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# TENDERS

for Concrete Dam will be received by John S. Fielding, C.E., for the Construction of a Dam at Hespeler for The R. Forbes Woolen Mills Com-pany up to SEPTEMBER agrn. Plans and specifications to be seen at the office of

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# Town of Medicine Hat Debentures For Sale

Tenders, marked "Tenders for Debentures," will be received up to the 15711 OF OCTOBER, 1905, for the purchase of a \$15,000 block of "Public Rark and Garden" Pebentures of the Town of Medicine Hat, These Debentures bear interfeating of the tender of the tender of the Town of Medicine Hat, These Debentures are rough, 1905, and are end, we date September toth, 1905, and are real, we date September Instalments of principal and interest. The highest or any tender not necessarily ac-cepted.

For further information address the under-signed.

W. N. ADSIT, Secy-Treas., Town of Medicine Hat, N.W T.

**Tenders** for Bridge

Sealed tenders hereby requested by the Cor-poration of the County of Hastings, up to noon of SATURDAY, and SEPTEMBER, 1906, with plans and specifications, for one steel bridge, 60 technology and 16 feet wills in the clear, to be rear Guilett's Mill in Rawdon, about 4 milles north of Hoard's Station and 6 milles from stirling. The abutments will be ready by 1st November and the steel structure to be complete ready to at doring on by the 1st November. The abutments will be ready by 1st November and the steel structure to be complete ready to the abutments will be ready by 1st November and the steel structure to be complete ready to at the steel structure to be complete ready and the steel structure to be complete ready to the steel structure to be steel structure to be steel structure to the steel structure to be complete ready to be the steel structure to be s

Address ed. WM. R. AYLSWORTH, County Clerk, Belleville.

August 30th, 1905.

BUSINESS CHANCE — A Toronto engineering and construction company wants competent book-keeper for secretary-treasurer. Must invest \$1,500 cash. Address, "Secretary," CONTRACT RECORD.

# **DEBENTURES FOR SALE**

Tenders will be received up to NOON OF OCTOBER 18TH, 1905, for the purchase of 500-ooo Debentures of the Qu'Appelle School Dis-trict No. s, repayable in thirty equal annual in-stalments at five per cent, interest, J. C. STARR, Scorreiter, Treasurer

School District No. 2 Qu'Appelle, Sask.

DEBENTURES

The County of Waterloo propose to issue de entures for \$7,000, at 4 per cent., in Decembe bentures apply to For particulars apply to H. J. BOWMAN, County Clerk,

Berlin, Sept 11, 1905.

# Notice to Contractors

The time for receiving tenders for the con-struction of the superstructure of the Town Hall in the Town of Qu'Appelle, Sask, has been extended to SEFTHMBEK 2778, 1905. Flans and specifications may be seen at the one of W. M. Dordcary-Tressurer, or at the offi-ces of W. M. Dordcary-Tressurer, or at the offi-ces of W. M. Dordcary-Tressurer, or at the offi-culagary, Altad. Architect, keglma, Sask, and Culagary, Altad.

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J. C. STARR, Secretary-Treasurer, Town of Qu'Appelle, Sask.

## CONTRACTS OPEN.

BRADFORD, ONT. - The Grand Trunk Railway will likely build a new station here.

LACOMBE, N.W.T - The Council have decided to get expert opinion on a water supply.

BEAVERTON, ONT.—A. Moore has purchased a lot on Bay street on which to build a residence.

PORT HOOD, N.S. -A building suitable for their purposes will be built by the Bank of Montreal.

LUNENBURG, N.S .- The Bank of Montreal have purchased a site here on which to build a new bank.

GUELPH, ONT.—The question of a water filtration system has not yet been decided by the City Council.

LETHBRIDGE, N.W.T.—E. T. Galt has donated \$5,000 for a nurses' home in connection with the hospital.

ACTON, ONT .- It is understood that the Dominion Government will build a new drill shed here next year.

UXBRIDGE, ONT. - The Council will look into the question of acquiring and operating an electric plant.

