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ADVERTISING RATES ON APPLICATION.

At its Convention held in Toronto, Nov. 20 and 21, 1889, the Ontario Association of Architects signified its approval of the CANADIAN CONTRACT RECORD, and pledged its members to use this journal as their medium of communication with contractors with respect to advertisements for Tenders.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted at the First Annual Meeting of the Province of Quebec Association of Architects, held in Montreal, Oct. 10th and 11th, 1890: "Moved by M. Perrault, seconded by A. F. Dunlop, that we the Architects of the Province of Quebec now assembled in Convention being satisfied that the CANADIAN CONTRACT RECORD affords us a direct communication with the Contractors, resolved, that we pledge our support to it by using its columns when calling for Tenders."

Subscribers who may change their address should give prompt notice of same. In doing so, give both old and new address. Notify the publisher of any irregularity in delivery of paper.

BARTER AND EXCHANGE.

This department has been opened for the speedy barter and exchange of second-hand plant or material, or small lots of new or second-hand materials by builders and others not regularly engaged in the sale of such articles. Advertisements other than those of the above description will not be inserted.

RATES—12 words and under, 15 cents; each additional word, 1 cent (three figures count one word); on two or more subsequent insertions a discount of 10 per cent. will be allowed. Not more than four insertions of an advertisement can be granted.

Replies to advertisements may be addressed to a box at this office, in which case necessary stamps must be sent for re-mailing replies. Advertisements for this department must be prepaid.

TO DRAUGHTSMEN.—About 13 quires of Whatman's Drawing Paper for sale (Imperial size), only \$3.50 for the lot. Box 151 at this office.

FREDERICTON, N.B., June 10th, 1893.

TENDERS

Will be received, addressed "City Clerk, Fredericton, N. B.," for lighting the streets of said city by electricity (arc lights), said tenders to be received up to the 14TH DAY OF JULY NEXT, at noon. Fifty arc lights will be required, to be run per "Moonlight Schedule." A contract will be entered into (if terms satisfactory) to run for ten years. The contractor will be required to furnish, put in and run dynamos, machinery, plant and materials at his own charges in all things. Any further information will be furnished on application. Each tender to state description of machinery and light proposed to be furnished. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order of Street Light Committee,
CHAS. W. BECKWITH,
City Clerk.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PLUMBING.

Sealed tenders will be received, addressed to the undersigned at Igersoll, up to 12 o'clock noon on WEDNESDAY, THE 5TH OF JULY, INSTANT, for the plumbing required in Sheriff Brady's new residence in Woodstock, Ont.

Plans and specifications can be seen and any other information obtained at the office of Messrs. Cuthbertson & Fowler, Architects, Woodstock. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Address

R. LAYTON, Builder,
Igersoll, Ont.

TOWN OF WALKERTON.

NOTICE TO BRIDGE BUILDERS

Sealed tenders will be received, addressed to the undersigned at Walkerton, up to 4 o'clock in the afternoon on MONDAY, THE 3RD DAY OF JULY, for the erection and construction of a

STEEL BRIDGE

over the Saugeen river on Durham street. Length, 195 feet from centre to centre of end pieces; roadway, 16 feet clear, 1 sidewalk, 5 feet clear, moving load, 120 lbs. per foot, two steel cylinders at each end 13 feet above water line.

Complete drawings and specifications and strain sheets to accompany tender. Tenders to state earliest time at which the bridge can be completed.

Also tenders for stone abutments, containing about 300 cubic yards of masonry.

An accepted bank cheque payable to the order of the Treasurer of the Town of Walkerton, for the sum of Five Hundred Dollars to accompany each tender.

To be made "Tender for Bridge." The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

GEO GOULD,
Town Clerk

Walkerton, June 13th, 1893



TENDERS FOR STEEL TANK

Sealed tenders addressed to the City Engineer and endorsed "Tender for Steel Tank" will be received by registered post only up to the hour of 11 o'clock a.m. on MONDAY, THE 3RD JULY, 1893, for a Steel Tank completed and placed in the Water Works connecting crib at Hanlan's Point.

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

A deposit, cash or marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, for the sum of 24 per cent. on the value of the work tendered for, 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 Room, Toronto, June 20, 1893.

TENDERS

Will be received until WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, for the erection of a

RESIDENCE IN PARKDALE.

CHAS J GIBSON, Architect,
93 Adelaide St. East, Toronto.

TO BUILDERS.

Whole and separate tenders will be received up to 5 o'clock p.m. of TUESDAY, JULY 4TH, for the erection of a

Public School

in York Mills. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans may be seen on and after Tuesday, the 27th inst.

