

**BIRTLE, MAN.**—The Northern Elevator Co. will build an elevator here.

**NORTH HATLEY, QUE.**—Mrs. Towne, of Brookline, Mass., has purchased a site on which to build a summer cottage.

**NORTH NATION MILLS, QUE.**—The rumor is again revived that the W. C. Edwards Co., of Ottawa, will establish a pulp mill here.

**BURK'S FALLS, ONT.**—The council will submit to the ratepayers a by-law to raise \$20,000 to assist Knight Bros. in enlarging their factory.

**STURGEON FALLS, ONT.**—The town council have submitted a proposition to the Lake Dechenes Milling Co. to establish a branch here.

**COATICOOK, QUE.**—The Coaticook Water Co. are about to construct a new reservoir.—The council will put down concrete sidewalks.

**ROSSLAND, B. C.**—The Department of Public Works at Ottawa invite tenders up to September 10th for erection of post office at this place.

**GEORGEVILLE, QUE.**—The Owl's Head Hotel Co. will build a large hotel this fall, to be five stories, 75 x 200 feet. Plans have been prepared.

**OWEN SOUND, ONT.**—A. J. Spencer, town treasurer, invites bids up to September 8th for purchase of \$28,117.44 five per cent. debentures.

**ORILLIA, ONT.**—N. James & Son are making a large addition to their veneer factory, and purpose putting in some new wood-working machinery.

**BROCKVILLE, ONT.**—W. S. Buell, chairman Finance Committee, wants offers by September 7th for purchase of \$100,000 twenty year 4 per cent debentures.

**SHERBROOKE, QUE.**—Mr. Clement is having some alterations made in the plans of his proposed opera house. He expects that work will be commenced in October.

**THESSALON, ONT.**—At a public meeting, held last week, a resolution was passed favoring the issue of debentures for the installation of an electric light plant.

**WINDSOR, ONT.**—The Windsor Bent Goods Co. invite tenders up to 31st inst. for the erection of a factory, including store room, engine room, water and fuel room.

**MEDICINE HAT, N.W.T.**—Tenders for sinking a natural gas well, a depth of 800 feet, are invited up to September 1st. Particulars from W. H. Adair, town clerk.

**LONDON, ONT.**—Engineer McKay, of the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway, has gone over the ground for the switches to be built to the C. P. R. and G. T. R. tracks.

**SELKIRK, MAN.**—The Selkirk Electric Railway Co. are taking steps looking to the early commencement of their proposed electric road between this place and Winnipeg.

**ANNAPOLIS, N.S.**—A syndicate of American capitalists have purchased Becman's mountain, west of Digby Gut, and intend erecting thereon a large summer hotel and several cottages.

**ORILLIA, ONT.**—It is rumored that Allan McPherson intends erecting a new Y.M.C.A. building in this town, to be equipped with gymnasium and other modern conveniences.

**WARKWORTH, ONT.**—The building of an electric road in this vicinity is under consideration by Mr. Harden and Mr. Blackmar, of Toledo, Ohio. E. Cochrane, M.P., is also interested.

**NIAGARA FALLS SOUTH, ONT.**—Mr. Acheson, president of the Carborundum works at Niagara Falls, N.Y., has purchased property on Lundy's Lane on which he will erect a residence.

**EDMONTON, N. W. T.**—Tenders are asked by the corporation up to September 25th for the purchase of \$25,000 of debentures, in lots of \$5,000 each. Particulars from G. J. Kinnaird, secretary treasurer.

**KAMLOOPS, B. C.**—A bridge, to cost \$1,500, will be built across the Thompson river at this place.—Tenders are invited by the Dominion Government up to September 13th for erection of a post office at this place.

**WESTON, ONT.**—There is an agitation among the ratepayers for the construction of a waterworks system.—An American syndicate proposes to renovate the woollen mill here, and in the near future erect a large wall paper factory.

**MALLORYTOWN, ONT.**—J. F. Kelly invites tenders up to September 1st for furnishing material and building piers and approaches for a bridge at Larue's mills, in township of Front. Plans at office of J. W. Lane, M.D., this place.

**ALMONTE, ONT.**—The directors of the Almonte Rink Co. expect to proceed in the near future with the erection of the proposed buildings, for which plans have been prepared by Andrew Bell, architect.

**REGINA, N.W.T.**—J. S. Dennis, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, wants tenders by 31st inst. for erection of library addition to the legislative building, and to the 30th inst. for the erection of a bridge over Wascana Creek.

**SYDNEY, C.B.**—It is said that New York capitalists will build a railway from Point Tupper to Louisburg. Dr. Kennedy, of this place, is interested in the project.—The cost of the proposed railway and bridge will be in the neighborhood of \$8,000,000.

**CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I.**—W. C. Harris, architect, has prepared plans for a new building to be built on the site now occupied by the Apothecaries Hall. The building will be 70x42 feet, three stories, with concrete floors, elevator, etc. Nova Scotia stone will be used.

