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## TO ARCHITECTS

The Town of Walkerton is prepared to receive esti-mates from architects for plans and specifications for the erection of a Town Hall, to cost not more than \$10,000 when completed, with no cost to the Corpora-tion unless plans and terms are acce ted. All information supplied on application to Patrick Hefferman, C airman Property Committee. Applica-tions to be in by the 18th of February next.

W. S. GOULD,
Town Clerk.

#### **TENDERS**

Tenders will be received up to FEBRUARY 5TH from all trades for the erection of a House on St George Street.

GEO. M. MILLER & CO, Architects, 18 King St E, Toronto.

# TENDERS FOR HOSE

Sealed Tenders will be received by the undersigned till noon of the

### 8th of February Next,

for 1,000 feet of Fire Hose. Samples of first and second grades to be submitted. Tenders to be marked "Tenders for Hose."

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. A. MINNES, Chairman Com. Fire, Water and Light, Kingston

#### CONTRACTS OPEN.

KEENE, ONT.—Two new residences will be erected here next summer.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—Brown Bros. will start a tannery in this town.

QUEBEC, QUE.-There is talk of erecting a theatre on the vacant lot near St. John's Gate.

HAYSVILLE, ONI.—Subscriptions are being received for building a tower on St. ON1.—Subscriptions are lames church.

FREDERICTON, N. B .- The County Council are considering the question of repairs to the court house.

ARNPRIOR, ONT .- The by-law will shortly be submitted to the ratepayers to provide \$15,000 for a sewerage system.

HINTONBURG, ONT.—At the next meeting of the council a by-law will be considered for raising funds by the issue of debentures.

TRAIL, B. C .- Frank Hanna will erect a theatre. Seattle parties are figuring on the erection of another hotel, to cost from \$10,000 to \$12,000.

BUCKINGHAM, QUE.-A proposal to erect a hose tower is being considered by the village council, also the building of a vault for the registry office.

SOUTHAMPTON, ONT.—The by-law to purchase the Saugeen water power and install an electric light plant has received

the sanction of the ratepayers.

GALT, ONT.—George Bernhardt will shortly erect a business block next the Iroquois hotel. It is improbable that the opera house will be erected this year.

CALGARY, ONT .- The Rocky Mountain Railway & Coal Company ask power for the extension of their line from this point Lethbridge and the international boundary

Mossomin, N. W. T.—Tenders are invited until the 8th of February for the construction of a heating apparatus for the court house. Plans may be seen at the court house.

BRIDGETOWN, N. S .- The Annapolis

County Council have resolved to grant a free right of way to any company which will construct a railway from Digby Gut through Granville to intersect the D.A.R. at this point.

MERRITTON, ONT.-Mr. T. L. Willson has made a proposition to the Ontario government to develop 60,000 horse power of Niagara Falls, and to commence the work of construction before the 1st of

VURDEN, B. C .-- The mayor has stated that the adoption of a drainage system will necessitate the building of a pumping station at the dyke.—The lighting of the village will be taken up at an early date.—A number of houses will be erected in Queen's park during the coming summer.

VICTORIA, B. C.—W. Jensen, of the hotel Dallas, visited Greenwood recently to select a site for a new hotel building.— The British Columbia Southern Railway Company will seek authority to issue \$30,000 bonds per mile for an extension of a railway to McLeod and Lethbridge.

TWLED, ONI. - Tenders are asked until the 15th of February for the erection of a brick school house in this village, from plans which may be seen at the office of Thomas Hanley, architect, Belleville, or Emerson & Campbell, this town. Ad-Wilson Sills, secretary Public School Board.

ROSSLAND, B. C.—A company of eastern capitalists has been formed to build an electric tailway between this town and Spokane, a distance of 160 miles. It is not likely that the Rossland branch will be constructed this year, but steps will be taken at once to build that portion from Spokane to the boundary line.

LONDON, ONT .- Whiskards departmental stores on Dundas street are to be enlarged.- William Hayman has taken out a permit to erect a brick residence on Ontario street, to cost \$1,000. - The sewer committee have decided to call for ten-ders for the Warncliffe road section of the sewerage system and the section extend-ing from Ridout and King streets to Richn:ond and Gray streets. It was originally intended to have the latter section constructed of 24 inch tile, but the engineers have reported that a brick sewer would be preferable. A provision has been inserted in the specifications that only Portland cement be used in the work.

HAMILTON, ONT.—The Board of Governors of the city hospital will get esti-mates for a new fire escape for the Maternity hospital, and for improving the escapes on the main building.—The City Council have decided not to accept the tender of the Reid Company for the sup-ply of lumber, but to advertise for new tenders for car load lots. -- The City Engineer has reported that it will be necessary to complete the brick sewer on Wood street, from John to James streets, so that the sewage now entering the Bay at