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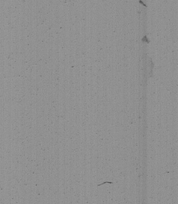

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"You shall have it, Mr. Mansell. I summoned you here in the hope of receiving such explanations of your late conduct as should satisfy me that you had nothing to do with your aunt's murder. The claims upon my consideration, which are held by certain persons allied to you in this matter, are my sole justification for this somewhat unusual method of dealing with a suspected man."

A smile, bitter, oh, how bitter in its irony! traversed the firm-set lips of Craik Mansell for a moment, then he responded:

"It would be more just, perhaps, if I first heard the reasons you have for suspecting me, before I attempt to advance arguments to prove the injustice of your suspicions."

"The reasons," proceeded Mr. Ferris, "for considering you a party as much open to suspicion as Mr. Hildreth, are several. First, we have evidence to prove your great desire for a sum of money equal to your aunt's savings, in order to introduce an invention which you have just patented.

"Secondly, we can show that you left your home in Buffalo the day before the assault, came to Monteith, the next town to this, crossed the hills and threaded the woods till you came to a small hut back of your aunt's house, where you put up for the night.

"Thirdly, evidence is not lacking to prove that while there you visited your aunt's once, if not twice; the last time on the very morning she was killed, entering the house in a surreptitious way by the back door, and leaving it in the same suspicious manner.

"And fourthly, we can prove that you escaped from this place as you had come, secretly, and through a difficult and roundabout path over the hills.

"Mr. Mansell, these facts, taken with your reticence concerning a visit so manifestly of importance to the authorities to know, must strike even you as offering grounds for a suspicion as grave as that attaching to Mr. Hildreth."

Mr. Mansell looked at the District Attorney for a moment, and then said:

"You speak of proof. Now, what proof have you to give that I put up, as you call it, for a night, or even for an hour, in the hut which stands in the woods back of my aunt's house?"

"This," was Mr. Ferris' reply. "It is known you were in the woods the afternoon previous to the assault upon your aunt, because you were seen there in company with a young lady with whom you were holding a tryst. Did you speak, sir?"

"No!" was the violent, almost disdainful, rejoiner.

"You did not sleep at your aunt's, for her rooms contained not an evidence of having been opened for a guest, while the hut revealed more than one trace of having been used as a dormitory. I could even tell you where you cut the twigs of hemlock for your cot, for a pillow, and point to the place where you sat when you scribbled over the margin of the Buffalo Courier with a blue pencil, such as that I now see projecting from your vest pocket."

"It is not necessary," replied the young man, heavily frowning. Then with another short glance at Mr. Ferris, he again demanded:

"What is your reason for stating I visited my aunt's house on the morning she was murdered? Did any one see me do it? or does the house, like the hut, exhibit traces of my presence there at that particular time?"

There was irony in his tone, and a disdain almost amounting to scorn in his wide-flashing blue eyes; but Mr. Ferris, glancing at the hand clutched about the railing of the desk, remarked quietly:

"You do not wear the diamond ring you carried away with you from the tryst I mentioned? Can it be that the one which was picked up after the assault, on the floor of Mrs. Clemmens' dining-room, could have fallen from your hand?" Mr. Mansell?"

A start, the first this powerfully repressed man had given, showed that his armor of resistance had been pierced at last.

"How do you know," he quickly asked, "that I carried away a diamond ring from the tryst you speak of?"

"Circumstances," returned the District Attorney, "prove it beyond a doubt. Miss Dare—"

"Miss Dare!"

Oh, the indescribable tone of this exclamation!

"Miss Dare acknowledges she returned you the ring which you endeavored at that interview to leave upon her."

"I see the case has been well worked up," and, bringing his clinched hand down upon the desk, said: "I did not kill my aunt. I admit that I paid her a visit. I went secretly, and by the roundabout way you describe, because I had another purpose in visiting Sibley, which made it expedient for me to conceal my presence in the town. I failed in my efforts to enlist the sympathies of my aunt in regard to my plans, and I failed also in composing that other desire of my heart of which the ring you mention was a token. Both failures unnerved me, and I lay in that hut all night. But I did not see my aunt again, and I did not lift my hand against her life."

"You deny, then, that you entered the widow's house on the morning of the murder?"

