

NORTHWOOD, ONT.—G. T. Camp has taken tenders on a brick church, from plans by T. J. Rutley, architect, Chatham.

ANTIGONISH, N.S.—Offers are invited by D. C. Chisholm, town clerk, up to May 31st for loans of \$3,000 and \$800 respectively.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.—Tenders will be asked this week for superstructure of brick warehouse and stores for Kwong On Wo Company.

TILBURY, ONT.—J. S. Richardson will erect a departmental store, brick, 40 x 135 feet, from plans by J. L. Wilson & Son, architects, Chatham.

SMITH'S FALLS, ONT.—Tenders for additions and improvements to the R. C. church are wanted by Rev. T. Kelley up to Saturday, 22nd inst.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.—A. J. Spencer, town treasurer, desires tenders by 27th inst. for the purchase of \$15,000 of 4 per cent. half yearly debentures.

FREDERICTON, N. B.—The senate of the University of New Brunswick have had plans prepared for a new engineering building, stone, cost \$17,000.

FORT WILLIAM, ONT.—A new brick school, to cost \$5,000, will be built in ward 1.—Harry Sellers proposes erecting a three-storey dwelling house.

DESERONTO, ONT.—A fire hall will probably be built. Plans for same, prepared by W. A. Edwards, architect, of Hamilton, have been accepted.

ELMSDALE, N.S.—Tenders are wanted by 20th inst. for remodelling and enlarging Presbyterian church. Address, A. Roulston, secretary of committee.

VICTORIA, B. C.—E. C. Howell has been instructed to build a new theatre in connection with the Delmonico hotel. Plans are now in course of preparation.

LEAMINGTON, ONT.—Mr. Baily, representing an English syndicate, is getting estimates on a three-storey building, 200 feet long, to be used as a tobacco factory.

BELMONT, ONT.—Rev. W. Quance invites tenders up to 26th inst. for erection of Methodist parsonage, from plans by J. Z. Long & Son, architects, St. Thomas.

SANDWICH, ONT.—The wine business of Renest, Girardot & Co. has been taken over by a new company, of which Mayor Davis is a director. The plant will be extended.

PORT COLBORNE, ONT.—A deputation from this place have asked the Dominion government to deepen the Welland canal, a syndicate having in view the erection of a large elevator.

BERLIN, ONT.—The Board of Trade has brought up the question of improving the streets.—The Alpha Chemical Co. will erect a new building from plans now in course of preparation.

GALT, ONT.—F. W. Mellish, architect, has prepared plans for residences for J. A. Macdougall, J. Bond, E. Koepfel, A. Oliver and Wm. McBride, and for a building for the Reporter office.

THAMESVILLE, ONT.—J. C. Langford, Box 177, wants tenders by 28th inst. for building brick school house, stone basement, in township of Camden; J. L. Wilson & Son, of Chatham, architects.

BRACEBRIDGE, ONT.—The Ontario supplementary estimates contain an appropriation of \$10,000 to erect a court house here, also \$10,000 to build a reformatory for boys in Oxford county.

FLAMBROKE, ONT.—It is probable that the council will invite tenders for the construction of the Mary street bridge and embankment. Architects are invited to submit plans for cottage hospitals.

ST. SEVEN, N. B.—Additions and improvements will be made to the store occupied by Miller Bros.—Wilmot Asbel

will erect a cottage.—Dr. Ryan proposes building a dwelling and outbuildings.

HULL, QUE.—The sum of \$6,000 will likely be borrowed for building a fire station. The city solicitor will prepare a by-law for submission to the ratepayers to provide \$50,000 for the purpose.

KINGSTON, ONT.—The Oddfellows' Relief Association will erect a two-storey building for offices and lodge purposes.—Plans are being prepared for H. P. Smith, architect, for new operating theatre at the Hotel Dieu.

WELLAND, ONT.—The town engineer has been instructed to prepare specifications for a 20-inch sewer on Berger street.—Several of the business men are in favor of issuing \$15,000 of debentures to build permanent walks.

ARNPRIOR, ONT.—The Water Commissioners have recommended that a by-law be submitted to the ratepayers to borrow \$70,000 for waterworks and sewerage systems, to be constructed from plans by Willis Chipman, C.E., Toronto.

COBURG, ONT.—The assent of the ratepayers was given on the 7th inst. to a by-law authorizing the council to issue debentures to the amount of \$40,000 to establish a waterworks system. The work will shortly be proceeded with.

WINDSOR, ONT.—A joint committee, representing the councils of Windsor, Walkerville and Essex county, was held here last week to discuss the question of building a county poor house. It is proposed to erect a building to cost about \$20,000.

HARROW, ONT.—Plans have been prepared by Thomas Jenner for improvements and additions to the school house. The building will be extended, a metallic roof put on, interior remodelled and furnace installed. W. G. Wright is a member of the building committee.

