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ENGINEER WANTED

Applications will be received by the undersigned for the position of City Engineer for the City of St. Catharines, Ont., up till the FIRST DAY OF APRIL, 1903. Applicants to state salary required and previous experience, and all applications to be marked, "Application for position of City Engineer."

JOHN S. MCCLELLAND,
City Clerk.

TENDERS WANTED

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon on the 17TH DAY OF MARCH next, for supplying material and putting in heating plant in the County Buildings of the County of Peel. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the County Clerk in the Court House, Brampton, on and after Friday, the 13th day of February. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAS. JACKSON,
Chairman of Committee.
Brampton, 17th February, 1903.

CITY OF BRANDON

TENDERS FOR PORTLAND CEMENT.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the Chairman of the Board of Works, for the supply of from 2,000 to 3,000 barrels of Portland Cement, will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon, on FRIDAY, MARCH 27TH, 1903. Specification and form of tender may be obtained at the office of W. H. Shillinglaw, City Engineer, Brandon, Manitoba. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque or cash deposit for the sum called for in the form of tender supplied, which will be subject to forfeiture in the case of failure on the part of the contractor to enter into a written contract if called upon to do so.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept any bid which appears advantageous to the city.

J. B. WHITEHEAD,
City Clerk.
City Clerk's Office, Brandon, February 16, 1903.

WANTED

25 cents will be paid for a copy of the Regular Edition of the CANADIAN ARCHITECT AND BUILDER for January, 1902, delivered at the office of this paper.

TENDERS WANTED

Applications will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of \$20,000.00 Sewer Debentures of the Town of Sturgeon Falls, Ont. Further particulars on application to

THOMAS FOURNIER,
Acting Town Clerk,
Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

TENDERS FOR BROKEN STONE

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up till noon on THE TENTH DAY OF APRIL next, for supplying the City of Windsor with Broken Stone for macadamizing streets. No tender necessarily accepted. Forms of tender, containing specifications as to quantity, size, quality and time of delivery of said stone, etc., may be had on application to

STEPHERN LUSTED,
City Clerk.
Windsor, March 4, 1903.

TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders will be received up to 6 p.m. on MONDAY, APRIL 6TH, 1903, for the construction of two Concrete Abutments for a Bridge over Bear Creek in the Town of Petrolia, and for putting on a Concrete Floor with Expanded Metal when steel work is completed.

A deposit in cash or a marked cheque payable to the Treasurer of the Town of Petrolia, for the sum of \$200.00, must accompany each and every tender, which will be retained until the contract is entered into and is satisfactory to the committee.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Town Clerk, Petrolia, Ont., or at the office of Bell & McCubbin, Civil Engineers, St. Thomas, Ont.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO. McHATTIE, Town Clerk.
Petrolia, Ont., March 5th, 1903.

CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF FRASERVILLE, P. Q.

DEBENTURES FOR SALE

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to THE EIGHTEENTH OF THIS MONTH for the purchase of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) Bonds of the corporation of the Town of Fraserville, redeemable in thirty years, interest four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually the first of May and November at the office of the Town Council at Fraserville.

A statement of the town's financial standing may be seen at the office of the CONTRACT RECORD.

M. DESCHENNES,
Treasurer.
Town of Fraserville, 4th March, 1903.

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CITY OF BRANTFORD

Tenders for Cement and Sewer Pipe

Sealed tenders, addressed to A. E. Hardy, Esq., Chairman of the Board of Works, in care of the City Clerk, Brantford, Ontario, will be received till 12 o'clock noon on

Friday, March 27th, 1903.

For the supply of Cement and Sewer Pipe required by the City of Brantford for 1903. Specifications and forms of tender may be had on application to the City Engineer.

Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, for the amount called for in the form of tender.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

T. HARRY JONES,
City Engineer.
City Engineer's Office,
Brantford, March 10th, 1903.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

ST. MARY'S, ONT.—John Sheldon will build two new residences.

ONONDAGA, ONT.—The Baptists intend building a new church.

STITTSVILLE, ONT.—F. Cox intends erecting a warehouse here.

BALDUR, MAN.—The Methodists will build a new church, to cost \$5,000.

MARTINVILLE, QUE.—E. Sherman is preparing to rebuild in the spring.