"I do."

"It is, then, a question of veracity between you and Miss Dare?

Silence.

"She asserts she gave you back the ring you offered her. Is it this is so, and that you was in your possession after you left her on Monday evening, how came it to be in the widow's dining-room the next morning, if you did not carry it there?"

"I can only repeat my words," rejoined Mr. Mansell.

The District Attorney replied impatiently. For various reasons he did not wish to believe this man guilty.

"You do not seem very anxious to assist me in my endeavors to reach the truth," he observed. "Cannot you tell me what you did with the ring after you left Miss Dare? Whether you put it on your finger, or thrust it into your pocket, or tossed it into the marsh?"

But Mr. Mansell shortly responded:

"I have nothing to say about the ring. From the moment Miss Dare returned it to me, as you say, it was, so far as I am concerned, a thing forgotten. I do not know how it vanished from my possession only to reappear upon the scene of the murder."

"And this is all you have to say, Mr. Mansell?"

"This is all I have to say."

"Byrd," suggested the district attorney, "Mr. Mansell would probably like to go to the fatal tree indeed, if he desires to return immediately to Buffalo."

Craik Mansell at once started forward.

"Do you intend to allow me to return to Buffalo?" he asked.

"Yes," was the district attorney's reply.

"You are a good man," broke involuntarily from the other's lips, and he impulsively reached out his hand, but as quickly drew it back with a flush of pride that greatly became him.

"I do not say," quoth Mr. Ferris, "that I exempt you from surveillance."

"Your men will always find me at my desk in the mill," said Mr. Mansell, coldly, And went quickly out.

"That man is innocent," declared Mr. Ferris. "The way in which he held out his hand to me spoke volumes."

The detective cast a sad glance at Craik Mansell's retreating figure.

"You could not convince Hickory of that fact," said he.

CHAPTER XXIII.

MR. ORCUTT.

Those words rang in the ears of Mr. Ferris. At last he sent for that detective.

"Hickory," he asked, "why do you think Mansell, rather than Hildreth, committed this crime?"

Now this query put Hickory into a quandary. He wished to keep his promise to Horace Byrd, and yet he greatly desired to answer his employer's question truthfully. He ended by compromising matters.

"Mr. Ferris," said he, "when you went to see Miss Dare the other day, what did you think of her state of mind?"

"That it was a very unhappy one."

"Didn't you think more than that, sir? Didn't you think she believed Mr. Mansell guilty of this crime?"

"Yes," admitted the other with reluctance.

"If Miss Dare is attached to Mr. Mansell, she must feel certain of his guilt to offer testimony against him. Her belief should go for much when you consider what a woman she is."

This conversation increased Mr. Ferris' uneasiness. Much as he wished to spare the feelings of Miss Dare, and, through her, those of his friend, Mr. Orcutt, the conviction of Mansell's criminality was slowly gaining ground in his mind. In whatever way Mr. Ferris looked at it, he could come to but one conclusion, and that was, that justice to Hildreth called for such official attention to the evidence which had been collected against Mansell as should the indictment of that man against whom could be brought the more convincing proof of guilt.

Not that Mr. Ferris meant, or in any wise considered it good policy to have Mansell arrested at this time. As the friend of Mr. Orcutt, it was manifestly advisable for him to prevent whatever evidence he possessed against Mansell directly to the grand jury. For in this way he would not only save the lawyer from the pain and humiliation of seeing the woman he so much loved called up as a witness against the man who had successfully rivalled him in her affections, but would run the chance, at least, of eventually preserving from open knowledge, the various details, if not the actual facts, which had led to this person being suspected of crime.

The course, therefore, of Mr. Ferris was determined upon. All the evidence in his possession against both parties, together with the verdict of the coroner's jury, should go at once before the grand jury; Mansell, in the meantime, being so watched that a bench-warrant issuing upon the indicment would have him safely in custody at any moment.

But this plan for saving Mr. Orcutt's feelings did not succeed as fully as Mr. Ferris hoped. By some means or other the rumor got abroad that another man than Hildreth had fallen under the suspicion of the authorities.

"Mr. Orcutt!" he cried, "how do you do? I did not recognize you at first."

"No?" was the sharp rejoinder. "I'm not myself nowadays. I have a bad cold."

