FIRES.

Elevator at Morden, Man., leased by Kellett, Parkes & Riley, —Woolen mills at Lanark, Ont., owned by W. C. Caldwell, M. P. P.; loss \$3,000, covered by insurance—Woodworking factory of Rhodes, Curry & Co., at Amberst, N. S., damaged to the extent of \$4,000.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

FINCH, ONT. - Mr. Ramsay, of Cornwall, has secured the contract for sewer; price, \$3,099.

STRATFORD, ONT.—The contract for stone and brick work for rebuilding the Classic City Mills has been set to Mayor Stamp.

SUSSEX, N. B .- The contract for laying pipes for water-works and sewerage sys-tems and building reservoir has been let to Mr. Mulhall, of Liverpool, N. S

SMITH'S FALLS, ONT.—The contract for C. O'Reilly's hotel has been let to Brown & Cooper, of Toronto, at \$24,600. Subcontracts have been let as follows: Excountain, stone and brickwork, H. Allen; plastering, Hoidge & Son, Toronto; roofing, A. Matthews, Toronto; plumbing and heating, Purdy Mansell & Co., Toronto. J. A. Ellis, of Toronto, is architect.

ALMONTE, ONT. -The under of the Canada Life Insurance Co. for purchase of \$9,648.20 debentures has been accepted, at \$8,320. Theother tenders were: H. O'Hara & Co., \$8,238.50; Central Canada Loan & Savings Co., \$8,251.50, both with accrued interest; G.A. Stimson & Co., \$8,311 without accused interest; A. E. Ames & Co., \$8,180, with accrued interest. D. E. Scott and O.Leger tendered for a portion of the debentures.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—The following tenders have been accepted by the School Board for erection of Somerset school: D. D. Wood, executating, drains, stone, brick and plastering work; John McLeod, car-pentering and joinery, including hardware and electric bells; Anderson & Thomas, tin and galvanized iron work; J. A. Payne, painting and glazing; J. L. Wells, plumbing; H. Ross, wiring for electric lights; Rutley Warming & Ventilating Co.,

furnaces, ventilating system and automatic flash closets.

MONTREAL, QUE,-John Watson, of this city, has secured the contract for orancity, has secured the contract for oran-mental iron work for new general hospital at Lindsay, Ont.—The Chateauguay & Northern Railway Co. has let the contract for the construction of the railway between Montreal and Joliette and the substructure of the bridge across the Riviere des Prair-ies, to Smith & Abbott, a contracting firm of New York. The Dominion Bridge Co., of this city, will build the steel superstructure of the above bridge and three other smaller steel bridges on the line. It is understood that the contracts will total nearly \$1,000,000.

LONDON, Ont .- Herbert LONDON, ONT.—Herbert Matthew, architect, has let the following contracts for residence on King street for Miss J. C. Evans, of New York city: Mason, brick and carpenter work, Jno. Hayman & Sons; painting & glazing. George Burdick; galvanized iron, Wm. Wyatt & Son; clating, Jno. Whittaker; lath and plastering, Alex Stewart.—H. C. McBride has let

contracts as follows for brick residence on contracts as follows for brack residence on Dufferin ave. for Mrs. L. H. Ingram: Mason and brickwork, Everitt & Sing; carpenter work, C. Grason; galvanized ron, Wm. Stevely & Sons; painting and glazing, H. Lockhart; lathing and plastering, H. Cahoun.—For alterations to house on Queen's avenue for Mr. Daffield, H. C. McBride has let the contract to William Tutler. William Tytler.

PARRY SOUND, ONT.—The tender of the Waterous Co., of Brantford, has been accepted for supply of engine for power house; price \$1,567.—Johnson & Bever-idge have secured a sub-contract for four miles of the James Bay tailway running into this town.

Kingston, Ont.—Contracts for new arts building at Queen's University have been let as follows: Masonry, carpentry and steel work, Sullivan & Langdon, plumbing, tinsmithing and slating, Elliott Bros.; painting and glazing, Robinson Bros. The total contracts amount to about \$\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1} about \$54,000.



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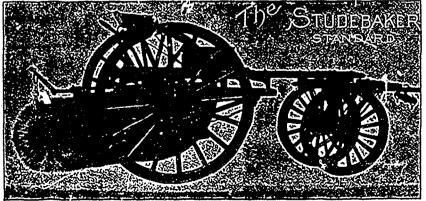
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