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## NOTICE

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to JUNE 17TH, 1904, for the construction of concrete and masonry abutments at Mossdale, Euphemia Township. Specifications may be had on application to Angus Smith, C.E., Stratford, or to the undersigned.

D. M. SMITH,  
Township Clerk, Cairo, Ont.

## TENDERS WANTED

Tenders are requested for the purchase and removal of the brick, stone and iron, including boiler and machinery, on the premises at the northeast corner of Bay and Front streets, recently destroyed by fire.

A considerable portion of these materials is practically uninjured for building purposes, including cast iron columns, steel beams, pressed brick and cut stone (large blocks).

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## TENDERS

Sealed bulk or separate tenders (marked tender) will be received at the Merchants Bank of Canada, Chatham, Ont., until WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16th, for the Masonry work, Carpenter's work, Iron and Steel Work, Painting, Glazing, Heating, Plumbing, etc., required in the erection and completion of a stone and pressed brick block and Bank building on the corner of King and Fifth streets in the city of Chatham.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the offices of the undersigned Architects.  
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.  
A. M. PIPER, HUTCHISON & WOOD,  
Architect, Chatham. Architects, Montreal.

## NOTICE

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to JUNE 16TH, 1904, for the construction of

- 1—Granolithic sidewalks.
- 2—Combined concrete curb and gutter,
- 3—A concrete septic tank.
- 4—An iron bridge upon concrete piers ninety feet long.

Plans may be had on application to the undersigned. The lowest of any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders must be accompanied by a marked cheque of \$100.00 payable to the City Treasurer. This deposit to be forfeited to the City upon any fault of the contractor.

ANGUS SMITH,  
City Engineer,  
Stratford, May 30th, 1904.

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heap, four Steel Coal Tubs with side lever; two are Roasters, one with a capacity of 100 tons and the other of 25 tons per day. Apply  
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## Tenders For Drains

Tenders for the construction of certain drains within the town of Seaforth will be received at the Clerk's office up to JUNE 13TH NEXT. Specifications to be seen at the Clerk's office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WILLIAM ELLIOTT,  
Clerk.  
Seaforth, May 26th, 1904.

## TENDERS FOR 100,000 FEET CEMENT SIDEWALK

Tenders will be received by the undersigned, up to WEDNESDAY, 15TH JUNE 1904, for the construction of 100,000 sq feet, more or less, (or about 4.5 miles) cement sidewalks in the Village of Tilbury, work to be commenced by July 1st and completed by September 15th, 1904. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. A. WILSON,  
Village Clerk.  
Tilbury, Ont., June 1st, 1904.

## Debentures For Sale

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 6 p.m. MONDAY, JUNE 13TH, 1904, for the purchase of \$10,000 Local Improvement Debentures of the Town of Petrolia, bearing interest at 4½ per cent. per annum and payable in 10 equal instalments of principal and interest.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.  
JOHN MCHATTIE,  
Town Clerk.  
Petrolia, Ont., May 27th, 1904.

## TENDERS WANTED

FOR

## Drainage Work.

Sealed tenders marked "Tenders for Drainage Work," will be received by the undersigned Clerk of the Township of Mountain up to the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, of SATURDAY, THE 4TH DAY OF JUNE, 1904, for the construction of the Castore Extension and Eight Concession Drains. The estimated amount of excavation required is as follows:

Castore extension	51,272 yards,
Highway bridges	4
Eight Concession Drain	23,840 yards.
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Plans and specifications and form of contract to be entered into for the construction of the work may be seen and form of tender obtained at the office of Dunn & Fullerton Township Engineers, Winchester, Ont.  
Dated this 4th of May, A. D., 1904.

HUGH MARTIN,  
Hallville, Ont.,  
Township Clerk.

The undersigned is desirous of re-employment as Quantity Surveyor or as Clerk of Works.  
W. FRASER,  
at Clinton St., Toronto.

## TENDERS FOR ROAD MACHINERY

The Corporation of the Town of Arnprior are prepared to receive tenders up to evening of 17TH JUNE, 1904, for delivery F. O. B. Arnprior of one ten-ton Steam Road Roller and one Rock Crusher No. 4.

