

# CONSTRUCTION NEWS SECTION

Readers will confer a great favor by sending in news items from time to time. We are particularly eager to get notes regarding engineering work in hand and projected, contracts awarded, changes in staffs, etc.

Printed forms for the purpose will be furnished upon application.

## TENDERS.

### Quebec.

**BUCKINGHAM.**—Tenders will be received by the undersigned secretary-treasurer up to Monday the 23rd day of August, 1909, for the laying of a sewer pipe on Church Street, of the town of Buckingham. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of R. W. Farley, C.E., at 362 Rideau Street, Ottawa, or at the office of the said corporation of the town of Buckingham. F. M. Gorman, secretary-treasurer.

**MONTREAL.**—Tenders will be received up to Wednesday the 18th August for the supplying and installing of a complete heating plant in the Corporation shops on Grand Trunk Street; prices are asked for a "Complete Steam Heating System," and also for a "Complete Hot Air Heating System." All information required may be obtained from the superintendent at the Corporation Yard, No. 700 Grand Trunk Street. L. O. David, city clerk.

**ST. CHARLES.**—Tender for sewer will be received at the office of the undersigned, or at the office of C. C. Chatway, 212 McIntyre Block, up to 6 o'clock p.m. on Saturday, the 21st day of August, 1909, for the construction of a sewer on Berlin Street, in D.G.S. 26 St. James, from the Portage Road to the Assiniboine River. Frank Ness, secretary-treasurer.

**SHERBROOKE.**—Tenders for fittings, Drill Hall, will be received until Wednesday, August 25th. Plans and specifications to be seen on application to Mr. J. W. Gregoire, supervising architect, Sherbrooke, and Napoleon Tessier, secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

**QUEBEC.**—Tender for Steam Roller, and addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to Wednesday the 18th inst., at 4 p.m., for a Steam Roller. W. D. Baillairge, city engineer.

### Ontario.

**COBALT.**—The time for receiving tenders for the Cobalt waterworks and sewers has been extended to August 18th, 1909. (Advertised in the Canadian Engineer.)

**COBALT.**—Tenders for Passenger Station at Cobalt, Ont., will be received up till 12 o'clock noon, August 18. Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained from John M. Lyle, architect, 14 Leader Lane, Toronto, and office of J. B. Clements, chief engineer, North Bay, Ont. A. J. McGee, sec.-treas.

**KINCARDINE.**—Tenders for Post Office and Customs Fittings will be received until August 26. Plans and specifications to be seen on application to Mr. Angus Kerr, Kincardine. Napoleon Tessier, secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

**OTTAWA.**—Tender for a new steel steamer for the Quarantine Service will be received up to noon of the 13th day of September, 1909, for the construction of a steel steamer for the (salt water) Quarantine Service at Halifax, N.S., of the following leading dimensions, namely: Length, extreme 89 feet 3 inches; breadth of beam, moulded, 19 feet; depth, 10 feet; to be delivered at Halifax, in the Province of Nova Scotia. A. L. Jarvis, Department of Marine.

**ST. THOMAS.**—Messrs. Bell & McCubbin, civil engineers, will let a contract by auction on Saturday, August 14, for making a new road in the township of Yarmouth.

**TORONTO.**—Tenders will shortly be received by the City of Toronto for pole line supplies, conductors, poles, etc. (Advertised in the Canadian Engineer.)

**TORONTO.**—Tenders will be received until August 17th, 1909, for asphalt pavements, bitulithic pavements, concrete pavements, concrete curbs, concrete walks and sewers. Joseph Oliver, Mayor.

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**TORONTO.**—Tenders will be received by the undersigned up till noon Saturday, the 14th instant, for about 6,500 cubic yards of excavation for the University of Toronto. Plans and specifications may be seen and any other information obtained at the office of the architects. Darling & Pearson, 2 Leader Lane, Toronto.

**TORONTO.**—A quantity of pine and spruce timber situated in the Mississauga Forest Reserve, in the district of Algoma, having been partially damaged by fire, tenders are hereby invited for the right to cut said timber. Tenders will be received up to Wednesday the 15th day of September next. F. Cochrane, Minister, Department of Lands, Forests and Mines.

**TORONTO.**—Tender for Passenger Station at Cobalt, Ont., will be received up till 12 o'clock noon, August 18th. Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained from John M. Lyle, architect, No. 14 Leader Lane, Toronto, Ont., and office of Chief Engineer, North Bay, Ont. A. J. McGee, secretary-treasurer, No. 25 Toronto St.

### Saskatchewan.

**ESTEVAN.**—Tenders will be received until August 26th for heating apparatus. G. F. Faulkner, Estevan. Napoleon Tessier, secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

**REGINA.**—Tenders will be received until Monday, August 16 for (a) trenching 22,800 feet for 18 inch C.I. pipe; (b) hauling 1,710 tons of 18-inch C.I. pipe; laying same and back-filling trench. J. Kelso Hunter, city clerk; Angus Smith, city engineer.

**SASKATOON.**—Tenders will be received until August 24th, 1909, for an 8-inch steam separator and a 500 horse-power open-feed boiler heater. J. H. Trusdale, city clerk. (Advertised in the Canadian Engineer.)

### British Columbia.

**FERNIE.**—Tenders for Customs Fittings will be received until Monday, August 23. Plans and specifications to be seen on application to Mr. R. Kerr, clerk of works, Fernie. Napoleon Tessier, secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

**VICTORIA.**—Tenders addressed to the undersigned from whom copies of the specifications may be obtained, will be received up till 4 p.m. on Monday the 16th day of August, 1909, for the supplying of cast iron water pipe, pig lead, gate valves. W. W. Northcott, purchasing agent.

## CONTRACTS AWARDED.

### Ontario.

**HAMILTON.**—Contracts for building the following sewers were let: Little Peel Street, to J. Armstrong, 43 cents a foot; Wilson Street from Emerald Street to East Avenue, to A. Mercer, 74 cents a foot; Albert Road, to J. Armstrong, 47 cents a foot.

**TORONTO.**—In connection with the Hydro-Electric Commission's power line contracts were awarded to the lowest tenderers. The construction of the Toronto station will be done by Messrs. Witchall & Son, Toronto, for \$36,500.