HULL, QUE .- The City Council

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have appointed a committee to dispose of \$45,000 of waterworks debentures. QUEBE, CQUE .- Premier Gouin has

announced that the Government intend erecting a new Normal school for girls.

LONDON, ONT.—The Congregation of St. Paul's United Evangelical church are considering the erection of an edifice.

SHALLOW LAKE, ONT .-- Richard inst. for building an addition to public school. Dealy will receive tenders up to 23rd

STRATFORD, ONT .- A by-law will probably be submitted to the ratepayers in January to raise \$56,000 for storm sewerage.

GIMLI, MAN.-T. J. Thomas is con-structing a dam to provide the necessary power for a saw mill which he purposes building.

FORT WILLIAM, ONT.-The by-law to raise \$30,000 for buying land and building a school has been sanctioned by the ratepayers.

PORT STANLEY, ONT.-James A. Bell, of St. Thomas, has been engaged to report on the cost of a waterworks system for this place.

BIRTLE, MAN.—The Town Coun-cil are calling for tenders for the recon-struction of the old dam for the purpose of making an artificial lake.

HARRISTON, ONT.—A by-iaw was carried here on Friday last to loan the sum of \$10,000 to the Canada Stove Works for the establishment of a factory.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT. — The Council have decided to engage an ex-pert hydraulic engineer to report as to the best plan for a permanent water supply.

GRAND FORKS, B. C.—A by-law will likely be submitted to the electors to grant a bonus of \$30,000 to the Dominion opper Co. for the erection of a smelter here

PINCHER CREEK, N.W.T.-The Bank of Commerce are preparing to build on the lot recently purchased. It is understood that the Union Bank will also erect a building.

FREDERICTON, N.B. -The directors of the New Brunswick Telephone Co. have decided to install a central energy system in the new exchange now under construction.

TORONTO JUNCTION, ONT. — Members of L.O.L. Nos. 900 and 602 are considering the erection of a hall.— The Canada Cycle & Motor Co. intend to extend their factory.

PETERBORO, ONT. — The City Council have decided to purchase a fire engine at once.—Andrew Brown purposes building a residence at corner of Park and Charlotte streets-

OTTAWA, ONT.-Charles Macnab, County Clerk, has just taken tenders for

the reconstruction of Hurdman's bridge, of concrete. McDougall & Mc Citizens Building, are the engineers. McRae.

MOWBRAY, MAN.-J. W. Johnston, Secretary Treasurer of the village, will re-ceive tenders up to 29th inst. for erection of a two-storey frame school. Plans at office of John Gayton, Manitou.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I.--C. B. Chappel, architect, is preparing pluns for proposed additions to the Prince of Wales College, to be 79 x 100 feet. New heating apparatus will be installed,

ORILLIA, ONT .- The directors of the Y.M.C.A. are making a vigorous effort to secure sufficient subscriptions to warrant them in proceeding with the erection of their new building this Fall,

REGINA, N.W.T.-Ten of the plans submitted for new city hall have been reserved for consideration, and a selection will be made in the near future. Some of the plans call for an expenditure exceeding \$200,000.

BARRIE, ONT.-The School Board have instructed R. Edwards to submit plans for the remodelling of the South Ward school, also for a new building, to include a modern system of heating and ventilation.

PORT ELGIN, ONT .- The rate payers have sanctioned a by-law to raise \$4,000 to build a spur line of railway to connect the G.T.R. with the harbor and for the establishment of a saw mill here by Mr. McVicar.

MOOSE JAW, N.W.T.-Tenders for

MOOSE JAW, N.W.T. — Tenders for heating and ventilating the new public school will be received by H. Jagger up to September 30th. Plans at office of W. A. Elliott, architect, Brandon, and at the Builders' Exchange, Winnipeg. WOODSTOCK, ONT. — The by-law to provide \$50,000 for improving the waterworks and lighting systems was carried here on Monday last. The im-provements will include a reservoir, a water main to the new epileptic hospital and new electrical machinery. and new electrical machinery.

