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TENDERS FOR BRIDGE

Sealed tenders, addressed to George Stewart, Esq., County Clerk, Peterbrough, will be received up to TUESDAY, JANUARY 23RD, 1900, at four o'clock

Floating Bridge and Approaches

over Chemong Lake. Bulk and separate tenders re

Plans, etc., may be seen at the office of J. E. Bel.ber, Esq., County Engineer, Peterborough. An accepted cheque for five per cent. must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

(Sgd.) E. HAWTHORNE, Warden.

Will be received by the undersigned, on behalf of the County of Huron, at the Wingham Post-Office, until 4 octook pm. on SATURDAY, THE 20TU DAY OF JANUARY NEXT, 1900, for the erection of a

Steel Bridge

on the boundary line between the Townships of Morris and East Wawanosh, about one-half mile south of Wingham, to be of one span of 100 feet clear between the abutments, roadway 16 feet wide clear between the abutments, roadway 16 feet wide clear between trusses trusses to have seven panels each, and 18 feet high from pin to pin.

Joists, 3 a 12 inches, placed at two feet centres, to be efrock elm. Floor planks to be 3 inches thick and from 6 to 10 inches wide, securely spiked to all joists (to be of pine or cedar Railling to be 4 feet high, of 3 terrs of 1½-inch gas pipe.

The bridge will be supported on concrete abutments, about 12 feet from bed of stream to floor. Bridge finished on or before the 15th of August next. A good sace to erect a bridge.

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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN ANSLEY, County Commissigner.

Wingham, Dec. 25th, 1899.

WANTED

Wanted, a Civil Engineer to take charge of the Department of Works of the Municipal Corporation of the City of St. Catharines.

Persons applying for the position will please state expected salary, and give testimonial as to character and ability.

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J. ROLLISON, City Clerk

City Clerk's Office, St. Catharines, 20th Dec., 1899.



WELLAND CANAL

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Improvements at Port Colborne," will be received at this office until a o'clock on FRI DAY, THE 26TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1900, for the works of improvement at the upper entrance to the Weiland Canal.

Plans and coefficients of the marks.

Weitand Canal.

Plans and specifications of the works can be seen on and after the adth day of December, 1809, at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, away at the Superintending Engineer's office at St. Catharines. Printed forms of tender can also be obtained at the places mentioned. In the case of firms there must be attached to the tender the actual signatures of the full name, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of same, and, further, an accepted bank cheque for the sum of Sto,000 must accompany the tender. The accepted bank cheque must be endorsed over to the Minister of Railways and Canals, and will be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer subthe rates and on the terms stated in the offer sub

mitted.

The accepted bank cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

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

Contractors are specially notified that the conditions requiring the works to be wholly completed by the 20th day of June, 1972, will be rigidly enforced and all penalties for delay enacted.

By order, L. K. JONES, Secretary Dept. Railways and Canals. Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, December 21, 1899

BUSINESS NOTES.

John Lidstone, carpenter and joiner, Montreal, is dead.

Egles & Linington, painters, Toronto, have dissolved partnership.

A. R. Smith, painter, Ottawa, is reported to have assigned to W. A. Cole.

The assets of Napoleon Vezina, plumber, Quebec, will be sold on the 4th inst.

The Shallow Lake Portland Cement Co., Limited, Owen Sound, Ont., has been granted a provincial charter.

Henry M. Clark, contractor, Fredericton, N. B., is said to be offering to compromise with his creditors. The liabilities are estimated at \$4,000.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

ORILLIA, ONT .- A new steamer will be built here this winter.

SMITH'S FALLS, ONT. - Additional school accommodation is required.

MEAFORD, ONT.—A by-law has been passed in council to raise \$56,000 by debentures.

KINCARDINE, ONT.—The ratepayers have sanctioned a bonus to establish a pork-packing factory.

PEMBROKE, ONT.-On Monday last the ratepayers approved of the purchase of the electric light plant.

New Glasgow, N.S.—The New Glasgow Milling Co. calk of erecting flour mills at Halifax and St. John.

PARIS, ONT - The by law to raise \$30,000 for the erection of a central school was voted down on Monday last.

RAMSAY, ONT .- The Ramsay township council have passed a by-law to raise \$11,-5∞ by debentures to pay off indebtedness.

KEMPTVILLE, ONT.—The by-law to provide \$2,500 for the construction of a bridge was carried by an almost unanimous vote.

TIVERTON, ONT. - The plans for the Presbyterian church to be erected here are on view at J McKellar's grocery store.

CLAYTON, ONT. - Plans for a new Anglican church to be built at this place have been completed by J. H. Watts, architect, of Ottawa.

GRAND FORKS, B. C.-Mr. Newland, architect, has completed plans for proposed hospital at this place, and work will shortly be commenced.

ONT. - The ratepayers MIDLAND, voted on Monday last on a by-law to raise \$5,000 for addition to west ward school; result not learned.

PHOENIX, B.C.—The Phoenix Waterworks Co. will build a tank in the spring with a capacity of 100,000 gallons. main streets will also be piped.

UDNEY, ONT .- Thos. Martin will receive tenders up to January 20th for erection of church at this place. Plans at residence of Rev. J. A. Connell, Atherley.

Uffinction, Ont.—John Crozier invites bids up to February 1st for repairing school house at this place, or for building a new one, either stone, brick or frame.

GREENWOOD, B. C. - Madden & Dallas, of the Pacific Hotel, have leased the Windsor premises adjoining and pur-pose erecting a new building on the property.

COOKSHIRE, QUE. — The town has granted a bonus of \$15,000 to the Canada Food Supply Co. It is expected that building operations will be commenced immediately.

AMHERSTBURG, ONT .- The Canadian Southern Bridge Co. has made application to parliament to build a railway bridge