

# CONSTRUCTION NEWS SECTION

Readers will confer a great favor by sending in news items from time to time. We are particularly eager to get notes regarding engineering work in hand or proposed, contracts awarded, changes in staffs, etc.

## BRIDGES, ROADS AND STREETS

**Alnwick, Ont.**—The contract for building the Hill Brook concrete arch culvert and roadway embankment in parish of Alnwick, Northumberland County, has been awarded to F. E. Berryman, Woodstock. Tender price about \$6,800.

**Annapolis Royal, N.S.**—Tenders will be received until July 14th by board of highway commissioners, department of public works, Halifax, for concrete abutments and bridge sheets on ten existing piers.

**Burlington, Ont.**—The department of public works plans to construct new steel lift bridge across the channel at Burlington. Plans have not yet been prepared. It is thought probable that foundations may be put in this year and the superstructure completed early next spring.

**Compton, Que.**—Tenders for gravelling the Sherbrooke-Norton road in the limits of the village of Compton, from the south to the north limits of the macadam road of the township of Compton, will be received until July 5th, by J. A. Rivard, secretary-treasurer, Compton.

**Crowland, Ont.**—The Crowland township council has awarded contract for concrete pavement to be constructed from the M.C.R. to Ontario Rd. and then along the Ontario Rd. west to the canal, to Somerville and Dilworth, at \$18,454. One other tender was received from Shaffey and Shaughnessy at \$21,608.

**Edmonton, Alta.**—Repairs to Jasper Ave. estimated at \$200,000 is proposed by the city council.

**Edmonton, Alta.**—It is proposed to repair road to Clover Bar and to construct several culverts.

**Elora, Ont.**—Tenders will be received until July 11th by S. Aitcheson, reeve of Pilkington township, Elora, for construction of 75-foot steel bridge, with concrete abutment, over Grand River.

**Eriksdale, Man.**—Contract for grading 24 miles of road has been awarded to Madden-Ledger Co., Eriksdale.

**Fredericton, N.B.**—New tenders have been called for the Harris bridge in Sunbury County and for the bridge at the mouth of Parks Brook, in Northumberland County.

**Gladstone, Man.**—Tenders will be received by P. St. C. McGregor, secretary-treasurer, Westbourne municipality, Gladstone, Man., until noon, July 10th, for the construction of two pile bridges over Whitemud River. Plans, specifications, tender forms and other information may be obtained from the secretary-treasurer's office, municipal hall, or from the highway commissioner, parliament buildings, Winnipeg.

**Hading, Man.**—M. Kelly, Winnipeg, has the contract for concrete culverts. Tender price, \$9,555.25.

**Kingston, Ont.**—Arrangements are practically completed for a highway crossing the counties of Frontenac, Leeds, Lanark and Carleton.

**Lachine, Que.**—The town council will shortly present by-law for repairing portion of public highway.

**Lunenburg, N.S.**—Contract for pavement and sidewalk has been awarded by the town council to J. E. Lusby, Amherst, N.S.

**Marmora, Ont.**—The county council contemplates the expenditure of \$30,000 on highways to the north in Tudor boundary to Maynooth. On the road from Belleville to Maynooth there has already been spent \$10,175. Twelve bridges, at a cost of \$21,000, are to be constructed.

**Marquis, Sask.**—Jedeberg and Gusa, Swift Current, have been given the contract for road work. Tender price, approximately \$10,000.

**Montreal, Que.**—The Automobile Club of Canada has recently been taking up the matter of constructing a good road through to St. Anne de Bellevue, about 24 miles from the centre of the city. This road follows along the lake-shore.

**Montreal, Que.**—The city council is planning to construct 21,420 square yards of pavements on Cote des Neiges Rd. The total cost of paving with granite blocks will be \$153,987. Grading will cost \$7,568, concrete foundation \$32,130, granite blocks \$98,532, curbstones \$1,061, gulleys and manholes \$698. Inspection and engineering is estimated at about \$13,998.

**Montreal, Que.**—The municipality of St. Victoire plans considerable macadamizing work this year.

**Montreal, Que.**—Paving of Redpath St., at a cost of \$21,700 is contemplated.

**Newmarket, Ont.**—Tenders will soon be called for bridge on Prospect Ave.

**North Bay, Ont.**—Tenders will be received until noon, July 18th, by H. J. McAuslan, for curbs and gutters, sidewalks and pavements. Official advertisement in this issue.

**Oakville, Ont.**—Tenders will be received until July 7th, by the town clerk for material and construction of tarvia or asphalt-macadam pavements on six streets; also a concrete pavement and curb on Dunn St. N. Engineers, Jas. A. Bell and Son, St. Thomas, Ont.

**Ottawa, Ont.**—Tenders will be received until noon July 18th, by Lynwode Pereira, secretary, department of the interior, Ottawa, for construction of Castle-Laggan highway, second section from station 355+00 to station 960+00, Rocky Mountains Park, Alberta. Contractors may tender for the complete work, or separately, for two timber bridges, one over Corral Creek at station 785+00, and one over Pipestone Creek at station 732+00. Also for Mount Revelstoke highway, from station 643+00 to station 747+00, Mount Revelstoke Park, Field, B.C. Plans and copies of contract may be examined and specifications may be had from the commissioner of Dominion parks, Ottawa, Ont., the superintendents of the Dominion parks at Banff, Alta., Jasper, Alta., or Field, B.C., the Dominion lands offices at Moose Jaw, Edmonton, Calgary, Revelstoke, Kamloops and New Westminster, and the office of the inspector of Dominion lands agencies, Winnipeg, Man.

**Ottawa, Ont.**—The proposed new Cummings bridge will cost about \$200,000.

**Ottawa, Ont.**—The county council has sanctioned the taking over of the Metcalfe Rd., Montreal Rd., Ottawa-Pembroke Rd. and the Ottawa-Kingston Rd. No estimate as to the proposed cost has been made.

**Ottawa, Ont.**—Work on the 84 miles of road, from Hull to Maniwaki Rd., will be started this summer.

**Overbrook, Ont.**—Tenders will be received until noon, July 7th, by Patterson and Byrne, 71½ Sparks St., Ottawa, for the construction of approximately 7,425 lineal feet of granolithic sidewalk, four feet in width, on Prince Albert and Queen Mary Sts., from the Russell Rd. to Victor St.

**Owen Sound, Ont.**—Tenders will be received until July 18th, for construction of asphalt concrete pavements. Official advertisement in this issue.

**Pembroke, Ont.**—The Renfrew county council at its recent session gave assent to a by-law for the raising of \$150,000 for the county good roads system. The money will be secured by the issue of debentures over a period of twenty years. With the provincial grants which will go with the expenditure of this money, the total will aggregate about \$225,000.