

MARKHAM, ONT.—The ratepayers have approved of by-laws providing \$3,000 for new granolithic sidewalks, \$3,000 for extensions to electric light system and \$3,000 for bridge construction over the Rouge river.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.—The North Pacific Lumber Company are making preparations for the erection next spring of a large saw mill, which, according to all accounts, will be the best equipped in British Columbia.

OTTAWA, ONT.—In connection with the proposed home for consumptives, the local society are negotiating for a site at Elmbank.—A permit has been taken out by the Free Press Company for a new \$20,000 reinforced concrete office building on Sparks street.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.—Debentures of \$1,000 each, to the amount of \$90,000, payable in 1926 and with interest at 4½ per cent, are offered for sale by the corporation. Further particulars of A. J. Spencer, town treasurer.—William Meade, a furniture manufacturer of Waterloo, was in town a short time ago with the object of securing a factory site.

BATTLEFORD, SASK.—E. F. T. Brokowski, Secretary Treasurer, invites tenders for \$5,000, 6 per cent ten year school district debentures.—Tenders are invited up to November 9th by F. J. Robinson, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, Regina, for the erection of a court house in this town. Specifications on application to Storey & VanEgmond, architects, Regina.

EDMONTON, ALTA.—Recent building permits include:—E. W. Organ, dwelling, Morris street, \$2,500; J. Hall, stable, Thirteenth street, \$200; A. Taylor, dwelling, Griesbach street, \$3,000; H. D. Humel, livery stable, Second street \$1,000; I. A. Powell, livery stable, Second street, \$1,000; J. A. Powell, livery stable, Queens avenue, \$1,000; Mary Carl, dwelling, Syndicate street, \$1,500.

VICTORIA, B.C.—A new railway from this city to Edmonton, by way of Seymour Narrows, is projected, and the promoters of the enterprise will seek incorporation at parliament's next session. It is thought that the line will be a good commercial undertaking owing to the valuable timber tracts that it will open up.—A company will probably be formed at an early date for the exploitation of a new explosive called "Michelle" and a factory building will probably be built in this vicinity.

PETERBORO, ONT.—With the object of shortening the distance between Fenelon Falls and Lindsay, a new bridge is to be built at McLarens Creek and the preliminary dredging will shortly be put in hand.—The German Card Company will likely build more commodious premises in the near future, the business having outgrown the accommodation of their present factory, corner of Dublin and Bethune streets.—It is reported that T. W. Oke has disposed of his factory to the Dominion Tool Company and that he will rebuild on a larger scale.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—The Winnipeg Paint and Glass Company, whose premises were recently destroyed by fire, will rebuild on a large scale at Fort Rouge.—D. R. Dingwall is contemplating the erection next spring of a three storey brick block on his property, corner of Portage avenue and Carleton street.—Tenders will be received up to November 1st by M. Peterson, Secretary, Board of Control, for a second hand, single track, through truss, steel railway bridge, 155 ft. to 165 ft., single span, for Point du Bois power development.—A by-law has been submitted to the council to raise \$100,000 for public baths.—The Ideal

Fence Company have taken out a permit for \$2,000 building on Catherine street, while E. M. Kenty has obtained a permit for additions to the Manor Hotel that will cost \$4,000. Following are other recent permits:—E. L. Drewry, Main and Redwood, bottling house, \$30,000; D. C. Cameron, Roslyn road stable, \$2,500; W. R. Ferguson, Lipton street frame dwelling, \$2,000; G. Boulton, Main and Lansdowne, addition to frame store, \$1,200; Ruhonian church, M. Gregor and Stella, addition to frame church, \$1,000.—J. A. Banfield addition to hotel, Notre Dame & Main \$2,500; E. L. Drewry, frame stable and carriage shed, 2,500; Winnipeg Electric Railway Company, brick dwelling, Clare and Pembina, \$4,000.

VANCOUVER, B.C.—It is understood that the Scott-Thompson syndicate, of London, England, will be floated about the end of the year and that the erection of a steel plate, dry dock and shipbuilding works will follow.—The authorities of the General hospital have made a decided movement towards the erection of a new wing and it is probable that a by-law will be submitted to the ratepayers next January.—Recent building permits include; H. W. Miller, frame dwelling, Seventh avenue, \$1,200; D. Strathie, frame tenement, Barnard street \$1,500; Allan Bros., frame cottage, Fifth avenue, \$2,400; W. H. Rogers, frame dwelling, Beach avenue, \$2,100; Alex Munro, frame dwelling, Parker street, \$1,500; John Bird, frame dwelling, Manitoba street, \$1,250; H. Campbell, frame building, Second street, \$1,900; G. J. Shannon, frame dwelling, Seventh street, \$1,800; R. F. Perry, frame dwelling, Eighth street, \$2,350; Lee Yuen, brick store, Dupont street, \$1,800; Mas Livings on, Ninth street, \$2,500; J. R. Sharpe, frame dwelling, Burrard street, \$2,000; C. E. Luti, residence, Eighth avenue, \$5,000; D. G. Campbell, frame dwelling, Park drive, \$1,500; G. Hartman, frame dwelling, Twelfth street, \$1,300; Albert Pansche, frame dwelling, Keefer street, \$1,600; B. C. Printing & Engraving Co., brick printing house, corner Homer and Sm the streets, \$15,000; J. J. Di-sette, apartment house, Nelson street, \$8,500; O. Okichi Shiori, frame rooming house, Alexander street, \$1,000; T. K. Sakai, frame rooming house, Alexander street, \$1,500; Davidson & Brown, cement block stable, Cordova street, \$5,000; Arnot S. Hinton, frame dwelling, Charles street, \$2,000; William McPherson, frame dwelling, Burrard street, \$2,400.