HAMILTON, ONT .- A by-law will probably be submitted to the ratepayers In January to raise \$37,000 for an over-flow sewer and a sewer for the East End Annex.—It has been decided to pave York street with asphalt and to build the extension to the Central fire station.

KINGSTON, ONT. — Surveyors are laying out the route of the Kingston, Smith's Fal's and Ottawa railway and it is said that the work of construction will be been and the same the form be begun next spring.—The File and Light Committee are preparing a report the necessary improvements to the electric light plant.

ST. JOHN, N.B.- The Con mon Coun-cil will receive tenders up to October 12th cil will receive tenders up to October 12th for the construction of a new wharf. Alternate tenders will be taken for com-pleting the work by February 1 and August 1, 1906.—It is reported that a new company is being formed with the object of installing an electric plant for the supply of light in St. John and Carleton Carleton

WATERLOO, ONT .- Only one ten WATERLOO, ON I.- Only one ten-der was received for construction of a permanent roadway from the Berlin cor-poration limit to John street, and the figure, \$3,75¢, is considered too high.--The Town Council will shortly invite tenders for improvements to the town hall, cost about \$2,000.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C. Wm. H. Moore, of Nelson, B.C., is pro-moting a scheme for the construction of moting a scheme for the construction of an electric railway from this city to Spencer's Bridge, on the Thompson river, about 100 miles in length.—The Fourth street sewer, estimated to cost \$14,500, is expected to be approved by the City Council.

AMHERST, N.S. - The Maritime Coal & Railway Co. have in contempla tion the installation of a steam plant at the mines for the purpose of supplying Amherst with power.—The hotel of A. Peabody has been bought by a company of Amherst men who intend building a of Amherst men who in new structure on the site.

BRANDON, MAN.-The Redemp-rist Fathers have commenced the torist Fathers have commenced the erection of a large brick building for erection of a large brick building for a hall and school purposes. - Engineers for the Great Northern Railway have sur-veyed the line from St. John, N.D., to this city and are now engaged in staking out the roadbed. In addition to this line a spur has been surveyed from St. John to Fish Lake.

VICTORIA, B.C.--The British Columbia Electric Railway Co. have pur-chased a lot on corner of Langley and Fort streets and it is understood will erect a modern office building in the near future .- It is reported that negotiations are proceeding satisfactorly for the erec-tion of a piano factory at Saanich Inlet by the Victoria Chemical Co.—The proprietors of the Victoria Theatre have decided upon extensive improvements, including the remodelling of the entire in-terior.-Hooper & Watkins, architects, have prepared plans for a fine residence to be built by W. H. Pennock at corner of Head street and Esquimalt road.

BRANTFORD, ONT. - P. Tipson bran FORD, ONT. - F. Tipson has commenced the erection of a resi-dence on Eagleton street, cost about \$1,50.-Wesley Methodist church will probably be enlarged.-The managing committee of the Brantford Club have decided to proceed with the enlargement and improvement of the building .- The Brantford Laundry Co. have purchased the factory of the Murray Estate on Clarence street and will enlarge and remodel it and install new machinery, at a cost of about \$6,000. — The Ontario Telephone Co. have applied for a fran-chise for the establishment of an independent telephone system .-- John Moffatt has purchased the property on Dalhousie has purchased the property on Dainousie street owned by Charles Duncan and in-tends building a l very stable thereon. -L. T. Taylor, architect, has prepared plans for a residence to be built on Arth-ur street for Mrs. Lilhs.--Plans are being prepared for an addition to the warehouse Ryerson Bros., wholesale fruiters, Durham street.

