

the placing and fitting of a new gutter and moulding; the supply of lead pipe, lubricating oils and boiler purger.—Plans for the new Knox Presbyterian church are now under consideration and it is expected that a decision will be reached in the near future.—The Council are about to undertake the construction of asphalt pavements on the following streets: Bernard avenue, from St. George street to Spadina road, cost \$5,206; Birch avenue, from Yonge street to west end, cost \$8,381; Delaware avenue, from Bloor to Shanley street, cost \$7,202, and from Shanley to Van Horne street, cost \$13,106; Hepburne street, from Ossington avenue to Dovercourt road, cost \$5,425. A brick pavement will be constructed on Charlotte street, from King to Adelaide street, cost \$3,734.—Tenders will be received by the Board of Control up to Tuesday, February 6th, for the construction of the following sewers: Shaw street, from Bloor to Dupont; Grace street, from a point 970 feet north of College street to 500 feet further north. It is also proposed to construct an 18 inch tile pipe sewer on Avenue road, from St. Clair to Lonsdale avenue, at a cost of \$4,500.—A. W. Holmes, architect, is asking for tenders up to 27th inst. for erection of St. Peters church, Bloor street west.—Charles F. Wagner, architect, has prepared plans for the Kew Beach Presbyterian church to be built on corner of Queen street and Winnifred avenue, at a cost of \$10,000.—Dr. Sheard has decided to recommend that a crematory be erected in the northwestern section of the city.—The Board of Control has recommended that the city purchase a fire hall site on the north side of Adelaide street, between York and Simcoe streets.—Building permits have been granted as follows: Bond & Smith, two-storey and attic brick dwelling, 57 Admiral road, \$5,500; J. T. Montgomery, two-storey brick dwelling, stone foundation, Thorne street, \$2,000; W. J. McGowan, 2½-storey stone and brick dwelling, corner Bathurst and Herrick streets, \$3,000; W. J. Greenway, 2½-storey brick dwelling, Pearson avenue, \$3,500; Toronto General Hospital, alterations to building, Gerrard street east, \$4,000; Home Bank of Canada, three-storey and basement stone and brick bank, corner Queen and Bathurst streets, \$15,000; Mrs. H. Austin, 2½-storey brick dwelling, corner Prince Arthur avenue and Bedford road, \$9,000; Charles Mould & Co., three attached two-storey roughcast dwellings, Franklin avenue, \$3,600; Fred W. Cox, two-storey stone and brick drug store, butcher shop and stable, 219-221 Pape avenue, \$4,000; D. Caplan, 2½-storey brick store and dwelling, stone foundation, 128 Elizabeth street, \$4,000; Ontario Wind Engine and Pump Co., three storey and basement brick factory, corner Liberty and Jefferson, \$8,000; W. J. Thompson, pair 2½ storey brick veneer dwellings, 564-566 Delaware avenue, \$3,800; Miss Thomas, two-storey brick dwelling, 23 Lindsay avenue, \$2,000; T. McNea, pair two-storey roughcast buildings, brick fronts and foundation, Brooklyn avenue, \$2,400; Bell Bros., pair two-storey brick and wood dwellings, Ritchie avenue, \$4,000; J. Bryant, three two-storey and attic stone and brick dwellings, Grace street, \$6,000; Nat Ray, pair 2½-storey brick dwellings, 1419-1421 Queen street east, \$4,400; E. C. Tuckett, two-storey and attic dwellings and stores, brick and cement, corner Conduit and Dundas streets, \$5,000; H. M. Deeth, pair 2 1/2-storey brick dwellings, Delaware avenue, \$4,200; John J. McKinney, four pair 2½ storey brick dwellings, Cooze street, \$20,000; Toronto Railway Company, two-storey concrete and brick waiting room and office, corner of Dundas street and Howard Park ave., 3,230; Edmund Elliott, pair two-storey

brick dwellings, stone foundations, 15-17 Beatrice street, \$5,000.—New tenders are invited by the Board of Control up to Thursday, February 8th, for the excavation, carpenter work, etc., for the new Ferry buildings.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

FORT FRANCIS, ONT.—Cold storage warehouse for L. Christie: J. F. McKenzie, contractor.

WHITBY, ONT.—The Keystone Sugar Company have let the contract for a sugar factory to cost \$150,000.

GLACE BAY, N.S.—Hotel at Reserve Mines for Dominion Coal Company: William Curry, contractor.

MONTREAL, QUE.—John Allan & Sons have been awarded the contract for roofing the wing of the Windsor Hotel destroyed by fire.

MITCHELL, ONT.—A. Hill & Company have secured the contract for an overhead bridge in Grey township, 93 feet in length, concrete floor, cost about \$1,800.

PARRY SOUND, ONT.—The tender of Allis-Chalmers-Ballock, Limited, Montreal, has been accepted for supply of a generator for the municipal lighting plant, at \$6,600.

VICTORIA, B. C.—The Victoria Machinery Depot have secured the contract for building a large barge for the E. & N. Railway Company, price about \$50,000.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.—The contract for heating the General Hospital has been let to James Smart Manufacturing Company, Brockville, at \$1,550. The R. F. Carter Electric Company will furnish the electric equipment, at \$400.

FORT FRANCIS, ONT.—The Atikokan Ore Company will push the work on their blast furnaces. Contracts for structural steel work have been awarded to the Canada Foundry Company, Toronto, Caledonian Iron Works, Montreal,

and the Canadian Bridge Company.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—Marchand & Haskell, architects, have awarded the contract for the construction of the St. Boniface cathedral to Senecal & Smith, of St. Boniface, at \$225,000, exclusive of heating, lighting or furnishing. The contract for the cut stone and mason work has been given to the Winnipeg Stone Company. The work will be commenced immediately.

BIDS.

OTTAWA, ONT.—The following tenders were received for masonry and carpentry work of Fat Stock Show building: Masonry, brick work, etc.—Alex. Garvock, with brick walls, \$20,950; with red instead of gray facing, \$22,426; with gray block walls, \$21,406; gray block walls, red facing (specification), \$22,971. Carpentry—August Boehmer, \$9,965; Christin & McCready, \$10,233; A. G. Marshall, \$10,250. New tenders will likely be invited.

FIRES.

Yards and plant of the Manitoba Lumber Company, Carman, Man., totally destroyed; loss \$10,000.—Grand Trunk Railway station, freight shed and agent's residence at Aylmer, Ont., totally destroyed.—Sailing's saw mill at Eagle Lake, Ont.; loss \$6,000.—Furniture store of Walter Tai', Perth, Ont.; loss \$3,000.

A. N. Bail, contractor, Maisonneuve, Que., is reported to have assigned.

The death occurred last week of John Bruce, contractor, Ottawa, at the age of 55 years.

The annual meeting of the Edrans-Brandon Pressed Brick Company was held at Brandon, Man., last week, when directors were elected for the ensuing year. R. S. Thompson is president, Robert Sward vice-president, and E. H. Johnson, secretary-treasurer.

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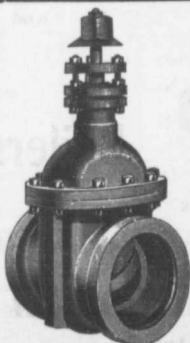
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