

building a new city hall will be considered at the next meeting of the council.

INDIAN HEAD, N.W.T.—The site is being prepared for the new elevator to be built by the Dominion Elevator Co.

STRATFORD, ONT.—On July 29th the ratepayers will decide as to which plan for the new city hall will be carried out.

GALT, ONT.—On August 1st the ratepayers will vote on a by-law to provide \$10,000 for the Ainslie street extension.

CARBERRY, MAN.—The Board of Trade wants tenders for building a flour mill and elevator. A bonus of \$10,000 is offered.

BERLIN, ONT.—A committee has been appointed to prepare an estimate of the cost of remodelling the high school building.

NEWCASTLE, ONT.—J. H. Phinney will receive tenders up to July 28th for supplying heating apparatus for the engine house.

LISTOWEL, ONT.—The by-law to raise \$19,500 for waterworks and electric light purposes was defeated by the ratepayers last week.

CHATHAM, ONT.—H. A. Fendy has invited tenders for the erection of brick veneered residence on Park street, from plans by T. J. Rutley.

BRANDON, MAN.—There is some talk of a block of stores being built on Rosser avenue, between the Syndicate block and the Nation building.

LANARK, ONT.—It is claimed that the necessary capital has been secured to build the proposed electric railway between Lanark and Perth.

STOTTSVILLE, QUE.—A new church is to be erected here, to replace the one destroyed by fire some time ago. Rev. Mr. Dupuis is parish priest.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—The Jewish citizens have decided to build a place of worship at the foot of Carleton street, to be of wood and to cost \$2,000.

TRURO, N. S.—The Midland Railway Company has commenced the building of its road, which will extend from Truro to Windsor, a distance of 60 miles.

SHARBOT LAKE, ONT.—Tenders are wanted this week for building a brick veneered church. Particulars from T. Austin Smith, chairman of committee.

KINGSTON, ONT.—The Waterworks Committee of the City Council is considering the question of constructing a duplicate 12-inch water main, to cost \$3,700.

ORILLIA, ONT.—W. H. Croker, architect, has completed plans for a four-story building, 50 x 120 feet, for the Tudhope Carriage Co., to be used as a warehouse.

GUELPH, ONT.—G. R. Bruce, architect, wants tenders by Thursday, 14th inst., for additions and alterations to G. B. Morris' hardware store for Mrs. George Elliott.

HINTONBURG, ONT.—The agreement between the Ottawa Suburban Water Works Company and the village for putting in a system of waterworks has been signed.

VANCOUVER, B. C.—W. T. Dalton, architect, is taking tenders this week for a store and office building on Hastings street, and stores and offices on Granville street.

HULL, QUE. The Toronto Rubber Shoe Co., who were recently voted a bonus by this town, have decided not to build here, owing to the water power being inadequate.

BARRIE, ONT.—A representative of the Ontario Public Works Department was recently in town in connection with several improvements in different places to facilitate navigation.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MAN.—The Central Electric Light Co. contemplate putting in a telephone exchange in opposition to the present company.—Charles

Graban intends making improvements to his business block.

ST. HERMENEUILDE, QUE.—J. D. Dupont will receive tenders on behalf of the corporation of Barford up to July 30th for the construction of a bridge across Kinney Brook.

AYLMER, QUE.—S. Mousseau purposes building a club building, to be fitted with gymnasium, pool tables, boxing ring, etc.—The town council will probably put in a new fire alarm system.

PEMBROKE, ONT.—Tenders are being taken this week for plumbing, carpenter work and painting, and reconstructing a vault at the court house and gaol. Plans at office of J. L. Morris, C. E.

PETERBORO, ONT.—The by-law to raise \$10,000 for bridges and a steam road roller has been passed in Council—Improvements are to be made this summer to Marks street Methodist church.

DUNDAS, ONT.—Mr. Armour, C. E., has prepared plans for the construction of a dam, and the committee have recommended that tenders be called for sheet piling and extra bents and walling.

HALIFAX, N. S.—The city electrician has submitted a report to Council showing the probable cost of lighting the city by a municipal plant. The question of installing the same will be considered at an early date.

PAPINEAUVILLE, QUE.—The Northrup Loan Co. have purchased property on which to build a large foundry. A. F. Gault, of Montreal, is president of the company, and Archie Gault secretary-treasurer.

GLENCOE, ONT.—George M. Harrison, village clerk, will receive tenders up to Monday, 18th inst., for the erection of a town hall in this village. Plans at offices of village clerk and M. L. Buff, architect, London.

WALLACEBURG, ONT.—Mr. Colwell has been granted a permit for a two-story brick building on James street.—The by-law to provide \$5,000 for building artificial stone walks was carried by the ratepayers last week.

