loss \$3,000.—Block at North Sydney, N. S., owned by W. G. Lane, of Yarmouth; insurance \$3,000.—Large store and office building at St. John, N. B., owned by the D. J. McLarghlin Estate. -Furniture store of Campbell Bros. at Vernon, B. C.; loss \$10,000.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

MONTREAL—D. C. Loomis & Sons have given a contract to T. A. Morrison & Co., this city, for a Champion stone crusher with boiler and engine.

HAMILTON, UNT. - The county council have accepted the tender of H. O'Hara & Company, of Toronto, for purchase of \$98,000 of debentures; price, \$96,653 and accrued interest at 37% per cent.

HULL, QUE.—Joseph Bourque has been awarded the contract for the erection of a church at l'Avenir, county of Nicolet, to cost about \$40,000. The were prepared by Alphonse plans Cantin.

PENETANGUISHENE, ONT.—N. Payette has secured the contract for erection of fine summer residence on Somerset Island for M. J. Mandelbaum, of Cleveland, Ohio. 1: will be 13x100 feet, with piers of round boulders and containing twelve bedrooms.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following transfers of vacant property in Toronto have recently been recorded.

Elm Street, s. s., rear No. 13-Ambrose Kent & Co. to F. L. Napolitano, 10x22, in rear of land, assessed in lot 22x60, on Elm street, price \$30.

Givens Street, w.s., No. 94-Catharine M. Paul to Wm. T. C. Keeler, 3x132, vacant land, price \$100.

Euclid Ave., e. s., near Bloor-North American Ave. to Frank Terry, 25x125, vacant land, rate \$14, price \$450.

Delaware Ave., w. s., near Hepbourne Street-John A. Alexander to Henry Alexander, 24x137, vacant land, rate \$13,

Arthur Street, s. s., near Gore Vale Ave. - Henry S. Mara to Isaac M. Moyer, 101x142, vacant land, price \$2,016.

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Delawate Ave., w.s., near Dewson Street-Jeannie Nesbitt to Eleanor Schulte, 22x137, vacant land, price \$418.

Concord Ave., w.s., near Bloor street -Minnie Drum to Atlas Loan Co., 30x

King Street, s. s., near 461-Toronto Lithographing Co. to Alfred Jephcott. 103x214, vacant land, price \$8,750.

King Street, s. s., near 461 -- Alfred Jephcott to Toronto Lithographing Co., Limited, same property as above, price

King Street, s. s., south-west corner Springhurst, Margaret Ryan to Thos.

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Dufferin Street, w s., south of No. 1138, Toronto General Trusts Corporation to Alexander Stewart, 50x130, price \$800. Albany Ave., w.s., n. of No. 20-Alice A. Gilkinson to Geo. W. Holmes, 39x

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