**LEAMINGTON, ONT.**—The owners of the Deming House will likely rebuild it.—Surveys have been made by a Dominion Government engineer for a wharf to be built at this place, a grant of \$15,000 having been made for the purpose.

**HULL, QUE.**—Tenders for building fire and police station are asked by F. Boulton, city clerk, up to September 4th; plans by Bernier & Brodeur, architects.—A by-law will be submitted to the council to raise \$28,000 with which to build a city hall, to be built of brick.

**PORT COLBORNE, ONT.**—The council has authorized the clerk to invite tenders up to September 3rd for construction of cement sidewalks.—Large quantities of materials are being used in connection with the harbor improvements here. The piers will be 600 feet long.

**LAC DU BONNET, MAN.**—It is expected that a new saw mill and a brick yard will be established at this place. A new summer hotel is also looked for.—The new cement company, recently formed, intend to begin the erection of a first class plant in September.

**MORRISBURG, ONT.**—The corporation invites tenders up to September 4th for the erection of an electric lighting and power plant, to include three distinct sections, as follows: Hydraulic development and building, water wheels and steam works, electric plant. Particulars from Geo. F. Bradfield, reeve.

**COLLINGWOOD, ONT.**—Fred. T. Hodson, architect, is preparing plans for a two story and basement residence, corner of Third and Oak streets, for John Hogg, to be built of brick.—Capt. Currie and Eugene Coste have secured a franchise to supply gas in Collingwood. They agree to complete a system of gas mains within two years.

**BRANTFORD, ONT.**—No tenders were received by the city for construction of cement and plank walks, and it has been decided to carry out the work by day labor.—The city engineer has been instructed to prepare plans for proposed flood prevention works, including the building of new head gates.

**ST. JOHN, N. B.**—Edward Maming, secretary board of school trustees, invited tenders up to August 31st for erection of public school building at Carleton. Plans by H. H. Mott, architect.—The Board of Public Safety is in favor of engaging an expert to report on the cost of installing a municipal electric light plant.

**CHATHAM, N.B.**—F. C. Coffin, C.E., of Boston, has been engaged to prepare plans for proposed waterworks and sewerage systems for this town. The supply of 600,000 gallons will be obtained from Garrison Brook. An electric light plant, for which plans are being prepared, will be erected in connection with the pumping station.

**SARNIA, ONT.**—R. W. Fawcett, architect, has recently prepared plans for the following buildings: Presbyterian church at Tiverton, cost \$10,000; Methodist church at Sarnia, cost \$9,000; Methodist church at Medicine Hat, cost \$8,000; dwelling house at Sarnia, cost \$3,000; dwelling house at Plympton, cost \$1,800; dwelling house at Sarnia, cost \$1,400.

**PELEE ISLAND, QUE.**—Plans are being prepared for the Pelee dock. It will be 420 feet out into the lake, 15½ feet deep, of solid crib work, built of round timbers, the superstructure to be of timber 12 x 12 in. chwide. There will be an L 50 x 60 feet. The work will probably be built by contract.

**SHAWINIGAN FALLS, QUE.**—A company, entitled the Belgo-Canadian Pulp & Paper Co., has been organized in Brussels, Germany, and will build pulp and paper mills at this place. The plans for the pulp mill, sulphite mill, and paper mill are being prepared by A. C. Rice, of Worcester, Mass. The building of the ground wood pulp mill will be commenced at once and is to be completed by June, 1901.

**KINGSTON, ONT.**—It is expected that next year a new steel reservoir will likely be built at St. Mary's cemetery.—Tenders for remodelling the Nickle wing of the General Hospital were opened last week, but the governors may postpone the work until next season.—Power & Son, architects, are taking tenders this week for additions and improvements to the residence and surgery of Dr. Third, Wellington street.

**FREDERICTON, N. B.**—Hon. C. H. Labllois, acting commissioner of works, has issued tenders for the following works: Salisbury, Westmoreland Co.; highway bridge; Gullivar bridge, Bas du Vin, Northumberland Co.; Molasses Hill bridge, Upper Blackville, Northumberland Co.; Dunlap bridge, Gloucester Co.; McIntosh bridge, Cloucestre Co.; Indian bridge, Madawaska Co.; Rolph bridge, North West Miramichi, Northumberland Co.; Long Marsh Creek bridge, Riverside, Albert Co.

**VICTORIA, B. C.**—The Grand Forks and Kettle River railway charter was thrown out by the legislature last week.—Application has been made to the provincial legislature to incorporate the Lake Bennett Railroad Co., to build a railway from the Adey river to Lake Bennett.—Work is about to be commenced on the erection of a doctor's residence at the Jubilee Hospital.—Mayor Houston invites tenders up to September 15th for purchase of debentures as follows: Fifteen thousand dollars for extending the water system; \$15,000 for extending the electric light system; \$20,000 for extending the sewer system; \$20,000 for street improvement, and \$6,000 for a road making plant.