

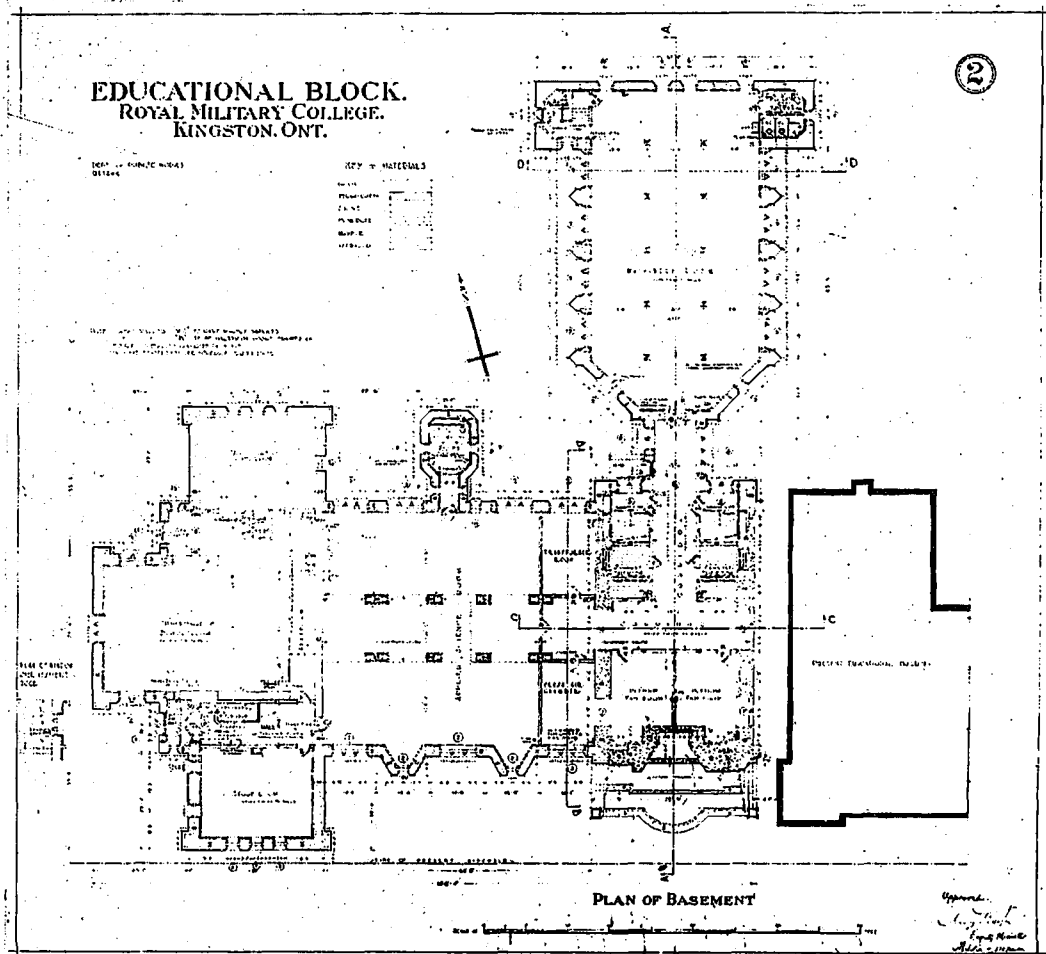
gether throughout. Each shift did 10 hours, and the record set up was very creditable. The excavation started on May 20th, 1916, and the 28 piers were sunk and the concrete poured by June 20th, 1916. This is an average of one pier excavated and concreted per day.

A 90 h.p. boiler was set up on the sidewalk in case water troubles should develop. However, no water was encountered except a small amount from the surface, and the pumps were never operated. On account of the Smoke By-Law, coke was used instead of soft coal for all boilers.

Now that Winnipeg has abandoned its many

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The Canadian company is at present carrying out an important housing project for the General Motors Corporation at Oshawa. A number of the houses have already been completed.



BASEMENT PLAN, NEW EDUCATIONAL BLOCK, ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE, KINGSTON, ONT.

wells from which it formerly secured its supply of water, it will be interesting to see how the rising water level throughout the city will affect the clay upon which so many buildings depend for their support. As pointed out previously, the clay encountered in the work just described was very hard and very dry.

The foundation work was done by The Foundation Company, Limited, of Montreal and Vancouver, under the supervision of J. D. Atchison, Architect, of Winnipeg.

Housing Architect Appointed

The following personal item appeared in a recent issue of the American Architect:

They are said to be very creditable as to design and grouping, with considerable variety to plan and elevation, which will result in an attractive scheme when the project is fully developed.

At the annual meeting of the Toronto Builders' Exchange, the following were elected officers for the following year: President, C. Blake Jackson; Past President, A. D. Grant; First Vice-President, J. M. Scott; Second Vice-President, W. H. Painter; Treasurer, John Aldridge; Secretary, David J. Davidge. Directors, John V. Gray, T. L. Fraser, James Phinnemore, W. E. Dillon, J. Robert Page, Jas. Munro, Jas. McLeod.