No tender necessarily accepted.

GEO. E. NHILSON,  
Clerk.

## TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received, addressed to the undersigned, up till 12 o'clock noon, FRIDAY, JUNE 10TH, 1904, for the construction of about one mile of granolithic sidewalks in the Village of Burlington. Plans and all information may be had from the Engineer, Mr. Jas. J. McKay, of Hamilton, or the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAS. ALLEN,  
Clerk of Municipality.  
Burlington, May 25th, 1904.

## Notice to Contractors Tenders

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Sewer Construction" and addressed Jno. A. Kerr, Town Clerk, Perth, Ont., will be received until 4 p.m. MONDAY, JUNE 10TH, 1904, for the construction of approximately 19,000 lineal feet of Pipe Sewers, in the Town of Perth, Ont. Approximate rock excavation, 2,000 cubic yards; pipes, etc., furnished by the corporation.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tenders obtained at the office of the Town Engineer, Perth, Ont.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.  
For further information apply to  
H. WELCH,  
Town Engineer.  
J. R. MITCHELL,  
Chairman Sewer Committee.

## CONTRACTS OPEN.

PORT DOVER, ONT.—The by-law to build a town hall was carried.

SUNDERLAND, ONT.—Woodward Bros. will build a large biscuit factory here.

EAST TORONTO, ONT.—The vote on the waterworks by-law will be taken June 27.

MORDEN, MAN.—The Provincial Government intend building a new court house here.

SYDNEY, N. S.—H. F. Cohoon is about to build a fine residence on Archibald ave.

AYLMER, QUE.—Plans for construction of a sewerage system are under consideration.

PORT COLBORNE, ONT.—Capt. J. W. Norcross has decided to build a fine residence.

MAPLE CREEK, N. W. T.—The

Catholics have decided to build a \$9,000 convent here.

**LEAMINGTON, ONT.**—The Council will likely issue \$5,000 debentures for public improvements.

**NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.**—The Council will issue debentures for \$16,000 for building of sewers.

**HEDLEY, B. C.**—The Daly Reduction Co. have acquired property on which to build a smelter.

**SHERBROOKE, QUE.**—The members of the Y.M.C.A. are considering the erection of a new building.

**MUSQUASH, N. B.**—Rev. Father Carson is completing arrangements for erection of new church here.

**OTTAWA EAST, ONT.**—Plans for completion of the sewerage system have been submitted by the engineer.

**BARRIE, ONT.**—The ratepayers will vote on a by-law June 17 to grant a loan of \$11,000 to the Barrie Shoe Co.

**BRANTFORD, ONT.**—A committee of the city council has recommended the paving of the Colborne street block.

**NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.**—Frank Burnett has just taken tenders on erection of distillery for B. C. Distillery Co.

**FORT WILLIAM, ONT.**—J. Ross, of Chicago, will build a three-storey brick block on Simpson street in this town.

**SEAFORTH, ONT.**—Tenders for construction of drains will be received by William Elliott, Town Clerk, up to 13th inst.

**MEDICINE HAT, N.W.T.**—George W. Kerr invites tenders up to 10th inst. for erection of brick and stone school house.

**SYDNEY MINES, N. S.**—The congregation of the English church have decided to build a new edifice, cost \$10,000.

**MEAFORD, ONT.**—The Dominion Government is asking for tenders up to June 26 for construction of breakwater here.

**LONDON, ONT.**—T. E. Robson, County Clerk, will receive tenders up to June 8 for erection of concrete substructure for nine bridges.

**COLLINGWOOD, ONT.**—John Wilson, architect, wants tenders by June 10th for erection of a two-roomed school for S.S. No. 9, Nottawa.

**NORTH BAY, ONT.**—The trustees of the Methodist church are undecided whether to erect a new building or enlarge the present structure.

**GLENBORO, MAN.**—F. Frederickson will receive tenders up to June 10 for erection of addition to school and for repairs and improvements.

