The Georgian Bay Power Company are asking for tenders up to January 26th for the construction of a tunnel in connection with their power development project at Eugenia Falls.

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PERSONAL

Mr. J. W. Davis has recently been appointed manager of the publicity department of the Canadian Rand Drill Co., in which new position we wish him entire success.

Canada's Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Hon. Raymond Prefontaine, died very suddenly in Paris on December 28th. His death was due to angina pectoris.

It is understood that Willis Chipman, C.E., of Toronto, has been engaged by the corporation of Prince Albert, N. W.T., to report on a water power about ten miles from that place.

Mr. C. F. Gildersleeve, formerly general manager of the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Company, is dangerously ill. Dr. Roddick, Montreal, has been called to the bedside.

Mr. A. Eugene Michel has recently entered the employ of the Geo. H. Gibson Co., advertising engineers, Park Row Building, New York City, having resigned as assistant advertising manager of the Standard Paint Co. Mr. Michel is a graduate of the Rose Polytechnic Institute, and his professional experience includes: two years in the engineering department of the Diamond Chain Works of the Federal Manufacturing Co., charge of the testing department of the Ewart Mfg. Co., and the assistant managership of the department of publicity of the International Steam Pump Co., under Mr. Gibson.

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MUNICIPAL WORKS, ETC.

The Town Council of Aurora, Ont., will install a new system of water-works at an expenditure of \$10,000.

The Town Council of Carberry, Man., are considering the installation of an electric light plant, at a probable cost of \$15,000.

A by-law will likely be submitted to the ratepayers of Vancouver, B. C., to provide \$30,000 for the purpose of establishing a modern crematory.

The ratepayers of Bobcaygeon, Ont., granted a by-law on January 1st to raise \$25,000 for the purchase of a water power and establishment of an electric light plant.

The Trenton Electric & Water Company have agreed to extend until February 1 the time allowed the council for a decision in respect to the lighting contract. They have also agreed to make the term three instead of five years,

The City Council of St. John, N. B., have appropriated the sum of \$400 for the purpose of securing a report from an engineer on the water power at the Reversible Falls. It is probable that Mr. C. H. Vogel, of Ottawa, will be engaged.

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TELEGRAPH & TELEPHONE

The New Brunswick Telephone Company will build a trunk line between St. John and Fredericton.

The Central Telephone Company, Sackville, N.B., have bought out the Sackville Electric Light & Telephone Company, improvements will be made.

G. M. Kenzie, C. P. R. operator at Kenton, Man., has perfected an automatic device for calling another office which will do the work of a man in this respect. He expects it to greatly facilitate telegraphy.

The City Council of Vancouver, B.C., has required the use, by all telephone and call box companies, of proper protection devices to be connected to their circuits where they enter buildings.

The Canadian Machine Telephone Company have secured a twenty-one years' franchise for a telephone system in the city of Brantford, Ont. The franchise provides that the company must start work by May 1st next, and the system be installed within twelve months. It is understood that as soon as possible the erection of an office building will be commenced.

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NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Ontario.—New York and Canadian Milling Co., Toronto, \$40,000. G. R. Geary, F. D. Byers, O. F. Taylor, L. Duff, E. Dickey.

The Sudbury Machine Shop and Foundry Co., Sudbury, \$40,000; D. H. Haight, J. Lawson, Copper Cliff, Ont.; A. B. Gordon, L. O'Connor, Sudbury, Ont.; O. R. Smith, Victoria Mines, Ont.

The Dwyer Mining Co., Toronto, \$100,000. J. B. Le-Roy, M. LeRoy, J. R. Humphreys, H. R. Frost, Toronto; D. R. Dwyer, Seattle, Wash.

Vermilion River Iron Ore Co., Toronto, \$80,000; C. C. Yerkes, Northville, Mich.; F. Denton, J. W. McDonald, M. A. McKessock, E. A. Francis, Toronto.

The Thorold Natural Gas Co., Toronto, \$40,000; C. A. Moss, W. Gilchrist, J. C. Radenhurst, R. Credicott, J. A. Thompson, Toronto.

The Wendigo Progressive Mining and Development Co., New Liskeard, \$40,000; J. Cox, S. D. Eplett, A. N. Morgan, New Liskeard; G. W. Slade, J. W. Foreman, Dymond, Ont.; J. McFarlane, Harris, Ont.

Dymond Development Co., Ottawa, \$250,000; C. W. F. Gorrell, A. T. Shillington, Ottawa; B. J. Arnold, W. L. Arnold, R. G. Arnold, Chicago, Ill.

The Terrill Cobalt Mining Co., Sault Ste. Marie, \$100,-000; W. E. Gimby, D. I. Miller, A. G. Terrill, W. B. Moorehouse, A. McIntyre, G. Woolrich, J. A. Shannon, G. W. Shotts, J. A. McPhail, F. Rogers, Sault Ste. Marie; R. H. Schultz, Toronto; H. H. Taylor, R. J. McKeone, W. R. Bacon, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

The Siche Gas Co., Toronto, \$100,000; F. L. H. Sims, J. H. Chewett, A. I. Chewett, F. Sims, R. G. Hunter, Toronto.

Dominion.—The Dominion Brazing Co., Montreal, \$100,-000; A. Hendery, W. Eckenstein, Montreal; H. L. Dinning, Lachine, Que.; C. Ralph, Longueuil, Que.; C. A. Duclos, Westmount, Que.

Dominion Steel Car Co., Montreal, \$500,000; E. F. Surveyer, A. C. Casgrain, C. M. Cotton, J. W. Weldon, S. J. LeHuray, Montreal.

The Turret Bell Co., Toronto, \$200,000; G. G. Ruel, R. P. Ormsby, G. F. Macdonnell, F. C. Annesley, Lorne W. Mitchell, Toronto.

Jamaica Light and Power Co., Montreal, \$250,000; J. Hutchison, C. J. Fleet, W. G. Brown, Montreal; G. M. Webster, H. Holgate, Westmount, Que.

Canadian Consolidated Mines, Toronto, \$5,500,000; H. S. Osler, W. B. Raymond, F. Ford, G. C. Loveys, W. W. Livingston, J. M. Ewing, B. Osler, Toronto.

The Central Heat, Light and Power Co., Montreal \$500,000; S. Carsley, W. F. Carsley, S. Carsley, Jr., C. Morton, M. Goldstein, Montreal.

Robert Gardner & Son, Montreal, \$140,000; R. Gardner, J. Gardner, W. Gardner, D. Currie, J. B. Rowley, Montreal.

The MacArthur Construction Co. of Canada, Montreal, \$6,000,000; A. MacArthur, A. F. MacArthur, Chicago, Ill.; J. R. MacArthur, New York, N.Y.; W. J. Poupore, G. C. Foster, Montreal.

Empire Construction Co., Montreal, \$1,000,000; L. C. de Buiseret, E, Fichefet, C. Goffinet, L. Goffin, L. Grenier, G. Marquet, J. D'Oultremont, Armand Rouffart, E. Rouffart, Belgium; J. B. Tudhope, Orillia, Ont.; H. W. Fleury, Aurora, Ont.; P. Galibert, F. Gauthier, Montreal.

Grosvenor Electric Light and Heat Co., Montreal, \$125,-000; J. W. A. Hickson, H. B. Picken, T. P. Howard, J. R. Hyde, H. M. Marler, Montreal.