

St. John, totally destroyed; loss \$25,000.
 — Factory of the Canada Carriage Co. at Brockville, Ont., totally destroyed; loss \$200,000.—Moulding shop of the London Brass Co., 34 Carling street, London, Ont., damaged to extent of \$2,500.—Bishop Fur Co.'s plant at Sandwich, Ont., almost totally destroyed; loss \$20,000.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

GIBSON, N.B.—The Water Commissioners have awarded the contract for masonry for the new reservoir to George Miles.

PRINCE ALBERT, N. W. T.—The contract for building a post office here has been awarded to Lamoine & Fortin, of Pembroke, Ont., price \$80,000.

SYDNEY, N. S.—Heyl & Patterson, of Pittsburg, have secured the contract to install an additional electric crane in the washing plant of the Dominion Iron & Steel Co.

STRATHROY, ONT.—Frank Gutteridge and H. Edge, of Seaford, have been awarded the contract for the erection of a bank building here for the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

TORONTO, ONT.—The Jones & Moore Electric Co. have been given the contract to install two 500 light dynamos, direct connected to Robb engines, in W. A. Murray & Co.'s departmental store.

PORT COLBORNE, ONT.—The Dominion Government have awarded the contract for the foundations of the proposed elevator here to Larkin & Sangster of St. Catharines, price about \$200,000.

DUNNVILLE, ONT.—The contract for erection of House of Refuge for the county of Haldimand, to be located here, has been let to J. E. Cutler and M. Vanderburgh, of Welland, the contract price being \$17,500.

FREDERICTON, N. B.—The Commissioner of Public Works has awarded contracts to William Brewer for construction of the Munro bridge, McCallum Creek bridge, Forest City bridge and

Five Mile Brook bridge, all in York county.

MONTREAL, QUE.—The Canadian General Electric Co. have secured the contract to install a turbine power plant for the Canada Car Co. of this city.—The James Smari Manufacturing Co., of Brockville, have secured the contract for heating and ventilating the new East End Methodist church in this city. Three Kelsey generators will be used.

BIDS.

GALT, ONT.—Three tenders were received for the construction of Section No. 2 of the lateral sewers, as follows: J. F. Connolly, Toronto—For complete work, \$14,500; storm drains, \$2,500; house connections, \$1.90 per foot; street gulleys, \$40 each; connections, \$1.50 per foot; rock excavation, \$2.50 per cubic yard. Thomas Fletcher, Galt—Complete work, \$14,910.65; storm drains, \$2,513.70; house connections, \$1.75 per foot; street gulleys, \$45 each. Thomas McLaughlin—Work complete, including storm drains, \$16,251; house connections, \$2 per foot; street gulleys, \$35 each; rock excavation, \$3.16 per cubic yard. The engineer's estimate was \$11,615 for the work complete and \$2,890 for the storm drains. It is probable that new tenders will be invited.

U. Cyr & Fils, painters, St. Henri, Que., have dissolved.

BUSINESS NOTES.

The death is announced of Paul Breton, sr., contractor, Quebec.

Connery & Richardson, builders' suppliers, Winnipeg, have dissolved.

Jones & Henry, painters, Montreal, have dissolved, R. E. Jones continuing.

The dissolution is announced of A. Rousseau & Company, builders, Montreal.

H. Smith will continue the business carried on by Reid & Smith, painters, Winnipeg.

A demand of assignment is reported to have been made upon Arthur Chatelle, contractor, St. Henri, Que.

Octave Plant & Fils, plumbers, of Quebec, are announced to have assigned, with assets of \$1,390 and liabilities of \$2,770.

C. G. H. Chamberland & Company, painters, Montreal, have dissolved and the business will be continued by C. G. H. Chamberland.

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