**PETROLEA, ONT.**—Bids received by John McHattie, Town Clerk, up to

13th inst. for purchase of \$10,005 57 local improvement debentures.

**STRATHROY, ONT.**—A by-law to provide \$10,000 for waterworks and electric light improvements was defeated by the ratepayers last week.

**NEWMARKET, ONT.**—Wellington Curtis, of Kettleby, has purchased property on Niagara street on which he will likely build two residences.

**QU'APPELLE, N. W. T.**—Rev. Father Houginaud states that the erection of the new Industrial school at this place has been indefinitely postponed.

**DEER PARK, ONT.**—Benjamin Sinclair desires tenders by 4th inst. for addition to public school. Plans by Mancel Wilmot, 15 Toronto street, Toronto.

**ST. MARY'S, ONT.**—Tenders will be received by James Roberts up to 6th inst. for erection of public library building. Plans by J.A. Humphris, architect.

**VICTORIA, B. C.**—Manager Boscowitz, of the Victoria theatre, has decided upon plans for improvements to the interior of the building, to cost \$30,000.

**FOREST, ONT.**—It is reported that T. Mitchell has secured privileges on the Sauble river at Rock Glen and purposes

developing a water power and installing an electric plant.

**VANCOUVER, B. C.**—The City Engineer is preparing plans for seven new septic tanks, cost about \$20,000.—G. A. Barret and others have purchased property on north side of Hastings street on which they will build a business block.

**FREDERICTON, N.B.**—A committee of citizens have recommended that the Council take steps to install a system of water filtration.—Tenders received by the Department of Public Works up to June 13 for rebuilding Bailey Creek bridge in this city.

**KINGSTON, ONT.**—The City Council have granted a franchise to J. M. Campbell to deliver electric power to this city from Kingston Mills, where he proposes developing a water power.—The Ontario government will spend \$9,000 in improving the Dairy school.

**WOODSTOCK, N. B.**—The Woodstock Electric Railway, Light & Power Co. intends developing a water power on the Meduxnakik river about two miles from this town, work to be commenced in about two weeks. F.B. Carvell, barrister, is interested.

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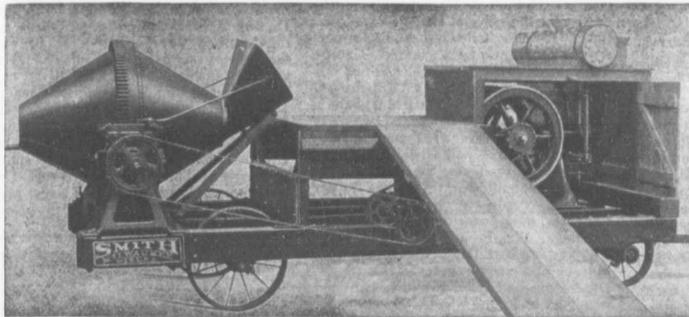
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St. Clarens church have purchased a lot at corner of Dufferin and Dundas street on which a new church will be built in the near future. The Euclid ave. and Centennial congregations will also build new churches, and Westmoreland ave. church is to be enlarged.

HAMILTON, ONT. — John Smart has secured permits to build two brick houses, corner Markland and Queen streets, cost \$3,000.—J. J. Scott, K. C., states that the Eastern Building Co. intends building 100 more houses in the east end of the city.

CHATHAM, ONT.—J. L. Wilson & Son, architects, desire tenders by June 4 for erection of residence for A. C. Trudell; hot water or steam heating.—Tenders will be invited immediately for new armouries to be built in this city. The plans prepared show a drill hall 180x60 feet, in addition to armouries, library, lecture hall, etc.

ST. CATHARINES, ONT. — Plans prepared by W. B. Allan, architect, for new Y.M.C.A. building have been accepted.—J. McClelland, City Clerk, will receive tenders up to 3rd inst. for construction of about 40,000 square yards of macadam roadway.—St. Paul street Methodist church congregation contemplate making extensive alterations and improvements to the building.