SIDNEY, B.C.—Mr. Matteson is preparing to build a planing mill and dry kiln.

NELSON, B. C.—T. J. Scanlan, of this place, will build a shingle and lath mill at Salmo.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.—Plans are being prepared for alterations to the municipal building.

STRATFORD, ONT.—A by-law was carried last week to raise \$8,000 for road improvements.

BRACEBRIDGE, ONT.—The Council are considering the purchase of a stone crusher.

ENNISKILLEN, ONT.—T. Acton will receive tenders up to 28th inst. for repair of the Murphy drain.

TWEED, ONT.—A public meeting has been called to consider the prospects for an electric light plant.

BROOKFIELD, N.S.—James Densmore desires tenders by 25th inst. for erection of school house.

BRANTFORD, ONT.—Edward Roberts is building a brick residence on Rose avenue, to cost \$1,700.

CREEMORE, ONT.—Plans are being prepared for a new building to be built here for the Bank of Toronto.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.—A new switch-board will be installed in the civic electric light station.

LEAMINGTON, ONT.—It is understood that the heating plant in the house of refuge will be remodelled.

THORNHILL, ONT.—John Francis has prepared plans for remodelling the old Shuter residence and store.

CALGARY, N.W.T.—The ratepayers will vote on a by-law to borrow \$25,198 for construction of certain sewers.

ARNPRIOR, ONT.—Tenders will be received by Neil Campbell up to 23rd inst. for erection of brick dwelling.

MOOSOMIN, N. W. T.—A by-law granting a bonus of \$5,000 for establishment of a flour mill was carried recently.

NIAGARA FALLS SOUTH, ONT.—Rev. George W. Connors has purchased property on which he will erect a fine residence.

GEORGETOWN, ONT.—The Georgetown Electric Light Co. purpose replacing their arc lamps by more modern ones.

AMHERSTBURG, ONT.—Capt. Joseph E. Mahon and Frank M. Falls have each purchased lots on which to build residences.

GLACE BAY, N.S.—A public meeting been called for March 20th to discuss the raising of \$25,000 for construction of a sewerage system.

SHELburne, I. S.—W. W. Atwood will receive tenders up to 31st inst. for building a new academy. Plans at office of Dr. J. S. Morton.

HAMILTON, ONT.—The Rogers Coal Company have decided to establish a coal plant in this city costing in the neighborhood of \$25,000.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—R. J. Disney, of Hanover, has submitted to council a proposition to establish a large furniture and chair factory here.

SARNIA, ONT.—R. W. Fawcett, architect, will receive tenders up to 16th inst. for erection of residence on the London Road for J. R. Geddes.

WELLAND, ONT.—On behalf of the corporation G. W. Sutherland will receive tenders up to 16th inst. for construction of sewer on Albina street.

SHAWINIGAN FALLS, QUE.—A large cotton mill is to be erected at this place, the Colonial Printing & Bleaching Company, of Montreal, being interested.

VRDEN, MAN.—A. G. McDougall will receive tenders up to 20th inst. for erection of a bridge. Plans at office of Department of Public Works, Winnipeg.

FRASERVILLE, QUE.—Plans submitted by J. O. A. Laforest, C. E., of Montreal, for installation of waterworks system in this town, have been accepted.

PARRY SOUND, ONT.—Sheriff Armstrong is forming a company to purchase the bobbin factory and engage in the manufacture of hardwood flooring.

PORT ARTHUR, ONT.—Willis Chipm n, C. E., of Toronto, has been engaged as engineer for construction of waterworks system; estimated cost, \$91,000.

PETROLEA, ONT.—A by-law will be submitted to the voters to raise funds by the issue of debentures for construction of new bridge over Bear Creek at Main street.

FENELON FALLS, ONT.—J. Twomey is considering the question of adding another storey to the Mansion House and installing a new system of steam heating and plumbing.

ROCHESTER, ONT.—The trustees of S. S. No. 2 are this week taking tenders on erection of a new school building. Particulars from J. F. Ruston, of Woodlee.

CARLETON PLACE, ONT.—T. B. Caldwell has purchased the water power and grist mill property at Appleton and will likely build a dam to improve the power.

PICTOU, N.S.—A meeting of ratepayers has been called for March 16th to vote on the question of borrowing \$60,000 for the construction of a sewerage system.