VANCOUVER, B.C.--F. M. Rattenbury, architect, is preparing plansfor im-provements and additions to the C P R, hotels and chalets in the Rocky Mounnotes and chaiets in the Rocky Moun-tains. An addition of probably so rooms will be made to the chalet at Lake Louise.—Loewen & Harvey have sold the property at the north-east corner of Pender and Homer streets, and the purchaser will erect a modern block at an early date.-Mayor Buscombe has des clared in favor of the city installing its own lighting plant in the event of in-Herman & Burwell, esgineers, have sub-mitted to the City Council their report on the character of the bottom of False creek, this being required to permit of a decision on the question of building a new structure next year to replace the present Westminster ave. bridge.—A by-law to borrow \$50,000 for road improvements was carried in South Vancouver last week.—The City Council are considering the purchase of an automobile fire engine.

MONTREAL, QUE.-L. O. David, City Clerk, is this week taking tenders for the building of a public bath in Hochelaga Ward. Plans at office of Hochelaga Ward. Plans at office of Lecroix & Piche, architects, 5 Beaver Hall Square.—Plans for a look out on the mountain have been submitted by Beau-grand Champagne and Ross, McFarlane & Outhet, architects. The appropriation

for the work is \$15,000 .- The Water Committee will ask the City Council for \$16,000 for the construction of new water \$16,000 for the construction of new water mains in Hochelaga Ward.—The an-nouncement has been made that the National Lead Co., of New York, will build a factory in this city.—The Harbor Commissioners have decided to enter un-to a contract with the J. S. Metcalf Co., of Chicago, for the preparation of plans for a surface of concurrence for the playa for a system of conveyors for the eleva-tor.—A. Payler has made a proposition to the city to erect a new morgue at the corner of Notre Dame and St. Andre streets.—The Protestant Board of School streets.— The Profestant board of School Commissioners have adopted plans for a new senior commercial and technical school.—E. & W. Maxwell, architects, have been granted a permit for the erec-tion of anurses' home at Royal Victoria

tion of anurses' home at Royal Victoria Hospital, cost \$161.000. WINNIPEG, MAN.—Plans are be-ing prepared for extensive alterations and improvements to McDougall Metho-dist church, of which Rev. A. E. Smith is pastor.—The Hugo-Ross Realty Co. last week sold a lot in Stradbrook Place, hetmeen Nacau streat and the Crescent between Nassau street and the Crescent, to a gentleman who intends erecting a \$10,000 residence. — Considerable building promises to be done next year in Fort Rouge.—It is understood that the Canadian Malting Co. are having plans prepared for their building and plant to be located on property recently pur-chased near McPhilips street, prob-able cost \$150,000.—Eade Bros., archiable cost \$150,000.—Eade Bros., archi-tects, have taken tenders on a frame residence on Furty street. — Plans of heating and ventilating system for public school at Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, may be seen at the Builders' Exchange in this city. Tenders close October 1st. —The tenders received for the proposed child before much in screes of civic building were much in excess of the appropriation of \$200,000, and the Council have decided to postpone the work until next spring and invite new tenders.—The Advisory Bourd of the Agricultural College have decided on the specifications for the horse and cattle specifications for the mass and cattle barns and stock-judging amphilibeatre, which structures will be built this Fall.— J. A. McRae, of the Siskatchewan Val-ley and Manitoba Lind Co., has pur-chased the fine Archiball residence on Rosslyn road and an adjoining lot and wil build a stable on the latter.—Engi-neers of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railneers of the Grand Trunk Pacific Rail-way are reported to be sounding the Assinbioine river just west of the city limits with a view to selecting a suitable location for a bridge.—The Baard of Education have decided to purchase a site for another school and to build an addition to the Strathcona school.—The Canada Life Assurance Co. have decided to tear down the present four-storey building on corner of Portage and Main streets and erect on the site a 16 storey structure costing nearly a mill ion dollars. The plans will be arranged during the winter and work commenced next spring. —Mr. Tuckweil has purchased a site in -Mr. Tuckweil has purchased a site in Fort Rouge west, south of the St. James railway bridge, for a private school which he will erect next year. The Children s Aid Society have also purchased a site for

