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TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon of SATURDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 1903, for the purchase of \$20,000 Sewerage Debentures of the Town of Perth, in the County of Lanark. Debentures are repayable in 30 annual instalments of principal and interest with interest coupons attached. For full particulars apply to
JOHN A. KERR,
Town Clerk, Perth, Ont.

TENDERS WANTED

Large Stone Catholic Church

to be erected in North Bay; main building 150 x 65 feet. Sacristy and Wint-Chapel attached, 49 x 25 feet.

Sealed tenders for the various works required in the erection and completion of this structure will be received by J. M. McNAMARA, North Bay, Ont., until MONDAY, JANUARY 18TH, 1904.

Plans and specifications may be seen at Bishop O'Connor's House, Peterboro, Ont., and at the office of Thomson & Angus, Architects, North Bay, Ont.

Bulk or separate tenders.
No tender necessarily accepted.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

MORTIER BAY, N.S.—A new saw mill will be built here next spring by M. T. Flynn.

STRATHROY, ONT.—The Cameron-Dunn Mfg. Co. are asking for a \$5,000 bonus to rebuild their work.

SYDNEY MINES, N. S.—Daniel C. McDonald wants offers by December 31st for lighting this town.

SOUTH RIVER, ONT.—The South River Lumber Com any intend building a number of dwelling houses.

MURRAY BAY, QUE.—There is talk of building a theatre here, also a tramway to connect with St. Irene.

ALMONTE, ONT.—A by-law to raise \$10,000 for permanent sidewalks will be submitted at the January elections.

ST. MARY'S, ONT.—The Mo'sons Bank will erect a new bank building here.

NORTH AUGUSTA, ONT.—P. W. Ralph will receive tenders up to 28th inst. for erection of Methodist church in this village.

INGERSOLL, ONT.—A by-law has been introduced in council to provide for the erection of new municipal buildings at a cost of \$20,000.

BERLIN, ONT.—Changes will be made in the plans for installing a low pressure steam heating system in the Margaret avenue school.

COLLINGWOOD, ONT.—On January 5 a by-law to provide \$30,000 for permanent street improvements will be submitted to the voters.

NELSON, B.C.—J. Y. Griffin & Company of Winnipeg, have purchased the Broken Hill building and will make extensive improvements thereto.

NASSAGAWEYA, ONT.—I. S. Inglis will receive tenders up to December 31st for erection of brick veneered manse in connection with Presbyterian church.

KENTVILLE, N. S.—J. Carrall, town clerk, will receive bids up to December 26th for purchase of \$17,500 debentures, \$5,000 of which are issued for water extension purposes.

BRANTFORD, ONT.—It is said that the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo Railway have abandoned the proposed extension of their line from this city to Woodstock.

CHATHAM, ONT.—The ratepayers will vote on a by-law to loan \$30,000 to Henry Wybow, of Birmingham, England, to build a pork-packing establishment here.

WATERLOO, ONT.—The by-law to provide \$10,000 for installing another pumping engine and making other waterworks improvements goes before the ratepayers on January 4th.

GREENWOOD, B. C.—It is stated that arrangements have been completed for the construction of the Vernon and Midland Railway and that work will be commenced next spring.

MOUNT FOREST, ONT.—A by-law to raise \$5,000 to wipe out a floating debt and to make improvements to the waterworks and electric light systems will be voted on January 4th.

BRANDON, MAN.—The Public School Board have decided to erect a two room frame school building on the Johnston estate provided the by-law for a loan of \$30,000 is passed.

EAST TORONTO, ONT.—The Committee on Water Supply has reported that the source of supply must be Lake Ontario, but it is likely that an expert will be employed to report.

WINDSOR MILLS, QUE.—The Oxford Mountain Railway is arranging

for right of way between this place and Kingsbury, and it is expected that the construction will be begun next spring.

WINDSOR, ONT.—Lewis Steinfeld, real estate dealer, of Detroit, has purchased property on Lincoln avenue in this city, and purposes erecting twenty two-storey dwellings for rental purposes.

MONTAGUE, P. E. I.—Engineers commenced this week on the survey of the route of the proposed branch railway line to this place. It is expected that the work of construction will begin next spring.

WINGHAM, ONT.—A by-law will be submitted to the ratepayers on January 4th to raise \$35,600 for improving and extending the waterworks system and for construction of a trunk sewer and sewage disposal works.

SEAFORTH, ONT.—Bids received by James Watson up to January 17th, 1904, for enlarging and remodelling the First Presbyterian church, contractors to furnish all material except leaded glass, heating apparatus and seating.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.—Middlesex and Elgin county councils will likely take joint action towards the erection of a steel bridge across the Thames River near the village of Dutton; proposed span 220 feet, cost \$16,000.

HALIFAX, N. S.—The city engineer has reported that the amount to be borrowed if the sewers petitioned for are to be built will be \$81,400.—The three city branches of the C.M.B.A. are considering a proposition to build a central hall.

STAYNER, ONT.—The citizens have asked the council to submit a by-law to the ratepayers to raise \$10,000 to be expended on granolithic walks, repairing streets, and building a bridge over the ravine in the centre of the town.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.—Plans are being prepared for a new residence for David T. Rutherford, carriage builder, to be built on Poulett street.—By-laws will be submitted to the ratepayers in January to raise \$10,000 to extend and improve the electric light plant and \$15,000 for improvements to the gas plant.

ST. JOHN, N. B.—The residence owned by the city on the Loch Lomond road will be remodelled for the purpose of a residence of the caretaker for the Little River reservoir.—It is understood that the King Edward Oil Company, of Toronto, will build a large warehouse on Prince William street, to be utilized as headquarters for the Maritime Provinces.

PORT ARTHUR, ONT.—By-laws have received their second reading in council to provide by the issue of debentures \$9,000 for completion of telephone system, \$12,000 for completion of electric street railway system, \$10,000 for completion of electric lighting system, \$10,000 for the purchase of a new dynamo and turbine, \$12,000 for repairing and com-