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ADVERTISING RATES ON APPLICATION.
 At its Convention held in Toronto, Nov. 20 and 21, 1889, the Ontario Association of Architects signified its approval of the CANADIAN CONTRACT RECORD, and pledged its members to use this journal as their medium of communication with contractors with respect to advertisements for Tenders.
 The following resolution was unanimously adopted at the First Annual Meeting of the Province of Quebec Association of Architects, held in Montreal, Oct. 10th and 11th, 1890: "Moved by M. Ferrault, seconded by A. F. Dunlop, that we the Architects of the Province of Quebec now assembled in Convention being satisfied that the CANADIAN CONTRACT RECORD affords us a direct communication with the Contractors,—Resolved, that we pledge our support to it by using its columns when calling for Tenders."
 Subscribers who may change their address should give prompt notice of same. In doing so, give both old and new address. Notify the publisher of any irregularity in delivery of paper.

BARTER AND EXCHANGE.
 This department has been opened for the speedy barter and exchange of second-hand plant or material, or small lots of new or second-hand materials by builders and others not regularly engaged in the sale of such articles. Advertisements other than those of the above description will not be inserted.
 RATES—12 words and under, 15 cents; each additional word, 1 cent (three figures count one word); on two or more subsequent insertions a discount of 10 per cent. will be allowed. Not more than four insertions of an advertisement can be granted.
 Replies to advertisements may be addressed to a box at this office, in which case necessary stamps must be sent for re-mailing replies. Advertisements for this department must be prepaid.

TO DRAUGHTSMEN.—About 1½ quires of Whatman's Drawing Paper for sale (Imperial size), only \$3.50 for the lot. Box 151 at this office.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
 Tenders will be received addressed to the undersigned, up to 1 p. m., MONDAY, 19TH JUNE, for the construction of about
3000 sq. ft. Cement Concrete Sidewalk
 on the Court House grounds.
 Plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at the office of Davis & Van Buskirk, civil engineers, Woodstock.
 (Sgd.) **JAMES WHITE,**
 Clerk for the County of Oxford.
 Woodstock, 5th June, 1893.

TENDERS FOR PIPE SEWERS

Sealed tenders will be received by the Chairman of the Board of Works of the town of Owen Sound, up to five p.m.
WEDNESDAY, JULY 5TH,
 for the construction of the following pipe sewers in said town:
 1st—A 9 inch pipe sewer on Hill Street, 1396 feet in length.
 2nd—A 9 inch pipe sewer on Hill Street, 685 feet in length.
 3rd—A 12 inch pipe sewer on Jackson Street, 853 feet in length.
 4th—A 15 inch pipe sewer on Paynter Street, 742 feet in length.

Also at the same time sealed tenders will be received for supplying the following quantities of sewer pipe in three feet lengths, f. o. b. at the Town of Owen Sound.
 2 ½ bends 6 inch pipe.
 66 feet 6 inch pipe.
 1710 feet 9 inch pipe.
 15 feet 9x9 inch single T's.
 405 feet 6 inch x 9 inch single Y's.
 2 ½ bends 9 inch pipe.
 15 inch x 9 inch reducer.
 720 feet 12 inch pipe.
 138 feet 12 inch x 6 inch single Y s.
 933 feet 15 inch pipe.
 114 feet 15 inch x 6 inch Y s.

An accepted bank cheque payable to the order of the treasurer of the Town of Owen Sound for the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) must accompany each tender for the construction of each separate sewer, and a like accepted bank cheque for the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) must accompany each tender for the supply of pipe. In either case the cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail in the performance thereof, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.
 Plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the Town Engineer. The Board of Works reserve the right to reject any or all tenders.
THOMAS MCCLELLAND,
 Chairman Board of Works.
R. MCDOWALL, Town Engineer.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

CANADIAN CONTRACTORS' HAND-BOOK.

A new and thoroughly revised edition of the *Canadian Contractors' Hand-Book*, consisting of 150 pages of the most carefully selected material, is now ready, and will be sent post-paid to any address in Canada on receipt of price. This book should be in the hands of every architect, builder and contractor who desires to have readily accessible and properly authenticated information on a wide variety of subjects adapted to his daily requirements.
 Price, \$1.50, to subscribers of the CANADIAN ARCHITECT AND BUILDER, \$1.00. Address
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 Confederation Life Building, TORONTO.

TENDERS
 will be received up till June 19 for the plastering of the buildings corner of Wellington and Jordan sts., Toronto. **J. McBEAN, Architect,** No. 1 Toronto St.

TO CONTRACTORS.
 Tenders will be received by the undersigned until 5 o'clock on **FRIDAY, THE 23RD INSTANT,** for the various trades required in the erection of a **STONE-FRONTED ADDITION TO THE IMPERIAL BANK** on Wellington Street East.
DARLING, SPROATT & PEARSON
 Mail Building.
 The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

County of Waterloo.
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
 Sealed tenders will be received, addressed to the undersigned, at Berlin, up to 12 o'clock noon on **TUESDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF JUNE, INSTANT,** for

STEAM HEATING AND PLUMBING,
 for the proper heating of the Court House, Gaol, Registry Office and other County Buildings in connection therewith.
 Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. Jonas Knechtel, architect, Berlin, on and after Wednesday, the 7th June inst.
 Neither the lowest nor any tender necessarily accepted.
 Tenders to be sealed and marked "Steam Heating and Plumbing."
ISRAEL D. BOWMAN,
 County Clerk.
 County Clerk's Office, Berlin, June 5th, 1893.