"But what is this I hear? You have your eye on another party suspected of being Mrs. Clemmens' murderer?"

The District Attorney bowed uneasily. He had hoped to escape the discussion of this subject with Mr. Orcutt.

"Ferris," he pursued, in a voice he strove hard to keep steady, "we have always been good friends, in spite of the many tilts we have had together before the court. Will you be kind enough to inform me if your suspicions are founded upon evidence collected by yourself, or at the instigation of parties professing to know more about this murder than they have hitherto revealed?"

Mr. Ferris could not fail to understand the true nature of this question, and out of pure friendship, answered directly:

"I have allowed myself to look with suspicion upon this Mansell, because the facts which have come to light in his regard are as criminating in their nature as those which have transpired in reference to Mr. Hildreth. The evidence of a young witnesses as will have to be summoned before the grand jury is of a character to bring open humiliation, if not secret grief, upon persons for whom I entertain the highest esteem."

"You say that so strangely, I feel forced to put another question to you. If what I have to ask strikes you with any surprise, remember that my own astonishment and perplexity at being constrained to interrogate you in this way, are greater than any emotion you can yourself experience. What I desire to know is this. Among the witnesses you have collected against this last suspected party, there are some women, are there not?"

The District Attorney gravely bowed.

"Ferris, is Miss Dare amongst them?"

"Orcutt, she is."

With a look that expressed his secret mistrust the lawyer gave away to a sudden burst of feeling.

"Ferris," he wrathfully acknowledged, "I may be a fool, but I don't see what she can have to say on this subject. It is impossible she should know any thing about the murder; and, as for this Mansell—" He made a violent gesture with his hand, as if the very idea of her having any acquaintance with the nephew of Mrs. Clemmens were simply preposterous.

The District Attorney, who saw from this how utterly ignorant the other was concerning Miss Dare's relations to the person named, felt his embarrassment increase.

"Mr. Orcutt," he replied, "strange as it may appear to you, Miss Dare has testimony to give of value to the prosecution, or she would not be reckoned among its witnesses. What that testimony is, I must leave to her discretion to make known to you, as she doubtless will, if you question her with sufficient consideration, I would have given up my office with pleasure, so keenly do I feel the embarrassment of my position and the unhappiness of yours. The evidence she has to give in this matter makes the case against Mansell as strong as that against Hildreth, and it would be the duty of any public prosecutor to recognize the fact and act accordingly."

The counsel surveyed Mr. Ferris with a peculiar look.

"Are you sure," he inquired in a slow, ironical tone, "that she has not succeeded in making it stronger?"

The look, the tone, were unexpected, and greatly startled Mr. Ferris.

"What do you mean?" he asked, with secret anxiety.

But the wary lawyer had already repented this unwise betrayal of his own doubts. Meeting his companion's eye with a calmness that amazed himself, he remarked, instead of answering:

"It was through Miss Dare, then that your attention was first drawn to Mrs. Clemmens' nephew?"

"No," disclaimed Mr. Ferris, hastily. "The detectives already had their eye upon him. But a hint from her went far toward determining me upon pursuing the matter," he allowed, seeing that his friend was determined upon hearing the truth.

"So then," observed the other, with a stern dryness that recalled his manner at the bar," she opened a communication with you herself?"

"Yes."

It was enough. Mr. Orcutt dropped the arm of Mr. Ferris, and, with his usual hasty bow, turned shortly away. If Imogene Dare, out of her insane desire to free Governeur Hildreth from the suspicion that oppressed him, had resorted to perjury and invented evidence tending to show the guilt of another party—and remembering her admissions at their last interview and the language she had used in her letter of farewell, no other conclusion offered itself—what alternative was left him but to wait till he had seen her before he proceeded to an interference that would separate her from himself by a gulf still greater than that which already existed between them? But Mr. Orcutt, while a prey to unwonted passions, had not yet lost control of his reason, and reason told him that impulse was an unsafe guide for him to follow at this time. In all his quick walk home but one mad sentence formulated itself in his brain, and that was: "She loves him so, she is willing to purjure herself for his sake!"

Even the sight of his books, his papers, and all that various paraphernalia of work and study which gives character to a lawyer's library, was insufficient to restore his mind to its usual condition of calm thought and accurate judgment.

