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pair 2-story and attic brick dwellings, Beatrice street, cost \$4,500; T. Eaton Co., Limited, 2-story brick automobile garage, Albert street, cost \$25,000; S. Burrows, 2½-story brick dwelling, Delaware avenue, cost \$4,300; R. Vaughan, 3 pair 2-story and attic brick dwellings, Macpherson avenue, cost \$15,000; G. L. Francis, 2-story and attic brick addition to dwelling, 38 Crescent road, cost \$1,800; W. T. Giles, 2-story and attic brick dwelling, 77 Chestnut Park road, cost \$8,000; W. C. Mathews, 2-story and attic brick dwelling, 8 Chestnut Park road, cost \$10,000; Geo. Belbin, 2-story brick and stone dwelling, 139 Clinton street, cost \$3,000; H. Galbraith, 2 pair 2½-story brick dwellings, cost \$2,800; J. McGougal, 2½-story brick dwelling, Langley avenue, cost \$2,500; W. J. Ingram, pair 2-story and attic brick dwellings, 188 and 100 Delaware avenue, cost \$6,600; Methodist Tabernacle, 1-story brick church, 648 Markham street, cost \$8,000; S. Loree, 2-story and attic brick dwelling, Schiller avenue, cost \$8,000; G. H. Thornley three 2-story brick dwellings, Gladstone avenue, cost \$6,500; Mrs. W. H. Preston, 2-story brick and roughcast store and dwelling, corner Greenwood and Danforth avenue, cost \$2,500; S. A. Leveck, 2-story brick store and dwelling, Hallam street, cost \$2,500; John Rennie, 2½-story brick dwelling, corner Elm avenue, and Sherbourne street, cost \$7,900; Union Bank, alterations to brick bank, 19 Wellington street, cost \$8,000; S. Smith, 2-story brick dwelling, Lindsay avenue, cost \$2,500; 2-story brick dwelling, Woolfrey avenue, cost \$2,500; Thos. McMillwin, 2-story brick and stone dwelling, Triller avenue, cost \$3,500; Pape Avenue Baptist church, brick and wood church, Pape avenue, cost \$6,000; S. A. Weismiller, 2 pair 2½-story brick dwellings, near Marion street, on 93-99 Lansdowne avenue, cost \$10,000; Planet Bicycle Co., 4-story brick bicycle factory, 69-71 Queen street, cost \$6,500; Fred S. Duff, pair 2½-story brick and stone dwellings, 107-109 Beatrice street, cost \$5,500.

FIRES.

Methodist church, planing mill and several dwellings at Shawville, Que., loss \$100,000.—Sincclair McKiel's bakery, St. John, N.B., loss \$5,000.—Residence of Andrew Kerr, Miramichi road, Bathurst, N.B., loss \$2,500.—Residence of M. Malins, Second street, New Westminster, B.C., loss \$2,000.—Planing mill and part of plant of Mine Centre Lumber Company, Mine Centre Ont., completely des-

tpoyed.—Adelphi Hotel, A. Campbell's store, Morrison & Johnson's warehouse, Blindmen Electric Light Company's office and several other buildings at Lacombe, Alta., loss about \$100,000.—Methodist church, public hall, store and dwelling of Dr. Curtis and several other buildings at Murray, Ont., completely destroyed.—Hardware store of N. Wilmer and buildings of W. Lein at Trail, B.C., loss \$11,000.—Jacob Koehler's barns with contents, completely destroyed. The loss is heavy.—Planing mill of Wm. Geary, London, Ont., loss \$23,000.—Massey-Harris warehouse and other buildings at Pilot Mound, Man., loss \$15,000.—Grand View Hotel, Cordova street, Vancouver, B.C., damage \$2,000.—Novelty Works, Wiarton Ont., completely destroyed.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

CARNDUFF, SASK.—Erection of Baptist church: Steadham Bros., contractors.
ORILLIA, ONT.—\$10,120 drainage debentures: Wm. C. Brent, Toronto, purchaser, \$10,481.
CHARING CROSS, ONT.—Heating system in Methodist church: Kelsey Manufacturing Co., contractors.
VICTORIA, B. C.—Construction of wharf and warehouse for the C.P.R.: Walter Hepburn, contractor, Vancouver.
PORT ARTHUR, ONT.—Construction of temporary pile breakwater: Canadian Northern Coal & Ore Dock Co., cost \$13,000.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS, ONT.—Construction of concrete bridge: Steel Concrete Co., of Montreal, contractors, cost \$3,000.
GLACE BAY, N. S.—Construction of buildings for the Marconi Co.: Rhodes, Curry & Co., Amherst, N.S., contractors, cost about \$30,000.