RAT PORTAGE, ONT.—Active steps are being taken by a local company to build an electric railway through the Manitou district. Mr. Halstead is interested.

SHELburne, ONT.—John Broderick, of Elmvale, has purchased the Mansion House and will spend about \$7,000 on improvements and erecting a brick stable.

VICTORIA, B. C.—The Canadian Bank of Commerce in this city will receive offers up to April 20th for purchase of \$204,000 Government of British Columbia dyking debentures.

CHATHAM, ONT.—The County Council will build a steel bridge with cement abutments over Long's Creek, between Dawn and Camden, from plans by W. G. McGeorge, C. E.

GAMEBRIDGE, ONT.—P. D. McDougall, of this place, will receive tenders up to 21st inst. for erection of frame residence. Plans at office of Beaverton Express at Beaverton.

SACKVILLE, N.B.—Tenders will be invited immediately for addition to Ladies' College, from plans by Burke & Horwood, architects, Toronto. Building will be brick with stone trimmings.

WALKERVILLE, ONT.—Work will shortly be commenced on the new Episcopal church to be erected in this town.—The Public School Board will take steps at an early date to build a new school.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, MAN.—H. Stephens will double the capacity of his brick-making plant.—A vote of the ratepayers will be taken on the question of constructing a waterworks system.

KINGSTON, ONT.—The City Engineer has drafted a plan for paving nine blocks in the business portion of the city, at an estimated cost of \$28,000. He is in favor of the purchase of a paving plant.

PARIS, ONT.—George Wheeler has been instructed to prepare plans for new electric light station and fire-hall.—Clifford Morrison, of Sombra, has made a proposition to the Council to erect a flour mill here.

LONDON, ONT.—H. C. McBride, architect, is calling for tenders for alterations to Dr. Ferguson's residence in South London. He is also preparing plans for alterations and additions to Bank of Toronto.

BERLIN, ONT.—Plans have been prepared for an addition to be built to the Collegiate Institute here, to cost in the neighborhood of \$20,000.—A site has been selected on which to build the proposed rink.

GODERICH, ONT.—It is proposed to construct waterworks and sewerage systems. A committee has been appointed by the Council to visit Woodstock, Berlin and other places to inspect waterworks and electric light systems.

BROCKVILLE, ONT.—Newton Cossett is having plans prepared for an up-to-date covered skating and curling rink.—John A. Johnston has purchased a site on the corner of Buell and George streets on which he will build a residence this spring.

QUEBEC, QUE.—It is rumored that B. Ledoux & Cie, manufacturers of carriages, have purchased land and intend

erecting a building suitable for their business.—C. A. Parent has purchased a lot on Grand Allee on which he will erect a fine building.

BUCKINGHAM, QUE.—F. M. Gorman will receive tenders up to March 30th for construction of 3 1/10 miles of broken stone pavement from the centre of this town to the village of Masson. Specifications may be seen at the office of the town clerk here and at the office of R. W. Farley, C. E., Hull.

GRAND METIS, QUE.—It is reported that James J. Hill, the American railway magnate, has purchased from Lord Mount-Stephen his property at this place, which includes a large water power. It is probable that the power will be developed electrically.

VANCOUVER, B.C.—The construction of proposed new jail will be commenced within a few weeks. Building will be brick with stone trimmings. The plans are being prepared by Dalton & Eveleigh, architects.—Three new septic tanks will be built this year under the supervision of Col. Tracey, C. E.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.—It is understood that plans have been completed for the restoration of the Clifton House. Charles Crossley, of Pittsburg, recently visited this place in connection with the matter. The hotel will contain some 200 rooms and will be magnificently fitted up.

HALIFAX, N.S.—Tenders close Tuesday, 17th inst., for erection of Government Sanitarium at Kentville, N.S.—Moir, Son & Company purpose rebuilding and extending their factory on a large scale.—The Bank of Commerce are getting options on different properties with a view to selecting a site for their new building.

FORT WILLIAM, ONT.—Dr. W. H. Hamilton has purchased property on which he intends building a fine residence.—The Marks Clavet Dobie Co. intend building a new warehouse on Lincoln street.—The Ogilvie Milling Company are about to call for tenders for erection of flour mill and elevator here.