Miss Dare, who had refused to see him at first, came into his presence with an expression that showed him with what anticipations she had finally responded to his peremptory message. But in the few heavy moments he had been obliged to wait, he had schooled himself to expect coldness if not absolute repulse.

"What is this you have been doing, Imogene?"

A flush, such as glints across the face of a marble statue, visited for a moment the still whiteness of her set features, then she replied:

"Mr. Orcutt, when I left your house I told you I had a wretched and unhappy duty to perform, that, when once accomplished, would separate us forever. I have done it, and the separation has come; why attempt to bridge it?"

The demon jealousy had gripped him again, and the words that came to his lips were at once bitter and masterful.

"Imogene," he cried, with as much wrath in his tone as he had ever betrayed in her presence, "you do not answer my question. I ask you what you have been doing, and you reply, your duty. Now, what do you mean by duty? Tell me at once and distinctly, for I will no longer be put off by any roundabout phrases concerning a matter of such vital importance."

"Tell you?" This repetition of his words had a world of secret anguish in it which he could not help but notice. She did not succumb to it, however, but continued in another moment: "You said to me, in the last conversation we held together, that Gouverneur Hildreth could not be released from his terrible position without a distinct proof of innocence or the advancement of such evidence against another as should turn suspicion aside from him into a new and more justifiable quarter. I could not, any more than he, give a distinct proof of his innocence; but I could furnish the authorities with testimony calculated to arouse suspicion in a fresh direction, and I did it. For Gouverneur Hildreth had to be saved at any price—at any price."

The despairing emphasis she laid upon the last phrase went like hot steel to Mr. Orcutt's heart, and made his eyes blaze with almost uncontrollable passion.

In that low, restrained tone of bitter sarcasm which made his invective so dreaded by opposing counsel, he said: "If Gouverneur Hildreth finds himself in an unfortunate position, he has only his own follies and inordinate desire for this woman's death to thank for it. Because you love him that is no reason why you should perjure yourself, and throw the burden of his shame upon a man as innocent as Mr. Mansell."

"You—you do not understand," came from her white lips. It is Mr. Hildreth who is perfectly innocent, and not—" But here she paused. "You will excuse me from saying more," she said. "You, as a lawyer, ought to know that I should not be compelled to speak on a subject like this except under oath."

"Imogene!" A change had passed over Mr. Orcutt. "Imogene, do you mean to affirm that you really have charges to make against Craik Mansell!"

"What I have to say is the truth," she murmured. "I have not manufactured any thing."

"Imogene," he slowly responded, "if, as you say, you are in possession of positive evidence against this Mansell, how comes it that you jeopardized the interests of the man you loved by so long withholding your testimony?"

"Shall I tell you?" she replied. "You will have to know some time, and why not now? I kept back the truth," she replied, advancing a step, but without raising her eyes to his, "because it is not the aspersed Hildreth that I love, but—"

Why did she pause? Mr. Orcutt's expression became terrible.

"But the other," she murmured at last.

"The other?" he cried, seizing her by the hand. "Name him. I will have no further misunderstanding between us."

"Is it necessary?" she asked, with bitterness. "Will heaven spare me nothing?" Then, as she saw no relenting in the fixed gaze that held her own, whispered, in a hollow tone: "You have just spoken the name yourself—Craik Mansell."

"Ah!"

Incredulity, anger, perplexity, all the emotions that were seething in this man's troubled soul, spoke in that simple exclamation. She was the first to speak.

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TOPEKA, Kansas, May 20.—Temperance women have become thoroughly worked up over the effects of the original package decision, and 500 of them have banded together to enforce the state law, despite the supreme court's decision. Numerous raids are now expected.

Interesting to Parents.

Mr. Robt. Laidlaw, of the Ottawa Free Press, says, Our babe was so choked up she could hardly breathe. In fact at one time we feared she would choke to death. Respiration became more difficult every minute, for which we could get no relief by the usual remedies formerly used. Having a bottle of Nasal Balm in the house my wife suggested trying it, and in twenty minutes from the first application the child was sleeping and breathing easily, and in twenty-four hours not a sign of that trouble remained. It is an invaluable remedy for children as well as grown people.

Harry Markoe, a well known New York and Philadelphia stock exchange man failed yesterday with liabilities about $50,000.

