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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sea'ed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for School," will be received until

Monday, the 22nd Day of March, A.D., 1897, for the Building of a Union School at the Village of

for the Building of a Union School at the Village of Newcastle.

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Dated at Newcastle this 6th day of March, AD., 1807.

GEORGE CURTIS,
Sec'y Board of Education for the Village of Newcastle.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

JERSEYVILLE, ONT .- William Hariot intends erecting a new residence.

RICHMOND, QUE.-Tenders are asked for lighting the town by electricity.

THESSALON, ONT .- The Presbyterians intend erecting a church next summer.

BLENHEIM, ONT.—Chatham lodge I O.O.F. have decided to erect a \$15,000 block.

PORTSMOUTH, ONT.—The Presbyterians are agitating for the erection of a church.

BELLE RIVER, ONT .- It is the intention of the residents to build a cheese factory this spring.

BRANDON, MAN .- It is stated that Thomas McLea will erect a residence next

RIDGETOWN, ONT.—The congregation of the R. C. church will build a residence, to cost \$1,200.

ELMIRA, ONT .- St. Jacob's Evangeline church have decided to build a new parsonage this summer.

LEAMINGTON, ONT .- Mr. Selkirk, postmaster, will erect a two-storey building to be used as a post-office.

GALT, ONT .- The town proposes to spend \$50,000 on street improvements during the next three years.

FORT FRANCES, ONT .- The Ontario overnment will be asked to erect a reduction plant at this point.

SANDWICH, ONT.—A by-law will be voted on to raise \$10,000 for improvements to the court house and jail.

ORMSTOWN, QUE.—St. Paul's Presbyterian church congregation propose to erect a hall for congregational purposes.

SANDRINGHAM, ONT.—Tenders for the McGregor Creek drain close on Saturday next. R. C. McGregor, township clerk.

SARNIA, ONT .- The Bushnell Oil Company has purchased the Alpha Refining Works here and will reconstruct the build-

AYLMER, ONT.—The town council are considering the question of building a new fire hall and making improvements to the town hall.

FERGUS, ONT .- A committee appointed at the annual meeting of Meiville church have reported in favor of the erection of a new church.

KINGSTON, ONT .- Arthur Ellis, architect, is preparing plans for a brick residence for Doctor Gardiner, to be erected at Seely's Bay.

MONCTON, N. B.-Authority is sought from the Provincial legislature to raise \$40,000 by debentures for erecting a new school building.

STONEY CREEK, ONT.—The township council have decided to submit a by-law to the ratepayers for the erection of a town hall for Saltsieet.

STURGEON FALLS, ONT.—Tenders are invited by W. A. Cockburn until the 12th inst. for an electric light franchise for a term of ten years.

SYDNEY, N. S.—A bill has been intro-duced in Parliament to enable the town to borrow money for the extension of its waterworks system.

COLCHESTER SOUTH, ONT. - P. O'-Connor will shortly let the contract for a new residence. Work will commence about the 1st of May.

CALGARY, N. W. T.—The city council has decided to build a steel bridge over the Elbow, estimated cost \$3,000. Money to be raised by debentures.

KEEWATIN, ONT .- The Dick Banning water power is reported to have been purchased by an Ottawa syndicate, who propose erecting reduction works.

STRATFORD, ONT.—The city council will purchase a steam road roller.—The township council of West Zorra is considering the purchase of a road grader.

WINDSOR, ONT.—The town is considering a proposition made by the C. P. R. to erect an elevator, to cost not less than \$100,000. A bonus of \$25,000 is asked.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B .- Captain Stevenson, architect, has prepared plans for the proposed town hall, which will be of brick, two stories and basement, with modern improvements.

GUELPH, ONT .- J. Hutcheon, city en-gineer, will receive tenders until Friday, the 12th inst., for the building of a bridge on Wellington street, to be either stone arch, iron, or wooden truss.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.-J. B. McFayden proposes erecting a modern brick stable.

Mr. A. W. Campbell, road commissionrecently delivered an address on the subject of road improvement.

STOUFFVILLE, ONT .- The question of procuring a water supply is under consideration.-Mr. James McDougall, C. E., of Toronto, recently made surveys and will report on the cost of building a reservoir at the springs, about two miles north of the town.

GODERICH, ONT. - The International School Teachers' Home Association of the State of Missouri have secured a large tract of land at Menesetung Park, adjoining