

land. A. W. Campbell, C. E., of the Ontario Public Works Department, is having surveys made and will report.

LONDON, ONT.—H. C. McBride, architect, has prepared plans for an addition, 45 x 70 feet, to the House of Refuge at Clinton.—The Children's Aid Society intend building a new home, at an approximate cost of \$10,000.

PETERBOROUGH, ONT.—A joint committee of the council of the town of Peterborough and the village of Ashburnham have decided upon certain plans to provide a sewerage system for the latter village. Willis Chipman, C. E., of Toronto, has reported on a suitable plan.

QUEBEC, QUE.—It is rumored that the Fabrique of the parish of Jacques Cartier will build a convent on the corner of Richardson and King streets.—Ouellet & Leveque, architects, have in hand the building of a large addition to the factory of the St. Lawrence Furniture Co.—St. Pierre & Co. are preparing plans for new churches at Notre Dame du Rosaire and St. Method of Astock.

MONTREAL, QUE.—Building permits have been granted as follows: J. W. Wilson, 2 story bldg., Lincoln Ave., cost \$4,000; L. R. Bauleau, pair 3 story bldgs., Demontigny and Herville streets, cost \$2,250 each; Emil Rochon, 3 story bldg., St. Hubert street, cost \$3,000; Adeline Guibault, pair 2 story bldgs., Benville street, cost \$4,400; A. ex. McArthur & Co., 1 story bldg., Harbour Lagan, cost \$6,000; R. McCallum, 4 story bldg., Union Ave., cost \$18,000; Pierre Bedard, pair 2-story bldgs., St. Dominique street, cost \$4,000.

HAMILTON, ONT.—The various interests of the Westinghouse Company in Canada were last week consolidated and taken over by the Canadian Westinghouse Co., Limited. Ground is to be broken for the new works in this city within the next two weeks.—The Pittsburgh Steel Co. have been negotiating for the establishment of a branch here, and it is understood that building operations will be begun in the spring. William Goldberg will build frame cottages at corner of Caroline and Barton street.—T. W. Tobin will build two brick dwellings on Wilson street, at cost of \$3,500.

VICTORIA, B.C.—Plans for the new C.P.R. hotel here are being prepared by F. M. Rattenbury, architect.—The Victoria Chemical Co. purpose constructing works in Victoria harbor. Their solicitors are Langley & Martin, this city.—The property on Government street now occupied by Chung's fish market is owned by Los Angeles people, who contemplate erecting a three-story building on the site.—The British Columbia Government contemplates building new fish hatches, but has not yet decided as to the locations.

FREDERICTON, N.B.—The Provincial Government intend to carry out considerable bridge work within the next year. A stone and steel structure will be built to replace Hall's Creek bridge in Westmoreland county and a similar structure to replace the Norton bridge in King's county. The contract will likely be awarded this week for substructure of French Fort Cove bridge, parish of Newcastle, and within a few days tenders for steel superstructure of same will be invited. Repairs costing \$7,500 will be made at the Bathurst Basin bridge at Bathurst.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—The sum of \$40,000 appropriated by the Dominion Government for public buildings here will be used for a two-storey addition to the post office.—A wholesale warehouse is to be built on the south east corner of Bannatyne avenue and Adelaide street.—Work will be commenced immediately on

the basket factory to be erected by the Red Deer Lumber Co. Particulars may be obtained from W. Sydney Ronald, 48 Canada Life Building.—The city is about to undertake the following works: Sewers on St. John's avenue, cost \$15,290; on Binnatyne avenue, cost \$2,500; on Aberdeen avenue, cost \$1,361; on Victor street, cost \$995; asphalt pavements on Victor street, from Notre Dame to Wellington avenue, cost \$5,878; on Wellington Crescent, cost \$5,103; on Boyd avenue, cost \$7,667; on Alexander avenue east, cost \$5,148; cedar lock pavements on lane between Kennedy street and Vaughan street, cost \$1,545; on Redwood avenue, cost \$3,935; macadam pavement on Good street, cost \$4,931; asphalt pavement on Assiniboine avenue, from Kennedy street to Osborne street, cost \$10,650.

TORONTO, ONT.—The Davies Brewery property on the north-east corner of Queen street and the Don Esplanade has been purchased by John Dick, textile manufacturer, who will establish a plant for the making of bags and kindred articles.—The J. F. Brown Co. have purchased the property at 189 and 191 Yonge street. For immediate requirements the present building will be improved, but it is Mr. Brown's intention to eventually replace it by an entirely new building.—Tenders are wanted at 144 Garden avenue for brick, stone and carpenter work of dwelling.—A. F. Wickson, architect, has reported that the cost of reconstructing the Berkeley street fire hall would be \$10,000 and that an entirely new structure would cost \$25,000. The fire and light committee has recommended a new hall.—It is reported that the Toronto Electric Light Company have engaged an expert to examine their

plant and suggest such improvements as may be rendered necessary by the transmission of power from Niagara Falls.—J. L. Hughes, public school inspector, has asked the city council to dispose of the old Bathurst street school to the school teachers of the city for the sum of \$11,000, the teachers agreeing to remove the present building and erect in its place a substantial building to be used as a Teachers' Home.—Pikington Bros., glass manufacturers, of St. Helens, England, have purchased the property at the south-east corner of Queen and Simcoe streets and will next spring erect thereon a large warehouse.—R. J. Kennedy, 2 Portland street, wants separate tenders for brick work and carpentry of three houses on O'Hara avenue.—C. C. Van Every, representing St. Louis capitalists, has opened negotiations with the assessment commissioner for the lease of a site on Ward's Island on which to build a large summer hotel.—The city engineer is making surveys for the proposed bridge over the tracks at the foot of Yonge street.—John Galt, C.E., of this city, has prepared plans for improving the water-works system of St. Johns, Newfoundland. The source of water supply is at Windsor Lake, about five miles from the city.—The accommodation of the Y. M. C. A. building, corner of Yonge and McGill streets, is inadequate, and at a meeting of the directors last week the question of enlarging the building was considered.—The Ontario Government will proceed at once with the new building for boys to be built at the Mimico Industrial School.—The cost will be about \$10,000.—Tenders will be invited shortly for alterations and additions to the Brockton and Yonge street fire halls.—The city engineer has been asked to report on a

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