GRAND FORKS, B. C.—John A. Manly announces that he has been successful in interesting capitalists in a mining, smelting and railway project involving the erection of a 2000-ton smelter at this place and the expenditure of \$4,000,000 in the Boundary district and the State of Washington. Work, it is said, will be started next summer to develop 2,000 horse power on the Kettle river seven miles below here.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—Secretary Wilson, of the Y. M. C. A., expects to have secured funds in the near future to enable a start to be made on the proposed new building.—A representative of Harmsworth Bros., proprietors of the London Daily Mail and other British periodicals, will interview the New Brunswick Government this week in connection with the proposed erection of large pulp and paper mills at Grand Falls.

WINDSOR, ONT.—The council will shortly call for tenders for 6,000 tons of stone.—Tenders are invited up to 19th inst. for erection of residence and stables for Mrs. G. W. Manning, of this city. Plans by William Janes, architect, London.—The addition to St. Mary's Academy will be 175 by 60 feet, four storeys, cost \$50,000.—The Building Committee of the Board of Education has recommended that a six-room addition be built to the Tuscarora school.

PETERBORO, ONT.—W. J. Taylor has had plans prepared for a pressed brick business block to be built at corner of George and Charlotte streets. W. Blackwell is the architect.—The Peter-

boro Sugar Company expect to commence the erection of a factory at an early date.—The new buildings to be erected by the Canadian General Electric Company will include a stores and shipping building 45x80 feet, manufacturing building 235x80 feet, and an addition 140x40 feet to the new building erected last year. The buildings will be of brick and steel.

OTTAWA, ONT. — It is reported that Charles Brennan, of this city, intends erecting an expensive cottage on Tar Island, Rideau Lake, this spring.—The German Lutheran congregation have decided to build a parsonage on Creighton street for the pastor, Rev. C. Lucas.—The award in the competition for plans for public library building is as follows: First prize, E. L. Horwood; second prize, J. A. Ewart; third and fourth prizes, J. W. H. Watts. Mr. Horwood will consequently have charge of the work. His plan calls for native limestone, with picked face, for basement to base, and Indiana limestone for the balance of the building. The main portion of the building is to be of slow burning material. The corridors and delivery room are to be floored with mosaic blocks and the walls of corridors are to have a high wainscoting of light Vermont marble, with green veining. Heating is to be by indirect radiation, with force draught system.

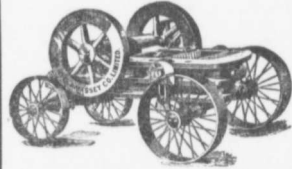
WINNIPEG, MAN. —W. Cross, contractor, intends erecting a new building on Ellice avenue this spring.—Smith & O'Toole have sold property on Stanley street on which a warehouse will be erected.—S. Hooper, architect, is preparing plans for the new Land Titles office, which will be of stone, 90x90 feet, two storeys and basement, marble wainscoting, tile floors, 12 vaults. Mr. Hooper has prepared plans for new block for N. Bawlf on corner of Ross and Princess streets, to be 50x75 feet, four storeys and basement, brick with stone trimmings.—W. B. Lait, architect, has completed plans for the Icelandic Lutheran church, corner Nena and Bannatyne streets, brick on stone foundation, with stone facings.—Walter Chesterton, architect, has completed plans for an Anglican church at Manitou and for a warehouse for the J. I. Case Co. at Regina.—Plans have been prepared by H. S. Griffith, architect, for a 30x50 feet brick building on Smith street for Mr. Campbell, also for new hotel on McDermot street for

Mr. Wilkes. Latter will be five storeys and basement, brick, pressed brick front, forty bed-rooms.

TORONTO, ONT.—A gentleman, whose name has not transpired, is said to be negotiating for the purchase of a site at the north-east corner of Lowther avenue and Spadina road for a residence to cost \$12,000.—Plans of the new 34-mile section of the Toronto, Lindsay and Pembroke Railway have been received by the Department of Public Works.—Henry Simpson, architect, has prepared plans and will superintend the erection of the new furniture store and warehouse to be built for the J. F. Brown Co. on the east side of Yonge street, just above Queen. It will be five storeys and built of structural steel.—

Mr. Leadley, leather merchant, proposes to erect this season a residence on Elm Avenue, west of Sherbourne street, Rosedale.—Mr. Peuchen, paint manufacturer, has purchased a site for a residence on Sherbourne street immediately north and west of the Sherbourne street bridge.—It is understood that the enlargement

