

dences of D. Vanne and Felix Cromier and carriage and blacksmith shop of Mr. Hardy at Wickham, Que., totally destroyed.—Dwelling of John Tracy at Milltown, N. B.; loss \$1,500.—Government house at Victoria, B. C.; loss \$20,000, insurance \$12,000.—Chateau Frontenac at Quebec, Que., damaged to the extent of several thousand dollars.—House of Guy Carr at Compton, Que.

**CONTRACTS AWARDED.**

ALVINSTON, ONT.—Reader block: M. Gillespie & Co., contractors.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—Residence for E. A. Ditson: Wilson Bros., contractors.

BELLEVILLE, ONT.—Granolithic walks: F. Dolan, contractor, 17 cents per foot.

PORT DALHOUSIE, ONT.—Factory for Toronto Rubber Shoe Company: Newman Bros. and Wilson & Son, contractors.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—Brick and stone residence for R. E. Croupe (Geo. E. Fairweather, architect): Carpentry, A. Myles; masonry, Robert Maxwell.

HAMILTON, ONT.—Two storey brick residence for sexton of Holy Sepulchre cemetery: Robert Clohery, architect; Michael White, contractor.

ORILLIA, ONT.—Closets for Collegiate Institute: Toronto Furnace & Crematory Co., contractors, \$420. Keith & Fitzsimmons Co., Toronto, tendered at \$449.

KINGSTON, ONT.—H. P. Smith, architect, has let the contracts for remodelling vault, etc., in connection with improvements to St. Mary's cemetery to the following: Masonry, H. W. Watts; carpentry and fencing, R. Davidson; painting, H. Belanger; tile draining, Sullivan & O'Neil.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—The tender of Dobson & Jackson has been accepted for sewer on Aikins street, \$4,623, and that of W. F. Lee for sewers on Main street and Redwood avenue, \$6,318, and on St. John's avenue, \$21,399.50.—Completion of McMahon drain: Wm. Slater, of Balmoral, contractor.

OTTAWA, ONT.—Keating, Stewart, Wilson & Boucher have been awarded the contract for mason work on the Great Northern railway, from Grenville to St. Jerome, including stone for bridge across the Ottawa river at Hawkesbury; contract price, about \$30,000.—The contract for vitrified clay pipes has been awarded to McKinley & Northwood.

TORONTO, ONT.—Messrs. Burke & Horwood, architects, have awarded contracts as follows for the additions to the R. Simpson Co.'s departmental store: Masonry, C. C. Witchall; carpentry, Moir & McCaul, Toronto; structural iron work, Dominion Bridge Co., Montreal; cast iron work, St. Lawrence Foundry Co., Toronto; roofing and sheet metal work, Geo. Ringham, Toronto; painting, Taylor & Co., Toronto; pressed brick and terra cotta, Toronto Pressed Brick & Terra Cotta Works, Milton, Ont.

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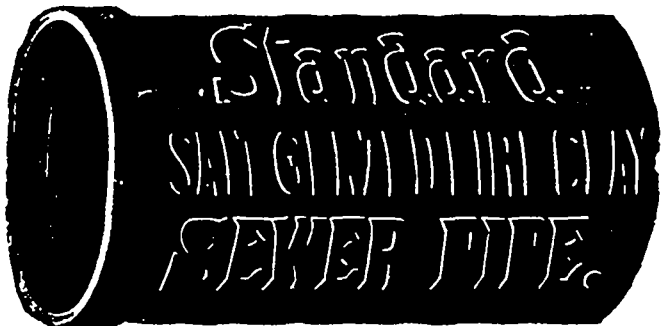


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