byterian church to be built at the corner of Portage avenue and Spence street, for which tenders are being taken, will be 75 x 125 feet, with cut stone trimmings, cost \$40,000.—James Chisholm, architect, in this most saling taken. is this week taking tenders for additions and alterations to Young church on Furby street.-George Browne, architect, invites bids up to the 21st inst. for erection of a stone and blick residental building, corner Main street and Broad-

OTTAWA, ONT.—Plans are said to have been completed by New York architects for the new hotel to be built by architects for the new hotel to be built by the syndicate represented by McLeod Stewart, and it is expected that work will be commenced in April.—N. J. Kerr, city engineer, desires tenders by noon today (Wednesday) for construction of az-inch tile pipe sewer on Louisa street.—James Pearson and J. H. Denton, of Toronto, have applied to the Dominion Government for a charter to build the Nipissing and Ottawa Railway from South-East Bay, on Lake Nipissing, to the Ottawa river, near the Opemicon river.—Immediate steps are to be taken by the congregation of Christ church cathedral to build a memorial hall to the late Dean Lauder. Particulars from late Dean Lauder. Particulars from Rev. Mr. Kittson.—It is understood that a Catholic church will be erected on Elgin street, to relieve the overcrowding in St. Patrich's church.—Improvements to McKay Presbyterian church are under consideration.-It is probable that the Dominion Government will purchase additional fire apparatus for the Ottawa Fire Department—Building permits have been granted as follows: Duncan Brown, double brick veneer dwelling, First avenue, cost \$3,500; Mrs. Anne Walsh, two brick veneer dwellings, Lisgar street, cost \$1,300; the Brown Estate, three brick dwellings, Maria street, cost \$5,000; St. Germain & Black, brick veneer dwelling, Waverley street, cost \$2,500; William Thompson, brick veneer dwelling, Flora street, cost \$1200; Johu E. Fudge, brick dwelling, Fourth avenue, cost \$1,400, McKinley & Northwood, brick veneer dwelling, First avenue, cost \$4,500; Frank W. Hudson, brick veneer dwelling, Frank street, cost \$1,500. gar street, cost \$1,300; the Brown Estate, \$1.500.

MONTREAL, ONT.— Plans have been submitted to the Parks Committee by H. G. Louch for a new observatory tower on the mountain.—It is probable that the members of the Montreal Stock exchange will erect a building of their own at an early date.—The amalgamation of the Grand Trunk Literary and Scientific Institute and the Pointe Ste. Charles Railway Young Men's Christian Association is under consideration, and if effected Railway Young Men's Christian Association is under consideration, and if effected a new and costly building will likely be erected.—Work on the rebuilding of St. Mary's church, corner Craig and Panet streets, will be started as soon as possible.—The James McCready Bool and Shoe Co. have purchased property on Messier and Fullum streets on which it is proposed to erect a new factory during the coming summer.—The annual meeting of the Midland Railway Co. will be held at Halifax this week. Montreal capitalists are interested, and it is understood that there is a project on foot understood that there is a project on foot understood that there is a project on foot for the extension of the railway from Windsor to Middleton.—It is probable that steps will be taken at an early date to onstruct a large water main from St. Sulphite street to McGill University.—The site selected for the new Olivet Baptist church is at the corner of Dor-

chester and Guy streets.--The Shawinigan Water & Power Co. is said to have completed arrangements for the transmission of power from Shawinigan Falls to this city. Aluminum wire will be used. —Henry Goldmark is said to have been engaged by the Canadian Pacific Railway to prepare plans for the new car and locomotive works in the east end. Mr. Goldmark has recently been employed by the Swift Packing Co., of Chicago.—The city council on Monday last voted to erect a new civic hospital for contagious diseases.—Building permits have been granted as follows: Mrs. T. Langevin, three-storey house, 51 St. Ignace street, cost \$2,000 (C. E. Lucas, architect, Albert Lucas, contractor); Miss B. Hurtu-bise, alterations to five storey house and bise, alterations to five storey house and store, Jacques Cartier Square, cost \$2,500 (L. R. Montbriand, architect); N. Jobin, three-storey house, 222 Panet street, cost \$3,600 (T. Benard, contractor); A. J. Higgins, two-storey house and store, St. Catherine street, cost \$2,000 (W. E. Doran, architect, J. B. Gratton, contractor); Joseph Daniel, three-storey house, Massue street, cost \$2,000; Mfs. D. Robert, alterations to two and a half D. Robert, alterations to two and a half storey house and store, Notre Dame street, cost \$1,150; David Yule, two-storey house and store, corner Guy and St. Catherine streets, cost \$1,500; Odilon Dinells, house on Frontenac street, cost \$1,500; John Hughes, alterations to 51,500; John Hughes, alterations to one storey house and store, 045 St. Lawrence street, cost \$1,800; J. H. Nault, three-storey, residence, 2471 Notre Dame street, cost \$3,000 (Bernier & Brodeur, architects): Joseph Boenen, two storey house, Massue street, cost \$1,000; Mrs. L. N. Brault, alterations to one-storey house and store, corner St. Louis Square and St. Denis streets, cost \$1,200; Streets and St. Denis streets. and St. Denis streets, cost \$1,200; Sisters of Hope, alterations to three-storey house, 11 Sherbrooke street, cost \$5,000.

TORONTO, ONT. — In this issue new tenders are invited for the construction of the dairy building on the exhibition grounds, to be built of lath and plaster or of concrete. — It is understood that plans have been accepted for improvements and additions to St. Michael's college. It is the intention to entirely sebuild that portion of the build-Michael's college. It is the intention to entirely rebuild that portion of the building between the main entrance hall and the new study hall, to be one storey and the new study hall, to be one storey and a half higher than at present and of white brick. The cost will be about \$80,000.—Darling & Pearson, architects, are preparing plans for the proposed building for the medical faculty of Toronto University. It will be situated between the library and biological building and will be two stores in beints in front and will be two storeys in height in front, and because of the ravine, four storeys in the rear There will be two towers. The cost will be about \$125,000.—It is re-

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