ST. JOHNS, QUE. — The Singer Sewing Machine Co. have completed plans for their new factory. Twenty distinct buildings will be erected. The machine shop and woodworking shop will each be 78x60 feet, and four stories high. The company will likely install their own power plant and will build an electric road connecting with the main line.

OTTAWA, ONT.—The Department of Railways and Canals has extended the time for receiving tenders for power and telephone submarine cables for the Welland canal to June 2nd.—The City Engineer wants tenders by 15th inst. for permanent pavement on Albert street.—Engineers are making surveys of the Stewart property, which is to be utilized for the new geological survey and national museum building.

MONTREAL, QUE.—The time for receiving tenders for supply of two fire engines for the city has been extended to July 7th.—Tenders have been invited for erection of a parish church in Maisonneuve, estimated to cost \$125,000.—The City Council will likely construct a sewer to the Back river, at a cost of \$88,000. — McArthur & Co. have

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purchased the property at south-east corner of St. Catharine and Stanley streets for the purpose of an up-town branch. The building will be remodelled and enlarged.—Building permits have been granted as follows: J. G. G. Kerry, four dwellings, Hutchison street, cost \$7,200; J. W. Orkin, factory buildings, Fullum street, cost \$4,500; E. D. Barrett, two buildings, Wolfe street, cost \$6,500; V. Boissormeau, two dwellings, St. Hubert street, cost \$5,000.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—J. Woodman, architect, has just taken tenders on steam heating of the Hudson Bay Co's stores at Edmonton.—Thomas W. Taylor purposes building a three-storey block on McDermott street east.—Plans for new north fire hall, prepared by A. & W. Melville, have been accepted, and tenders for erection are invited up to June 6.—Stewart Mulvey, Secretary School Board, has just taken tenders on erection of brick school corner Burrows ave. and McGregor street.—Czerwinski & Grant, box manufacturers, have had plans prepared for a new brick and stone box factory on Logan ave.—F. R. Evans, architect, has taken tenders on a stone and brick business block, corner Logan and Elm streets, for Messrs. Hallonquist.—Plans will be prepared at once for Normal school to be built by the Manitoba Government on William street; estimated cost, \$50,000.—The Agricultural College Board will take steps immediately towards the erection of college buildings. Upwards of \$75,000 will be expended this year.—A new congregation, known as the Polish Catholic church, has been organized by Rev. William Blawowsky. A site has been secured and it is proposed to build at an early date.—It has been announced that an extension of 100 feet is to be built to the C.P.R. locomotive shops in this city.—A & W. Melville, architects, desire tenders by 4th inst. for brick residence on Hargrave street for R. J. Munro.—The

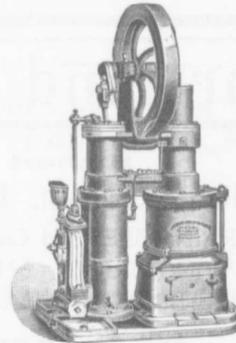
Board of the Medical College have secured two lots adjoining the present property on which the new college buildings will be built.

TORONTO, ONT.—Plans of break-water to be built at Meaford, Ont., may be seen at the office of H. A. Gray, C.E., this city.—The following building permits have recently been granted: George Wills, three pairs dwellings, 594-604 Ossington ave., cost \$7,200; L. C. Sheppard, two pairs dwellings, 218 224 Macpherson ave., cost \$7,200; R. Saunders, two pairs dwellings, Delaware ave., cost \$7,500; William Murray, pair dwellings, west side Spadina road, cost \$5,400; K. West & Co., brick and stone residence, corner King and Wilson ave., cost \$5,000; R. E. Kennerer, pair two-storey cement block dwellings, Wright ave., near Soraura, cost \$5,000; V. L. Scott, pair dwellings, Marguerita street, cost \$3,000; A. B. Dick, stone and brick dwelling, 55 Wood street, cost \$3,400; J. C. Malcolmson, brick and stone dwelling, Rusholme road,

near Dewson street, cost \$4,700; John Inglis & Co., two-storey brick office, 14 Strachan ave., cost \$5,000; C. E. Walton, pair brick dwellings, 20 and 22 Smith street, cost \$3,000.—A. R. Denison, architect, has prepared plans for a five-storey warehouse to be built by the Dignum & Monypenny Co. on the site of their burned warehouse.—J. F. Brown, architect, is taking tenders on a residence on Walmer road.—John Galt, C. E., has been engaged by the Postmaster-General to prepare plans for the proposed pneumatic tube system to be put into operation between the post office and the Union station. The work will be quite expensive.—The Vokes Hardware Co. are reported to be in need of larger premises, and if a suitable site can be se-

