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Department of Inland Revenue.—An Act respecting Agricultural Pertilizers.

provisions of the Act respecting Acri-CULTURAL FERTILIZERS came into force on the 1st of January, 1886 and that all Ferlizers sold thereafter require to be sold subject to the conditions and restrictions therein contained-the main features of which are as follows:

The expression "fertilizer" means and includes all fertilizers which are sold at more than TEN DOLLARS per ton, and which contains ammonia, or its equivalent of nitrogen, or phosphoric acid.

Every manufacturer or importer of fertilizers for sale, shall, in the course of the month of January in each year, and before offering the same fertilizer for sale, transmit to the Minister of Inland Revenue, carriage paid, a scaled glass jar, containing at least two pounds of the fertilizer manufactured or imported by him, with the certificate of analysis of the same, together with an affida, it setting forth that each jar contains a fair average sample of the fertilizer manufactured or imported by him; and such sample shall be preserved by the Minister of Inland Revenue for the purpose of comparison with any sample of fertilizer which is obtained in the course of the twelve months then next ensuing from such manufacturer or importer, and which is transmitted to the chief analvst for analysis.

If the fertilizer is put up in packages, every such package intended for sale or distribution within Canada shall have the manufacturer's certificate of analysis placed upon or securely attached to each package by the manufacturer; if the tertilizer is in hage, it shall be distinctly stamped or printed upon each bag; if it is in barrels, it shall be either branded, stamped or printed upon the head of each barrel or distinctly printed upon good paper and securely pasted upon the head of each barrel, or upon a tag securely attached to the head of each barrel it it is in bulk, the manufacturer's certicate shall be produced and a copy given to each purchaser.

No fertilizer shall be sold or offered or exposed for sale unless a certificate of

The public is hereby notified that the janulysis and sample of the same shall have been transmitted to the Minister of Inland Revenue and the provisions of the foregoing sub-section have been complied with.

> Every person who sells or offers or exposes for sale any fertilizer, in respect of which the provisions of this Act have not been complied with—or who permits a certificate of analysis to be attached to any package, bag or barrel of such fertilizer, or to be produced to the inspector, to accompany the bill of inspection of such inspector, stating that the fertilizer contains a larger percentage of the constituents mentioned in sub-section No. 11 of the Act than is contained therein -or who sells, offers or exposes for sale any fertilizer purporting to have been imprected, and which does not contain the percentage of constituents mentioned in the next preceding section—or who sells or offers or exposes for sale any fertilizer which does not contain the percentage of constituents mentioned in the manufacturer's certificate accompanying the same, shall be liable in each case to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars for the first offence, and for each subsequent offence to a penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars. Provided always that deficiency of one per centum of the ammonia, or its equivalent of nitrogen, or of the phosphoric acid, claimed to be contained, shall not be considered as evidence of fraudulent intent.

The Act passed in the forty-seventh year of Her Majesty's reign, chaptered thirty-seven and entitled, "An Act to prevent fraud in the manufacture and sale of agricultural fertilizers," is by this Act repealed, except in regard to any offence committed against it or any prosecution or other act commenced and not con-cluded or completed, and any payment of money due in respect of any provision

A copy of the Act may be obtained upon application to the Department of Inland Revenue.

E. MIALL, Commissioner.



Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Post Office at Gananoque, Ont.," will be received at this office until Thursday, the 3rd November, for the several works required in the erection of Post Office at Gananoque, Ont.

Specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the office of the Collector of Customs, Gananoque, on and after Tuesday, 12th October, and tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied and signed with 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.

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Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 13th October, 1887.



NOTICE RESPECTING PASSPORTS.

PERSONS requiring passports from the Canadian Government should make application to this Department for the same, such application to be accompanied by the sum of four dollars, in payment of the official fee upon passports as fixed by the Governor-in-Council.

G. POWELL, Under Secretary of State. OTTAWA, 19th Feb., 1886.



Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed. "Tender for Roofing., will be received at this office until Monday, the 10th October, for the several works required in connection with Copper Rooting to Main Tower of Western Departmental Building and Lead Roofing in rear of Commons and Sens'e Chambers, Ottawa.

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