stood that J. R. Booth will shortly com mence the erection of a paper mill adjoining his pulp mill.—The Consumers' Electric Co, will construct a system of underground conduits, at a cost of

STRATFORD, ONT .- The rate pay-STRATFORD, ONT.—The rate payers will likely be asked to vote on a by-law to raise \$7,000 for new iron bridge over Lake Victoria at Waterloo street.—The Board of Works will ask for an appropriation of \$4,000 for another septic tank.—Progress is being made towards building the proposed electric railway from this city to St. Joseph, in which G. G. McPherson and N. M. Cantin are interested. The survey between Stratford and Hensall is to be commenced at once, and Hensall is to be commenced at once, and some 80,000 ties have been purchased.

ST. JOHN, N.B.-F. N. Brodie has prepared plans for remodelling a large building on the corner of Dock street and North wharf for the Ogilvie Milling Co. An elevator will be installed.—The enlargement of the waterworks system is under consideration by the Council. The aperintendent has submitted two reports. superintendent has submitted two reports. The first suggests bringing water from Spruce Lake, at a cost of \$24.900, and the second deals with a supply from Silver Fills reservoir, at a cost of \$40.000 to \$70,000, according to materials used.—H. P. Hayward is about to build a residence and brick stable on Queen's square.

MONTREAL, QUE.—A. F. Dunlop, architect, has completed plans for a residence on Guy street for G. Slack. Same dence on Guy street for G. Slack. Same architect is taking tenders on the basement work of a lighting and power plant for Carsley & Co., and has taken tenders on four separate 'flats' buildings on Oxenden avenue for William Tatley.—Building permits have been granted as follows: H. A. Allan, Commissioner follows: H. A. Allan, Commissioner street, improvements to office buildings, cost \$12,000; N. Pogeau, St. Catharine street, two houses, cost \$6,000; J. Perre-

ault, Aylwin street, two houses, cost \$5500; ault, Aylwin street, two houses, cost \$5500; Trustees St. Michael the Archangel Church, new church, Boucher and Drolet streets, cost 14,398; Ludger Mirault, Joliette street, two houses, cost \$5,000; Laing Packing Co., Mill street, warehouse, cost \$22,000; Estate H. B. Smith, Queen street, factory, cost \$6,000.—A. C. Leslie & Co., Canadian managers for John Lysaght, Limited, Bristol, England, have purchased property adjoining the have purchased property adjoining the Grand Trunk Railway offices on which they will build a large warehouse for handling their galvanized iron, etc.

WINNIPEG—MAN.—J. H. Agnew, Provincial Treasurer, will receive bids up to May 7th for \$146,000 drainage debentures.—H. C. Stone, architect, is taking tenders up to 23rd inst. for erection of a stone church on Broadway.—The Winnipeg Electric Street Railway Com-Winnipeg Electric Street Railway Company are taking tenders for the erection of several large buildings.—The Manitoba Iron Works, Logan Ave., are about to build a warehouse.—James Chisholm, architect, is this week taking tenders on improvements to All People's Mission building, Maple Street.—It is understoop that capitalists are negotiating for the

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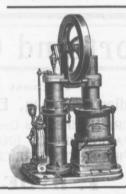
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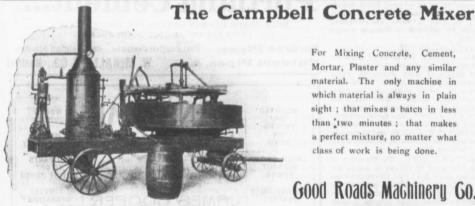


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