Ald Society have also purchased a site for a home in the same locality. TORONTO, ONT.—The time for re-ceiving tenders for installation of a weigh scale in the sheep barn at the Cattle Market has been further extended to the 26tb inst.-The Board of Control have decided upon the conditions which shall govern the competition for plans for the new library building. The total cost of the building must not exceed \$250,000, including the heating facilities but not the furniture. The architect whose plans Including the heating factifies out for the furniture. The architect whose plans are accepted will be given the execution of the work, the second prize will be \$350, third prize \$150, and fourth prize \$150. The plans must be sent in by fanuary 1.0

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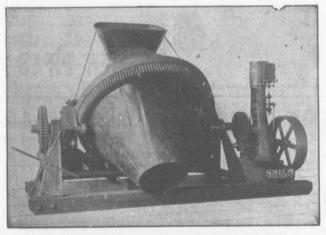
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At a meeting of the Caledonian Society last week, the question of erecting a cen-tral hall for all the Scottish societies was tral hall for all the Scottish societies was considered and a committee appointed to formulate a plan. — James McDougall, C. E., engineer of York County, will receive tenders up to Friday, 22nd inst., for the construction of two concrete abutments and a concrete floor for a bridge over the west branch of the Black river near Udage. Planes at r.z. Adelaide treet east. west branch of the black river hear Udona. Plans at 77 Adelaide street east, this city.—The Executive Committee of the Exhibition Association have requested the City Council to erect for next year a process and implement building, an agri-cutured holding a lue stock sense and cultural building, a live stock arena and a press building, a live stock arena and way Co. have decided to rebuild the Mimico car barns on the site of the old ones.-It is understood that the Dominion Government have decided to take steps Government have decided to take steps at once towards the temporary protection of the Island.—The question of construct-ing a new morgue has again been brought to the attention of the City Council. The Legislature granted the city power to issue debentures to the amount of \$20,000 for this purpose, but nothing has yet been done.—The City Engineer has recom-mended the resurfacing of Yonge street with asphalt on both sides of the street railwaytracks, from Queen to Bloorstreets, at an approximate cost of \$34,946.— The following pavements were recom-mended: John street, from King to Queen, asphalt, cost \$0,109; Arthur street, from Dundas street to Dovercourt road, bitu-lithic, cost \$5,043; Casimir street, from lithic, cost \$6,043; Casimir street, from St. Patrick to 193 feet north, cost \$1,294; Kintyre ave., from Broadview ave. to Grant street, brick, cost \$1,896; Gibson Grant street, brick, cost \$1,896; Gibson ave., from Yonge street to west end, tar macadam, cost \$1,920; sewer on Shaw street, from Bloor to Dupont, cost \$11,-150; cement concrete sidewalks around the Normal school, cost \$2,219,-Building permits have been granted as follows: Washington & Bartlett, three stores and apartment house, corner Broad-view ave. and Queen street, brick, cost \$20,000; Misses Langton, 2½-storey brick and stone dwelling, Rusholme road, near Dewson street, cost \$6,000; C. Kelly,pair two-storey roughcast dwellings, brick veneer front, Logan ave., cost \$3,000; D. Block, two-storey roughcast dwellings Block, two-storey roughcast dwellings,

brick fronts, 66 and 68 Caroline street, cost \$3,000; C. S. Blackweil, brick and stone addition to dwelling, 596 Jarvis

street, cost \$3000; St. Matthews Con-gregation, church on Bellwoods ave., cost \$3800; J. J. McLaugh'in, three-