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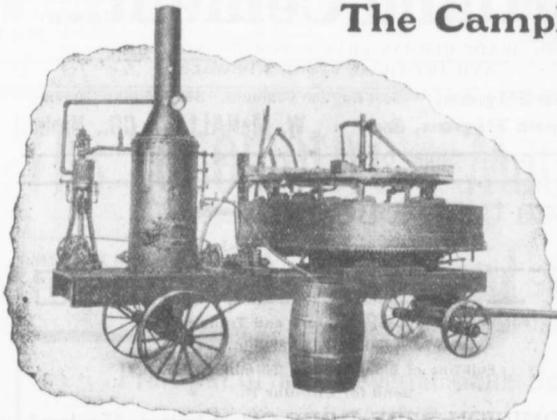


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cured will probably build. — The City Council intend to construct a macadam roadway on Pape av., from Queen to Gerrard street, cost \$11,095, and a tar macadam roadway on Woodlan ave., from Yonge street to 1,331 feet west, cost \$5,603. — S. H. Davis, architect, 2½ Queen street east, is taking tenders on three houses. — C. H. Westwood & Co. have decided to rebuild on their former site, 72 Bay street. Building will be 30x 110 feet, five stories. — The Toronto Phar-macal Co. have bought a site on King street west, near Spadina ave., on which they will build a three-storey warehouse 35x120 feet, cost \$15,000

**CONTRACTS AWARDED.**

BRANTFORD, ONT.—Oak street school : B. Lundy, contractor.

GLADSTONE, MAN.—New municipal offices : E. Cresswell, contractor.

VANCOUVER, B.C.—Building for J. C. Woodrow ; David Saul, contractor, \$14,000.

HAMILTON, ONT. — Buildings for Petrie & Co.: architect, Stewart McPhie ; masonary, George E. Mills ; carpentry,

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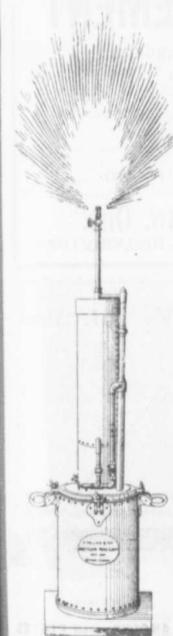
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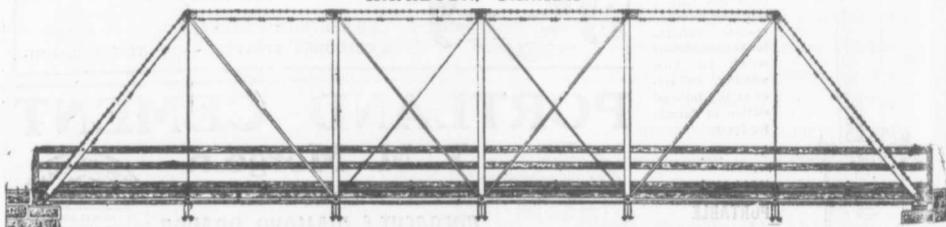
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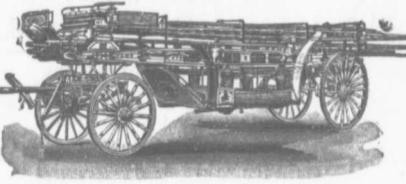
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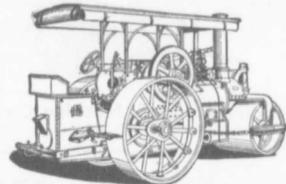