TORONTO, ONT.—Simpson and Young, architects, 17 Toronto street, are taking tenders for an addition to the factory of the Toronto Hat works, Adelaide street west. The same firm are about to take tenders for the erection of a public school at Paris, Ont., estimated to cost \$30,000.—Plans are to be prepared for a new building for the Sovereign Bank on King and Bay streets, which will be erected on the expiration of the leases of the present tenants. For the meantime they will occupy the old premises of the Merchants Bank on the opposite corner and will re-model and enlarge same.—The total cost of the sewage disposal and water filtration, which the City Engineer and the health officer have proposed in their latest report to the Board of Control, amounts to more than five million dollars.—Extensive plans were formulated by the exhibition directors on their recent visit to the grounds. It was proposed to erect the Transportation Building on Dufferin street directly opposite the Manufacturers Building and to build a wharf for the accommodation of the Niagara and Hamilton steamers.—

Recent building permits include:—T. Lewis, 1 pair semi-detached 2½-storey brick dwellings, Davenport road, \$6,000; D. Wagstaff, 1 pair semi detached 2-storey brick dwellings, Winnifred avenue, \$4,000; R. Smith, 2-storey brick dwelling, Dovercourt road, \$5,000; E. H. Sabine, 2-storey brick dwelling, Leslie avenue, \$2,300; C. A. Grant, brick dwelling, Pape avenue, \$2,300; Traders Bank, alterations to bank, corner Adelaide & Bay streets, \$5,000; Wm. Stollery, 2 detached 2½-storey brick dwellings, Cottingham street, \$7,400; Aluminum Crown Stopper Co., 5 storey brick factory, Parliament street, \$50,000; S.S. Booth and H.M. Bell, 1 pair semi-detached 1½-storey frame dwellings, Woodward avenue, \$2,000; O. Hoover, 2½-storey brick dwelling, College street, \$3,000; Mrs. E. Todd, 2-storey brick dwelling, Emerson avenue, \$2,500; F. S. Duff, pair semi-detached 2½ storey brick dwellings, Beatrice street, \$6,000; W. Wood, pair semi-detached 2-storey brick dwellings, College street, \$6,000; Mrs. S. L. Gain, 2½-storey brick dwelling, Lynwood avenue, \$4,500; H. S. Mara, 1 pair semi-detached 2½ storey brick dwellings, Dovercourt road, \$4,500; Bank of Hamilton, 3-storey brick bank, corner College streets and Ossington avenue, \$25,000; Wm. R. Kay, pair semi-detached 2½-storey brick dwellings, Delaware avenue, \$6,000; W. F. Cousins, 2½-storey roughcast dwelling, Eastern avenue, \$2,800; G. McLaughlin, 2-storey frame dwelling, Hambley avenue, \$2,500; Alfred Snuggles, 3 attached brick stores, corner Gerrard & Mutual streets, \$2,400; Robert Beatty, 2-storey & attic brick dwelling, Parkway avenue, \$3,500; H. A. Gunn, 2½-storey brick dwelling, Humbolt avenue, \$5,000; Frank Unser, 3-storey brick store & dwelling, College street, \$3,900; Helpert Bros., alterations to warehouse, York street, \$2,000; H. G. Ibraith, 2-storey brick dwelling, Major street, \$2,000; M. Courtmanche, pair semi-detached 2-storey brick dwellings, College street, \$4,500; John O'Neil, addition to billiard room, Queen street, east, \$3,000; J. B. O'Brien, 2-storey & attic brick dwelling, Scarth road, \$30,000; Canada Chemical Mfg. Co., Ltd., galvanised iron storage shed, Mill street, \$2,000; S. Prest, brick store and dwelling, Dundas street, \$3,000; John Inglis Co., 2-storey brick pattern shop, Strachan avenue, \$3,000; J. Whealey, pair 2½-storey semi-detached brick dwellings, Victor avenue, \$5,000; E. B. Shuleworth Chemical Co., Ltd., 3-storey brick factory, Wilton avenue and Victoria street, \$25,000; S. W. Johnston, pair semi-detached 2-storey brick stores and dwellings, Manning street, \$8,000; J. Hulmer, 2½-storey brick dwelling, Wallace avenue, \$1,800; Cameron Stewart & Co., 2 detached 2½-storey brick dwellings, Alhambra avenue, \$7,000; Henry Davis, 2-storey brick dwelling, Perth avenue, \$2,000; W. Pinkerton, pair 2-storey semi-detached brick dwellings, Concord avenue, \$4,500; estate Walter Lee, 2-storey brick store and dwelling, Queen street, \$3,300; J. W. Walker, 3 attached 2-storey brick stores and dwellings, Bloor street and Albany avenue, \$10,000.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

COLBORNE, ONT.—Kastner & Porter of Warton, Ont., have secured the contract for the new dock.

STONEY RIVER, MAN.—The contract for the new school building has been let to Conrad Glaum at \$3,000.

CALGARY, ALTA.—The contract for the new 3-storey building for the Golden West Brewery has been let to Woodward & Co. of this city.

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