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the Dominion regarding contracts open to
tender.

TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned
until 6 p.m. of OCTOBER 21ST, 1899, for

Heating by Steam St. James' (Episco-
pal) Church, Orillia, Ont.

Parties tendering must prepare their own plans and
specifications of Heating System, giving tenders on
heating firstly by coils, secondly by piping, under each
system, and thirdly by combination of both systems or
otherwise. The building plan of St. James' Church
may be seen at the Synod Office, 15 Wellington Street
West, Toronto, on and after the 18th inst. Tenderers
must be prepared to give satisfactory bond for the
immediate completion and guarantee of the work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. G. EVANS,
Churchwarden.

Orillia, October 18th, 1899.



Notice to Contractors

TENDER FOR DRAINAGE DITCH

Tenders will be received, by registered post only, ad-
dressed to the Chairman of the Board of Control, City
Hall, Toronto, up to noon on MONDAY, THE
23RD INSTANT, for the following work:

DRAINAGE DITCH,

extending from City limits (200 feet north of Queen
Street) to Ashbridge Bay.

Contents of envelopes containing tenders must be
plainly marked on the outside.

Conditions and specifications may be seen and forms
of tender obtained at the office of the City Engineer
on and after October 6th, 1899.

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 ac-
company each and every tender, otherwise they will
not be entertained.

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

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN SHAW (Mayor),
Chairman Board of Control.

City Hall, Toronto, Oct. 18th, 1899.

TENDERS

Tenders will be received until 5 p.m. FRIDAY, THE
20TH INST., for the Mason and Brickwork, and until
WEDNESDAY, THE 25TH INST., for all other
trades required in the erection of a

Pair of Semi-Detached Residences

on Howland Avenue. The lowest or any tender not
necessarily accepted.

F. H. HERBERT, Architect,
9 Toronto Street, Toronto.

Notice to Contractors

SMITH'S FALLS, ONT.

SEWERAGE AND WATERWORKS

Sealed tenders will be received by the Town Clerk
until 6 p.m. on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26TH, 1899,
for the construction of about 4,000 Lineal Feet of
SEWER, in rock trenches, also for laying 3,500 Lineal
Feet of WATER MAINS.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Town
Clerk's office, Smith's Falls, or at the office of the Chief
Engineer, Toronto, on and after October 18th.
No tender necessarily accepted.

B. E. SPARHAM, Esq., Town Clerk,
Smith's Falls, Ont.

WILLIS CHIPMAN, C.E., Chief Engineer,
103 Bay Street, Toronto, Ont.

October 18th, 1899.

MARKET CONDITIONS.

In the prices of building materials, there
have been several advances within the
past week. Cut nails have undergone
another advance of ten cents per keg,
making the gain 35 cents within a
fortnight. In galvanized roofing nails
there has been an advance of five per
cent., while wire nails are five cents per
keg dearer. The galvanized iron market
continues to strengthen. Importers have
been advised of an advance of ten cents
per 100 lbs. on galvanized iron of Ameri-
can make, while British manufacturers
refuse to accept orders for delivery after
the first of the year, on account of an ex-
pected advance in prices. Lead pipe has
been advanced by two and one-half per
cent., and iron pipe is selling at higher
prices, although no general change in quo-
tations is reported.

At Toronto and Montreal the cement
market is active for this season of the year.
So with glass, paints and oils. Stocks of
window glass are getting low, and im-
porters complain of difficulty in getting
their orders filled. White lead has
undergone an advance of 37½ cents per
100 lbs.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

UNBRIDGE, ONT.—Beal Bros. purpose
extending their tannery.

PARIS, ONT.—A new central school will
be built here next year.

CHESLEY, ONT.—An addition will be
built to the chair factory.

MAPLE CREEK, N.W.T.—The water-
works system is to be improved.

NELSON, B. C.—Another brick block
will be built by Malone & Tregillus.

TILBURY, ONT.—A three-storey addi-
tion will be built to the hotel of J. D.
Marchand.

ORILLIA, ONT.—Tenders are invited in
this issue for a steam heating plant for St.
James' church.

GREENFIELD, N.S.—The dam built by
T. G. McMullen, M.P.P., was swept away
by a recent flood.

BRINSTON'S CORNERS, Ont.—Matilda
council will raise \$800 by debentures to
erect a new school.

PETROLIA, ONT.—The Carman Natur-
al Gas Co. want a franchise for laying gas
pipes in the streets.

ST. JOACHIM, ONT.—Rochester town-
ship council are negotiating for the sale
of \$5,022 of debentures.

ROSSLAND, B. C.—Judge Spinks has
purchased property on which he intends
erecting a large warehouse.

BUCKINGHAM, QUE.—The government
has offered the town \$5,000 towards the
erection of a post-office here.

AMHERSTBURG, ONT.—Tenders are
about to be taken by the council for con-
struction of sewer on Park street.

ST. STEPHEN, N.B.—Tenders are
asked for erection of bridge at Oak Bay.
Plans at store of H. E. Hill & Co.

LEAMINGTON, ONT.—Mr. Edgar Mc-
Clutchie has purchased property on which
to build a brick house next spring.

WAKEFIELD, QUE.—The Exchange
Hotel, recently acquired by Thos. Mit-
chell, will be thoroughly remodelled.

BEDFORD, P.E.I.—C. W. Leach, of
Marlboro, Mass., intends to immediately
commence the erection of a large hotel.

ST. BONIFACE, MAN.—The old cath-
edral here is to be pulled down and a
modern building constructed on the site.

BELLEVILLE, ONT.—At next council
meeting a motion will be introduced to in-
vite tenders for electric fire alarm system.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I.—The Central
Christian congregation are about to build
a new church, 65 x 35 feet, with 75-foot
spire.

BELOEH, QUE.—A company has been
formed here to build a large hotel. They
have purchased Fabien Brodeau's prop-
erty.

ARNPRIOR, ONT.—R. Anderson, of
Ottawa, has completed arrangements with
Geo. Malloch to locate the proposed elec-
tric plant in his saw mill.—The Ottawa,