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MUNICIPAL DEBENTURES BOUGHT

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of Deer Park Presbyterian church is under consideration.—It is rumored that negotiations are being conducted by George A. Case, real estate dealer, looking to the erection of a new building on Yonge street just north of Fairweather's store.—The Public School Board is asking for tenders up to Monday, 13th inst., for supply of school desks and seats.—The Board of Control has authorized the Street Commissioner to spend an additional \$4,500 in rebuilding the western crematory.—The Council has given notice of its intention to construct the following works: Asphalt pavement on Duke street, from Jarvis to Sherbourne, cost \$11,545; and on College street, from Yonge to Beverley streets, cost \$38,725; brick pavement on Sheridan avenue, from Florence to Dundas street, cost \$10,034; tar macadam pavement on Wickson avenue, from Yonge street to a point 1,330 feet west, cost \$5,386; macadam roadway on Beachell street, from Eastern avenue to Front street, cost \$1,420; on Pembroke street, from Wilton Crescent to Gerrard street, cost \$3,627; on Power street, from King to Queen streets, cost \$3,910; also a number of cement concrete sidewalks.—Building permits have been granted as follows: A. E. Price, brick dwelling, west side Crawford street, near Queen, cost \$1,500; Bank of British North America, alterations to office and bank building, corner Wellington and Yonge, cost \$30,000; Dickson & Eddy, coal shutes, wood and galvanized iron, Church street, cost \$1,800; A. M. Rees, alterations to 335 West King street, cost \$1,700; J. Wheeler, two pair two-storey and attic brick dwellings, 65-71 Smith street, cost \$6,400; Mrs. Jas. Claxton, two-storey and attic brick dwelling, west side Shaw street, near Arthur, cost \$2,500; McGowan & Wells, detached two-storey and attic brick and stone dwelling, west side Beatrice street, near College, cost \$2,000; R. S. Williams, two additional storeys to office and storeroom, 145 Yonge street, cost \$1,600; W. H. Hutchinson, 12 two-storey brick attached dwellings, near Bloor street, on Rosedale Ravine drive, cost \$12,300; Ontario Wind Engine and Pump Company, storage building, Atlantic avenue, near Liberty street, cost \$1,000; J. W. May, two-storey brick dwelling, 286 Crawford street, cost \$2,500; J. F. Brown & Co., eight-storey brick store, 191 to 195 Yonge street, cost \$50,000; Ontario Jockey Club, alterations to stable, cost \$4,000; Ledford & Co., frame dwelling, Lentz avenue, Kew Beach, cost \$2,000; Mr. Townson, frame dwelling, corner Queen street and Waverley road, cost \$2,500; Abbott & Hogarth, pair frame dwellings, Kippendavie avenue, cost \$1,500.—

MONTREAL, QUE.—Mr. Dandurand has sold a large block of land to the Fabrique of St. Bridget's. The property is situated on the east side of Papineau avenue, between Dorchester and St. Catherine streets, and on it will be built a large school for girls. Mr. Dandurand has also sold to the Dominion government the lot on the north-east corner of St. Catherine street and Papineau avenue, on which a post office will be erected.—Finley & Spence, architects, have prepared plans for an extension to the club house of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club.—A factory for the Hudson's Bay Knitting Company is to be erected on the property on Lagachetiere street now occupied by the Waverley Hotel.—The engineering department of the C. P. R. is asking for tenders for three more buildings in connection with the Hochelaga works.—It is officially announced that the C. P. R. will not extend the Place Viger station, the land recently acquired being for the purpose of providing additional sidings and yard accommodation.—The Temple

