### FIRES.

Residence at Carleton Place, Ont., owned by Jos. Lahair—Brass foundry of Chadwick Bros., on King street east, Hamilton, damaged to the extent of \$10,000.—Residence of H. M. Whitney at Sydney, N.S., totally destroyed; loss \$20,000.—Balmoral Hotel at Britannia, Ont., leased by C. Mead, burned last week. The building was owned by Geo. Perkins.—Residence at Moose law, N. Perkins.—Residenc at Moose Jaw, N. W.T., owned by H. C. Massey.—A number of buildings in the village of Victoria Beach, near Digby, N.S., were destroyeb dy fire last week.

### CONTRACTS AWARDED.

SACKVILLE, N. B.-Richardson & Bucke have the contract for erecting as building for Capt. Pe.er Hanson.

BRAESILE, ONT .- The contract for Presbyterianc hurch has been let to W. Rudd; C. J. Gibson, Toronto, architect

COLLINGWOOD, ONT .- N. Smart has awarded the contract for building a new brick cased residence to J. Peterman.

QUEBEC, QUE .- The city council has let the contract for supply of water pipes to the Mortreal Pipe Foundry Co.

HAMILTON ONT.—The contract, for brickwork on F. W. Fearman & Co.'s factory addition has been given to George Webb.

PICTOU, N.S.—Willard Kitchen, of Fredericton, has secured the contract for new warf and freight shed at this place for the I.C.R.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.—The Canadian Niagara Power Co. have let the contract for tunnel and portal to A. C. Douglas. The price is over \$500,000.

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ROCKLAND, ONT .- J. P. McLaren, architect, of Ottawn, has awarded the contract for completing Presbyterian church to Guiroux Dailey.

OWEN SOUND, ONT .- The tender of A. W. Harrison, of Toronto, has been accepted for purchase of \$46,216.32, debentures at price of \$46,653 and accrued interest.

COATICOOK, QUE.--Mr. Shurtleff, of this place, has secured a contract to erect a building at Asbestos for the New York Asbestic Co., to cost about \$18,000.

PAISLEY, ONT .- Greenock township council has accepted the following tenders for bridge across Teeswater at Pinkerton : Superstructure, Hunter Bros. Bridge Co., Kincardine, \$1,235; concrete abut-ment, Adam Knox and William Welsford,

ST. JOHN, N. 3.—The tender of S. B. Lordly for supply of desks for Carleton

school building has been accepted .-Cushing & Co. are converting the Miller & Woodman saw mill into a box factory.
The contractors are: Power house and engine, B. Mooney & Sons; machinery, Fleming & Co.

LISTOWEL, ONT.—Horn & Calder are the successful tenders for the erection are the successful tenders for the erection of a new factory for the Canadian Bent Chair Co., to be 52 x 58 feet, three storeys, with two storey boiler house 34 x 36 feet. The sub-contractors are: Brickwork, George Frit; stone work, Kritzer Bros.; painting and roofing, J Seburger; plumbing, D. Boyer.

MONTREAL OUE.

MONTREAL, QUE. — Perrault & Lesage, architects, have accepted the following tenders for the erection of a seven story office building, 71-71A St. James street: Roofing, Bernier Freres; plaster-ing, N. Contant; painting and glazing, D. Belange; plumbing, D. Ouimet; heating, Joseph Lamarche; tinsmithing, I. Leclerc Fils; zinc ceiling, Pedlar



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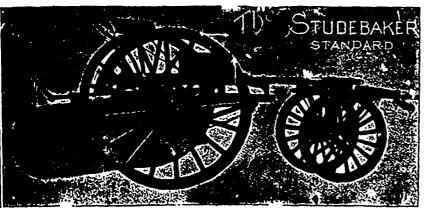
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