ST. BONIFACE, MAN.—Construction of asphalt block pavement on Provencher avenue: Langley & Cook, Walkerville, Ont., successful tenders at \$3.57 per square yard.

LEVIS, QUE.—Alterations for central fire station building: Masonry, Joseph Couture, \$1,694; carpentry, George Roy, \$3,300; plumbing, Gingras & Nadeau, \$220; electric work, Edgar Lemieux, \$85.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MAN.—Factory building for London Fence, Limited: Brickwork, Carr & Woodman; carpenter work, A. McLarty; painting, Semple & Cameron; plumbing, Johnston & McClymont.

TORONTO JUNCTION, ONT.—Buildings for Dominion Carriage Co.: Masonry Elgie & Page; carpentry, Thomas Sproul.—Buildings for Francis-Frost Co.: Masonry, Teagle & son; carpentry, Frank

Armstrong. Ellis & Connery, Toronto, are architects for both structures.

OTTAWA, ONT.—The lowest tenders for the eight steel bridges on the eastern section of the Transcontinental Railway between Levis and La Tuque were received from the Dominion Bridge Company and the Locomotive & Machine Company of Montreal. The former tendered for bridges at Batiscan, Jacques Cartier, Riviere Charest and the C. P. R. crossing in Portneuf county for about \$100,000. The latter company tendered for about \$60,000 to construct bridges at Riviere Noir, Riviere aux Pommes, Ste. Annes and Portneuf.—Plumbing and steam fitting for new opera house on Queen street: F. R. J. Macpherson, Peterboro, contractor.

TORONTO, ONT.—The following tenders have been accepted by the Property Committee of the Board of Education: Enlargement of Kew Beach school—Mason work, John McLeod, \$5,850; carpentering, F. Westlake & Son, \$5,400; plastering, E. Warren, \$840; painting, J. Phinnemore, \$575; roofing and tinsmithing, A. B. Ormsby Co., \$997; structural steel work, Read & Brown, \$410; heating and ventilating, W. F. Rutley Co., \$845.—Enlargement of Dewson Street school—Masonry, John McLeod, \$5,545; carpentering, Joseph Hoops, \$7,850; plastering, E. Warren \$1,160; painting, T. Barrett, \$825; plumbing, Lewis Legrow, \$526; roofing, R. Rennie & Son, \$352; tinsmithing, W. Dillon & Co., \$325; structural iron work, F. H. Shipway Co., \$996; heating and ventilating, Fred Armstrong Co., \$3,200; thermostats, N. E. Nash, \$890.—Erection of new school on Phoebe Street (27 rooms)—Carpentering and masonry, John McLeod, \$67,545; plastering, E. Warren, \$70,16; painting, Jas. Taylor, \$2,725; plumbing, Fred Armstrong Co., \$2,595; roofing and tinsmithing, A. B. Ormsby Co., \$1,783; heating and ventilating, Fred Armstrong Co., \$14,696; thermostats, Johnston Heat Regulating Co., \$1,545.—Improvement of Essex street school—Steel construction, Reid & Brown, \$260; heating and ventilation, W. F. Rutley Co., \$995.—Improvements of Withrow Avenue school—Structural steel, McGregor & McIntyre, \$233; heating and ventilating, \$905.—Palmerston Avenue school—Plumbing, Lewis Legrow, \$226.

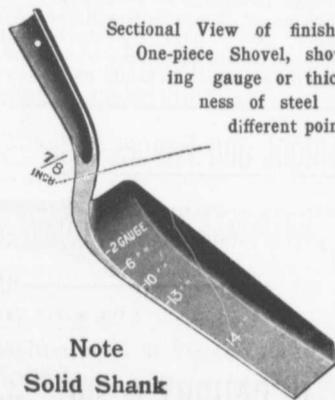
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