RAMSAY, ONT.—The clerk of Ramsay council has been instructed to obtain the cost of building an iron bridge in Appleton, also to advertise for tenders for bridges of other construction.—The county council will probably build a bridge on the boundary line on the eastern side of Glen Isle.

GODERICH, ONT.—The G. T. R. propose to erect a new station here.—The Goderich Organ Co. will build addition to factory.—Rev. P. McCabe desires tenders by 22nd inst. for erection of house in this town; furnace heating and improved plumbing. J. A. Fowler, C.E., architect.

PUGWASH, N.S.—The Maritime Clay Works, Limited, have begun the erection of a plant for the manufacture of building and ornamental bricks, terra cotta, etc.; main building will be 60 x 61 feet, dryers 90 x 100 feet, and steel smoke stack 130 feet high. Robert Brownell, of Truro, is general manager.

ORILLIA, ONT.—Tenders closed on Monday last for building new high school in this town, from plans by King & Siddall, architects, Toronto.—S. H. Black has secured part of the Wallace property on the main street and will erect a brick block thereon, two stories, 24 x 80 feet, with plate glass front.

TRURO, N.S.—United States capitalists, including L. M. Shute, general manager of the Inter-Ocean Electric Elevated Railway, New Jersey, and John Crump, superintendent of docks, New York city, have secured a charter to build a railway from the Strait of Canso to Louisburg. W. H. Tremaine, C.E., of this town, recently made a survey of the route.

RAT PORTAGE, ONT.—On the 29th inst. the ratepayers will vote on a by-law to raise \$75,000 for the completion of the waterworks system. J. E. Switzer, town engineer, includes the following items in his estimate of cost: Excavations, refilling and pipe laying, \$33,558; 105½ tons

of pipe, \$3,260; horse connections \$32,550.

DORCHESTER, N.B.—The lowest tenders received for building school house were \$3,000 for brick building and \$7,000 for frame. As the board has voted only \$6,000 for the purpose, it is expected that new plans will be prepared and tenders invited again.—Humphrey Bowser will build a sash and door factory this spring.

PETERBORO, ONT.—The Board of Works will recommend the council to lay a number of gronolithic walks this summer.—A site has been selected for the proposed fire hall.—Smith township council invites tenders up to 26th inst. for supply of a road grader and portable stone crusher. Address, F. J. Bell, municipal clerk, this town.

PORT ARTHUR, ONT.—J. A. Ellis, architect, of Toronto, is just completing plans for a new school building in this town. Same architect is also preparing plans for residences for W. H. Whalen, merchant, C. H. Keeffer, barrister, and W. Langworthy, for a business block for J. T. Emerson, and for remodelling residence of J. D. King, all of this place.

CHATHAM, ONT.—J. L. Wilson & Son, architects, are preparing plans for brick school house in Howard township, stone foundation, slate roof, cost \$3,000, also for brick school house in section 6, Chatham township, cost \$1,600.—Powell & Carswell, architects, are preparing plans for new block in Tilbury for Mr. Crawford, cost \$10,000, and one for Mrs. McLean, cost \$6,000.

WALLACEBURG, ONT.—The Lake Erie & Detroit River Railway may build a station here.—The Board of Works has been instructed to secure tenders for repairing the approaches to east branch bridge. Several offers of fire hall sites were considered at last council meeting.—T. J. Rutley, architect, Chatham, will prepare plans for addition to public school in this town.

BRANTFORD, ONT.—The Stearns Bicycle Co. are considering the removal of their works to this city.—An agreement has been reached between the city council and the Grand River Electric and Power Co., of Paris, by which the latter secure a franchise to distribute electric light and power in this city. The company are to have their works in operation by October, 1900.

ROSSLAND, B. C.—A. C. Galt, barrister contemplates erecting a cottage, for which plans are now being prepared.—Hon. T. L. Daly will build a two storey residence, with gable roof.—J. J. Honeyman, architect, is preparing plans for a building for the Rossland Club, to cost \$10,000.—Plans are now being prepared for the building to be built by the Merchants' Bank of Halifax.—Dr. Doolittle, of Toronto, is in the city in connection with a project to establish a gas plant here.

HALIFAX, N.S.—It is reported that an engineer from England will arrive here shortly to arrange for building an electric tramway from this city to Bedford. The erection of the proposed pulp mill at St. Margaret's Bay will be carried on at the same time.—Attention is called to an advertisement in this issue inviting competitive plans for Infants' Home Building in this city. A diagram of the site can be seen at the office of this paper.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—A three-storey building will be erected at corner of Golding and Waterloo streets by Wm. Shaw, M. P. P.—The school trustees are considering the erection of a new school building in the north end.—The Cornplanters Refining Co. have secured a tract of land south of the exhibition ground on which to establish an oil depot.—H. H. Mott, architect, invites tenders up to 28th inst. for brick store and dwelling to be built for W. Shaw.—R. E. Coupe is about to erect