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**Notice to Contractors**

**TENDERS FOR SIDEWALK SHELTERS, QUEEN STREET SUBWAY.**

Tenders will be received by registered post only, addressed to the Chairman of the Board of Control, City Hall, Toronto, up to noon on

**Monday, December 19th, 1898,**

for the Supply and Erection of the Corrugated Iron Sidewalk Shelters, under the bridges at the Queen Street Subway.

Contents of envelopes containing tenders must be plainly marked on outside.

Specifications and drawings may be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the office of the City Engineer, Toronto.

A marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, for 5 per cent. of the amount tendered for up to \$1,000, and 2½ per cent. of the amount over that sum, must accompany each and every tender, otherwise it will be ruled out as informal.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

**JOHN SHAW (Mayor),**  
Chairman Board of Control.

Toronto, December 3rd, 1898.

**Drainage Work**

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**

Sealed Tenders, addressed J. A. Cockburn, Esq., Clerk of Finch Township, Crysler, Ont., and endorsed "Tender for Drainage," will be received until 3 o'clock p.m., DECEMBER 14TH, for the Construction of the Butternut Creek Drain, in the north-east part of Finch Township and the north-west part of Roxborough Township:

Estimated number of cubic yards earth excavation, 21,745—estimated cost, \$3184.36  
Two Culverts—estimated cost, 90.00

The work is to be completed on or before the 15th October, 1899.

An accepted check for the sum of \$300.00 must accompany the tender.

Specifications, plans, etc., may be seen at the office of the Engineer, Cornwall, Ont., or at the Clerk's office, Crysler, Ont., after Dec. 5th.

T. H. WIGGINS, J. A. COCKBURN, Clerk.  
Engineer. J. R. CRYSLER, Reeve.

**DATE OF PUBLICATION.**

Architects, Engineers, Municipal Authorities and others are reminded that the CONTRACT RECORD is printed every Tuesday afternoon, and that advertisements should reach the office of publication not later than 2 o'clock p.m. on that day to ensure insertion in the issue of the current week. Advertisements are frequently received too late for insertion, to avoid which special attention is directed to this announcement.

**CONTRACTS OPEN.**

**HANOVER, ONT.**—A new town hall is required.

**KEMPTVILLE, ONT.**—The council are taking steps to build a bridge in this village.

**PERTH, ONT.**—The Lanark county council have decided to build the Waba Brook bridge.

**MIDLAND, ONT.**—There is an agitation in favor of constructing a system of waterworks.

**VANCOUVER, B.C.**—The Bertram Company, of Toronto, contemplate establishing a shipyard here.

**TORONTO JUNCTION, ONT.**—Byron Abbott is forming a joint stock company to erect a skating rink.

**BLenheim, ONT.**—The Blenheim council will receive tenders up to 15th inst. for the extension of a drain.

**VALLEYFIELD, QUE.**—Surveys are being made for the proposed canal between Valleyfield and Lake Champlain.

**DANVILLE, QUE.**—The sum of \$5,000 has been subscribed towards the proposed hotel to be built by the Sovereign Hotel Company.

**WOODSTOCK, ONT.**—The question of municipal ownership of the electric light plant is being discussed by certain councillors.

**BEAVERTON, ONT.**—The Victoria Telephone Company has decided to extend its line to Pefferlaw, Beaverton and Bolsover.

**HULL, QUE.**—P. H. Charron has purchased property, corner Lake and Wellington streets, on which to build a furniture store.

**CUMBERLAND, ONT.**—Capt. Murdoch Beaton, of this place, will build a large skating rink at Buckingham front, on the Ottawa river.

**SARNIA, ONT.**—Randal Kenny is having plans prepared for a cold storage plant, to be installed in a new building which he will erect.

**SMITH'S FALLS, ONT.**—The School Board purpose building a new high school, but some difficulty is being met in securing a suitable site.

**EDMONTON, N.W.T.**—It is probable that the town will undertake the construction of waterworks and sewerage systems in the near future.

**CHATHAM, ONT.**—The Lake Erie and Detroit River Railway Company is said to have decided to build a swing bridge over the Thames river at this point.

**PRESBOTT, ONT.** Plans for the proposed waterworks and sewerage systems have been submitted to the Provincial Board of Health for approval.

**RICHMOND HILL, ONT.**—The farmers in this neighborhood are interesting themselves in the establishment of a grain elevator. A committee will report on the available sites.

**PORT ARTHUR, ONT.**—Surveys are being made for the proposed canal to be built by E. S. Jenison, for the purpose of bringing water from the Kanunistiquia river to this town.

**TRURO, N.S.**—The directors of the Midland Railway have selected the route from the Shubenacadie river to Truro. Track-laying will be commenced at the Windsor end in April next.

**ST VALENTIN, QUE.** The parishioners of the parish of St. Valentin de Stottsville have decided to build a church, at a cost of \$20,000. The work is expected to be commenced at an early date.

**DAY MILLS, ONT.**—Tenders for the erection of a new school house in School Section No. 1, Day, Gladstone and Thessalon, are invited up to December 12th. Address Thomas Grigg, secretary, this place.

**BRADFORD, ONT.**—At a public meeting held on November 23rd a resolution was almost unanimously carried favoring the installation by the town of an electric light plant. A by-law to provide the necessary funds will be submitted to the ratepayers at the municipal elections in January.

**BADDECK, N.S.**—It is understood that a company is being formed, in which Prof. Bell, of this place, is interested, to build a new telephone system in the counties of Victoria and Inverness, con-