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storey brick and stone stable, Sherbourne street, near Queen, cost \$8,500; James Lancaster, alterations and additions to dwelling, 184 Dundas street, cost \$2,500; C. Wilson & Co., three-storey warehouse and factory, corner Esplanade and West C. Wilson & Co., three-storey warehouse and factory, corner Esplanade and West Market street, cost \$7,000; Felix Napley, two-storey brick and stone store and dwelling, Centre ave, cost \$3,000; Wm. Scott, two two-storey and attic brick dwellings, Harvard ave., cost \$6,000; H. Lee, 2½-storey brick dwelling, Grace street, cost \$3,200; Mason & Risch, four-storey brick factory,642 King street west, cost \$40,000; E. Smeall, two-storey brick and stone residence, Beatrice street, cost \$2,500; T. W. Wood, pair two-storey roughcast dwellings, Givens street, near College, cost \$3,000; Phippen Bros., two pair two-storey roughcast dwellings, brick veneer fronts, Howie ave., cost \$3,000; W. B. Charlton, pair 2½-storey stone and brick dwellings, Gladstone ave., near College street, cost \$5,000; Thomas McIlwain, two-storey and attic stone and brick dwellings, function and thick store are King st. near College street, cost \$5,000; Thomas McIlwain, two-storey and attic stone and brick dwelling, Jameson ave, nearKing st., cost \$6,000.—The rumorhas been current during the past week that the T. Eaton Co. have purchased the properties of the William Davies Co. and the Adams Furniture Co. on Queen street, with the intention of autoduce their departmental intention of extending their departmental store. The Adams Co. have purchased the Russell House property on Yonge street and may build thereon. The Bachrack Company, whose property at corner of Yonge and Albert streets has been ac-quired by the Eaton Co., will, it is said,

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build on the site of the Tremont House on Yonge street.—C. B. Smith, chairman of the Temiskamıng Railway Commis-sion, states that surveyors are just finish-ing their work on 30 miles and that two parties are being sent out to survey 50 or 60 miles farther, where the line will con-nect with the Grand Trunk Pacific rail-way.—J. W. Siddall, architect, is taking tenders on erection of new buildings at Stratford for the Dominion Thread Mills.

#### CONTRACTS AWARDED.

ACTON, ONT. - Rebuilding Clark House : J. B. McKenzie, contractor.

MILLBANK, N. B. - Presbyterian

church: James Troy, of Newcastle, contractor.

ELORA, ONT.-\$2,500 cement side-walk debentures : George Noble, purchaser, \$2,525.

FORT WILLIAM, ONT.—Four double buses on Dease street: A. C. Patch, conhouses on Dease street: A. C. P. tractor; brick, stone foundation.

BARRIE, ONT.-\$4,800 school de-bentures: Dominion Securities Corpora-tion, Toronto, purchaser, \$4,910.80.

ST. BONIFACE, MAN.-Dalhaitre & Daoust have secured the contract for heating apparatus and plumbing of new town hall.

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FORT WILLIAM, ONT.-Electrical machinery for the Kamistiquia power development: Canadian General Electric Co., Toronto, contractors.

WASKADA, MAN. – Heating public school for Moira District; James Smart Manufacturing Co., Brockville, Ont., successful tenderers.

HULL, QUE.—Arches and bridges on Brewery creek in connection with waterworks improvements : T. C. Dumas, successful tenderer, \$8,800.

GUELPH, ONT,—Implement hall and two farm cottages at Ontario Agricultural College : S. F. Whitham, Brantford, successful tenderer, \$30,110.

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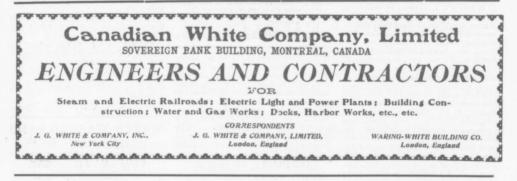
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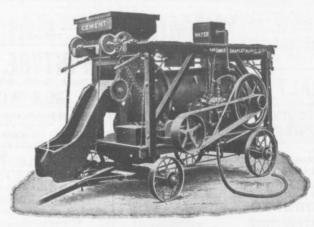
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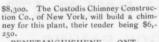


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PENETANGUISHENE, ONT. Joseph Harvey, of Petrolia, has be awarded the contract to sink artesian we been for the purpose of water supply for the

GALT, ONT. — Stables on Dickson street for Ald. Patterson : John McLellan, successful tenderer, \$3,500. Building will be 40 x 96 feet, 3 stories, frame, covered with galvanized steel.

