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AN INTERESTING SUIT.

The town of Barrie, Ont., recently asked for tenders for paving, the specifications calling for offers at so much per square yard. Mr. W. H. Jones, of Toronto, was one of the tenderers, and the form which he filled in contained the words "lineal foot," opposite which he wrote by mistake \$2.25, thus tendering for the work at \$2.25 per square yard. The lineal foot tender embraced the whole width of the street, some 40 feet, which made the difference of \$1,600 in the price. Mr. Jones saw his mistake and asked for a release, which the authorities of Barrie refused, retaining his deposit of \$200. Action has been taken by Mr. Jones to recover the sum.

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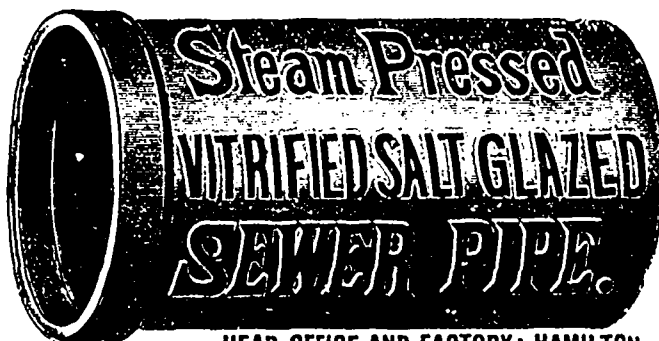
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