

CONTRACTS OPEN.

EDMONTON, N. W. T.—M. Leclerc is building a new residence.

WESTMOUNT, QUE.—James Elliott has purchased property on Greene avenue.

OVEN SOUND, ONT.—Steps will be taken at once to lay additional cement sidewalks.

SARNIA, ONT.—William C. Dillon has purchased property on which he will erect a brick block.

RIDGETOWN, ONT.—It is reported that Howard township will erect a township hall, at a cost of \$5,000.

DUNNVILLE, ONT.—The Ontario Beet Sugar Co. are considering the erection of a factory at this place.

MARMORA, ONT.—It is the intention of The Pearce Company to install stove and heading machinery.

KINGSBURY, QUE.—Tenders are invited by George Lyster up to 8th inst. for building addition to school house.

DIGBY, N. S.—Land has been purchased here for a new summer hotel, to be built in time for next year's business.

GALT, ONT.—The Board of Trade has endorsed the proposal for the establishment of a beet sugar factory in this town.

RICHIBUCTO, N. B.—The Government has selected a site on Water street for the proposed post office and custom house.

RAYSIDE, ONT.—W. H. Sutherland is asking for tenders up to October 5th for construction of the Bott drain, in West Zorra.

ENNISKILLEN, ONT.—Tenders are invited by William McDonnell, up to October 5th, for purchase of \$604 5 per cent. debentures.

KINGSTON, ONT.—It is possible that a petition may be presented to the C. P. R. asking that company to build a summer hotel here.

ORILLIA, ONT.—The civic authorities are looking into the question of the most suitable sewerage system to be constructed for the town.

LINDSAY, ONT.—Victoria county proposes to take advantage of the Government appropriation for building roads throughout the province.

IROQUOIS, ONT.—The ratepayers yesterday voted on a by-law to raise \$12,000 for installation of electric light plant. Result not learned.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.—The Port Stanley Gravel Road Co. will build a new bridge to replace the one north of Rudolph & Begg's brewery.

VICTORIA, B. C.—The Provincial Lands and Works Department are this week taking tenders for the erection of a Government office at Alberni.

POINT EDWARD, ONT.—It is said that the Grand Trunk Railway Co. will begin at once to build a steel elevator to replace the one burned last week.

SOUTHAMPTON, ONT.—The by-law to raise \$16,000 for construction of system of waterworks will be submitted to the ratepayers on October 14th.

GLACE BAY, N. S.—Tenders for heating, ventilating and plumbing new hospital are invited up to 5th inst. Plans at the office of Hopson Bros., Sydney.

TORONTO JUNCTION, ONT.—J. A. Ellis, architect, has prepared plans for a large residence to be built on High Park avenue by Mr. McConnell, engineer.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.—The Pacific Coast Lumber Co. have applied for a lease of certain water lots on which to build a large saw mill.—It is expected that construction work will begin immed-

ately on the new railway line between this city and Vancouver, to connect with the Great Northern.

LEVIS, QUE.—The Mayor has received a communication from an English syndicate of capitalists regarding the construction of a waterworks system here.

BROCKVILLE, ONT.—B. Dillon, architect, invites tenders up to 3rd inst. for erection of summer residence near Jones' Falls, Ont., for A. L. Fenessy, of New York City.

GEORGETOWN, ONT.—The ratepayers will this month vote on a by-law to grant a bonus of \$10,000 to Arnold Bros., leather goods manufacturers, who wish to locate here.

RODNEY, ONT.—The township of Aldborough invites offers up to October 1st for purchase of about \$11,000 4 per cent. debentures, Particulars from E. A. Hugill, township clerk.

ELORA, ONT.—The ratepayers will ask the council to submit a by-law to grant a bonus of \$25,000 to Mr. Mundell to enable him to acquire the Bun property and build an addition to his factory.

HINTONBURG, ONT.—It is probable that an addition will be built to the Methodist Church.—In connection with the agitation for municipal ownership of electric lighting, it is stated that a plant could be installed at a cost of \$4,000.