MANUEL WILLIAMS, Architect,
828 Yonge Street, Toronto.



TENDERS FOR VALVES

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders addressed to the "City Engineer" Toronto, and endorsed "Tenders for Valves" will be received by registered post only up to the hour of eleven o'clock on MONDAY, 3RD JULY NEXT, for

- 1 24 inch check valve.
- 2 36 inch check valves.
- 3 30 inch check valves.
- 2 36 inch screw valves.

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

A deposit, cash or marked cheque, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, for the sum of 2 1/2 per cent. on the value of the work tendered for 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, June 21, 1893.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

CANADIAN CONTRACTORS' HAND-BOOK.

A new and thoroughly revised edition of the Canadian Contractors' Hand-Book, consisting of 150 pages of the most carefully selected material, is now ready, and will be sent post paid to any address in Canada on receipt of price. This book should be in the hands of every architect, builder and contractor who desires to have readily accessible and properly authenticated information on a wide variety of subjects adapted to his daily requirements.

Price, \$1.50; to subscribers of the CANADIAN ARCHITECT AND BUILDER, \$1.00. Address
C. H. MORTIMER, Publisher,
Confederation Life Building, TORONTO.

CONTRACTS OPEN.

HAWLOCK, ONT.—Messrs. Dawson Bros purpose erecting a large flour mill.

PILOT MOUND, MAN.—Messrs. Dow & Curry have decided to erect an oatmeal mill here.

CARDINAL, ONT.—The Methodists are asking for tenders for the erection of a new church.

SOREL, QUE.—The ratepayers have granted a bonus of \$50,000 for the erection of a large cotton mill.

MARYSVILLE, N. B.—Mr Alexander Gibson is arranging for the erection of twenty double houses.

CARLTON PLACE, ONT.—The agitation for a system of waterworks and sewerage is again being revived.

STRATFORD, ONT.—The sum of \$30,000 will be expended this year on sewers and permanent pavements.

DARTMOUTH, N. S.—The Water Commissioners will construct a sewer on the south end of King street.

PETERBORO, ONT.—The Auburn Woolen Company contemplate making further additions to their mill.

GRANDY, QUE.—The village council is prepared to negotiate for the construction of a water works system.

BLENHEIM, ONT.—Mr. Sheldon, proprietor of the Sheldon House, is about to commence the erection of a large brick hotel.

GLENCOR, ONT.—The plans for the new G. I. R. station here have been completed and are now in Montreal for approval.

DUNDAS, ONT.—The Council is considering the question of lighting the streets with electricity and tenders are now being received.

MEAFORD, ONT.—Mr. A. W. Corley will receive tenders until Wednesday, the 28th inst., for heating and ventilating the public school.

WINNIPEG, MAN.—Tenders are invited by G. H. West, Chairman Committee on Works, until to-day, for the construction of a sewer on Eleventh street.

COOKSHIRE, QUE.—A by law authorizing the Council to borrow the sum of \$30,000 for water works and sewerage purposes has been carried by the ratepayers.

MITCHELL, ONT.—Messrs. Jas. Watson and Thomas Stoneman will each erect new stores—Mr. Porteous is about to erect a new residence in the north ward.

BRADFORD, ONT.—Mr. J. D. Sher's saw mill was badly wrecked a few days ago by the bursting of a fly-wheel, much valuable machinery being destroyed.

BRADFORD, ONT.—It is rumored that a syndicate is to be formed here for the purpose of building a large hotel and a block of stores on the site of the burned buildings.

WILKESPOUR, ONT.—Orra Bishop, Clerk of Sombra, will receive tenders until the 3rd of July for the construction of the O'Leary and McLennan drains in Sombra township.

WATERLOO, ONT.—The capital stock of the Waterloo Knitting Company is to be increased by \$10,000, part of which will be spent in the purchase of additional machinery.

PETERBORO, ONT.—Messrs. P. H. Green, Jas. A. Fife, Geo. Cochrane, H. C. Stabler, Jas. C. Smith and John White will each erect new residences this summer near Dixon Park.

KINGSTON, ONT.—Mr. Chamberlain, Jail Inspector, has written to the County Council urging the erection of a new residence for the jailer. A committee will inspect the present residence and report.

ARNPRIOR, ONT.—Mr. A. Chaine, Secretary Separate School Board, will receive tenders until Saturday, the 24th inst., for the erection of a convent in this town. Plans may be seen at the office of M. Calvin.

OWEN SOUND, ONT.—At the last meeting of