Building on St. James street has been purchased by Hon. George A. Cox, of Toronto, and it is rumored that it will be replaced by a new structure.—A new building will probably be erected by the Chambre de Commerce.—The graduates of McGill University have decided to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the commencement of lectures by the erection of a building to be used as a home and for literary, social and recreative purposes. The building is estimated to cost \$75,000.—The city has entered into a contract for the erection of two hospitals for the treatment of contagious diseases.—Saxe & Archibald, architects, are preparing plans for the following buildings: Three storey office building for the Montreal Rolling Mills Co.; residence at Sydney, C. B., for Jos. A. Gillies; new library for Bishops' College at Lennoxville, P. Q.; residence for James Shearer on the Little Mountain, Westmount; alterations to St. Catherine street store for R. J. Tooke.—Building permits have been granted as follows: Avila Tremblay, four three-storey houses and stores, corner Moreau and St. Catherine streets, cost \$13,000 (C. Dufort, architect, J. E. Tremblay, contractor); W. W. Ogilvie Milling Co., two storey factory and grain elevator, Seigneurs street, cost \$18,000; S. Belair, two and a half storey house, Dorchester street, cost \$5,000 (Jos. Sawyer, architect, Jos. Marcotte, contractor); J. H. Nault, alterations to warehouse, Guy street, cost \$5,000; (C. Dufort, architect, J. H. Nault contractor).

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

PEMBROKE, ONT.—Plumbing for town hall: Appleton Bros., contractors.

GRANBY, QUE.—Interior fittings for post office: Neil & Kent, contractors.

OSHAWA, ONT.—Granolithic sidewalks: Bishop & Drew, successful tenderers.

LANARK, ONT.—Roman Catholic church: Casper Speagle, of Westport, successful tenderer.

PERTH, ONT.—W. R. Cameron has secured the contract to build the Calvin Presbyterian manse.

GLACE BAY, N. S.—Erection of infectious disease hospital: Hugh Cameron, successful tenderer, \$2,075.

LINDSAY, ONT.—Improvements to store of N. Hockin: George Henley and Alex. Skinner, contractors.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—Residence for Mrs. John Henderson: Bryan Manufacturing Company, contractors.

BRACEBRIDGE, ONT.—The tender of G. A. Stimson & Company, of Toronto, has been accepted for purchase of \$7,000 town debentures.

REGINA, N.W.T.—The contract for building the Arcola branch of the C.P.R. into Regina has been let to Foley, Locke & Larson, of Winnipeg and Moosomin.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—James Chisholm, architect, has let contracts as follows for residence for George Forsythe: Masonry, J. Dolmer; carpenter work, Mr. Turner.

WELLAND, ONT.—The tender of the Waterloo Engine Works Co., of Brantford, has been accepted for supply of a Pitts steam road roller of 12 tons, double cylinder, price \$3,000.

TILSONBURG, ONT.—\$10,000 debentures: E. C. Jackson, manager of Traders' Bank, successful tenderer at par. Other tenders were W. C. Brent, Toronto, \$9,903.50; G. A. Stimson & Co., Toronto, \$9,972.00; Dominion Security Co., \$9,751.00.

QUEBEC, QUE.—Stone building at St. Ronald for Sisters of the Trappist Order: F. G. Fauteux, contractor. Building will be 150 feet long and four storeys high.—Warehouse for Mechanics' Supply Company: Masonry and piling, W. Sharpe; carpentry, roofing and iron work, S. Peters; painting and glazing, James Copeman; heating, G. Simard & Co. The architects are Staveley & Staveley.

LISTOWEL, ONT.—Presbyterian church in North Mornington: Masonry and brickwork, George Fritz; carpentry and joiner's work, Bamford Bros. and George Wahl; painting and glazing, E. D. Hayden; tinsmithing and gas-fitting, Zilliox & Jarvis; seating, heating and ventilating and glass not yet awarded. The architect is W. E. Binning, of this town.

