

street, Ottawa; alterations for W. J. Kennedy, Victoria street, Ottawa; residence (double) for A. P. Johnson, Concession street, Ottawa; additions, D. O'Connor, sr., Bay st., Ottawa.—A petition has been received by the Board of Works for surface sewers on the Glebe Lands. The request will be complied with.—A project is on foot for the construction of an electric railway from the town of Richmond to the boundaries of this city, the object being to transport garden produce and other freight from the surrounding districts to Ottawa. The Messrs. Conroy, of Conroy's Mills, are said to be interested in the project.

HAMILTON, ONT.—W. A. Edwards, architect, has prepared plans for the following: Residence for R. E. Gallagher on Hughson and Maria st's., to cost \$5,000; residence and stable on John street south, for James Dunlop, cost \$4,000; residence on Robinson street for Sam. McKay, cost \$4,000; residence on East ave. south; residence on Ellen street for L. K. Pars; alterations to three stores on King street, and residence on Herkimer street for Major Riley, also residence in the south east portion of the city.—E. B. Patterson has prepared plans for the following buildings: E. W. Gage, East ave., residence, to cost \$2,100; H. B. Vaughan, Emerald st., residence, cost \$1,300; alterations to A. Rutherford's two houses, cost \$800.—A. W. Peene, architect, is preparing plans for alterations to the store of James Scott, also for the hot air and hot water heating of the Hamilton club.—The Ontario Rolling Mills Company have prepared plans for putting in a new steel plant, to cost \$30,000.—Plans are being prepared by Wm. & Walter Stewart, architects, for a new Y. W. C. A. building, which will also be used for domestic science purposes. The present building will be torn down, and the new one will be four stories in height, 70 x 140 feet, and built of Credit Valley brown stone.—The City Clerk is receiving tenders for the annual supply of brick, waterlime, Portland cement, sewer pipe, sand and casting.—Mr. John G. Gauld, chairman of the Interclub League, is receiving subscriptions for the construction of a cinder path to Burlington Beach.—The projectors of the Hamilton, Grimsby and Beamsville Electric Railway have decided to extend the line from Grimsby Park to Beamsville.—W. P. Witton, architect, invites tenders until noon of the 9th inst., for the erection of a Sunday school building for Erskine church.—The city clerk invites tenders until noon of the 8th inst., for annual supplies required by the Sewer Committee.

TORONTO, ONT.—The Harbor Master has written to the City Council favoring the construction of a trunk sewer emptying into Ashbridge Bay.—The property-owners on Adelaide street between Yonge and York streets are petitioning for an asphalt pavement.—A brick pavement with gravel foundation will be recommended for Robert street.—The Property Committee of the Public School Board have recommended the expenditure of \$13,000 on repairs to the schools.—The Toronto Suburban Bicycle Club is said to have purchased at the Humber a site for a club house, plans for which have already been prepared.—The city engineer has just recommended the repaving of 96 streets. He recommends that 39 streets be re-paved with brick; 11 with asphalt; 12 with asphalt or brick; 17 with cedar blocks, and 12 with macadam.—The cost of the groynes, which it is proposed to construct for the protection of Toronto Island, will be about \$2,500.—Building permits have been granted as follows: G. R. R. Cockburn, 1 storey brick add. to warehouse, 60 Bay st., cost \$1,500; Dr. J. L. Davidson, 2 storey and attic bk. dwelling, 22 Charles st., cost \$4,500; J. L. Ramsay, two det. 2 storey and attic bk. dwellings, Macpherson ave., nr. Castle

Frank, cost \$8,000; Allen Mfg. Co., 4 storey bk. add. to factory, Simcoe st., cost \$1,500; Miss Corty, 2 storey bk. add. to dwellings, 168 George st., cost \$3,000; Mr. Worthy, Berryman st., 2 storey bk. dwelling 91 Cumberland st., cost \$12,000; John Carson, 685 Ontario st., 2 storey bk. faced dwelling and store, 395 Sackville st., cost \$900; Tlios. Wilkins, St. Lawrence Market, 3 storey bk. add. to building, No. 34 West Market st., cost \$4,000.

FIRES.

