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BUSINESS NOTES.

N. St. Charles, painter, Montreal, is said to have comprised at 25 cents on the dollar.

Alex Milne, plumber, London, Ont., is announced to have called a meeting of his creditors.

Phillip Gies & Co., tin merchants and plumbers, Berlin, Ont., have dissolved partnership.

J. S. Cown & Co., paints, oils and hardware, Wellington street, Montreal, have assigned. Liabilities \$2,500.

W. A. Cole has been appointed assignee of the estate of Winifred Barbeau, plumber, Ottawa. An offer of 25 cents on the dollar has been made.

The plant of the Canada Pipe & Foundry Co., and William Clendinning & Sons, Montreal, will be offered for sale by public auction in that city on the 1st of April.

At the annual meeting of the Silica Barytic Stone Co., held at Guelph, Ont., recently, officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: C. Kloepfer, president, Guelph; W. Mills, vice-president and general manager, Ingersoll; W. Ewart, secretary-treasurer, Ingersoll.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

ST. ALBERT, N. W. T.—A woollen mill is to be built here.

ALBERNI, B. C.—A. M. Chambers is erecting a new hotel at this place.

EBURNE, B. C.—McPherson & Hickey are erecting a salmon cannery here.

OLINDA, ONT.—James Scott and Elmer Ryall will each erect new brick houses in the spring.

NEWMARKET, ONT.—The council has decided to raise \$9,000 to install an electric light plant.

BOTHWELL, ONT. The construction of a system of waterworks and electric light is being agitated.

STIRLING, ONT. — The Oddfellows society will probably erect a new hall, at a cost of \$5,000.

AYLMER, ONT.—The Aylmer Canning Co. will erect large additions to their buildings this spring.

GALT, ONT.—A new wing to the hospital will be erected during the coming summer. Estimated cost \$5,000.

MOSSOMIN, N. W. T.—Mr. O. Neff has offered a free site for the proposed new building for the Western Oddfellows.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.—A delegation has requested the Dominion government to assist in building a dry dock in this city.

RENFREW, ONT.—The by-law to provide \$68,000 for constructing a system of waterworks will be voted on at an early date.

CAMPBELLFORD, ONT.—A local capitalist is promoting a scheme for an electric railway from Campbellford to Norwood.

BELLEVILLE, ONT. — Jas. Hamilton wants tenders until the 20th inst. for erecting a brick house on Alexander street.

GRAND VALLEY, ONT.—Three blocks of stores and a new Methodist church will be built here during the coming summer.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MAN.—A stone foundation is to be placed under the Lake of the Woods mill and elevator during the coming summer.

THESSALON, ONT.—The town council are putting in water mains, with about a mile and a half of four inch pipe. Estimated cost, \$6,000.

VICTORIA, B. C. — The City Council has passed a by law authorizing the corporation to issue debentures for \$120,000 to meet current expenses.

SAULT STE MARIE, ONT. — A scheme is being agitated for the construction of a street railway between the east and west sections of the town.

BRITANNIA, ONT.—The government will be asked to make a grant towards constructing a breakwater in front of the village, estimated to cost \$3,000.

WEBBWOOD, ONT. — Proposals are invited by Wm. Irving, township clerk, for

the purchase of \$4,000 of debentures, bearing interest at 5 per cent. per annum.

NAPANEE, ONT.—A committee of the Presbyterian church congregation has been appointed to carry out the proposed improvements, which will cost about \$2,500.

KINCARDINE, ONT.—Mayor McPherson and Colonel Scott interviewed the Minister of Public Works last week requesting a grant for harbor improvements at this place.

PRESCOTT, ONT.—Tenders are invited by T. R. Melville until the 9th inst., for the erection of a building to be used as a floral hall for the South Grenville Agricultural Society.

BERLIN, ONT.—The Board of Trade is considering a proposition to connect the town with the C. P. R. at Galt by the construction of a steam railway, estimated to cost \$120,000.

PEMBROKE, ONT.—A movement is on foot to secure the construction of the Pembroke Southern railway from here to Golden Lake. The town will be asked to take stock to the amount of \$25,000.

STRATFORD, ONT.—Mr. David J. Baxter, architect, has prepared plans for alterations to a residence at Orillia, for Mr. Wm. Orr, of Brechin. Tenders for the work will be called at Orillia in a few days.

ST. THOMAS, ONT. Surveys have been made for the extension of the Lake Erie and Detroit railway from St. Thomas to Dutton.—The city council has given the first reading to a by-law to provide \$50,000 for a municipal electric light plant.

RAT PORTAGE, ONT.—C. W. Belyea, chairman Board of Public Works, invites tenders until the 9th inst., for the delivery of 50,000 feet of tamarac lumber; 20,000 feet 2" plank, 16 feet long, and 20,000 feet 12 feet long, also 10,000 feet, 3 x 6, 16 feet long.

VALLEYFIELD, QUE.—The new warehouse for the Montreal Cotton Company will be three storeys, 170 x 90 feet, stone foundation, wood walls, roof covered with iron. Estimated cost, \$10,000. The work is in charge of the manager of the company.

KINGSTON, ONT.—A large addition is to be built to the Rockwood Asylum during the coming summer.—A movement has been started to enlarge and improve the Collingwood ave. Baptist mission church. A committee has been appointed to report on the most feasible plan.

WOODSTOCK, N. B.—Preliminary surveys of the Woodstock and Centreville railway have been commenced. Upon the completion of these, plans will be prepared and submitted for approval, after which construction work on the road will be commenced. Mr. Frank W. Lawlor is the chief engineer.

FORT WILLIAM, ONT.—A deputation from this town has requested the Minister of Public Works to erect a new post-office