Insurance on building, $1,000. J. T. Rowe, of Aylmer, writes us that the entire building destroyed by fire, of which mention was made in our last issue, was owned by him, his loss being $5,000. He will commence the erection of a new brick building at an early date.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

CORNWALL, ONT.—The tender of Clark & Connolly, of Toronto, for the construction of the Leitch Creek sewer has been accepted by the Town Council.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—Contracts for the supplies necessary to complete the waterworks extension have been awarded to the Canada Pipe Foundry, Hamilton, The Kerr Engine Co., Walkerville, and the Doherty Mfg. Co., Sarnia.—The contract for all trades except hot water heating required in the erection of a new brick wing to the Marine Hospital has been let to D. Peterman & Son. Tenders for heating will be asked shortly. Fred. T. Hodgson, architect.

TORONTO, ONT.—The following contracts have recently been awarded by the Ontario Government: Experimental building, etc., at the Guelph Agricultural College, McIntosh & Griffiths, Woodstock, amount about $10,000; lock-up at Sturgeon Falls, Nipissing, James R. Eaton, Orillia; additions to the lock-up and to the registry office at Bracebridge, Muskoka, James R. Eaton, Orillia; registry office in Minden, Haliburton county, William Clarke, Toronto. Several contracts are yet pending, including that for the Western Dairy school at Strathroy, for which $9,000 were voted in the estimates last session.—On reconsideration the City Council have accepted the tender of the John Perkins Co. for hydrants, instead of that of the Ontario Engine and Machine Co., whose tender was first accepted.—Seven tenders were received by the Board of Works for a steam road roller, the lowest being that of Aveling & Porter, of Rochester, England, which was $2,700. The City Engineer will report thereon.—Contracts for concrete sidewalks were accepted as follows: A. Gardner & Co., Leader lane, between King and Colborne streets, 94 cents per foot; west side of Church street, from Wellington to King, $1.95 per foot; Construction and Paving Company, lane east of Leader lane, $317.

MONTREAL, QUE.—J. Alcide Chaussé, architect, has awarded the following contracts for a residence on De Lorimier avenue for Mr. John Fowle: excavating, O. St. George; masonry and brickwork, A. Cavalier; plastering, Beauchamp & Labelle; painting and glazing, L. N. Desmarais.—Edward Maxwell has awarded contracts for a five-story building, corner Notre Dame and St. John streets, for the Bell Telephone Co. as follows: masonry and brickwork, P. C. Wand; carpenter and joiner's work, Scott & Son; roofing, G. W. Reed; plumbing, Garth & Co.; plastering, John Morrison & Son; painting, W. P. Scott; iron and steel, Hamilton Bridge Co.—A. C. Hutchison, architect, has awarded contracts for a house on Montarville avenue, Westmount, for A. B. Macfarlane as follows: masonry, Geo. Morrison; brickwork, Wm. Lavers; carpenter and joiner's work, Wm. Swan; roofing, plumbing and heating, E. C. Mount & Co., plastering, John Morrison & Son; painting, J. B. Owens; electric wiring, Jas. Geen. Same architect has also awarded the contract for erecting a stone club house at St. Louis du Mile End for the Shamrock A. A. A. to Carroll Bros., general contractors.—Mr. W. McLea Walbank, architect, has awarded contracts for hot water heating apparatus to two houses on St. Urbain street, for Mr. J. G. Kennedy, one of which was let to Drapeau, Savignac & Co., and the other to Jas. Booth.

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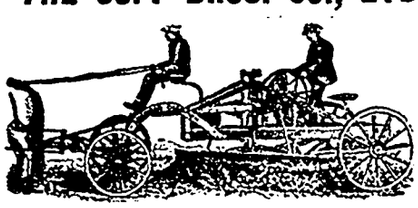

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