONT.—The city council has given notice of its intention to construct cement sidewalks on a large number of streets.

ALMONTE, ONT.—The improvements to be made by the Rosamond Woollen Company will include a four-storey addition.

VICTORIA, B. C.—John Teague, architect, has taken tenders on erection of stores, tenements, etc., for F. E. Newberger.

PERTH, ONT.—Wesley James and W. H. James have each purchased property on North street and will erect residences thereon.

FORT WILLIAM, ONT.—No meeting of school trustees has yet been held to decide upon plans for proposed school building.

ST. HENRI, QUE.—The council will likely offer a bonus of \$20,000 to the Montreal Toilet Soap Company to erect a factory here.

NEWMARKET, ONT.—The Wm. Cane & Sons Mfg. Co. will erect a new brick building, 45 x 55 feet, covered with metallic shingles.

FERGUS, ONT.—J. H. Craig, of the Fergus News-Record, invites proposals up to June 10th, for erection of two-storey pressed brick house.

CREEMORE, ONT.—The question of constructing a system of waterworks for the village is under consideration. The cost would be about \$12,000.

LOWER STEWIAKKE, N. S.—Bids are wanted by June 5th for building new church at Landor, Lower Stewiacke. Plans at post office at Landor.

GREENWOOD CITY, B.C.—On Saturday

last the ratepayers voted on four money by-laws, one being to borrow \$15,000 for street improvements. Result not learned.

ASHCROFT, B.C.—The Ashcroft Water & Light Co. are about to irrigate 6,000 acres of ground. There will be ten miles of large ditching and four miles of main ditch.

GRANBY, QUE.—Bids for the laying of 5,000 lineal feet of 18 and 24 inch tile sewers are invited by J. H. Tompkins, secretary-treasurer to the corporation, up to June 3rd.

FARNHAM, QUE.—E. Audette, secretary-treasurer of the municipality, wants tenders by June 5th for construction of fire and police station and a market building.

LENOXVILLE, QUE.—Satisfactory progress is being made with the collection of funds to renovate the Arts Building of Bishop's college, in memory of the late Robert Hamilton.

WINDSOR, ONT.—The Windsor Bent Goods Co. has been incorporated, to manufacture bent-woods, hubs, spokes, etc. The directors include E. S. Spasheit and J. E. O'Connor.

WELLAND, ONT.—A by-law to raise \$21,000 to build permanent walks, \$8,000 for a town hall, and \$11,000 for a public school, will be submitted to a vote of the ratepayers on June 20th.

FERNIE, B.C.—The Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co. want tenders for the erection of a coal bin, to contain 3,000 tons of coal, and trestle leading to same. Plans at company's office here.

TAVISTOCK, ONT.—H. J. Powell, architect, of Stratford, is preparing plans for a new post-office and bank building for F. Krug.—It is reported that Geo. Fleischhauer will erect a business block.

EAST SELKIRK, MAN.—Sir Wm. Van Horne, of the C.P.R., has invited tenders for the erection of a substantial two-storey residence here, 40 x 90 feet, with stables, cow-sheds and barns covering a space of 300 x 30 feet.

QUEBEC, QUE.—The Harbor Commissioners will ask the government for power to guarantee trade for the Great Northern Railway to the amount of \$200,000 for ten years, in order to assist in the building of the road.

GOBERICH, ONT.—The Water & Light Committee have recommended the purchase of 1,900 feet of No. 6 insulated wire, also of a stoker for one of the boilers, and for leave to consider making an addition to the electric light plant.

MOOSOMIN, N.W.T.—Bids are invited by R. D. McNaughton, chairman School Board, up to Saturday, June 10th, for erection of six-room brick school building, with stone basement, from plans prepared by J. A. Ellis, architect, of Toronto.

WORKINGTON, NFLD.—The Newfoundland Iron Ore Co. invite tenders for the delivery at Old Pelican, Trinity Bay, Newfoundland, of a large quantity of 10 and 12 inch square spruce timber. Address, S. Herbert Williams, superintendent.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.—A representative of the firm of Kingsmill, Saunders & Torrance, Toronto, solicitors for the Canada Southern Railway, was in town last week in connection with the probable erection by the railway company of a large hotel at Falls View. It was stated that the hotel would cost \$200,000, and that it would be one of the best on the continent.

CALGARY, N.W.T.—F. M. Rattenbury, architect, of Vancouver, has prepared plans for a stone structure to be built at this place.—The waterworks question is attracting much attention. The Gas & Waterworks Co., whose contract expires in September next, offer to sell their plant to the city for \$110,000, but the council seem inclined to construct an entirely new system, the ratepayers having granted \$90,000 for this purpose.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MAN.—Members of the town and rural councils have been agitating for a bridge across the Assiniboine river. The town council at a recent meeting agreed to contribute \$5,000 for a wooden bridge or \$6,000 for a steel structure, the government and rural municipalities each to give a like amount.

RENFREW, ONT.—Richard Miller has purchased what is known as the Hazelton corner, with the intention, it is said, of erecting a new building thereon.—Tenders are being taken by the council this week for excavating and filling in for waterworks connections and extensions.—An agreement has not yet been finally reached by the council regarding the purchase of a road roller.

HALIFAX, N. S.—It is announced that the Imperial authorities have decided to construct another fortress, to be located near Herring Cove head. It has also been decided to remodel a large portion of the interior of the York redoubt for new batteries to be placed there.—A suggestion has been made that a building devoted to art and educative purposes be erected to the memory of the late Joseph Howe.—Kelly & Glassey are taking tenders this week on repairs to the Acadian hotel.

BRANTFORD, ONT.—Daniel Whiting, chairman of committee on county public buildings, desires tenders by June 15th for alterations and improvements to the court room in this city, consisting of re-flooring and reseating, removal of gallery, etc. Plans at court house.—A. K. Bunnell invites bids up to June 2nd for building an addition to the Darling street public school, from plans by Geo. W. Hall, architect.

NELSON, B. C.—The city council will call for tenders for sewer pipe to be required in the event of the \$15,000 by-law for sewer purposes being carried by the ratepayers.—A by-law granting a franchise for the erection of gas and coke works has received its second reading in council. The company, which includes W. H. Pearson, J. L. Merryfield, and J. T. Westcott, of Toronto, agree to expend at least \$100,000 on the works.—Plans will shortly be prepared for a new land registry office building, and it is probable that next year a court house will be erected.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—H. H. Mott, architect, has prepared plans for a tenement dwelling to be built by the Halifax Banking Company, on north side of King st. Same architect has prepared plans for a new hotel to be built in North Sydney, C.B., also for converting the marine hospital in this city into a school building, at a cost of \$13,000.—Plans have been completed for warehouse to be built by the Sun Oil Co.—An effort is being made to organize a company here to engage in the manufacture of box shooks and hardwood specialties.—F. J. Harding, agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, desires tenders by June 1st for construction of wooden buildings at St. Andrews, to be used as a marine biological station.—Director Smith has suggested that the council borrow \$50,000 for permanent street work, chiefly paving and grading.

HAMILTON, ONT.—By a majority of 111 votes, the ratepayers defeated the by-law to raise \$150,000 for permanent pavements. In view of this, the Board of Works have decided to spend about \$30,000 on the construction of tar-acadam pavements on the following streets: King street, from Bay to Locke; King street, from Wellington to Wentworth; James street, from Hunter to Aberdeen avenue; Barton street, from James street to Ferguson avenue; Barton street, from Wellington to Wentworth; York street, from McNab to Locke.—New tenders will be invited by the Sewers Committee for the supply of a