TORONTO JUNCTION, ONT.-R. Patterson, Keele street south, has been awarded a \$4,000 plumbing contract in connection with the Toronto Free Con-sumptive Hospital in York Township.

VANCOUVER, B.C. – Eight-storey office building and warehouse on Water street for Kelly, Douglas & Co.: J. M. McLuckie, contractor; pressed brick, 125 x 120 feet, three elevators, cost about \$63,000.

503,000. LONDON, ONT.—H. C. McBride, architect, has let contracts for the Liberal Club building, corner of Park and Queen's ave., to Wm. Stevely & Son, Scott Murray, John Purdom, Wm. Roughly and W. Pace & Co.

SEAFORTH, @NT.—Edge & Gutter-ridge, of this place, have been awarded the contract for thirteen stations on the Guelph and Goderich branch of the C.P.R., cost about \$35,000. These do not include the Goderich or Guelph stations.

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT .- For pur-NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.—For pur-chase of \$16,984.99 \$per cent. town de-bentures bids were received as follows: Wood, Gundy & Co., Toronto, \$18,233 (accepted); Dominion Securities Co., Toronto, \$18,159; Ontario Securities Co., Toronto, \$17,885; Bank of Hamilton, \$17,881.38; Canadian Securities, Limited, \$17,755; G. A. Stimson & Co., Toronto, \$17,452. WINNIPEG MAN —Foley Brox, Lac.

WINNIPEG, MAN .- Foley Bros., Lar-WINNIPEG, MAN.—Foley Bros., Lar-son & Co., who have the contract for double tracking the C.P.R. between Win-nipeg and Fort William, have let sub-con-tracts as follows: Two miles at Cross Lake to John E. Bostrom; two miles at Kilmar, including a tunnel of about 400 feet, to Larson Bros.; three miles be-tween Ostersund and Busteed, to Fred Peterson & Co.—Woodward & Co., this city, have received a contract to erect an elevator in Fort Saskatchewan. elevator in Fort Saskatchewan.

#### FIRES.

C.P.R. car works at Kingston, Ont., totally destroyed ; loss \$40,000.—Building at Kamloops, B.C., owned by Mrs. Bellau, at Kamloops, B.C., owned by Mrs. Bellau, of Victoria, and occupied by the Kam-loops Standard, partially destroyed, loss covered by insurance.—3uilding at Hali-fax, N.S., owned by Frank Reardon, loss \$6,000.—Sash and door f.ctory of A. A. Tuttle at Moncton, N.B., damaged to ex-tent of \$2,500.—Building at Stayner, Ont., owned by J. W. Devitt.—Sash and door factory of Gignac & Beland, Lalemant street, Quebec, damaged to extent of \$4,000.-Premises of the Alexander Brown Milling Co., foot of Princess street, Tor-onto, totally destroyed; loss on building, \$60,000. \$60,000.

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#### BUSINESS NOTES.

Bell & Orchard, painters, Calgary, N.W.T., have dissolved. Daoust & Cie, contracting masons, St. Henri, Montreal, have dissolved.

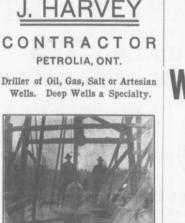
Walker & Dunseath, carpenters and joiners, Winnipeg, Man., are reported to have assigned.

H. A. Depocas has been appointed curator of the estate of J. E. Gratton, plumber and roofer, Montreal.

The Cement, Stone & Building Com-pany, of Queen street west, Toronto, is announced to have assigned to Osler Wade. A meeting of creditors will be held this week, at which a statement of assets and liabilities will be presented.

assets and liabilities will be presented. The shareholders of the Guelph Foun-dry Company have decided that for the purpose of reorganization the company should go into voluntary liquidation, and Mr. W. M. Doherty has been appointed liquidator. It will be remembered that by a recent decision of the Supreme Court the company was ordered to destroy all stoves manufactured from the pattern of the Buck Stove Company, of Brantford. The factory and moulding shop are run-ning in full force, and the proceedings will in no way affect the operations of the company. company.

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