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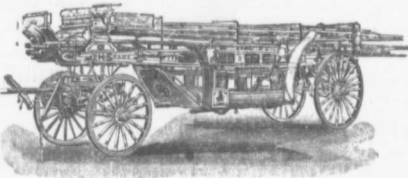
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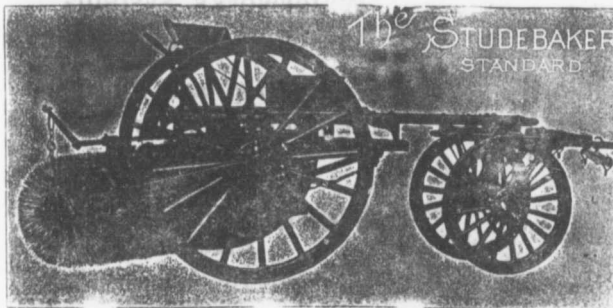
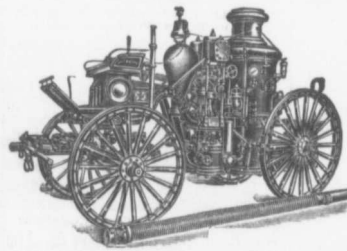
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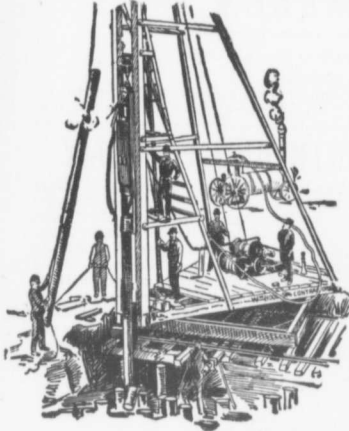
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curved, 52 cents per lin. foot; curbstone, 9'x12'x4", 47 cents lin. foot; curbstone, curved, 9'x12'x4", 57 cents lin. foot. E. D. Lawrence, scoria blocks, 18", \$44 per 1000; scoria blocks, 9", \$49.50 per 1000. Paints and oils—Ramsay & Son, as per tender, excepting turpentine, which is to be given to Imperial Co., at 87 cents.—Saxe & Archibald, architects, have awarded the contract for large stable on Colborne street to Riordan Bros. Same architects have awarded contracts as follows for

alterations and repairs to house, 374 Mountain street, for F. C. Wilson: Masonry, P. A. Brown; carpenter work, D. H. Scott; roofing, G. A. Reed & Co.; plumbing, J. W. Hughes; painting, H. Morgan & Co.; electric wiring, Montreal Electric Co.—Huot & Payette, architects, have awarded the contract for alterations to warehouse and store for the Masson Estate, on St. Paul street, as follows: General contract to D. Houle & Co., electric elevator, Otis Electric Elevator Co.



