

dal Fishing Club, to be erected at Kendal, near Newcastle, at a cost of \$1,000. The rafters, posts and all timber work will be of logs with the bark on, and Cabot's shingle stain will be used.— Besides the addition to the warehouse of W. R. Brock & Co., for which contracts have been let, Mr. A. R. Denison, architect, has prepared plans for re-odelling the old warehouse, including new plate glass, elevator, metal ceilings, etc.; approximate cost, \$8,000.—The city engineer has recommended that the Board of Control re-advertise for tenders for the supply of paving brick.—Mr. Weatherbee, Chief Architect of the Militia Department, Ottawa, will shortly visit this city with a view to the construction, at the Armouries, of a magazine for ammunition.—Messrs. Simpson & Ellis, architects, are preparing plans for a store and residence for Mr. R. Magone, to be erected on Berkeley street, also for a residence for Reuben Armstrong, to be built on Brunswick avenue.—The new residence for Mr. L. A. Conrad is to be erected on Wilson avenue, not on Wilton avenue, as stated in last week's issue. The architects are Messrs. Simpson & Ellis.

FIRES.

The Pulman hotel, Holmes & Caret's store, the Waverley hotel, and Alexander's dwelling and jewelry store at Canmore, N.W.T., were totally destroyed by fire last week. Loss, \$15,000, small insurance.—George Maddow's store at Jacquet River, N.B., was totally destroyed by fire last week, at a loss of \$3,000.—A Roman Catholic church at Somerset, Que., recently completed, was destroyed by fire on Monday last; loss \$75,000, insurance \$42,000.—The residence of Peter Cline, near Cayuga, Ont., was burned a few days ago.—W. B. Jennings's furniture store at St. Thomas, Ont., was recently damaged by fire to the extent of \$1,000.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

CONSTANCE, ONT.—The carpenter work of a brick residence for Wm. Clark has been let to Harry Edge, and the mason and brick work to J. Millson.

WALKERTON, ONT.—The contract for superstructure of a bridge at Tara was let last week to Hunter Bros., of Kincardine, John Craig, of Tara, securing the stone work.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—The C.P.R. have let the contract for the erection of a stone archway over the Kaministiquia river, to replace the present structure, to J. W. Munroe, of Pembroke, Ont.

INGERSOLL, ONT.—T. W. Nagle has been awarded the contract for the erection of residences for Mr. Briden and Mr. J. E. Coulter, from plans prepared by John Wight, architect.

VANCOUVER, B. C.—McLeod & Coote have awarded a contract to Taylor & Cleveland to convert four dwelling houses, corner Hastings street and Westminster avenue, into eight stores.

ORMSTOWN, QUE.—Tenders for the erection of Methodist church have been accepted as follows: carpenter work, R. A. Crawford, of Huntingdon, \$2,250; mason work, McBain Bros., \$550.

TORONTO, ONT.—Mr. A. R. Denison, architect, has accepted the following tenders for an addition to the warehouse of W. R. Brock & Co.: Brick, stone and concrete work, C. C. Witchall; carpenter work, A. Clark & Son; plumbing and steam heating, Purdy, Mansell & Mash-

inter; galvanized iron and metal ceilings, W. Dillon; painting and glazing, R. Smith; plastering, A. H. Rundle; roofing and other trades not definitely decided. The addition will be 108 x 23 feet, four stories and basement story, cost \$15,000.

HAMILTON, ONT.—The Board of Works have awarded contracts as follows. Lumber, R. M. Cherry, of Toronto, \$12 44 per 1,000 feet; posts, W. J. McAlister, \$12.63; wire and cut nails, Wood, Vallance & Co., \$1 84 and \$1.69 respectively; hydrants, Dodson & Sutton; stop valves, Gartsshore Thomson Co.

MONTREAL, QUE.—The following tenders for supplies for the city have been accepted by the council: Ordinary bar iron of Canadian make, Peck, Benny & Co., higher quality brands of iron, Frothingham & Workman; ordinary quality of machinery steel, B. J. Coghlin; best quality of machinery steel, Frothingham & Workman and Park Bros. & Co.; pressed spikes, wharf spikes, cut nails, Peck, Benny & Co.; nuts, Frothingham & Workman, Caverhill, Learmont & Co. and Pillow & Hersey Manufacturing Company; washers, Abbott & Co.; carriage bolts, B. J. Coghlin; pine pitch, Lewis Bros. & Co.; coal oil, the Bushnell Co.; castor oil, Henry Dobell & Co.; tallow, the Bushnell Co.; boiled linseed oil, Frothingham & Workman; turpentine, Canada Paint Co.; white lead, P. D. Dodds; manilla rope, Frothingham & Workman; sal soda, Henry Dobell & Co.; concentrated lye, William Sclater & Co.; gas pipes, Frothingham & Workman; cast iron fittings for pipes, Garth & Co.; malleable iron fittings, Samuel Fisher; brass castings and phosphor bronze castings, Garth & Co.; iron castings, Garth & Co. and John McDougall.—L. R. Montbriant, architect, has accepted the following tenders for two houses, six tenements, three stories, to be built for E. Laliberte: Masonry, Jos. Beland; roofing, D. Dugas; bricklaying, Jos. Beland; plastering, T. Charbonneau; painting and glazing, A. Carriere.—J. Forget Despatie, architect, has let the masonry and carpenter contracts of additions to two houses on Ontario street for Dame Maria Renaud, to Phaneuf & Dore.—V. Lacombe, architect, has let the contract for a building on Desjardins street, Maison-

neuve, for Elzear Dansereau, to Carriere, Son & Co.

BIDS.

TORONTO, ONT.—The Board of Control opened tenders yesterday (Tuesday) for elevators, electric light plant, marble dadoes and columns and mosaic floors for the new municipal buildings. Three tenders were received for an electric light plant for lighting the building and for operating the elevators, as follows: \$15,100, \$14,965 and \$15,766. The tenders for elevators were as follows: Electric, \$25,000, \$32,500 and \$24,000; hydraulic, \$39,200, \$35,500 and \$33,000. Seventeen tenders were received for the marble dadoes, mosaic floors and marble columns, as below: No. 1, \$35,800 for work complete; No. 2, \$53,216 for work complete; No. 3, \$33,250 for mosaic and dadoes; No. 4, \$29,900 for work complete; No. 5, \$20,227 for dadoes and columns, with alternatives of \$21,718 or \$24,300 for variations, and \$13,450 for flooring; No. 6, \$6,000 for columns; No. 7, \$9,890 for floors; No. 8, \$19,584 for flooring; No. 9, \$6,850 for dadoes, \$11,800 for flooring; No. 10, \$13,320 for flooring; No. 11, \$16,899 for flooring; No. 12, \$9,575 for flooring and \$7,575 for dadoes; No. 13 (no cheque), \$16,950 for floors, \$9,850 for dadoes; No. 14, \$13,900 for dadoes and bases, or \$25,750 for all work required; No. 15, \$26,700 for all work; No. 16, \$28,663 for all work, or \$12,040 for dadoes alone; and No. 17, \$13,924 for floors.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Chapelle & Edwards, plumbers, Trail, B. C., have dissolved partnership.

Burroughes & Canady have commenced business as contractors at Chatham, Ont.

Thos. Orr & Son, planing mills, Stratford, Ont., are announced to have called a meeting of creditors.

The plant and property of the Guelph-Norway Iron and Steel Co. has been sold to John Taylor, for the sum of \$9,700.

Hamilton city council has decided to abolish the statute labor tax.

The Wentworth county council have appointed Mr. J. W. Jardine as county clerk, to succeed the late Geo. S. Counsell.

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