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## TENDERS.

The undersigned will receive tenders for the erection of a Regular Baptist Church building in North Bay up to twelve o'clock noon, SATURDAY, JUNE 10TH. Each tender to be accompanied by a marked cheque of 10 per cent. of amount of tender; if tender is not accepted cheque will be returned. Tenders to be sealed and marked "Tender." The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications can be seen at *The Times* office. Address N. PHELPS, Chairman of Building Committee, North Bay.

## Toronto Public Schools

To Builders and Contractors.

Tenders are requested for the usual midsummer repairs at the several schools, including masonry, carpentering, painting, plumbing etc.

Plans and specifications may be seen and all information obtained at the office of Mr. C. H. Bishop, Superintendent of Buildings, on and after Saturday, June 3rd.

Tenders on forms to be supplied by the Superintendent of Buildings are to be delivered at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer of the Public School Board on or before

Friday, June 9th, 1893.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque for five per cent. of the amount of the tender as per regulations of the Board.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

W. C. WILKINSON,  
Secretary-Treasurer T. P. S. Board.  
W. W. HODGSON,  
Chairman of Committee.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

Whole or separate tenders will be received by the undersigned for all works (except heating and lighting) required in the erection and completion of a church for the congregation of the Evangelical Association, Berlin, up till TUESDAY, JUNE 13TH. Separate tenders will be received up till June 15th for the heating and lighting. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of J. C. Breithaupt, Berlin, Ont. The lowest or any tender not necessarily received. Contractors will be required to furnish satisfactory evidence of their ability, financial and otherwise, to properly execute the work.

WILLIAM NIEHAUS,  
J. C. BREITHAUPT,  
JOHN S. ANTHES, Chairman.

HARRY J. POWELL, Architect, Stratford.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders will be received addressed to the Town Clerk, Toronto Junction, up to 7 o'clock, p. m., on WEDNESDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF JUNE, for the following work:

- 1st. Grading of Beatrice street.
- 2nd. Grading of Darcy street from Elizabeth street, easterly.
- 3rd. Grading of Darcy street, from Elizabeth street, westerly to Jane street.

Specifications, profiles, etc., may be seen, and forms of tender obtained on application to the office of the Town Engineer at Toronto Junction. All tenders must be on the forms supplied by the town engineer, or they will be ruled as informal.

The corporation of the town do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

R. J. LEIGH, Town Clerk.  
G. B. ABBEY, Town Engineer.  
Toronto Junction, May 30th, 1893.



## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders will be received, addressed to the City Engineer, Toronto, up to 11 a. m. on SATURDAY, THE 10TH JUNE, 1893, for the construction of the following works:—

### ASPHALT PAVEMENTS

On Winchester street, from Parliament street to Sumach street.

On Munn's lane, from Wellington street to the North end.

On Lane, from Toronto street to lane in rear of Canada Permanent Buildings.

### SIDEWALK.

Cement concrete walk east side Sherbourne street from Gerard street to Wellesley street.

Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained on and after June 3rd inst., at the office of the City Engineer.

A deposit in the form of a marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, for the sum of 5 per cent. on the value of the work tendered for under \$1,000, and 2½ per cent. on the value of the work tendered for over that amount, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise it will not be entertained.

All tenders must bear the bona fide signatures of the contractor and his sureties (see specifications, U) or they will be ruled out as informal. The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

DANIEL LAMB,  
Chairman of Committee on Works.  
Committee Rooms, Toronto, May 26, 1893.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed tenders, separate or whole, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for High School Building in the Town of Prescott, JUNE 3RD. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, Prescott, or at the office of Thos. Hanley, Architect, Belleville.

Ample security will be required from parties tendering. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

I. D. PURKIS, Chairman.  
Prescott, Ont., May 23, 1893.



## Notice to Contractors

Tenders will be received by registered post addressed to the City Engineer, Toronto, up to 12 o'clock noon on SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 1893, for the

## SUPPLY OF BRICK

For the year ending May 31st, 1894.

