

the Canada Foundry Co., makes the announcement that plans are being prepared for a large extension to the works of the company in the north-west part of the city, for which purpose an additional 100 acres of land have been purchased.—It has been definitely decided to erect a new Catholic church to take the place of St. Patrick's church on Wellington street. Rev. Father Barrett is in charge of the parish.—York Township Council will invite tenders for a bridge at Buchanan's Hill.—Building permits have been granted as follows: Acme Loan & Savings Co., three pair two-storey and attic semi-detached brick dwellings, 191-201 Shaw street, cost \$10,800; Metropolitan Bank, alterations to front of bank, corner of Bathurst and College streets, cost \$1,500; William Halls, two-storey rough cast dwelling, brick foundation, Boustead avenue, near Dundas street, cost \$1,400; D. S. Schwalm, pair semi-detached two-storey and attic brick dwellings, 176-178 Ossington avenue, cost \$4,000; W.A. Clark, two-storey and attic brick dwelling, Dupont street, near Walmer road, cost \$2,800; York County Loan & Savings Co., four detached brick and stone dwellings, Roncesvalles avenue, cost \$9,000.

FIRES.

Electric light plant at Tweed, Ont., owned by Steinhoff & Cordon, of Wallaceburg, totally destroyed; loss \$4,000, no insurance.—Roller mills of John Schoenhalz at Port Albert, Ont.; loss \$15,000.—Departmental store of Stanley Mills & Co., Hamilton, completely gutted; loss, \$50,000.—Hotel at Ilderton, Ont., owned by Robert Paisley; loss \$3,500, partly covered by insurance.—Shilson's general store at Snowflake, Man.—Works of the McClary Manufacturing Co., London, Ont., damaged to the extent of \$40,000. The heavy machinery on the ground floor was saved.—Residence of Sir Richard Cartwright, O'Connor street, Ottawa, damaged to extent of \$2,000.—Shannon's saw mill north of Prince Albert, N. W. T.; loss \$10,000.—Mount Royal Club building, Montreal, damaged to extent of \$15,000.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

SAND POINT, ONT.—The contract for building hoop and stave factory here has been let to V. A. Barnett, of Arnprior.

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LEVIS, QUE.—Thomas Power, this place, has secured the contract for building a dam for Barrett & Co., estimated cost \$15,000.

VICTORIA, B. C.—George Snider, this city, is the successful tenderer for building two-storey brick school house at Esquimalt.

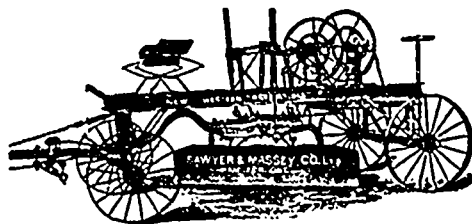
OTTAWA, ONT.—Thos. McLaughlin has been awarded the contract for stone and foundation work for bridge across the Ottawa river, at Bout de Pisle for the Chateauguay Northern Railway. There will be fourteen piers and four abutments.

HAMILTON, ONT.—Charles Mills, architect, has accepted the following tenders for store building for Stanley Mills & Co.: Carpenter work, Hugh

McKellar; brick and terra cotta, Toronto Pressed Brick & Terra Cotta Co.; iron work and tinsmithing, R. G. Olmstead; steel work, Hamilton Bridge Work Co. Building will be four storeys, with front of Connecticut brown stone, pressed brick and terra cotta.

MONTREAL, QUE.—The C. P. R. have let the contract for another erecting shop to Lessard & Harris.

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