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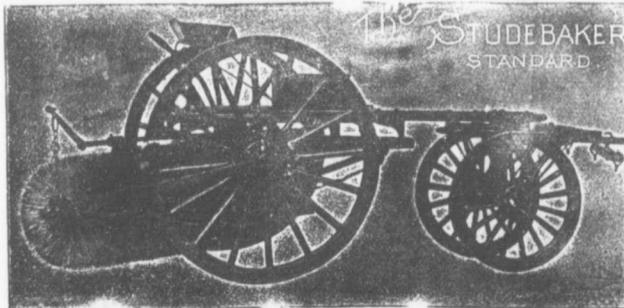
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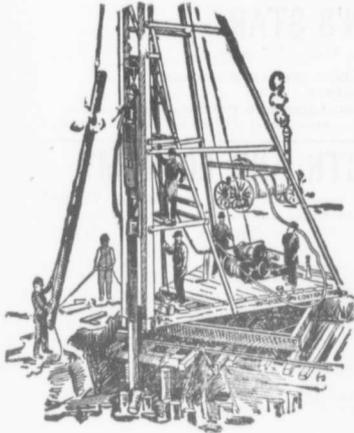
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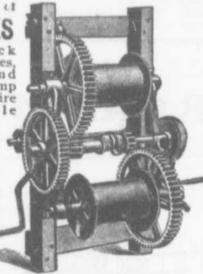
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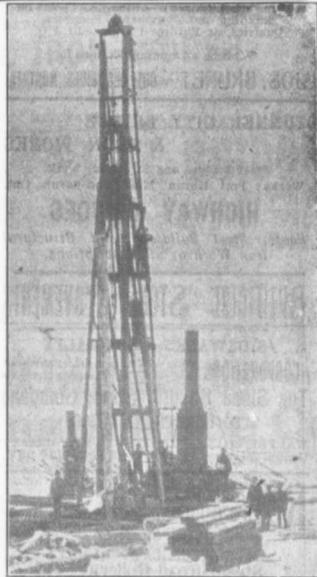
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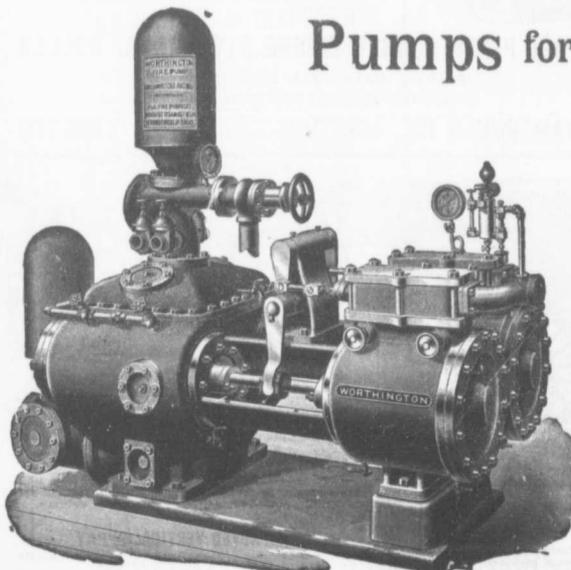
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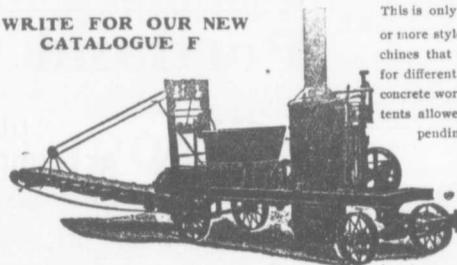
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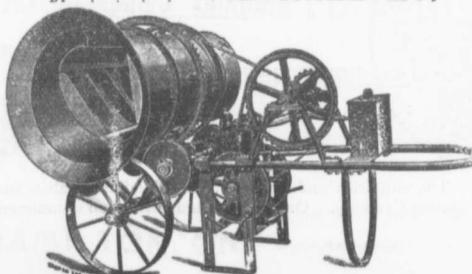
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