CONTRACTS OPEN.
MORDEN, MAN.—The C. P. R. will probably build a new station here this year.
BROCKVILLE, ONT.—G. A. Allan, architect, is preparing plans of a boat-club house to be erected here for the Athletic club, cost \$1,500.
HALIFAX, N. S.—The school commissioners will shortly advertise for sites for a new school to take the place of the Acadian and National schools.
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.—The City Council has voted the sum of \$250,000 to the Northern Pacific railway to assist in building a bridge across the Fraser river.
MANITOWANING, ONT.—G. A. Allan, architect, of Brockville, is preparing plans for a residence to be erected here for Dr. W. J. Christie, which will cost about \$3,000.

WALKERTON, ONT.—The town of Walkerton and the County of Bruce are having plans and specifications prepared for the erection of a steel bridge over the Saugeen river in this town. Tenders will be called next week.
CARMEN, MAN.—Mr. William Carson, of Miami, contemplates the erection of a first-class flour mill at this point, to cost about \$22,000. It is the intention to put in a 100-horse power engine and boiler.
ST. JOHN, N. B.—Mr. Fuller, chief architect of Dominion public works, is expected to arrive in this city shortly to make arrangements for the erection of a new custom house to replace the one destroyed by fire last year.
ST. ANDREWS, N. B.—Mrs. John Campbell has presented to the trustees of Greenock church

the lot of land recently purchased by her alongside the church property, with the condition that a memorial hall be erected thereon. The trustees have accepted the gift.

COBourg, ONT.—Mr. N. F. Macnachten, Counties Clerk, will receive tenders until Monday, the 26th inst., at 2 p.m., for the construction of a street bridge and swing across the river Trent, at the Narrows, in the township of Seymour. The bridge will consist of one span of 150 feet and a swing of 100 feet, to be built on four stone abutments.

BERLIN, ONT.—The Town of Berlin invites tenders until Tuesday, the 20th inst. for the erection of a new building on Court Street Square, also for the erection of a boiler house in connection with the steam heating of the County buildings. Plans may be seen at the office of James Knechtel, architect, and tenders should be addressed to Israel D. Bowman, County Clerk.

OTTAWA, ONT.—The City Clerk has given notice that it is the intention of the Council to construct the following works: An asphalt and artificial stone roadway on Sparks street, between the west side of Canal street west and east side of Back street, cost \$19,133, an asphalt and artificial stone roadway on Rideau street, between the east side of King street, on the south side of Rideau street and the east side of Sussex street, in St. George's ward, cost \$69,859.—E. F. E. Roy, Secretary Department of Public Works, will receive tenders until the 27th inst. for the construction of a new timber block and other work at Souris, P. E. I.

LONDON, ONT.—A deputation from the city and London West recently waited on the County Council to urge the building of a bridge over the Thames on the Wharncleft road.—It is stated that the Salvation Army have purchased the property on the south east corner of King and Clarence streets and intend erecting at once a barracks and officers quarters.—Mr. O. Richards will erect three brick cottages on Queen's avenue to cost \$3,000.—Mr. Charles McCormick intends building a brick cottage on Richmond street, at a cost of \$1,000.—Messrs. Moore & Henry, architects, will receive tenders until Saturday next for the erection of a brick power station for the Canadian General Electric Company.

HAMILTON, ONT.—The Separate School Board is considering the erection of a new building, at a cost of \$5,000.—The following building permits have been granted: Fred Taylor, house on Main street, between Main and Jackson, cost \$1,700; W. H. Perne, two story brick house on Victoria avenue north, cost \$1,000; Charles Carpenter, four brick houses on York street, between Hess and Queen streets, cost \$3,200; W. Scarrow, Pall Mall, two brick residences and brick stables, cost \$4,000; S. Hahnaw, two story brick dwelling on Main street, between Sherman and Fairleigh avenues, cost \$4,000; Hamilton Vinegar Works Company, brick building on Jarvis street cost \$2,900, the city corporation, alterations to stores on James street, cost \$1,000; George McClement, brick dwelling on Erie avenue cost \$1,100.—The Sunday school building of the Macnab street Presbyterian church is shortly to be enlarged.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—The C. P. R. proposes to erect a new dining hall near the station here.—The Building and Loan Association, of Toronto, are negotiating to remodel the Knox hall property on Hargrave street, at a cost of about \$20,000. The structure will be pulled down and the material used in the reconstruction.—Extensive alterations are to be made shortly in Preston & Norris's building.—The plans for the normal school building to be built this summer by the Provincial Government, are well under way. It will probably face south on Broadway, occupying a site on the Old Driving park.—Plans for a handsome \$6,000 residence for Judge Killam, to be erected on Rosslyn avenue, are now being prepared by C. H. Wheeler, architect. The style of architecture is colonial. It will be built of frame, on stone foundation, three stories in height.—The Dundee block has been purchased