PORT HOPE, ONT.—The Nicholson File Co., of Providence, have purchased the works of the Globe File Mfg Co. It is the intention of the purchasers to increase the present plant in the event of exemption from taxation being granted by the council.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—Plans have been prepared by F. N. Brodie, architect, for a double tenement house to be built by James Spruile.—Russell Sage, of New York, has purchased the South Shore Railway between this city and St. Stephen and will put it in running order.

QUEBEC, QUE.—It is likely that William McLimont & Son, wholesale dry goods merchants, will build a new store in Lower Town.—It is reported that American capitalists are forming a joint stock company to build a new palace hotel here, in the vicinity of the Plains of Abraham.

HAMILTON, ONT.—A. W. Peene, architect, is taking tenders from some trades for another large addition to the factory of F. W. Fearman & Co.—Thomas Reid has been granted a permit for a brick dwelling house on Sherman avenue, between Cannon and Burton streets, to cost \$900.

HULL, QUE.—The Consolidated Phosphate Co., of Toronto, propose building a factory here for the manufacture of fertilizers, the machinery of which would cost about \$40,000.—John Kennedy, C. E., of Montreal, has been engaged to advise regarding the work under way on the water works system.

SYDNEY, N. S.—The Dominion Iron & Steel Co. invites tenders up to

October 20th for quarrying, crushing and delivering f.o.b. vessels or cars about 300,000 tons of stone per year, to be taken from the quarries at Marble Mountain and George's River. Work to begin November 1st. A bond of \$10,000 must accompany each tender.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—Thomas Gibson has decided to erect a brick residence on the corner of Pine and Fourth streets.—E. S. Brown is taking tenders on brick addition to his store.—The council has given notice of its intention to construct cement sidewalks to cost \$5,346.—Mr. Goodmurphy intends to erect a residence on Cedar street.

LONDON, ONT.—The Canadian Pacific Railway intend erecting a handsome office building on Trafalgar Square. The plans, prepared by Bruce Price, architect, of New York, are now awaiting the approval of Mr. Shaughnessy.—John Collins is building a frame cottage on Blackfriars street.—Herbert Matthews, architect, is calling for tenders for a new residence on Albert street for J. W. Westervelt; also a new residence in South London for L. Jeffery.—T. H. Haskett, of Princess avenue, is building a brick cottage on Oxford street.

MONTREAL.—It is said that the Minister of Public Works has refused to sanction the plans accepted by the Harbor Commissioners for proposed million bushel elevator, the contract for which was given to J. A. Jamieson. It seems that the contractor's idea is to build it of composite material, whereas an all-steel elevator is demanded by the Government.—The municipality of St. Louis is again discussing the question of a bonus of \$16,000 to N. O. Grophe & Co. to establish a cigar factory.—The South Shore Railway Co. is about to issue bonds to be applied to equipping and rebalasting the road, erecting new stations and purchasing rolling stock.—Hutchison & Taylor, architects, are letting contracts for the new building for the Point St. Charles Railway Association.—The accommodation at the Y.M.C.A. is inadequate, and steps may be taken at an early date to erect a new building.—R. E. T. Pringle, F. H. Leonard, jr., E. E. Cry, and others, of this city, have been incorporated as the Ampere Electric Manufacturing Co., to manufacture electrical apparatus and to engage in the development of electric energy.

OTTAWA, ONT.—G. Gelanis, secretary Department of Public Works, invites tenders up to Friday, 4th inst., for installing heating apparatus in drill hall at Windsor. Plans at above Department and at office of Charles Smith, clerk of works, Windsor.—A new Hebrew synagogue to replace the one on Murray street will be built in the Sandy Hill district. It is to be completed by the end of next year.—Roland Miller, of Montreal, and V. H. Lyon and others, of this city, have been incorporated under the name of the Canadian Power Co., with a capital stock of \$25,000.—Building permits have been granted as follows: American Bank Note Co., raising present building two storeys and erecting store

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