A saw and chopping mill at Burgessville, Ont., operated by Mollins & Co., has been destroyed by fire. Insurance, \$2,000.—The Lindsay saw mill at Aylmer, Que., leased by R. H. Klock & Co., was destroyed by fire on the 29th ultimo. Loss partially covered by insurance.—S. B. Morris' residence at Rodney, Ont., has been burned.—At Kingsville, Ont., on the 29th inst., the large roller process flour mill, owned by Jasperson & Co., was totally destroyed by fire. Loss, \$22,000, insurance, \$6,000.—Edwards' Carriage shop and dwelling at Coaticook, Que., have been consumed by fire. The village of St. Hyacinthe, Que., was damaged by fire on the 27th inst. to the extent of \$25,000, thirteen houses being destroyed. The following properties were burned: Joseph Roy, one house; A. Vegina, one house; Joseph Hogue, two houses; Madam Baron, one house; Alfred Godbout, one house; Duclos & Payan, tannery.—Messrs. W. A. Johnson & Company's flour mill and electric lighting plant at Dresden, Ont., were totally destroyed on the 1st inst., and Mr. North's carriage works adjoining were gutted. Both properties insured.—The Cedardale hotel at Oshawa was totally destroyed on the morning of the 31st ult. Loss, \$2,500; partly insured.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

TORONTO, ONT.—A. B. Ormsby & Co. has been given the contract for ceilings for P. W. Ellis & Co.'s new warehouse.

LISTOWEL, ONT.—Bamford Bros., of this town, have been given the contract for the erection of the new Christ Church building.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—The contract for the machinery hall for the Exhibition Association has been let to McLeod & Murray, at \$2,425.

HARRIETSVILLE, ONT.—The contract of building a new Methodist church in this place has been awarded to Mr. Harry Goble, of London, Ont.

WINDSOR, ONT.—The Windsor Storage Co. has accepted the tender of Mr. George A. Goodman, for the erection of their new building. The price is \$3,200.

BROCKVILLE, ONT.—It is understood that the contract for the medical superintendent's residence at the Asylum for the

Insane has been let to F. H. Fitzgibbon of this town.

WOODSTOCK, ONT.—Twenty eight tenders were received for the erection of the Presbyterian church. McIntosh & Griffith receive the whole work except heating and seating. Contract price, \$28,250.

LONDON, ONT.—Debentures to the amount of \$270,292.77, bearing interest at 3½ and four per cent., have been purchased by the Bank of British North America. The amount paid was \$268,079.96 and accrued interest.


KINGSTON, ONT.—Five tenders were received for constructing a granolithic walk on Princess street, between Sydenham and Clergy streets. The tender of George Wilson has been accepted, at 21¼c. per lineal foot for curbing and 27c. per square foot for the walk.

HAMILTON, ONT.—The Hamilton Brass Manufacturing Co. have been awarded the contract of making 150 cash registers for the Hamilton Ready Change Maker Co.—A. Piggott, of this city, has been awarded the contract to build the spur line to connect the Grand Trunk and Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo Railway. The cost of the work will be about \$250,000, the time for completion being fixed at four months.

GUELPH, ONT.—Mr. W. T. Tanner, architect, has let contracts for the erection of a two storey brick house for Mrs. Patton, as follows: carpentering, John Beckman; stone and brick work, S. R. Rundle; painting, A. Cormie; plastering, T. Robinson; plumbing, Feek & Phillips.—Thomas Matthews has secured the contract for the erection of the chemical laboratory and sewerage disposal works at the Agricultural College.

MONTREAL, QUE.—Eric Mann, architect, St. John street, has awarded contracts as follows: One tenement building on Cadieux street for R. Keough—Masonry, Barbeau & Fournier; carpenter and joiner's work, R. Neville, jr.; roofing, Montreal Roofing Co.; plumbing, John Watson; brick, R. Dubie & Co.; plastering, Knott & Gardner; painting and glazing, O. Cauchon.—Building contracts have been granted as follows: House, 4 stories, 31x45 ft. on St. Denis st., Viger Square, for Alphonse Brazeau—Masonry, Martineau & Prenoveau; carpenter and joiner's work, L. Lolliot. House on Laval avenue, 2½ stories, stone and brick, for Madame Joseph Levy—Masonry, Barbeau & Fournier; carpenter and joiner's work, Geo. Roberts. Estimated cost, \$12,000.—Wm. McLea Walbank, architect, has awarded contracts as follows: Repairs of a house on Berri street for J. G. Kennedy—Masonry, O. Frappier; carpenter's and joiner's work, R. Neville; brick, D. Marsan & Co.; plumbing and heating, Drapeau & Savignac, roofing, Campbell & Co.

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