

build a boot and shoe factory here.—Archbishop Duhamel has decided upon the erection of a new R. C. church here, stone, cost \$30,000.

HALIFAX, N.S.—The Imperial authorities are taking tenders for the erection of six buildings here for military purposes, to cost about \$200,000.—Plans for the new customs house to be built in this city will be ready by June 1st, when tenders will be taken.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I.—Richard Smith, secretary public works, invites propositions up to May 29th for placing heating apparatus in the asylum annex, Falconwood.—J. W. Gardiner invites tenders up to May 25th for building Baptist church at Kingsboro, Kings county.

OSHAWA, ONT.—Tenders are invited in this issue for the construction of sewerage and waterworks systems for this town. Alternative tenders for a water supply are asked, one being for pumping from Lake Ontario, the other for gravitation from Raglan Springs. Plans by R. E. Speakman, C.E., Toronto.

KINGSTON, ONT.—A new convocation hall for Queen's University is required, and it has been suggested to appeal to the county for a grant for the purpose.—The proposed opera house scheme is meeting with success, and it has been decided to engage an architect immediately to prepare the plans. E. G. B. Pense is president, and W. F. Nickle secretary of the building committee.

FREDRICTON, N. B.—The Department of Public Works of the province are asking for tenders up to June 17th for building approaches and masonry substructure of proposed highway bridge across the St. John river between Andover and Perth, Victoria county. The bridge will be 1,044 feet, and will have two masonry abutments and four masonry piers. Plans at Public Works Department, this city, and the office of Thomas Lawson, M.P.P., Andover.—Tenders are asked by the Provincial Government up to May 13th for rebuilding Savoy bridge over Eel river, in Northumberland county, the Floating Canal bridge in Westmoreland county, and the Salmon river bridge at the mouth of the river, in Victoria county.

Thompson, architect, has prepared plans for a new building to be built by P. McDougall.—The superintendent of the Manitoulin & North Shore Railway wants bids by 11th inst. for construction of a section of the road from a point on the north channel of the the Georgian Bay to the falls of Spanish river, at the site of the Spanish River Pulp & Paper Co., a distance of 16 1/4 miles. Plans at the office of chief engineer, this place.

VANCOUVER, B. C.—The Granby Smelter Co. may establish a branch in this city.—Negotiations are now under way looking to the building of a railway between Boundary and Republic. The Great North Railway Co. and some Toronto parties are behind the scheme.—It is said that the Minister of Education is in favor of the erection of a stone building in this city to be used as a normal school.—It is reported that R. P. Rithet & Co. purpose building a sugar refinery in this city.

CHATHAM, ONT.—T. C. Smith invites tenders up to 9th inst. for erection of brick building for the Chatham Binder Twine Co. Plans by T. J. Rutley.—Tenders are asked by R. A. Tompkins up to May 11th for construction of brick arch culvert, 40 feet long and 2 feet inside diameter, across the River road in the township of Chatham.—Plans are being prepared for buildings and plant for the Western Peat Fuel Co. H. Sutherland, manager of the Temperance and General Insurance Co., is interested.

LONDON, ONT.—Moore & Henry, architects, are preparing plans for a residence for Father Brady, of the Palace.—Herbert Matthews, architect, is calling for tenders for a parsonage for the Colborne street Methodist church, also for brick residence on Queen's Avenue. Tenders close 9th inst. M. Douglas is building two houses on Richmond street north.—John G. Richter is building two brick residences on Colborne and Piccadilly streets, and a brick veneer residence on Colborne street, from plans by Herbert Matthews.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—Since the beginning of the year the building inspector has issued 40 permits, of an aggregate value of \$580,000.—The fire and light

dynamo.—(On Thursday next the ratepayers will vote on by-laws to provide \$100,000 for purchase of site and erection of school building, and \$9,000 for improvements to fire halls.—H. S. Griffith, architect, is taking tenders this week for a summer hotel to be built opposite Elm park.—It is proposed to enlarge the electric light power house.—The construction of a cedar block pavement on Notre Dame avenue, at cost of \$1,500, and an asphalt pavement on Kennedy street, cost \$18,100, has been recommended.—Harry McKittrick, of the National hotel, has purchased the Young block, corner King and Logan streets, and will remodel it for hotel purposes.—J. G. Russell, architect, has taken tenders for a brick residence on Ellen avenue for H. L. Landerkin. He is also preparing plans for a residence on Roslyn road for Mr. Lving, and a brick residence on Colony street for James McKay.—The city engineer has been asked to report on the proposition to place an illuminated striking clock in the city hall tower, at a cost not to exceed \$1,500.

OTTAWA, ONT.—Tenders closed yesterday at the Department of Railway and Canals for the supply of 23,000 barrels of portland cement for the Trent canal.—The Property Committee has reported that new heating apparatus is required for the police station.—J. P. McLaren, 204 Spark street, invites tenders up to 6 p.m. of 9th inst., for erection of stone Sunday school building for Erskine Presbyterian church.—A. Paquette has purchased a lot on Queen street on which he will build a boot and shoe factory.—Edward Desroches, of Sussex street, has prepared plans for a new convent to be built at Ste. Cesaire, Que., and is working on plans for the church of Ste. Bruna, Que.—The new hall to be built in connection with St. Patrick's church will cost about \$9,000.—It is said that J. R. Booth has announced his intention of moving his saw mill to another site down the river.—Building permits have been granted as follows: C. Bouvèrette, 29 Friel st., four frame dwellings, cost \$2,200; J. J. Neville, Cartier st., 8 houses in terrace, cost \$6,000; Thos. Mitchell, 1 and 9 Cambridge st., frame dwelling, cost \$1,100; J. Anderson, 23 McLeod st., frame

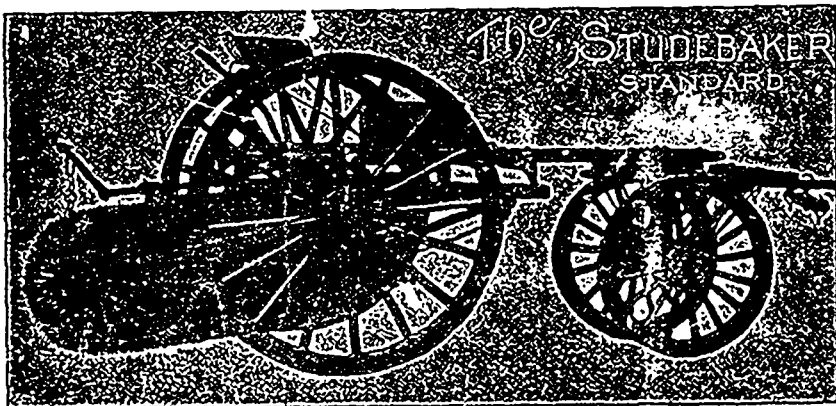
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