

Tenders For Coal, 1902

Sealed tenders, addressed to the Provincial Secretary, Province of Ontario, Parliament buildings, Toronto, and marked "Tenders for Coal," will be received up to noon on MONDAY, MAY 26th, 1902, for the delivery of coal in the sheds of the institutions named below, on or before the \$15th day of July next, except as regards the coal for London, Hamilton and Brockville Asylums and Central Prison, as noted:—

Asylum for Insane, Toronto.

Hard coal—1,250 tons large egg size, 200 tons stove size, 100 tons nut size. Soft coal—500 tons lump, 150 tons soft screenings.

Asylum for Insane, London.

Hard coal—2,600 tons small egg size, 250 tons stove size, 60 tons chestnut size. Soft coal—40 tons for grates. Of the 2,950 tons, 1,000 may not be required till January, 1903.

Asylum for Insane, Kingston.

Hard coal—1,350 tons large egg size, 260 tons small egg size, 25 tons chestnut size, 500 tons hard screenings, 500 tons soft screenings, 15 tons stove size (hard).

Asylum for Insane, Hamilton.

Hard coal—3,575 tons small egg size, 474 tons stove size, 146 tons chestnut size, coal for grates, 50 tons; for pump house, 200 tons soft slack; 120 tons hard slack screenings. Of the above quantity 2,000 tons may not be required until January and February, 1903.

Asylum for Insane, Mimico.

Hard coal—1,600 tons large egg size, 120 tons stove size, 165 tons chestnut, 100 tons soft screenings, 50 cords green hardwood.

Asylum for Idiots, Orillia.

Soft coal screenings or run of mine lump, 2,000-tons; 90 tons hard coal, stove size; 90 tons hard coal, grate size.

Asylum for Insane, Brockville.

Hard coal-1,800 tons large egg size, 125 tons stove size, 75 tons small egg. Of the above quantity 1,050 tons may not be required until January and March. 1903.

Asylum for Female Patients, Cobourg

Hard coal—450 tons large egg size, 15 tons egg size, 50 tons stove size.

Central Prison, Toronto.

Hard coal—too tons small egg size.—Soft coal— 2,500 tons soft coal, screenings or run of mine lump, The soft coal to be delivered monthly as required.

Institution for Deaf and Dumb, Belleville.

Hard Coal—800 tons large egg size, 90 tons small egg size, 15 tons stove size, 14 tons nut size.

Institute for Blind, Brantford.

Hard coal—475 tons egg size. 150 tons stove size, 5 tons chestnut size.

Reformatory for Boys, Penetang.

Eighty tons egg size, 51 tons stove size, 28 tons nut size, 800 tons soft coal screenings or run of mine lump. Delivered at institution dock.

Mercer Reformatory, Toronto.

Soft coal screening or run of mine lump, 650 tons; ove coal, 110 tons.

Tenderers are to specify the mine or mines from which the coal will be supplied, and the quality of same, and must also furnish satisfactory evidence that the coal delivered is true to mame, fresh mired and in every respect equal in quality to the standard grades of coal known to the trade.

Delivery is to be effected in a manner satisfactory to the Inspectors of Prisons and Public Charities.

And the said inspectors may require additional amounts, not exceeding 20 per cent, of the quantities hereinbefore specified, for the above mentioned institutions to be delivered thereat at the contract prices at any time up to the 15th day of July, 1903.

Tenders will be received for the whole quantity above specified or for the quantities required in each institution. An accepted check for \$500, payable to the order of the Hon, the Provincial Secretary, must be furnished by each tenderer as a guarantee of his bona fides, and two sufficient sureties will be required for the due fulfilment of each contract. Specifications and forms and conditions of tenders may be obtained from the Inspectors of Prisons and Public Charities, Parliament buildings, Toronto, or from the Bursars of the respective institutions. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it.

J. R. STRATTON,

Provincial Secretary.

Parliament Buildings, Toronto, May 12, 1902.

Mercantile Summay.

THE Montreal Street Railway Company have decided to extend a line to Longue Point, along the river front.

AT the annual sale of the drift drive logs, held in Indiantown last week, the prices realized were exceptionally high. Spruce sold at \$11.30 per thousand, hemlock at \$4, cedar at \$9.25, and pine at \$6 per thousand.

RESIDENTS of Wakefield village and vicinity are agitating to have an iron bridge built across the Gatineau river at that point. Another party favors the erecting of such a bridge at a site between Wakefield and Upper Wakefield, which they claim possesses superior advantages.

It is announced that Mr. A. J. Moxham has resigned the vice-presidency and directorate of the Dominion Iron and Steel 'Co. The latter vacancy has been filled by the appointment of Hon. L. J. Forget, who becomes a director, while Mr. James Ross has been named vicepresident.

THERE appears to be a strange state of affairs reigning at the Chatham Binder Twine Company's factory, which at present lies idle. The other day a meeting was called to elect directors, and new officers were elected, but the old ones refused to retire. Legal talent takes opposite sides on the question as to which board has legal right.

THE Vancouver Province reports the manufacture last week of what is probably the largest single casting ever made in the province. It was made at the Albion Iron Works in that city, and was the bed plate for a log haul to be used in the woods. Six more are to be made in the same pattern. Over six tons of molten iron were used.

THE Toronto Junction council has passed an agreement with the Humber Power and Light Company, whereby the latter will supply the town with energy for its electric lighting system at 10c. per night for five years. The company has also contracted to furnish the Union Stock Yards with light at the same rate The franchise is not an exclusive one.

FIFTEEN or sixteen years ago, L. H. & Noah Timmons started a general store in Mattawa, under the style of L. H. Timmons & Brother, but were not successful. They granted credits too freely, and lost thereby; they suffered loss by fire, which crippled them, and they assigned in Aug., 1897, owing \$25,000. This debt was compromised by paying onefourth of the amount. Then their wives purchased the stock and continued the business under the brothers' management, which ended in disaster, and another assignment is made. --- A furniture dealer, named C. A. Powell, succeeded Charles Cummings at Hamilton in November, 1899, paying \$1,500 for the stock. Owing to competition with bankrupt stocks, etc., he was obliged to assign. A meeting of creditors was held yesterday, but we have not learned what transpired.

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Debentures for Sale.

Sealed tenders, marked "Tender for Debentures," will be received by W. J. Swain, Sec. Treas. of Municipality of Grand View, Manitoba, up to Monday noon, 9th day of June, 1902 for

\$10,000.00 4% Debentures

payable in twenty equal annual instalments of principal and interest of \$740.00 each. The first of said debentures shall be payable on the 30th day of April, 1902, at the Bank of Ottawa, in the City of Winnipeg, and the last of said debentures shall be payable 30th April, 1922. Debentures to be delivered in the town of Dauphin within a reasonable time convenient to purchaser. Highest nor any tender not necessarily accepted. The above debentures are issued under By-law No. 10, of the Rural Municipality of Grand View, having had the assent of the electors on the 27th March, 1902.

For full information write

W. J. SWAIN. Grand View, Manitoba.

BANKERS

From the following list our readers came ascertain the names and addresses of bankers who will undertake to transact a general agency collection business in their respective localities:

MEAFORD—Grey County. C. H. JAY & CO'Y, Bankers, Financiers and Canadian Express Co. Agents. Money to loan.

GEORGE F. JEWELL, F.C.A., Public Accountant and Auditor, Office, 361 Dundas Street, London,

COUNTIES Grey and Bruce collections made on commission, lands valued and sold, notices served A general financial business transacted. Leading loan companies, lawyers and wholesale merchants given as references

H. H. MILLER, Hanover

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