

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

Acton Vale, Que.—The chamber of commerce of the county of Bagot, passed a resolution advocating the construction of roads between Sherbrooke and Nicolet, via Richmond, and via Acton Vale, between Richmond, St. Hyacinthe, Chambly and the Montreal highway.

Albert, Man.—Tenders for supplying two 12-ft. blade graders and engine capable of hauling same, and all necessary equipment, will be received by R. W. James, secretary-treasurer, Tilston, Man., until 6 o'clock p.m., Monday, May 24th.

Albert, Man.—Tenders for grading the whole or portion of 36 miles of roadway will be received by R. W. James, secretary-treasurer municipality of Albert, Tilston, Man., up to Monday, May 24th. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Highway Commissioner, New Parliament Buildings, Winnipeg, Manitoba, or at the office of the Secretary-treasurer of the Municipality, Tilston, Man.

Beloil, Que.—Tenders for the repair of the bituminous macadam on the Richelieu Road, will be received up to 6 o'clock p.m., May 17th, 1920, by A. M. Cormier, secretary-treasurer, Beloil, Que.

Bienville, Que.—Important paving work will be undertaken this year by the municipal council.

Calgary, Alta.—The Calgary Automobile Club's plans for the improvement, in co-operation with the city, of the main roads running north, south, east and west, have been announced by H. Newcomb, secretary of the club.

Chatham, Ont.—Tenders will be called within two or three weeks by the Suburban Roads Commission for the construction of a reinforced concrete pavement on approximately two or three miles of Queen St. Commissioner also plans paving of the Wallaceburg and Longwoods Roads. Chairman, Mr. McGeorge.

Chipman, N.B.—Provincial Department of Public Works let contract for the Coal Creek Mouth bridge, superstructure and approaches, to Whitman Brewer, of North Devon, N.B., the contract price being in the vicinity of \$15,000.

Como East, Que.—Tenders addressed to W. Sanderson, secretary-treasurer, municipality of Como East, Que., and endorsed "Tenders for Roads, at Como East, Que.," will be received until 6 p.m., Thursday, May 20th, 1920. Plans and specifications may be seen on application to the secretary-treasurer.

Edwardsburg Tp., Ont.—Tenders will be received by W. A. McLean, Deputy Minister of Provincial Highways, Parliament Buildings, Toronto, until twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, May 31st, 1920, for earthwork and other necessary work on the Provincial Highway in the Township of Edwardsburg. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Resident Engineer, Cornwall, Ont., and at the office of W. A. McLean.

Ellice R.M., Man.—Tenders for draining and grading 10½ miles of roads will be received up to 4 p.m., May 29th, 1920. Secretary-treasurer, J. E. Selby, St. Lazare, Man.; District Engineer, D. J. Miller, Minnedosa, Man.

Elora, Ont.—Wellington county council let contract for the construction of a new reinforced concrete Irvine River bridge, to G. G. Reid, 34 Victoria St., Toronto, for \$13,300.

Fredericton, N.B.—City Council will call tenders for the construction of one mile of permanent pavement on Brunswick Ave., from Church to Smythe St., and from York to Smythe St. Council also decided to repair the present pave-

ment on York St., at a cost of \$12,000. City Engineer Mr. McDowell.

Hamilton, Ont.—Hon. F. C. Biggs, Minister of Public Works and Highways (Ontario), has notified the city that it must at once construct an entrance to the city for the Toronto-Hamilton highway. If the city fails to act at once, the Highway Commission will do the work and charge the cost to the city.

Hamilton, Ont.—Plans for the new Mountain Road, for which the citizens voted \$50,000 last January, will be presented to the board of control within the next two weeks. City engineer, E. R. Gray.

Hamilton, Ont.—Works committee recommended the city council to proceed with the paving on King St. to Bay St., and on York St. to Queen St.

Harriston, Ont.—Town council plans paving of Market and Hill Streets. Clerk, H. J. Hucks.

Kingsville, Ont.—Tenders will be received by W. G. Long, clerk, Kingsville, until two o'clock, May 31st, 1920, for furnishing all labor, tools and materials, and constructing sewers and pavements on Main St., west, and on Division St., north, according to plans, etc., prepared by R. W. Code, C.E., Windsor, Ont. Plans are on file at the offices of the engineer and clerk.

Lasalle, Que.—Tenders, addressed to F. Lafleur, secretary-treasurer, Town Hall, Lasalle, Que., will be received until five o'clock p.m., May 21st, 1920, for the construction of waterbound macadam on Lafleur Ave., length approximately 0.94 mile; bituminous filled macadam on Lasalle Road, length approximately 4.9 miles; cement concrete on St. Patrick St., length approximately 1.6 mile. Plans and specifications at Paul A. Beique's office, 516 Transportation Building, Montreal.

Middlemiss, Ont.—Tenders will be received by Jas. A. Bell and Son, civil engineers, Court House, St. Thomas, Ont., until noon, Tuesday, May 18th, for supplying the material and laying a creosoted wood floor on the McIntosh bridge, over the Thames River, about 1½ miles from Middlemiss. The work consists of laying about 292 lineal feet of 3-in. creosoted plank and about 487 square yards of creosoted block. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of Jas. A. Bell and Son, and at the office of Chas. Talbot, county engineer, London, Ont.

Montreal, Que.—Contract for the supply of twelve motor-driven automatic flushers and cleaners has been awarded by the Administrative Commission to the Maple Leaf Manufacturing Co., of Montreal, their price of \$8,790 per machine being the lowest. The tenders ranged from this figure up \$14,250.

New Toronto, Ont.—The town council has instructed the E. A. James Co., Ltd., Toronto, to prepare plans and specifications and call for tenders for sidewalks on 17th, 20th and 21st St., from Lake Shore Road to Birmingham St., on 5th St., from Lake Shore Road to Emerald Crescent, and 24 feet of concrete pavement on 8th St., from Lake Shore Road to Morris St.

Oakland, Man.—Tenders will be received by Frank Capel, secretary-treasurer, municipality of Oakland, Nesbitt, Man., up to 2 o'clock Tuesday, May 18th, 1920, for the grading of roads. Specifications may be had at the office of the secretary-treasurer, or at the office of the highway commissioner, Winnipeg.

Ottawa, Ont.—John Gleeson, of Ottawa, announces the incorporation of Standard Paving, Ltd. This new company