BRIGHT, ONT.—R. J. Henderson, township clerk, wants tenders by Saturday, 16th inst., for the construction of a bridge over Homer's creek, 60 feet span, iron, steel or combination, with stone or wood abutments.

RAT PORTAGE, ONT.—The town engineer has been instructed to call for tenders for the construction of a sewer.—Messrs Belyea & McKenzie will invite tenders this week for building the new opera house.

CAMPBELLTON, N. B.—Malcolm & Ross will shortly commence work on the building of the Restigouche and Western railway, twenty miles of which will be built this year. The road will be 120 miles in length.

ELMGROVE, ONT.—Joseph Whitesides, chairman Property Committee, will receive tenders up to July 16th for grading and road-making at House of Industry. Specifications at office of Smith & Bird, architects, Barrie.

BARRIE, ONT.—The Electric Light and Waterworks Committee have reported to the town council in favor of installing a municipal lighting plant, and recommending that a vote of the ratepayers be taken on a by-law to provide \$35,000 for the purpose.

WINDSOR, N. S.—The Board of Management of the Presbyterian church invite architects to compete for plans for a stone or wood church, with a seating capacity of 800. If built of wood, the church is to cost \$12,000, and if of stone, \$16,000. The sum of \$100 is to be paid for the accepted design.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.—It is stated that the Clifton House will be rebuilt on

the old site. The new structure will be constructed of stone, iron and brick, cost \$150,000, to contain 200 rooms, all fitted with improved baths and elegantly furnished. Work will likely be commenced about August 1st.

ROSSLAND, B. C.—A loan is to be floated to complete the sewerage system and provide funds for the fire department. New tenders will be invited for \$35,000 of debentures, to be expended in street improvements.—The Bank of Montreal has invited tenders for the erection of a brick building here.

BROCKVILLE, ONT.—In consideration of free site and water, the Brockville Packing and Provision Company offer to erect brick and stone buildings to cost between \$50,000 and \$60,000. It is probable that a vote of the ratepayers will be taken on the question.—A number of granolithic sidewalks and sewers are about to be constructed.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.—The City Council has appointed a committee to report on the question of establishing a municipal electric plant for street lighting and commercial purposes.—The Elgin county council have appointed a committee, consisting of Messrs. Moore, Leitch, Turner, Cole, Locker and Morris, to make arrangements for the rebuilding of the court house, and to obtain plans for same.

QUEBEC, QUE.—At a meeting of the Quebec Bridge Co. held last week, the engineer, Mr. Hoare, submitted a report relative to the work that should be carried out this year. The plans submitted will involve an expenditure of between \$200,000 and \$300,000, which will include the construction of small piers, crushing and cutting stone and other preparatory work. The directors authorized the engineer to prepare for calling for tenders for the construction of the bridge by the 1st of September.—The parish of St. Roch have asked the city for a piece of vacant land on which to build a church.—Charles Baillarge, city engineer, has invited tenders for covering with sheet iron the new Jacques Cartier market hall.

BRANTFORD, ONT.—On Wednesday, July 27th, the ratepayers will vote on a by-law to provide the sum of \$3,000 for the purchase of a steam road roller and \$50,000 for flood prevention works.—The County House of Refuge is to be enlarged. A mortuary will be built and an addition made to one of the wings.—George Hatley wants tenders by July 20th for the erection of new buildings and the enlargement and repairing of other buildings for the South Brant Agricultural Society. Plans at the store of S. Suddaby.—It is reported that arrangements have been completed for the construction of a line of railway between this city and Woodstock, and that a survey of the route will be made at once. Mr. R. L. Middleton, of the firm of McKenzie, Middleton & Stewart, will have charge of the construction of the road.—The Fuller Moulding & Foundry Co. purpose enlarging their premises.

HAMILTON, ONT.—The council has given notice of its intention to construct pipe sewers on Ferris street and Aikman avenue, and a cement sidewalk on north side King street, from Jarvis to Wellington.—The ratepayers will vote on a by-law on July 27th to raise \$50,000 for trunk sewers.—The Fire and Water Committee have decided to improve the pumping engine by putting in new frames, to cost about \$4,000.—Frederick W. Watkins has purchased the Proctor building, 18 to 24 James street south, and purposes erecting a large store on the property.—Building permits have been granted as follows: A. W. Peene, addition to Hamilton Engine Packing Co.'s premises, Alanson street, cost \$985; Charles Mills, two story brick dwelling on West avenue, near King, for Hon. W. E. Sanford, cost \$1,900; Charles Mills, two story brick dwelling on King

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