"How to Cure All Skin Diseases."

Simply apply "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, &c., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. It has great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other preparation. Ask your druggist for SWAYNE'S OINTMENT. LYMAN SONS & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents.

George Francis Train arrived in New York, of Saturday, and said he had made the circuit of the globe in 60 days and expected to reach the end of his journey in Tacoma, in 65 days, thus breaking all records.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

SYMPTOMS—Moisture; intense itching and stinging, most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At druggists, or by mail for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. LYMAN SONS & Co., Montreal, wholesale agents.

An Italian boot black named Joe Sclesatian, while cleaning windows for the Interstate Bank at 167 Broadway, N. Y., yesterday afternoon, placed his hands on an electric light wire that ran into the building and was instantly killed.

CATARRH CURED, health and sweet breath, secured by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal injector free.

Lida E. Ames, charged with shooting Percy C. Rich, at Frankfort, Me., waived examination before the police judge yesterday, and was held on $2,000 to appear at the supreme court. She furnished bail. The wounded man is recovering.

That hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it.

A despatch from Senegal to the Temps states that the French captured Segon and Oufseobougan after conflicts with the Dahomian forces. The Dahomians at the battle of Oufseobougan, April 29, numbering 1500, were all killed. French loss, 15 killed and 72 wounded.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's cure is the Remedy for you.

W. H. Shaw at Wentworth N. H. became intoxicated yesterday and was put out of a boarding house. He threatened the proprietor with arrest. He attacked Mell J. Emery the 22 year old son of the hotel man, who was in the barn, knocked him down and kicked him twice in the head causing death in about ten minutes.

Will you suffer with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you.

Burglars Take Some Plunder.

HAMPSTEAD, N. H., May 20.—The grocery store of A. W. Foote containing post office, Baker's grocery store in the same town and A. J. Spollett's grocery store and post office at West Hampstead, were burglarized Monday night. Considerable plunder was taken from each.

Everyone Should Try

To secure good health. The great specific for all diseases arising from disordered stomach, such as overflow of bile, sick headache, loss of appetite, indigestion, constipation and all blood diseases, is Burdock Blood Bitters. Hundreds testify to their health to B. B. B., nature's regulator and tonic.

Young Robert Wallace who ran away about ten days ago with $46,000 belonging to Colonel H. Wallace, "of Wallace's Monthly, has been captured in Havana.

A Boon to Mankind.

The quickest, surest and best remedy for rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, sore throat, soreness and lameness, is Hagyard's Yellow Oil. It quickly cures sprains, bruises, burns, frostbites, chilblains, etc. For croup, colds, quinsy, etc., take 10 to 30 drops on sugar, and apply the oil externally also, when immediate relief will result.

Well Adapted.

The effective action on the glandular system and the blood, and the general regulating tonic and purifying action of B. B. B., especially adapts it for the bilious, nervous, costive or scrofulous. From 3 to 6 bottles will cure all blood diseases from a common pimple to the worst scrofulous sore.

The Ides of March.

"Last March mother caught a severe cold, terminating in a very bad cough. Everything we could hear of was tried without avail. Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam was at last recommended and procured. The first dose relieved, and one bottle entirely cured her."
MISS E. A. STARNAMAN, Hespeler, Ont.

A Marvellous Recovery.

I was so ill with inflammatory rheumatism in 1882 that I was given up, and had all my earthly business put in order. One of my sons begged me to get Burdock Blood Bitters. After the third bottle I could sit up alone and eat a good meal, and in six weeks I was out of bed feeling better than I ever felt. I take three bottles every spring, and two every fall. MRS. M. N. D. BENARD, Main St. Winnipeg Man.

Lame Back Cured.

"Seven years ago I was troubled with lame back and could scarcely move. Several remedies failed but on trying Hagyard's Yellow Oil I found immediate relief, and two bottles effected a complete cure." MRS. HUMBLE, Corbett P. O., Ont.

The argument on the writ of error in the case of Kemmler, sentenced to die by electricity at New York was argued in Washington yesterday. The court adjourned till Friday without giving a decision.

AMERICAN DYE WORKS CO.
LACE CURTAINS CLEANED AND DYED ALL SHADES.
Office, King Square—Works, Black Spring Road, North End, St. John, N. B.

