



## TENDERS FOR COAL, 1903

Sealed tenders, addressed to the Provincial Secretary, Province of Ontario, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, and marked "Tenders for Coal," will be received up to noon on MONDAY, MAY 25th, 1903, for the delivery of coal in the sheds of the institutions named below, on or before the 15th of July next, except as regards the coal of London, Hamilton and Brockville Asylums and Central Prison, as noted:

### Asylum for Insane, Toronto.

Hard coal—1,350 tons large egg size, 250 tons stove size, 150 tons nut size. Soft coal—500 tons lump; wood, green, 100 cords.

### Asylum for Insane, London.

Hard coal—2,700 tons small egg size, 300 tons stove size, 100 chestnut size. Soft coal—50 tons for grates. Of the 3,150 tons, 1,000 may not be required till Jan., 1904.

### Asylum for Insane, Kingston.

Hard coal—1,600 tons large egg size, 300 tons small egg size, 30 tons chestnut size, 600 tons hard screenings, 600 tons soft screenings, 20 tons stove size (hard).

### Asylum for Insane, Hamilton.

Hard coal—675 tons small egg size. Soft coal—2,000 tons, 474 tons stove size, 146 tons chestnut size, coal for grates, 20 tons; for pump house, 210 tons soft slack; 90 tons hard slack screenings. Of the above quantity, 1,125 tons may not be required until January and February, 1904.

### Asylum for Insane, Mimico.

Hard coal—1,700 tons large egg size, 125 tons stove size, 60 tons chestnut, 100 tons soft screenings, 25 tons cannel coal, 50 cords green hardwood.

### Asylum for Insane, Orillia.

Soft coal screenings No. 1 or run of mine lump, 2,000 tons; 80 tons hard coal, stove size; 40 tons hard coal, grate.

### Asylum for Insane, Brockville.

Hard coal—1,750 tons large egg size, 200 tons stove size, 50 tons small egg. Of the above quantity, 1,050 tons may not be returned until January and March, 1904.

### Asylum for Female Patients, Cobourg.

Hard coal—450 tons small egg size, 20 tons egg size, 30 tons stove size.

### Central Prison, Toronto.

Hard coal—100 tons small egg size, 70 tons stove size. Soft coal—2,300 tons soft coal screenings or run of mine lump. The soft coal to be delivered monthly, as required.

### Institution for Deaf & Dumb, Belleville.

Hard coal—800 tons large egg size, 65 tons small egg size, 20 tons stove size, 14 tons nut size, 4 tons cannel.

### Institution for Blind, Brantford.

Hard coal—375 tons egg size, 135 tons stove size, 15 tons chestnut size. Soft 75 tons Jacksonville lump.

### Reformatory for Boys, Penetang.

Eighty tons egg size, 50 tons stove size, 14 tons nut size, 1,000 tons soft coal screenings or run of mine lump. Delivered at institution dock.

### Mercer Reformatory, Toronto.

Soft coal screenings or run of mine lump, 650 tons; stove coal, 125 tons.

Tenderers are to specify the mine or mines from which the coal will be supplied, and the quality of same, and must also furnish satisfactory evidence that the coal delivered is true to name, fresh mined and in every respect equal in quality to the standard grades of coal known to the trade.

Delivery is to be effected in a manner satisfactory to the inspectors of Prisons and Public Charities.

And the said inspectors may require additional amounts, not exceeding 20 per cent. of the quantities hereinbefore specified, for the above mentioned institutions to be delivered thereat at the contract prices at any time up to the 15th day of July, 1903.

Tenders will be received for the whole quantity above specified, or for the quantities required in each

institution. An accepted cheque for \$500, payable to the order of the Honorable the Provincial Secretary, must be furnished by each tenderer as a guarantee of his bona fides, and two sufficient sureties will be required for the due fulfilment of each contract. Specifications and forms and conditions of tenders may be obtained from the Inspectors of Prisons and Public Charities, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, or from the Bursars of the respective institutions. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the department will not be paid for it.

J. R. STRATTON, Provincial Secretary,  
Parliament Buildings, Toronto  
May 11, 1903.

coming in, but are not making any very large purchases of leather just now. Sole leather tanners claim an upward tendency in the market, especially for jobbing sorts, and it is said the American Leather Trust has placed some large orders for hides at from  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{3}{8}$ c. advance. Dongolas are moving off rather slowly, except for heavy stock; for enamelled and patents there is fair enquiry.

Oils, Paints and Glass.—The demand from the country keeps up well, but the

moving of goods and filling of orders are being much impeded by the teamsters' strike, which is still in force. Turpentine keeps moving downwards, single barrels being now quoted at 75c. per gallon, and glass prices have also been lowered. Prices of leads are still somewhat unsettled, and while figures given below are nominally about the usual quotations, chemically pure white lead is generally sold at about \$5; other grades in proportion. We quote: Single barrels, raw linseed oil, 59c.; boiled, 62c.; net 30 days, or 3 % for four months' terms. Turpentine, 75c. Olive oil, machinery, 90c.; cod oil, 35 to 37½c. per gallon; steam refined seal, 50 to 55c. per gallon; straw, do., 45 to 47c.; castor oil, 7½ to 8c., for machinery; pharmaceutical ditto, 8½ to 9c.; lead (chemically pure and first-class brands) \$5.15 to \$5.25; No. 1, \$4.75 to \$4.87½;

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A copy of our last Annual Report, which has been so well received by our Policy-holders, our Agents, and the public generally, will be sent on application to the Head Office, or any of our Branch Offices, as follows:

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Montreal: Mechanics' Institute Building.  
Toronto: 18 Toronto Street.

St. John, N.B.: 74 Prince William St.  
Vancouver: Inns of Court Building.  
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making \$5,225,616.22, and it holds in Surplus and Reserve for the security of its policy-holders on 4 and 3½ per cent basis \$6,424,594.21, being a grand total paid to policy-holders and held for their security of \$11,650,210.43. This sum largely exceeds the total premium paid to the Company—the result of 33 years' operations and actual favorable results count in life insurance.

ROBERT MELAN President. | GEO. WEGENAST, Manager. | W. H. RIDDELL, Secretary.