

Hotel of Roy & Seigny and several stores and residences in Lower Town, Ottawa, burned on May 8th.—Mansion House at Bridgeburg, Ont., owned by J. T. James.—Saw mill of George Mills & Son at Mountain Grove, Ont.—Saw mill of Chute & Co. at Doon, Ont., totally destroyed; loss \$10,000.—Saw and shingle mill of Thomas Robins at Wyebridge, Ont., loss \$5,000.—Grain elevator of the Lake of the Woods Milling Co. at Indian Head, N.W.T.—Bayview Hotel at Bath, Ont., owned by Norman Rightley, total loss.—Saw mill of J. A. Heise at Bethesda, Ont.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

LISTOWEL, ONT.—Residence for William Strahan: Horn & Calder, contractors.

PARRY SOUND, ONT.—Residence for John Argue: E. Shropshire, contractor.

TRURO, N. S.—\$57,500 town debentures: A. E. Ames & Co., Toronto, purchasers, at \$58,076.

WINDSOR, ONT.—William Lyons has secured the contract for laying 2,100 feet of water mains, at 11½ cents a foot.

CHATHAM, ONT.—Brick and stone factory for Chatham Binder Twine Co., Hadley & Co., contractors, \$11,324.

ST. JOHN, N.B.—E. N. Brodie, architect, has let the contract for a club house for the Royal Kennebecasis Yacht Club to John Duffy.

OTTAWA, ONT.—The tender of M. J. Sigouin, of McGee street, has been accepted for construction of breakwater at Riviere a la Tortue.

AMHERSTBURG, ONT.—The Amherstburg Electric Light Co. have let the contract for rebuilding their power house to Thomas Muir & Son.

ORILLIA, ONT.—G. A. Stimson & Co., of Toronto, have purchased the Collegiate Institute bonds instead of O'Hara & Co. as stated in last issue.

GUELPH, ONT.—The Royal Artificial Stone Paving Co., of this city, have secured contracts for granolithic sidewalks for Fergus and Teeswater.

CARLETON PLACE, ONT.—The tender of A. E. Ames & Co., of Toronto, for purchase of debentures, has been accepted; price, \$12,612 and accrued interest.

LINDSAY, ONT.—The following tenders were received by the council for supply of 350 barrels of cement: Rathbun Co., Star brand, \$2.45; Beaver, \$2.25; Ensign, \$2.05. R. Bryans & Co., Imperial No. 1, \$2.60. D. Cinnamon-Star, \$2.68; Beaver, \$2.33; Ensign, \$2.08. McLennan &

Co. Imperial, \$2.60. The council decided to purchase 20 barrels of Imperial cement from McLennan Bros., and the balance from the Rathbun Co.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I.—For the Hillsboro bridge the iron work will be supplied by Pillow, Hersey & Co., Montreal; the lumber by H. H. Acorn, of Souris, and Rhodes, Curry & Co., of Amherst, and the cement by the Atlas Portland Cement Co.

NORTH GOWER, ONT.—The following tenders were received for improvements to Mud creek and branches: John Baskins, Norwood, \$14,742.56; Hugh L. Ross, Hintonburg, \$13,695; John Kemp, Hazeldean, \$12,207; Beamish and McKeown, \$21,492; Broder, Wilson & Boucher, Ottawa, \$11,500; John Bruce, Ottawa, \$10,450. The contract was awarded to John Bruce, Ottawa.

TORONTO, ONT.—C. J. Gibson, architect, has let the masonry contract of residence on Jamieson avenue to R. Chalkley, and the carpentry to J. Hocps.—Darling & Pearson, architects, have accepted the following tenders for residence in Queen's Park for J. W. Flavell: Brick

work, Dancy Bros.; carpentry, J. C. Smith; plumbing, Bennett & Wright; galvanized iron, G. Duthie & Son.—The following contracts for civic works were let last week: Brick pavement, Wellington street, York to Simcoe streets, \$6,485, to W. F. Grant and Co. Brick track allowance pavement, Dundas street, Lansdowne avenue to the bridges, \$946, A. Chamberlain. Asphalt pavement, Lowther avenue, Walmer road to Brunswick avenue, \$2,689, to Constructing and Paving Co.; Bedford road, Bloor street to Lowther avenue, \$4,715, Dominion Paving and Constructing Company, Queen street, Don bridge to G. T. R. tracks, \$23,300, Barber Asphalt Company.

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