Specifications may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, on and after Saturday, June 3rd, 1893, at the office of the City Engineer.

A deposit in the form of a marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, for the sum of 5 per cent. on the value of the material tendered for under \$1,000, and 2½ per cent. on the value of the material tendered for over that amount, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise it will not be entertained.

All tenders must bear the bona fide signatures of the contractor and his sureties (see specifications) or they will be ruled out as informal.

The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

DANIEL LAMB,  
Chairman of Committee on Works.  
Committee Rooms, Toronto, May 31, 1893.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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## CONTRACTS OPEN.

PETERBORO, ONT.—A movement has been started to have George street paved with asphalt.

WESTPORT, ONT.—Messrs. Taggart & Conley will immediately rebuild their mill which was blown down.

HALIFAX, N. S.—The City Council will borrow the sum of \$50,000 for the construction of the new pipe line.

PICTON, ONT.—Mr. A. C. Miller will build a storage warehouse in connection with his tanning factory, 50x40 ft.

SOURIS, P. E. I.—The sum of \$20,000 has been voted by the Local Government for repairing the break water at this place.

ORILLIA, ONT. The ratepayers have decided to expend the sum of \$15,000 in erecting a town hall, fire hall, and market building.

KNOWLTON, QUE.—It is said that Messrs. Menosh & Welcome contemplate erecting a large butter tub and wooden ware factory here.

BURLINGTON, QUE.—The ratepayers are agitating the question of extending the water mains to Appletree reef, at an expense of \$30,000.

INGERSOLL, ONT.—The Board of Education will ask the City Council for an appropriation of \$20,000 for a new Collegiate Institute building.

MERRITTON, ONT.—A by-law to authorize the expenditure of \$10,000 for the erection of a central public school has been carried by the ratepayers.

ELORA, ONT.—Vex. Petrie, Secretary School Board, will receive tenders until the 10th inst. for heating and ventilating a four-roomed school house.

BURLINGTON, ONT.—Tenders are wanted by the corporation for supplying a hand or steam fire engine and 500 feet of 2½ inch hose, W. G. Nelles, clerk.

ALMA, ONT.—Dr. Wallace, chairman of Building Committee, will receive tenders until the 10th inst. for a coal furnace for the new Presbyterian church in this village.

AURORA, ONT.—A wind storm which passed over this town last week almost completely destroyed the Methodist church, damaging it to the extent of \$5,000 or \$10,000.

SARNIA, ONT.—Mr. Albert Yates, of Point Edward, has purchased a lot on the corner of Confederation and Sheppard streets, in this town, and will build a commodious residence thereon.

ELGIN, ONT.—Plans are being prepared by G. A. Allan, architect, Brockville, for a Methodist church to be erected here, the cost of which will be about \$10,000. It will be built of stone.

WOODSTOCK, ONT.—It is reported that the G. T. R. will erect a grain elevator on Wilson street, the company having decided to tear down the warehouse on Main street recently damaged by fire.

VICTORIA, B. C.—It is said that the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. intend building the Nakusp and Slocan and Revelstoke and Arrow Lake railways at once, and that both will be completed before winter.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.—The by-laws were carried by the ratepayers on the 29th ultimo, one for issuing \$15,000 debentures for constructing a main sewer, and the other for \$2,782 for improvements to the two city markets.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I.—J. W. Morrison, Secretary of Public Works, will receive tenders until Saturday, the 10th inst., for furnishing and placing a boiler and machinery in the new Ferry Steamer, the work to be completed by the 1st of October.

PORT ARTHUR, ONT.—The Kaministiquia river, overflowed its banks last week, carrying away Point de Meuron bridge, Marks' Mill wharf, Graham, Home & Co.'s wharf, the Government traffic bridge and the Port Arthur, Duluth and Western railway bridge.

WESTMEATH, ONT.—The sum of \$5,000 has been subscribed towards a new Methodist church,