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Tenders will be received by registered post only, addressed to the City Engineer, Toronto, up to 12 0 c ock a m. on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26th, 1893, for the following work:

# AN ASPHALT PAVEMENT

On Leader Lane, from Wellington Street to Colborne Street.

Specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained on aid after Saturday, October, 19th, 1895, at the office of the City Engineer, Toronto.

A deposit in the form of a marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, for the sum of 5 per cent. on the value of the work tendered for, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise it will not be entertaired.

The tenders must bear the bona fide signatures of the contractor and his sureties, or they will be ruled out as informal.

DANIFL LAMB, Chairman of Committee on Works.

Committee Room, Toronto, Oct. 15th, 1895.

### CONTRACTS OPEN.

BRISTOL, N. B.—Guy Dyer is building a new saw mill here.

CHESLEY, ONT,-The Council propose to erect an eight roomed school

OTTAWA EAST, ONT.—The contract for a system of waterworks has not yet been let.

CARLETON, N. B .- W. C. Purves is said to have decided to rebuild his saw mill here.

ROSSLAND, B. C.-J. E. Saucier is endeavoring to float an electric light and power project.

PICTON, ONT.—It is said that a large number of new residences will be built here next year.

BEAUPRE, QUE.—A new organ, to cost \$8,000 is to be placed in the sanctuary of La Bonne St. Anne.

HANOVER, ONT .- D. Knechtei, of this place, proposes to put in an electric light plant at Maple Hill.

ARMSTRONG, B. C.—A by-law has been passed granting a bonus of \$20,000 for the erection of a grist mill here.

PERTH, ONT.—The proposed water-works scheme has been abandoned, the company forfeiting their deposit.

THOROLD, ONT.—The construction of a waterworks system is being agitated. The cost is estimated at \$40,000.

SIMCOE, ONT.—A vote of ratepayers is to be taken in January on the question of establishing an Industrial Home.

SMITH'S FALLS, ONT .- The citizens are agitating for a waterworks system, the supply to be drawn from Rideau Lake.

BRANTFORD, ONT .- Mr. Julius Waterous of the Waterous Engine Works Company proposes to establish a wire nail manufactory.

STAPLES, ONT .- Preparations are being made for the erection of a new R. C. church. It will be of brick, and will cost about \$2,000.

CHATHAM, N. B.—The government engineer was in Loggieville last week, in connection with a proposed public wharf at that place.

ACTON, ONT.-T. T. Moore, Clerk, invites tenders until the 4th of November for the purchase of \$4,500 5 per cent. 20 year debentures.

ST. HYACINTHE, QUE. - Messrs. Harris & Youngheart, cigar manufacturers, of Montreal, have applied to the council for a bonus to erect a factory here.

BELLEVILLE, ONT. - A by-law will be submitted to the ratepayers in January next to authorize the expenditure of \$5,000 for a new school in Bleecker ward.

SEBRINGVILLE, ONT.—Tenders are invited by John Pearson, Township Clerk, until Monday, the 28th inst., for improving, altering and extending the North Black Creek drains. Plans may be seen Plans may be seen at the clerk's office.

ORANGEVILLE, ONT.—Mr. Ritchie, architect, of Mount Forest, is preparing plans for a residence to be built for the editor of the Orangeville Sun in this

BATH, N. B.—Tenders are asked for building a bridge over the Gisiguit stream, in the parish of Wicklow. Plans and specifications at Supervisor Robert Robert Squires.

RENFREW, ONT .- A joint committee appointed for the purpose has recommended to the Council the purchase of two acres of land and the building of a hospital thereon.

COBOURG, ONT .- P. Kandall, the promoter of the proposed electric railway between Cobourg and Port Hope, states that \$40,000 stock has already been subscribed.

ACTON, ONT. - The by-law to purchase a steam fire engine and apparatus and to provide for the construction of water tanks, was carried last week. Debentures to cover the amount will be issued.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.—The Committee appointed by the City Council to report on the construction of an electric railway have recommended the construction of a subway at Ross street and a bridge at Hinks street.

VANCOUVER, B. C.—A company has been incorporated here for the purpose of building a marine railway. The railway building a marine railway. will be erected on Dead Man's Island and be built for the purpose of handling the largest boats.

NEW WESTMINSTER. B. Brunette Saw Mill Co.'s mill at Sapperton, recently burned down, is to be rebuilt on the old site. The plans are completed, and show a one-story structure somewhat smaller than the burned mill.

LONDON, ONT.-Charles Taylor has taken out a permit for two brick cottages on Horton street, to cost \$1,200 each.—J. M. Moore, architect, of this city, has been engaged to prepare plans for the reconstruction of the High school building at Leamington.

ALEXANDRIA, ONT. — Government officials visited this village recently for the purpose of ascertaining the amount of building material to be secured in this vicinity for the proposed Dominion Re formatory. Samples of stone from several quarries were taken away to be tested.

ONT. - The Ontario KINCARDINE, People's Salt & Soda Co.'y have erected a building 140×64 feet, in which they will install an electric light plant for the manufacture of bicarbonate of soda and chloride of lime. They are going to place in this building 32 wooden tanks, 50" x 10"×18".

ST JOHN, N. B.—Work has been started on the foundation of a building, 60 ×40 feet, to be erected on Pond street, opposite the railway warehouse, for J. W. Smith.—A number of New York capitalists are negotiating for the purchase of