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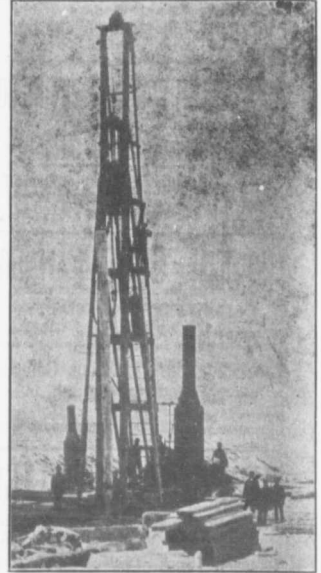
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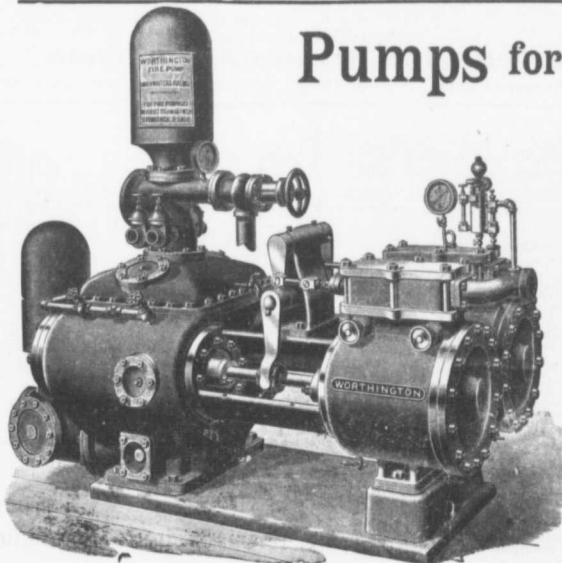
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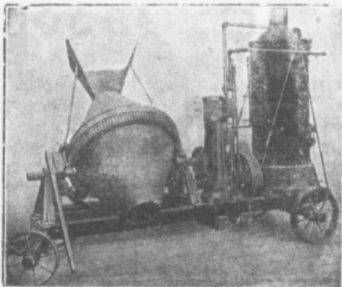
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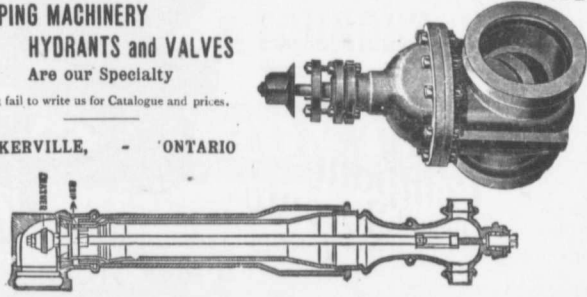
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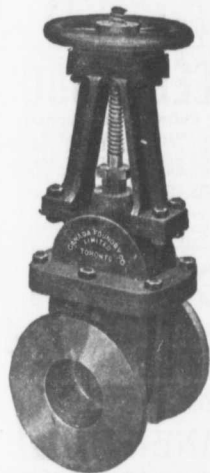
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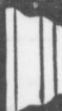
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Moat red sandstone, per cu. ft.		60		
Black Pasture buff stone, per cu. ft.		50		
Nova Scotia blue grey, per cu. ft.		65		
Course, 4 to 6 in. bed, f. o. b. St. Mary's, per cord		4 00	3 00	
Footing, 2 1/2 to 3 in. wide, 6 in. thick, per running foot		70		
Bridge Stone, 10 to 12 in. thick, f. o. b. St. Mary's, per cord		6 00	9 00	
Granite (Laurentian Pink) Ashlar, 6 to 2 in. rise 9 in., per c. ft.		25		
Dimension Stock Granite (Laurentian Pink) for building purposes, per c. ft., f. o. b. quarries		40		
Do., for polishing purposes, up to 2 tons weight, per cubic foot		70		
Dimension stock granite for building purposes, per cu. ft.		50		
Do., for polishing purposes, up to 2 tons weight, per cubic ft.		1 00		
Paving sets, per thousand block		60 00		
CREDIT VALLEY STONE.				
Rubble, per ton		50		
Brown Coursing, up to 10 per sup. yard		2 00		
Brown dimension, per cub. ft.		65		
Grey coursing, per sup. yard		1 25		
Grey dimension, per cub. ft.		45		
SLATES.				
Roofing (W square), " red.....	30 0	21 00		
" " purple.....	9 0	10 00		
" unfading green oolite.....	10 0	11 00		
" oolite.....	9 0	9 00		
Terra Cotta Tile, per sq. ft.	3 0	15 00		
Ornamental Black Slate Roofing	10 0	10 00		
PORTLAND CEMENT				
English—				
Brook's Shoobridge Brand			2 00	2 10
Excelsior Brand.....				2 10
Belgian—				
" Josson's Brand.....	2 85	2 90	2 50	2 60
" North's Condor.....	2 80	2 95	2 40	2 50
" White Cross.....			1 75	1 80
Atlas.....			2 50	2 60
Hammer.....			1 80	1 85
W. G. Cross Brand.....			1 80	1 85
Anchor.....			1 80	1 85
Waterloo.....			1 80	1 85
Rauvel's 395 lb. bbl.....			2 10	2 15
Levie Bros.,.....			2 10	2 15
German—				
Offero's Brand.....	2 40	2 50	1 90	2 00
Dyckerhoff.....			2 10	2 15
Karlstadt.....	2 50	2 60	2 10	2 15
Canadian				
S. R. Brand.....			2 40	2 50
Ensign.....			2 15	2 20
Citadel.....			2 00	
Trowel.....				1 75
Samson Brand.....	2 5	2		
Ma-net.....	2 05	2 40		
Monarch.....	2 10			
Hercules.....	2 10	2 25		
American—				
Alpha Brand.....	2 10	2 40	2 50	2 60
Alsen's.....	2 75	2 85	2 30	2 40
Lehigh, in bbl., 315 lbs. cotton sacks, 250 net paper bags.....			2 00	2 05
Dragon extra.....			2 00	2 05
Kenn's "superfine" Whites.....	10 00	12 00	9 00	10 00
Kenn's Coarse "Whites".....	6 50	7 00	6 50	7 00
Fire Bricks, Newcastle, per M	27 00	32 00	18 00	21 00
" Scotch.....	28 00	33 00	17 00	21 00
Lime, 100 lbs., Grey.....			30	
" White.....				
Plaster, Calcined, N. B.....			2 00	2 10
" " N. S.....			2 00	2 05
Hair, Plasterers', per bag.....	80	1 00		1 10

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