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TO BUILDERS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned till TUESDAY, 19TH INST., for the erection of a cottage in Toronto Island.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

BURKE & HORWOOD, Architects,
28 Toronto st., Toronto.

TENDERS FOR

Stone Paving Blocks

Tenders, sealed and endorsed "Tender" addressed to the undersigned will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on MONDAY, THIR 19TH FEBRUARY, 1904, for

Stone Paving Blocks

Specifications and blank tenders may be obtained upon application to Mr. John Kennedy, Chief Engineer, at this office. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the tenders received.

DAVID SEATH,

Secretary-Treasurer.

57 Common Street, Montreal, 30th Dec., 1903.

TENDERS

Sealed tenders addressed to the County Clerk, R. F. Miller, Rathnam Centre, Ont., and endorsed "Tender for Oswego Creek Bridge," will be received until SATURDAY, THE 23RD OF JANUARY, 1904, for the construction of a bridge across the Oswego Creek on the township line between the townships of Canboro and Moulton, six miles north of Dunnville, Ont. To be built in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the County Engineer, W. H. Fairchild. Said plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Engineer at Simcoe, Ont., or with the undersigned near the site of the proposed bridge.

Tenders must be made separate for the steel superstructure, in two spans 60 feet each, with bottom for concrete floor and for the substructure, two abutments and one pier to be stone masonry.

Tenders will also be received up to TUESDAY, MARCH 1ST, 1904, for the laying of a concrete floor upon the said bridge, work to be done according to plans and specifications of the County Engineer, and under his supervision. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

GEORGE VAN KEURN,
Chairman Road and Bridge Committee,
Haldimand County Council,
Dunnville, Dec. 22, 1903.

TENDERS

For the BRICK WORK, CUT STONE WORK, CARPENTRY, Etc.,

Of the amended plans for the completion of TOWER and the construction of SPIRE for the Church of St. Mary, Bathurst Street, Toronto, Ont., and will be received till 3 P.M. TUESDAY, 19TH INST., by the Very Rev. J. J. McCann, P.P., V.G., St. Mary's Presbytery, Macdonnell Square, Bathurst Street, Toronto, Ont., where the plans and specifications may be seen.

N.B.—The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

TENDERS

Sealed tenders for the purchase of \$3,754.65 19 per cent. Local Improvement Debentures of the Village of Chesley will be received by the undersigned up to 7:30 o'clock p.m. of MONDAY, JANUARY 19TH, 1904.

A marked cheque payable to the order of the Treasurer of the Village of Chesley for \$100, as a guarantee of good faith, to accompany each tender.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOS. McNELL,
Village Clerk.

BRIDGE TENDERS

Will be received by the undersigned on behalf of the County of Huron, at Wingham P.O., Ont., until 5 o'clock p.m. on SATURDAY, THE 23RD DAY OF JANUARY, 1904, for the erection of the superstructures of four bridges, three to be in the County of Huron and one on the boundary of Huron and Perth, as follows:

First one to be erected over the Maitland River on the boundary line between East and West was a north, to be two clear spans of 120 feet each between pier and abutments. Trusses to be 20 feet high, of 8 panels; roadway 16 feet wide, steel joists at 4 feet centres, floor of rock elm or tamarack 3 inches thick, wheel guards 535 inches, of pine or cedar; railing 4 feet high, of 4 tiers of 1 1/2-inch gas pipe; strength required, 100 lbs. per square foot of floor surface, and large safety factor; about 25 feet from bed of stream to floor; rock bottom and little water. Completion the 15th of September next, 1904. Seven miles from R. R. station at White Church.

Second Bridge to be erected over a branch of the Maitland River, on the boundary line between the townships of Howick and Grey, of one clear span of 70 feet between the abutments, 16 feet roadway; trusses 8 feet high, 3 panels; steel joists 1 feet; floor 3 inches thick, of rock elm or tamarack; wheel guards 535 inches; railing 4 feet high, of 3 tiers of 1 1/2-inch gas pipe; about 13 feet from bed of stream to floor; strength 100 lbs. to square foot of floor. To be completed on or before the 15th day of August next.

The third bridge is to be erected at the town of Wingham and is to be of the same size and strength and structure as Bridge No. 2. To be completed the 1st September next, 1904.

Bridge No. 4 is to be erected over a creek on the boundary line between Usborn and Blanchard Townships, at the village of Kirkon. To be 20 feet long clear between the abutments, 16 feet roadway. The joists, floor and railing to be of the same style and make as Nos. 2 and 3. About 8 feet from bed of stream to floor; hard bottom to stream. Bridge to be completed the 1st of August next. Tender for each bridge separately.

Tenders must be accompanied by a marked cheque payable to the County Treasurer equal to 5 per cent. of amount of tender. Should any party whose tender is accepted fail to execute the necessary contract and bonds, and give satisfactory security for the due fulfilment of the contract, the deposit accompanying the tender will be forfeited to the County of Huron. The deposits of unsuccessful tenders will be returned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN ANSLBY,
County Commissioner for County Huron.
Wingham, December 28, 1903.

TENDERS FOR DEBENTURES

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 5 o'clock p.m. of JANUARY 25TH, 1904, for the purchase of \$12,000 Debentures of the Village of Iroquois, bearing interest at 4 per cent., and repayable in twenty equal annual instalments. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAS. FLANAGAN,
Village Clerk.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

PORT DOVER, ONT.—There is talk of building a new town hall.

AMHERST, N.S.—The Intercolonial Railway will enlarge the freight shed here.

ELGIN, ONT.—Mrs. O. Lambson has purchased a lot on which to build a residence.

COLEBROOK, ONT.—James Middleton intends building a new brick residence in the spring.

BLIND RIVER, ONT.—Eddy Bros. & Co. will build several dwellings for their employees.

WATERLOO, ONT.—The Evangelical church congregation are considering the building of a new edifice.

BRANDON, MAN.—H. E. Hills has purchased property on N 1/2 street on which he intends building a fine hotel.

ALMONTE, ONT.—The by-law to raise \$10,000 for permanent sidewalks was carried by a large majority last week.

CHICOUTIMI, QUE.—The Quebec & Lake St. John Railway Co. will make extensive improvements to the station here.

SPRINGHILL, N.S.—R. H. Cooper will receive tenders up to February 17th for the erection of a Y.M.C.A. building here.

BELLEVEILLE, ONT.—The Militia Department have accepted the city's offer of the hospital lot as a site for new drill shed.

CLYDE FORKS, ONT.—Thompson, Avery & Gray, whose saw mill was burned last week, will rebuild immediately.

BILLINGS BRIDGE, ONT.—The Methodists have an option on property corner of Bank and Dufferin streets on which to build a new church.

MARKHAM, ONT.—Ernest Crosby purchased property on Main street on which he will build a fine residence during the coming summer.

PEMBROKE, ONT.—The by-law authorizing the town to loan \$50,000 to the National Mfg. Co. has been withdrawn at the request of the company.

NORTH BAY, ONT.—The town wants to raise \$50,000 to meet floating debt, build a town hall, and extend the water-works.—Plans are on foot to erect brick blocks facing the C.P.R. station.