GROCERS, ETC.

BOOT BLACKING.—DAY & MARTIN'S PASTE AND LIQUID; WOLFF'S ACME BLACKING, for men and women, shines for all in any weather. For sale only by
J. S. ARMSTRONG & BRO.,
32 Charlotte street.

MONTSERRAT LIME FRUIT JUICE: 5 Cases just received by
J. S. ARMSTRONG & BRO.

ARRIVED.
We have received this week and offer wholesale:
100 Casks Choicest NEW CROP BARBADOS MOLASSES.
5 Cars Globe Flour.
1 Car Oatmeal.
1 " Granulated and Y. Sugar.
1 " Rice.
225 Cads Tea.
50 Packages Morton's & Lazenby's Pickles.
75 Packages Tobacco.
25 Boxes New Dates.
400 Cwt. Codfish.
2 Casks Cream Tartar.
Geo. S. DeForest & Sons

LARD, HAMS, BACON.
Grocers should place their orders at once to secure their Christmas stock.
SLIPP & FLEWELLING
Pork Packers,
160 Main Street, St. John, N. B.

MARIE BASHKIRTSEFF.
CHEAP EDITION,
PRICE 25 CENTS.
FOR SALE BY
J. & A. McMILLAN,
Saint John, N. B.

WILKINS & SANDS,
House and Ornamental PAINTERS.
Painting done in all its Branches.
ORDERS SOLICITED.
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.
PAINT SHOP, 266 UNION ST.,
(Head of Brussels St), St. John, N. B.
TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

NOTICE.
WEIGHTS AND MEASURE.

Traders, Manufacturers and owners of Weights, Measures and Weighing Machines generally are specially requested to read carefully the following instructions and act accordingly:

1. The Weights and Measures Act provides for a regular biennial inspection of Weights and Measures used for trade purposes, as well as for irregular inspections of the same, which may be made at any time when deemed necessary by the inspector, and it also imposes a heavy penalty on any trader or other person who wilfully obstructs or impedes an inspector or assistant inspector in the performance of his duty under said Act, or who refuses to produce the whole of his weights and measures for inspection when called upon to do so by an inspecting officer.

2. Every trader, manufacturer and owner of weights, measures, and weighing machines when paying moneys to Inspectors or Assistant Inspectors of Weights and Measures for verification fees, is entitled to, and is specially requested to demand from the officer who makes the inspection, an official certificate ("Form O, 6" with the words "Original for the Trader" printed at the head) thereof properly filled out and stamped, and also at the same time to carefully ascertain whether or not the stamp attached to such certificate represent exactly the value the amount of cash paid. Traders are requested to bear in mind that certificates of verification are of no value whatever unless stamps covering the full amount of fees charged are attached.

3. Owners and holders of these official certificates are specially requested to keep them carefully for two years, and in order to secure their safe keeping it would be advisable to placard them in their places of business in the manner in which ordinary license certificates are done, for it must be distinctly understood that all traders who are unable to produce their properly stamped certificates, when asked to do so by an inspector or assistant inspector, may, in all probability, have to pay over again their verification fees.

E. MIALL, Commissioner.

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS marked "For Mounted Police Provisions and Light Supplies," and addressed to the Honorable the Minister of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, will be received up to noon on Tuesday, 3rd June, 1890.

Printed forms of Tender, containing full information as to the articles and approximate quantities required, may be had on application at any of the Mounted Police Posts in the North-West or at the office of the undersigned.

No tender will be received unless made on such printed forms.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted Canadian bank cheque for an amount equal to ten per cent. of the total value of the articles tendered for, which will be forfeited if the party declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the service contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

No payment will be made to newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority having been first obtained.

FRED. WHITE,
Comptroller, N. W. M. Police.
Ottawa, April 22nd, 1890.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Tidnish Work," will be received until Friday, the 30th day of May instant, inclusively, for the construction of a Wharf near the mouth of the Tidnish River, Cumberland County, N. S., according to a plan and specification to be seen at the office of James E. Purdy, Esq., Registrar of Deeds, Amherst, and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to *five per cent. of amount of tender*, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract, or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
A. GOBEIL, Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 3rd May, 1890.

Harry Wilkes,
1896.
THE Standard