

intends building a warehouse; J. A. Vandewater will build a jewellery store and dwelling, and John Wright intends building a furniture show-room.

**BARRIE, ONT.**—The ratepayers have voted in favor of granting a loan of \$20,000 to the Barrie Carriage Co. to build a factory here, also of raising \$3,000 for improvements to fire hall and installation of fire alarm system.

**CHATHAM, ONT.**—W. G. McGeorge, C. E., has prepared plans for a steel bridge to be built over Read's ravine, on the River road, the work to be carried out by Harwich township council.

**ST. CATHARINES, ONT.**—W. R. Allan, architect, has prepared plans for a frame building to be built by Thomas Irvine & Co.—The city will borrow money with which to build concrete and plank walks.

**ELVA, MAN.**—Offers for the purchase of \$3,000 debentures issued for the purpose of building a new school will be received by J. R. Skelton, secretary-treasurer of the corporation, up to October 10th.

**YORKTON, N. W. T.**—Tenders will be received by the Department of Public Works at Ottawa for construction of hot water heating system in the court house here. Plans at office of B. Johnson, clerk of works.

**BERLIN, ONT.**—The town council have voted \$70,000 to the Light Commissioners for improvements and extension to the electric light plant recently purchased by the corporation. Gas engines will be installed.

**WINDSOR, ONT.**—The Pere Marquette Railway is buying right of way for a terminal railway to connect the various systems of Windsor and to extend from the Saginaw Salt & Lumber Co.'s mills in Sandwich to Walkerville.

**PETERBOROUGH, ONT.**—The George Matthews Co. are having plans prepared for a modern cold storage plant to be built on the old Leonard Homestead. It will be of large capacity and is to be completed this winter.

**ALEXANDRIA, ONT.**—The Dominion Government is asking for tenders up to October 8th for erection of post office at this place. Plans on application at the post office here and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

**PARRY SOUND, ONT.**—Mr. McAvoys proposes building a large addition to the Mansion House on James street.—It is the intention of George White to build a sash and door factory and planing mill on the east side of the Seguin river.

**GODERICH, ONT.**—The Blaine Harrow Manfg. Co., of New Toronto, have made a proposition to establish a factory in this town. They propose to erect a one-storey building 200x40 feet and to install machinery to cost about \$20,000.

**KINGSTON, ONT.**—H. P. Smith, architect, is preparing plans for enlargement of pork packing establishment of A. MacLean, to include new refrigerator plant, also for installing heating plant in the Church of the Holy Name, Cushe-dall, Ont.

**SAULT STE. MARIE, ONT.**—Tenders are invited by the Department of Public Works at Ottawa up to October 14th for erection of post office at this place. Plans at office of O'Flynn, Goodwin & Weeks and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

**HALIFAX, N. S.**—Dr. P. H. Bryce, of Toronto, who has been appointed by the Department of Interior at Ottawa to report on the facilities for the handling of immigrants, will likely recommend that

the buildings in this city be enlarged and their sanitary conditions improved.

**GALT, ONT.**—George S. Mackay, of the firm of Kingsmill & Co., barristers, Toronto, has submitted to the city council plans for the houses proposed to be erected in this city by certain Toronto capitalists. The project includes the erection of a number of houses for workmen.

**LETHBRIDGE, N. W. T.**—Bids for the purchase of \$120,000 corporation debentures bearing 5 per cent. interest will be received by C. B. Bowman, secretary-treasurer, up to October 31st.—Dr. L. G. DeVeber, R. C. McLure and C. B. Bowman each intend building residences.

**SHERBROOKE, QUE.**—The site is being prepared for the new court house on Strathcona Square, and the contract will likely be awarded early next month.—Representatives of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., of New York, were in the city recently looking for a suitable site on which to build a Canadian factory.

**FORT FRANCES, ONT.**—The Backus & Brooke Co., of Minneapolis, are said to have decided to build a large saw mill here this winter.—L. Christie intends building a brick block on Church street, three-storeys and basement, 46x160 feet, to be fitted up for offices and stores.

**COLLINGWOOD, ONT.**—John Wilson, architect, has completed plans for the proposed furniture factory. The first building to be erected will be 300 x 60 feet, and the second one 155 x 60 feet. The power house will be 40 x 40 feet. W. Carmichael and H. Troit are interested.—It is understood that John Shaw intends building a fine residence on Hurontario street.

**VICTORIA, B. C.**—The Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works will receive tenders up to October 8th for erection of bridge over Elk river at Morrissey.—Hopper & Watkins, architects, have just taken tenders on a brick building on Government street for C. W. Rogers.—The by-law to grant certain concessions to aid the C. P. R. in building a new hotel was carried by a large majority.

**ST. JOHN, N. B.**—Mr. McLearn, naval architect, New York, expects to have plans completed within a month for the new ferry steamer to be built by the city. The hull will be of steel and the sub-structure of wood.—Tenders will probably be invited next week for pork packing establishment for Dunn & Co. The packing building will be 150 x 25 feet, three-storeys, office building 16 x 22 feet, cold storage department 50 x 40 feet, and

engine room and sausage department 20 x 25 feet.—G. E. Fairweather, architect, is taking tenders up to October 3rd for masonry, carpentry, metal work, painting and plumbing of brick warehouse for A. O'Regan.

**OTTAWA, ONT.**—Plans of post offices to be built at Alexandria and Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., and of heating system to be installed in court house at Yorkton, N. W. T., may be seen at the Department of Public Works in this city.—A local architect is preparing plans for the new hotel to be built at Caledonia Springs. The building will be of brick and stone and will cost about \$500,000. In addition it is intended to build a race course and a line of electric railway from the springs to the Ottawa river.—Dr. T. G. Roddick, M. P., and D. Russell, the latter of Montreal, are identified with the project.

**LONDON, ONT.**—The council have accepted the revised plans for the Nurses' Home at the hospital and will call for tenders for construction immediately.—Plans have been prepared for a large hotel to be built by a joint stock company of local capitalists. The prospectus, which will be issued this week, will show the company to be capitalized at \$250,000, and the proposed hotel to have 200 rooms, 50 bathrooms, a first-class restaurant, with stores on the ground floor.—W. G. Murray, architect, is preparing plans for a residence for Mr. Howden, of Watford, Ont.

**WINNIPEG, MAN.**—Fuljames & Holmes propose to erect a hockey rink, 110x260 feet, with a seating capacity of 2,000.—The Hudson's Bay Co. will build a new track warehouse adjoining the old mill, to be 176x64 feet, one-storey and basement.—The Y.M.C.A. have decided to purchase a lot at Winnipeg Beach for a summer home for the Association.—The Independent Order of Foresters have in view the erection of a temple in this city.—The following works are about to be undertaken by the city: Asphalt pavement on Alexander avenue, from Main street to Lily street, cost \$5,900; on Maryland street, from Portage avenue to Ellice street, cost \$12,062; sewer on Tecumseh street, cost \$1,842, and on Ellice avenue, cost \$678; macadam pavement on Magnus avenue, from Main street to Atkins street, cost \$3,930.

**VANCOUVER, B. C.**—J. B. Blanchet, of Vancouver, has prepared plans for the new \$40,000 addition to St. Paul's Hospital at corner of Burrard and Pendrill streets, and as soon as the plans are approved by the building inspector the con-

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